

Davie Dateline

Fund Raisers

Ongoing
Mingo, Mockville Moore Lodge 1949, Fri-
days. Doors open at 6, first game at 7 p.m.

Religion

Ongoing
Theological Baptist Church: Sunday School,
9:45 a.m., Worship, 11 a.m.; Night Service,
6:30 p.m. Pastor - Rev. Billy Slope.
Episcopal Church of the Ascension, Fork-
Bitty Rd., Sun. School, 10 a.m. Worship, 11
a.m. Rev. Edwin T. Bailey, 284-4500.
Dial A Story Ministry for children. Bill and
Peggy Long of Advance, 998-7716.
Services at the Oaks, Apt. 7A, Milling
Road, 7 p.m., Thursdays, Bishop T.R. Rice.
Clement Grove Church of God, Wednes-
day prayer service, 7 p.m. Saturday morning
School, 10 a.m.
Green Meadows Baptist Church mid-week
prayer and Bible study, 7 p.m.
Dette Foster Christian Seniors Club, 4th
Tuesday, Oak Grove Methodist, 10 a.m.

Reunions

Sunday, Jan. 28
Dancing Boots. All former Dancing Boots
invited to planning meeting in Davie High
parking lot for reunion to be held in Sept.
For more info, call 940-5905.

Special Events

Ongoing
Immunization clinic, Health Dept., adult
and child, every Tuesday, 4:30-7 p.m. Flu
and pneumonia vaccines available.

Dates to Remember

Tuesday, Jan. 2
First day to file candidacy for 1996 elec-
tions. Closing date: Feb. 5.
Ongoing
Recycling truck at Union Chapel Method-
ist, 4th Saturday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.
Recycling truck at Jericho-Hardison Ru-
rian bldg., 3rd Sunday, 8:30-11 a.m.
Preschool storytime, Tuesdays, 11 a.m.,
county public library and at Coolee
branch. 30-minute program at 11 a.m. For
children ages 3-5. Music, read aloud, stories,
films, masery rhymes.
Crystal Ballroom Dance Club dance, 2nd
Sunday, Mockville Elementary gym, 8-11
p.m. No charge.

Meetings

Monday, Jan. 8
Commissioners from County Admin. 11:00 a.m.
1 p.m. Rescheduled due to holidays.
Monday, Jan. 22
Davie County Board of Commissioners,
Commissioners Room, County Admin. Bldg.,
7 p.m.
Ongoing
Coolee Town Board, 2nd Monday,
Town Hall, 7 p.m. unless otherwise noted.
TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), Thurs-
days, 7:30 p.m. Bethlehem United Methodist
Church, Redland Rd. For info, call 998-4347.
Advance Garden Club, 1st Tuesdays, 9:30
a.m. Mocks United Methodist Church, 998-
4349. Children provided.
Mockville Garden Club, 1st Thurs., First
United Methodist Fellowship Hall, 7 p.m.
Sons of Confederate Veterans, 1st Friday,
Coolee Historical Building, 7 p.m.
Mockville Rotary Club, Tuesdays, 12:10
p.m., Rotary Hut.
Take Off Pounds Sensibly, Concord Meth-
odist Church, Mondays, 6 p.m. and 6:25 p.m.
or Bethlehem Methodist Church, 7:30-8:30
p.m. Thursdays.

Recreation

For more information on these events, call
Mockville-Davie recreation, 634-2325.

Rec Club

Before or after school and out of school
programs. Registration open.

Dance Company

Preschool-grades, tap, ballet, ballroom, jazz,
contemporary, contemporary ballroom.

Special Olympics

Various activities ongoing.

Davie Youth Council

9th-12th graders, community involvement,
leadership program. 1st, 3rd Thursdays, 7-8
p.m., Davie County Library.

Silverstriders Walk Club

Seniors, 50 and up, M-F, 6 a.m.

Mothers Morning Out

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9-11:30 a.m.

Yoga Classes

Thursdays, 6:30-8 p.m.

YMCA

PreSchool Power

Ages 3-4, Mon. & Wed., 9:30-11:30 a.m.
Pre-registration required. Members, \$30/
month. Others, \$50/month.

Bible Study

Tuesdays, 7 a.m. Open to all interested.

Karate

Learn self-defense. Build confidence. Exer-
cise at your pace. Tuesdays, 7-9 p.m. \$15/
month. Discounts for family enrollment.

Gymnastics

Co-ed class ages 5-12. Bars, beam, vault,
floor and more. For info, call Michele Shaver.

Parties, Room Rentals

Meeting rooms, kitchen, pool, gym, track.
Contact Victoria Gaidner for info.

WSV Swim Team

Year-round swimming program. Call Coach
Danny Vestal for info.

Before/After-school Child Care

Ongoing. Call Patty Holges for more info.

Aerobics

Low, High Impact, Step, Interval, Sr. Aqua
Aerobics; more. Call or come by for sched-
ule.

Senior Friday

Sen 62 and up use Y free, 8:30-11:30 a.m.

Seniors

Call 634-0611 for more info. Location is
Brook Center unless noted otherwise.

Thursday, Dec. 28

RSVP Sewing "B", RSVP Office, 9 a.m.-1
p.m.

