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## Voter Turnout Light For Primary; Unofficial Returns Show County Winners

Voter turnout in Yancey County was light on Tuesday, May 7, as citizens cast their ballots in the Democratic Primaries for U.S. and State Senate, Yancey County Commissioners, Clerk of Court, and Sheriff; and elected two members to the Yancey County Board of Education.

Robert Morgan won the Democratic Primary for U.S. Senate. For State Senate, Lamar Gudger and Robert Swain defeated I. C. Crawford in the Yancey County balloting.

Local winners in the Primaries were Bill Bailey for Clerk of Court who topped C. Wintz McIntosh with a tally of 1018 to 873 votes.

For Board Member-County Commissioners, Troy Boone and Frank Fox won with totals of 1112 and 1163 respectively. Arthur Proffitt trailed with 770.

In the Democratic Primary race for Yancey County Sheriff, R. B. Deyton won with 847 votes. Ben Lee Fox came close with 836; John Ollis received 190 votes and Jim Chandler received 84 votes.

The School Board candidates winning decisive approval from county voters, and who will fill the two vacancies as present terms expire, are Charles B. Gillespie, Jr. and Ronnie Burns, both of Burnsville. Unofficial

returns show that highest vote getter was Gillespie with 1569; followed by Burns with 1355. Jim Gardner, incumbent school board member seeking reelection, was next with 963 votes. Charles Hopson and Carolyn Yuziuk trailed with 643 and 364

votes respectively. Votes were tabulated quickly by midnight Tuesday, but actual figures are unofficial pending further tabulation. Approximately 1800 voters turned out in the Yancey County Primary election.

## Mohasco Modifies Name, Changes Top Management

Mohasco Corporation, which modified its name recently from Mohasco Industries, Inc., also made changes in its top management.

Herbert L. Shuttleworth, 2nd, 60, who has been president of

Inc., a predecessor of Mohasco. Mr. Landgraf joined the company in 1947 and has held various executive positions of increasing responsibility in engineering, manufacturing, marketing and general Management. He headed Mohasco's carpet operations as group vice president from 1967 to 1972 and was elected executive vice president and a director in August, 1972. He is a former board member of the Carpet and Rug Institute.

A native of Delhi, N.Y., Mr. Landgraf is a graduate of Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute. He earned a degree in metallurgical



HERBERT SHUTTLEWORTH 2nd



STANLEY LANDGRAF

the company and its predecessor since 1952, was elected chairman and chief executive officer. Stanley I. Landgraf, 48, executive vice president and a 27-year veteran with Mohasco, was elected president and chief operating officer. The company is one of the largest in the interior furnishings industry.

Mr. Landgraf is the first person not bearing the Shuttleworth name to assume the presidency since four Shuttleworth brothers, immigrants from England, founded a carpet mill in 1878 in Amsterdam, N.Y. with 14 second-hand looms. That company later became Mohawk Carpet Mills,

engineering in 1945, took time out for service in the U.S. Navy, then returned to RPI for a degree in management engineering.

Mr. Shuttleworth is a grand- (Cont'd on page 2)



Yancey Boy Scouts Leave For Jamboree

On May 3rd, forty Burnsville Boy Scouts left for the Council Jamboree near Hendersonville. The boys made their first trip in their newly acquired bus. There were 800 boys from Western North Carolina attending this Jamboree. Our boys competed their skills with 45 other troops. They competed in the physical fitness rally on Saturday morning. That afternoon they had demonstrations at a Skill-A-Rama. The National Guard worked with the Council on

setting up the Jamboree. One of the highlights of the day was the landing of an Army helicopter in the center of the area. Adults making the trip were Kenny Deyton and Doug Francis representing the Burnsville Explorers Troop; Clifford Peterson, Mike Griffin and Johnny McLain.

If any citizen would like to contribute toward the purchase of the bus for the Boy Scouts, it would be greatly appreciated. The boys are planning several projects to raise money for the bus.

## MHA Kickoff Dinner Set

The Yancey County Mental Health Association will kick off activities for May Mental Health Month with its annual meeting on Friday, May 10. The dinner meeting will be held at the First Presbyterian Church in Burnsville beginning at 6:30 p.m. Members of the Association and any others interested in the cause of Mental Health are urged to attend this meeting. The Yancey County Mental Health Association has had a full and busy year with the main emphasis being the establishment of the Adult Day Activities Program. Ms. Jeanne Myers, Director of the Blue Ridge Mental Health Center Post Hospitalization Program will be the guest speaker to help us understand the task confronting the Association as the growth of the Adult Day Activities Program is continued.

Reservations for the dinner meeting can be made by calling Mrs. Ruby Smith at 682-2134.

## Day Camp Registrations Are Due Now

Registrations for Girl Scout Day Camp will be accepted until May 13. Applications must be on time as the camp has to have enough registrations in order to plan and have the camp.

Camp fee is \$6.00-\$3.00 for children of staff members. This sum provides food, health care, program and sanitation supplies, insurance, and camp patch.

The program will be the Girl Scout Program in the out-of-doors for 4 days and 3 nights. Volunteers will be welcome. Please call your daughter's Troop Leader or Mrs. Jim Anglin, Neighborhood Chairman if you can help with the Day Camp.

## Community Events

South Toe P.T.A. will sponsor a Chicken Supper May 11 at South Toe School from 5:30 to 8:00 p.m. Adults \$2.00 and Children under 12, \$1.00. The menu includes chicken, cole slaw, green beans, rolls, dessert, coffee, tea and soft drinks.

