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## Delegates Are Named For State And District Conventions

J. C. Wallin Jr., was reelected chairman of the Madison County Democrat party at the party convention held Saturday at Marshall High School.

Mrs. Truman Wyatt was elected first vice chairman; Cecil Blackwell, second vice chairman; Jackie Ball, third vice chairman; Zeno Ponder, secretary and Mrs. J. D. Buckner, treasurer.

Zeno Ponder was elected to the state executive committee.

Ten delegates were named to attend the state Democratic Convention to be held in Raleigh July 14. They are: Bill Roberts, Mrs. Christine Lister, Truman Wyatt, Novale Hawkins, O'Neal Shelton, Miss Charlotte Shupe, Mrs. Jennie Lee Buckner, Mrs. Reeves Church, J. G. Gardner and Mrs. Christine Keener.

Delegates named to attend the district meeting in Waynesville June 27 were: Jackie Ball, Emery Wallin, Mrs. Hazel Suttles, Bruce Maxwell, J. G. Gardner, Glenwood Wallin, Bobby Ponder, Cecil Pangle, Vernon Ponder and Coy Haynie.

## Reelected Chairman



J. C. Wallin, Jr.

# ACREAGE NOT TO FARMER

Farmers within the county have been found to be out of compliance with their allotment or diverted acreage farm programs administered by ASCS are being issued written notice as acreage determinations are completed for their farm, according to Ralph Ramsey, county ASCS director.

These notices explain the action or alternatives which the farmer may take within a 15-day time limit. Ramsey urged all farm operators to be on the look out for their notices and take the desired action within the time limit specified on their notice. In cases involving excess tobacco acreage, the producer who fails to take timely action will lose price support eligibility, even though he later makes application and disposal of his excess acreage. Farmers who feel an error has been made in their acreage determination may have such action.

## Wildes Purchase Shady Side Shop On Main St. Here

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wildes of Mooresville, have purchased a shady side store located on Main Street here from Mr. and Mrs. Fred Monroe.

Mr. Wildes is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Abner Wildes and Mrs. Wildes is the former Shirley Roberts, daughter of Mr. Robert Roberts and the late Mrs. Roberts.

"We cordially invite everyone to visit our shop where they can find flowers for all occasions," they stated this week.

# PLANS FOR CAMP NEAR BREVARD ARE ANNOUNCED

Madison County youth will have a new and exciting opportunity this summer. Young people between the ages of 9 and 18 years old will be able to attend a week long camp in the latter part of July this summer.

This privilege for area youth is offered free of charge because of funding from the Youth Council of the Office of Economic Opportunity, support from local VISTA workers and donations made by various churches and civic organizations in and outside the county.

Camp Pegasus, near Brevard, has been rented for two weeks. The first week, running from July 12 through July 21, will be open to youth from ages 12 to 18 years. The second week will be open for youth from 9 to 12 years old and will run from July 22 through July 27.

Qualified coaches and adult counselors for managing these camping sessions will come from Marshall High School volunteers, certain personnel from the Office of Economic Opportunity, various local leaders, and some of the regular staff of Camp Pegasus.

Campers will be able to participate in scheduled classes on first aid, hand crafts, mountain folk.

# Bobby Richardson To Speak At "Singing On Mountain" Sun.

## Quartets, Groups Invited To Sing; Starts At 9:00 A. M.

Bobby Richardson, former New York Yankee baseball star who is now active in affairs of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, will be the principle speaker for the 46th Annual "Singing on the Mountain" to be staged on Grandfather Mountain's MacRae Meadows on Sunday, June 28.

Richardson, now head baseball coach at the University of South Carolina, will deliver the feature address at 1 p. m. The day-long gospel singing event will commence about 9 a. m., and also will highlight RCA recording star George Hamilton IV, Arthur Smith and his Crossroads Quartet, the South-Ian Trio, and other well known groups.

Thousands of persons will be attending "Singing on the Mountain," which has been held each year since the first gathering in 1926. Joe Lee Hartley and Robert Hartley are co-chairmen of the festivities.

