

Town Topics

Edith K. Benedict



Call Him Abe
When Edith, Bill and Allan Holcombe moved into the North Fork section they had the idea of pioneering, but this summer Allan has revived an art known better to those men who formerly settled the valley than to those presently there. This is the art of splitting with axe and wedge.

This summer the youngest Holcombe has split some 360 rails for use in beautifying the yards of at least two homes, theirs and one other. These rails were split from whatever wood was available, which unfortunately happened

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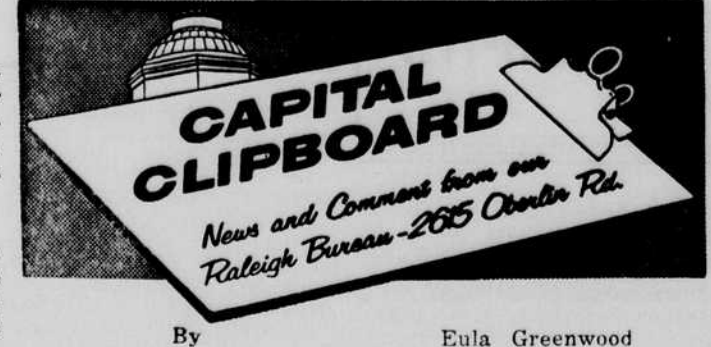
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being called "chicken" and other names a trifle less en- dearing, by the visitors following Friday night's game. There was nothing even slightly resembling the behavior of a chicken on the part of either Owen's players or their spectators. If ever boys played their hearts out the Warriors did—but this is Don Shuman's field. The bleachers in which we were located came more nearly resembling a bee hive in that during the entire game there was a steady procession of young people, mostly girls, back and forth. I began to think that three-fourths of the female population was either lost or had lost someone else. I presume that the object of going to the game isn't always to see the playing on the field, that on the sidelines becomes pretty interesting when two young fellows begin slugging it out with their rolled programs.

Every Day Pick-Up
The information that the town garbage truck is doing every day pick up service wherever it is needed in the downtown section is good news. This is relieving a situation that until a few months ago was causing unhappiness to several people.

This goes to show that, given time, and presentation of the problem to the right people, namely those who can solve it, we can whip most of our headaches. Credit for this move is due R. T. Greene, who with some rearranging of routes and rescheduling of time, brought about the improvement.

We may never have a perfect town. I hope not, for then what would there be to work on, but there were a few interested residents at the town board meeting of last week. There will be more as time goes on (this was a call meeting of that postponed from last month); regular meeting for this month is due Wednesday, the



By Eula Greenwood

BATTLE—One of Charlotte's wealthiest and most influential business men told friends in Raleigh flat-footedly last Friday that GOP Congressman Charles Jonas will not be a candidate for Governor next year.

"He means too much to us in Washington. If he should give up his place as our Representative and become Governor, his strength would be wasted on a Democratic Legislature. There would be a constant battle between the Republican executive branch and the Democratic legislative branch of government," said this big supporter of Charles Jonas.

"And that is assuming he should win out—and that is no sure thing," he added.

The Jonas strength is in wealthy, populous Mecklenburg County; and it is apparent the Republicans there are determined to keep their man in Washington.

So, look for a battle soon among the rank-and-file Republicans who view Jonas as their only chance to see inside the Mansion and the New Breed in Queen City.

Which side will win? THE GOAT—A more or less organized effort to convince Bert Bennett of Winston-Salem that he can't be elected Governor in 1964 has been under way since he suddenly resigned from the chairmanship of the State Democratic Executive Committee.

That's the word we get—and it adds up.

What gives anyway? There seems to be a lot of political amateurism in the air. For instance, the Winston-Salem Journal last Thursday ran an article as long as your leg promoting one Ralph M. Stockton, Jr., of that city as the man to succeed L. Richardson Preyer of Greensboro if Preyer gives up the Federal judgeship to which he was appointed by President Kennedy in 1961 to run for the Democratic nomination for Governor. It is rumored that Bennett, also of Winston-Salem, would not run. Wow! Meantime, a petition circulates in Guilford, which went solidly Republican a short while back urging Mr. Preyer to run for Governor. And the would-be candidate has taken to heart this encouragement.

If this is a fair sampling of political know-how in the big counties, it's no wonder to us they are swinging Republican. Pretty raw, to say the least.

From here, it looks as if Bert Bennett is being made the goat—of any unpopularity the Democratic Party may have run into because of forthright stands on a number of important issues of the day.

FAST—With Dan Moore of Canton announcing for Governor, and Dr. Henry Jordan deciding not to run, a candidate announcing from Hillsboro, and Preyer giving it prayer, things have moved fast with fall.

