

# The Cooleemee Journal

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## New Cars For '67 Showing Next Week

Davie County's four automobile dealers have announced plans for a gala showing of the 1967 models next week.

Mocksville Chrysler - Plymouth will use their showing in conjunction with a formal opening of their newly remodeled facilities. They will start their showing and events on Thursday, September 29th. In addition to refreshments, favors, door prizes, they will also feature live music by Clyde Lakey and his band and will cap off the week with a big square dance on Saturday night.

Pennington Chevrolet, Inc. will pull up the curtain on the new line of '67 Chevrolets next Thursday and will give away several doorprizes.

Furches Motor Co. will also begin showing the new '67 line of Dodge automobiles next Thursday.

Reavis Autos, Inc. will unveil the '67 line of new Fords on Friday, Sept. 30th. They will also give away door prizes that includes gasoline.

## Bible Study Plans Here Wednesday

Midweek Bible Study has been resumed on Wednesday at 7:30 P. M. at the Presbyterian Church. Rev. Samuel McKay is in charge. Everyone is urged to attend.

## Congregation Has Picnic

On Sunday afternoon, September 18th, a cavalcade of cars left the Presbyterian Church enroute to Susan Barbour Jones Camp and Retreat Center at Brown Mountain. Upon arriving the group made a tour of the grounds. They enjoyed going through all the new and lovely buildings and found it to be a delightful new Presbyterian camp.

Each family had prepared a picnic basket which was spread under one of the beautiful new shelters. After the approximately forty people had enjoyed a delicious supper, they left to return home with every one in agreement they had spent a wonderful and inspiring visit at the camp and retreat center and wanting to return as soon as possible.

Rev. Samuel McKay, minister of the Presbyterian Church is Chairman of the Operation Cabinet, responsible for the Administration of Susan Barbour Jones Camp and Retreat Center.

## Pink Elephant Sale Saturday

Due to the large stock of items on sale at the Pink Elephant Sale last week and at Mocksville, there will be another day of sale on Saturday, September 24, from 9 A. M. till sold out. Many homemade foods, used clothing, dishes, household articles, antiques will be for sale, and refreshments of sandwiches, drinks, home made ice cream, etc.

### NOTE TO EDITORS:

We hope you will remind your readers that the inspection deadline for vehicles with license plates ending in the numeral NINE comes on September 30th.

THANK YOU



WHO ARE THESE ATTRACTIVE YOUNG LADIES? CLUES: One of them does not live in Davie County now, but does reside in the state.

## Hasty COMMENTS

By Mary Alice Hasty

Something there is about a principal that if once you're his pupil you never quite get over. That is, if he happened to be the type you knew would bring you into you if you ever got out of line, and you knew it without ever being told—you felt it in your bones.

He was someone you left strictly alone and hoped he'd do the same in return. If you were cornered in to a conversation your usually wagging teenage tongue was tied into monosyllables. "Yes Sir." "No Sir!" And if he happened to be a bachelor and one day you heard he was getting married you were shocked beyond words. Why only humans got married...principals were, they were, er, Principals!

Only later did you begin to see a useful purpose. References. And whose name was invariably requested? You guessed it.

Adulthood with its added sophistication and artful disguises masked the inner qualms and brought you to the point where you could almost look him straight in the eye and add an extra syllable or two, like, "Good morning," or a daring three-word sentence like, "How are you?"

Real appreciation was a long time a'orning, when you had two children of your own and you would think about school and then multiply your two by three hundred and you began to wonder a little.

And that's where my latest episode begins. Four years ago I found myself going through the traumatic experience of leaving two small children for the first time and being off to college every day. One morning the conversation went like this: Chip (age 3 and very grave): "Why do you leave us every morning?" Me (wavering): "I have to go to school." Chip (demanding): "Why do you have to go to school?" Me (groping): "I have to go to school to learn to be a teacher." Chip (pleading): "But don't be a teacher. Be a mommy."

I managed to get to my class on time but I took notes with my sun glasses on. We finally got adjusted and the days sped by and the business of learning to be a teacher was no joke.

Education became a word that desperately needed defining. Everybody kept talking about it and a lot of the talk didn't sound so good. Or was it the public schools and not education per se, they were criticizing? I found some theorized and documented answers and I did some theorizing of my own which I will skip for the present. My main concern is with our local situation.

I have trod (with stately teacherly tread) the hallowed halls for two weeks now, and my perspective has done an about face since the time when I ran up and down them. Fity the poor principal with an inexperienced teacher on his hand! No doubt his perspective has done an about face too, but if he's the one who now wishes to be left strictly alone and he'll do the same in return, he hasn't let it be known. Hey, he's one of us humans!

He is professional to the core but that's only the beginning. His memory has cataloged years and years of children's names along with the present seven hundred, where they live, what their problems were and are, their parent's names, and on and on. He cares.

He said, and meant it, "If you need me, call me." I've called. And he has answered every time with an efficiency that would put my efficiency expert to shame.

