

### ASC Committeemen Named

Delegates to the county convention of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service met in the Madison County Library in Marshall Dec. 19.

The delegates reelected Eugene Wills of Hot Springs to a three-year term on the ASC County Committee. Claude A. Cody of the Laurel section was reelected as chairman of the committee and Eugene Wills of Hot Springs was reelected as vice-chairman. Albert Freeman of Marshall is the third member of the committee.

The delegates also elected Emory Robinson as first

alternate and Wayne Eatmon as second alternate. The committeemen will take office Jan. 1, 1978.

### '78 Stickers, Tags On Sale Here Jan. 3

License stickers and tags for 1978 will go on sale Jan. 3 at the new location of B&R Outlet Store on the Marshall bypass, Vernon Ramsey, owner, stated this week.

## The Story Of The First Christmas

### According To Luke

And it came to pass in those days, that there went out a decree—from Caesar Augustus, that all the world should be taxed.

(And this taxing was first made when Cyrenius was governor of Syria.)

And all went to be taxed, every one into his own city.

And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judaea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem; (because he was of the house and lineage of David:)

To be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child.

And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered.

And she brought forth her first-born son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night.

And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid.

And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you

good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.

For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.

And this shall be a sign unto you: Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger.

And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying,

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

And it came to pass, as the angels were gone away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing which is made known unto us.

And they came with haste, and found Mary, and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger.

And when they had seen it, they made known abroad the saying which was told them concerning this child.

And all they that heard it wondered at those things which were told them by the shepherds.

But Mary kept all these things, and pondered them in her heart.

And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things that they had heard and seen, as it was told unto them.

### Marshall Book Club Met With Mrs. Corbett

The Marshall Book Club met at the home of Mrs. J. O. Corbett on Monday evening at 8. Mrs. Walter Ramsey presided at the short business meeting.

C. E. Mashburn gave the program on wildlife in Kenya, Africa. He showed slides and

gave descriptive comments about the trip he and Mrs. Mashburn made recently to Kenya, stopping at Brussels, Belgium, and Monte Carlo, Monaco, for a brief stay and covering 10,000 miles. They also showed many interesting examples of the native crafts and art.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Anson Betts, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs.

Clyde Roberts, Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence McElroy, Mrs. Frances Crafton Ramsey, Mrs. Arline Tweed, Mrs. Louise Huey, Mrs. Jim Story, Mrs. Elizabeth Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Mashburn and Mr. and Mrs. Corbett.

The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Madiyn Betts who now resides at Manor Ridge Apts. on Elkmont Street in Asheville.

**SCHERR NAMED**  
NEW YORK (AP) — Samuel Scherr has been named president of the American Crafts Council.

Barbara Rockefeller, chairman of the council's board of trustees, said Adele Greene and Robert Peterson had been named trustees of the council.

## SHELTON'S USED CARS

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- 1974 FORD PICKUP. Long wheel base. .... \$2250
- 1972 FORD PICKUP..... \$1850
- 1973 JEEP PICKUP ..... \$2350  
4 wheel drive
- 1970 FORD. 4 door ..... \$800
- 1966 VOLKSWAGEN ..... \$300
- 1970 FORD PICKUP. Flat bed... \$1450  
Cattle rack
- 1968 MERCURY CONVERTIBLE. .... \$300
- 1968 MUSTANG 2 + 2. Diamond  
pleated. Best offer.
- 1971 OPEN WAGON..... \$850



Our rosy  
cheeked caroler  
brings thanks,  
and wishes for a  
Merry Christmas  
from us to you!

**EMORY METCALF**

Each passing year brings a deeper appreciation of the pleasant associations and loyal friendships acquired in the course of business.

At this holiday time it seems most appropriate to express our thanks and extend Season's Greetings.

May the coming year bring Good Health, Happiness and Prosperity to you and your loved ones.

**Magic Mirror Styling Salon**  
Marshall By-Pass 649-3797  
Jani W. Randell Polly M. Caldwell  
Joyce Chandler

**GREETINGS**



May your Christmas be rich in peace and the meaning of His birth!

LET CHRIST BE IN YOUR CHRISTMAS

**R & R OUTLET**  
ON THE MARSHALL BY-PASS



Noel, Noel

'Tis the season to be jolly and to say your loyal patronage is warmly appreciated.


**McLEANS BARBER SHOP**  
Marshall, N.C.



**Greetings**

In the midst of the holiday flurry and fun, we want to take time to wish all our friends a Christmas of special delights. Thanks all.

**MADISON BOOSTERS CLUB**



**Rejoice**


As the world celebrates the coming of Christ, we rejoice and give thanks for our many blessings.

**BOWMAN HARDWARE CO.**



We herald the most wonderful time of the year and send warmest wishes and thanks to our many friends!

