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by Jan Christensen

News items this week from the staff of Kings Mountain Extension District.

IMPROVED STUDY AREAS
Orange, Sampson, McDowell and Currituck counties are becoming a reality for many families. According to Mrs. Bonnie B. Davis, home economics Extension agent, 43 study lamps were built recently in four Extension-sponsored workshops.

The best seller for study area improvement is the "satisfied customer—the person who makes a lamp and enjoys using it so much she convinces neighbors and friends that they need one, too, Mrs. Davis notes.

Many workshop participants decided they wanted a second lamp before they finished making the first one, she added.

One homemaker, Mrs. Velma Cates, Hurdle Mills, Rt. 1, found the lamp a favorite of all her children. So she ordered four more; enough to provide well-lighted study areas for all family members.

MAKE USE OF TALENTS
Two members of the Epworth Extension Homemakers Club in Sampson County have made good use of their resources, reports Frances Temple, home economics Extension agent.

Mr. Worth Gurkin, mother of

three sons, knits in her spare time.

She traded Mrs. Gerald Culver, a neighbor, two hand-knit sweaters for a bird dog.

The Gurkin and Culver families believe they will profit from this moneyless exchange, Miss Temple notes.

READING PROGRAM

How many books have you read lately? If you asked this question of Mrs. Herbert Wheeler of the Catawba Extension Homemakers Club, McDowell County, she would answer 168.

Mrs. Wheeler recently received an award for reading and reporting on more books than any other Extension homemaker in the county, Rachel L. Keisler, home economics Extension agent, adds. When someone asked Mrs. Wheeler how she finds time to read an average of three books a week, her answer was this: "We do not have television."

The Homemakers Reading Program, encouraged by the North Carolina Agricultural Extension Service, strives to inspire women to read more and better books, the agent relates.

HELPS PAY BILL

Having a shop nearby that will handle native crafts is important to many a skilled North Carolina homemaker.

But an outlet that would sell her antique glass and hand-crafted items was especially important to Mrs. W. N. Walker of Coinjock, Currituck County.

"Having a sales outlet meant an extra income of almost \$70 toward a hospital bill," the homemaker noted.

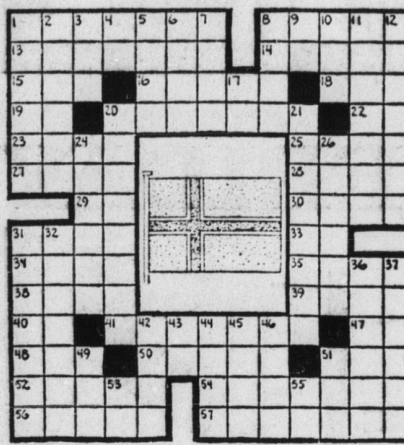
Mrs. S. A. Watkins, president of the Poplar Branch Extension Homemakers Club, opened a craft shop in June, Mrs. Elizabeth P. Sanderlin, home economics Extension agent, notes. That shop is an important sales outlet for many craftsmen of the Albemarle area, she adds.

WEEKLY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

National Banner

- HORIZONTAL
- 1 Depicted in the flag of
- 8 Its currency unit is the
- 13 Bullfight assistant
- 14 Greek dialect
- 15 Noah's ship
- 16 Empty
- 18 Document (ab.)
- 19 Lower case (ab.)
- 20 Summertime
- 22 Dry measure (ab.)
- 23 Otherwise
- 25 Goddess of discord
- 27 Observed
- 28 Take
- 29 District attorney (ab.)
- 30 Calls for silence
- 31 Decree
- 33 Weight measure (ab.)
- 34 Proposition
- 35 Dash
- 38 Predictive
- 39 Dry
- 40 Time measure (ab.)
- 41 Scent bags
- 47 Exists
- 48 Reykjavik is capital
- 50 Bluish-purple
- 51 Its springs produce natural water
- 52 Chemical word element

Here's the Answer



T/SGT. ROBERT A. PACE

Sgt. Pace Finishes Officers' Academy

SAN ANGELO, Tex. — Technical Sergeant Robert A. Pace, son of Mrs. Beatrice Pace, 615 Seventh St., Beaver Falls, Pa., has been graduated from the U. S. Air Force Senior Noncommissioned Officers Academy at Goodfellow AFB, Tex.

Sergeant Pace, who received advanced military leadership and management training, is a radio equipment technician.

The sergeant was graduated in 1956 from Beaver Falls High School and attended the University of Maryland Far East Division.

His wife, Ernestine, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Byers, Rt. 2, Kings Mountain, N.C.

Dover Serving in Vietnam Post

VIETNAM (PHNOC) Nov. 14 — Marine Lance Corporal Ronald M. Dover, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. James V. Dover of 105 Cleveland Ave., Kings Mountain, N. C., and husband of the former Miss Gale

Clark of 416 E. Washington Ave., Bessemer City, N. C., is serving with Marine All Weather Attack Squadron 533, a unit of the First Marine Aircraft Wing in Vietnam. The wing has been awarded

the Presidential Unit Citation for its combat achievements during the period of May 1965 to September 1967.

Air arm of the Third Marine Amphibious Force, the wing operates several hundred aircraft which includes fighter, attack, reconnaissance, helicopter and transport aircraft.

In addition to providing aviation support for the First and Third Marine Divisions, the First Marine Aircraft Wing supports other American and Allied forces in the five northernmost provinces of South Vietnam.

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