Friday, Dec. 29

Bridge, East Room, 2-5 p.m.
Senior Ongoing
Silver Striders, Brook Gym, 6:30-9 a.m.,
Monday-Friday.
Silver Striders, Coolee Elementary
School, 7-8 a.m.
Silver Striders, Smith Grove Gym, 7-9 a.m.
School, 7-8 a.m.
Silver Striders, M&W at Brook, 7:30-8 a.m.
T & Th. at Coolee; M&W 8:15-8:45
a.m. at Smith Grove. Exercise, nutrition
classes.
VVVEDD Senior Nutrition lunch, noon M-
W, 11 a.m. Thurs. & Fri.

Coolee American Legion Post 54, Le-
gion Hut, Gladstone Road, 7:30 p.m., 1st and
3rd Mondays except holidays.
Advance Masonic Lodge No. 710, 2nd
Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. at the lodge.
Farmington Masonic Lodge No. 265, 2nd
Monday, 7:30 p.m. at the lodge.
Cancer support group, 2nd Tuesday, 7
p.m. Davie Library, for cancer patients, friend,
family. 1-800-228-7421 or 634-0313.
Mockville Lions Club, 1st, 3rd Thursdays,
7 p.m., Davie Hospital cafeteria.
Mockville-Davie Homebuilders, 4th
Thursday, 7 p.m., Captain Stevens.
Davie High Boosters, 3rd Monday, 7 p.m.,
school cafeteria.
Disabled American Veterans No. 75 and
Auxiliary, 3rd Monday, 7:30 p.m., chapter
home, U.S. 601 south of Mockville.
Farmington Ruriklan Club, 2nd Thursday,
7:30 p.m., Farmington Methodist church.
HELPS Ministries, Christian recovery pro-
gram for women sexually abused as children.
Mondays, 7:30 p.m., 41 court Square, Room
210, 634-9030.
Golden Age Club, 1st Monday, East Room,
St. Center, Brock Bldg., 10 a.m.
Alzheimers Support Group, 3rd Thursday,
7 p.m., Mockville Church of Christ fellow-
ship hall, N. Main St. 998-8166.
Humane Society of Davie, 2nd Tuesday,
county administration bldg., commissioners'
room, 7 p.m.
Breast-feeding Support Group, 2nd Tues-
day, Davie Health Dept., 6-7:30 p.m.
Parents Resource Organization (PRO) sup-
port group for families of children with dis-
abilities, 2nd Tuesday, 7 p.m. Call Rosemary
Kropf at 998-3111 for location.
Jericho-Hardison Ruriklan Club, 2nd Tues-
day, 7 p.m., club building.
Health Dept., clinic hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-
11:30 a.m., 1-4:30 p.m.; Tuesdays, 4:30-7
p.m.; Teen Health Promotion Clinic, 8:30
a.m.-noon, 2nd, 4th Saturdays.
Davie County Board of Social Services,
4th Tuesday, 5:30 p.m. at DSS.
Mockville AA, Wed., 8 p.m. - closed
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tine at 998-9885 or Terry 940-5944.

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Healthy Resolutions Runners Take It To The Streets In YMCA's 7th Annual Road Race

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DAVIE COUNTY ENTERPRISE RECORD

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County Puts \$88,000 More Into Cleaning Up Oil Behind Courthouse

By Mike Barnhardt

Davie County Enterprise Record

Davie County commissioners only wish they had the luck of Jed Clampett. They've struck oil, but instead of finding black gold to make them millionaires, they've found a black hole which continues to suck in county money, more than \$100,000 to date.

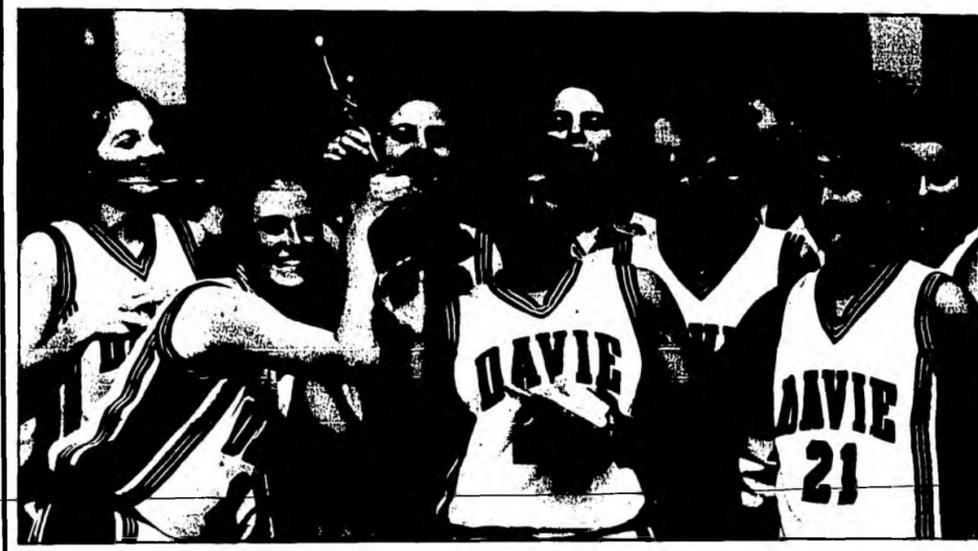
The county has already spent approxi- mately \$80,000 trying to find the source of the oil, which began coming to the surface last year behind the county court- house, where a new law enforcement center is scheduled to be built. Although that source hasn't been definitely identified, the county and contracted engineers have theories they think state water quality officials will agree with, said David Plott, county public works director.

