

# Staff DEEDS

by Mairred Morris

News items this week from Richmond, Guilford, Camden, Gaston, Macon, and McDowell Counties.

### CHECK CRABAPPLE TREES

Perfect results are almost guaranteed if you use crabapples to make jelly. Due to the large amount of pectin in the crabapples, it is usually easy to make a high quality jelly.

Mrs. Martha Adams, home economics agent in Richmond County, says another fruit that makes exceptionally good jelly is the "apple" from the flowering quince, or hawthorne plant.

### FARM AND HOME TOUR

Two of the homes included in the Guilford housing tour were the new home of the Mack Peoples' and the remodeled home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Parker. Miss Maude Middleton, home economics agent, says both homes are well planned and illustrate many good home features.

The Peoples' home features built-in storage areas in bedrooms, kitchen, den, and utility room. The most outstanding feature at the Parker's is the excellent room arrangement worked out in an old home.

### PRESIDENT IN NEW HOME

The Home Demonstration county council president in Camden County, Mrs. Charles Sawyer and her husband, have recently moved into their new home.

Mrs. Mamie Sawyer, home economics agent, says the couple built the brick home themselves except for the brick and tile work and installation of the heat and air conditioning units.

### LAMP MAKING

What kind of lighting do you have in your home? Homemakers in Gaston County are making portable lamps in workshops this month.

Miss Alice Bennett, assistant home economics agent, says portable lamps were featured in an exhibit in the Home Center so the homemakers could select the type of lamp they needed for both a decorative purpose as well as for a specific task.

### INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Mrs. Harold Gwinner, Macon County international relations chairman, encouraged Mrs. Ronald Jenkins to select a pen pal last year as a part of the international relations program.

Mrs. Jenkins reports that her friend from England has sent

several knitted gifts for her six-year-old daughter. Mrs. Florence Sherrill, home economics agent, says Mrs. Jenkins sent her friend a copy of the "Favorite Recipes from Macon County" cookbook.

### MEAT SELECTION

"Economic Beef Cuts" are receiving emphasis in McDowell County. Miss Rachel Keisler, home economics agent, says homemakers have been afraid to buy unfamiliar cuts of meats which can be just as tasty and nutritious as other cuts if cooked properly.

Information was given to the homemakers on meat cuts which should be cooked by dry and moist heat.

## Fire Prevention Program Set

As the nation's schools reopen for the fall term, the American Insurance Association reminds administrators that particular attention should be given to the organization of effective fire prevention programs.

It is of paramount importance, the Association said, that heating plants and sprinkler systems be inspected and properly maintained and that fire drills be scheduled regularly.

A complete fire prevention inspection blank in questionnaire form has been prepared by the American Insurance Association and may be obtained by writing to the Association at 110 William Street, New York, New York 10038.

First Baptist church was at Providence, R. I.

## Death Payments Reach \$39,700,000

North Carolina families received \$39,700,000 in death payments on their life insurance during the first half of 1965, according to the Institute of Life Insurance. The total has climbed 148 per cent since ten years ago.

Blake T. Newton, Jr., president of the Institute, explained that the rise in death benefit payments reflects the great increase in life insurance protection owned by American families. Death payments throughout the United States ran 115 per cent higher during the first half of 1965 than in the same period ten years ago, even though the mortality rate among policyholders generally has shown little change. Life insurance in force in the United States has risen 140 per cent during the past decade.

Death payments were made on a total of 27,900 policies in North Carolina during the first half of 1965, compared with 26,800 in the same period last year. The 1965 death payments included \$20,900,000 under 7,200 ordinary policies; \$13,500,000 under 5,900 group certificates, and \$5,300,000 under 14,800 industrial policies.

For the nation as a whole, death payments totaled \$2,393,400,000 under 1,281,500 policies during the first half of 1965, compared with \$2,283,000,000 under 1,234,600 policies in the same period last year. The 1965 figures include \$1,293,400,000 under 398,500 ordinary policies; \$892,200,000 under 320,900 group certificates; and \$207,800,000 under 562,100 industrial policies.



### AT WEST POINT — Cadet Larry S. Fulton (left) son of Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel D. Fulton, Route 1, Box 354, Grover, N. C., assists Sophomore Cadet Michael A. O'Neil, of West Newton, Mass., in firing the M-79 grenade launcher at Camp Buckner, the U. S. Military Academy's combat training reservation, during the summer camp that ended at West Point, N. Y., Aug. 29. Cadet Fulton and other West Point Third Classmen (Sophomores) were trained in the capabilities and tactical use of combat arms during the eight-week program. Part of the program was devoted to Reconno training, a combination of ranger-commando techniques. Five days were spent in the field, simulating tactical problems in counter-guerrilla operations. Cadets participated in day and night patrols, learned mountain climbing techniques, hand-to-hand combat, map reading and methods of survival. Cadet Fulton is scheduled to receive his bachelor of science degree in 1968 and will be commissioned a second lieutenant upon graduation from the academy. The 19-year-old cadet was graduated from Blacksburg (S. C.) High School in 1964. (U. S. ARMY PHOTO).

