

HERE FROM MARION  
Mr. and Mrs. John Stepp of  
Marion visited members of Mrs.  
Stepp's family last Sunday.

# Legal Notices

**ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE**  
Having this day qualified as Administratrix c. t. a. of the Estate of **FRANK A. BUCHANAN**, deceased, late of Buncombe County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned, duly verified, on or before one year from the date hereof, or else this Notice will be plead in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 28th day of February, 1952.  
**VIVIAN BUCHANAN GIBSON**  
Swannanoa, N. C.  
Mar. 6, 13, 20, 27; April 3, 10

**EXTENSION OF THE TOWN LIMITS OF THE TOWN OF BLACK MOUNTAIN, N. C. NORTH CAROLINA, BUNCOMBE COUNTY.**

The Public will take notice that on the 22nd day of April, 1952, at 7:30 P.M., at the Town Hall, the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Black Mountain, at its regular semi-monthly meeting, will consider the adoption of an ordinance annexing to the Town of Black Mountain a territory described below:

In accordance with Chapter 729 of the Public Laws of 1947, now 160-445 and Amendments thereof, the Public is further advised that the Board of Aldermen is required to submit the question of the proposed annexation to the vote of the people in the area proposed to be annexed if at this meeting on the said 22nd day of April, 1952 at 7:30 P.M. the Board of Aldermen receives a petition signed by 15% of the qualified voters who are residents in the area proposed to be annexed, requesting that an election be held on the proposed extension of the corporate limits.

The Public is further advised that if the Board receives a petition signed by 15% of the qualified residents of the Town of Black Mountain, who actually participated in the last gubernatorial election, requesting that the question of the annexation be submitted to them for a vote, also the Board will be required to hold an election in the municipality and the territory to be annexed and which proposed territory to be annexed is as follows:

**BEGINNING** at a stake in the eastern margin of Black Mountain Street where the same would intersect with the South margin of Pine Street, if extended across Black Mountain Street to the point so mentioned, all as shown on the Town Map and also on the S. Dougherty plat recorded in Book 154 page 106 of the Buncombe County Records, to which reference is hereby made, and runs thence from said Beginning point and along the North margin of the Charles W. Stepp property, North 88 deg. West 150 feet to a stake; thence South 10 deg. West 150 feet to a stake; thence North 87 deg. 26' West and along the North line of the James F. Steen, Lucius Blair, W. Dean Willis, W. I. Willis, George D. Atham and Nina B. Gray property, 970 feet to a stake, said stake being the Northeast corner of Lot 68 as shown on the map of Lakewood Park as recorded in Book 12 page 29 of the Buncombe County Records, to which reference is hereby made, and runs thence along and with the East margin of Lot 68 South 2 deg. 34' West 145.3 feet to a stake in the north margin of Oakland Drive; thence along and with said margin of said Drive South 87 deg. 26' West 200 feet to a stake; thence crossing Oakland Drive and running South 2 deg. 34' West 175 feet to a stake in the North margin of North Park Lane; thence along and with said margin of said North Park Lane the following courses and distances: South 35 deg. 35' West 73.9 feet to a stake; South 64 deg. 54' West 15 feet to a stake; South 61 deg. West 85 feet to a stake; South

60 deg. 14' West 79.9 feet to a stake, the common corner of Lots 63 and 65 of the plat above mentioned; thence crossing North Park Lane and running South 22 deg. 40' West 65 feet to a stake in the line of the present Town Corporate Limits; thence along and with the North line of the present Corporate Limits of the Town of Black Mountain North 67 deg. 40' East 1340 feet to a stake in the West margin of the aforesaid Black Mountain Street; thence along and with said margin of said Street back to the point of Beginning. Comprising the greater portion of the Charles W. Stepp property as described above; a triangular lot of land from the Northwestern portion of the James F. Osteen property, and also Lots 69 to 81, inclusive, as shown on the plat of Lakewood Park, together with Lot 57 and the greater portion of Lot 58, owned by J. F. Watkins, and a small portion of that portion of Lakewood Park designated on the plat as "Park" all as laid down and shown in Plat Book 12 page 29 of the Buncombe County Records, to which reference is hereby made. This the 13th day of March, 1952.

