



# LOCALS

## South Toe News

By: Mrs. Philip Nordstrom

New officers were installed Monday night, April 24, when the Parent-Teacher Association met at the South Toe River School. The rhythm band played several numbers, and Ramona Bowditch played a piano solo.

One new director was elected for the Board of Directors of the Celu Mutual Store, Inc., at the annual membership meeting which was held Friday night, April 21.

Mrs. Tillie Brooks, Mary Lee Hill, and Lola Nordstrom, all near Route 80, attended the annual district W. S. C. S. meeting Friday April 21, in Haywood Street Methodist Church in Asheville.

Marie Lipp of Chicago and Florida has come to live on White Oak Road. It is always nice to have new neighbors with whom to get acquainted.

Mrs. Mark Hall of Newdale visited with her sister, Mrs. Joe Letterman, Sunday forenoon, April 23. Mrs. Letterman has not been well, and she appreciates the people who have been visiting with them at various times.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gibbs visited with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Gibbs, and his sister, Mrs. Mollie Patton, during the week. They then took Ira to a hospital near their home, and he will be there for observation for a few days.

## NEWDALE COMMUNITY CLUB MEETS

By: Mrs. J. R. Dawkins

The Newdale Community Club held their regular meeting Thursday. Mrs. Betty Towe presided and gave the devotional. Mrs. Harry Robertson, program chairman, gave a reading, "The Gracious Heart." The business of the hour had to do with finishing signs for the new highway, these are the Newdale Welcome Signs. All those who are interested in the community are urged to make an effort to attend the next meeting which will be held on May 18.

## NEWDALE NEWS

By: Mrs. Preston Wyatt

The Newdale Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Homer Price on April 18 with seven members present. The program was on Better Lighting in the Home, and was presented by Mrs. Lepton. Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Price.

## NEWDALE HOME DEM. CLUB ACTIVITIES FOR 1960 AND 1961

By: Mrs. H. Johnson

Newdale Club has 10 active members, with two new members added this year. All club members have worked diligently during the past year to carry through with all projects. Some have worked in groups while others have worked separately with other church or community workers.

Starting May 1, 1960, our Club has been represented at 4 Special Interest Meetings, besides sending one member to Craft Camp. The meetings were: Bread Making, Jelly Making and Furniture Refinishing. Our Club held 4 Leaders Meetings and Demonstrations on Educational Programs which were: Yeast Breads, Care of Linens, Smooth Floor Coverings and Family Life. Our Newdale Club was presented at all County Council Meetings during the past year and has one member now serving as an officer. We were well represented with our families for the Annual Achievement program. Our Club presented a combination display mostly of sewing. (Most of our Club members have done considerable home sewing the past year.) Eight members represented our Club at the District IV Federation Meeting in Asheville this year.

Most members contributed to the Cancer Fund and some assisted with the Bloodmobile Unit and had Chest X-Rays.

Some members assisted with the 4-H Dress Revue and demonstrations and achievement programs.

Most members are active church members and some helped to organize a Junior Youth Fellowship Group this year.

Club members helped with the following Service Projects:

1. Providing needy school children with clothing and shoes.
2. Helping furnish household items and quilting for burned-out families.

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4. Collecting clothing and preparing boxes for needy families.

Our chief money raising project for the past 2 years has been Quilting. One chartered member, Mrs. Champ Ray, opened her home to our Quilting Project 2 days a week. She and another devoted charter member have been chiefly responsible for all quilting for the past year. This year we have quilted approximately 20 quilts. Most of the quilting is done by a community group rather than just club members. Quilting is a delightful get-together enjoyed by a covered dish lunch. Our proceeds have been used chiefly for the upkeep and furnishing of the Newdale Methodist Parsonage.

Candles were made at Christmas time to help raise money to be donated for the Building Fund in Raleigh, which was pledged some time previous. A sum of \$25.00 has been donated.

All money making projects for the Newdale Community Club Building Fund have been sponsored by the Home Demonstration Club. They were: a Quilt—which was chartered off with a picnic, 2 Stanley Orders, a Bazaar and Bake Sale and the sellidg of Cards and Gift Items.

Our Club boasts at still having on our active roll 4 charter members. They are: Mrs. Jack Young, Mrs. Preston Wyatt, Mrs. J. R. Dawkins and Mrs. Champ Ray. Other devoted charter members who help with quilting are: Mrs. Welzie Robinson, Mrs. Agnes Wyatt, Mrs. Pearl Boone and Mrs. Ruby Thomas.

We wish to take this opportunity to announce Mrs. Champ Ray as our most outstanding "Club Woman of the Year." Mrs. Ray has never neglected her home or family, yet, has kept active for the past 20 years with Home Demonstration projects as well as Church and Civic activities. Mrs. Ray has been the Health Leader for our Club for the past 4 years. She has attended most of the meetings including County and State. We feel that none of us can surpass her outstanding devotion as a Home Maker and Community Worker.

Our Club is observing this annual Home Demonstration Club Week with our window display at Edges Department Store in Burdsville and by sending a Fruit Basket to a shut-in.

## NATIONAL HOME DEM.

By: Dr. Frank J. Welch  
Assistant Secretary of Agriculture  
for Federal-States Relations

Nearly 8½ million women now take part in Home Demonstration work to learn better ways of managing their homes and of having healthier, happier families. These women are learning to put the latest home economics research to work for them. In that way, they're building better homes and communities.

They learn and adopt improved methods in their own homes, and many serve as volunteer leaders to teach others. By "showing how" as well as "telling how," local home demonstration leaders help neighbors and friends also become more able homemakers. Most important of all, they help create better homes for rearing and training children, for molding character, and influencing tomorrow's citizens.

Home Demonstration work is an educational program—planned by and for homemakers. It is conducted cooperatively by the Extension Service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, the State land-grant colleges, and county governments.

This year's National Home Demonstration Week extends from April 30 through May 6. I like the week's theme, "Today's Home Builds Tomorrow's World." The women in this large out of school program of the Cooperative Extension Service are helping to-day's home build tomorrow's world—better!

I extend my warmest greetings to all of them everywhere!



## Men In Service

San Diego (FHTNC) — Clark E. Griffin, son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Griffin of Route 5, Burnsville, N. C. was graduated from recruit training, April 21, at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif.

The graduation exercises, marking the end of nine weeks of "boot camp", included a full dress parade and review before military officials and civilian dignitaries.

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Sunday School will be held at Boring Chapel Church on Sunday, May 7th, at 10:00 a. m. and worship service will be held at 11:00 a. m. Theme of the service will be "The Four Kinds of Soil." J. E. B. Houser is pastor.

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