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Free Diabetes Screening Clinic On Island Sunday

Sponsored By Lions, Health Dept.; From 12 Noon To 5:00 P. M.

A free Diabetes Screening Clinic will be conducted in the Marshall High School cafeteria this Sunday from 12:00 Noon until 5:00 p. m. It was announced that persons 36 years of age or older may take advantage of this opportunity.

It was further explained that any person, regardless of age, who is a member of a family who has Diabetic symptoms may be screened.

The screening will require only a drop of your blood from a finger and does not require a urine specimen.

The clinic is being sponsored by the Marshall Lions Club, Madison County Health Department, North Carolina State Board of Health and the North Carolina Association For The Blind.

According to U. S. Public Health Service more than two million Americans are victims of Diabetes without even knowing it. These hidden causes are the main reasons why Diabetes is still the seventh cause of death and the third leading cause of blindness in the United States today.

When people know they have Diabetes they can follow doctor's orders and almost always lead happy active lives.

Madison County residents are urged to visit the screening clinic this Sunday to find out if they are Diabetic, and if so, they can receive advice from a physician.

Remember, it costs you nothing except a few minutes of your time. It may save your life.

COMMENCEMENT SCHEDULE AT MARSHALL HIGH

Thursday, May 16 (tonight) — Senior Play.
Saturday, May 18 — Marshall-Walnut Alumni Banquet.
Tuesday, May 21 — Piano Recital (1:25 p. m.).
Saturday, May 25 — Athletic Banquet.
Sunday, May 28 — Baccalaureate Service.
Tuesday, May 28 — Graduation.
Wednesday, May 29 — Walnut 8th Grade Graduation.

POLK CENTRAL DEFEATS MARS HILL, 5-1 WED.

Jerry Hines, righthanded ace, limited Mars Hill to one hit at Mill Springs Wednesday night in pitching Polk Central to a 5-1 victory in the first round of State AA Baseball Playoffs.

The victory was the 15th of the season for Polk Central. It moved them into second round action Friday against T. C. Roberson at a site to be chosen today. Roberson reached the second round with a 6-0 win over Sylva-Webster Wednesday night at Balfour.

The lone hit off Hines, winner of 12 games this season, was a (Continued To Last Page)

TWO-WEEKS TERM COURT TO START HERE ON MONDAY

Mason King Murder Case Slated; Most Cases Of Minor Nature

The May term of superior court for the trial of criminal and civil cases will begin here Monday morning with Judge W. E. Anglin, of Burnsville, presiding. Clyde M. Roberts, solicitor, will represent the State. The term will include two weeks.

Most of the cases listed to be tried are of minor nature. However, listed to be tried the first week is Mason King, charged with murder. Also calendared is the case of Doris Tipton Carroll, charged with manslaughter with a motor vehicle.

Jurors drawn for the two-weeks term are as follows:

FIRST WEEK:
Mrs. Carl (Clara) Bowman, Ellen Bailey, Mrs. Burlin Shetley, Jack Fairchild, Doyle Buckner, Mrs. Harry (Brenda) Baldwin, Mrs. Starlin Gentry, Mrs. Jimmy (Rose) Fore, Herman Moore, Mattie Susan Carver, Mrs. Blanche (Continued To Last Page)

CROSS-COUNTRY HIGHWAY IS ADVOCATED

Commissioners Attend Road Meeting On Tuesday; Propose Plan

Two members of the county board of commissioners and five other leaders attended a meeting in Johnson City, Tenn., Tuesday to discuss the proposed new highway 19E which will serve Yancey, Mitchell, Avery counties and intersect near Mars Hill. Both Tennessee and North Carolina officials have approved the plans and the new highway, when completed, will benefit Madison County.

At the meeting the Madison County commissioners proposed an addition to the Appalachia Highway which would include a "cross-county" highway from the Appalachia highway near Mars Hill through Marshall, Hot Springs and join Interstate 40 near Newport, Tenn.

It was voted that Tennessee (Continued To Last Page)

DAIRY FARMERS REFERENDUM NEXT THURSDAY

A statewide referendum for Grade A dairy farmers will be held next Thursday, May 23. The referendum is being sponsored by the American Dairy Association of North Carolina, Inc.

This referendum will give all Grade A dairy farmers in North Carolina the opportunity to vote on the question of assessing themselves 4 cents per hundred-weight on all Grade A milk sold for the next three years to support the (Continued To Last Page)

SCOUT COURT OF AWARDS HELD AT MARS HILL

The Madison Neighborhood Girl Scout Court of Awards was held Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Mars Hill Baptist Church basement auditorium with approximately three hundred persons attending. The seven Girl Scout troops were presented with their leaders and assistant leaders in a program for the entertainment of guests preceding the awarding of badges, recognitions and the bridging ceremony.

