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Charity Horse Show To Be Held Here Sat.

Winners Announced At County 4-H Talent Show



LYNNE BAKER, Walnut-Hopewell 4-H Club, was a winner in the recent 4-H Talent Show given in the Walnut School. Miss Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Baker, wrote and sang "The Horse Project Blues."

Variety Of Talents Enjoyed At Walnut School Recently

The Madison County 4-H Talent Show was held recently at the Walnut School. Four-H members from the various clubs in the county presented a variety of talent numbers to 4-H'ers, parents and friends present. White, red and blue ribbons were awarded. Listed below are the winners:

Shirley and Jane McIntosh, Carolyn Briggs, Maxine Hensley and Susan Frisby — white ribbons.

Red ribbon winners were: Seth Metcalf, Terri Lynne Boone, Kosa Dean Frisby, Brenda Norton, Jane McIntosh, Rhonda Sprinkle, Dale and Yvonne Coates, Terry Arrington and Terri Lynne Boone, Marsha Rice, Sandra Roberts, Barbara Gardner, Judy Bradley, Joyce Gosnell, Harlon Rice, Freddie Wallin, Richard Bailey, Margaret Wyatt, Vickie Wallin, Joyce Willis, Ronnie and Dennis Thomas, and Mickey Luther.

Blue ribbon winners were: (Continued To Last Page)

VBS TO START AT BAPTIST CHURCH HERE JUNE 10

The Marshall Baptist Church will conduct Vacation Bible School here beginning June 10 through June 14, it was announced here this week by the Rev. Albert A. Peverall, Jr., pastor, who will serve as principal.

On Friday, June 14, at 7:30 o'clock, parents and friends will have an opportunity to observe the week's activities at a Family Night Fellowship.

A complete list of the faculty and other information will be published next week.

ROBINSON TO BE FEATURED IN MAGAZINE

D. M. Robinson, general manager of French Broad Electric Membership Corporation, will be featured as personality of the month in the June issue of THE CAROLINA FARMER.

The magazine, which has approximately 2,000,000 subscribers across North Carolina, will salute Robinson in a "Profile" for his leadership in rural development and in civic activities.

"Doug Robinson," the article says, "has made French Broad EMC a force for area development and a spark for area enterprise."

French Broad serves 13,750 members in portions of Buncombe, Madison, Mitchell and Yancey counties. Robinson, a native of Mars Hill, became the co-op's manager in 1942.

An alumnus of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and Tusculum College, Greeneville, Tenn. Robinson began his career as a high school coach and science teacher. Before taking his present post, he was superintendent of Madison County schools for six years and then supervisor of the U. S. Census for a 23-county district.

Active in many organizations and programs in Western North Carolina, he is presently secretary of the Madison County Development. (Continued To Last Page)

Mother, Baby Care Courses Will Begin Monday

Mrs. Lawrence Merchant, Nursing Services Chairman for the Asheville Area Chapter of Red Cross, announces a course in Mother and Baby Care which will begin Monday, June 3, 1968, at 7 p. m. at the Red Cross Chapter Headquarters, 518 Kenilworth Rd., Asheville.

The 12-hour course is designed for prospective parents and includes techniques in handling bathing, and feeding the young baby.

For enrollment contact the Asheville Area Red Cross Chapter at 518 Kenilworth Road or call 254-9603.

ORAL ROBERTS TO SPEAK AT GRANDFATHER

Evangelist Oral Roberts is scheduled to be the principal speaker at the 44th annual Singing On The Mountain June 30, at Linville.

Radio and television personality Arthur Smith and his Crossroads Quartet will also appear on the program.

Roberts is the founder and director of the Oral Roberts Evangelistic Association, the founder and editor of Abundant Life magazine and has written a number of books and pamphlets which have been distributed world-wide. (Continued To Last Page)

Vietnam Casualty



Sgt. Walter J. Reece

SGT. W. J. REECE KILLED MAY 19 IN VIETNAM

Was Son Of Mr. And Mrs. Burnett Reece; Funeral To Be Announced

Sgt. Walter James Reece, 23, of Marshall Rt. 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burnett Reece, died Sunday, May 19, 1968 in action in Vietnam.

Sergeant Reece entered the Marine Corps on December 16, 1965. He had been in Vietnam since July 1967. He was a member of Walnut Creek Baptist Church.

Surviving in addition to the parents are three sisters, Mrs. Fay Flynn and Mrs. Inez Dockery of Marshall and Mrs. Betty Thomas of Asheville; and a brother, Pvt. Harold Wayne Reece of Fort Bragg.

