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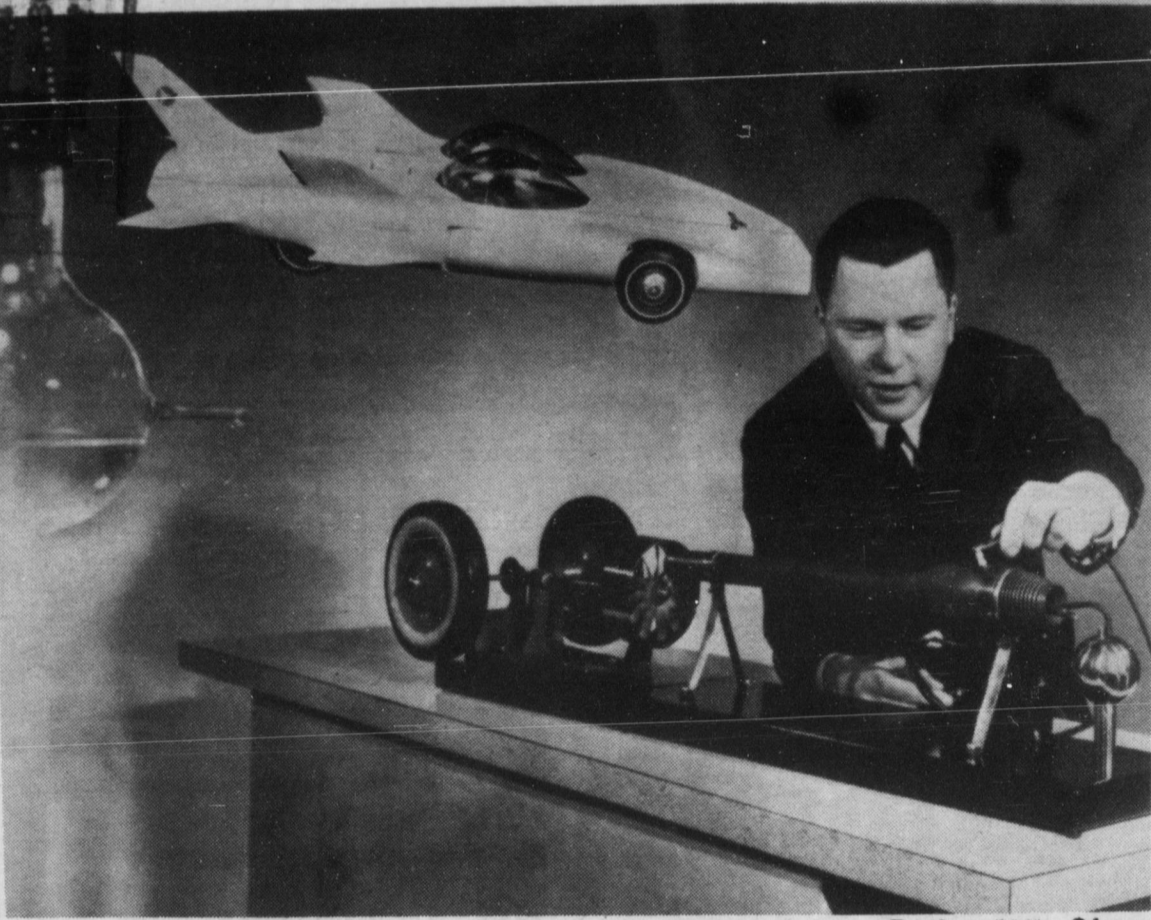
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Gas Turbine Power in Action Will Be Shown At East Yancey During GM's Show

Yancey United Fund Drive Now Started; Chairmen Encouraged By Early Response

A kick-off supper Monday night at the Amberjack opened the 1970 campaign of the Yancey United Fund. The drive to raise this year's budget goal of \$14,130 is now in full swing, with approximate-

ly a hundred volunteers participating.

President John Martin presided at the supper meeting at which campaign strategy was reviewed, and campaign material distributed--pledge cards,

workers' kits and posters.

The campaign co-chairmen Roy Ray and Ardeil Sink expressed themselves as encouraged by the early response already shown. With a minimum amount of pre-campaign solicitation, there are already nineteen names on the "Century Club" list, made up of those contributors who have given \$100 or more. This Century Club list is shown elsewhere in this issue of the Yancey Record, and will be added to as the campaign progresses.

