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## EDITORIAL

### ELECTION RESULTS

While the Republicans in this county are, more or less, biding their time until the Fall election, the Democrats have been waging a long and torrid campaign for nominations of candidates in Saturday's primary election.

A "heavy" turnout of voters is expected throughout the 23 precincts come Saturday. This newspaper will again have an election board on Lower Bridge Street, weather permitting, in an effort to let the public know the results of the election. In case of rain, the board will probably be in the courtroom or on the courthouse porch. The success or failure in receiving the results lies squarely on the shoulders of precinct officials. It is hoped that they will cooperate to the fullest in bringing in the results as quickly as possible.

In past elections, the response has been fine in some cases and very poor in other cases. The public has a right to know how "the election went" and we ask for full cooperation.

This board is prepared at considerable expense and effort as a public service and although the returns are "unofficial," nevertheless it shows who has won and who has lost.

## IMPORTANT ISSUE

Voters of Madison County will have the opportunity at Saturday's Primary to approve or reject plans for the establishment of a new tax and commission for Madison County.

In short, voters will decide on whether or not a tax levy of five cents per \$100 valuation will be assumed to be used to develop an expanded and diversified economy in Madison County; for the attraction, encouragement and expansion of agricultural, commercial and industrial enterprises and of venture capital and any and all costs or expenses related to the broad development purposes, such as professional planning assistance, resource, labor, location, land use, industrial and other surveys, and advertising. (Writeup elsewhere in this issue.)

The original members of the commission (five Democrats and five Republicans) will serve until April 1, 1965. Monies from this industrial tax are accumulative and the spending of the tax money will rest with the bi-partisan commission.

Madison County has long needed some kind of system where accumulative monies could be available for the inducement of industry. This seems to be a practical and fair method since every taxpayer will share in the benefits of added industry. Our county has long been "starved" for ways to increase per capita income. If properly administered, this new tax could well be a means for higher income and more employment in our county.

The intent of the measure which was approved by the last term of the State Legislature and Senate, is to set up this bi-partisan commission for the general welfare and development of our county.

Elsewhere in this issue can be found various organizations and groups which have come out favoring its passage.

Recently, individuals were contacted to donate toward the purchase of an industrial site in Marshall. This, indeed, works a hardship on a few progressive citizens who have faith in the future and realize the need for efforts to secure industry. The new tax would divide the burden among the citizens who will, after all, benefit from its results. If this measure passes, it is possible that the recently-purchased site can be graded and developed, ready for industry. There may be many other such developments in the county if sufficient money is available.

We wholeheartedly favor its passage and intend to vote "Yes" this Saturday.



## Marshall High Captures County And Conference Baseball Championships

Win 12, Lose Only Four;  
Briggs Tops Pitchers  
With 10-2 Mark

The Marshall high school baseball team has concluded one of the finest seasons in the school's history by winning the county championship and also the Pisgah Conference Championship.

Coaches Morton and Wallin expressed deep satisfaction on the team's record of 12 victories against only four defeats.

Harry Briggs, burly right-hander, proved the ace of the mound staff as he won 10 games while losing only two. His wins came at the expense of every team in the Pisgah Conference as well as as every team in the county.

Revis Edmonds led the team at the plate with a lusty season's batting average of .411.

The Tornadoes won the Conference title on May 17, defeating Clyde, 9-3, in a game stopped after six innings due to rain. Briggs was the winning pitcher while Edmonds had a perfect day with 4 for 4. Tommy Nix and Art Hensley had two hits each. Larry West clouted a double.

Clyde 100 101-3 4 6  
Marshall 231 201-9 11 4

The Tornadoes capped the county title last Tuesday on the island by downing Laurel, 8-2, with Briggs the winning pitcher. West and Briggs led the winners with two hits each.

Laurel 000 110 0-2 5 4  
Marshall 030 410 x-8 8 2

### No Hitter

On May 18, Ralph Loving and Harry Briggs team on the mound to pitch a no-hitter against Spring Creek as Marshall won a close 2-1 decision. Loving pitched 5 2/3 innings but had to retire after arm trouble. Briggs completed the no-hitter. Gentry, Spring Creek pitcher, allowed only six hits.

Spring Creek scored its lone run in the first inning on a hit batsman, two walks and a fielder's choice.

Luther Worley made his debut as a catcher and played excellently behind the plate. Clyde Candler led the winners with 3 for 4 while Revis Edmonds collected 2 for three.

