



Band Is Led By Majorettes And Drum Majors; Mrs. Mauney On Left



Flutes And Clarinets Carry The Tune



Drums And Bass Section Bring Up The Rear

## Mountain Heritage Marching Band:

# Here They Come!

The Mountain Heritage Marching Band, in full uniform, paraded down Main Street, Burnsville, to launch carnival festivities for the Loaves and Fishes Campaign last Saturday. The green and white clad marchers were a source of pride to everyone in town that day who saw them and heard them play. Approximately \$2,000 was raised through the various activities that were a part of

the Carnival, held October 30 and again on November 6. The campaign was sponsored by the Yancey County Committee on Aging to raise money for a meals-on-wheels program for the elderly of the county, scheduled to go into operation around Thanksgiving. The Committee would like to express appreciation to the many persons who supported the carnival and contributed

in various ways. The following are just some of those who helped: The Northwestern Bank for use of their parking lot; Yancey County Country Store for use of facilities and other help; auctioneers, Vernon Passmore and Mr. and Mrs. James Buchanan; Troxell's Trout Farm; WAMY Community Action; Mayor Helmle; Ibbie Cannon and the Radio Patrol; First Baptist Church; Ronnie Hullett,

Woodrow Howell, Joe Tucker, Mrs. Lisa Mauney who directed the Mountain Heritage Band and the band itself; Newdale Fire Department and the Burnsville Police Department—all assisted with the parade; the Yancey Journal and Radio Station WKYK for publicity; all donors of cakes and items used in the auction; and many others who helped in the Loaves and Fishes Campaign.

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## New Building Ordinance

On November 1, 1976 the Yancey County Board of Commissioners passed an ordinance requiring that a

building permit be required for any construction, reconstruction, alteration, repair, removal, or demolition that

the total cost exceeds five hundred dollars (\$500) in a twelve month period. The permits will be issued by the Tax supervisor's office. The fees charged will be \$1.00 per thousand of the total estimated cost for values over \$5,000. No fee charged for buildings valued under the amount of \$5,000. This ordinance will affect only new construction begun on January 1, 1977 and thereafter.

vehicles who list such vehicles during the regular listing period of January of each year. These stickers will be placed in the area near the front hitch of trailer or mobile home. No fee will be charged for these stickers. Owners of mobile homes or similar vehicles who fail to list such vehicles or trailers shall be charged with discovered tax and late listing penalty of 10% of the total tax.

Also the County Commissioners ordained that the tax supervisor issue numbered stickers to owners of mobile homes or similar

The purpose for the new ordinances is to insure that all new buildings and that all mobile homes or similar vehicles are properly listed for taxation.

## Official County Election Returns

Official Yancey County election returns, with 11 of 11 precincts reporting were as follows:

Crawford 3,890, Swain 3,921; (R) Krause 2,553, Smith 2,572; 41st House District: (D) Morris 3,922, (R) McKinney 2,571.

**COUNTY CONTESTS**  
Chairman, County Board: (D) Carl Carter 3,938, (R) Robert L. Rhinehart 2676; Commissioner (2): (D) Alton Robinson 3,936, Clay Miller 3,861; (SR) Walter Edwards 2,729, K.L. Letterman 2,624; Register of Deeds: (D) Grace Ayers 4,045, Soil-water supervisor: Edward Yuziuk 3,504.  
**LEGISLATIVE**  
26th Senate Dist. (2): (D)

**PRESIDENT**  
(D) Carter 3,932, (R) Ford 2,688, (Am) Anderson 9, (Lab) LaRouche 4, (Lib) MacBride 6.  
**CONGRESS**  
11th District (D) Gudger 3,640, (R) Briggs 2,929, (Am) Underwood 20.  
**GOVERNOR**  
(D) Hunt 4,170, (R) Flaherty 2,495, (Am) Seawell 2, (Lib) Andrews 5.

## One-Car Accident

A one-car accident occurring at 5:15 p.m. on Friday, November 5, involved Ezekiel Banks, 52, of Route 6, Bolen's Creek.

**LT. GOVERNOR**  
(D) Green 4,077, (R) Hiatt 2,557, (Am) Pettyjohn 6.  
**DISTRICT COURT JUDGE**  
24th Dist. (2): (R) Braswell 2,716, Lacey 2,674.

Banks was driving a 1973 GMC truck south on NC 197 about 8½ miles out of Burnsville when he ran off the right side of the road and was unable to bring the vehicle back onto the road. He went off an embankment and struck a tree. He had apparently been traveling at a moderate speed. Trooper W.J. Stallings investigated the accident. Damage to the truck was estimated at \$1,000; other damage was \$200 to a utility pole.

