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"Painting in the Mountains" won unexpected recognition through a prize winning photograph of an artist on vacation here. A color photograph



Rev. Joe Parker

Parker Is Revivalist

The Rev. M. Joe Parker of Mooresville will be the guest preacher for special revival services being held for the Newdale United Methodist Charge, September 9-13. The services will be held at 7:30 each evening, Monday through Thursday, at the Windom United Methodist Church. Everyone is invited to attend.

A part of the Key '73 emphasis throughout the United States, the revival is being held in conjunction with a "Week of Proclamation" in the Asheville District of the United Methodist Church.

Rev. Parker is a native of Mooresville and is a graduate of Mitchell College in Statesville, Pfeiffer College in Misenheimer, and Candler School of Theology, Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia. He has served as director of Christian Education and Music and Boulevard United Methodist Church, Statesville and pastor of the South Lenoir and Mount Olivet United Methodist Churches, Lenoir. He is currently pastor of Vanderberg United Methodist Church, Mooresville.

Rev. Parker will also be providing special music for the services each evening.

(here reproduced in black and white) taken by Dorothy Hooks, a professional photographer of Smithfield, North Carolina at Ogle Meadows last summer won top honors in a N.C. State contest held in Raleigh in March.

In August the photo was accepted for hanging in the Masters Exhibition of Professional Photographers of America, a competition held in Denver, Colorado. Now, Everette Kivette of Painting in the Mountains has informed The Yancey Journal that the color print, entered in these shows, has just been chosen to be part of the Permanent Loan Collection of the Professional Photographers of America, an honor Dorothy Hooks, the student, considers "the absolute ultimate" hope of every professional photo-

grapher entering these competitions.

The original prize-winning 16 x 20 inch color print shows John Bryans, one of the instructors of "P.L.T.M." painting a watercolor on location on the mile high estate of Mr. and Mrs. L. Henry Reed Jr. The Reeds have often given permission to the members of the painting classes to paint on Ogle Meadows, an unusual and beautiful place located on Coxcomb Mountain here in Yancey County.

The Hooks photo of John Bryans won 1st place in the portrait division as well as being judged "best in the show" there.

The fall classes of "Painting in the Mountains" begin October 9th this year and run for 3 weeks during the color season.



Radio Patrol Gives Aid

The Yancey County Unit of the North Carolina Radio Patrol and Emergency Service was on stand-by over the three-day holiday weekend with free refreshments and information to the public and to welcome tourists. The unit has been busy with this work during the recent weeks and will continue with this service through the season.

Inflation Strikes Journal

Effective October 1 subscription rates for The Yancey Journal will be increased due to rising paper and printing costs. One year In-County subscriptions will be \$4.16 and Out-of-County subscriptions will be \$6.00.

If you subscribe now or renew your old subscription before October 1, you may take advantage of present subscription rates of \$3.12 In-County and \$5.00 Out-of-County.

Ledford Is UF Chairman

Hazen Ledford, manager of the Northwest Bank in Burnsville, has accepted the position of Campaign Chairman for the annual Yancey United Fund drive this fall.

Along with seventy-plus other counties and cities across the state Yancey County is organizing to conduct its nineteenth annual United Way drive. These many fund raising campaigns are held simultaneously during the fall, and the kick-off for the local drive is set for Saturday, September 15.

Directors of the local UF express themselves as particularly gratified by Ledford's acceptance of the leading role in the forthcoming campaign. Since his coming to Burnsville as head of the local bank his willingness to serve in the support of community activities has been noteworthy. He was recently appointed by the County Commissioners to serve as a director of Mayland Technical Institute.

In his role in the United Way campaign, Ledford will be assisted by a team of volunteer workers, now being organized. A preliminary meeting was held last Thursday in the Town Hall, attended by directors and friends of the UF to make the early plans for this year's campaign.

The budget committee of the UF will hold its meeting on Thursday, September 6 at 7:30 at the Town Hall to review the requests of the various agencies desiring to participate in the drive. Usually about a dozen agencies are included in the drive, whose activities within the county contribute to making the county a better place to live and raise a family. In addition, the budget committee usually allows about ten percent of the budget to the support of a group of agencies which contribute importantly to benefit citizens throughout the state.

By far the greater part of the funds raised are channeled into activities which benefit a broad cross-section of the county's people. It is a misconception, held by some people, that the funds largely go toward the more usual objects of charity—the poor and the unfortunate (although the budget does not entirely forget these needy people).

The UF directors would like to gain recognition for the fact that contributions are in the nature of an investment aimed at improving life in Yancey County, and that everybody stands to benefit. Recognition of the United Fund campaign in this light, the directors believe, should gain acceptance for the drive objective—that a once a year contribution of a half day's pay is a reasonable and fair donation.

Note Of Thanks

The members of the Newdale Fire Department would like to thank all those who helped to make their fund-raising dinner a success.

They would especially like to thank those who helped cook and who bought the fish and chicken dinners. They would like to apologize for not having enough food to serve everyone who came.



Hazen Ledford

Rev. Stafford Will Speak

The Reverend Garland R. Stafford, of Statesville, N.C., will be the Week of Proclamation speaker at Higgins Memorial United Methodist Church on the evenings of September 9, 10, 11, and 12, at 7:30 p.m.