Know where your tax money goes. In our school it goes on the best and latest and instructional equipment and supplies available for your children, and they are kept in top working order. No slipshod business here!

Know who else cares about your children. The teachers do. I've heard them talking. Remember I'm a mother too, and now I'm on the inside looking out. Teacher needs teacher in See HASTY COMMENTS—Page 8

## E. Rowan Davie Play 0-0 Game

Mocksville - East Rowan and Davie County played to a scoreless tie in a North Piedmont Conference high school football game Friday night.

In a special series of four downs after the fourth quarter each team scored a touchdown. East got the ball first and scored on a 10-yard run by Bill Ketchie on fourth down. The extra point was made.

Davie County then got the ball for four downs. On the final down Phil Deadmon passed to Tommy Brewbaker for the score. John Norton's extra point by placement was no good.

The game will go into the record books as a tie. If East Rowan and Davie County should be involved in a tie for the conference championship, East Rowan would be considered the winner of this game.

## LIBRARY NEWS

Our staff had a good opportunity on September 14th to test the practical use of meeting facilities so carefully planned when the library was built, and we were all delighted!

It was nice to have forty librarians from three Regional Libraries in western North Carolina request that they be allowed to hold their meeting in our library in order to see it. And it was a privilege for our staff to have a chance to visit them and hear their fine programs.

The day was off to a fine start, despite the rain, when they arrived and enjoyed coffee and sweet buds before the meeting. Mrs. Charles W. Phillips and Mrs. Frank Sain, Jr. supervised the serving of this welcoming refreshment time as well as a beautifully and smoothly managed sandwich and dessert luncheon. Mrs. Phillips and Mrs. Sain were valuable and efficient volunteer workers, and the library is very grateful to them.

Mrs. John Durham prepared a lovely arrangement of greenery and flowers, which was much admired in the main part of the library.

The program before lunch was devoted to a study of library story hour planning and methods. After the study a "sample" story was charmingly told by the speaker and later a demonstration of the use of puppets was given.

After lunch there was a book review, and a discussion of children's books, with an excellent talk on children's books written by North Carolina authors or about North Carolina.

When the day ended all agreed that it had been most worthwhile, and pleasant as well as profitable for us all.

## HD Club

The Cooleemee Home Demonstration Club met on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Libby Gales and joint hostess, Mrs. Millie Smith. The business session was presided by Mrs. Buddy Alexander and then the Assistant County Agent, Mrs. Nancy Hartman, gave a demonstration on how to set in sleeves. This was very interesting to the homemaking group.

Games were enjoyed and the prize winner was Mrs. James Trexler.

At the close of the games, delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Vander Hodgson spent Sunday visiting their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hodgson in Greensboro.



## Local Girl Is Student Teacher At Kannapolis

Barbara Jean McDaniel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Glenn McDaniel living at 16 Joyner St., Cooleemee is now doing student teaching at Charles E. Aycock Elementary School, Kannapolis.

Miss McDaniel is taking part during the fall quarter, September 18th through December 8th in the student teaching program at Appalachian State Teachers College, Boone, N. C. In this program students devote approximately twelve weeks to student teaching in the field for which they have been preparing. Miss McDaniel is teaching fifth grade under the supervision of Miss Barbara Stallings.

As part of the Student teaching program, the Appalachian student usually lives in the community near the school and participates in community activities as well as in school activities. The student devotes full time in the school and gradually takes over the full teaching load, always under the supervision of the supervising teacher and the principal. The local school's participation with Appalachian's student teaching program is a valuable asset to the general education program of North Carolina.

Barbara Jean McDaniel graduated from Davie County High School, Mocksville in 1963.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Vickers spent the week-end visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Vickers and children in Falls Mill, Va.



DO YOU KNOW THIS FAMILY? The Nichols Family: left to right, Grace Nichols Allen of Route 1, Cleveland, Betty Sue McIntyre of Route 1, Woodleaf, Conrad Nichols of Woodleaf, Reba Nichols McIntyre of Woodleaf, and their mother, Mrs. Maudie Nichols of Woodleaf, and Ruth Nichols Rich of Port Chester, New York. (This is answer to picture which was used in last week's issue).

## MAINTENANCE SUPERINTENDENT RETIRES - SUCCESSOR NAMED

### WASHINGTON REPORT

by Congressman James T. Broyhill NO SLOWING DOWN

Congressional committees continue to consider legislation without any noticeable slacking off. When Congress is preparing to adjourn, the wheels of the Committee slow down or stop well in advance. No such signs are in sight today as Capitol Hill activities proceed with a full head of steam.

Last week, well behind schedule, two of the important annual money bills were debated. The first dealt with funds for the District of Columbia. In this legislation, Congress is carrying out its part of the responsibility of overseeing District operations in much the same way as any city council. Taxes are paid by residents of the District of Columbia. However, the largest single property owner in the District is the Federal Government itself. In lieu of no taxes paid, a Federal contribution must also approve the District's operating budget in the same way that any municipality's spending plans would be subject to review and approval by its governing body.

