

LOWER SWANNANOVA COMMUNITY

by Rebecca Davidson
Macedonia Church
Rev. Mack Williams delivered the regular third Sunday afternoon sermon, bringing out a variety of interesting thought. The importance of prayer was the most interesting. Prayer is a way of feeling close to God and our fellowman.

After the sermon, Rev. Williams gave a brief talk and explanation of the check-up meeting attended by him at Marion.

The Young Male Missionaries are making tremendous progress. They sang a few songs after the service.

The Gospels of Marion will again appear at Macedonia the 1st Sunday of May at 3 p.m., sponsored by Mrs.

J. C. Laws. The public is invited.
New Salem Baptist Church services will be held at New Salem Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and in the afternoon at 3.

Deceased
Cecil Lytle, son of Wayne Lytle, died in Chicago, Ill., Friday night.

Mrs. Dora Taylor, formerly of this community, died also. Funeral services are incomplete at present.
Community Personals
Mrs. J. C. Laws and daughter have returned from Chicago after a brief visit with her children.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence will spend a short vacation in New York City with relatives.

FICTION-FACT
Fiction: Murmurs, chest pains and palpitations are sure signs of heart trouble. Fact: Not necessarily, says the Heart Association. If you are in doubt, see your doctor, or he can tell.

BLACK MOUNTAIN BRIDGE WINNERS

Thursday night, April 18, members of the Black Mountain Duplicate Bridge club and several guests enjoyed a most delicious buffet supper at the Monte Vista hotel. Later the group went to the club room of the Asheville Federal Savings and Loan, where nine tables enjoyed an evening of play. Winners were: north-south, Mrs. R. T. Greene and Mrs. Carter Uzell; 2nd, Mrs. George Pritchard and W. W. White; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Brady; 4th, Mrs. Al Jennings and Mrs. Charles Ross. East-west, Mrs. Hugh Stevens and Charles Ross; 2nd, Douglas Jones and Don Livingston, 3rd, Lela Clark and Ruth Marsh; 4th, Mrs. Effie Guthrie and Mrs. Don Livingston.

Mr. R. T. Greene is president of the club and Max Woodcock, director.

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POEMS from fifth grade

Mrs. Stubb's Fifth Grade has been enjoying poetry. Some pupils wrote original poems

I see a robin on the wing,
It must be spring!
I hear a raindrop ring,
It must be spring!
I hear the cricket sing,
It must be spring!

Why I Like Spring
Spring is here
Flowers are blooming.
Trees are red with buds.
All the fields turn green as
the grass sprouts out.

Animals Love Spring
Spring is full of lovely things,
Put here for us to see,
And the animals love them
As well as you or me.

My Favorite Season
Spring is my favorite season,
For which I have a special
reason.

Spring
Spring is the season
Made up of sugar.
Spring is the season
Filled with loveliness
I know when it is spring
You can hear the red birds
sing!

Down By The River
Down by the river where the
water
Is so blue,
Sat an old mother fish
And her little fish "Two".
"We swim", said the mother.
"We swim", said "Two".
And they swam all day
Where the water is so blue.
Anita Metcalf

He Never Stopped Complaining
Hank, my horse, told me this;
"I don't like your cat's
hiss."
So the next day after school,
He asked, "Why don't I
have a pool?"

So I built one just for him,
But he never took a swim.
Next thing he commanded me
to get;
Was a rather large pony
for a pet.

He said I'd never have to
regret,
If I got him a beautiful
pet.
Now everything has ended,
Fair and splendid!

Spring
Spring is fine; Spring is
dandy.
Spring is always full of
candy!

Spring is full of blossoms
beauty.
Oh! that horse sure is a
cutie.

Daises, rosebuds, all in a row,
Gardens! gardens! careful
with a hoe.

Spring! Spring! Spring is a
joyous time.
And this little story ends
with a rhyme.
Freida Ricketts

RECOVERY FROM STROKE
—Strokes affect hundreds
of thousands of people every
year. Over 190,000 Americans
died of strokes in 1961
but many stroke victims re-
cover to lead useful happy
lives. The North Carolina
Heart association says.

VALVES INJURED BY FEVER
—Rheumatic heart disease
is usually the result of scar-
ring of the heart valves caused
by rheumatic fever. This may
interfere with the work of the
vital "pump", according to the
North Carolina Heart assoc.