**Sprinkle's & Shelton's Wholesale Groceries**



May the old fashioned delights of Christmas make yours a wonderful holiday.

Our sincere thanks for your friendship.

**BUDDY BUCKNER and THE BOYS PIONEER FORD**

**IT'S COMING NEW "0 + " DIALING**

For Westco Telephone Company Customers in Hot Springs and Mars Hill.

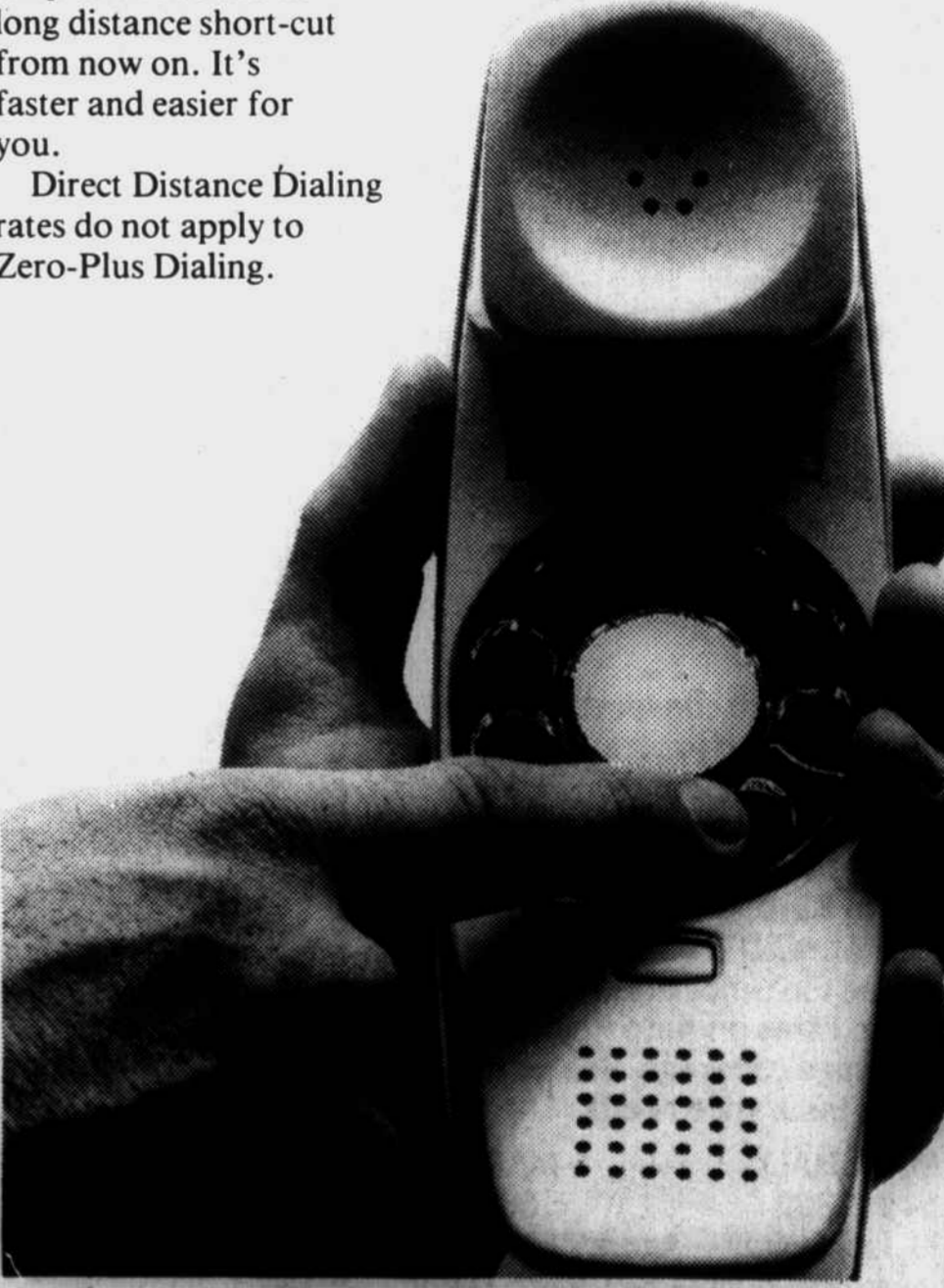
**WHEN?**  
Hot Springs — December 29, 1977  
Mars Hill — December 27, 1977  
(Zero-Plus Dialing is now effective in Guntertown & Marshall.)

New Zero-Plus Dialing lets you dial your own person-to-person calls, collect calls, credit card calls and calls charged to a third number. Here's how it works:

1. Just dial zero.
2. Then the area code, if it's different from your own.
3. Then the distant number.
4. An operator will come on the line to help complete your call.

Zero-Plus Dialing is that simple. So use this new long distance short-cut from now on. It's faster and easier for you.

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