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Black Mountain Wins County Grid Title

NCEA Group Favors Piedmont Plan For Teachers

At a public meeting in the court room on the fifth floor of the courthouse in Asheville Tuesday evening, a group of members of the NCEA approved the "South Piedmont" plan for a 40 per cent increase in teachers salaries.

The meeting, which was called by the county unit of the NCEA, was attended by city unit P. T. A. representatives, civic organizations, and interested friends. It was called to order by S. O. Wilde, acting chairman and head of the county legislative committee of NCEA.

Claude Grigg, chairman of the state legislative committee of Almarie, Hiden Ramsey of the state board of education of Asheville, Roy Taylor, representative of Black Mountain, and Monte Redden, congressman-elect of Hendersonville, spoke on existing conditions of teachers' salaries in North Carolina.

Taylor pledged support of the "Piedmont Plan," while Ramsey was directly opposed to it. Grigg explained the twenty per cent plan sponsored by NCEA, and Redden supported federal aid to schools.

An open forum was held and a number of persons spoke in behalf of each plan. Those speaking in favor of the NCEA twenty per cent plan were Frank Mann, Mrs. N. Howell of Swannanoa, C. C. Carr, and others. L. P. Miller, Mrs. R. L. Allison, T. P. Hunt from Hall-Fletcher, O. E. Roberts, and others spoke for the "Piedmont" plan.

Frank Mann made a motion to support the NCEA proposal, but after much discussion the question was withdrawn. Oren Roberts then moved to support the "Piedmont plan." Mr. Wilde ruled that all members and friends could vote, and in an unofficial ballot the Piedmont proposal carried by a vote of 386 to 91.

After this, R. W. Sawright of Black Mountain asked that an official ballot from NCEA members be taken. This revealed a 40 to 31 decision in favor of the Piedmont plan.

Returning From Visit

Mrs. Gertrude Hammond of Edgecrest has returned from a visit to her son, Harold Lewallen in Washington.

Visit In Statesville

Rose Marie Moore and Jane Van Weghe spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Wolfe of Statesville, N. C.

Coming Events---

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21
Lions Club 7:00 p. m. Monte Vista.
Independent basketball game at Black Mountain High school.
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22
8:00 p. m. United Council of Church Women meeting at the Presbyterian church.
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 23
8:30 p. m. Informal concert of Modern Music at Black Mountain College.
8:00 p. m. Montreat College dramatic department presentation at Anderson Chapel.
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25
Black Mountain Home Demonstration club meets for all day session with Mrs. Alfred Callison. Served dish dinner.
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27
8:00 p. m. Swannanoa Eastern Home dinner.
To list the date of the meeting of your organization, phone 4101. FREE.

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RECENT BRIDE



MRS. TERRY MORRISON, who before her marriage on October 6 was Miss Gloria Macon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Macon of Old Fort. The marriage was solemnized at the home of close friends at Easley, South Carolina.

Mrs. Morrison is a musician and attended schools in Old Fort and Marion.

Lions Okay Plans For Locker Plant

At the last meeting of the executive committee of the Lions club, the organization went on record as highly in favor of plans which are being made to secure a locker plant for Black Mountain. The directors not only agreed to support the plan, but also to help promote it.

This is two local organizations which have come out for the locker plant, the Grange at the regular meeting Tuesday night gave their approval to the plan.

VA Takes Over At Moore General

"Call me Mister" is the plan under which the new U. S. Veterans Hospital Annex of Swannanoa is now operating, according to the manager, Dr. D. E. Quinn. The change over from the Moore General, U. S. Army hospital, was accomplished this week.

The first contingent of patients to be received consisted of 185 men who arrived at 8:00 a. m. Monday by rail from Burns General Hospital at Santa Fe, New Mexico. They were accompanied by 25 army nurses, who will be on temporary duty, and were met by the medical staff and other personnel, headed by Dr. Quinn and Dr. Peter J. Galante, clinical director, who was formerly stationed here when in the army.

Every boy is now a civilian and no soldier patients remain at the hospital.

At 9:30 a. m., Tuesday, Dr. Quinn explained the rules and the procedures to the men over the hospital radio station.

As far as voluntary services in the hospital are concerned, the authorities will be looking toward the community to supply it, Dr. Quinn concluded.

