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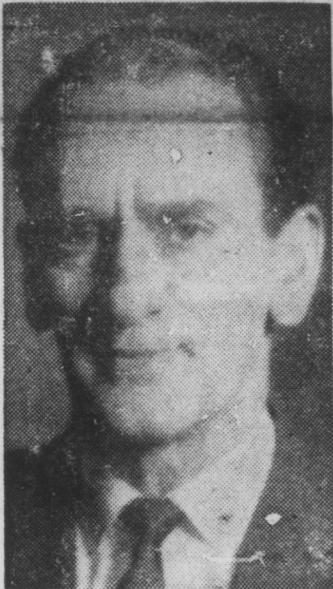
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Photo by John Robinson

Members of the Junior Girl Scout Troop, under the direction of Mrs. P. C. Coletta, leader, are shown above presenting an unusual type of puppet show. The girls presented the show at the Burnsville Elementary School P. T. A. and at the South Toe Elementary School P. T. A. The title is "Animal School Dropouts", and the puppets represent animals with over-sized heads. The scouts are left to right, seated: Denise Pierey and Bonnie Hess; Standing: Dianne Angel, Jeanne Ray and Anita Anglin.

Norton To Be Certified As Democrat Candidate For Senate



The State Supreme Court this week instructed the State Board of Elections to certify Clyde M. Norton of Old Fort as the Democratic nominee for state senator from the 34th senatorial district.

Zeno Ponder of Madison County was the apparent winner after the May 30th primary vote count, but Norton charged widespread fraud and irregularities in the Madison County balloting and the State Board of Elections backed him up. William C. Chambers of Marion is the Republican candidate for the State Senate.

Ponder said he would decide this week after a conference with his legal counsel if he will appeal the ruling of the State Supreme Court or not.

In the primary, Ponder received 7,503 votes and Norton 7,108. In Madison County, Ponder got 5,239 votes while Norton got only 518. Norton led in the other three counties in the 34th District.

Pancake Supper At East Yancey

A pancake supper will be held Friday evening, October 2 at East Yancey High School. Supper will be served from 5:30 to 7:30 p. m. The affair is being sponsored by the East Yancey P. T. A. Proceeds from the supper will be applied on expenses of the school applying for accreditation in the Southern Association.

Plates will be served for \$1.00 each adults, and .50 for children under 12.

The supper will precede the East Yancey-N. C. School For The Deaf football game to be played on the East Yancey Field.

Pensacola May Be Retained As Mailing Address

It is the intention of the Post Office Department to retain "Pensacola, North Carolina" as a mailing address for patrons of that office who desire to use it. Those patrons who wish to receive their mail at Pensacola Rural Station may use "Pensacola, North Carolina 28714," as a mailing address. Those patrons who now receive their mail on Rural Route Number 6 from Burnsville must use Route Number 6 and the correct box number, but they may use either Burnsville or Pensacola as their post office address; in either case use number 28714 as the ZIP Code.

The Bureau of Operations of the Post Office Department has ruled that the patrons of the Pensacola postal facility may use "Pensacola" as their mailing address. However, it is necessary to use the correct route number, the correct box number, and the correct ZIP Code.

The Post Office Department hopes that this information will clarify the situation with regard to the address in the Pensacola section, and will be helpful to those patrons who wish to use "Pensacola" instead of "Burnsville" as their mailing address.

William Harold Dean Doing Student Teaching

William Harold Dean son of Jeff David Dean is now doing student teaching at Sand Hill Elementary, Buncombe County. Mr. Dean is taking part during the fall quarter, Sept. 10 through Nov. 5, in the student teaching program of Appalachian State Teachers College, Boone, N. C. In this program students devote approximately twelve weeks to student teaching in the field for which they have been preparing. Mr. Dean is teaching 7th grade under the supervision of Mrs. Brown.

As part of the Student teaching program, the Appalachian student usually lives in the community near the school and participates in community activities as well as in school activities. The student devotes full time in the school and gradually takes over the full teaching load, always under the supervision of the supervising teacher and the principal. The local school's participation with Appalachian's student teaching program is a valuable asset to the general education program of North Carolina.

Mr. Dean graduated from Cane River High School in 1960.

Around 40 Wood Men Attend Appalachian Lumbermen Meeting

Some 40 "wood" men met at Burnsville Friday afternoon and evening for a fall meeting of the Appalachian Lumbermen's Club. Fred Malcolm, Sawmill Specialist, Forest Products Laboratory, Madison, Wisconsin held a sawing seminar. He illustrated how logs can be sawed, edged, and trimmed to yield the most in grade and financial return. That all operators knew hardwood grades is most important was repeatedly stressed — sawyers, edgers, and trimmers. Experts in these operations usually pay their own salaries by increasing the grade of lumber manufactured.

