

# Down Main Street

Bobby Austin of the U. S. Navy, stationed at Norfolk, Va., recently spent a 14-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Austin, of Rt. 1, Burnsville.

Marvin A. Lovelace returned Monday to Cape Cod, Mass. Mrs. Lovelace, the former Miss Barbara Peterson, remained here to be with her father, Ralph Peterson, who is hospitalized in Asheville.

Mrs. Haskel Presnell has returned to her home at Newdale after undergoing surgery at the Marion General Hospital.

Miss Hope Bailey was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Anderson and son, Phillip, in Asheville last week-end.

E. B. Powell has returned from Washington, D. C., where he has been due to the death of Mrs. Powell.

There are 12 Congressional Districts in North Carolina.

## HORTON CREEK NEWS

By Clifton R. Penland

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Penland and sons, Dallas and Blake Penland and family, visited friends in Hendersonville Sunday.

Homer Hensley and Eddie Penland of Unicoi, Tenn., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Penland.

Mrs. Willard Penland, who has been sick for some time, is now improved and is visiting her daughters, Mrs. Bert Styles and Mrs. Cecil Rice, in Tennessee.

Mrs. John Penland has been on the sick list again but is now improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Metcalf of Hendersonville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Liston Penland last week-end.

Miss Emma Milburn has been sick for a few days, but I'm glad to report she is lots better and was back at Sunday School and

## MISS GERALDINE BRIGGS WED TO BILLY D. McCURRY

Miss Geraldine Briggs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Briggs of Burnsville, became the bride of Billy D. McCurry, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. McCurry of Burnsville, in a ceremony Saturday evening, Jan. 19, at Toccoa, Ga.

The bride is a senior at Burnsville High School. Mr. McCurry is a graduate of Mcaville High School and is now employed at the Burnsville Shell Service Station.

## THIS WEEK'S SAFETY MESSAGE

By Cameron F. McRae, M. D.

Last week we touched on the danger of using "outdoor" paint (containing more than 1% lead) for indoor painting, where small children might develop lead poisoning as a result of chewing or licking the painted surfaces. Here are some more rules for indoor painting, from the Home Safety Review for September 1956:

1. Be sure the room is well ventilated before you start to paint.
2. Be sure your ladder is safe—no broken steps or side-rails, no rough sides.
3. If you use a straight ladder instead of a step-ladder (outdoors or indoors), set the ladder at the proper angle, use "safety feet" on it, and place it so as to avoid over-reaching.
4. Prevent fire or explosion by disposing of cloths into covered metal containers.
5. Wear safe clothing (no loose sleeves which could catch) and low heels.
6. Use a safe can for solvents. Open cans containing solvents for cleaning brushes are dangerous, and should be covered when not in use.

## CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to my friends, relatives and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy and the beautiful flowers received during the illness and death of my husband.

Mrs. J. A. Hannum.

able to teach her class last Sunday. She and her brother are doing a great work for the Presbyterian Church here.

## MARION D. PRESNELL COMPLETES TRAINING

Marion D. Presnell, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lyda Presnell, Rt. 2, Burnsville, has completed the first basic military training at the "Gateway to the Air Force," Lackland AFB, San Antonio, Tex.

He is now taking part in the advanced basic training course here, following which he will qualify for assignment in one of the Air Force's 43 major career fields.

While at Lackland the new enlistee completes the transition from "civilian to airman through a program which includes processing, aptitude testing, physical conditioning, survival and weapons training, and varied classroom studies ranging from citizenship to military customs and courtesies.

Like the USAF Officer Candidate and Pre-Flight schools, also located at Lackland, basic military training prepares graduates for specialized training and on-the-job assignment.

## MRS. E. L. BEESON RESIGNS FROM HARRIS HIGH

Mrs. Edward L. Beeson of Burnsville, who has been an instructor in social studies and other courses at Harris High School, Spruce Pine, resigned her position on Jan. 14. She and her husband both taught at Tipton Hill High School, Tipton Hill, until Mr. Beeson retired at the end of the 1955-56 school year.

Mrs. Beeson, a native of Henderson, Ky., was reared in Los Angeles, Calif., and St. Louis, Mo. She majored in English at Florida State University, Tallahassee, and minored in Latin and Sociology. Mrs. Beeson holds a B. A. degree from Florida State U., and has done graduate work at the University of Chicago and the University of North Carolina.