Mrs. J. L. Garrison's Mother Passes Away At Concord

Mrs. A. P. Blackwelder, mother of Mrs. J. L. Garrison of Black Mountain, died in the Concord hospital Wednesday afternoon at 5:00 p. m. Mrs. Blackwelder had been seriously ill for several days and Mr. and Mrs. Garrison had been called to Concord Tuesday when her condition became grave.

The Grill, which is operated by Mr. and Mrs. Garrison, will be closed for the remainder of the week.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

Legion Five Drops Close Decision To Soldiers

After playing the home team on even terms for the first half and leading at the end of the third quarter, the Black Mountain American Legion cage team weakened in the closing stages and dropped a close, 40-34, decision to the Moore General Soldiers last Thursday night. It was a fast game throughout and the excellent condition of the winners was the deciding factor.

The boys from Moore General raced to a 12-10 lead at the first quarter but the locals spurred and closed the gap to 18-all at half-time. Black Mountain slipped ahead 26-22 at the third period but were not able to stand off the furious fourth quarter rush of the winners.

Rudisell and Kamosh paced the losers with 16 and 10 points respectively.

Lineup: for Black Mountain
Kamosh F
H. Gray F
W. Rudisill F
B. Brown F
Bill Brown F
S. Stephenson C
Cecil Fortune C
Joe King C
C. Gray G
J. Milbee G
Penley G
Carl Kerlee G

Score by quarters:
1 2 3 4
Black Mountain 10 18 26 34
Moore General 12 18 22 40

Grange Officers Named For Year

The Grange named officers for the ensuing year in a meeting held Tuesday evening at the Jr. Order hall. They are as follows: Mrs. Mary Deans, master; C. J. Rich, Jr., overseer; H. D. Smith, lecturer; Jack Ramsey, steward; Edwin Smith, asst. steward; Mrs. Enos Jackson, lady asst. steward; M. C. Stanley, gatekeeper; E. W. Jackson, secretary; Richard Capps, appointed chaplain by the master to serve temporarily; Miss Katherine Dees, treasurer; Mrs. H. D. Smith, cereres; Mrs. Guy Roberts, flora; and Mrs. C. J. Rich, pomona.

Elected to the executive committee for a term of three years was Mrs. Nell Patton. The other two members are C. J. Rich, who has served two years of a three year term, and Arlow Goodson, who was elected last year.

Present plans call for a big meeting to be held in December at which time there will be special music and refreshments. The members were very much in favor of plans to build a locker plant for the city of Black Mountain.

Union Services To Be Held Thanksgiving

Union services of all churches in Black Mountain will be held at 7:30 p. m., Thanksgiving morning at the State Street Methodist church. The Rev. John H. Rhys of the Episcopal church will be the speaker. The offering will be for the various church orphanages. All persons are invited to attend this service.

VISIT PADGETTS

Sgt. W. S. Rupert and wife of El Paso, Texas, have been visiting Mrs. Rupert's mother, Mrs. Ira Padgett, at her home in Padgett Town for the past two weeks. They will leave November 26 for home and will be accompanied by Nancy Shirley, Mrs. Rupert's sister, who will spend the winter.

COUNTY CHAMPIONS



Shown above are the Black Mountain Darkhorses, who won the county title last Friday by downing Sand Hill, 13-6. They were undefeated during the past season and have won 14 of their last 16 starts. Front row, left to right: Uzzell, Marett, Willoughby, Willis, Sarti, Pence, Captain Brittain, Padgett, Morris, Charles Reese, Turner, Osteen, and Brown. Back row, left to right: Coach Eugene Byrd, Oliver Reese, manager, Cecil Fortune, Pete Barnwell, Jones, Buchanan, Stephenson, Milbee, Hughey, Burgess, Thomas, Gregg, Lloyd Barnwell, Ramsey, Bartlett, Henderson, and Woodrow Morgan, line coach.

CHURCH WOMEN TO MEET

There will be a called meeting of the United Council of Church Women at 3:00 p. m. Friday at the Presbyterian church. Miss Frances Query, consultant secretary of the state council office, will be here for the meeting. This is an open meeting for all women interested in united work for protestant women. Every woman should attend and appreciate the opportunity to hear Miss Query and become acquainted with the work of the council.