The Reverend Mr. Stafford has an outstanding record of service in the Western North Carolina Conference and across the nation. He has majored in the work of the church in town and country and is widely recognized as one of the most eminent in this field. He has had varied service as pastor, executive director of town and country work in the Conference, and as Superintendent of the North Wilkesboro District. He retired in June of 1972 from the pastorate of New Salem and Cool Spring Churches in Iredell County.

He was Progressive Farmer Rural Minister of the year. He has served as National President of Methodist Rural Fellowship and is a Life member of the organization. He has actively promoted cooperative endeavors of the churches and communities. He was for years a volunteer fireman and was deeply involved in the total life of the communities which he served. He worked closely with Dr. W. D. Weatherford in publicizing and implementing concepts coming from the Appalachian Study backed by the Ford Foundation. He is in the front rank of those who have contributed most to the identity, esteem, and worth of the small churches of Methodism and the Church Universal.

The Week of Proclamation is a conference-wide evangelistic effort of the church as a part of the nationwide Key '73 emphasis. There will be an Asheville District Retreat, prayer services, and visitation, in preparation for the evening services in many churches during the week of September 9.

Fall Fertilizer Needs Cited For Forage Crop

By Woody Upchurch
Supplies are likely to be shorter and prices higher for the fertilizer North Carolina farmers need for their pastures this fall.

The problem comes at a time when a good fertilization program is needed to produce the relatively inexpensive grazing and hay crops to supplement more costly livestock feed-stuffs, which are short of total need. It's all tied in with another shortage—that of fuel. A shortage of the natural gas required in large amounts to produce nitrogen fertilizer is contributing to a reduced supply and rising cost of this essential plant food, explain North Carolina State University Extension forage crops specialists.

"In this situation, I would urge farmers to grow all the forages they can and to make the best possible use of their fertilizer," said S. H. Dobson, NCSU specialist.

"There seems to be little possibility that the cost of nitrogen will stop rising in the immediate future or that it will return to levels of recent years," he added.

MAY Tech Has Few Vacancies

The Director of Student Personnel at Mayland Technical Institute has announced that some vacancies exist for fall enrollment in the following courses offered at the Institute: Business Administration, Accounting, Secretarial-Executive, Legal, and Medical, Automotive Mechanics, Diesel Mechanics, Electrical Installation and Maintenance, and Light Construction.

Veterans who have not used all their educational assistance benefits may qualify for regular VA assistance in any of these courses providing they have 181 consecutive days of active service, any part of which occurred after January 31, 1955. A veteran must complete his program within eight years after discharge from active duty or within eight years after June 1, 1966, if he was discharged from active duty prior thereto. However, if a veteran enrolls in a farm cooperative, in apprentice, on-the-job training, or flight training, his program must be completed eight years after his discharge or eight years after August 31, 1967, if discharged prior thereto.

Yancey Health Dept.

Schedule for September

Sept. 4, Tues. Maternal Nurse Clinic, Miss Kingham 10:00-4:00
Sept. 5, Wed. Eye Clinic, Dr. Powell by appointment
Sept. 6, Thurs. Mental Health Clinic, Dr. Byron 10:00-3:30
Sept. 7, Fri. Mental Health, Mr. Hutchison 10:00-3:30
Sept. 11, Tues. Health Start, Dr. Pope by appointment
Sept. 13, Thurs. Family Planning, Dr. Webb 8:30-12:00
Sept. 14, Fri. Mental Health, Mr. Hutchison 10:00-3:30
Sept. 17, Mon. Child Health, Dr. Pope 12:00-3:30
Sept. 18, Tues. Maternal Nurse, Miss Kingham 1:00-4:00
Sept. 26, Wed. Orthopedic Clinic in Newland—Register by 11
Sept. 27, Thurs. Family Planning, Dr. Webb 8:30-12:00
General Clinic for Immunizations and other tests is held every Monday morning from 8:00 to 11:30 a.m.



Rev. Pete Rice

Evangelistic Services Here

Here is your chance to hear a young evangelist with a message for you!

Pete Rice leads an unusual, but never dull life. While growing up he traveled from coast to coast with his famous father, Dr. Bill Rice, in revival campaigns. During these travels he visited hundreds of cities, as well as most of the major scenic spots of America. It was not long before Pete had become accustomed to large crowds. It was while traveling with his parents that young Pete began to develop the character and talent to become one of America's outstanding young evangelists.

For many years now he has been in charge of the stock on the 1,500 acre Bill Rice Ranch in Murfreesboro, Tennessee. He breaks and trains many horses every year as well as branding the cows, fixing the fences, and the many other chores of a ranch hand.

The Bill Rice Ranch is the largest missionary work for the deaf in the world. It is also the South's largest independent campground. Pete considers this as much a part of his ministry as his evangelism. In fact he serves on the board of directors and devotes many months of every year entirely to the work of the Bill Rice Ranch.

After leaving Tennessee Temple College in Chattanooga, Tennessee, where he preached many weekend meetings, Rice began his evangelistic traveling in many states as well as Canada and the Bahamas.

Evangelist Pete Rice is an experienced, colorful, effective, and most important of all, a result-getting evangelist.

It has been said that Rice has an adult message with a teen-aged appeal. Actually his message is for the entire family. You will want to hear this man of God!

Pete Rice will bring his message in special evangelistic services at Faith Fellowship Baptist Church, Mitchell Branch, Burnsville from September 9th through September 16th from 7:00 p.m. The public is cordially invited to attend.



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OF THE WEEK

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