Bill Banks, Banco Lumber Company, Burnsville, hosted the meeting including an inspection of the Company's sawmilling operation. Pete Hanlon, Club President, presided over the meeting.

A short business meeting was held after the program. Business affairs covered appointing two committees: National Forest Products Week, October 18-24 and Safety. John B. Veach, Jr., appointed Chairman of the Forest Products Week Committee and Andrew Gennett to head the Safety Committee.

Dick Wood commented on the successful efforts of the North Carolina Forestry Association in conducting Safety Campaigns resulting in decreased insurance rates for forest industries — logging and manufacturing.

The meeting closed with an invitation to all to the Joint Annual Meeting of the American Forestry Association and the N. C. Forestry Association, Asheville, October 18-21. Theme of the meeting is "Western North Carolina—The Cradle of Forestry in America—75 Years of Progress, 1889-1964."

Charles Rawls, President, Earl Raiford Lumber Company, Asheville, received a plaque and citation from the National Lumber Manufacturers' Association recognizing the local concern for its support of the National Wood Promotion Program for the 1959-1964 period — a program sponsored by N. L. M. A. and supported nationwide by 119 firms like the Earl Raiford Company.

John B. Veach, Sr., Past President of N. L. M. A. made the presentation to Mr. Rawls.

Miss Sharon Thomas Named Homecoming Queen

Miss Sharon Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thomas of Newdale, was elected Homecoming Queen at the annual Homecoming Festivities at East Yancey High School here Friday night.

Miss Loretta Hensley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hensley of Micaville, was second place winner; Miss Susan Mackey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jon Mackey, Pensacola, third place winner; Miss Brenda Brinkley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brinkley, Burnsville, fourth place winner; and Miss Sandra McMahan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent McMahan of Pensacola, fifth place winner.

Miss Thomas was crowned by Miss Donna Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Old Lewis of St. Rt., last year's Homecoming Queen.

Miss Thomas is in the 11th grade and was from Mrs. Ray's homeroom. She was escorted by Roach L. Wells.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT STAFF ATTENDS CONVENTION

The staff of the local Health Department attended the North Carolina Public Health Association convention held at the Battery Park Hotel and the City Auditorium in Asheville on September 24th and 25th.

Dan K. Moore Will Speak At Democrat Rally



Dan K. Moore, Democratic nominee for Governor of North Carolina, will be the guest speaker at a Democratic Rally and supper to be held at East Yancey High School on Friday evening, October 9. Supper will be served at 6:30 p. m. and the speaking will begin at 8:00 p. m.

Avery, Mitchell and Madison counties are joining with Yancey in the rally.

Traveling with Judge Moore will be Congressman Roy A. Taylor and the Council of State.

Old Folks Day To Be Observed At Jacks Creek

Old Folks Day will be observed at Boring Chapel Methodist Church in the Jacks Creek Community on Sunday, October 4 at 2:30 p. m.

The Rev. Howard Buchanan, pastor of the Jacks Creek Baptist Church, and the Rev. Tommy Weeks, pastor of the Bald Creek Methodist Church, will make short talks. Special music is planned. An opportunity for some of the older citizens to speak a few words will be offered.

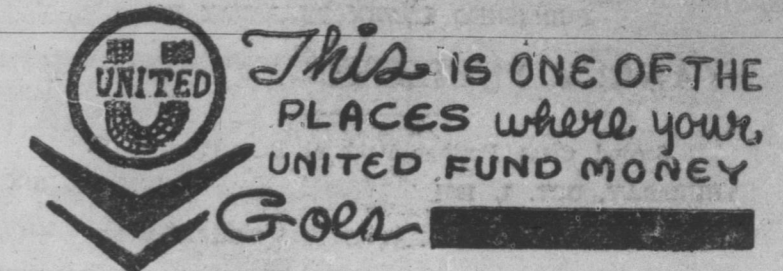
A cordial invitation is extended to all the senior citizens of the Jacks Creek Community.

Light refreshments will be served at the close of the meeting.

Urgent Need For Children's Clothing

Welfare officials have reported that there is a real need for children's clothing in the county. The need is so great that some children may have to drop out of school because they do not have sufficient clothing to keep them warm during the winter months.

Anyone who has clothing to donate to this needy cause may take it by the Welfare Department located above Pollard's Drug Store or they may call 682-2134 and it will be picked up.



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Home Demonstration County Council Holds Meeting

The Yancey County Home Demonstration County Council met Monday, September 28th, in the home Economics Extension Agent's Office, with the following members present: Miss Lydia Deyton, Council President; Mrs. Clyde Edwards, Vice-President; Mrs. Kenneth Johnson, Brush Creek Club President; Mrs. Enzy Letnerman, Pleasant Grove Club President; Mrs. Andrew Johnson, Pleasant Grove Club Secretary and Treasurer; Mrs. John Bennett, Burnsville Club President; Mrs. Cecil Anglin, Jacks Creek Club President; and Mrs. Thelma Wyatt, Newdale Club member and nutrition leader.