**TOWN OF BLACK MOUNTAIN**  
By: G. L. Kirkpatrick  
ITS MAYOR  
Attest: W. Dean Willis,  
Clerk  
March 27; April 3, 10, 17

**Spring Cleanup On Farms Urged**

Giving your farm a spring cleanup will make it much safer as well as much more attractive, says Riley Palmer, county farm agent for the State College Extension service.

He points out that tools, bags of feed, baskets, and just common debris and trash are responsible for hospitalizing one out of every five accident victims on the farm. This was shown by a study conducted by the National Safety Council.

The largest single cause of injuries, other than the personal factor of poor judgement, is disorder.

To play safe, the farmer should correct such hazards as broken, wobbly steps which might cripple someone for life; tottery old buildings that sometimes cause serious injuries; unmarked bottles of poison, and poisons left within the reach of children which often cause tragedies; accumulations of trash, paper, scattered boxes and boards, rags and rubbish which are serious fire hazards and ideal breeding places for rats.

"Springtime," says the county agent, "is nature's cleanup time, a time when the earth takes on a new, refreshed look. Let's help nature by cleaning up around the farm and in the farm home, which will not only give the farm a new look but make it a safer and easier place for working and living."

He adds that if every farm family would conduct a spring cleanup campaign, both inside and out, it would go a long way toward eliminating fire and accident hazards, providing a more healthful environment, and conserving food which is badly needed all over the world.

**RETURN FROM FLORIDA**  
Mrs. Jeter Riddle and daughters, Melba and Barbara, and Miss Elaine Buss of Mars Hill college returned last Tuesday from a 10-day visit in Florida. They visited Elaine's family in Vero Beach and Mrs. Riddle and daughters visited Mrs. Rolan Collins in Miami also.

**BACK FROM HISTORIC POINTS**  
Miss Mary Young and Miss Edith Chatterton returned last Friday from a visit with Miss Elizabeth White in Sumter, S. C. They also visited in Summerville, the historic points of Charleston and the Azeala Gardens.

**LOVE VISITORS**  
Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Scawedenback and Wayne of Falmouth, Mass., arrived Wednesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. John E. Love and children. Mrs. Love is Mr. Scawedenback's sister.

## POET'S CORNER

Conducted by Anne K. Sharp,  
Creative Writing Club

**A LITTLE CRY FOR HELP**

Not a loud shout  
To split the dark sky - - -  
Only a whisper:  
"Lord, it is I."

Not a brisk tug  
At Thy raiment of light - - -  
Only a groping for Thee  
In the night.

Only a murmur:  
"The world has grown wild - - -  
Let me keep close to Thee,  
I am Thy child."

—Miriam M. Whitehead  
After much pleading, Mrs. Whitehead consented for us to publish this poem which appeared in the poetry column of the Asheville Citizen, sponsored by the Asheville Branch of the National League of American Pen Women. This column was edited by Mrs. Edith D. Erskine, who is now the N. C. state president of the NLAPU.

This choice poem, so appropriate to the season, particularly pleased Mrs. Porter, wife of O'Henry. We are grateful to Mrs. Whitehead for her permission to allow us to publish it this week.

—Good health depends on good food, but surveys in North Carolina and elsewhere show that certain essential foods are missing from the diets of many people. A recent check in one area showed that only one of every two farm women questioned had drunk any milk in the preceding 24 hours.

**MAKES HONOR ROLL**

Registrar H. R. Seggers of Appalachian State Teachers college has just announced that Mary Jo Atkins, Black Mountain, attained the honor roll for the winter quarter.

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