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First Birthday

Michael Farrell Tipton celebrated his first birthday September 14. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Farrell Tipton of Green Mountain. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gus Tipton and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tipton of Jacks Creek.



Michael Tipton



Tamara Elkins

First Birthday

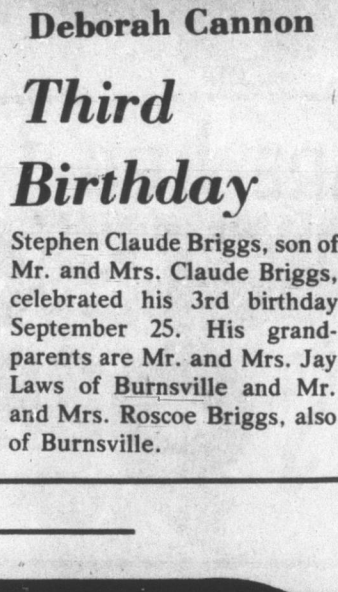
Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Elkins are the proud parents of Tamara Darlene who celebrated her first birthday on Friday, September 24. Tammy received several gifts from friends. She is the granddaughter of Rev. and Mrs. Howard Wilson of Micaville and Mr. and Mrs. Baccus Elkins of Burnsville.



Brandy Hemphill

Fourth Birthday

Deborah Kay Cannon celebrated her 4th birthday on Sunday, September 19, with a party at her home. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ford Cannon of Route 4, Burnsville and the granddaughter of Mrs. Lula Street of Route 4, Burnsville.



Deborah Cannon



Aimee McCurry

Sixth Birthday

Brandy Kay Hemphill, a first grade student at Bald Creek Elementary School, celebrated her 6th birthday on Wednesday, September 22. Brandy is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Roger Hemphill of Burnsville.



Stephen Briggs

Third Birthday

Stephen Claude Briggs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Briggs, celebrated his 3rd birthday September 25. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jay Laws of Burnsville and Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Briggs, also of Burnsville.

Bald Creek Students Write Their News

Some students at Bald Creek Elementary School are writing their own 'weekly Reader' and enjoying the experience. Editors of the **We Can Reader** are Jerry Edwards, Ricky Laws, and Rebecca Shepherd, under the guidance of Miss Bennett, their teacher. The subjects are varied and written, children style, with attention to what they consider most important; but when the paper is printed, they learn from reading their own stories how to submit a better story next week.

Following are a few articles from the **We Can Reader**:

VACATION

By Carolyn Shepherd

I went to Carowinds for my vacation. I rode rides and saw shows. We camped out for two weeks. We went to sleep at 11:00 p.m. and got up at 8:45 a.m. We rode more rides. The roll-a-coaster was the best ride. And you do get wet on the water log!

TRIP TO FRONTIERLAND

By Jerry Edwards

The Pleasant Valley Church went to Frontierland on June 17, 1976. We rode the train. Then we rode the bumper cars. Then we rode the blue slide. We stayed from 10:00 in the morning until 5:00 in the afternoon. We all had a picnic.

Flea Market

The Burnsville Woman's Club will hold a Flea Market on Saturday, October 9, in the lot across from Glen Raven Mills. There will be home baked and canned foods, clothing, and household furnishings and other flea market items. It will open at 9:00 a.m.

VACATION IN FLORIDA

By Rebecca Shepherd

I went to Florida on my vacation and I had a nice trip. Then I went to Disney World. I had fun there, too. I went to Sea World and I rode the bumper cars. I also went to Carowinds. I got on the Water Log. My family went also.

BLUE

By Veronica Abight

Blue is the sky, My father's tie, The sea, the ocean, A bluebird in motion.

WORKING IN TOBACCO

By Ricky Laws

I stayed out of school and worked in tobacco and I suckered tobacco and carried sticks. It is our family's tobacco and we finished it.

District II Meeting Slated

The fall meeting of District II of the General Federation of Women's Clubs will be held on Saturday, October 2, at the Swiss Chalet, Little Switzerland. Mrs. James W. Johnson, State President from Thomasville, and Mrs. L. Murrie Lee, Third Vice-President from Wilmington, will attend and act as guest speakers.

The members will gather at 9:30 a.m. for the coffee hour, presided over by the Burnsville Woman's Club. The meeting will follow at 10:30 a.m. in Geneva Hall. Co-hosts for the occasion are the Burnsville Woman's Club and both Spruce Pine Women's Clubs. Luncheon at The Chalet will conclude the meeting.

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