

Canton High

Campus Cuffnotes

By LINDA BRIGGS

The time for electing club officers and leaders seems to have come again, or so it appears by the many elections being held in the various clubs and organizations at Canton High.

Officers in the Beta Club were elected several days ago and as follows: president, Janice Earley; vice president, Johnny Hutchins; secretary, Glenda Pressley; treasurer, Marilyn Moore; program chairman, Melissa Osborne. As are many others, the Beta Club is making plans for their annual spring outing which will be a picnic this year. The date and place have not definitely been decided but will be announced later.

The Future Teachers Club is drawing its year's activities to a close. The following officers have been elected to serve in 1955-56: president, Linda Moore; vice president, Bonnie Matthews; secretary, Glenda Pressley; treasurer, Mary Welte; songleader, Barbara Patton; historian, Ann Kinken; librarian, Rebecca Chappell; parliamentarian, Charles Duke.

The Future Teachers are planning to hold their spring picnic on May 10 at which time several new members will be initiated. Other plans include sending four delegates to a special conference for high school F. T. A. Clubs to be held at Western Carolina College on May 12.

While the school waits expectantly for the arrival of the 1955 "Black Bear" the 1956 annual staff is beginning work on next year's annual. Fourteen students were honored by being chosen as members of the 1956 "Black Bear" staff. They are: Melissa Osborne, Dianne Thomason, Betty Bruce Nanne, Lafayette Cagle, Johnny Trantham, Nancy Smathers, Charles Gaddis, Martha Whitted, John Joe King, Charles Greene, Cynthia Clark, Kermit Hyatt, Charles Duke, Ginger Campbell.

Last Thursday night about fifty Canton High students traveled to the Pink Beds for the basketball picnic. The cheerleaders, members of both the boys' and girls' teams, and their guests made up the group. The group reports that they had a very enjoyable evening with more than enough to eat.

Seniors on the executive branch of the Student Council were honored last Friday in a special chapel program presented by the Student Council. Various committee chairmen gave reports on Student Council activities this past year and Senior Chairmen were presented with Student Council pins by our principal, Mr. Rikard. Those receiving pins included: Ralph Worley, president; Chris Fisher, secretary; Troy Mann, treasurer; Martha Poindexter and Bobbie Brink, co-chairmen of the social committee; Dianne Jones, property committee; Rene Smathers, school spirit committee; Kathryn Cody, chair nominators. After presenting the pins Mr. Rikard installed the incoming officers who pledged their service to

the school and the Student Council. These are: Dale Childers, president; Charles Greene, vice president; Joyce Smathers, secretary; Marianna Moore, treasurer.

No one was disappointed in their expectations Friday night, when the gym was opened at last and the time for the Junior-Senior Prom finally arrived. The theme was "Evening in Paris" and was carried out most cleverly and in a manner which the seniors especially will never forget. At the far end of the gym a screen had been erected covering the entire wall from floor to rafters. On this screen various Parisian scenes were projected including the Eiffel Tower, a street scene in Paris, buildings, fountains and statues. Around the sides of the gym were the tables and chairs over which were hung such signs as "Pierres" "Cafe de la Paix" and others. The tables were covered with checked cloths and set so as to resemble those of the cafes in Paris. Hedge-rows, made of what resembled live hedges so closely that one could hardly tell the difference, had been placed between the tables and the dance floor. Over the tables hung balloons to carry out the color scheme in one of the slides and also to match the strings of colored lights spaced at intervals along the sides of the gym.

The walls of the gym below the balcony had been papered and painted to resemble wrought-iron work, completing the illusion that one was in a real side-walk cafe in Paris. About twenty-five freshmen and sophomore girls served at the banquet and closer similarity to French waitresses has never been achieved around here as far as we know. The girls all wore short black cotton skirts with high-necked blouses. The skirts were quite full and bouffant and were covered by small white organdy aprons. Big red flowers at their necks and organdy ruffles across their heads completed these clever costumes which many of the girls made themselves.

Music for the dance, which lasted from nine until twelve, was provided by Grady Nichols' orchestra from Asheville. The Prom was extremely successful and is now a memory to be cherished for the rest of our lives.