Large, eye-catching thermometers are being erected at both ends of the Burnsville Town Square, which will record the drive progress. This early in the campaign it is difficult to tell just how things are going from day to day, and the red indicators on the thermometers may lag due to failure of reports to come in. The campaign committee urges volunteer workers to turn in reports promptly.

Century Club

Firms and individuals contributing \$100 or more to the Yancey United Fund in 1971 are as follows:

Ben Franklin Store
Burnsville Funn. & Hardware
Carolina Tire
Glen Raven Mill
Holcombe Bros. Funeral Home
Mohasco Mill
Northwestern Bank
Pollard's Drug Store

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Previews Of Progress Show To Appear At East Yancey

Local students will look into the future when General Motors "Previews of Progress" science show appears at East Yancey High School on Monday, September 27 at 10 a. m.

The non-commercial show, according to General Motors President Edward N. Cole, "seeks to inspire more student interest in science and engineering careers to provide the trained talent America needs to keep pace with the promise of the future."

Previews demonstrations depict work being done today in America's research laboratories and point out the contributions of research to modern living. A two-man team narrates the live show in non-technical language.

More than 30-million American students and adults have seen Previews since 1946. Millions more have seen the world-

famed GM show in Canada and 25 foreign countries, including special presentations made overseas at the request of the U. S. Department of Commerce.

Featured in the current show are several energy conversion demonstrations--gas turbine engines, fuel cells and solar cells. Fuel cells convert chemical energy into electrical power and solar cells change sunlight into usable energy.

Another sequence, based on information obtained over the years in GM automotive safety engineering tests, emphasizes the importance of wearing seat belts when driving or riding in an automobile.

In all, students will see nine research-in-action demonstrations.

Previews has received wide acclaim from educators and civic organizations for its efforts in encouraging more student interest in technical career opportunities.

Panthers Top Cane River

By Robert Howard

The East Yancey Panthers won their second game over the Rebels of Cane River.

The Rebels scored in the first quarter, but their two point conversion failed because of a strong Panther defense.

Darrell Boone of East Yancey was injured, so Coach Bennett put James Norris in Boone's place. Boone re-entered in the later part of the second half.

At halftime the score remained East Yancey 0, Cane River 6.

Boone and his strong offense scored in the third quarter to put East Yancey up with the Rebels, so Boone and his offense tried for the two point conversion which was successful.

The score remained 8 to 6 Panthers, all through the third and fourth quarters.

Go out and support the Panthers when they play Mars Hill at Mars Hill on Friday, 24th.

Tax News

The August 1971 report of local 1% Sales and Use Tax collections by county included the amount of \$8,748.32 collected by Yancey County during that month. The report was issued by I. L. Clayton, Commissioner.

Republican Meetings Set

Yancey County Republican Precinct Meetings will be held September 25th at 7:00 p. m. at the regular voting place in each precinct. The purpose of these meetings is to elect officers and delegates to the County Convention.

The County Convention will be held October 9th at 8:00 p. m. at the Yancey County Courthouse in Burnsville. The purpose of this meeting is to elect officers and delegates to the State Convention.

It is imperative that all Republicans attend these meetings.

Homemakers

The Brush Creek Extension Homemakers Club met Saturday evening, September 18, 1971, in the fellowship hall of Deyton Bend United Methodist Church. Members and their families enjoyed a picnic supper together.

Pancake Supper

A Pancake Supper will be held at Micaville Elementary School on September 25th, at 4:00 p. m. until 7, sponsored by the N. C. Radio Patrol.

Donation will be \$1.00 for "All You Can Eat!"



Photo By Hugh Morton

HONORARY GIRL SCOUT—Saturday, Sept. 25 will be a big day for Grandfather Mountain's Mildred the Bear when she becomes an Honorary Girl Scout as Girl Scout Day is observed at the famed mountain attraction. Mildred recently discussed the forthcoming honor with Patti Davis, a Senior Girl Scout. All Girl Scouts will be admitted free at Grandfather Mountain on Saturday, and all gate proceeds will be donated to the Pisgah Girl Scout Council.