Legislative Aims Told By Taylor

Representative-elect Roy A. Taylor was the principal speaker at the luncheon meeting of the Optimist club in the George Vanderbilt hotel in Asheville Thursday. He discussed the legislative program to be followed by Buncombe county representatives in the North Carolina General Assembly.

"The most pressing item on a crowded legislative agenda deal with health and better roads," Mr. Taylor declared. "It is imperative that we do more for our state institutions."

Absolute Minimum
Continuing his talk, which was broadcast over Radio Station WNCA, Mr. Taylor said, "the State Board of Education has requested \$123,000,000 for public schools during the next biennium, which would give our teachers a 20 per cent increase in salaries. I favor taking this as an absolute minimum and giving as much more as possible."

Mr. Taylor emphasized the necessity of more trade schools and industrial education in the state, and said he favored appropriations for their establishment and support. Quoting figures recently made public by the North Carolina Good Health association, he said that funds to bring about proper health conditions in the state should be authorized by the legislature.

"Long ago," he said, "we decided that the education of our children was a matter of public concern. I regard the health of our children as deserving the same consideration."

Will Let People Know

"It is our desire to take the people of Buncombe county into our confidence fully concerning pending or proposed legislation, to let you know what we are doing and to encourage your advice," Mr. Taylor said.

Look Who's Here!

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Suttles of Black Mountain, N. C., twin daughters, Jo Carole and Patricia Kay, at the Mission Hospital in Asheville, N. C., Friday, November 15.

Both mother and babies are doing nicely.

Say You Saw It In The NEWS

Season's High And Low With The Champions

In winning their way to an undisputed county championship the Darkhorses have established one of the outstanding records in this section of the state. Over the last two seasons they have won 14, lost one game by a single point, and tied one.

On offense the Black Mountain boys proved their superiority by outscoring their opponents almost six to one. They counted 186 points for the season while the opposition was able to score but 38.

The records show that the locals liked the number 19 more than any other. They scored 19 points in five games. They hit the bottom offensively in the opening game of the season when they were held to 6-0 win by Warren Wilson, and reached the height of offensive power against Hot Springs when they overwhelmed the helpless lads from Madison county, 45-0.

Sand Hill, whom they defeated for the county title, played 10 games during the year. They won seven, lost two, and tied one.

Following are the Black Mountain scores for the season as they raced toward the county crown.

6 Warren Wilson 0
45 Hot Springs 0
19 Mars Hill 0
19 Weaverville 13
19 Swannanoa 13
27 Mars Hill 0
19 Swannanoa 0
19 Warren Wilson 6
13 Sand Hill 6 (For county title)

Red Cross Field Director Named At Oteen, Annex

Miss Lola Crawford has been named Red Cross field director over Oteen and Oteen Annex and will divide her time between the two places. An assistant field director, Miss Ruth McDonald, will be at the Annex, and Mrs. Vivian Rector will be the assistant director at Oteen.

As the Red Cross service in veterans hospitals is on a volunteer basis, the service program here will depend upon the participation of volunteers from the surrounding community.

DR. LOVELACE HERE

Dr. Mark Lovelace who is in the Bible department of Wake Forest college, and who represented the college at the State Baptist convention in Asheville, was a guest during the week of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Lovelace.

LEAVING FOR FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Smith of Padgett Town road will leave next week for their home in Melbourne, Florida. They have spent the summer in Black Mountain in their new home, Hurry Back.

Overpower Hard-Fighting Sand Hill Eleven, 13-6, In Bruising Battle

CONTRIBUTE
A contribution box has been placed in each grocery store for all who wish to place their Thanksgiving contribution of food for the Mountain Orphanage. These boxes will be picked up next Monday.

Mrs. H. E. Wood Dies Following Short Illness

Funeral services for Mrs. Hagen E. Wood, 37, who died at her home Wednesday, were held at 11 o'clock this morning at the State street Methodist church with the Rev. H. Grady Hardin officiating. The funeral procession left Black Mountain immediately thereafter for Brevard where interment will be in the Green Hills cemetery.

Wife of Dr. H. E. Wood, who is a member of the medical staff at the W. N. C. Sanatorium, Mrs. Wood had been ill for more than a week.

