



Shirley Swann was crowned queen of the May in the annual May Day festival at 1:30 Friday afternoon in the Owen High school gymnasium. She is shown here with the eight girls who made up her court. Those in the picture, front row, left to right, Joan Connett, escorted by James Moyers; Joan Walker, Ronald Redmond; Donna Vee Gray, Tony Willis.

Back row, same order, Annette Meeks, Timmy Timmerman; Jo Tomlinson, Mack Kirkpatrick; Brenda Perkins, maid-of-honor; Miss Swann; Gwen McAfee, Kenneth Morgan; Carolyn Smith, Bill Wade; Margie McCuen, Robert Hughes. Theme for the program was Hansel and Gretel. Faculty directors were Mrs. Mary Leinster, chairman, Mrs. Jackie Taylor, Miss Ruth White, and Mrs. Sara Wilson.

Many others participated. These included, Gayle Maret and Tina Hussey, flower girls; Hansel, George Talbot; Gretel, Helene Nichols; witch, Judy Byrd.

GERTRUDE KOPF IS HONORED AT DUKE

Selection for Sandals is based on the highest standards of character, leadership, and service. Miss Kopf attended St. Genevieve-of-the-Pines in Asheville where she was a member of the National Honor society and received a scholarship medal for four years.



Taken from the files of the Black Mountain News May 8, 1947. Mayor J. L. Potter was reelected mayor of Black Mountain in the city election held Tuesday, May 2. Dr. A. M. Bannerman of Warren Wilson college gave a very inspiring talk. Clarence Padgett, junior class president, was toastmaster and welcomed the guests. Response was by Pete Brittain, senior class president. The invocation was by A. C. Lovelace.

The seniors of Black Mountain High school were honored by the juniors with a banquet at Assembly Inn, Montreat, Friday night, May 2. Dr. A. M. Bannerman of Warren Wilson college gave a very inspiring talk. Clarence Padgett, junior class president, was toastmaster and welcomed the guests. Response was by Pete Brittain, senior class president. The invocation was by A. C. Lovelace.

Guests present were Charles Bid-dix, Doris Blankenship, Audie Buchanan, Mack Burnette, Margaret Burnette, Scott Burgess, Pete Brittain, Lillian Brooks, Jack Brown, Blanche Calhoun, Jane Callison, Richard Capps, Betty Jo Cordell, Irene Davis, Martha Davis, Jack Edwards, Jack Gilbert, George Godfrey, Don Gregg, John Gregg, George Joyner, Lillian Ker-stein, Pauline Ledbetter, Elizabeth Maddox, Bobby McCool, Luque Medford, Jo Morris, Elizabeth Mor-row, John Pellom, Fred Pence, Jack Ramsey, Charles Reece, Ethel Rice, George Sarti, Pat Sawyer, Weeta Simmons, Imogene Sneed, Alvarati Taylor, Annabelle Taylor, Doyle Turner, Herbert Turner, Scott Uzzell, Tommy Walters, Howard Watkins, Irvin Willis, George Williams, Crawford Wil-loughby, Miss Ruth Gilbert, Mrs. W. H. McMurray, Dr. Bannerman, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. McDougle, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Nesbitt, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Byrd, and Mrs. R. W. Seawright, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Finch, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Kerlee, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. North-cott, Mrs. Doris Whitesides, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McCoy, Craig Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Clements, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Maret, and Cal-vin Chandler.

Miss Ruby Hall is the new li-brarian at the Black Mountain li-brary. Miss Doris Sharpe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Demaret Sharpe of Canton, was married to Edward

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SHOPE CREEK

The George Creasman and the Albert Gilliams spent a wonderful Easter week-end touring the "Deep South." They visited places in Augusta, Ga., Charleston, S. C., and Columbia, spending Friday night at the Bayview Motel and Saturday night in Sunken Garden Motel in Greenwood, S. C. They also did some window shopping as they came through Greenville. They arrived home Sunday evening around 2:00 o'clock tired, but thrilled with the beauty of the trip.

G. R. Creasman had to do some mending on the roof of his house Saturday where it was damaged by a recent wind storm. Those helping with the repairing were: his son Wilbur who was home for the week-end, Lloyd Gragg and Bearden Jones. We had a hail storm on Shope Creek Sunday eve-ning.

Mrs. Minnie Jenkins, Elmer, Jean, and Ernest of West Ashe-ville were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Gregg Saturday evening. There was a surprise household and stork shower honoring Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cordell at their home on Shope Creek Tuesday night, April 23, present were Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Creasman, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gilliam, Mrs. Geo. Creasman, the Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Smith, Mrs. H. H. Ingle, Jr., Mrs. Zeb Nichols, Mrs. J. H. Cordell, Mrs. Mack Marlow, Mrs. Robert Chapman, and Mrs. Laura Shope. Refreshments of cookies, cup cakes and coffee were served.

Mr. and Mrs. George Creasman, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gilliam were guests at the supper observ-ing the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gilliam at their home in Hendersonville Sunday night. It was a beautiful affair.

Mrs. Clarence Tipton and Mrs. Zeb Nichols of Swannanoa visited with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones and Mrs. Jessie Creasman of Rice-ville road last Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cordell an-nounce the birth of a son April 26. Zeb Nichols Wayne, J. B. Connie and Tommie, Henry Gibbs, Jr., Dean and Janice Robinson were out on the Scenic Highway Sunday evening and were caught in an electric storm.

Richard Gregg has taken a job as salesman for the Fuller Brush company.

Mrs. Florence Clark will enter the hospital Monday evening. She will again undergo major surgery Tuesday morning.

Poel's Corner

Conducted by Anne K. Sharp, Chairman Creative Writing Group

APRIL PRAYER

God, Spring this year is all too fair, And April more than I can bear.

Too rich a wine has bubbled up Within each tilted tulip-cup.

Beauty herself, stands on the hills, Painting the sky with wonder-thrills.

God, place Your hand upon the grass, And let the Springtime softly pass.

Clyde R. Protsman. Member Creative Writing Club.

TREETOP ARPEGGIOS

A rippling cascade of soft music From small birds on the wing, Alerts us each early April— A gentle call to Spring.

Elusive, the music lures us, until, at last, we see A flock of finches nibbling A-top our service tree.

Mary Wooster Young, Member Creative Writing Club.

LESLIE UZZELL HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Leslie Uzzell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Uzzell, celebrated her fourth birthday anniversary Saturday, April 27, at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Carter C. Uzzell. Games and an egg hunt were enjoyed during the afternoon. Cynthia Edwards re-ceived the prize for finding the most eggs.

Birthday cake, ice cream, and punch were served to the following mothers and children: Mrs. Tom-mey Edwards, Cynthia and Toni; Mrs. Carl Kerlee Jr., and Jerry; Mrs. A. J. Huntsinger, Jimmy, Pedie, Barbara, and Rickey; Mrs. James Atkins, Rebecca, Mary Beth and Margaret; Mrs. Steve Uzzell, Marsha and Scotty; Mrs. William Klein, Billy and David; and Kim-berley and Drew Uzzell.

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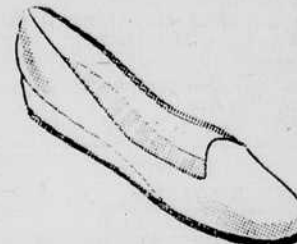
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