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The truck above is loaded with 475 bushels of red peppers from Sidney Penland and Bee Anderson's pepper patch in the Shooting Creek section of Clay County. Penland and Anderson had 3 acres of green peppers and sold one thousand, seven hundred bushels at the Franklin and Hendersonville markets. They have 3 acres of red peppers and have sold to date fifty two thousand pounds at the Blairsville market.

Antarctic Service Medal Awarded To John Shelton

HAYESVILLE - John A. Shelton son of Mr. and Mrs. David Shelton of Hayesville, has been awarded the Antarctic Service Medal at National Weather Records Center. Mr. Shelton, meteorological technician in the Climatic Analysis Section and leader of the Data Preparation Unit served in the South Pole from Sept. 1963 to March of 1964.

Congress recently took note of the service of Shelton and another man, Raymond L. Whitney and other former Polar Operations Project employees and authorized medals for them.

Dr. Robert M. White, chief of the Weather Bureau sent letters and medals to these two men.

"We are just proud of the efforts of those Weather Bureau members who played such an important role in the success of the national and international programs in Antarctica over the past decade," Dr. White said.

"The Congress of the United States has authorized the striking of the Antarctic Service Medal to signify our national appreciation to those who participated in this demanding venture at the bottom of the world . . .

"It is a great pleasure and privilege to present to you this symbol of gratitude of your country for the marked contributions you have made to U. S. expeditions in Antarctica" Dr. White said in separate letters to these two men.

Approximately 200 men from 12 nations participate in the meteorological programs at the South Pole according to Shelton and Whitney.

While it is summer here, the deep freeze region down under is at its coldest, they report. Coldest months are June, July and August. Average temperatures during this time are 20 below zero. Clocks as well as calendars are necessary to keep up with the day of the week since the sun shines 24 hours a day in summer and the darkness is continuous in the winter. Shelton has been with the Weather Bureau for several years and has traveled widely to gather weather information.



John A. Shelton

J. T. Alexander Receives Degree

HAYESVILLE - James Thomas Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Alexander, and a graduate of Hayesville High School, received his B.S. Degree from Western Carolina College in Business Administration at the end of spring quarter where he was active in Delta Sigma Phi Fraternity, the Young Democrats Club, Society for Advancement of Management of the student senate, Mens House Government and was dormitory counselor for two quarters.

He is now a member of the North Carolina National Guard and is taking his basic military training at Lackland AFB Texas for six weeks. September 10 he will go to Pope Air Force Base, N. C. for on the job training where he will be until November 28.

4-H News

HAYESVILLE - The August County Council met at 10:00 a.m. Saturday morning, Aug. 21, at the Assembly Room.

There were six members of the council present. Sara Mease, vice-president was presiding officer.

Plans for a square dance sponsored by the County Council were discussed. It was decided that the dance would be held at the VFW Hut on Saturday, September 18, from 8:00 p.m. until 11:00 p.m.

Clay Man New Bank Director

Hugh Anderson, Asheboro Attorney and son of the late Early Anderson and Mrs. Anderson of Hayesville has been appointed by the 1st National Bank board of directors to succeed the late A. I. Ferree. Anderson becomes one of the nine directors of this bank.

Anderson is a native of Clay County and brother of the late Ormer Lee Anderson of Murphy. He graduated from Hayesville High School, did his under graduate work at Furman University, Greenville, S. C. He was admitted to the bar in 1951 after graduation from Duke University, School of Law.

Anderson served with the 20 Air Force in World War II and was discharged with the rank of First Lieutenant.

In 1951 he moved to Asheboro and entered a partnership for the practice of law with the late A. I. Ferree and is still a member of the firm which is now known as Ferree, Anderson, Bell & Ogburn.

He has served in many important positions on different boards in Asheboro.

He married the former Miss Hazel Hamilton of Columbus, Ga., and they and their three sons, Craig, Roger and Paul live at 875 Parkview Street, Asheboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rogers and children Lois and Jimmy of Cumberland, Md., the Horace Garrison family and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rogers of Hayesville were the recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alexander.

Mr. Harve Moore Sr. has returned home and is recovering nicely after having surgery in Hall County Hospital, Gainesville, Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Greenberry Stamey and family of Canton, Ohio have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ledford, his father, Mr. Will Stamey and other relatives in Clay.

Jackets Lose Opener To East Fannin 18-7

East Fannin Ga. defeated the Hayesville Yellow Jackets in their opening game 18-7 last Friday night in Hayesville. Johnny McDavis, East Fannin half-back, was the leading ground gainer for both sides. He alone racked up more yards rushing than the combined backfield for Hayesville. McDavis picked up a total of 72 yards rushing and even returned the opening kickoff for 100 yards and a touchdown only to have it nullified with a clipping penalty.