Plans were made for a county-wide Home Demonstration Club meeting to be held October 12 at 6:00 p. m. in the Mohasco Carpet Company cafeteria. This will be a covered dish supper, with each club furnishing a complete meal for the number coming from their clubs. The program will be in the form of talent from each club, club reports given by club presidents and reports from Mrs. Andrew Johnson, National Citizenship delegate, and Mrs. Brooks Wilson, United Nations Study Tour delegate.

1955 County Council officers will be installed. The club having the highest achievement score will be recognized.

Land Judging Contest To Be Held Here

The Yancey County Soil Conservation District and the Vocational Agriculture Departments will play host to the Blue Ridge Federation Land Judging Contest on Thursday, October 8, in Yancey County. This group, including some 12 teams from Buncombe, Madison, and Yancey, will meet at Cane River High School at 2:00 P. M. for briefing and then will proceed to nearby selected farm to judge land capabilities, according to erosion, production, and management to assure continued productivity.

The winning team will advance to the State Contest and, in addition, the Local Soil Conservation District will award \$10.00 prize money to the County team which places highest and \$5.00 to the individual high scorer.

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always understood to be you. It expresses a wish or a command. A command—look beyond it to the Please in the eyes of a child...

"I think my Mother has the ways and habits that any Mother should have, and I love her more than anything in the world, and will always be true to her."

There's a lifetime of love in this tribute, yet the 8-year-old author had known his mother less than a year. He is an adopted son, who found his family through the Children's Home Society of North Carolina.

Take this one instance of a child given fresh hope, multiply by 8,000, and you have the sum of the Society's 62 years of work in child caring and adoption planning. During last year alone, it helped 237 babies and older children find adoptive homes, and aided 62 others for whom adoption was completed or other services given.

The Children's Home Society is one of the statewide agencies receiving support from United Fund campaigns in the number of North Carolina communities through Carolinas United. It maintains district offices or resident caseworkers in Greensboro, Asheville, Charlotte, Chapel Hill, Greenville, and Wilmington.

"Children need to feel they belong to someone," said Miss Harriet L. Tynes, executive director. "Love can quickly lead them to accept a place in their new family, with great happiness for both parents and child."

Of course, the majority of adoptions handled by the Society involve babies, most of them no more than three months old. In such cases, it is the new parents who must make adjustments.

"They learn quickly, too," said Miss Tynes. "I've seen strong men tremble at the first experience with a milk bottle, but the baby helps and father soon gets the hang of it."

There is no such thing as a typical child for adoption, or couple seeking to adopt.

"Each case is individual, and we handle it that way," said Miss Tynes. "Actually, though it might appear that new born babies are much alike, there are significant differences which must be taken into account in finding the proper home. For example, the nurses who care for babies in our nursery can distinguish personality traits—one baby is nervous, another is aggressive, while a third may be placid and calm."

Professional training in counseling, and other casework services, are resources used by the Society in the time-consuming process of picking homes for babies and babies for homes.

William D. Snider, Society president and associate editor of the Greensboro Daily News, pointed out that the statewide area covered by the Society is an advantage in finding homes for children. As an example, he noted that during 1963 homes were selected from more than 1,100 families living in 94 of the state's 100 counties.

Volunteers are an important resource for the Society, which operates entirely on voluntary support. A board of directors of 78 prominent citizens, drawn from all walks of life and all parts of the state, guide the affairs of the Society.

Clothing for babies and other gifts come from church groups, women's clubs, and others. Junior Women's Clubs from many communities help with transporting babies to the nursery in Greensboro.

"This outpouring of voluntary help makes us realize the keen concern our citizens feel for unfortunate children in their midst, and our own responsibility to give practical expression to this concern," said Miss Tynes.



Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hicks of Micaville, will be honored at open house Sunday, October 4, from 2 to 5 p. m. in their home, with their children entertaining in observance of their golden wedding anniversary, all friends and relatives are invited to attend.

The Hicks have remained residents of Yancey County since their marriage September 2, 1914. Their children are Mrs. Harley Webb of Newport News, Va., Mrs. R. C. Fox of Great Lakes, Ill., Mrs. Paul Dillow of Wilmington, Delaware, Mr. Charlie Hicks, and Mr. Virgil Hicks of Newdale, N. C. They have 15 grandchildren.



Miss Sally Penick, older children's caseworker for the Children's Home Society, gets acquainted with a little boy for whom the agency is planning a new and permanent home with adoptive parents.