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SECTION II
Thursday, May 22, 1952

Eighth Grade Exercises Set For Swannanoa

Promotion exercises for the eighth grade at the Swannanoa Elementary school have been set for 8:00 p.m., Monday, June 2, in the school auditorium, E. N. Howell, principal, announced today.

Verlon Clayton, commander of the C. W. Francey Post at Oteen, will present the American Legion award. Color bearers will be members of the post, Lexie Pope and William Green.

Ushers will be the following seventh grade students: Donnie Mae Hargrave, Dorothy Johnson, Alice Maney, David Alexander, David McMahan, and Albert Richardson, Jr.

Program

March, "Stars and Stripes Forever," Ann Walker, Laura Smith; advancement of colors, members of Legion; "Star Spangled Banner," class and audience; Pledge to the Flag, leader, Curtis C. Hall, Jr.; chorus, "The Lord Is God," class; I Corinthians 13, class, leader, Carolyn Spivey; prayer, Phyllis Ballard; hymn, "The Lord Is My Shepherd," class; "Our Citizenship Program," Betty Woody, leader, participants, Robert Pruett, John Adams, Clara Ann Pickens, Vivoleen Cooke, Dorcas Bridges, Carolyn Thomas and Carolyn Adams.

Presentation of awards, Hardy A. Carroll, vocational advisor, VA hospital, Swannanoa division, chairman, American Legion Americanism committee; acceptance of awards, Laura Smith and Wayne Mahaffey; return of school plaque; chorus, "Spring Ensemble," class; presentation of certificates, E. N. Howell, principal; recitation, "I Am An American," Scott Stevens and Vance Davis; chorus, "I hear America Singing," class; retirement of colors, members of Legion; and benediction, "Taps," class.

Class Roll

Carolyn Adams, Jeanne Marie Adams, John Carl Adams, Jacksie Allen, Jo Ann Allen, Johnny Allen, Virginia Sue Anderson, Delilah Andrews, Sondra Ballard, Phyllis Ballard, Fred Bartlett, Wayne Bartlett, Shirley Bell, Edward Boone, John Lane Bradley, Margaret Breedlove, Dorcas Bridges, Doris Bridges, Harold Burrell, Cline D. Callahan, Steve Campfield, Beatrice Ann Carson, Van Harold Chapman, Vivoleen Cooke, Robert W. Conner, Robert Terrell Creasman, Jewel Crisp, Mary Joyce Crisp, Vance Davis, Wanda Gallion, Floyd Gibson, Jackie Gill, Curtis C. Hall Jr., Albert Harper, Barbara Jean Harvey, Gertrude Harvey, John Hemphill, David Bruce Hensley, Joyce Ledbetter, Carolyn Luckadoo, Wayne Mahaffey.

Paul Maney, Mary Maynor, Iris McKinney, Walter McKinney, James McMahan, Jimmy McMahan, Allen Messer, Johnny Mills, Gwenivere Nanney, Clara Ann Nix, Marlene Ogle, Raymond Pegg, Clara Ann Pickens, Jimmy Powlas, Shirley Pressley, Earl Pruett, Irene Pruett, Edna Pruett, Robert C. Pruett, Harold Pullium, Larry Rhymer, Eleanor Robinson, Jack Russell, Catherine Barbara Sanooke, Ann Shaver, Frances Louise Silvers, Laura Smith, Richard Smith, Scott Stevens, Carolyn Spivey, Charles Spivey, Carolyn Elizabeth Thomas, Shirley Ann Thompson, Johnny E. Vess, Thomas Edwin Vess, Buck Waldrup, Ann Walker, Daniel Wilson, Robert Wilson and Betty Jean Woody.

WITH THE SICK

Mrs. A. B. Bartlett is improving after a two weeks' illness.

Ronnie Bartlett has returned to school after being ill for a week.

Percy Justus is getting along nicely after undergoing surgery at the Aston Park hospital Tuesday of last week.

W. S. Brantley is improving and will come to Black Mountain direct from an Atlanta hospital on June 1.

Sophomore Class At Catawba Elects Miss Thelma Brooks

Friday morning, May 9, was election time on the Catawba college campus. Members of the rising sophomore, junior and senior classes cast ballots for their new class officers, and the results were posted in the afternoon. Miss Thelma Brooks, of Black Mountain, was elected secretary of the rising sophomore class.

Other students elected for the 1952-53 school year were:

Senior class: president, Murphy Hampton, Rockwell; vice president, Bob Hamilton, Allison Park, Pa.; secretary, Jane Whitener, Hickory; and treasurer, Jean Fisher, Rockwell.

Junior class: president, Bobby Frank Leonard, Lexington; vice president, Larry Fisher, Kannapolis; secretary, Willie Mae Mason, Linwood; and treasurer, Hoyt McCachren, Harrisburg.

Shophomore class: president, Oliver Link, Salisbury; vice president, Tommy Whitman, Salisbury; secretary, Thelma Brooks, Black Mountain; and treasurer, Herbert Rhodes, Salisbury.

Look Who's Here!

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Fenn are parents of a daughter born May 17, at Victoria hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard S. Bishop

have a daughter born May 12, at St. Joseph's hospital.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Billy G. Reese of Swannanoa, route 1, a son May 14 at St. Joseph's hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy P. Vess of Swannanoa announce the birth of a son May 17, at St. Joseph's hospital.