## Turkey Shoot Set

The Pensacola School P.T.A. will have a turkey shoot on Saturday, November 13, at Pensacola School from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. All proceeds will go for school improvements. Come on up and get that Thanksgiving Turkey.

**Devotion**  
Dial-A-Devotion is now operating 24 hours a day with a new message every day. The phone number is 682-7500.

## Local Girl Wins Crown And Title

Tonya Allen became North Carolina's Petite Miss 1976-77 last Saturday night, November 6, in the Third Annual North Carolina State Beauty and Talent Pageant held at French Broad Junior High School in Asheville.

Junior Beta Club and Student Council there. In the competition, which was open to any girl living in North Carolina, judging was based on beauty, poise and personality projection. Tonya competed with eleven other girls in the 10-13 age division to win the crown and title. She will be representing North Carolina in the National Pageant in 1977 in Louisville, Kentucky.



Tonya Allen Crowned

## Julia And Harry Abrahamson: Named Acting Directors

Julia and Harry Abrahamson, who first worked for the American Friends Service Committee over 30 years ago, have been named Acting Directors of Quaker International Seminars in Southeast Asia, based in Singapore. They have been active in several Quaker projects in Asia and Africa through the years.

Southeast Asia. Julia and Harry Abrahamson's immediate task in their 4-month assignment is to carry out plans for an international seminar to be held in Southeast Asia in January on "Village Asia, 1990." This will be an attempt to project the long-term effects of present pressures on rural life and to consider ways of improving the prospects for villagers.

Harry and Julia Abrahamson first worked for the AFSC in 1945 where they served in a famine relief and rehabilitation project in India. They also have worked for the Quaker organization in East Pakistan/Bangladesh and in Zambia, where they were consultants to the government and to UNICEF for program development in upgrading squatter housing. They were directors of the AFSC Baroda (India) Community Development Project from 1964 to 1967.

Julia Abrahamson helped investigate famine conditions in India in 1967 and both were staff writers on the AFSC book "Who Shall Live," in 1968 and 1969. Harry Abrahamson has been President and General Manager of Celco Laboratories, Inc., Burnsville, N.C. Julia Abrahamson at one time was Executive Director of the Hyde Park-Kenwood Community Conference, Chicago. She is the author of the book "A Neighborhood Finds Itself," a basic work in community organization.



H.W.L.O. OF THE WEEK  
YANCEY COUNTY COUNTRY STORE  
H1-50  
L0-58

The couple from Route 5, Burnsville, succeeds Mary and David Stickney of Lake Forest, Ill. Successors for a full two-year term will be named later. "The basic issues being addressed in the seminars," said Stephen Thiermann, Co-Secretary of the AFSC's International Division, "are those of peace and human justice. This is in the context of countries concerned for internal development and enhanced regional economic cooperation. The goals of the program are to encourage confidence of people in their capacities for self-help, self-reliance and nonviolent social change.

The AFSC, a co-recipient

of the Nobel Peace Prize in 1947, seeks peaceful solutions to numerous problems and confrontations in the world. The AFSC is nearing its 60th anniversary.

## 75% Voter Turnout

More than 75% of the Registered Voters in Yancey County turned out on election day, November 2, to vote for the candidates of their choice. Shown below is the number of registered voters in each precinct, by party, and the number from each precinct who voted. Included in the total number voting are the 315 absentee ballots cast in this election. Also, two people are registered "American Party" which is not on this list. Yancey County can be proud of the voter turnout on election day, which far exceeded the national average of 55%.

Precinct	Dem.	Rep.	Indep.	No Party	Total Reg.	# Voting	Percent
Burnsville	1358	778	108	23	2267	1644	72.5%
Cane River	469	242	4	2	719	530	73.7%
Egypt	274	195	23	4	496	358	72.2%
Ramsaytown	278	208	15		501	367	73.3%
Green Mountain	318	121	4	1	444	364	82.0%
Jack's Creek	493	137	14		644	510	78.0%
Brush Creek	168	76	0	1	245	207	84.5%
Crabtree	1009	684	32	25	1750	1347	77.0%
South Toe	600	391	35	17	1043	754	72.3%
Pensacola	104	233	6	1	344	261	75.8%
Prices Creek	329	273	12	2	616	463	75.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>5400</b>	<b>3338</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>9069</b>	<b>6821</b>	<b>75.2%</b>