### DAIRY PRODUCT

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6 Pertaining to the moon	1 Stuff
10 Before	2 Chicken
11 Pledge	3 Put out
12 Upon	4 Painful
13 Decay	5 Female sheep
15 Haced	6 Cut of meat
16 Conciliatory	7 Relative
18 Also	8 Talent
19 Type measure	9 Foundation
20 Frozen water	10 Construct
21 Single	11 Tusk
23 Toward	12 Negative
24 Insect	13 Tavern
25 Dine	14 Vegetable
27 City	15 Adjudge
29 Fable	16 Writes on typewriter
31 Bachelor of Arts (abbr.)	17
32 Father	18
33 Winged creature	19
35 Camera eye	20
37 Excavate	21
38 Dance step	22
40 Exist	23
42 It is used to trap	24
45 Fox	25
46 3,1416	26
47 Drink slowly	27
49 Electors	28
51 Sister (coll.)	29
52 Crafty	30
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55 Abstract being	33
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### HARMON REUNION

Descendants of Haywood and Catherine Harmon will hold their annual reunion Sunday, Sept. 19th, with picnic lunch to be spread at 1 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Badger, 606 Graham street, Gastonia.

### Kings Mountain Herald

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## Health And Safety Tips

With the opening of another school year at hand, it's time to recall once again the dangers of bicycle riding.

Although exact figures are lacking, in recent years from 500 to 700 deaths and 30,000 to 40,000 injuries a year have occurred in collisions between bicycles and motor vehicles, says Today's Health Guide, the American Medical Association's manual of health information and guidance for the American family.

By far the greater number of these deaths and injuries were suffered by children from five to 14 years of age.

Parents must assume the major responsibility for the safety of their children. Parents must see that their young riders are taught when and where bicycling is safe; they must help get the bicycles in safe condition; they must promote a friendly and cooperative attitude toward law enforcement officers; they must help the child develop an understanding of the purposes of traffic regulations.

It is important to help your child work out safe bike routes to and from school, the park and other areas where he customarily rides. Bike riders using the roadways are subject to the same regulations, responsibilities and privileges as motor vehicle drivers.

The Bicycle Institute of America offers some safety rules...

- Observe all traffic regulations—red and green lights, one-way streets, stop signs.
- Keep to the right and ride single file. Keep a safe distance behind all vehicles.
- Have a headlight on front and a danger light on the rear of your bicycle for night riding. Wear white or light-colored clothing at night.
- Have a bell or horn to warn

## FILLERS

### Animal Act

A Pasadena, Calif., man found out recently that when you fight with your pet bear, you had better do it in private.

An animal trainer, the man was wrestling with his 287-pound Canadian black bear as a publicity stunt in front of an automobile agency when he was arrested and booked on suspicion of training an animal for fighting.

### Safety First

A Bridgewater, England, war hero, winner of the Croix de Guerre at Paschendaele, and seven times commended for bravery under fire, has resigned as a school crossing attendant at the local junior school. He says the work is too dangerous.

### Some Security

In Hyde, England, an embarrassed security guard explained to police someone stole his prowling wagon with a vicious guard dog caged inside and took it for a five-mile ride.

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## Telephone Talk

By R. B. MOORE

... I am sure you noticed the new face and name appearing in today's Telephone Talk. It means a lot to a newcomer to be made to feel at home as quickly as all of you have made me feel. My first few days on my new assignment have been busy ones, but very enjoyable and it has given me a great deal of pleasure to meet and make so many new friends in such a short time. I hope to make many more in the near future . . .

ON SEPTEMBER 17, 1787, THE CONSTITUTION WAS OFFICIALLY ADOPTED AS THE LAW OF OUR LAND. Each year we commemorate the event by celebrating Citizenship Day, a day set aside to remind us of our privileges and duties as American citizens. It's easy to take our freedom for granted and forget that people in many parts of the world are still fighting for it. On Citizenship Day . . . and all the rest of the year . . . let's remember that the liberties won for us so many years ago can be lost unless we keep working to encourage and preserve them.

BACK IN THE EARLY YEARS OF THE TELEPHONE, people had to shout to be heard at the other end of the line. Seems incredible now, doesn't it? These days you can phone all the way around the world, talk in a natural voice, and be heard clearly and easily. But this kind of improvement doesn't happen by accident. It's the result of constant research and development. Dramatic improvements have been made in the past 10 years in the reproduced quality of your voice; in fact, improvement in telephone communications is a continuing process. Holding the receiver in the right way also helps give your voice greater clarity and just the right voice volume. Simply rest the receiver comfortably flat against your ear, and hold the other end directly in front of your mouth. Automatically, it will be the right distance from your lips . . . and you'll be making the most of the wonderful convenience and dependability of your telephone!

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