

MENTAL HEALTH FACTS

TEACHER INFLUENCE

The fact of the influence of school teachers' expectations of what their student may do upon what they actually achieve has long been known.

But new light is being shed upon exactly how this happens and works.

Do teachers somehow let their students know that they expect high or low performance from them and as a result get what they expect?

Several studies have indicated that students who are expected to do well receive treatment more likely to cause them to bring in good work.

Differences in teacher behavior in this regard have recently been studied in 7th grade classrooms

than the low groups.

Perhaps the most notable finding was that low achievement students received much less teacher contact than did the high and middle achievers. The middle group, for example, received twice as much teacher contact as the low group. Low achieving students consistently had a relatively inferior interaction pattern with the teachers.

The scientists conducting the study make the important point that such investigation should help remove the "aura of magic" about teacher's expectations and influences and help pave the way toward analyzing and handling instructional processes to provide more equal opportunities and benefits for all students.

Patrolmen Are Promoted

CHERRY POINT. — Marine Pfc. Randall S. Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Jones of Route 2, Kings Mountain, has reported for duty at Marine Corps Air Station, Cherry Point.

Four Students Are Teachers

BOONE. — Four students from Kings Mountain are among the 217 Appalachian State University seniors who are putting three years of college study into practice through a 12-week student teaching program this fall.

Phones Reach 8,798 Mark Here

When Southerners want to get things said or done, they reach for the telephone. Nowadays, they are reaching more often and there are more and more phones to reach for.

Today Southern Bell arrived at the eight million mark for telephones in service, just a year and seven months after installing its seventh million.

R. B. Moore, South Bell manager, said that any one of the phones added in Kings Mountain today could have been the company's milestone eight millionth.

It took nearly 68 years—from 1879 to 1947—for the company to reach its first million telephones in the four states it now serves—Florida, Georgia, North Carolina and South Carolina. In contrast, the second millionth was installed within seven years and three months. Each successive million has taken a shorter interval.

"Telephone growth in Kings Mountain has closely paralleled that of the region as a whole," Moore said. "For example, in 1947 there were 1,041 Southern Bell telephones in service here; today there are 8,798—a gain of over 845 per cent. And we expect this trend to continue as the population increases and the economy expands."

Transco Stock Plan Advised

The 62,000 holders of the common stock of Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line corporation are being notified today of a plan by which they can have their Transco dividends invested automatically in additional shares of Transco stock.

The arrangement which makes this possible is offered by Morgan Guaranty Trust company of New York as transfer agent for Transco common stock. Stockholders who utilize it will pay a fee for the service in addition to a proportionate share of the brokerage commissions incurred on the total amount of stock bought for stockholders using the plan.

Because Morgan Guaranty will consolidate the purchases of all stockholders, the amount of commission paid each will normally be less than if the stockholders made their purchases individually.

Patrolmen Are Promoted

RALEIGH. — Seven members of the North Carolina highway patrol received promotions in rank at ceremonies held at Highway Patrol Troop "C" Headquarters in Raleigh on Thursday, Sept. 14 at 3 p. m. The seven members were veterans troopers with a total of 145 years service with the patrol.

Presiding at the promotion ceremonies were Commissioner of Motor Vehicles Joe W. Garrett and Highway Patrol Commander Colonel Edwin Guy. The oaths of office were administered by Secretary of State Thad Eure.

First Lieutenant O. R. McKinley, executive officer of Troop G at Asheville, was promoted to captain and assigned duties as commander of Troop TD, Greensboro. He replaces Captain W. S. McKinley of Greensboro who recently retired. Captain O. R. McKinley, a native of Forest City, has served on the patrol since 1947. He has been stationed at Mt. Holly, Shelby, Lexington, Fayetteville, Charlotte and Asheville.

Shields, Smith To Conference

J. Don Shields and Ronald E. Smith represented Cleveland County Emergency Services at the 14th annual conference of the N. C. Civil Defense Association held in Greensboro, Sept. 10-12.

Shields received one of six awards presented in the state. The "Award of Special Merit" was for outstanding contribution in improving the emergency preparedness capabilities of the county of Cleveland.

