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You can get a study plan for The House of the Week by filling in your name and address on the coupon on this page and sending it with 35 cents to this newspaper.

This study plan shows each floor of the house together with each of the four elevations, front, rear and sides of the house. It is scaled at 1/4-inch per foot. It includes a guide on "How to Get Your House Built."

House Plan

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However, this is a flexible plan. You can build a basement if you prefer. The oversize garage provides ample space for a basement stairway and service vestibule between the garage and the family room.

A distinctive feature of the exterior styling of this house is the open rafters above the terrace and the two sliding glass doors of the bedrooms. A variety of treatment is suggested by this detail. You could leave these rafters open for shadow effect. You could cover them with corrugated fiber glass sheets in a pastel color. Or you could roof it over conventionally for a covered porch.

Herman H. York, architect who specializes in suburban and country homes, designed HW-23 with a weather eye on the building dollar throughout. Room dimensions indicate the extent to which this house is planned for the use of standard lengths of lumber without the expense of cutting on the job.

Room widths of 13 feet 4 inches show the use of standard 14-foot joists with 4 inches allowed at each end for bearing and wall construction. Widths of 15 feet 4 inches show the use of 16-foot joists—lumber being available in multiples of 2 feet.

This not only saves money but results in good room sizes.

The architect carries this prudence into the exterior design, too. He has pitched the roof just enough to permit the use of economical asphalt shingles. He suggests the use of brick veneer for an accent to the front end of the garage. This could be eliminated for economy although it provides a pleasant touch with its extension of a pierced brick wall partly screening the garage doors. Either shingles or hand split shakes could be used to side the main front wall, depending on the building budget, and the rest of the house can be finished with plain clapboard siding.

Numerous niceties of planning characterize this house. Closets are large—many of them planned with sliding doors. A private dressing room with a built-in vanity table links the master bedroom with its private bathroom. Sliding doors also open from the foyer into the powder room section of the split bathroom as well as between the two compartments of this bathroom.

A breakfast bar between the kitchen and family room is a smart provision for children's snacks as well as for informal entertainment when the family room is used for evening recreation.

The kitchen is well arranged for cabinets and appliances, with space allotted for a modern raised oven separate from countertop burners. The barbecue is convenient for serving either in the dining room or family room. Between the barbecue and refrigerator are a broom closet and a pantry closet.

By locating the foyer as a center hall, every room in the house becomes accessible from the front door without passage through another room—the dining room, of course, is accepted as an exception to this rule because of its periods of disuse.

The most glamorous feature of this house is the way its walls of glass open to let you enjoy the

Oil Men Publish New Handbook

The average North Carolina highway user now pays over \$136 a year in special automotive taxes, in addition to his regular share of general taxation, according to "Goals," a new pocket handbook just issued by the North Carolina Petroleum Industries Committee.

This per-vehicle tax cost is broken down into an average \$86.73 a year paid in state and federal taxes on gasoline; \$30.86 in state motor license and carrier fees; \$6.33 in sales taxes on automotive products, and \$24.26 in federal automotive taxes.

Featured in the booklet is a six-point program of objectives urged in behalf of highway users by this statewide committee of oil men, headed by J. V. Delander, chairman.

"As an organization," Mr. Delander said, "we foster and support public policies which are fair to our customers, our industry and the state at large."

The six goals he listed for the present year are: Keep Gas Tax Reasonable, Protect Highway Funds, Insure Fair Competition, Reduce Inspection Fees, Repeal Gasoline Pump Tax, and Promote Highway Safety.

One section of the booklet traces the history of gasoline taxation in North Carolina from the original 1-cent state tax, first levied in 1921, to the present combined state and federal tax rate of 10 1/2 cents a gallon, and concludes:

"In North Carolina the average retail price of regular gasoline, excluding taxes, is now about 19.9 cents a gallon—11.4 cents less than the 31.3-cent average price here in 1920. But while the price of the product itself—unlike other commodities—is actually lower than it was 36 years ago, present taxes on gasoline now add more than 50 per cent to the cost."

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Tough TV Set Survives Idaho Lightning Storm

Sandpoint, Idaho (AP)—It will take some time for Mr. and Mrs. Max Pierce to get over the lightning storm which struck their house as they were watching television.

No one was hurt, but a bolt hit their electric fence, traveled around the house, peeled the bark from four trees, set fire to a sofa in the yard, blew out the light bulbs and burned out the freezer and the electric roaster.

The Pierces' only consolation: the TV wasn't hurt.

Pine Cones

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best artist—Mary Ellen Chasteen and Mack O'Neal.

Friendliest—Blanch Wolfe and Louis Thomas; most intellectual—Dorothy Chadwick and Jackie Guthrie; most popular—Carol Fulcher and Sonny Davis; neatest—Lois Thomas and Robert Rose; best dressed—Evelyn Piner and Phillip Smith; most likely to succeed—Dorothy Chadwick and Jackie Guthrie.

Best All Around—Dorothy Chadwick and Jackie Guthrie and most athletic—Janet Willis and Kenneth Davis.

Monday the 4-H Clubs met with Mrs. Garner and Mr. Venters.

Mrs. Knott was not present because of illness. At the Senior 4-H meeting the rest of the officers were elected. Mary Ellen Chasteen, new president, presided at this meeting.

The senior class was proud of their 4-H members when every single one of the new officers turned out to be seniors! The new officers are president, Mary Ellen Chasteen vice-president, Mack O'Neal; secretary, Evelyn Baker; reporter, Janet Willis; song leader, Dorothy Chadwick.

