

Dear Dr. Clara: A Health Department Forum

(If you are concerned about your health or the health of your surroundings, write to Dr. Clara. She should welcome your comments or questions.)

Dear Dr. Clara:

Outsiders who come here are all wrong when they say the junk you see thrown over the banks is the result of age-old mountain ways. That remark is hateful; it's also not true. When I was a girl, there were few tin cans and no plastic containers. Table leavings went to the barnyard; bottles and jars were re-used. There were no dead cars. If a horse died, we buried him decent.

All this junk is a result of fancy packaging, machines, and the like. The dumping in our creeks and vales are new in the last twenty years, and

they've come with the outsider
Grandma

Dear Grandma:

Thanks for speaking up. Although the population of Yancey County has remained about the same, the refuse of this County has increased to seven tons a day. Our public dumps and our collection methods need to be improved to cope with the new quantities of garbage we accumulate. Throughout Yancey County garbage collection is provided for \$3.00 a month per household, but it needs to be used by many families to work well. The garbage system is being reorganized, and if you are interested in having weekly service, please notify the Health Department.

The only other choice at the present time is to incinerate and compost your own refuse and have a back hoe dig your own hole for things that

have to be buried. Each family needs to use the same kind of energy and concern that made Grandma's people bury their large items.

In many states there is a large fine for littering or dumping, and if we don't clean up voluntarily, we'll be forced to the hard way.

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Ten "little people" danced to the tune of "The Muffin Man" at a CHILDREN'S HOUR program held for the Yancey County Child Development Center in the Yancey County Public Library. Following the dance activity, Miss Theresa Coletta read to the children the following stories: The Picnic, written and illustrated by James Daugherty, and Duck And His Friends, by K. & B. Jackson with illustrations by Richard Scarry.

Those children attending this CHILDREN'S HOUR were: Lisa & Gregory Street, Peggy & Joyce Shehan, John & Victor Kegley, Anna Tipton, Lisa McIntosh, Norma McCurry & Angie McIntosh.

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Financial Statement For Period Ending December 31, 1970

Balance December 31, 1969 \$35,940.36

RECEIPTS:

Total Assessments collected	\$8,325.60	
Membership fees	16.00	
Interest	1,799.70	
Net difference advance	6.90	
Receipts		10,148.20
TOTAL RECEIPTS		46,088.56

DISBURSEMENTS:

Operating expenses	\$1,776.63	
Total expenses	\$1,776.63	
Death benefits paid	8,500.00	
Membership fees	16.00	
Total Disbursements		10,292.63
BALANCE TO BE ACCOUNTED FOR		\$35,795.93

ASSETS:

Cash in bank	\$ 446.23	
Savings accounts	35,349.70	
Total Assets		\$35,795.93

LIABILITIES:

Advance assessments	\$1,907.90	
Death benefit unpaid	100.00	
Total liabilities		2,007.90

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