Even though acknowledging that Judge Moore made a mistake in announcing so early, Raleigh prophets were predicting that Bennett and Preyer would have definite statements of yea or nay very, very soon.

Strikingly different in the 1964 Ford fleet of commercial vehicles is the Falcon Ranchero and its panel companion, the Falcon Sedan Delivery. The compact 1964 Falcon Ranchero pickup shown here combines high style and passenger-car comfort with a handy size that can handle 84 percent of normal pickup jobs. A new, high-performance 260-cubic-inch V-8 engine is offered for 1964 together with an improved suspension for better ride and handling, better economy, and improved visibility and seating position for both short and tall drivers.

All new Ford light- and medium-duty trucks will be in Ford dealer showrooms September 27.

18th which is next week. Members of the board have tried to make it clear that anyone is welcome to hear the proceedings. It might make for more stimulating meetings if there were more interest shown by residents.

Trivia
Jim Stakias began his new job this week in the A&P store adjacent to the highway patrol station at Haw Creek—his family will continue to live here where his two children are in school and Jim will commute—his replacement is Mr. Gee which is an unusual name around here—and we said as much to Mr. S. Jim came back with "it hasn't been easy with one like Stakias." Actually Gee is easier and already can be spelled while only recently we have mastered the spelling of Stakias—best wishes to both young men—this is the week of the opening of Archie Wolf's new hardware store in the building formerly occupied by the Bradtons and speaking of Ruth and Larry, they are still vitally interested in Black Mountain although they are now in the shopping center—be sure to get that contribution in to Remember Youth, Inc., member industry likes to give us a helping hand, but they first like to see how much we like to help ourselves.

Mosses Marvel, seen on the front page, was so named by Mr. Usher, who had already seen the fruit—enjoy these fall vegetables because the fall insects foretell of the time in the not too distant future when the first frost will end all these good eats for another year.

Legal Notice

NOTICE
Legal Notice: An application for a construction permit has been tendered for filing with the Federal Communications Commission on August 20, 1963, by Swannanoa Valley Broadcasting Company—Harvey R. Loughter, Marie Ward Loughter, Thomas Paul Tisdale, and Jean Greene Tisdale, officers, directors and stockholders—for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on Class 111, frequency 1350 kc, with 500 watts power day time only, at Black Mountain, North Carolina. The studios and transmitter will be located on State Street, Black Mountain, Buncombe County, North Carolina, with an antenna 152 feet above ground.
Aug. 29; Sept. 5, 12, 1963

NOTICE
HAVING this day qualified as Administrator of the Estate of LELLA OWENBY, deceased, late of Buncombe County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned c/o R. E. Finch, Attorney, 108 Broadway, Black Mountain, North Carolina, on or before the 29th day of February, 1964, or else this notice will be placed in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.
This the 21st day of August, 1963.
JAMES M. OWENBY, Administrator of the Estate of LELLA OWENBY, deceased.
Aug. 29; Sept. 5, 12, 19, 1963

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE THE GENERAL COUNTY COURT
NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION
ELSIE TROUT POWELL, Plaintiff,
vs.
RUSSELL HOWARD POWELL Defendant,
TO: RUSSELL HOWARD POWELL:
The defendant above named, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the General County Court of Buncombe County, North Carolina, by the plaintiff through her Attorney, George Pennell, Esquire, against the defendant for divorce from the bonds of matrimony now existing between them; that the defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear on the 12th day of September, 1963, or within thirty-seven days thereafter at the office of the Clerk of the General County Court of Buncombe County, Asheville, North Carolina and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.
This the 20th day of August, 1963.
ZEBULON WEAVER, C. S. C. Ex-Officio Clerk, General County Court
By /s/ Zebulon Weaver D. C.
Aug. 22, 29; Sept. 5, 12, 1963

NOTICE OF FILING OF APPLICATIONS WITH THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Pursuant to the provisions of Section 311 (a) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, and Paragraph 1.359 of the Rules and Regulations of the Federal Communications Commission, notice is hereby given that there have been tendered for filing with the Federal Communications Commission by Blue Ridge Broadcasting Corporation applications requesting renewal of the licenses to operate Radio Station WFGW and FM Station WMTT, Black Mountain, North Carolina, in the public interest. Station WFGW operates daytime only on the frequency of 1010 kilocycles with a power of 10 kilowatts day and night.

Station WMTT operates unlimited time on the frequency of 106.9 megacycles with a power of 36 kilowatts day and night.

Blue Ridge Broadcasting Corporation is a member corporation. It is a non-stock corporation under the laws of the State of North Carolina. The officers of the corporation are: Dr. Billy Gramling, Chairman of the Board; L. Nelson Bell, President; George M. Wilson, Secretary-Treasurer; and Ronald E. Finch, Assistant Secretary-Treasurer. The Directors of the corporation are the preceding individuals and Clifford Barrows, T. W. Wilson and Grady Wilson.