"I think they bought into our scenario," Plott told county commissioners Dec. 18. "We only got three written comments, and none of those related to the source." That is important because if approved by the state, the county could be reimbursed all but \$50,000 of the clean-up costs, a figure which rose again last month when county commissioners authorized spending an additional \$88,000.

"The big concern is reimbursement, but regardless of that fact, we need to clean it up," said County Manager Ken Windley. A deep well to test the ground water has been installed, and architects want contaminated soil removed before begin- ing construction on the law enforcement center, which will include a new jail and offices for the sheriff's department.

Plott said the \$88,000 new expenditure was figured on the "high" side, because no one knows for sure how much oil is in the ground. The money will pay for removal of the contaminated soil, as well as an oil and water separator downstream from the problem, which will not have to be oper- ated after all of the contamination is cleaned. "At some point, there should be an end to all of this," said Commissioner Diane Foster.

We Are The Champions



Members of the Davie High School varsity girls basketball team are all smiles after winning the title game in the Sam Molr Christmas Classic at Catawba College over the holidays. For a story and more photographs of the triumph, please turn to page B1. Photo by James Barringer

Filing Begins For State And Local Offices

The filing for political offices to be elected in 1996 began this week, and N.C. Sen. Betsy Cochrane was the first to announce her candidacy for re-election.



Cochrane, a Republican from Advance, currently holds the seat representing Davie, portions of Davidson and Rowan counties and the Village of Clemmons in Forsyth County.

Other offices to be elected this year include two Davie County Board of Education seats now held by Luther Potts and Nancy Grooms; county commission seats now held by Carl Boon, Jeff Harrison and Joe Long; the register of deeds, now held by Henry Shore; and the 74th District N.C. House of Representatives, a seat now held by Julie Howard (R-Davie).

Cochrane said she has been, and will continue to be an advocate for education, the elderly and the environment, particularly clean water.

"If I am returned to the Senate by the voters of the 38th District, those citizens can be assured that a philosophy of limited government and a belief in the rights of individuals will continue to guide my decisions," she said. "As a former teacher, education will continue to be a priority for me. Our young people must be educated in both job and life skills," Cochrane said.

"With nearly 15 percent of North Carolina's population over 65 years of age, I will continue to be an advocate for community based services for senior citizens. Not only is it a better quality of life to be in one's own home, but it is more cost effective for the state," she said.

A long-time leader among women and Republicans in state politics, Cochrane is co-chair of

County Complains ... But Oks School Needs Assessment

Davie County Schools will have nearly \$35 million in construction needs over the next 10 years. The recently-completed needs assessment, conducted by consultants for the school board and OK'd by county commissioners last month, includes a lot of items that even Dr. Bill Steed, superintendent, doesn't agree with.

But it's an assessment required by the state, which is considering a statewide bond referendum for pay for school construction projects. "This is what we were asked to do," Steed told county commissioners, admitting that he would recommend what's in the proposal even if the money was available. The proposal went to county commis-

sioners for consideration on Dec. 18. It was due in Raleigh Dec. 15. Steed blamed the state for the delay, saying Davie received the state forms on Oct. 21, and the architect's proposal was finished just a week before the meeting. The school board held a special meeting to OK the plan. Since there is no commitment to any of

the projects, the assessment was approved, with reservations. "We are at a disadvantage," Commissioner Carl Boon said. "Having received this information last Thursday or Friday, and that's not a lot of time to give it some thought. It worries me that there is no bond issue, somebody coming back to us and saying you approved it, go for it."

29 Sub-Standard Bridges Identified By AAA In Davie County

There's a new bridge going up over Cedar Creek on U.S. 158, another over Hunting Creek on U.S. 64, and yet another being replaced with a culvert on Bear Creek and Prison Camp Road. It's a good thing, according to AAA of the Carolinas, which estimates that one of every three bridges is deteriorating or outdated. "North Carolina has the 14th worst record in the nation for bridge maintenance," said David E. Parsons, president of AAA Caro-

linas. "We urge the state legislature to continue DOT's plan to eliminate the construction and maintenance backlog for bridges and highways." Davie ranked 76th among the state's 100 counties in the number of substandard bridges, with 29 identified here. "The majority of our state's bridges were built in the 1950s and 1960s with an expected life span of 50 years," Parsons said. "They are now experiencing the effects of old age and unfortunately many will need

to be replaced at the same time." Most of the sub-standard bridges are located on local roads, not interstate highways. Of the state's 17,088 bridges, 6,000 have safe travel restrictions, mostly prohibiting heavy trucks. The State Department of Transportation inspects certain bridges more frequently if a safety concern has been raised. North Carolina's last bridge collapse was in 1984 when a truck driver ignored a weight restriction sign in Yancey County.

"With the responsibility for the largest road network of any state (78,000 miles), North Carolina's bridge and highway maintenance and replacement needs have to be given a high priority. "We believe the focus should be on bridge replacement, not repair, to cope with the increased demands on the state's bridges," Parsons said. "North Carolina's population has increased by 3 million to more than 7 million since 1950. We continue to be one of the fastest growing states."

Editorial Page

Do Something Positive In '96

What will be the New Year bring? What should we be wishing for?

One big snowfall would be nice. About 12 inches of white stuff — enough to make even the four-wheel drive vehicles stay home. Last year's snow was disappointing. All the brief snows quickly disappeared. Not enough for a snowman. Not enough for sledding.