Marshall's season record:

Player	Batting	Avg.
West	.....	.327
Candler	.....	.340
Nix	.....	.386
Briggs	.....	.387
Hensley	.....	.278
Cody	.....	.311
Marler	.....	.245
Edmonds	.....	.411
R. Caldwell	.....	.220
Worley	.....	.383
Wilds	.....	.000
Gladden	.....	.167
Loving	.....	.200

Pitching	IP			ERA
	W	L	ERA	
Briggs	78	10	2	1.09
Loving	12	2	0	3.07
Worley	5	0	2	5.32
D. Caldwell	3	0	0	0.00
Marler	4	0	0	2.51

### Marshall 7th Graders On Trip To Asheville

Seventh grade students from the rooms of Mrs. Ora Fox, Mrs. Zora Huffman and Mrs. Rex Cohn from the Marshall School, left this (Thursday) morning by train (Carolina Special) for Asheville where they will tour the city, Coca-Cola Bottling Co. plant, enjoy a picnic lunch, and then tour Westgate. They will return this afternoon by bus.

### Honored

Mrs. J. Moody Chandler entertained at a "cook-out" at her home Tuesday at noon honoring Mrs. Jim Story on her birthday.

Those attending were Mrs. Story, Mrs. Zeno Pender, Mr. and Mrs. Chandler, and their daughter, Mrs. Faye Sprinkle, and her son,

## DISTRICT 31-A LIONS LEAD IN AWARDS

Member clubs of Lions District 31-A in Western North Carolina took over 50 per cent of the first place awards given at the Lions State Convention Tuesday at Carolina Beach.

District 31-A, which takes in 37 clubs in 12 WNC counties, including Marshall and Hot Springs, again led the state in work for the blind.

White Cane awards to clubs in the district went to the Asheville Lions Club, which was cited for per member contribution to the State Association for the Blind, for clubs with 100 or more members; and the Haw Creek club, which won the award for per member contribution to the state association for clubs with 40 to 54 members.

To the district, which was competing with eight other districts, went a trophy for raising the most money of any district (\$14,050); and a trophy for raising the most money on a membership basis (\$9.80 per member).

### Mrs. George Shupe Awarded Scholarship

Mrs. Dorothy E. Shupe of Box 44, Walnut, teacher at Marshall High School, has been selected by the Wall Street Journal's Newspaper Fund as one of 465 high school and junior college teachers in the nation to receive a fellowship for summer study in journalism. She will study at University of Tennessee in Knoxville.

### Dairy Month

#### Chairmen Are Named For County

Wade Huey has been named Madison County chairman for the observance of June Dairy Month and Mrs. Zeno Ponder has been named woman's chairman. Announcement of their appointment has been made by G. C. Palmer Jr., of Clyde, J. D. Hoffer and Mrs. Sylvia Carr of Asheville, area chairmen.

June Dairy Month is a nationwide promotion program to call attention to the importance of the dairy industry and to point out the contribution of dairy products to the nation's health.

According to Palmer, who is one of Western North Carolina's leading dairy farmers, "Dairying is the greatest single source of farm income in America. One out of every five dollars in cash receipts from farm products is a dairy dollar. Dairying also ranks high in the Western North Carolina counties. Local dairy farmers produced over 70 million quarts of milk last year, which was responsible for over \$9 million dollars in gross farm receipts."

Palmer also pointed out that since 1940 the gross dairy farm income in North Carolina has tripled and is now about \$100 million. He stated that dairy farmers have 95 per cent of the total investment in the state's dairy industry and that processors and distributors have 5 per cent. The state's milk plants provide a livelihood for 6,000 employees and their families.

"The dairy industry is essential," state Hoffer and Mrs. Carr, "because milk is nature's favorite. Nutritionally, milk and milk products provide 20 to 25 per cent of the nation's essential food nutrients for only 15 to 18 per cent of the food budget."

The June Dairy Month area program is being sponsored by the Dairy Commission of the Asheville Agricultural Development Council, in cooperation with the Dairy farmers, agricultural agencies and milk plants.

### 8th Grade Promotion To Be Held May 25

Approximately 30 students are candidates for promotion from the eighth grade to high school in Marshall Friday morning, May 25, at 10 o'clock.

### Baccalaureate Service Here Sunday Afternoon

Neils H. Larsen, pastor of Central Baptist Church, Spruce Pine, will deliver the Baccalaureate Sermon to the members of the Marshall High School graduating class, Sunday afternoon, May 27, at 3 o'clock, in the gymnasium.

