

Moore Was Voice of Democracy Contest

Willie Moore, Junior at J. K., has been declared the area winner in the Voice of Democracy contest.

The National Broadcasting Corporation program is designed to give high school students the opportunity to voice their opinions on a patriotic theme and to convey their thoughts via the Broadcasting media to all America.

The contest is being sponsored by the V.F.W. and Ladies Auxiliary.

The theme of the 1972-73 program is "MY RESPONSIBILITY TO FREEDOM." Participants were judged on their interpretation of the theme, and their positive approach to the subject.

Willie Moore, son of Mrs. Carrie Moore of Rt. 2, Warsaw, is the Voice of Democracy contest winner in the Duplin County competition.

Willie competed with nine other Duplin County students, four were from Wallace-Rose Hill, and three were from East Duplin.

Willie Moore, speech follows: My responsibility to freedom? What a thought to be pondered by every American!

For as the world becomes more modernized and the possibility of nuclear war becomes increasingly evident, it is inevitable that the individual begins to think more of his responsibility to himself and not to the ideals that make his existence such a rich and rewarding one.

The foremost of these ideals must be freedom. Without freedom, none of the other ideals would actually matter; not justice, not respect, not constructive change.

And as I consider these words, I realize that I, as an individual, do have a responsibility to freedom.

What must I do? As a young American citizen, it is my responsibility to maintain a climate of freedom.

My generation represent the hopes and aspirations of a continued free society and I, as part of that generation, must be the spirit and vigor of our nation.

It is my responsibility to insure that these God-given rights; freedom, justice, and equality for all men are never taken away.

Though much wisdom lies with our older citizens, few of them can capture the enthusiasm that the younger citizen should have.

The younger citizen has not yet experienced as much of life and his expectations and hopes are certainly different from the older citizens!

But we are united in mutual zeal for freedom and brotherhood.

It is necessary. If it is maintained in our country (and I am sure it will be), it will be because of citizens like you and me who have and will sacrifice their time, money, and lives.

Republican Meetings Planned

According to Dr. Quinn chairman of the Duplin County Republican Party two meetings have been planned for Feb.

The Rose Hill precinct Republican party will hold an organization meeting for the purpose of electing precinct officers and a precinct committee to serve for the next two yrs.

held in written constitutions is to mistake the legal form for the real living substance of freedom." Carl Becker was right.

We all have an individual responsibility to freedom and by accepting that responsibility we shall always be a free people in every sense of the word.

Morehead Awards Finalists

CHAPEL HILL -- Six nominees from District II have been selected as finalists in competition for 1973 Morehead Awards to study at the University of North Carolina here.

The announcement is made by Melane Pritchett, executive director of the John Motley Morehead Foundation.

Finalists are Herbert Orlan-dah Phillips IV, son of Judge and Mrs. Herbert O. Phillips III of 1913 Evans St., Morehead City; Harold David Korogay Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold D. Korogay Sr. of RFD 1, Albemarle; Benjamin Paul Dean, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maynard A. Dean of 266 Blue Creek Rd., Jacksonville; William Joel Starling, son of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Starling Jr. of 406 Lafayette St. Clinton; Robert Elton Littleton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Odest P. Littleton of 809 East Holly St., Goldsboro; and Miller Walton Gibbons, son of Mr. and Mrs.

Lemuel H. Gibbons of 1008 Salem St., Wilson.

Establishing Rural Fire Dept. Meeting Planned

There will be a meeting at the B.F. Grady School auditorium on Mon. night, Jan. 29, at 7:00 p.m. for residents of the area surrounding the B.F. Grady School.

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the possibility of establishing a rural fire district and a rural fire dept., with a probably location near the B.F. Grady School.

Hiram Brinson, Civil Defense Director of Duplin County, will meet with the group and explain the rules and regulations for the establishment of a rural fire district and a rural fire dept.

Danny Sutton, Area Coordinator for fire-service training for the dept. of community colleges will explain the free training that is available for rural firemen through JSI.

Area residents from Albertson township and large portions of Smith and Glason townships and the Northern portion of Kenansville township are urged to attend this meeting.

Warsaw-Douglas P.T.A. To Meet

The Warsaw-Douglas P.T.A. will meet on Tuesday night, Jan. 30th, at 7:30 p.m.

Superintendent Charles Yelverton and members of the County Board of Education will meet with the P.T.A. to discuss the county budget and building program especially in the James Kenan school district.

Banquet

Continued From The Front priorities for the board to be working on for 1973. They included re-registering units on time, financial support for the Council, volunteer action, new Units, Camp promotion, trained leadership, 50th Anniversary and our latest part in the program.

Landfill

Continued From The Front Chapel Community in Duplin County and graduated from N. Duplin High School in 1960. He served four years with the U.S. Air Force being honorably discharged.

His previous employment includes: four years with the Federal State Inspection Service; engaged in farming operation for several years; and employed by Wayne County for work in Sanitary Landfill.

Underhill is a member of the Rones Chapel United Methodist Church and President of the Rones Chapel Community Club.

He is married to the former Nancy Ann Evans of Avon, N.Y. and they have one son, David Jr., age 4.

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GIRL SCOUT COOKIE SALE BEGINS--The Girl Scout Cookie Sale is officially begun as Tom Rabon of Warsaw buys the first box of Girl Scout Cookies from members of Troop 388 of Kenansville.

Scouts will be calling on people in all areas of Duplin County between now and then; so stop your dieting and stock-up on those delicious Girl Scout Cookies!

EMC Announces 4-H Scholarship Program

L.P. Beverage, General Manager, Four County Electric Membership Corporation Burgaw, announced recently that in 1973 the Cooperative will again provide \$100 scholarships to an outstanding 4-H boy and girl in each of the Four Counties in which the cooperative operates.

or Sampson counties will be eligible to participate in the awards programs. Application forms are now available from the County Extension Offices in each of the four counties mentioned above.

average attained in high school. Applications must be submitted to the County Extension Office in the respective counties by Feb. 2, 1973.

The scholarship will be paid to the winners immediately upon receipt of an official statement certifying enrollment in an institution offering training beyond the high school level.

Last year's winners in Duplin County were Susan Anne Craft, Kenansville, attending Peace College; and Gerald Korogay, Rt. 2, Mount Olive, attending Lenoir Community College.

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