

## Winner Of Contest At Cane River

Pam Penland is this year's winner of the Cane River Jr. Beta Club Spelling Contest. Each spelling class entered two finalists. This group of 24 winners faced a spell-down in front of the entire student body. Sixth, seventh and eighth graders competed together with all three grades represented down to the final ten. But Pam held out to be the champion of champions.

The trophy will be hers after Presentation Day at Cane River Middle School.

Pam Penland



## Student Government Officers

Mountain Heritage Student Body elected new Student Government Officers on May 13. Their new president is Kim Aldridge who campaigned with hopes of getting more cooperation from students and faculty members. She is planning to put forth and accomplish positive new ideas. Kim feels she'll be working with the students as individuals and getting their ideas put into action. Sue Wilson was elected Vice President. She campaigned to help the President in any way possible. Kim Bradley, an uprising junior, was elected to the position of Secretary. She is planning to help the student body to get their ideas across, and will put forth her greatest effort in this aim. David Perkins was chosen Treasurer. He feels that he could be relied upon to honestly handle the money entrusted to him. The new Student Council members were elected May 20. The sponsors for this group are Mrs. Zuver, Miss Elaine Ray and Mr. Cox. The students are anticipating an outstanding year next year and these new officers are willing to do everything possible to see that it is successful. Pictured left to right are Kim Aldridge, Sue Wilson, Kim Bradley and David Perkins.

## NCSU Honors High Achievers

North Carolina State University honored 154 students from 56 North Carolina counties Saturday, May 14, at the University's 88th annual commencement in Reynolds Coliseum.

The North Carolina students were among those recognized for superior scholastic achievement and leadership. Their names and

honors were listed in a special section of the commencement program.

In Yancey County, the students, their fields of study, awards, parents and addresses are:

John R. Blair, civil engineering, American Society for Testing and Materials Student Award, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Blair, Route 1, Green Mountain.

# Grads Get Awards

Medals, prizes, scholarships, and individual recognitions were awarded to a number of students and faculty at Mars Hill College during the school's Honors Day program Wednesday, May 4. Nearly 270 students were singled out for recognition. This included 112 recipients of the President's and Dean's Scholarships, 27 students named to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities, 16 college marshalls, 33 Alpha Chi National Honor Scholarship Society, and other students

who were awarded various medals, certificates, and awards.

Yancey County students honored in this ceremony were as follows:

Janelle H. Boone, sophomore, Music-Brass; Percussion. The Mildred Loraine Bingham Scholarship.

Barbara Ella Buckner, freshman, Elementary Education (BA), College Marshall.

Charles David Dulaney, sophomore, Chemistry. The Dean's Scholarship, Department of Chemistry Vernon E. Wood Scholarship Award and

College Marshall. Charles is the son of Mr. Lee Dulaney.



Warren C. Webb of Burnsville was one of more than 100 students and faculty members at Western Carolina University to be honored at WCU's annual awards night program.

Webb received the Political Science Outstanding Graduate Award. A 1972 graduate of East Yancey High School, Webb is a dean's list student and has served as a

superior court justice in WCU's student government association. He is also a member of the WCU Chess Club.

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## Dean's List Students At ASU

A total of 1,467 students earned spring semester academic honors and have been placed on the dean's list at Appalachian State University. Among them were Joel Eric Biggerstaff of Burnsville, a junior; and Mitzie Renee Lawhern of Burnsville, a junior.

To qualify for the honor, a student must maintain a 3.20 average on at least 12 semester hours of work with no grade below a C.

## Honored At Luncheon

Joel Eric Biggerstaff of Burnsville, a sophomore at Appalachian State University, was recognized among the top ten students in the sophomore class during the recent Honors Luncheon on the campus. The award is presented to the students with the top ten academic averages in their class.

Joel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Biggerstaff of Burnsville.