**APPLE OR PEACH CRISP** is a dessert to make with an oven dinner to bake right along with the main dish. Place the prepared, sweetened fruit in a buttered casserole, cover with a crumbly topping of flour, sugar, butter and cinnamon. Bake about 25 minutes in a moderately hot oven.

Fix the children a quick after-school drink by whipping together a scoop of ice cream and a cup of fruit nectar.

Relish trays brighten winter menus. Try some crisp raw cauli-

**THIS WEEK'S RECIPE**  
**Bean-Barley Soup**  
 (Serves 6)

1 cup dried lima beans  
 6 cups cold water  
 2 teaspoons salt  
 1/4 teaspoon pepper  
 2 slices onion  
 1 small carrot  
 3 tablespoons barley  
 1 cup evaporated milk  
 2 tablespoons butter

Soak beans in water overnight. Add salt and pepper and cook in water in which they were soaked until almost tender. Cut onion and carrot and add to beans with barley; cook until soft. Add milk and butter just before serving.

flower, celery sticks, olives, spiced peaches and cranberry-apple relish.

Date and nut bread or orange-prune bread can take the place of a dessert if you frost them while warm with a trickle of confectioners' sugar icing.

Chopped broccoli should be cooked until barely tender. Serve with silvered toasted almonds and browned butter for a note of elegance.

Cream of chicken soup will be more interesting if you add a bit of raw onion juice while heating it or some of the instant onion flakes.

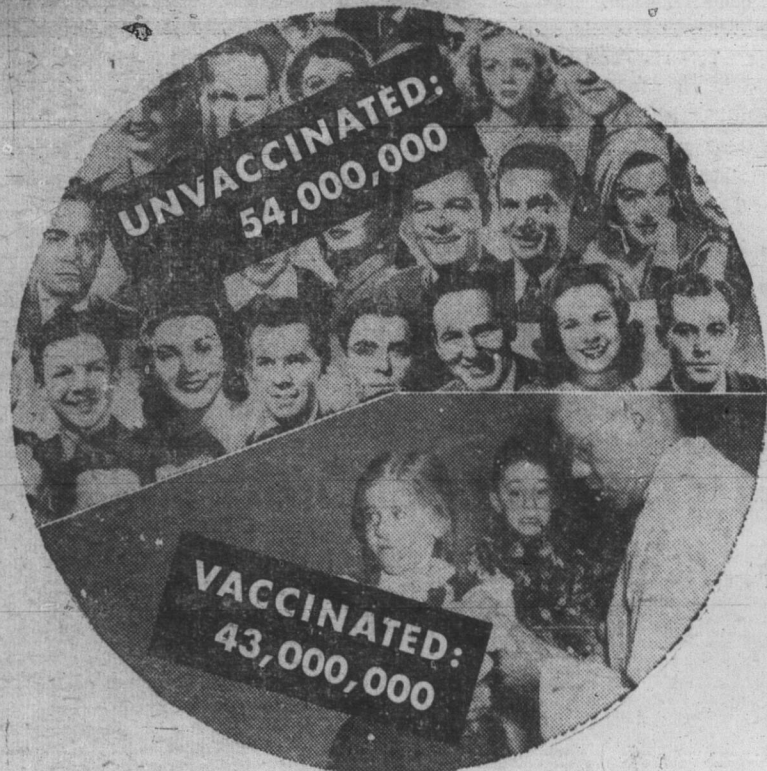
## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE NORTH CAROLINA YANCEY COUNTY

Having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of Pansy Franklin, deceased, late of Yancey County, this is to notify all persons having claims against the Decedent to exhibit the same to the undersigned Administrator at his home at Star Rt., Burnsville, N. C., on or before the 24th day of January, 1957 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons owing the Estate will please make immediate payment.

This 24th day of January, 1957.  
 A. Z. Jamerson, Administrator of the Estate of Pansy Franklin, Deceased.  
 Jan. 24, 31, Feb. 1, 8-15-23

# POLIO: UNFINISHED BUSINESS



By mid-October, 1956, fewer than half of the 97,000,000 Americans who should be protected against polio by the Salk vaccine had started the prescribed course of three inoculations. The vulnerable age group is from six months to 35 years. You can help bring about the final victory over this crippling disease by getting vaccinated and by giving to the March of Dimes to help those for whom the vaccine is too late.

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