We need one of those snows that makes memories for the children.

The New Year will also usher in another political season. Almost everybody is up for election this year. The president, the governor, state representatives and senators, the Council of State, some judges and more will be elected.

We need to order lobotomies for all the politicians to change them before the campaign starts. Maybe they will find something nice to say about their opponents. They could acknowledge that life, as we know it, will not end if the other guy is elected. They could tell us that the other guy has some redeeming features. They could say the other candidate's spouse is nice. He has nice kids. He has nice teeth.

Just something nice.

Democrats could acknowledge that Republicans aren't all rich guys trying to feather their nests. They're not all cheats and crooks. Republicans could say Democrats don't start wars and champion the cause of welfare cheats, flag-burners and no-goats.

They could say both parties have made significant contributions to American life. Victory for one party doesn't mean the country's ruin.

That would be a significant New Year's resolution.

It wouldn't be asking too much for people to read more in the New Year. It doesn't have to be serious stuff or best selling novels. Children's books are nice. They're even better when you read them to a child.

1996 looks like a good year to grow a few tomato plants. Life just seems a little nicer when you have home-grown tomatoes hanging on the vine in the back yard. Lunch and supper worries are solved.

It's a good year to go a little slower on the highway. If the speed limit says 55, don't go 60. Or faster. A Highway Patrolman passed me on Interstate 40 the other day, chasing a speeder up ahead. He must have been going 75. A few seconds later, three other cars zipped past me, too. They were practically tailgating the patrolman.

Insurance companies thrive on drivers like that.

It's a good year to do something you've never done. Go to the mountains and do more than look at the beauty. Get out and hike a trail. Go to Stone Mountain State Park. It's close. Go fishing, and take someone who never has.

Visit someone in the hospital. One day you may be there, and you'd appreciate it.

Turn off trash TV.

Tell positive politicians you appreciate their style.

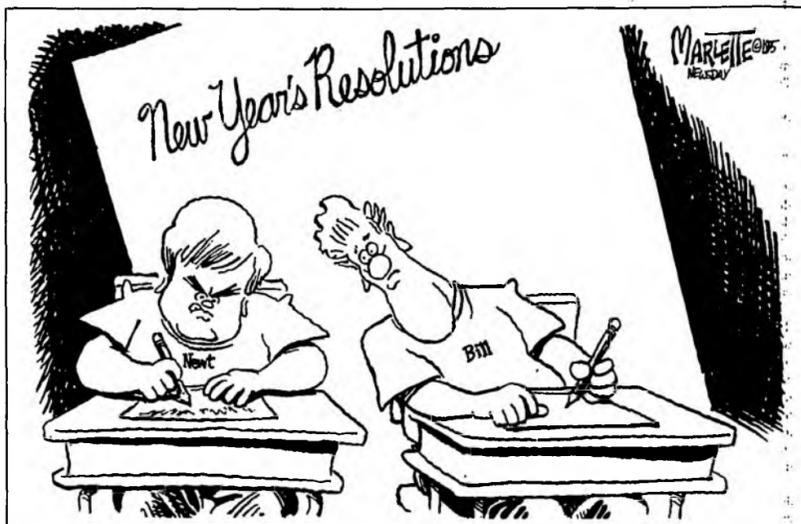
Try a new recipe.

Pray.

Go to a Little League baseball game. Watch the crazy parents and congratulate yourself for being so calm and relaxed.

Happy New Year.

—Dwight Sparks



In The Mail ...

Davie High School Band Deserves Praise

To the editor:

I read with interest the letter from Mrs. Mona Poits in last week's *Enterprise-Record* concerning the Advance Christmas Parade. Let me begin by thanking her and the people who made the students from the Tyro area in Davidson County feel so welcome on Dec. 16. It was a great feeling to be so appreciated by the people who my wife and I consider to be our friends and neighbors. My commitment of our students for next year's parade was based entirely on the positive experience of this year's event, from organization to execution. I believe that the parade did in fact show that our community works well together.

My real purpose in writing, however, is to speak on behalf of Robert Paitillo and Kathy Ferebee, directors of the Davie County High School Band. I feel qualified to do this largely because I taught

students at North Davie and Davie before being hired to my position with Davidson County Schools. In the course of five months with Mr. Paitillo, I became acutely aware of the work involved in maintaining a well-organized band program. The hours spent in the classroom teaching cannot begin to match the hours of extra-curricular work for band teachers, particularly those who work with marching bands.

I doubt few Davie County residents realize that a Davie High performing group is with the varsity football team every week of regular season play, musicians for the special presentations of area churches, as well as its work with the Davie High drama department on annual spring musicals like *Fiddler on the Roof* and *South Pacific*. Davie band students usually make up a good representation at honor bands, with many students qualifying for

statewide honors.

Robert Paitillo and Kathy Ferebee are sincere and caring professionals who manage to support their own families in addition to the students they see every day. Both are accomplished performers who are active in maintaining their performing skills through work outside of school. Their decision not to attend the parade was not based on the opinions or availability of their students. It all comes down to one simple fact: the Advance Christmas Parade did not fit their schedules where as it did mine. Any comments by either director taken out of context should be weighed against the total image they maintain with the bands of Davie County Schools. They deserve a break.