Richardson, a native of Sumter,

# STARTED IN COUNTY SCHOOLS

Head Start classes began Monday morning in all of the eight Madison County Schools and will continue through July 31, according to John Carl Wallin, Jr., director.

Classes are held daily from 9 until one o'clock with morning refreshments and lunch served gratis to students at Mars Hill, Beech Glen, Elbs Chapel, Marshall, Walnut, Laurel, Spring Creek and Hot Springs.

Teachers are Mrs. Carolyn Ponder, Miss Edith Radford, Mrs. Peggy Thomas, Mrs. Donna Rice, Mrs. Jessie Worley, Mrs. Billie Jean Haynie, Mrs. Obay Ramsey, Mrs. June Plemons, Mrs. Nell Franklin, Miss Selma Price, Mr. Lonnie Padgett and Mrs. Donna Hutchison.

Assisting the teachers are Mrs. Jo Ann Fox, Miss Edith Whitt, Mrs. Ruetta Ammons, Mrs. Glenita McDewitt, Mrs. Valarie Shelton, Mrs. Gay Haynie, Mrs. Polly Robinson, Mrs. Lonnie Gentry, Mrs. Rosa Ballman, Miss Patricia Thomas, Miss Winnie Ruth Wills, and Miss Nancy Clark.

# SUPPORT YOUTH BASEBALL TEAMS

The Marshall Lions Club, in addition to work for the blind, has been a strong supporter of youth athletics in the community — both Marshall and Walnut Schools. Last summer, the Marshall Little League baseball team, coached by the late Otto McDewitt was partially supported by the Marshall Club. This summer, the Babe Ruth baseball team, coached by Johnny Fisher, and the Walnut Little League team, coached by Clifton Plemons, have received support from the Marshall Club.

Youth baseball is a very important tool in the molding of young boys. It develops the spirit of self-reliance, the Marshall Lions urge that you attend these ball games and lend moral support to these youngsters.

# Judgments In District Court Here Last Week

In criminal district court here last week, with Judge J. E. Holsinger presiding, the following judgments were rendered: Henry Sharpe, reckless driving, fine and cost; Troy Lee Meadows, public drunkenness, fine and cost; resisting arrest, 30-day sentence, suspended upon payment of fine and cost; Norman Littrell, larceny under \$200.00, not guilty; Bobby Gossnell, assault by pointing a gun, cost; Kenneth Frady, improper passing, transferred to the superior court; Kenneth Frady, manslaughter, probable cause and bound to superior court; Geraldine Griffith, peace warrant and assault with deadly weapon, case was appealed to the superior court; Ronnie Franklin Edwards, driving under influence, fine and cost; Floyd Ledford, possession of liquor for use and sale, fine and cost; Grant Guthrie, larceny under \$200.00, not guilty; Ted Floyd Payne, Jr., driving under influence, fine and cost; and reckless.

# Local Sales Tax For May - \$5,576.22

According to figures released by the N. C. Department of Revenue, local (Madison County) 1% sales and use tax collections amounted to \$5,576.22 for the month of May.

# RELEASED BY ELECTIONS BD.

## State, County Registrations Are Cited By Brock

The latest statistical report reflecting various categories relating to the total statewide registration, compiled as of June 5, 1970, shows an increase in total registration from 21,807,327 to 4,899,090, resulting in an increase of 21,763 registered voters since December 1, 1969. Of this total, a total of 584,848 voted in the May 2nd primary elections. This turnout figure closely paralleled the voter turnout in the 1966 primaries (the last previous off year primary).

As of the reporting date Democratic registration now totals 1,437,949, an increase of 22,617, since December 1969.

Republican registration now totals 3,099,000, reflecting an increase of 8,980, since the last compilation in December 1969.

American Party registration totals 6,429, reflecting a decrease of 306.

Independent and "no party" designations have increased by 626 to a total of 45,732.