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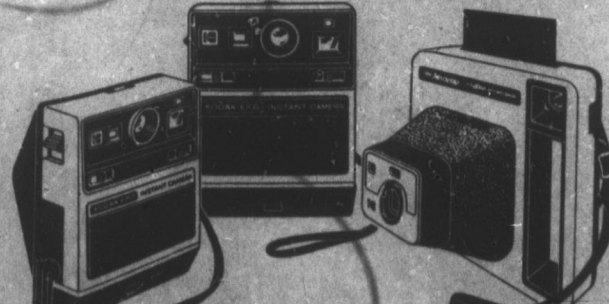
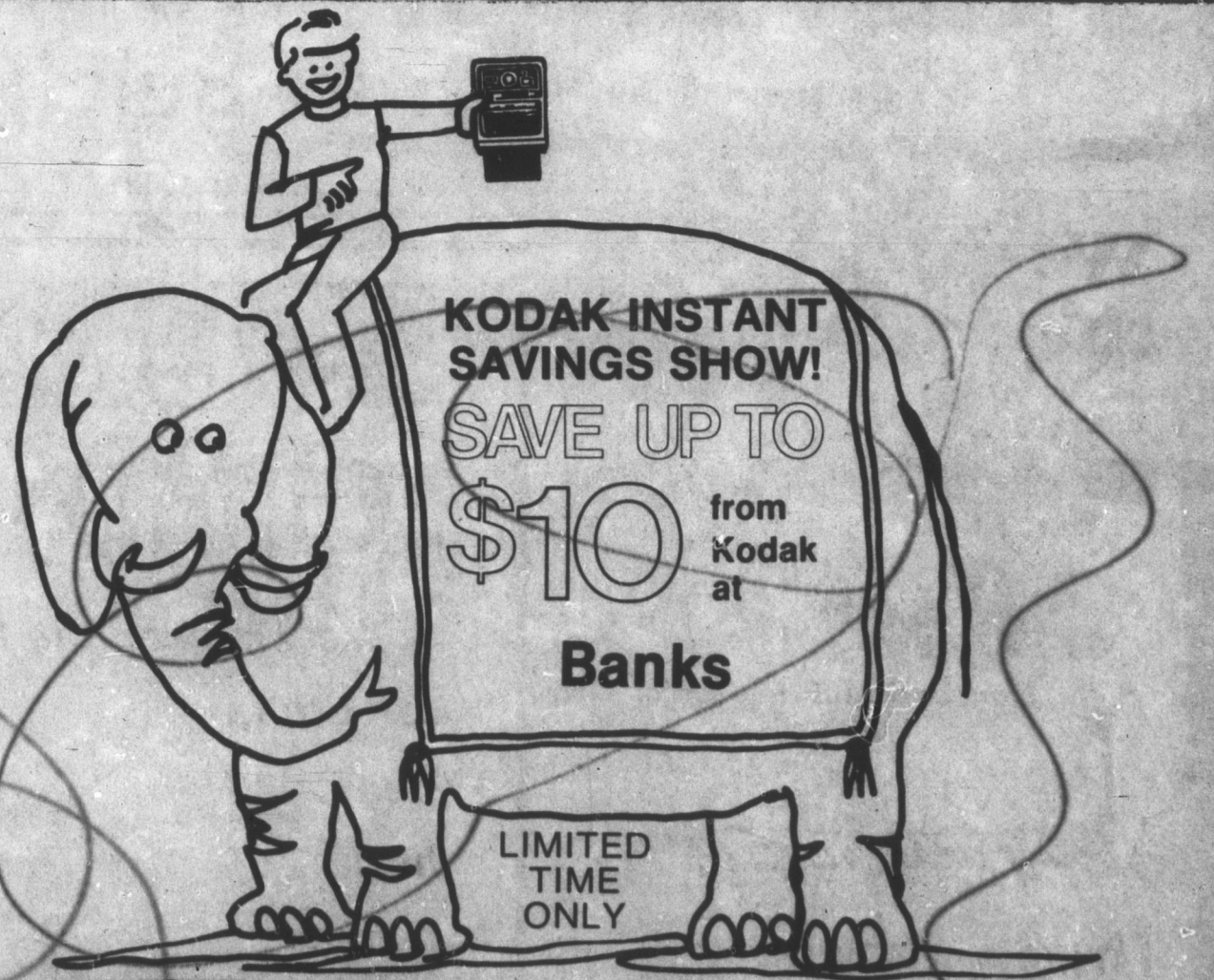
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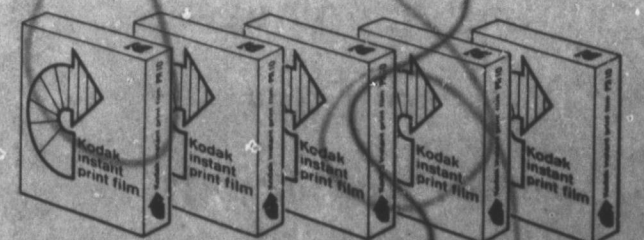
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