Active pallbearers were L. R. Harrison, Roy O. Bass, John W. Colyer, W. Cecil Lands, John Woods, and Bill Rhea.

Honorary pallbearers were doctors and assistants at the sanatorium who attended her.

Survivors include the husband; the mother, Mrs. W. E. Harrison of Macon, Ga.; three brothers; W. Howard Harrison of Jacksonville, Luke Harrison of Brevard, and John R. Harrison of Macon; and two sisters, Mrs. John W. Colyer and Mrs. W. Cecil Land, both of Spartanburg.

Harrison's Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Public Invited To Concert

The public is cordially invited to attend an informal concert of modern music at Black Mountain College, Saturday, November 23, at 8:30 p. m. The music will be performed by Dr. Edward Lowinsky, pianist, and Mrs. Gretel Lowinsky, violinist, of the college music department. Dr. Lowinsky will preface the music with brief discussions of modern musical trends.

The concert will be as follows:
Claude Debussy
1910 La Fille aux cheveux de lin (The girl with golden hair)
Bruyeres . . . (Health)
Voiles . . . (Veile)
1903 Jardins sous la Pluie . . . (Gardens under the rain)
Arnold Schoenberg
1910 Piece for Piano, Opus 11, No. 1.
Paul Hindemith
1922 Nachtstuck
Dimitri Shostakovitch
1933 Seven Preludes for Piano.
Borislav Martinu
1933 Three Dance Sketches for Piano
Hugo Kauder
1946 Sonata for Viola and Piano
Prelude . . . Ardante Tranquillo
Intermezzo . . . Vivace non Troppo Allegro
Melody . . . Sostenuto
Fughetta . . . Allegretto.

B Club Organized At High School

The "B" club has been organized at the high school with Gertrude S. Clements, president, Scott Uzzell, vice-president, and Fred Pence, secretary and treasurer. Sponsor is Eugene Byrd.

In order to be a member of the newly organized club, one must have earned a letter in some sport at the high school. The club has as its immediate objective the purchase of an automatic score board for the high school gymnasium.

The members are: Margaret Burnette, Imogene Sneed, Patsy McDougle, Lucy Fortune, Orieta Burnette, Weeta Simmons, Charles Reese, Scott Uzzell, Fred Pence, Gertrude Clements, Crawford Willoughby, Doyle Turner, Jack Brown, Joyce Gauge, Lillian Brooks, and Scott Burgess.

PLAN FATHERS' NIGHT

At a P. T. A. board meeting held Monday afternoon in the library at the grammar school it was decided to hold a fathers' night the first Tuesday in December.

The Rev. Mr. Funderburk has recently taken over his duties as pastor of the Oteen Baptist Church.

Captain Brittain Runs 30 Yards With Blocked Kick For Winning Score

The Black Mountain gridders won the county championship Friday afternoon by downing the powerful Sand Hill eleven, 13-6. The game was played at Sand Hill.

Neither team had been defeated in county competition prior to Friday and a record crowd was on hand to see the battle between the two leaders.

Willis started the fireworks for the Darkhorses in the first period by tossing the pigskin 45 yards into the waiting arms of Turrier who stepped across for the first tally. When Reese hit Turner for the extra point, the count was raised to, 7-0.

Early in the second quarter Sand Hill put on a sustained drive, which carried them over the final marker. They got their opportunity when they intercepted a Black Mountain pass and a few plays later "Fireball" Dixon went over for the score. The conversion failed.

Some of the hardest football of the afternoon was played in the third quarter which was a hard bruising affair from the first whistle. Neither team made a serious threat and the defense as set up by both teams was outstanding in this period.

The Darkhorses got their opportunity for the game-winning touchdown as the result of a blocked punt in the fourth canto. Morris blocked the kick and Captain Brittain recovered and raced 30 yards for the touchdown.

There was no further scoring and when the horn sounded to end the game Captain Brittain was lifted to the shoulders of his team mates and carried from the field.

Black Mountain lineup:

Brown, LE
Morris, LT
Padgett, LG
Brittain, C
Pence, RG
Sarti, RT
Willoughby, RE
Uzzell, QB
Willis, LH
Osteen, RH
Reese, FB

Score by quarters:
Black Mountain 1 2 3 4
Sand Hill 7 0 0 13
0 6 0 6