

News From Nursery School

The children at Nursery School are happy to be learning to spell and print their names. Each one is doing so nicely and is very proud to go to the blackboard each day to print his name.

Little Judy Wimberly celebrated her fifth birthday on Friday, January 14th. Judy's mother and father surprised her at school with a nice gift and refreshments for all the children. The children enjoyed sharing Judy's surprise. We hope that Judy will have many more happy birthdays.

We are happy to learn that so many of the tiny tots at Nursery School are now attending church services. Tiny tots Janie B. Dellinger, Johnny Wilson, Jane White, Doug Metcalf, Nancy Trexler, Ronnie Putnam, and Bobby Ferguson, are regular church attenders.

The nursery schoolers enjoyed the bubble gum brought to them by little Tommy Henry. Tommy is always very thoughtful of his classmates.

Our youngest tiny-tot at Nursery School, little Janie B. Dellinger, now enjoys spending the day away from home. On Monday, Janie B. went home from school with little Nancy Trexler to spend the afternoon.

When Nursery Schoolers bring their toys to school Miss Noddie and Miss Dot encourage them to share their things with the other children. During play period, the children have the opportunity to put this in practice. Their teachers are very pleased that the children are so eager to have all the children enjoy their toys and that all the nursery schoolers play so nicely together. We are like one big happy family.

We have just about finished our coloring books. There has been quite a bit of improvement in the children's coloring, and little Bobby Ferguson has learned to enjoy the coloring period at school and now does some coloring at home.

WEST ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

MRS. RALPH BEAM'S 4th Grade Last Tuesday Mrs. Beam attended a music workshop at Elementary and while she was gone a future teacher member, Mildred Beam, taught our class. We enjoyed having her as our teacher.

On January 6th some pupils of our class presented a "Health and Safety Program" for the Woman's Club. We enjoyed giving the program and appreciate Mrs. Heavner suggesting it.

On Monday we had our Weekly Reader Diagnostic Test. We are anxious to know our scores and hope that we show growth in our reading comprehension. Our score results will be compared with our last diagnostic tests which were given in October.

It is nice that Nona Dayberry, Tina Houser, Johnny Black, and Boyd Towery are able to be back in school after being out a few days due to sickness. Barbara Philbeck is still on the sick list and we are sorry.

MRS. KARR BEAM'S 4th Grade We are glad to have Callie Ann Walker and Teddy Gant back in school. Teddy was sick last week and Callie Ann had her tonsils removed. We enjoyed having Miss Lynette Homesley of the High School

as our teacher last Tuesday while Mrs. Beam attended a meeting at the Junior High School building. We hope she will come and teach us again.

Will and Mary Oates were all smiles this morning when they were telling us about their new baby brother.

Our school year is half over now and the following children have not missed a day yet: Jerry Kelly, Scott Woods, Kay Homesley, Cecil Knight, Freddie Day, Turner Jones, Jr., Billy Martin and Alma Hayes.

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The first half of our school year has just ended and we have some good attendance records. Those who have not missed in Sunday School are: Tommy Beam, Dougie Camp, Michael Heavner, Roy Lail, Dickie Ledford, Jerry Moss, Keith Wease, Rita Black, Sandra Carpenter, Sylvia Carpenter, Carolyn Deveney, Glenda Dixon, Judy Ellington, Glenda Harlin, Bette Ann Hoyie, Nancy Jones, Kay Leigh, Hilda Owens, Judy Randall, Margaret Sharpe, Sandra Shumate, Mary Ellen Stroupe, and Norma Jean Wimberly.

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We have been painting pictures with buttermilk colored with chalk. It is lots of fun. Some of them are real pretty.

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JOHN CHAVIS SCHOOL NEWS

Chavis Wins Pair The Chavis Lions and Lionettes take a twin bill from the Washington High Schools Basketeers before a group of divided fans. The preliminary game kept the fans on pins in that the game was a nip and tuck affair throughout as it ended 33-30 in favor of the Chavis Lionettes.

Trailing at the end of the first quarter 9-14 it was Bobby Dale Patterson, Landis Merritt who furnished the extra spark that gave the Lionettes the needed confidence as they hopped shot and pushed the team to a lead of 21-19 at half time. However, with the consistent shooting of Yvonne Lindsay, the only senior in the squad, and the fine guarding of Betty Brooks, Penny Cline, Joan Lindsay and Christine Thompson who held the team scoreless during the last quarter that sewed the game up in the last three minutes of play, Yvonne Lindsay was high scorer with 31 points while M. Robinson led the way for Washington High with 12 points.

The Lions got off to a very slow start as they appeared afraid of over cautions. The scores at half time were 16-15 in their favor. The second half proved differently in that they made 18 points in the third quarter to win the game by the score of 44-33. It was the superb defense work of Goree Roberts and Gingles as they took the ball from the back board consistently from their taller opponents, but it was the shooting of the Littlejohn's, Bobby and Thomas, ably assisted by Rankins, that won the game for the Lions, between them they registered 40 points. Borders was high point

man for the visitors, while B. Degree and Wright supplied the defensive work.

The teams will play one of their arch rivals here Friday night when they meet the Douglas High Hornets of Lenoirville. Game time 7:30.