Special girl recognitions were given to six girls who sold more than 100 boxes of cookies during the 1968 Cookie Sale: Mary Agnes Arrington, Brownie, and Brenda Edwards, Junior, of Mars Hill; Carolene Buckner, Junior, of Walnut; Teresa Banks and Cynthia Niles, Juniors, and Susan Gregory, Cadette, of Marshall.

The Neighborhood awarded two special adult recognitions, both residents of the Mars Hill community: Mr. Carl Eller a Certificate of Appreciation for his "service to the Neighborhood during the 1967 Day Camp session and for continuous support given to Scouting in the community of Mars Hill"; Mrs. Charles Naron, a Girl Scout statuette for her "dedicated" leadership and for her participation in many other community activities in the interest of the young people of the community." Clyde Roberts, Neighborhood Chairman, made the adult awards.

Two Senior Girl Scouts from Asheville, Judy Norwood and Ann Bridges, received four Madison girls into the Senior level of the Scouting program. They were Becky Reed, Carol Shelton, Nancy Gentry and Susan Gregory. Mrs. R. L. Mcintosh, Advisor to the Madison Neighborhood, and Col. Harry Hewitt, Director of Finance Services of Pisgah Council, attended.

Mrs. Fred Boss, Area Representative for Mars Hill, was in charge of arrangements for the Court of Awards.



Pictured above is the 1957 Tornadoes football team of Marshall High School which won 10 consecutive regular season games and two playoff games before bowing to Mebane, 25-0, in the rain and mud. Kneeling, left to right: Levi Phillips, Herman Payne, Luther Nix, Billie Ray Candler, Pender McElroy, Lowery Walker, Wayne Clark, Robert Bowman, Charles Ball, Cecil Clark, Albert Freeman, Bill Ricker, Barry Marler, Ray Payne. Standing (l-r) Coach Howard Barnwell, Johnny Henderson, Jimmy Eads, Bruce Baldwin, Ronnie Hensley, Elmer Smith, Sherman Riddle, Douglas Tipton, Joe Freeman, Johnny Payne, Charles Sherman, Swan Payne; Managers: J. T. Fox, Fred Candler. Assistant Coach Roy Reeves was not present when picture was taken.

Alumni Banquet Here Saturday Will Feature 1957 Grid Squad

Opportunity Corp. Directors To Recommend Dir.

The Opportunity Corporation board of directors of Buncombe-Madison will meet tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 o'clock in Room 207, Buncombe County courthouse at which time the Personnel Committee, of which R. L. Edwards is chairman, will recommend a candidate for executive director to replace Ora Spade, who has resigned.

HOT SPRINGS NIPS GLENWOOD IN PLAYOFFS

Bruce Chandler singled to centerfield to score Charles Puryear with two outs in the bottom of the seventh giving Hot Springs a 3-2 victory over Glenwood in the first round of the state A playoffs at Hot Springs Wednesday afternoon.

Glenwood, who had jumped to a two run lead by the third inning, saw Hot Springs pull back in the game in the latter innings with some fine hitting and errorless fielding. Chandler's double in the seventh wrapped it up for the Blue Devils.

U. S. Population Estimated At 199,387,000

Washington — The Census Bureau today estimated the total population residing in the United States at 199,387,000 as of last April 1, and 11.2 per cent increase in the eight years since the 1960 census.

When servicemen overseas are included, the bureau said the total population as of last April 1 was 200,658,000. The total number of Americans reached 200 million last November.

SENIOR CLASS PLAY TONIGHT

"It's Great To Be Crazy," a comedy in three acts, will be presented by the Marshall High School senior class in the school auditorium tonight (Thursday), May 16, with curtain time set for 8 o'clock.

Johnny Fisher as John Maxwell, a mixed up businessman, plays the leading role, supported by Charlene Nix, Donnie Banks, Drucilla Buckner, Arvol Coates, Charlotte Shupe, Roger Haynie, Judy Slagle, Sharon Payne, Beulah Marler, Larry Leake, Mike Jenkins, Nancy Black, Sandy Wallin and Edna Faye Davis.

Production staff members are Gay Lynn Fowler, Gail Rector, Priscilla Rice, Evelyn Fisher, Jean Edmonds, Sandy Landers, Edward Crain and Phillip Wallin. The play is under the direction of Miss Jessie Mae Ramsey, dramatics coach.

Vernon Ramsey Is New Director Of Rescue Squad Here

Vernon Ramsey, of Route 4, Marshall, is now director of the Madison County Rescue Squad with headquarters on Upper Bridge Street. Mr. Ramsey succeeded Joe Fowler, who recently resigned.

Ramsey stated that the organization is non-profit and must be supported by donations and ambulance fees.

For emergencies, phone 649-8800 and at night, 649-4672. Ambulances can also be called at night by phoning the county jail, 649-3221.