Mary Ellen Chasteen has drawn up a committee of active 4-H members to work on the county fair exhibit which the Smyrna Senior 4-H Club is planning. Members of this committee are Mary Ellen Chasteen—chairman; Blanch Wolfe, Evelyn Baker, Janet Willis, Mack O'Neal, Cecil Gillikin, Jerry Golden, and Dorothy Chadwick. We plan to make this exhibit the best and from the way it is progressing it looks as if we shall carry out our plan.

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you who the FFA officers for the coming year are. They are president, Cecil Gillikin; vice-president, Jackie Guthrie; treasurer, William Earl Nelson; reporter, Glen Arthur; sentinel, Sonny Davis; secretary, Robert Rose.

The boys of the FFA are really getting down to work and a bright progressive year is ahead of them. We are wishing them the best of luck and we know under the guidance of their advisor, Mr. Owens, they will have the best year ever. This organization has done a lot for SHS and it is impossible in this little space to name all the things they have done. We are grateful to have such an active group in our school.

Last Tuesday the annual staff met in the typing lab with Mr. Campen, the representative of the Hunter Yearbook Publishing Co. We discussed with him the plans for our annual, the Whispering Pines. Things discussed were the cost of our annual, the setting and theme, and the pictures to be taken and cover to choose.

The meeting ended with Mary Ellen Chasteen, business manager, and Jackie Guthrie, editor-in-chief, signing the Hunter contract. Mary Ellen Chasteen is happy to announce that our ad money climbed to 440 dollars with at least \$20 received this week. Our annual subscriptions reached and passed the goal of 200. We have now 210 subscriptions.

The photographer was in the school Monday for the purpose of taking individual photographs. We would like to thank each and every student for their cooperation in the process of taking these pictures.

Now, let's meet those two important people of the week—Mr. and Miss Senior Bigwheel.

Meet the wackiest, good-natured male from the senior class. Leslie, come forth! Leslie Maurice Davis was born to Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Davis of Harkers Island, on April 1, 1939. Although Leslie is his name, this boy is known by no other name but "Sonny Boy."

Sonny defines his pet peeve as pretty girls! Can you imagine? His one heart's desire is to own one million dollars worth of stock in the Esso Oil Co. His favorite food is no less than a peach, and his favorite singing star is Bill Haley. Sonny is just one of those rock and roll fans.

What is your one plan for the future, Sonny? The Service is his answer. His favorite song is Brazil, his favorite hobby is hunting, and his favorite movie star Burt Lancaster. His other favorites include: Mr. Daniels, his favorite teacher, riding his favorite pastime and basketball, his favorite sport.

Sonny stands a full 6 feet 2 in height, has brown hair, blue eyes, and a dark complexion. He came to SHS from Harkers Island school in 1953 and since then has taken part in the following activities: school bus driver—two years; newspaper staff—one year (art

editor); basketball—three years; varsity club—two years; FFA—three years (officer-sentinel and vice-president); class officer—one year. He also won his high school letter for his skill in athletics.

Sonny is a very likeable person, full of humor, and mischief. There is one thing about him that everyone likes and that is his smile.

Miss Senior Bigwheel
 Now, meet the greatest Elvis Presley and James Dean fan ever to be a member of SHS—Mary Elizabeth Davis, alias Betty Davis. Betty was born Jan. 6, 1939, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Davis of Marshallberg. She came to SHS just eight years ago from Marshallberg Primary School.

Betty says that her one heart's desire is to spend Saturday nights on Richards Beach. Her favorite food is nothing less than fried chicken! Her favorite singing star? You might have guessed it—Elvis Presley! Just watch her swoon when he sings her favorite song—Love Me Tender.

Betty has been a member of the following activities during her years at SHS: basketball—three years; 4-H—four years; FHA—three years; Varsity Club—one year. She has been very active in her church, the Marshallberg Trinity Methodist Church. In her MYF she has been an officer for nine years and a member for that long. She is Secretary of her Young Adults Class and is also a substitute teacher.


Betty's plans for the future are to make someone a good housewife. Betty, who is about 5 feet 5 in height, having blonde hair and blue eyes, says that her favorite hobby is collecting all eligible males. Look out boys, she means what she says!

Betty has two other nicknames besides Betty. They are Mary Liz and Sweets. Her favorite actor is the one and only—Sight! Sight! James Dean and to prove he is her favorite, Betty has a wide collection of pictures and stories about The Rebel Without A Cause. Besides collecting items about James Dean, Betty's favorite pastime is bopping. That girl is just naturally crazy about jazz and rock 'n roll. By the way, Betty says that her favorite teacher is Mr. Daniels.

Betty is another one of those easy to get along with characters which the senior class boasts many of. She has a wonderful personality and may be defined as a person with mischief and sweetness look in her eyes. We all love her and we're sure you would to if you ever met her.

Next week we will introduce to you Carol Fulcher and Cecil Gillikin, so keep your fingers crossed until we return.

That's all the news there is from SHS for this week. We'll be back next week with plenty more, so be with us. Remember to study hard and learn all you can. You never stop learning and the more you can learn the better citizen you will make. See ya—Speedo.



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Registration Days

(Hours: 9 a.m. to Sundown)

SATURDAY, OCT. 20
SATURDAY, OCT. 27

No one may register after October

Challenge Day

(Hours: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.)
SATURDAY, NOV. 3

Absentee Voting

No one can apply for absentee vote except the voter, his or her father, mother, sister, brother, son or daughter.

No blank is required. A letter addressed to this Board giving precinct of voter and present postoffice address is all that is necessary.

The ballot is sent direct to the voter. Cannot be given to any other person.

Members of the Armed Services need not be registered, provided they are 21 years old by Nov. 6.

Absentee votes cannot be sent after Saturday, Nov. 3 except in emergency cases of sickness.

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