The following home games are to be played: Newbold High Jan. 20, Reid High Jan. 28, Cleveland High Feb. 3, Green Bethel Feb. 7, Carver High Feb. 11, Olive Hill Feb. 18, and Lincoln Academy Feb. 22. We have ten remaining games away from home.

Byers, Mull and Smith Funeral Home Holds Formal Opening An overflow crowd, numbering several hundred, visited the Byers, Mull and Smith Funeral Home Sunday, Jan. 9, to witness the formal opening of the establishment. The management of the Byers, Mull and Smith Funeral Home is grateful to our many friends who called to help us inaugurate this new and much needed community service. We make this pledge to you: "That we will always reflect the confidence you have shown in us by giving dependable, courteous and economical service."

The Management Byers, Mull and Smith Funeral Home.

LEGAL NOTICE NORTH CAROLINA, GASTON COUNTY. NOTICE The undersigned, having qualified as executrix of the estate of N. B. Davis, deceased, late of Gaston County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 24th day of December, 1955, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This 21st day of December, 1954. MAMIE DAVIS, Executrix of the estate of N. B. Davis, deceased, late of Gaston County, N. C. 503 East Fifth Ave. GASTONIA, N. C. BASIL L. WHITENER, Attorney for Executrix. 66-26

NOTICE NORTH CAROLINA, GASTON COUNTY. The undersigned, having qualified as executrix of the estate of J. W. Kendrick, deceased, late of Gaston County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 29th day of December, 1955, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This 21st day of December, 1954. W. C. Kendrick, James W. Kendrick, Wm. J. Allran, Jr., Executors Estate of J. W. Kendrick, Cherryville, N. C. 61-F2

NOTICE TO CREDITORS NORTH CAROLINA, GASTON COUNTY. The undersigned, having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of Alice G. Stroup, deceased, late of Gaston County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 11th day of June, 1956, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please take immediate payment to the undersigned.

This 11th day of December, 1954. Signed: Verne E. Shive, Administrator of the Estate of Alice G. Stroup, deceased, 814-816 Commercial Building, Gastonia, North Carolina. 61-19

NORTH CAROLINA, GASTON COUNTY. Martha Prue Childers Thompson vs. Arthur Lee Thompson IN THE SUPERIOR COURT SERVICE BY PUBLICATION The defendant Arthur Lee Thompson will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Gaston County, North Carolina, to obtain an absolute divorce on the grounds of two years separation; that the defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said county in the court house at Gastonia, N. C., within 20 days after the 12th day of February, 1955, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

This January 12, 1955. PAUL E. MONROE, Clerk Superior Court DAVID P. DELLINGER, Atty. Cherryville, N. C. 41-F2

Notice Of Annual Meeting The annual meeting of the Cherryville Building and Loan Association of Cherryville, North Carolina will be held in the Building and Loan Office on West Main Street, Cherryville, North Carolina, Gaston County on THURSDAY, JANUARY 20th, 1955 AT 7:00 P. M. For the purpose of the election of Officers and Directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

This 10th day of January, 1955. CLAUDE C. BEAM, Secretary and Treasurer. 26-J19

North Carolina now ranks first in the South and fourth in the nation in the production of all lumber.

The origin of the slogan "Safety First" is somewhat obscure. However, in 1890, Henry C. Frick, president of the Henry C. Frick Company, issued a bulletin to all nine superintendents which said in part: "We shall always keep the fact prominently in our mind that it is the desire of our company, and our duty as well, that we make safety of the lives of our employees our first and foremost important business." Nine years later Frick inaugurated the country's first industry-wide safety campaign, with the slogan "Safety First, Quality Second, Cost Third." The slogan was later shortened through usage to "Safety First."

ROSELAND DRIVE-IN THEATRE LINCOLN COUNTY'S SHOW PLACE

Friday and Saturday - 2 Big Features

BATTLE OF ROGUE RIVER GEORGE MONTGOMERY RICHARD DENNING - MARTHA HYER

2nd. Big Feature MARK STEVENS IN "BIG FRAME"

Sunday and Monday

No braver men... no prouder women... no greater moment in the winning of the west!

VAN JOHNSON - JOANNE DRU THE SIEGE AT RED RIVER RICHARD BOONE

Sun Down Is Show Time

George Montgomery, Martha Hyer and Richard Denning are starred in Columbia's "BATTLE OF ROGUE RIVER," in Technicolor playing Friday and Saturday at the ROSELAND DRIVE-IN theatre.

Van Johnson, left, and Joanne Dru head the defense in the spectacular Indian fighting which figures in "The Siege at Red River" Twentieth Century-Fox release of a Panoramic production in Technicolor playing Sunday and Monday at the ROSELAND DRIVE-IN theatre

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Happy Hunting Ground for LOW COST MEALS. Featuring RATH BLACK HAWK MEATS. BACON 59c, BOLONGA 39c, SAUSAGE 29c, DRIED BEEF 29c, HAMS 79c/49c. COFFEE 99c, LARD \$1.39. FRESH FRUITS & VEGETABLES. TOMATOES 13c, CARROTS 10c, G-FRUIT 23c, APPLES 10c, CORN 15c, DOG FOOD 9c. BLEACH CLOROX 17c/29c. TILLMAN'S BREAD 27c, BUTTER BEANS 10c, BABY FOOD 25c.