Shields, Smith To Conference

SILK

Among the world's oldest known fibers, silk was discovered by a young Chinese Empress in 2640 B. C.

Line Sergeant W. M. Boykin, Hillsborough, was promoted to the rank of first sergeant and assigned duties at High Point. Sergeant Boykin has been a member of the patrol since 1948 and has served at Tarboro, Rocky Mount, Washington and Hillsborough.

Trooper D. R. Stewart, Charlotte, was promoted to line sergeant and assigned duties at Graham. Sergeant Stewart is a native of Biscoe in Montgomery county. He is a veteran of 18 years with the patrol and has served at Newell, Marion, Mooresville and Charlotte.

Trooper J. J. Reynolds, Lincolnton, was promoted to line sergeant and assigned to Hillsborough. Sergeant Reynolds joined the highway patrol in 1955 and has served at Burgaw, Hickory and Lincolnton.

Trooper J. E. Powell, Maxton, was promoted to line sergeant

ACCENT ON AGRICULTURE

CHANGING IMAGE

The changing image of today's modern farmer is long overdue. The fellow in the bib overalls and straw hat with hayseed in his mouth is a memory of the past. At least, it should be.

For one thing, there is a new breed of farmer appearing on the scene. He's young, very often with some college, very much open to change, and considers farming as a business from which to make a profit—the same as any other businessman.

As the number of farmers decrease, a heavier burden is put on our remaining farmers to continue to provide food and fiber for a growing population. This has led to adaptation to change and new technology on the part of farmers. It has also led to the realization that they must join together in order to further their economic cause.

Today's modern farmer is realizing that his interests—and ultimately the interests of consumers—can best be served by joining together in a strong farm organization. This togetherness and unity of purpose is also giving the farmer a new and different image—an image of determination and vitality.

In fact, today's farmer is a lot more than just another businessman. The large investment needed to get into farming (or stay in) is staggering, while the small return of his investment of capital and labor is appalling.

His economic well-being is subject to the weather, insects, and a host of local, state, and national regulations. It helps if he has had to adaptation to change a mechanic, bookkeeper and veterinarian.

But first and foremost, he is a modern businessman who feels he is justified (and rightly so) in sharing proportionately in the fruits of his labors.

All Channel VHF/UHF

remote control special

color TV

Insta-Matic® Color Tuning makes possible **2 BUTTON remote control**

Because of Insta-Matic Color Tuning, Motorola eliminated the complicated color adjustment buttons on the remote control transmitter to make remote control tuning easy. See a demonstration today! It's a great value!



Model TT894JW

MOTOROLA Quasar II works-in-a-drawer™ console color TV

now only **\$499.95**

Bridges Radio & TV
Sales & Service N. Piedmont Ave. Ph. 739-4416

STATEMENT

AMERICAN HARDWARE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY

Assets		
Bonds	\$41,489,333.29	
Stocks	4,587,735.76	
Real estate	3,946,123.98	
Cash and bank deposits	1,572,582.43	
Agents' balances or uncollected premiums, net	5,772,567.24	
Reinsurance recoverable on loss payments	142,728.30	
Interest, dividends and real estate income due and accrued	490,247.56	
All other assets as detailed in statement	704,090.75	
Total Assets:	\$58,705,409.31	
Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds		
Losses	\$16,281,720.00	
Loss adjustment expenses	4,302,220.00	
Other expenses (excluding taxes, licenses and fees)	1,182,670.00	
Taxes, licenses and fees (excluding Federal income taxes)	1,035,896.00	
Federal income taxes	427,615.00	
Unearned premiums	18,626,845.42	
Dividends declared and unpaid: (b) Policyholders	227,782.00	
Funds held by company under reinsurance treaties	66,559.01	
Amounts withheld or retained by company for account of others	86,954.11	
Reinsurance on paid losses (\$379.56) and on unpaid losses \$8,229.00 due from unauthorized companies	\$7,849.44	
Total	\$7,849.44	
Less funds held or retained by company for account of such unauthorized companies	\$7,849.44	
Excess of liability and compensation statutory reserves over case basis and loss expense reserves	354,224.94	
All other liabilities, as detailed in statement	2,317,955.56	
Total Liabilities	\$44,910,442.04	
Special surplus fund	7,836.00	
(Guaranty Fund)	700,000.00	
Unassigned funds (surplus) 13,087,131.27		
Surplus as regards policyholders	13,794,967.27	
Total	\$57,705,409.31	
Business in North Carolina During 1971		
LINE OF BUSINESS	Direct Premiums Written	Direct Losses Incurred
1. Fire	\$ 9,590.00	\$ (757.04)
2. Allied lines	2,889.00	
4. Homeowners multiple peril	23,169.15	6,272.36
5. Commercial multiple peril	47,438.50	16,484.79
9. Inland marine	1,203.00	485.82
14. Group accident and health	674.83	1,026.40
15.6 All other A & H	273.80	
16. Workmen's compensation	20,686.62	(1,592.63)
17. Liability other than auto	4,372.23	(43.75)
19. Auto liability	119,290.27	62,007.39
21. Auto physical damage	41,113.23	15,851.58
24. Surety	390.00	
25. Glass	274.00	412.01
26. Burglary and theft	2,495.00	1,029.51
31. Totals	\$273,859.63	\$101,176.44

