

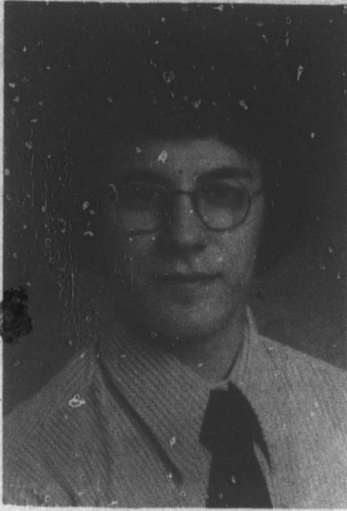
Scholars Receive Diplomas, Honors

Medals, prizes, scholarships and recognitions were given to a number of faculty and students at Mars Hill College during a recent honors day program held annually prior to commencement.

Two Burnsville high school seniors received \$300 President's Scholarships. They were Emie Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Howard, and Miss Sylvia Kay Ballew, daughter of Mrs. Florence Ballew of Route 5; both are students at East Yancey High School. Howard is interested in majoring in accounting, and Miss Ballew in drama.

Trustees' Scholarships were awarded to Mrs. Patricia Johnson Fender of Route 3, a rising senior home economics major; Miss Deborah Kay Higgins, rising sophomore English major and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Estel Higgins of Route 1; and Mrs. Patricia Parsley Styles of Route 1, a rising senior English major.

Maurice LaMonte Metcalf, rising senior chemistry major, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge D. Metcalf of Route 2 won the Carolina Biological Scholarship Award.



Samuel F. Anglin

Samuel Fred Anglin received the Associate in Arts degree at the graduation exercises at Lees-McRae College on Sunday, the 13th of May, 1973.

President H. C. Evans, Jr. and Academic Dean James E. Stoner conferred one hundred and twenty-four Associate in Arts and Associate in Science degrees at the 43rd Commencement-Convocation of Lees-McRae.

James E. Holshouse, Governor of North Carolina, delivered the commencement address at the graduation exercises.

Samuel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anglin of Burnsville.

Linda Deyton of Burnsville has received the Alice B. Warden Prize in Piano at Berry College. The award is given annually to the student who has done the best work in piano during the year.

Miss Deyton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Deyton, Burnsville, is a junior at Berry majoring in music education. She is a 1970 graduate of East Yancey High School.

Berry College's campus adjoins Rome, Ga. The college is coeducational, accredited and offers Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Music, Master of Education and Master of Business Administration degrees.



Linda Deyton

Mona Lisa Roy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Roy of Burnsville, is among the record 1,567 students at Appalachian State University who are candidates for 10 different graduate and undergraduate degrees. The degrees will be awarded at the 74th spring commencement of the University on Sunday, May 27.

Mona will receive her B. S. degree in English.

BOOK CORNER

By Mrs. Gladys Coletta

The Camerons, by Robert Crichton, 1972. Pp. 510. Alfred A. Knopf, Publisher, N.Y.

"We fail! But screw your courage to the sticking-place, and we'll not fail."--Shakespeare. Gillon Cameron knew that he would never be a Macbeth, fired by ambition to make his mark in the world, but he knew that it was within the range of the possible for his wife to be a Lady Macbeth. Thus, the author, Robert Crichton, summarizes the personalities of both the main characters in his new novel, *The Camerons*, which depicts their turbulent lives as they strive to rise above their poverty, economic plight and social fetters, which have almost engulfed them.

For many years Gillon Cameron tolerates his wife Maggie's ambition, as she rules the family with a rod of iron, pinching pennies and demanding a large part of their weekly wages for the money-box, which will finance a final get-away from the cruel coal-mining town of Pitmungo, Scotland. Never

once did Maggie learn to love and be loved in the pure joy of living, so obsessed was she in making money. Finally, the worm turns, and Maggie learns that she has to lose all, in order to gain all.

The novel is packed with drama, as one scene after another unfolds to tighten the grip on Gillon and the mighty decision he must make, which can endanger his life, his family, and his marriage. True to his convictions, Gillon abides by his faith in his fellow man, as he champions their cause of freedom, Maggie, hard as nails to the end, melts a little, but only after the death of her child, which opened her eyes to the fact that she had substituted ambition for love, in molding the lives of her seven children. She seeks forgiveness, and we feel that she will be given a second chance, as the family sets sail for America, to fulfill their long dream of finding "a land of the free and a home of the brave."

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Margaret Walker, Mrs. Edsel McCurry, Tipton's Store, Floy Whitson, Martha Turbyfill, Maxie Riddle, Mrs. Cordelia Riddle, Robinson's Grocery, Madge Harding, Lillie Robinson, Mrs. D. A. Robinson, Sherry Hughes, Cora Ray, Helen Buchanan, Dorothy Styles, Hattie Wyatt.

The bookmobile will be visiting the following persons or residences on the Arbuckle and Windom run in Yancey County on Thursday, May 31:

Mrs. A. C. Duncan, Mrs. Bill Young, Mrs. Gus Young, John Burleson, Ebby Wyatt, Clara Young, Ruth Hall, Mae McKinney, R. T. Ensley, Mrs.

Honor Students

Honor students of the eighth grade class of South Toe School are Patricia Simmons, valedictorian, and Ronnie Huskins and June Ballew, co-salutatorians. Awards are also being given as follows:

Best citizen--Juanita Harrison; History--Steve Robinson; Science--Randy Bartlett; English--Angela Robinson; Mathematics--Marc Vess; Most Athletic Girl--Patsy Pritchard and Most Athletic Boy--Paul Robinson.

Seventh grade marshals are Harriet Vess, chief, Scotty Westall, Sue Wilson, Wade Bidix, Teresa Bartlett and Chris Chrisawn.

Hemlock Hills Homcrafts To Open For New Season

Hemlock Hills Homcrafts located on Route 80, five miles south of Micaville, will open for the season Saturday, the 26th of May.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis S. Hastings, the proprietors, invite everyone to come and share the beginning of the first full season of this interesting shop. Refreshments will be served on opening day.

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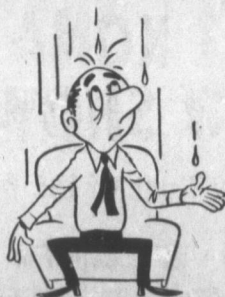
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