White registration has increased by 29,037 to a total of 1,597,545. Black registration has increased by 5,585 to a total of 201,330. Indian registration now totals 10,215, an increase of 141 since December.

In addition to registration figures (Continued to Last Page)

# LAUNCHES SALE OF WOLF LAUREL HOMESITES SUN.

## Price Range From \$4,000-\$30,000 For Developed Sites

Sale of fully developed mountain homesites, offering the convenience of back home living and the scenic splendor of the Appalachian range, was launched Sunday, June 21, at Wolf Laurel.

The 6,000-acre vacation and second home retreat at Big Bald Mountain, 30 miles north of Asheville, is being developed by Dynamic Systems, Inc., of Melbourne, Florida.

Straddling the North Carolina-Tennessee border in Madison, Yancey and Unicoi counties, the development is bordered on two sides by the Cherokee and Pisgah national forests and is crossed by the Appalachian Trail.

In announcing the opening sales Kenneth E. Allen, president of Wolf Laurel, said the 1/4 to 1/2-acre homesites are at elevations of 4,000-4,900 feet and will range in price from \$4,000-\$30,000, according to location.

"Those immediately adjacent to our 18-hole mountain golf course, highest east of the Rockies, will sell for the higher figure," he said. "But all are choice sites, offering purchasers full opportunity to enjoy the undisturbed natural beauty of a scenic mountain setting."

Allen said improvements currently completed at Wolf Laurel include roads, water and electricity. Property owners may build (Continued to Last Page)

# WELLS INFORMED

## Did you tell father that I had asked you marry me?

Sally (sweetly) — "Yes."

Milburn — "And how was affected?"

Sally — "He smiled in a kind way and then cried 'Boy!'"

PRE-SCHOOL SCREENING

# BELL INSTITUTE HOMECOMING TO BE HELD JUNE 28

The 10th Annual Homecoming of Bell Institute's students and teachers and of the surrounding Presbyterian schools, and all members, past and present, of the Walnut Presbyterian Church will be held at the Walnut Church June 28. Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.; Church at 11:00 a. m., followed by devotions and a short business session. Basket lunch at noon. Please bring all students and former members you can.

# Savings Bond Sales Jan-May \$11,863

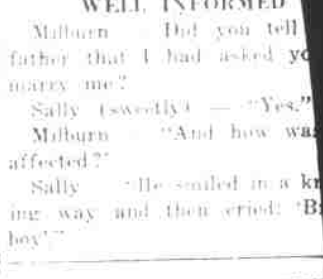
Savings Bond sales in Madison County for May were \$11,863. January-May sales totaled \$61,062. This represents 44 percent of Madison County's goal of \$138,627, according to C. L. Rudisill, Jr., Madison County Volunteer Chairman.

# Mrs. Hazel Proffitt "Secretary Of The Day" Friday Of Last Week

Mrs. Hazel Proffitt, secretary of the day for the week ended Friday, June 19, was selected as "Secretary of the Day" on last Friday. She received beautiful carnations from the Middlemost Gardens, of Asheville.

A secretary of the day is an every day in Western Carolina and the honor is bestowed over WWSN, Asheville, and sent flowers by Middlemost Gardens of the program.

# W.N.C. LIONS INC. DISTRICT 31-A ASSOCIATION FOR THE



Pictured above is the mobile unit, sponsored by the Lions Clubs of 31-A, for the screening of pre-school age children now being conducted in this county. The unit started its operations for the first time last Saturday in Marshall. Pictured beside the unit are W. M. "Bill" Staudenmaier, District 31-A Governor-elect; Miss Mary Jane Jones, R. N.; and Mrs. Elba S. Kearney, district medical supervisor. Assisting in the screening here Saturday included Mrs. Lib Baker and Mrs. Garnette Sprinkle, members of the Madison County Health Department, and Miss Rosemary Barker, Department of Social Services, who "donated" their day off to help; Hughie Ray, president-elect, Mars Hill Lions Club, and Wiley DuVall, president-elect, Marshall Lions Club; and J. P. Ramsey, Past District Governor, 31-A.