Christian Church Circle Meets With Mrs. Dick Tarbert

Mrs. Dick Tarbert was hostess to Circle No. 2 of the Asheville Christian church, May 13, at her home, Blue Mist, on Chestnut Mountain road. Mrs. Hardy L. Craig assisted her in preparing and serving the luncheon.

The spacious living room was decorated with large bouquets of mountain azaleas. The center pieces for the tables were also of the azaleas.

Mrs. C. W. Ballard, chairman of the circle, presided over the business meeting. Mrs. Ed. Sorrels gave the program which was on the "Life of St. Paul". This has been the theme for the past five months, all have enjoyed and been enlightened by her excellent presentation. The meeting was closed with the benediction given by Mrs. W. T. Nichols.

Others present were Mrs. Glenn Allen, Mrs. Matt Engleman, Mrs. Walter Gaston, Mrs. Leslie Green,

Mrs. B. E. Hall, Mrs. Maurice Nesbitt, Mrs. Grady Nichols, Mrs. E. L. Parris, Mrs. Ed. Powell, Mrs. Fannie Sewell, Mrs. Harlan Sluder, Mrs. Sam Thabit, Mrs. Larimer Williams, Mrs. Raymond Culp and small daughter, Dorothy, Mrs. Sarah Tench, Mrs. J. W. Cook,

Mrs. Charles Clayton, and the Rev. W. T. Nichols.

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A LIFETIME OF PUBLIC SERVICE . .

Bill Umstead taught school in the public school system in Kinston in 1916-17.

After leaving his classroom job, he entered the Army and served with the 317th Machine Gun Battalion, 81st Division, for a period of about two years, about eight months of which was overseas.

After finishing law school in 1920, he was elected Prosecuting Attorney of the Durham County Recorders Court in 1922 and was re-elected in 1924.

From 1927 to 1933 Bill Umstead served as Solicitor of the Tenth Judicial District.

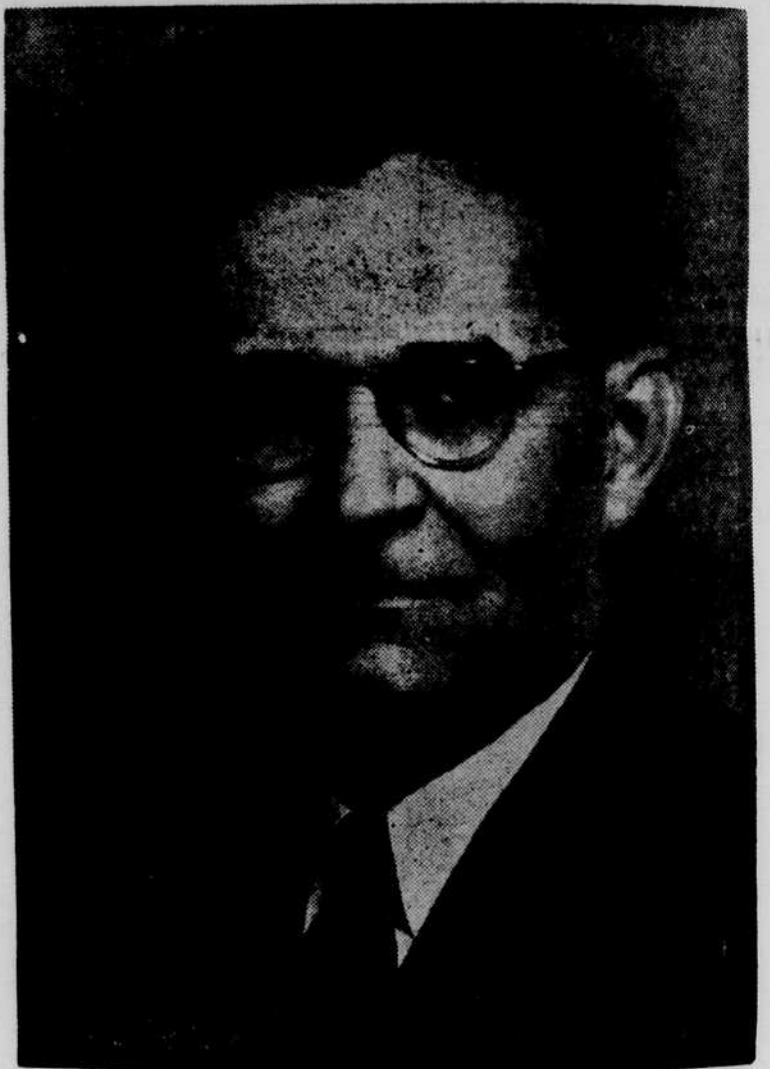
In 1932 he was elected to Congress in the Sixth Congressional District, and re-elected in 1934 and 1936, retiring voluntarily at the end of his third term. Being in Congress in the depth of the Depression, he realized the problems of the farmer and laboring man in North Carolina and was a key figure in developing the foundation of today's Farm Program as a member of the Sub-Committee on Appropriations for the Agriculture Department.

Served as chairman of the State Council for National Defense, 1943-44.

In August, 1944, Mr. Umstead was elected Chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee and conducted the State Democratic campaigns in 1944 and 1946.

On December 18, 1946, he was appointed to fill the unexpired term of the late United States Senator Josiah W. Bailey and served until December 30, 1948.

Is a trustee of the Consolidated University of North Carolina.



**North Carolina Needs the Experience
Bill Umstead has in Government & Public Affairs**

VOTE FOR

BILL UMSTEAD

FOR GOVERNOR

(Paid Political Adv.)