Neither team scored during the opening quarter but East Fannin scored in the second quarter when Reel burst through the Hayesville line for thirteen yards and a touchdown.

East Fannin scored again in the third quarter when Cook intercepted a Hayesville pass on the Hayesville 35 yard line and scored. Cook again scored the third and final touchdown of the night for East Fannin when he raced fifteen yards in the fourth quarter.

Hayesville scored their only tally on a blocked punt and Charles Penlands fifteen yard run. Allan Moore kicked the extra point. All three of Fannin's kick for the extra points were blocked.

Standouts for the Hayesville Yellow Jackets were: Charles Penland, Allen Moore, Herbert Cheeks, and Phillip Moss. Hayesville's next home game will be against Sylva Webster Friday night Sept. 3.

	EAST FANNIN	HAYESVILLE
First Downs	6	4
Rushing Yardage	159	51
Passing Yardage	87	17
Passes	4-14	2-16
Passes Intercepted by	1	1
Punts	6-25	6-42
Fumbles Lost	0	3
Yards Penalized	145	35

Week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones were Mrs. U. T. Phillips and son, Willis Sellers of Philadelphia, Penn., and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Carmichael of Atlanta, Ga. On Sunday the group enjoyed a picnic lunch at the Oliver Bacons on Lake Chatuge.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Riley of Mableton, Ga. and Mr. and Mrs. "Champ" Wimpey and son were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Vera Ledford.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Powers of Andrews spent Friday night with Mrs. Georgia Powers and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol McClure attended the graduation of her sister, Miss Jo Ann Nichols at Brenau College School of Nursing in Gainesville, Ga., Friday night. Out of a class of 13 graduates, Miss Nichols was selected Miss Hall School Of Nursing. She also served as editor of the annual this year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Auberry and Kathy of Atlanta, Ga. spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Greene and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Auberry, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swaim and daughter of Gainesville, Ga., and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Swaim were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Swaim.

Mr. Cass Ledford, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Ledford and children of the Bell Creek community attended services at Ledfords Chapel Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene H. Waldroup and sons have returned home. The family accompanied to Ft. Collins, Colorado, where he attended the University of Colorado for three weeks.

Miss Carol Nichols has returned to the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Lou Brackens after spending the summer with relatives in Tex.

Miss Lindy Alexander of Hayesville and Mrs. Harold Hedden of Chattanooga, Tenn. accompanied Mrs. Jean Ann Moran and children to their home in Patuxent, Maryland. They toured Washington, D. C. before coming back.

Mrs. Grady Garrison of Murphy spent several days last week with the Marvin Alexanders and other relatives in Clay.

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HAYESVILLE, N.C.

'Rambling In Clay'

By: Mrs. Neal R. Kitchens

Every time I hear the beautiful voice of our own Katie Powers, I am deeply grateful that she came back to Clay to live and work where she is so badly needed. Miss Powers not only sings but she teaches piano. She is very talented. Many seek the lights of the bright city. Katie says she is content to work at home where she feels she is needed.

Rheta has been taking a lot of fussing from some, so she is now threatening to go home and order a push button bed and take a month off. Ray says why should she, that the Indian women stopped by the trail side to give birth to their babies, and she has earned her title.

Congratulations to the Rogers. Bet they hold a record that few can match. Off hand I don't know a single one that has come up to this.

A young high school boy rushes into the Sheriff's Office with his hand out "Can I have a . . . ?"

Before he can finish the question I have already answered, "I'm sorry, but no, we do not have any".

He wanted a Drivers Handbook and so have many others that we can not supply. Laying around on the shelves gathering dust are plenty of these Drivers Manuals that are desperately needed by people who are trying to get their license.

The State of North Carolina printed \$50,000.00 worth of these Handbooks and Refresher Handbooks. The supply is completely exhausted.

If you have a Drivers Handbook in your home, either type will you please bring it to the Sheriff's Office so that others may have the use of it.



BIG WINNER - David Bell, 4, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Bell of Hayesville won \$40 on the WCVF Lucky Listener program, making him the biggest winner to date since the program started.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our many friends for their kindnesses during the illness and death of our dear mother. The cards, flowers, food, prayers, words of comfort and all other kindness will long be remembered. May God bless you. The family of Mrs. J. M. May

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Mignon and son Paul Killian Mignon have visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McGlamery this week. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Frank Killian of Franklin. Dr. Mignon teaches at the University of Ill. and Mrs. Mignon teaches the blind in the public schools there. This summer he attended Harvard University and she attended the University of Boston.

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