The applications of these stations for a renewal of their licenses to operate the stations in the public interest were tendered for filing with the Federal Communications Commission on August 16, 1963. Members of the public who desire to bring to the Commission's attention facts concerning the operation of the stations should file with the Federal Communications Commission, Washington, D. C., not later than September 15, 1963. Letters should set forth in detail the specific facts which the writer wishes the corporation to consider in passing on the application.
Aug. 22, 29; Sept. 5, 12, 1963

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a Deed of Trust executed by RICHARD A. WOOD and wife, DOROTHY J. WOOD, d/b/a Gordon Lumber Co., dated August 14, 1962, and recorded in Deeds of Trust Book 635 at page 241 in the office of the Register of Deeds for Buncombe County, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and said Deed of Trust being in full force and effect, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court House door in Asheville, North Carolina, at 12 o'clock North Carolina time, on the 24th day of September, 1963, the property conveyed in said Deed of Trust, the same being and lying in the County of Buncombe, State of North Carolina, bounded and more particularly described as follows: Lying and being in Avery Creek Township, Buncombe County, North Carolina, and described as follows: BEGINNING at a nail in the center line of Clayton Road (formerly the Vanderbilt (formerly John Hunter) line, and running thence with said line S. 5 deg. 03' West 122.5 feet to a 2" pipe; thence with said line of the T. J. Roberts and others N. 84 deg. 52' West 844.9 feet to a marked white oak, the Southwest corner of the 70 acre tract described in deed from G. W. Clayton, Sr. et al to Bagwell Lumber Co., Inc. and recorded in Deed Book 833 on Page 265 in the office of the Register of Deeds for Buncombe County, North Carolina, and running thence with the old Andrew Johnson line and a fence N. 5 deg. 03' East 895.5 feet to a nail in the pavement and the center line of Clayton Road; thence with the center line of said road the following courses and distances: South 49 deg. 50' East 115.3 feet; South 52 deg. 23' East 278.3 feet; South 44 deg. 12' East 167.8 feet; South 38 deg. 42' East 358 feet; South 34 deg. 19' East 131.6 feet; South 28 deg. 26' East 94.6 feet to the BEGINNING. Containing 10.85 acres, more or less, and being all of the 70 acre tract hereinabove referred to lying and being Southwest of the center line of Clayton Road.

This sale will be made subject to 1963 taxes and easements, restrictions and encumbrances of record. The successful bidder will be required to deposit immediately with the Trustee, at the time of the sale, an amount equal to ten (10%) percent of said bid.

This the 19th day of August, 1963.
W. B. Stone, Trustee
Aug. 29; Sept. 5, 12, 19, 1963

NOTICE
State of North Carolina County of Buncombe
In the General County Court
NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION
IDA JEAN PITMAN, by her Next Friend, IDA SHELTON SUTTLER, Plaintiff,
vs.
BRUCE PITMAN, Defendant,
TO: BRUCE PITMAN:
TAKE NOTICE that a pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above entitled action.

The nature of the relief sought is as follows: For an absolute divorce, based upon the statutory grounds of two years separation. You are required to make defense to such pleadings within twenty (20) days from the 4th day of October, 1963, and upon your failure to do so, the party seeking service and relief against you will apply to the Court for the relief sought.
This the 29th day of August, 1963.
S/ ZEBULON WEAVER, Clerk of Superior Court, Ex-Officio Clerk of General County Court.
Sept. 6, 13, 20, 27, 1963.

cast Station WFGW, Black Mountain, North Carolina, tendered for filing with the Federal Communications Commission an application to increase the power of Station WFGW from 10 kilowatts day to 50 kilowatts day, with 10 kilowatts continuing to be used during the critical hours. Station WFGW operates on the frequency of 1010 kilocycles, daytime only.

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Aug. 22, 29; Sept. 5, 12, 1963

NOTICE
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a Deed of Trust executed by CHARLES L. GREER and wife, PANSEY K. GREER, dated June 6, 1956 and recorded in Deeds of Trust Book 548 at page 583, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Buncombe County, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and said Deed of Trust being in full force and effect, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the courthouse door in Asheville, North Carolina, at 12 o'clock North Carolina time, on the 24th day of September, 1963, the property conveyed in said deed of trust, the same lying and being in the County of Buncombe, State of North Carolina, in Black Mountain Township, and more particularly described as follows: Lying and being in Black Mountain Township, a n d fronting 75 feet more or less along the southern margin of the North Fork Road and more particularly described as follows: BEING Lot 9 and the Southern one-half (1/2) of Lot 10 as laid down and shown on Block 3 of the R. O. Alexander Property, a plat of which said property is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Buncombe County, North Carolina, in Plat Book 12 at pages 59 and 60, to which said plats reference is hereby made. Being a portion of the property conveyed by deed dated December 18, 1954 to the Grantor herein by Ray McSwain et ux., et al, which said deed is duly of record in the aforesaid Register of Deeds office in DB 755 at page 178 of the Buncombe County Records, to which said deed reference is hereby made.