President R. S. Hanson
Treasurer W. W. Zetzman; Secretary, R. F. Fenske
Home Office 3033 Excelsior Boulevard, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55416
Attorney for service: Edwin S. Lanier, Commissioner of Insurance, Raleigh, N.C.

North Carolina Insurance Department, Raleigh, July 17, 1972

I, Edwin S. Lanier, Commissioner of Insurance, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the AMERICAN HARDWARE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55416 filed with this Department, showing the condition of said Company on the 31st day of December, 1971.

Witness my hand and Official seal, the day and date above written.

Commissioner of Insurance
Edwin S. Lanier

KINGS MOUNTAIN BESSEMER CITY

DRIVE-IN THEATRE

BOX OFFICE OPENS AT 7:15
SHOW STARTS AT 8:00

ALWAYS \$2.00 A CARLOAD!

THURS.-SAT. * DOUBLE BILL!

NO. 1
M.A.S.H. Color

NO. 2
THE GOOD, THE BAD AND THE UGLY Color

SUN.-WED. * DOUBLE BILL!

NO. 1
THE HOT ROCK Color

NO. 2
ELVIS IN KID GALAHAD In Color

Wed. Movies Run Reverse Ord.

JOY

SHOWS WED., THURS., FRI., MON., TUES. 4:30 - 7:30
SAT. 1:30 - 4:30 - 7:30 - SUN. 1:45 - 9:00

PARAMOUNT PICTURES PRESENTS

The Godfather

ALBERT S. RUDDY PRODUCED BY

STARRING: Marlon Brando

AL Pacino James Caan Richard Castellano Robert Duvall Sterling Hayden John Marley Richard Conte Diane Keaton