Before dinner you can enjoy an Art Exhibit by Barbara Grennell including arts and crafts by people of South Toe Valley (glass blowing, cane bottom chair, split oak baskets).

Al Kunze, Mayland Technical Institute's Musician-In-Residence, will present two final concerts to the public this weekend. The program will range from favorites by Bach to music based on folk songs. Performances will be at the Spruce Pine Public Library, Friday, May 10, at 8:00 p.m. and the Avery County Library on Sunday, May 12, at 3:00 p.m. Admission will be free.

The State Board of Education approved a new curriculum for Mayland Technical Institute at a meeting here on Thursday, May 2. The curriculum is Cosmetology.

A horsemen's meeting is planned for Saturday afternoon, May 11, at 1:00 p.m. The meeting will be held at the Mt. Mitchell Bridle and Saddle Club Ring. The Ring is located near East Yancey School behind the Windom Baptist Church. An afternoon of grooming and showmanship tips are planned, along with some practical exercises and some practice. You may bring your horse if you wish. We will need some horses for illustration of different classes, etc. Please plan to attend this meeting if you are interested in the District Youth Horse Show.

The Newdale Community Club will meet at 4 o'clock Saturday, May 11 to work on the community grounds. If you are interested in having a place for our youth to play, bring a rake and join in the work. A covered dish supper will be served at 5 o'clock and a meeting held afterward.

The Burnsville Woman's Club will meet on Thursday, May 9, at 8:00 p.m. at the Community Building. Hostesses are Mrs. Joe Young, Mrs. Francis Muratori, and Mrs. B.R. Penland. Mrs. Mack Ray will be in charge of the Fashion Show program, with models participating from East Yancey and Cane River High Schools. The public is invited.

The final P.T.A. meeting of the year for Clearmont Elementary School will be held Monday, May 13, at 7:30 p.m. New officers will be elected and a financial report will be given. All interested persons are urged to attend.

The "Friendship Quartet" from Radio Station WKIN will be at the Covey Rock Free Will Baptist Church, Green Mountain, N.C. Sunday night, May 12, for a special Song and Communion Service, according to pastor, Rev. Holt Herrell. Everyone is cordially invited to attend this special service.

## Student Chosen For 12th N.C. Governor's School

James Patrick McQuade of Cane River High School, was one of the academically gifted and artistically talented students selected for the 12th session of the Governor's School of North Carolina. The list has recently been announced to school superintendents throughout the state. Students have been selected from every administrative unit and representatives from the private schools, federal school, Cherokee Indian Agency, and the N.C. School of the Arts for the experimental program financed by the state. All are rising juniors or seniors from secondary schools from throughout North Carolina.

The Governor's School is under the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction, Dr. A. Craig Phillips, State Superintendent, and Mr. Theodore R. Drain, Director of the Division for Exceptional Children. James L. Bray will serve as Resident Director.

The session will begin June 24 for a week of faculty orientation and will be held on the Salem College campus as in previous years. Students will arrive on June 30 and be in session until August 10.

## Mayland Tech In Conference

The faculties of Mayland Technical Institute and Isothermal Community College met April 29 in Spruce Pine for their third conference. The objective of the meeting was to inform Isothermal Community College concerning the recent progress of the newly formed faculty organization at Mayland Technical Institute and to exchange ideas for improving instruction.

Don Baucom, Director of Instruction at Mayland Tech, and Dr. Edward Donovan, Dean of Instruction at Isothermal Community College, decided in the fall of '73 to have both institution faculties meet in Boone at the Center for Continuing Education for a three-day workshop. The conference of the faculties of the two institutions was an innovative approach to involving faculty in an institutional decision making. On February 1, the Mayland Tech faculty visited Isothermal Community College. The groups exchanged information concerning Faculty organization and the implementation of the objectives set at the Boone conference.

## OE Fair Set In Asheville

There will be an occupational education fair in the Asheville Mall Friday, May 10 at noon until Saturday, May 11 at 6:00 p.m. There will be an exhibit prepared by Yancey high school students, as well as by high school students from each of the other school units in the western region. The local director/planner of occupational education in Yancey County, D. Harold Bennett, is the sponsor for his school unit's exhibit.



## Clean Sweep Campaign Begins

Yancey County Clean Sweep efforts for the month of May got underway recently with an enthusiastic planning meeting by county leaders interested in a more beautiful county. Clean Sweep is a project of Keep North Carolina Beautiful—a state-wide effort to reduce "eye pollution". Mrs. Eloise Briggs is serving as Yancey's Beautification Coordinator. Mrs. Harmie Briggs, Mrs. Gertrude Ramsay and Mr. Romie Burns as beautification committee. At the kick-off meeting county leaders discussed ways and means of coordinating efforts to CLEAN SWEEP all of Yancey County with the involvement of a wide segment of county people all doing their part.



## Micaville Olympics Team Wins

The Special Olympics Team of Micaville Elementary School went to Appalachian State University the 26th of April to participate in the Regional Olympics. There are 15 members on the team: James Parker, Scotty Jarrett, James Letterman, Jesse Bailey, Larry Bailey, Charles King, Martha McMahan, Georgia Gortney, Patricia Gortney, Richard Silvers, Darrell Woody, Rickey Forbes, Kenneth Letterman, Jimmy Chrisawn, and Nicky Hilliard. They took part in swimming, the broad jump, the 50-yard dash, the 225 yard dash, the 440 yard relay and the softball throw. They won a total of 20 ribbons and seven certificates. This entitles them to participate in the State Olympics which will be held in Raleigh the 17th through the 19th of May. These Special Olympics events are sponsored by the Kennedy Foundation.



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