REFLECTIONS . . .

By Gordon Greenwood

PACE WILL QUICKEN
Watch for the pace in the General Assembly to quicken during the next few weeks as major issues find their way to the floor from the various committees that have been hard at work studying the proposals since the opening of the session.

First to hit the headlines will be the Higher Education bill, which has passed the Senate and was set to come up for special order of business on Tuesday in the house.

The act, which would strengthen the consolidated university system, re-name Woman's College at Greensboro as the University of North Carolina at Greensboro, and State College to North Carolina State, the University of North Carolina at Raleigh, may have a rocky road in the house.

The same act would upgrade Asheville-Biltmore College, and Charlotte College to 4-year status, and provide the machinery for the establishment of a state-wide system of community colleges and industrial educational centers.

The Governor and many others have called this the most important bill that will come up during the 1963 session.

There is no doubt that its passage would have a far-reaching effect on education beyond the high school in the state. It might help us to give an opportunity to more of our high school graduates to attend college and to acquire training in technical fields.

LEGISLATIVE JUNKETS
There is a growing feeling in the General Assembly against trips made during the session outside Raleigh.

Time was when the legislators made one trip either to Fort Bragg or to the Marine Base at Camp Lejeune. But this year they will take no fewer than five, ranging from Elizabeth City on the northeast coast to Cullowhee in Jackson County. This will be the first trip ever made west of the Blue Ridge by the General Assembly. Plans now are to come west on May 14.

(News Editor's note: At this point the legislator was whisked off to Raleigh by cohorts Leatherwood and Thornburg for another busy week. He will return in time Thursday to take part in the Lion's Club's "Herb Sanders Night.")



Peekin' Through The KEYHOLE

With LIB
by Elizabeth Dinwiddie Keith

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Tyson and son Joe, Mrs. A. F. Tyson, Sr., and Mrs. Ora Dougherty of Bryson City are home from a vacation in different parts of Florida.

Miss Joyce Martin of Blue Ridge road and Mrs. Clyde Sorrells of Garden Circle, West Asheville, flew to Washington, D. C., to spend the Easter holidays with Mrs. Sorrells' sister, Mrs. George Millward, and her son, Richard Sorrells. During their stay in Washington they visited many places of interest. They returned home Sunday night by plane.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rogers have moved from Briarbrook road to their recently purchased home at Stevens Circle, Blue Ridge road.

Mrs. R. C. Moss was called to Miami, Fla., because of the death of her father, R. H. Gardner, who died last Saturday night after a long illness.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wallin and Ginger, and Harold J. McNary attended the 31-A district Lions Cabinet meeting at Pisgah Ranch, Candler, last Sunday.

Girl Scout Troop No. 98, of Black Mountain received a certificate of recognition at the Volunteer Recognition program held Thursday night, April 18, in the recreation hall of Oteen VA hospital. Mrs. William Styles is Troop leader.

Little Annie Laurie Dickens, three months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Dickens of Darby, Pa., was baptized at the Black Mountain Methodist church by the Rev. John McWhorter Saturday, April 13. Robert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Dickens of Black Mountain.

Mrs. M. L. Hoffman and son Peter of Washington, D. C., spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoffman of Last Resort. Mr. Hoffman came down on Wednesday and visited with his parents until Sunday.

Jonathan and Jennifer Pitkin, who are two and four years old, have been visiting their grandmother Mrs. Roger B. Pitkin, of Summer Haven, Swannanoa, for two weeks. Their brother Jeffrey had to go to school and could not come. They are children of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Pitkin of Bowie, Md.

Miss Martha Newman of Milton has spent the past month with Mrs. S. M. Bittinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Helgreen and children, Dale, Gale, Jay, and Jan, spent the past few days at Williamsburg, Va., Pea Island, and other points of interest on the Coast of North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Trompeter of Cincinnati, Ohio, have arrived for their annual vacation in Black Mountain. They are residing at the Frank Wade Cottage.

Mrs. W. C. Greene and her sister, Mrs. Grace Scruggs of Asheville, are expected home from a visit in Eau Gallie, Fla., and Miami, where they visited Mrs. Greene's sister-in-law, Mrs. C. M. Ingle.

Mrs. J. S. Goodman of Clemson, S. C., spent the weekend with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Goodman, Annetta and Carol

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piano, after which they all went upstairs, played games, and had refreshments.

