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Queens and Escorts

## Cane River Homecoming Friday Night

Cane River High will play its homecoming game Friday night with Patterson High School from Lenoir. Cane River has a 3-2-2 record thus far this season.

As a highlight of the game the 1968-69 Homecoming Queen will be crowned during half-time activities. There will be three runners-up to the Queen. The four couples with the largest sum of money will be winners.

The contestants and their escorts are as follows: Senior Class: Elena Peterson, escorted

by Gary Murphy; Diana Jean Robinson, escorted by Alan McCurry; Florence Hylemon, escort Ward Hylemon; Norma Allen, escort Larry Tipton.

Junior Class: Wanda Hoilman, escort J. C. Ingle; Valerie Miller, escort Johnny Renfro; Martha Peterson, escort Garrett Maney; Rhonda Peterson, escort Alex Penland.

Sophomores: Alice Jobe, escort David Whitson; Lavonne Robinson, escort Larry Thompson; Mary Jane Silver, escort

Gary Grindstaff; Nancy Higgins, escort Sammy Ball.

Freshman Class: Ingrid Morrow, escort Kenny Hedrick; Linda Riddle, escort Dwight England; Shirley Austin, escort Dennis Whitson; Gail Deyton, escort Dennis Thomas; Roselle Hunt, escort Mike Arrowood.

The Homecoming Dance will be held Saturday night, October 19, in the Cane River Cafeteria. Admission will be \$1.00 for couples and 75c stag.

## Graham Will Speak At Awards Dinner October 28th.

### Funeral Services For B.R. Penland Monday



Bascombe R. Penland, 67, died Saturday in Yancey Hospital after a long illness.

Mr. Penland retired in 1953 after growing up in the lumber business. He operated with his late father, who died in 1962, the B. B. Penland and Son Lumber Co., a builder supply firm, and Penland and Ayers Lumber Co., a saw mill operation.

Mr. Penland was a long-time associate of the Northwestern Bank system and was one of the original local Board of Managers here when it began in North Wilkesboro some 30 years ago. He also served on the Board of Directors for several years. He retired last year after over 30 years of service with the Bank system. However, he was still a member of the bank's executive board.

Mr. Penland was chairman of the board of the Yancey Railroad Company, he was on the town's board of alderman, the county hospital board and was a trustee and deacon of the First Baptist Church here.

His other civic and business activities included board memberships on the Burnsville School of Fine Arts and the Parkway Playhouse and serving as trustee of Mars Hill College.

He was a member of the National Hardwood Lumbermen's Association of Chicago, Ill., the Small Businessmen's Association of Washington, D. C. and the Burnsville Men's Club.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Jennie Robertson Penland; two daughters, Mrs. Kenneth Robertson and Mrs. Edgar Hunter, Jr.; four sisters, Mrs. La't Fox, Mrs. Sol Harris, Mrs. Vernie Wilson and Mrs. Bill Bailey;

Honorable James A. Graham, N. C. Commissioner of Agriculture, will be the guest speaker at the Annual Farmers and Community Awards Night Monday, October 28 at 7:00 p. m.

The committee on arrangements reports an expected attendance of 100 people. The meeting is sponsored by the Burnsville Men's Club. Farmers wives and community leaders will be in attendance.

Tickets are available from members of the Men's Club at \$1.75. The American Legion Auxiliary is preparing the meal. The meeting will be held in the Community Building.

Another highlight of this meeting, will be naming the Citizen of the Year. A committee was named by the Men's Club to work on this project. The committee has been hard at work and after much deliberation has come up with what they feel to be the Citizen of the Year. This citizen will be named at the Annual Farmers and Community Awards dinner on October 28th, and will also be presented with a plaque and gifts.

For further information about arrangements call 682-2113 or 682-2317.

## Communities To Be Judged October 21

Yancey County communities will be judged Monday, October 21, according to the schedule from the County Extension Office. This is necessary in order to have checks for prize money made and in time to be awarded at the Annual Farmers Night and Community Awards Night, October 28.

Communities and the time they will be judged are Green Mountain — 9:00 a. m.; Newdale — 10:30; Arbuckle — 11:45; White Oak — 2:30 p. m. and Rocky Springs — 4:00 p. m.

and a brother, J. Max Penland, all of Burnsville; and four grandchildren.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Monday in the First Baptist Church here.

The Rev. Harold McDonald pastor, and the Rev. Charles B. Trammel officiated. Burial was in Robertson Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Joe Young, Reece McIntosh, James and Philip Ray, Horace Edge, Dover R. Fouts, Luther Ayers, James A. Anglin and Robert Presnell.

Honorary pallbearers were board members of the Northwestern Bank, Yancey Hospital, Yancey Railroad and the Men's Bible Class of the church.



## Broughton Patients Enjoy Picnic

Mrs. W. P. Hbneycutt, Chairman of the Yancey County Mental Health Association, would like to express her appreciation to many people in Yancey County for their wonderful cooperation and participation in the picnic luncheon given for patients at Broughton Hospital on Wednesday, Oct. 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bingham generously opened the large dining hall of the Mt. Mitchell Camp ground for the picnic. The Mayor supplied help from his city maintenance crew; the Water Dept. saw that water was turned on; The French Broad Electric Membership Corp. had the lights turned on in the build-

ing; the city police met the bus and escorted it safely to the camp.

Mr. Charles Wesson MCA the program, with Mrs. May Davis leading the singing of old familiar songs and hymns, and Mr. Jim Bingham furnishing entertainment with his harmonica.

The invocation was given by Rev. Baynard Rogers and Rev. Joe Warner dismissed the group with prayer.

The Commission on Christian Social Concerns of the Higgins United Methodist Church supplied money for expenses.

The main event of the day was, of course, the fine food prepared and served by the

Homemakers Clubs of the county. Ice cream and milk were provided by the Pet Milk Company. The Homemakers Clubs and the Junior Women's Club furnished small gifts for each patient, with a surplus of gifts to be taken back to the hospital and used in their Fall Festival. The Junior Women's Club also assisted with entertainment.

For the 29 patients and four attendants from the Hospital it was indeed a "red letter day". They all expressed deep appreciation and their thorough enjoyment of the occasion. It was a wonderful day for all, and hard to say which group had more fun — the visitors or the hostesses. It is hoped that this may be worked into an annual affair.