Andy Atkins
Director of Bands, Tyro

School Bus Drivers Are Thankful For Another Good Year

To the editor:

As yet another year comes to an end, I would like to say "thank you" to some important and special people.

First, thank you principals, assistant principals, and bus coordinators for listening to our problems and helping to solve them.

Thanks Todd Naylor and his great staff at the bus garage. Without you, who would keep our busses in good, safe working condition? Also, Garnette,

for taking messages and relaying information to us. To Dr. Steed for your understanding and guidance to the bus co-ordinators.

Thank you to our law enforcement; Mocksville Police, Davie Sheriff's Dept., and the N.C. Highway Patrol. You look after us so well by directing traffic and helping to keep us safe on our routes. I am especially pleased with the meeting between the patrolmen and the bus drivers. These will prove to be very beneficial to us all.

Finally, thanks to all the bus drivers in Davie County. Without your professional attitude and dedication, we could not have had another safe year.

Again, thanks to all of you and let's continue to work together to make 1996 our best and safest year yet.

Wanda Newton, President
Davie County School
Bus Drivers Association

Money From This Fund Drive Goes To Help Needy

To the editor:

Recent publicity and concerns surrounding fraudulent collections for supposed "charitable" causes has prompted me to write this letter to you. The Knights of Columbus has just completed our annual Operation Lamb Fund raising drive. You probably noticed one of us, somewhere in the Triad, we were wearing our yellow aprons and giving out our famous "Tootsie Rolls". This was our 20th year of fund raising on behalf of God's Special Children.

Over these years we, in Forsyth and Davie counties, have raised over \$400,000 through the generosity of the citizens of our great area. I am pleased to report to you and all of the citizens of the Triad, that this year's campaign raised \$48,202.

Of this amount, our only overhead expense was for the candy, which amounted to \$8,190. Beyond that, we incurred no overhead expenses. All of our collection people were volunteers. This means that \$40,012 will go directly to the children in our area,

who are mentally handicapped.

We are deeply grateful to all of you who contributed, and to all of the generous retailers who allowed us to solicit for this worthy cause at their stores. On behalf of all the mentally handicapped children and my brother Knights, I thank you. See you next year.

Peter M. McDevitt
Chairman, Operation Lamb, Advance

What Team Will Win The ACC?



Tyrone Martin
"UNC. They've got a lot of talent, and they've been winning it."



Tony Blakley
"Wake Forest. Their center, Duncan. That's all we need to say."



Ron Marion Jr.
"Virginia. They've got a little more depth ... You can't count UNC out."



Steve James
"Maryland, because I'm from Maryland and I want them to win it."

A Near Death Experience? It's Just The Bridal Bouquet Headed In Your Direction

The new year is here, and, for a few months, we'll look at the holidays as a time past. As much as I love Christmas, I must admit this year I'm a little relieved.

For some reason the season to be jolly has become the season to get married.

Weren't spring and summer enough?

December road trips used to mean visiting relatives for the holidays. Now it means driving around somewhere I've never been before trying to follow that tiny, nearly-impossible-to-read map that came with the invitation.

Maybe they do it because they want to escape the cold weather on their honeymoon in some tropical paradise. Maybe they want to save money by using the Christmas decorations already in the church. It's possible they simply wanted to get married during the season of abounding love.

I've participated in six weddings now — once driving all the way to Atlanta to stand at the guest register for a college friend and once enduring the responsibility of keeping up with two bouquets and the groom's ring as maid of honor for a lifelong friend. Once I even had to wear a peach colored dress with a matching hair piece. (Do you know you can't even give away a bridesmaid dress? Especially a peach one with puffy sleeves.)

At least that dress fit. The bodice of one of my bridesmaid dresses was so large — even after the alterations — that I had to use duct tape to hold it in place.

And there was the time I almost caught the bouquet. It was my first experience as a bridesmaid.

I've always heard that in near death situations your whole life flashes before your eyes. Until that day I never believed that was possible. But it was amazing how quickly thoughts raced

through my mind as that bouquet came toward me.

What am I going to do? It's coming straight at me. Why didn't she aim for her sister or someone — anyone but me? I'm much too young to be catching the bouquet. People will probably think I wanted to catch it. What choice do I have? It would be rude to just let it hit the ground.

Then something amazing happened — just as I extended my hand. You would have thought that bouquet was the winning homerun ball hit at the final game of a World Series.

Out of nowhere, she came. A girl lunged across the crowd, nearly knocking me down, grabbed the bouquet and began to scream and wave it over her head.

If it had been a World Series homerun ball, I probably would have fought for it. Maybe I should have anyway. The girl who caught the bouquet that day is married and has two children now. I have two dogs and go on dates for free meals.

But my worst wedding experience took place on a cold Saturday in November. We had to get ready on the third floor, so the bride and groom wouldn't see each other. It would have been fine if someone had remembered to turn on the heat for that portion of the church.

When the time finally came, after at least two hours of primping and posing for pre-wedding photos, the bride couldn't have been any more nervous than her bridesmaids. I have enough trouble trying to walk in high heels. That day I had to walk down the aisle on plush carpet in high heels wearing a full-length dress in front of hundreds of people. And I couldn't feel my feet. But I made it.

I haven't made it every time. Sometimes distance or finances have prevented me from sharing one of the happiest days in a friend's life. Despite my complaining, I'm grateful for the opportunities I've had to be there.