But this sale will be made subject to all outstanding taxes and easements, restrictions and rights of way of record. The successful bidder will be required to deposit immediately with the Trustee, at the time of the sale, an amount of ten (10%) percent of said high bid.

This the 19th day of August, 1963.
Richard B. Stone, Trustee
Aug. 29; Sept. 5, 12, 19, 1963

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
Having qualified as Executor of the Estate of VIRGIE ELLIS LILEY, deceased, late of Buncombe County, North Carolina and Pinellas County, Florida, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned, Richard B. Stone, process agent, 120 State Street, Black Mountain, North Carolina, duly verified, on or before 6 months from the date hereof, or else this Notice will be placed in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 5th day of September, 1963.
MILTON D. JONES, Executor, suite 2, First Federal Building, Clearwater, Fla.
RICHARD B. STONE, Process Agent, 120 State Street, Black Mountain, N. C.
Sept. 5, 12, 19, 26, 1963.

NOTICE
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE IN THE GENERAL COUNTY COURT
IN RE THE MATTER OF THE CUSTODY OF MICHAEL STEVEN STAMPER, MINOR.
DOROTHY M. STAMPER, TAKE NOTICE:
That an action has been filed in the General County Court of Buncombe County, North Carolina, before the Judge, the same being a Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus regarding the custody of the minor child, Michael Steven Stamper, age 9, and specifically for the matters and things alleged in the Petition, a copy of the same being attached hereto, the petitioner being Herbert R. Stamper, father of said minor child, who is asking for custody of said child; you will take notice that a hearing of said matter will be held at 9:30 a.m. on October 31, 1963, on the seventh floor of the Buncombe County Court House before Burgin Pennell, Judge of said Court, or as soon thereafter as the petitioner can be heard and you will take notice that if you fail to appear on said date and show cause why the relief requested in the Petition should not be granted

then the relief prayed for in the Petition will be granted. s/ Burgin Pennell, Judge of General County Court, Buncombe County, N. C. Sept. 12, 19, 26; Oct. 3, 1963

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
Notice is hereby given that, a default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain Deed of Trust executed on February 15, 1962, by John Thomas Glenn and wife, Martha Ann Glenn, recorded in Trust Book No. 627, at Page 123, in the Register's Office of Buncombe County, North Carolina, the undersigned as Trustee, under and by virtue of the authority invested in him by the aforesaid Deed of Trust and instrument substituting him as Trustee will, having been requested to do by the owner and holder of the said indebtedness sell at the front door of the Courthouse in the City of Asheville, North Carolina, for cash to the highest bidder, in bar of all right and equity of redemption, at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, September 27, 1963, the following described premises, to-wit: BEGINNING at a stake, N. Lances corner, and runs north 2-1/2 deg. east 44-1/2 poles to a stake in M. S. Glenn's line, the same being M. J. Lance's northwest corner, a 12' right-of-way. At the above northwest corner of J. M. Lance's line west 50 feet to a stake marks t h e BEGINNING; thence south for 210 feet; thence in a easterly direction for 210 feet; thence in a northern direction for 210 feet to the BEGINNING, containing one acre, more or less. The above described property will be sold subject to applicable restrictions, and all unpaid taxes, local improvements, liens or other expense as it may be against same.

The proceeds of said sale will be applied in accordance with the provisions of the above mentioned Deed of Trust.
This August 29, 1963.
N. O. AKERS, Sub-Trustee
Sept. 5, 12, 19, 26, 1963.

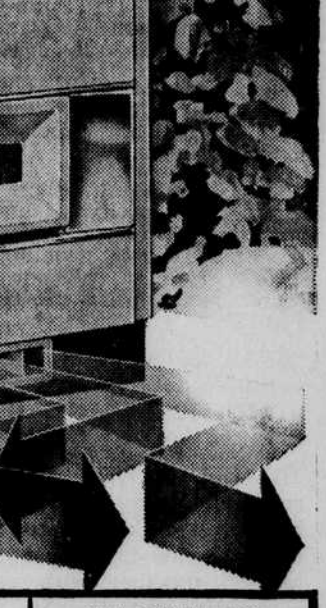
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