At the Veterans Administration Volunteer Recognition program Thursday night, April 18, held at Oteen VA hospital, Mrs. Joe Bullock, president of Waycaster-McLary, and Mrs. Morris Gardner, who is also a member of the local unit, received 2,000 hour pins for their services at the hospital. Both ladies were placed on the honor roll. The Auxiliary received recognition for six years of perfect attendance for Volunteer work at the hospital.

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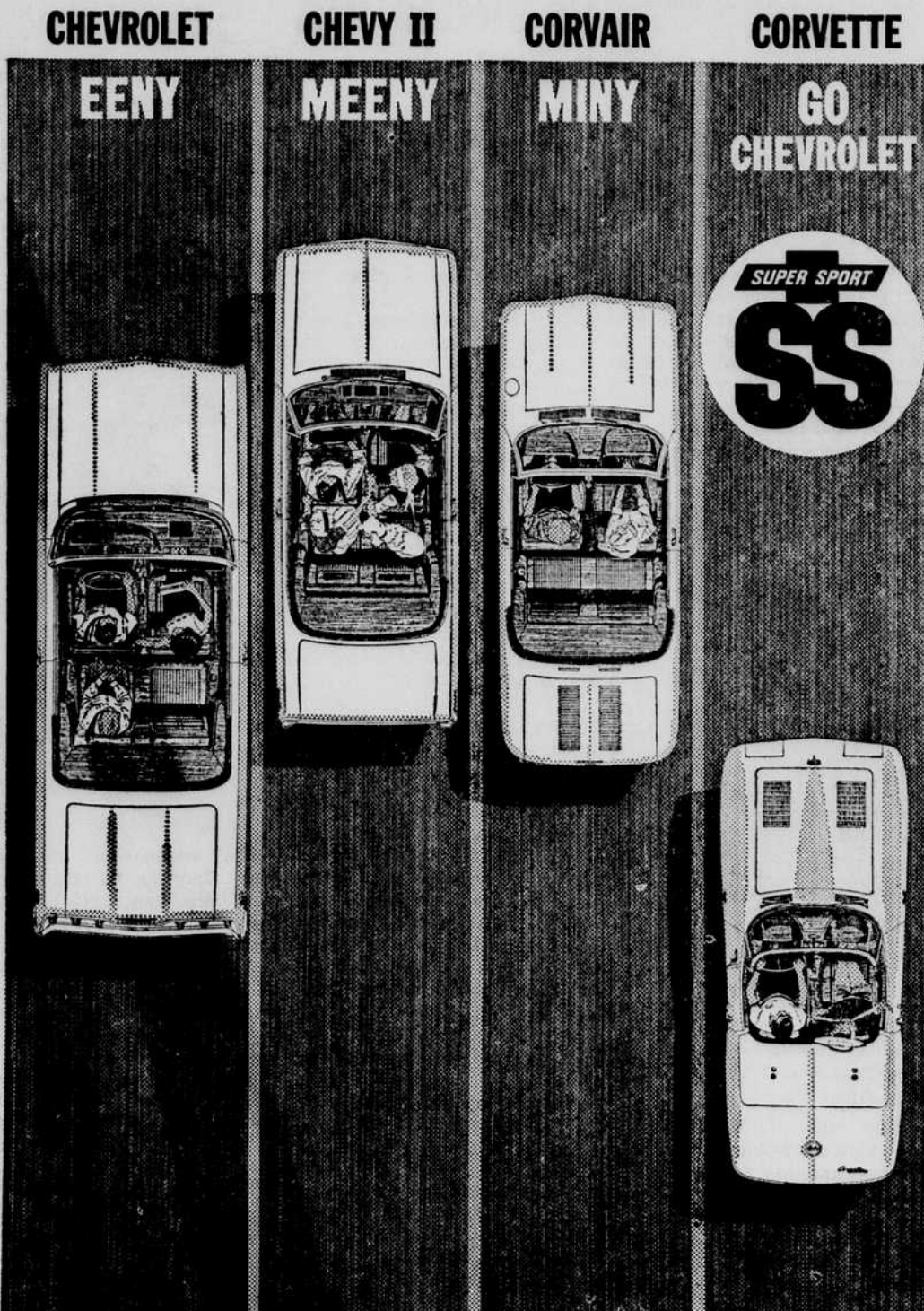
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