Besides weddings are a great place to get ideas for your own wedding. By the time I get married, I should have collected about 2,000 ideas for what to do and what not to do at my wedding.

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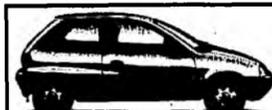
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Mocksville Masons

New officers of the Mocksville Masonic Lodge are, from left: front row, Harry Rawlings, junior deacon; Larry Staley Sr., junior warden; David Steelman, past master and chaplain; Rickie Phelps, master; Bob Martin, senior warden; Jimmy

Staley, senior deacon; second row, Geoffrey Schimmeck, steward; Eddie Spillman, steward; Clyde Glascock, treasurer; Gene Smith, secretary; and Raymond McClamrock, tyler. -Photo by Robin Fergusson

Candidates Have Until Feb. 5 To File For Local, State Offices

Continued From Page 1
 the commission on Aging, vice chair of the Commerce Committee, and ranking minority member of the Agriculture and Environment Committee. She also serves on the Blue Ribbon Task Force on Medicaid and the Revenue Law Study Commission.
 Filing for all of the offices may be done through noon Feb. 5 at the Davie County Board of Elections in the county courthouse, open Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. and 1-5 p.m. Call 634-2027 for more information.
 The state senate and state house are two-year terms, and the fee is \$207 each.
 The county commission, and register of deeds are four-year terms, and the fees are \$10 and \$394.43, respectively.
 The school board seats, the only non-partisan election this year, are for six-year terms, and the filing fee is \$5.

Mocksville Man Dies In Car Crash

A Mocksville man died last week when the car he was driving flipped off a road in Oostlow County.
 Danny Dwayne Clark, 35, was not wearing a seat belt and was thrown from the car, reported the N.C. Highway Patrol. The car flipped three times and came to rest in a ditch to the right of the road.
 The accident occurred south of Jacksonville.

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Notice of TAX LISTING FOR DAVIE COUNTY
 All property on hand January 1, 1996 both real and personal is subject to taxation regardless of age and sex of owner.
 You are no longer required to list motor vehicles which are currently LICENSED with the North Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles. These vehicles will be billed by the County after the current registration is renewed or an application is made for a new registration. About three months after your registration renewal you will receive a bill from the County. You will have 30 days to pay the bill before interest is added at the rate of 3/4 of 1% per month.
 Taxpayers must list UNLICENSED vehicles not licensed on January 1, 1996 DURING THE REGULAR LISTING PERIOD, there is no change in the listing requirements for those vehicles. Other property required to be listed in January include: mobile homes, boats and motors, jet skis, aircraft, farm equipment, tools used by carpenters and mechanics, all assets and supplies of businesses, furnishings owned and rented by a landlord.
 Taxpayers should report any new buildings or any improvements built on real estate, or any changes to real estate to the Tax Office.
 The Tax Administrator's Office will be sending listing forms to everyone that listed personal property in 1995. If you need to list personal property as indicated above or report changes to real property and you do not receive a form in the mail, please contact the Tax Administrator's Office for the proper forms.

EXEMPTION FOR ELDERLY AND DISABLED
 North Carolina excludes from property taxes the first \$15,000 in assessed value of owner occupied residence for persons aged 65 or older whose income does not exceed \$11,000, or totally and permanently disabled whose income does not exceed \$11,000. If you received the exclusion in 1995, you do not need to apply again unless you have changed your permanent residence. If you received the exclusion in 1995 and your disposable income in 1995 was above \$11,000, you must notify the Assessor. If the person receiving the exemption has died, the person required by law to list the property must notify the Assessor. Any person who fails to give the notice required by N.C. Law shall not only be subject to loss of the exemption, but also to the penalties provided by N.C. Law. If you did not receive the exclusion but are now eligible, you may obtain a copy of an application from the Assessor. It must be filed by April 15. You must file a listing form to continue to receive the exemption.
 Listing will begin January 2, 1996 in the Tax Administrator's Office in the County Administration Building. Office listing help is available Jan. 2-Jan. 31, 1996. Hours will be 8:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. Monday thru Friday. The deadline for listing is January 31, 1996. Completed forms must be postmarked by the U.S. Postal Service not later than January 31, 1996. All late listings are subject to a 10% penalty. Please make your return early to avoid a late penalty.
 Davie County Tax Administrator
 Mary Nell Richie

Old Davie Newspapers Sought For State Project

Wanted: Copies of the Bixby Hornet, published from 1906-1910.
 Wanted: Copies of the Coolseemee Journal, published from 1906-1971.
 Wanted: Copies of the Fork Hornet, published from 1910-1918.
 Wanted: Copies of the Davie Record, years 1915 and 1916.
 Wanted: Copies of the Davie Times, published from 1879-1903.
 Wanted: Copies of the Enterprise, some issues from 1916-1937.
 Wanted: Copies of the Mocksville Courier.
 Wanted: Most issues of the Mocksville Herald, 1910-1917.

