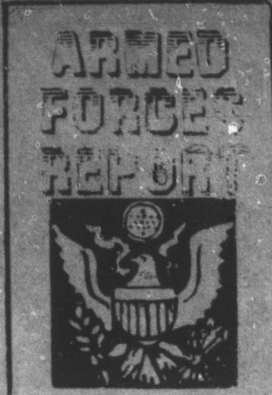


Armed Forces Report



Ronald K. Carroll, 20, son of Mrs. Mary Carroll of Route 5, Burnsville, was promoted to Army Specialist Four on March 30 while serving as a cannoneer in Battery B, 1st Battalion, 21st Field Artillery of the 1st Cavalry Division at Ft. Hood, Texas.

He entered the Army in January 1975, completed basic training at Ft. Polk, La., and was last stationed at Ft. Sill, Okla.

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Army Staff Sergeant William A. Edwards, whose wife, Modean, lives on Route 1, Green Mountain, N.C., received the Bronze Star Medal March 29 in Bamberg, Germany. Sgt. Edwards earned the award for meritorious service during the Vietnam war.

He is a 1961 graduate of Bowman High School, Bakersville, N.C.

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SSgt Skip Paradine, local Marine recruiter, announced today that one of our local men has just been accepted into this country's finest and most prestigious military organization, the United States Marine Corps. Robert Howard, a 1973 graduate of East Yancey High School, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur G. Howard of Blue Rock Road in Yancey County. Robert was

enlisted into the Corps on April 19 and is scheduled to report for recruit training on August 17. He joined the Marine Corps utilizing the special 180 day delay program which enables him to complete his summer plans and



Robert Howard

attend training in the fall. Time spent in this program also counts for Robert for pay and promotional purposes.

The Marine Corps has a proud tradition of outstanding service to our country in peace and in war. Robert's enlistment is a demonstration of the American qualities of patriotism and loyalty. In this Bicentennial year, Americans all over the country are reaffirming their oath of allegiance and Marines like Robert are the people who are going to help make sure that this country remains the symbol of freedom for the entire world.

SSgt Paradine also stated that the Marines are now accepting other applications for enlistment. For information call 1-800-423-2600 toll free.

Note Of Thanks

We would like to thank everyone involved in making the benefit singing possible for us. We would especially like to thank the Peterson Chapel Church and their pastor. Also we are very grateful to the many individuals who helped us both financially and spiritually during Bill's sickness.

-Bill Arrowood and Family.



Making Garden Plans

Mrs. Faye Storie, Nutrition Aide from the Agricultural Extension Service, is shown with Juanita, John and Mark Harrison in a busy planning session for this year's Youth "Vege-Tritton" Garden.

Student On Dean's List

Janice G. Hunter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hunter of Burnsville, has merited the Dean's List at Berry College, near Rome, Ga., for winter quarter. She

achieved the academic honor by attaining a 4.0 (straight A) average. She is among 245 students to be named to the Dean's List this quarter.

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Andrews, Dorsett Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Scarborough Andrews of Asheville, N.C. announce the engagement of their daughter, Debra Lucille, to William Raymond Dorsett, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Junior Dorsett of Randleman.

Miss Andrews is a graduate of Asheville High School and the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill where she was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority. She is a sixth-grade teacher at Randleman Middle School.

Mr. Dorsett is a graduate of Randleman High School and North Carolina State University. He is Soil Conservationist for Yancey County.

The wedding is planned for 3:00 p.m. June 20 at First United Methodist Church, Asheville, N.C.

Celebrates 4th Birthday

Jennifer Lynn Jones celebrated her fourth birthday Sunday, April 25 at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip M. Jones. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Milton Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dulaney, all of Burnsville.



Kim Wilson



Jennifer Jones

Celebrates 3rd Birthday

Kimberly Dawn Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer L. Wilson of Kinross, N.C. celebrates her third birthday on April 29. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vess of Marion, N.C. and Mr. and Mrs. Odie Wilson of Route 3, Burnsville. She is the great granddaughter of Mrs. Della Chrisawn of South Toe.

Kimberly celebrated her birthday and Easter in the home of her grandparents, the Wilsons, April 18 along with other relatives and her great grandmother. She received many gifts and enjoyed cake and refreshment. A good time was enjoyed by all.

Celebrates 9th Birthday

Sharon Dianne Hughes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Hughes, celebrated her 9th birthday April 15 with an Easter Bunny Cake and refreshments with her classmates a of Miss Whitson's 3rd grade at Micaville School.

On the 17th, she celebrated with her family at the Ice Cream Dipper. Her beautiful cake was provided by her grandfather, Mr. Fred McIntosh. She is the granddaughter of Fred and Dorothy McIntosh of Burnsville and Mrs. Pearl Hughes of Relief, N.C. A good time was had by all.

Thoughts On Garden Planning

BY FAYE STORIE
Ext. Nutritional Program Aide

Now is the time to begin our gardens, and the place to begin is with a well-thought plan. Careful planning will lessen the work of gardening, and increase the returns.

The first consideration should be to group crops according to the space they require. Lettuce, radishes, betts, etc. which require little space, should be grouped together. Beans, corn, potatoes, etc. which need lots of room, should be in a separate area.

Another consideration is the type of equipment which will be used. A garden which is to be worked with hand tools may be planted much closer than one which is to be worked with power equipment.

Tall growing crops should be planted where they will not shade crops which require full sun. Such natural features as slope of the land, nearness of trees, and the direction of rows will govern the location of different crops.