Funeral arrangements will be announced by Bowman-Duckett Funeral Home.

COMMITTEE OF 100 TO MEET HERE JUNE 7

Members of the Madison County Committee of 100 are notified that the annual meeting of the committee will be held at the Marshall school on Friday, June 7, at 7:30 o'clock.

All members are urged to attend. If it is impossible to be present members are asked to notify Mrs. C. E. Mashburn, secretary, Marshall, N. C.

Gifted Student



BRUCE RANDALL, fifth grade student at the Walnut school, has been selected to attend a session for gifted children at Western Carolina University this summer. Bruce is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Randall, of Route 7, Marshall.

WHEN BOTTOM FALLS OUT

A deficit is the only thing that remains after the bottom falls out of good intentions.

TWO TO ATTEND CONFERENCE FROM COUNTY

Two Madison County youth are among 250 boys and girls from seven Appalachian states selected to attend the 13th Annual Regional Resource Development Conference at Fontana Dam, June 3 through 7.

The delegates are Carolyn Graham and Johnny Hensley. Carolyn and Johnny were selected for an all-expense-paid trip to the conference because of their interest in conservation.

The purpose of the conference is to build an appreciation of resources. The delegates will study seven resources — soils, forests, atmosphere, water, minerals, wildlife and human.

The conference is sponsored by the Tennessee Valley Authority, the Tennessee Valley Test Demonstration, Inc., and the Cooperative Extension Services in the seven states. Participating states are Alabama, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, North Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia.

Among the featured speakers for the conference are Dr. Fred R. Robertson, Auburn University vice president for extension, and Frank Smith, director of TVA.

Your Paper May Be Day Late

If you failed to receive your paper this week at the usual time don't blame us. The post office was closed today (Thursday) in observance of Memorial Day.

Afternoon And Night Shows Expected To Draw Thousands



Zeno H. Ponder

ZENO H. PONDER PRES. BILTMORE DAIRIES ASS'N

Elected At Annual Meeting Near Morganton On Wednesday

Zeno H. Ponder, Madison County's largest and one of the most successful dairymen, was elected president of the board of directors of the Biltmore Dairies Association, Inc., Wednesday at the annual meeting. (Continued To Last Page)



Again Sponsored By Lions; Corbett Coordinator; 34 Events Slated

Saturday is THE day for all horse lovers of Western North Carolina and Eastern Tennessee.

The most beautiful and well-trained horses in this area will display their talents on the Island before more than 1,000 spectators in what many regard as the finest all-round horse show in this section.

There will be two shows, the afternoon show begins at 1:00 o'clock and the night performance will begin at 7:00 o'clock.

This is the third annual horse show to be sponsored by the Marshall Lions and each year it has been "bigger and better". Over 1,000 persons from Western North Carolina and Eastern Tennessee attended last year's event and even more are expected for this year's event.

John Corbett, coordinator of previous horse shows here, is again serving this year.

Mr. Corbett announced this week that officials will include: Judges, Honorable and Mrs. J. W. Dailey, of Greensboro; Master of Ceremonies, Lloyd Thompson; Ringmaster, Glen Fletcher; Farrier, Ralph Brooks. A veterinarian will also be on call, Mr. Corbett stated.

Added to this year's 34 classes will be Open Jumpers, which are always exciting and thrilling to spectators. In addition to trophies and ribbons, cash awards will be given in many classes.

RIBBON BEARERS

Mr. Corbett has announced that the following girls will serve as ribbon bearers and will also present trophies: Ann Tilson, Charlotte Shupe, Sidney Mashburn, Kathy McCormick and Edna Ann Silver.

On Page Two of this issue is published a complete list of events with awards.

Mr. Corbett has named the following members of the Lions Club to serve on committees:

Chairs, Tents, and Ambulance — Ralph McCormick, Ed Niles, and Walter Harrell.

Ring — Wade Huey, Dederick Roberts, Charles Crowe, and Ed Gentry.

Concession Stand — Harry Silver, Earl Wise, Wiley DuVall, Jack Cole, Donald Ramsey, Bill Briggman, Robert Davis, Larry Corn, and Roy Reeves.

Gate — Ernest Teague, Walter Harrell, Walter Ramsey, Givie Whitte, Ed Morton, J. C. Wallin, Norris Gentry, and George Shupe. Publicity — James Story and Jerry Plattsman.

Masons To Meet Monday Night

The regular stated communication of French Broad Lodge No. 222 will be held on Monday, June 3, at 8:00 p. m.