The North Carolina Newspaper Project is trying to locate and preserve North Carolina's newspapers. But it needs help from the state's residents. Issues can be donated or lent for microfilming. Workers for the project will be at the Davie County Public Library from 10 a.m.-noon on Jan. 10, 1996.
 The project was organized as a joint effort of the State Library of North Carolina and the Division of Archives and History. The value of newspapers is in research in political, social and educational history.
 The goals are to catalog and microfilm all newspapers ever published in North Carolina.
 To locate missing newspapers, project staff are traveling to libraries, archives and other repositories state-wide. They need assistance in finding elusive newspapers.
 If you know where to find any copies of above mentioned newspapers and are willing to lend them for microfilming, contact the project. Nineteenth and early 20th century newspapers are especially needed.
 If you're not able to attend the collection time at the Davie library, contact Chris Mulder at the State Library at (919) 733-4488.
 For more information about the project, contact John Welch, project director, at N.C. Newspaper Project, N.C. Dept. of Cultural Resources, 109 E. Jones St., Raleigh, NC 27602-2807 or call (919) 733-2570.

Program Helps Seniors Find Part-time Jobs

Beginning in January, the Davie County Senior Center will offer a service which matches seniors who are interested in part-time employment, with people in the county who need part-time help.
 Types of work will include, but is not limited to, sitting with an older adult, baby-sitting, housecleaning, shopping, personal care, yardwork, minor home maintenance and live-in arrangements.
 The Senior Center will serve as a referral service only, and will not be responsible for checking references, hiring decisions, pay rate or schedules. This is an excellent opportunity for seniors to earn some extra income and help others out in the community.
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 Applications for both employee and employer are available at the Senior Center.

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Superior Court Session Is Scheduled For Davie Next Week

The following cases are scheduled to be heard in Davie County Superior Court Jan. 8-12.
 - Jason Samuel Allen, loitering.
 - Ray Junior Arnold, forgery of endorsement, uttering a forged endorsement.
 - Dorothy Maxine Ashley, 2 counts of driving while license revoked, no liability insurance, 2 counts of possession of less than half ounce of marijuana, failure to stop for stop sign, possession of drug paraphernalia and resisting a public officer.
 - Gary Ray Blackwell, first degree sex offense with a child.
 - Stanley A. Blair, failure to file or pay income tax.
 - Bobby Marion Booe Jr., breaking and entering, larceny after breaking and entering.
 - Frederick Robert Brown Jr., 2 counts misdemeanor probation violation.
 - Tracey Mitchell Cockerham, 2 counts of possession of drug paraphernalia, resisting a public officer, possession of less than half ounce marijuana.
 - Larry Stephen Davis Jr., leash law violation, assault on a female, assault inflicting serious injury, assault on a government official, 2 counts of injury to personal property, communicating threats.
 - Grover Jacob Doby, DWI.
 - Lotvie Carl Doby, assault by pointing a gun.
 - Timothy Mark Dodson, driving while license revoked.
 - Kimberly Bridges Durham, three counts of driving while license revoked.
 - Dorothy Sullivan Gaither, disorderly conduct.
 - Michael Ramon Gaither, felony conspiracy, possession with intent to manufacture, sell or deliver cocaine.
 - Kathleen Covey Hicks, financial civil forgery, obtaining property by false pretenses.
 - Sandra Lynn Hodges, injury to land, misdemeanor larceny.
 - Jermaine B. Jackson, speeding 131 in a 65 mph zone.
 - Lee Jessen, 2 counts of engaging in fraud, 2 counts of failure to disclose facts in fraudulent conduct.
 - Travis Jamal Johnson, reckless driving, 2 counts no operator's license, failure to heed light or siren, speeding while under arrest, 2 counts resisting public officer, speeding 81 in a 55 mph zone, driving while license revoked, using a fictitious, cancelled, revoked or altered registration card, inspection violation, no liability insurance.
 - Curtis Lewis, possession with intent to manufacture, sell or deliver marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia, 2 counts contributing to the delinquency of a juvenile, misdemeanor possession of a controlled substance.
 - Ronald Howard Link, driving while license revoked.
 - Clemente Luviano, possession of stolen goods.
 - Gregorio Campos Martinez, second degree sexual offense.
 - Rigoberto Zarate Martinez, driving while license revoked.
 - Alvin Martin Mayfield, misdemeanor probation violation.
 - John Lewis Mayfield Jr., felony probation violation.
 - James Henry Myers, DWI.
 - J. Stevan North, first degree sex offense with a child.
 - Dolores Ann Pineola, DWI.
 - Timothy Brett Profit, DWI.
 - Daryl Queen, assault by pointing a gun.
 - Donnie Lee Sellers, possession of a controlled substance.
 - George Davidson Shaw Jr., felony larceny, breaking and/or entering, larceny after breaking and entering.
 - Samuel Eli Spach, DWI.
 - Brandon Lee Spencer, DWI.
 - Joseph Spillman Sr., breaking or entering.
 - Katrina Miller Starling, DWI.
 - Ronald Parker Tabor, possession of a controlled substance, possession of less than 1.5 ounces of marijuana.
 - Keith William Tate, possession with intent to manufacture, sell or deliver marijuana, possession of less than 1.5 ounces of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia.
 - Christine Angell Thompson, felony child abuse.
 - Sony Thompson III, common law robbery, second degree rape.
 - Michael Wayne Tilley, felony probation violation.
 - Solon Jesse Tulbert, speeding 70 in a 55 mph zone.
 - Gilmer Wilson White, perjury.
 - Phillip Mark Williams, habitual impaired driving.
 - Jeremy Lee Wilson, uttering a forged endorsement.
 - Johnny Raymond Wilson, five counts of felony larceny, three counts of breaking or entering a motor vehicle.
 - William Jamell Wilson, common

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Public Records

Sheriff's Department

The following incidents were reported to the Davie County Sheriff's Department.