A little advance work in planning out a garden will result in increased enjoyment and higher yields.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

MAY 3-7

Monday
Vegetable Beef Soup
Saltines
Peanut Butter, Jelly Sandwich
Orange Juice
Peanut Butter-Raisin Cookie
Milk

Tuesday
Meatloaf
Creamed Potatoes
Peas and Carrots
Applesauce
Cookie
Biscuit
Milk

Wednesday
Fish Square w/cheese on Bun w/tartar sauce
French Fries w/catsup
Carrot Cabbage Slaw
Peanut Butter Cake w/PB Icing
Milk

Thursday
Sloppy Joe on Bun
Baked Potato in Jacket
Tossed Salad w/dressing
Peanut Butter Cookie
Milk

Friday
Spaghetti w/meat sauce and cheese
Whole Kernel Corn
Cherry Cobbler
Roll
Milk

Jim Hunter Chosen For Governor's School

Jimmy Hunter, a 16-year-old junior at McDowell High School, has been selected to the Governor's School of North Carolina next summer. Jimmy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hunter of Route 4, Marion. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hunter of Route 2, Green Mountain and Mrs. Myrtle Peterson of Burnsville.

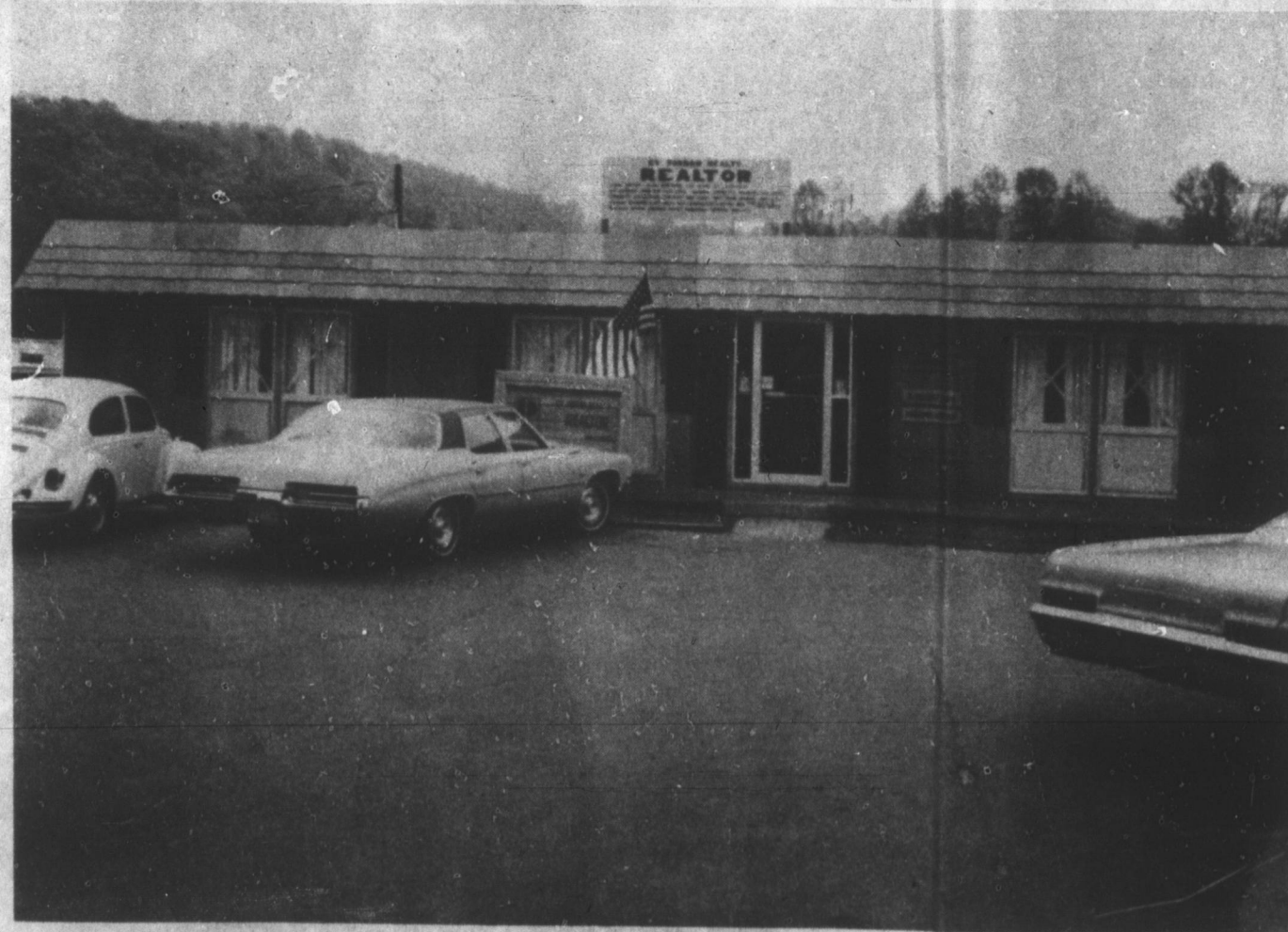
He is one of 400 gifted students across North Carolina chosen to attend the special residential program at Salem College in Winston Salem for six weeks beginning July 5, 1976. Jimmy's subject of emphasis is mathematics, and he was selected on the basis of his outstanding academic record.

Note Of Thanks

We would like to express our deepest gratitude to friends and neighbors who visited the hospital, sent flowers and food donations during the recent death of J. Ray Bailey. Special thanks to Dr. Webb and the staff at Yancey Hospital, to Rev. Junior Honeycutt, and Rev. Frank Phillips. Also to Holcombe Brothers Funeral Home.

-The J. Ray Bailey family.

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