R. L. Edwards, principal, will introduce the speaker. The invocation will be given by Glen A. Ramsey Jr., pastor of the Marshall Baptist Church. Grady M. Bridwell, pastor of Enon Baptist Church, will give the benediction.

Two anthems: "Behold the Lamb of God" and "Praise" will be sung by the school chorus. They are accompanied by Mrs. Maco Wallin, pianist and Mrs. Coleman Worley, violinist; Virgil Smith is director.

Other music will be furnished by the Carol Choir of Marshall Baptist Church, directed by Mrs. Bill Hunter.

Mrs. Earl Robinson and Mr. Bill Reeves, senior sponsors, will have charge of the program. The public is invited to attend.

### Home Ec. Dept. Presents Fashion Show At School

Davia Massey and Deanna Shields won first place in the fashion show which was presented by the Home Economics Department of Marshall High School on Monday night, May 21. Others modeling outfits made in class by the girls were: Evelyn Massey, Maggie Norton, Geraldine Sams, Judy Tipton, Doris Ward, Dale Worley, Jean Mullinax, Dessie Bishop, Maggie Buckner, Phyllis Niles, Cecelia Roberts, Shirley Wilson, Shirley Treadway, Doris Stines, Tula Payne, Joyce Fisher, Mary Emma Ponder, Clare Ramsey, Grace Windsor, Wanda Baldwin, Betty Sue Roberts, Barbara Payne, Sharon Clark, Ginger Craine, Maxine Plemmons and Betty Lou Ray.

Shirley Treadway, Dale Worley and Cecelia Roberts, of the first year girls, and Maxine Plemmons, Ginger Craine and Betty Sue Roberts, of the third year girls, were also named by the judges as second, third and fourth place winners in that order.

Escorts were Robert Marler, Luther Nix, Tommy Nix, Kermit Cody Jr., Clyde Candler, Joe Lynn Metcalf, Danny Henderson, Herbert Ponder, Ed Payne, Lane Ramsey, Dwight Cody and Norris Gentry.

Ushers were Sandra Henderson, Ann Tilson, Patsy Conner, Ruth Ball, Pansy Freeman and Margaret Fisher.

Sheila Rice and Richard Wilde furnished special music. Jani Woodard served as commentator. Mrs. Earl Robinson, home economics teacher, directed the revue.

### Marshall PTA Met Monday In Gymnasium

Marshall Parent-Teacher Association met in the gymnasium Monday, May 21, with Mrs. George Shupe, president, presiding.

Karen Robinson had charge of the devotions. Mrs. Bill Hunter was elected to attend the Institute at Greensboro in June. Miss Bobbie Jean Peek's room won the attendance award. Mrs. Earl Robinson, program chairman installed the new officers. They are: Mrs. George Shupe, president; Mrs. Overton Gregory, first vice-president; Mrs. Obrey Ramsey, second vice-president; Mrs. Frank Fisher, secretary, and Mrs. Bill Hunter, treasurer.

A fashion revue was presented by the Home Economics girls, who also served refreshments.

### MHS Cheer Leaders' Co-Captains Named

Co-Captains for the 1963 Marshall High School cheerleaders have been named and will be ready come next Fall to cheer the Tornadoes on to victory.

They are Ann Ramsey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ramsey, and Wanda Baldwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Baldwin.

Both are rising Seniors.

### Breaks Arm

Miss Flora Wilkie of Marshall suffered a broken left arm Sunday when she accidentally fell down some steps at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ethel Hensley in Asheville.

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**VOTE FOR J. YATES BAILEY**

—FOR—  
**STATE SENATE**

(30th Senatorial District)

If elected to the State Senate, I will vote the wishes of the Democratic Executive Committee in each of the counties (Madison, Mitchell, Avery, Yancey). My interests are in our present State School System; more and better roads; more industry and the young people of our area.

I was reared in Yancey County, have a B.S. degree from Teachers College, Johnson City, Tenn., and have had 15 years teaching experience in North Carolina — Charter President, Bald Creek Lions Club — Past Deputy District Governor, Lions International — Present Teacher of Young People's Sunday School Class — Chairman, Board of Stewards, Bald Creek Methodist Church — Director, Yancey County Civil Defense — Life-long Democrat.

—Paid Political Advt.