PRODUCED BY DIRECTED BY SCREENPLAY BY

ALBERT S. RUDDY FRANCIS FORD COPPOLA MARIA PUAO AND FRANCIS FORD COPPOLA

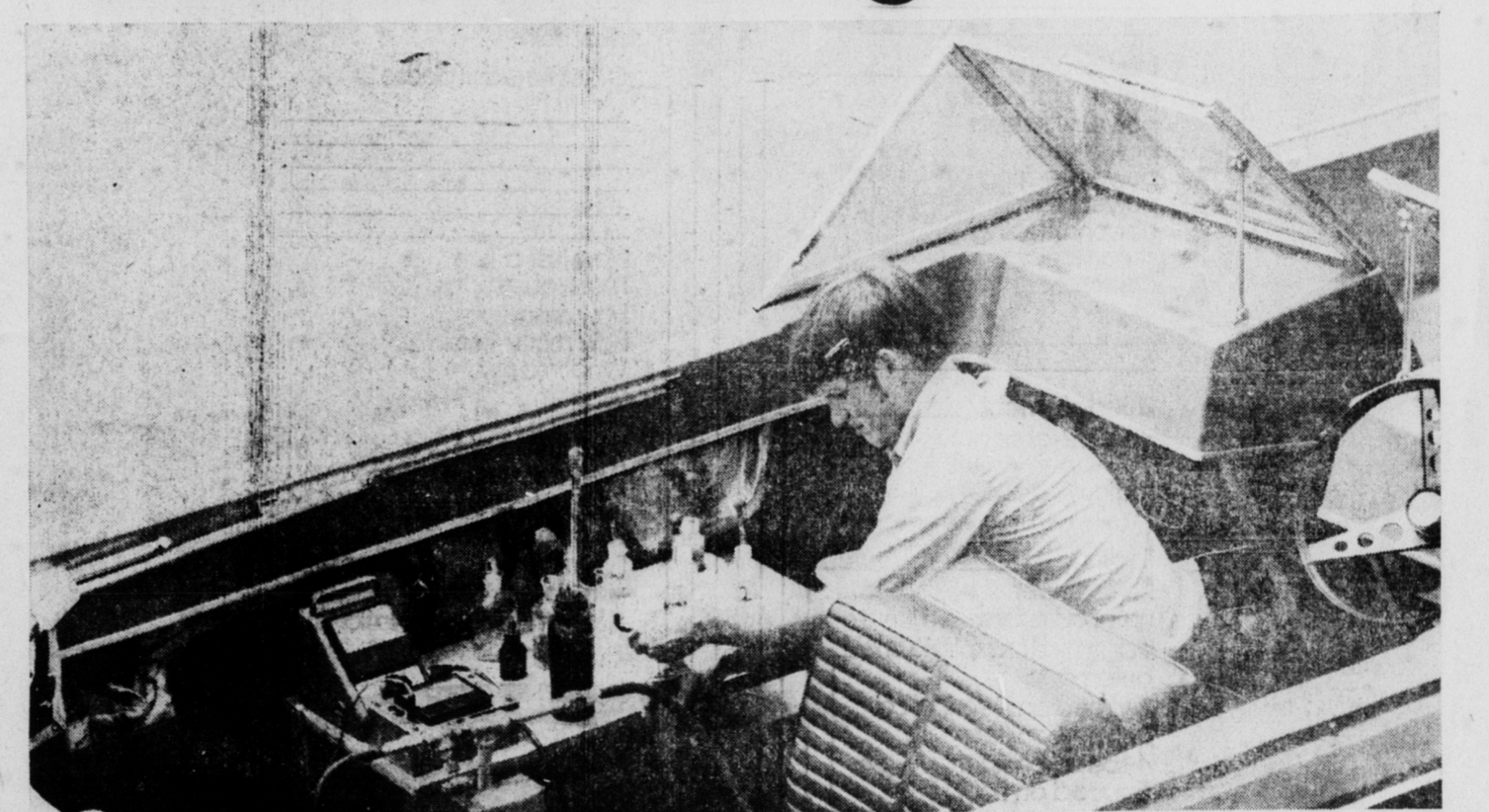
MARIA PUAO NOVEL "THE GODFATHER" SCREENPLAY BY MARLON BRANDO AND FRANCIS FORD COPPOLA

THE GODFATHER

LATE FLICK FRI. SAT. 10:30 P.M. ADULT
"BELOW THE BELT" RATED (X) ALL SEATS \$1.25

139-2176 • DOWNTOWN KINGS MOUNTAIN
COMING NEXT WEEK "STEP MOTHER"

Bill Adair is a fisheries biologist.



He works for you.


Bill's main job is to make certain that fish in Duke Power's lakes are not harmed by the luke-warm water discharge from our steam electric generating stations.

The stations are designed so that the maximum temperature of discharged water is about the temperature of the human body. And this heat radiates rapidly to the atmosphere.

To check on the design and operations of the stations, we continually monitor temperatures and make biological studies of the water in our lakes.

So you'll find good fishing on Duke Power's lakes. Some of the best, in fact, is near our stations. And our scientists—like Bill Adair—are working closely with governmental and independent scientists to keep it that way.

It's just one of the many things we're doing to make this a better place to live.

Duke Power 
Making life a little better