BIG PROBLEM

Most people find it much easier to plan the work than to find time to work the plan.

Reunion To Include Showing Films Of Two Games

The Marshall-Walnut Alumni Association Banquet to be held Saturday night at 7:30 o'clock in the school cafeteria is expected to be one of the most interesting and entertaining events in the history of the Association.

The theme this year will center around the great Tornado football team of 1957 which compiled the greatest record of any team in Marshall's history. This was the team that won 10 consecutive games during the regular season and won two playoff games to reach the State semi-finals before Mebane defeated the Tornadoes, 25-0 in the rain and mud.

It is hoped that many members of the team, cheerleaders and the majorettes will be present where they will be recognized and honored. It is thought that films of the Glen Alpine-Marshall and the Walnut-Marshall games of '57 will be shown.

Jim Eads, quarterback of the fine team, is spearheading the "reunion" of the team.

Other interesting features will also prevail at the banquet which is held annually on the third Saturday night in May. Officers of this year's association are Charles "Ham" Crowe, (Continued To Last Page)

Marshall FFA Places First In Tool Contest

The Marshall Chapter of the Future Farmers of America Tool Identification Team placed first in the Western District Contest at Clyde A. Erwin High School May 11.

Members of the team were Dennis Freeman, Sanford Graham, Joe West, and David Allen. The team will represent the Western Division in the State Contest the last week in June. The FFA advisor is Mr. Jack Cole.

Soil Stewardship Week To Be Observed Next Week

County Churches Expected To Cooperate In Observance

Soil Stewardship Week, nationwide observance which places emphasis on man's obligations to God as stewards of the soil, water and other related resources, will be celebrated locally May 19-26, according to Herschel Ramsey, chairman, Madison Soil and Water Conservation District.

This year's observance, with the theme "A Time for Initiative," underscores the responsibility which each citizen has in meeting the responsibilities of soil stewardship. The Madison Conservation District and some 3,000 companion Districts throughout the nation, Puerto and the Virgin Islands, through their State and National Associations, are sponsoring this event for the 14th consecutive year.

Among the local events designed to encourage widespread recognition of Soil Stewardship Week are contact with ministers and church officials and furnishing materials to most churches in the county.

The Madison Conservation District will distribute additional material upon request to churches (Continued To Last Page)

4-H DRESS REVUE WAS HELD LAST FRIDAY NIGHT

The Madison County 4-H Dress Revue was held last Friday night at the Marshall School auditorium.

Miss Linda Henderson narrated the apron and dress revues. Winners in the contests were: Jane Rice, Apron Revue, and Sandra Roberts, Junior Dress Revue. Charlotte Shupe, Senior Dress Revue winner, will represent the county at the Western District competition, at Sylva-Webster High School, June 24. Winners of the Apron and Junior Dress Revues were awarded free trips to 4-H Camp. The winner in the Senior Dress Revue was awarded a free trip to 4-H Club Week at Raleigh. These trips will be sponsored by The Bank of French Broad, French Broad Electric Membership Corp., and Teague Milling Co.

Other ribbon winners were: Faith Wise and Carolene Buckner, (Continued To Last Page)

County Democrats Organize; Name Delegates And Alternates

1,137 Participate In Precinct Meetings Last Saturday

Last Saturday, May 11 at 10:00 a. m., the Democrats in Madison County actively participated in setting up their Party Machinery. Even though there was spirited competition in only two of the eight Precincts, the number of Democrats turning out and the delegates elected to the County Convention, as well as the Precinct Committeemen elected in all eight Precincts demonstrates clearly the keen interest the Madison County Democrats have in their Party Machinery. Zeno Ponder secretary of the Executive Committee, stated.

The following names listed underneath the respective Precinct name will in each case show the Democrat Precinct Chairman first, Vice Chairman second, Secretary-Treasurer third, and the remaining seven Precinct Committeemen. Following the Precinct Committee will be the list of delegates and alternates to the County Convention to be held Saturday, May 25 at 8:00 p. m., in the Marshall High School auditorium.

Marshall Precinct
Jack Payne, Hazel Snelson, Hattie Ella Nix, E. Y. Ponder, Geneva James, Allen Ball, Burder Reeves, Coy Haynie, Blanche Houston, George Penland, Bill Roberts, Jackie Ball, Christine Lister, Lorado Ponder, John Hensley, Roy Reeves, Marvin Edwards, Troy Rector, Clive Whit, Iverson Bradley, Shirley Treadway, Roy Freeman, Roy Caldwell, Lease Reeves, Norris Gentry, Lawrence Treadway, Ned Ramsey, Mrs. Nathan West (Bill), Garrett Metcalf, Van Griffin, Jack Lunsford, E. C. Teague, Howard Payne, Mrs. Stephen Eure.

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