HAWAIIAN MUSIC was one of the several enjoyable features of the annual Junior-Senior banquet at Bethel school. At the piano is Robert

Matthews, and the singers, left to right, Christie Bramlette, Howard Metcalf, Max Shepard. (Photo by Frances' Photo Service.)

Fines Creek Community News

By MRS. SAM FERGUSON
Community Reporter

Milas McCracken returned home Saturday after spending a week visiting here. He lives at Belona, Va. He was accompanied by his home by Jones Plemmons of Spring Creek.

Mrs. Bill Rogers left Saturday to join her husband at her grandfather, N. C. James, in Statesville. She will go back to Fort Belvoir, Va., with him where she will spend her two-weeks vacation. Mrs. Rogers, the former Regina Ferguson, is employed at the First National Bank in Waynesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Reeves Ferguson and daughter, Nancy, spent the day at Fontana Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Holbrook of Franklin, N. C., spent Monday on Fines Creek on business.

Mrs. Stewart McCracken and daughter, Geneva, of Horse Shoe, with Mrs. McCracken's mother, Mrs. Eleanor Noland of Clyde, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles B.

McCracken and Mrs. Nellie Moon-ey.

Uncle Bud Haynes, who has been ill, seems to be somewhat improved.

Among those visiting Mrs. Haynes Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Harlie Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rathbone.

The senior class of Fines Creek left today for a few days stay in Florida. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Donahoe, a teacher, Mrs. Mark Ferguson, a school patron, and Perry Plemmons, principal.

Mrs. Maggie Brown spent the weekend visiting her grand-daughter, Mrs. June Ferguson, and her son, R. F. Brown and family on

See You IN CHURCH Sunday

Bethel Presbyterian Church

Sonoma Rd. at Bethel School
Henry M. Hope, Jr., Pastor

THURSDAY—
7:30—Vacation Bible School instruction class.

FRIDAY—
7:30—W.O.C. Monthly meeting.

SUNDAY—
10 a.m.—Church School. C. S. Rollins, superintendent. J. E. Justice, asst. supt.

10:45 a.m.—W.O.C. Sunday Prayer group.

10:50—Deacons meet.

11:00—Sunday Morning Worship. Sermon: "My Spirit and Yours".

TUESDAY—
3:00—Communicants' Class.

WEDNESDAY—
7:00 p.m.—Mid-week Prayer Service.

Ratliff Cove Baptist Church

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SUNDAY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School meets with Jimmy Messer, Superintendent, in charge.

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship. Sermon by the pastor.

7:15 p.m.—Training Union meets with Troy Franklin, director, in charge.

8:00 p.m.—Revival begins. Sermon by the Rev. Thomas Erwin. Services will be held each evening during the week.

WEDNESDAY—
7:30 p.m.—Prayer meeting and Bible Study.

Rocky Branch Free Will Baptist Church

The Rev. N. F. Byrd, Pastor

SUNDAY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School, Lum Boone, Supt.

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship. Sermon by pastor.

8:00 p.m.—Sermon by the pastor.

WEDNESDAY—
7:30 p.m.—Prayer service.

Christian Science Service

The Christian Science lesson-sermon will be read Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in room number 11 on the first floor of the Masonic Temple.

A Testimony Meeting will be held each Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Public is invited.

Riverside Baptist Church

The Rev. Paul Grogan, Pastor

THURSDAY—
7:30 p.m.—Sunday School lesson taught by Lynn Chambers at the church. All teachers urged to attend.

SUNDAY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School. Lewis Sorrells, Superintendent, in charge.

11:00 a.m.—Sermon by the Rev. Gay Chambers, guest minister. Dinner will be served on the grounds at the noon hour.

7:00 p.m.—Training Union. Edgar Burnette, director in charge. The Junior group will visit Burnette Cove Baptist church.

TUESDAY—
7:30 p.m.—Prayer meeting at the church with the pastor in charge.

8:00 p.m.—Choir practice.

The Christian And Missionary Alliance Church of Canton

"A Bible Church With A Christ Centered Message"

The Rev. David Richardson, Pastor

SUNDAY—
2:15 p.m.—Bible Study.

3:00 p.m.—Afternoon Service.

7:30 p.m.—Evangelistic Service.

8:00 p.m.—Choir practice.



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