This year, a budget recommendation of \$424 million was requested. However, the House of Representatives cut \$43 million from these estimates to approve \$380 million. The Federal contribution would be \$49 million. Of this total figure, there would be \$22 million for general operating expenses, \$85 million for public safety, \$80 million for public schools, \$12 million for parks and recreation, \$23 million for Sanitary Engineering, \$89 million for health and welfare, and \$14 million for traffic and highways.

With these reductions and outlays, the District of Columbia's budget can be brought into balance again and the serious problems that gnaw at the Nation's Capital can still be reasonably met.

Turning from its role in municipal administration, the House tackled one of the year's big appropriations bills as the billion-dollar measure for military facilities such as air fields, training camps, and housing for servicemen and their families was brought forward. This measure stimulated considerable criticism of the Department of De-

fense for confusing and perhaps misleading information.

During the debate, it was pointed out that last year a \$3 billion program was presented to the Congress with stipulations from the Pentagon that the funds were urgently required for 8,500 housing units, barracks buildings, and training facilities. A convincing case was made and the funds were approved. Shortly thereafter, the Secretary of Defense froze \$600 million in construction plans at the time of widespread reports of inadequate facilities for military families and substandard conditions for troops in training camps.

In view of this action, it was confusing, indeed, that the Department should come back to the Congress this year and to ask for money to construct facilities in the same places where plans had been laid aside only a few months ago. There is no intention on the part of the Congress to deny funds urgently required for defense activities or the housing and training of military personnel. Nevertheless, what is "urgent" and what is "vital" are questions that are not being answered.

The irritation caused by policy switches is obvious in the Congress. It was best expressed by Congressman Robert Sikes (D-Fla.), the Chairman of the Appropriations subcommittee who commented that—"the Committee now is not certain who to believe, or when. I do not doubt that those who testified were doing so in good faith. They were stating requirements or military construction based on the guidelines assigned to the program then before the Congress. Subsequently, a new set of orders from the top reflected changed decisions at the office of the Secretary of Defense and White House levels and both the Congress and the witnesses were left holding the bag."

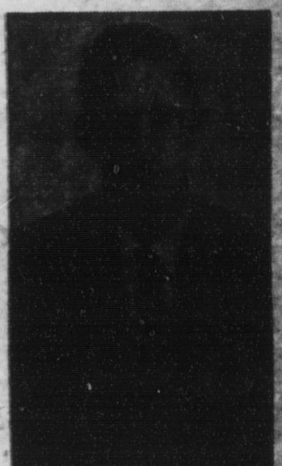
It would be more realistic to say that the U. S. military personnel and their families are the ones who are left holding the bag. For they are left without housing, which in many instances is very badly needed; they are left without modern training facilities which the new projects would have provided, and these sacrifices our country does not seem to feel necessary to require of people not wearing the uniforms.

The Cooleemee Division of Erwin Mills, a Division of Burlington Industries, has announced the retirement of its Maintenance Superintendent and the appointment of a successor.

Division Manager Jesse Boyce said A. T. Lewis will retire on September 26th, after more than 30 years with the Company. He is succeeded by Ward L. Setzer, former Civil Engineer at the University of North Carolina.

Mr. Lewis is a native of Rutherford County and is a graduate of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. He holds a degree in Electrical Engineering. He joined Burlington in 1935 and has served the entire time at the Cooleemee plant. He is a member of the First Baptist Church in Cooleemee and has held several key offices in the Patriotic Order of the Sons of America. He and his wife have four daughters. They plan to return to Rutherford County following his retirement.

The new Maintenance Superintendent is a native of Caldwell County. He graduated from Hudson High School and N. C. State University at Raleigh where he earned a degree in Civil Engineering. He worked five years with the A and L Construction Company at Spindale and for two years was Assistant Engineer for the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. He has four years' service with the U. S. Air Force and is a member of the Air Force Reserve. He has been active in the Chapel Hill Jaycees, is a professional engineer and member of the American Society of Civil Engineers and the North Carolina Society of Engineers. His wife, the former Paula Townsend of Granite Falls, and their two children, Stephanie Carol and Stephen Christopher, have moved into their home at 64 Watt Street.



WARD L. SETZER

## L. Maxwell, 55 Died Thursday

Lorenza Maxwell, age 55, died early Thursday morning. The body is at Mitchell and Fair Funeral Home in Salisbury.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Vernell Maxwell, one brother, Ed Maxwell of New York, a half-brother, Fred Maxwell of Pembroke, Virginia, two sisters, Mrs. Delphania Myers of Battle Creek, Michigan and Mrs. Ross Lee Peterkin of Winston-Salem.

He was a member of the Methodist Church, Route 1, Mocksville, and a long time employee of Erwin Mills. He resided in Davie County all of his life.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Newberry are spending some time visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Foster in Statesville, N. C.