Officers and members are invited.



RONNIE CARVER and ROGER BRADLEY were also winners in the Talent Show. The two boys are members of the Grapevine 4-H Club. Their talent number was a guitar duet.



Shown above are the Mountaineer Cloggers of the Hayes Run 4-H Club who won for the second consecutive year for their square dancing. From left to right, first row: Kickey McDevitt, James Haynie, Frank Roberts, Randy Houston, Wayne McDevitt, Russell Wyatt, Jerry Haynie and Joey Nix; second row: Nancy Gentry, Walda Harrell, Glenda Fox, Marilyn Wyatt, Glenda Bryan, Susan Gregory, Sue McDevitt and Theresa Ball.

Light Vote Is Expected In Saturday's Runoff

Polling Places To Be Open From 6:30 A. M. To 6:30 P. M. In County

The Republican runoff election Saturday which will pit Larry Zimmerman against Robert V. Somers for the nomination for U. S. Senate is expected to be light throughout North Carolina and Madison County. There are no other runoff contests slated.

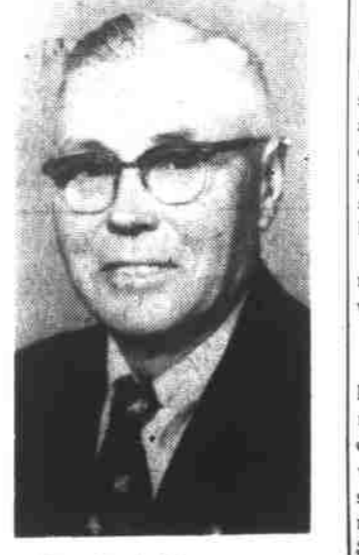
The winner of Saturday's runoff will run against veteran U. S.

Senator Sam J. Ervin Jr., D-N.C., in the general election in Nov. Zimmerman, Durham lawyer, ran second to Somers, Salisbury lawyer, in the May 4 Republican primary. Somers got 48,361 votes to 43,544 for Zimmerman and 40,023 for Ed Tenney, Jr., of Chapel Hill, who was eliminated.

Zimmerman told a news conference that "a clear majority of the people voting in the first primary preferred someone other than Zimmerman." (Continued To Last Page)

Democrats Name Members Of Exe. Comm.; Delegates

Passes Monday



Rev. L. A. Zimmerman

L. A. ZIMMERMAN, PRESBYTERIAN PASTOR, DIES

Was Laurel Presbyterian Pastor For Past 50 Years

Services for the Rev. L. A. Zimmerman, 79, of Marshall Rt. 3, who died Monday, May 27, 1968 were held at 11 a. m. today (Thursday) in Allansand Presbyterian Church.

Dr. Harold E. Myers officiated. Burial was in the family cemetery. Pallbearers were Keith Gosnell, Lewis and Wendell Franklin, Tommy Trimble Jr., Elmer Chandler, Ray Tweed and John D. Ray.

Mr. Zimmerman was a native of Kansas and had been a resident of Madison County since 1917. He had been pastor of the Lower Laurel Presbyterian Church. (Continued To Last Page)

J. C. Wallin Is Reelected Chairman At Convention On Saturday

The Madison County Democratic Convention was held at the school here last Saturday night at which time officers of the executive committee were elected and delegates were named to the state convention which will be held in Raleigh on June 6.

Officers of the executive committee and precinct chairmen and vice-chairmen are as follows:

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: J. C. Wallin, Jr., chairman; Mrs. Dorothy Wyatt, first vice chairman; W. T. Moore, second vice chairman; Ruben Gosnell, third vice chairman; Zeno H. Ponder, secretary; Mrs. Jena Lee Buckner, treasurer; Mrs. Dorothy B. Shupe, president, Madison County Democratic Women's Club; James Allen, president, French Broad Y.D.C. Club.

PRECINCTS: The chairman is named first (Continued To Last Page)

Locke Ray In Jail For Shooting James Briscoe In Mars Hill

Locke Ray, 22, of Mars Hill, is in the county jail here following his arrest Sunday afternoon in a shooting incident which occurred in Mars Hill Sunday.

According to authorities, Ray fired a shot from a 30-30 caliber rifle at James Briscoe, 42, also of Mars Hill. Both men are Negroes. The incident occurred on the road near Briscoe's home.

The shot severed half of Briscoe's hand and entered both legs. He is now in the Veterans Hospital at Oteen where he is recuperating.

Ray is in jail here without bond pending the outcome of Briscoe's condition, deputy sheriff Carl Shock stated.