- Rachel Colleen Love of Statesville reported Dec. 21 someone poured dirt into the radiator of a pickup truck at Lake Myers.
- Lethia P. Johnson of Mocksville reported Dec. 22 the larceny of mail from a mailbox on Madison Road.
- Billie Gay Allen of Advance reported Dec. 21 the larceny of an oil heater, with an estimated value of \$50,

- from a residence on LaQuinta Drive.
- Barry D. Allen of Advance reported Dec. 21 a softball was tossed through the rear window to a pickup truck parked on LaQuinta Drive.
- James H. Williams of Mocksville reported Dec. 21 the breaking and entering of a residence on Deer Run Drive.
- Kenneth Jordan of Advance reported Dec. 26 the larceny of \$14 worth of gasoline from Chevron, Hillsdale.
- Mike Spry of Harmony reported

- Dec. 23 the larceny of \$32.76 worth of gasoline from 4-Brothers Amoco, Center.
- Mary Constance Little of Advance reported Dec. 23 the larceny of a Motorola telephone, with an estimated value of \$99.95, from a vehicle parked on Spyglass Drive.
- Sherry Martin of Mocksville reported Dec. 23 the larceny of a Ford van, a Chevrolet truck, computer and word processor, tools and money, with a total estimated value of \$36,900,

- from M&M Plumbing Services, Redland Road.
- William F. Myers of Mocksville reported Dec. 25 the breaking and entering of a residence on Cana Road.
- Kathy Diane Gailher of Advance reported Dec. 24 the larceny of a private drive sign with "children at play" emblem from Patridge Lane.
- Mary Cartner of Mocksville reported Dec. 25 the larceny of a pair of gloves, with an estimated value of \$20, from a vehicle parked off Ridge Road.
- Donny Roberts of Mocksville reported

- Dec. 25 the larceny of a plate and Merle Norman gift certificates, with a total estimated value of \$35, from a vehicle parked off Ridge Road.
- Kathy Sue Wright of Mocksville reported Dec. 27 the larceny of two bull dogs, with a total estimated value of \$1,500, from a residence on Ridge Road.
- Michael Spry of Harmony reported Dec. 28 the larceny of snack items from 4-Brothers Amoco, Center.

- Shaw reported.
- Logan then put his car in reverse before driving forward again, striking Sweet's car again and causing it to push Richard's vehicle until it came to rest on top of Sweet's, said Shaw.
- Logan told Shaw he blacked out before the accident. He was charged with failure to reduce speed.
- Three of his passengers were taken to Forsyth Memorial Hospital for treatment of injuries: Shirley Logan, 67, of Hickory; Betty Epps, 61, and Joe Epps, 63, both of Conover.
- A passenger in Richards' vehicle, Joann B. Richards, 38, of Conover, was also taken to Forsyth Memorial.
- Two Injured In Accident
- Sergio Alberto Amaya, 17, of Catawba, and his 2-year-old passenger, Ramon Chaparro, were taken to Davie County Hospital for treatment of injury after an accident on I-40 at 2:55 a.m. Dec. 24.
- Amaya was driving a 1990 Ford pickup west at more than 80 mph when the truck ran off the road, struck a bridge face on the right, skidded back onto the road and overturned onto its right side, reported Trooper J.R. Allied.
- Amaya was charged with DWI, no operator's license and careless and reckless driving.

Highway Patrol

The N.C. Highway Patrol investigated the following accidents in Davie County.

Woman Injured In 3 Vehicle Wreck

Julia Griffith Hege, 39, of Mocksville, was taken to Forsyth Memorial Hospital for treatment of injuries after an accident on U.S. 158 at 9:45 a.m. Dec. 19.

According to Trooper C.D. Jones, Hege failed to reduce speed, driving her 1984 Honda into the rear of a 1994 Chevrolet truck, driven by Richard Darin Sizemore, 29, of Winston-Salem, causing it to strike a 1987 Chevrolet, driven by Stella Frye Vogler, 68, of Advance. Vogler and Sizemore had stopped their vehicles for another vehicle in front of them that was making a left turn into a driveway.

Hege was charged with failure to reduce speed.

Car Hit In Driveway

A 1991 Lexus parked in the driveway at McClamrock Automotive was hit by a 1987 Chevrolet van at 2:45 p.m. Dec. 22, as William Nathan Phillips, 40, of Somonauk, Ill., was backing the van in the driveway. No charges were filed, reported Trooper C.D. Jones.

Driver Leaves Accident Scene

Mark Edward Weatherman, 19, of Mocksville, was traveling east on U.S. 158 at 2:45 p.m. Dec. 23, when he drove a 1989 Pontiac into the rear of a Buick that had stopped to make a left turn, reported Trooper C.D. Jones.

According to Jones, Weatherman was unable to reduce speed in time to avoid a collision. Both drivers had moved their vehicles from the road when the driver of the Buick suddenly any information with Weatherman.

Charges are pending, Jones said.

Cars Collide At Intersection

William Lynn Martin, 81, of Eagle Springs, was making a left turn from U.S. 601 onto U.S. 64 and drove his 1993 Toyota into the path of a 1986 Chevrolet, driven west on U.S. 64 by Donna Wagner Foster, 28, of East Bend, at 11:45 a.m. Dec. 23.

According to Trooper C.D. Jones, Martin failed to see Foster's car. He was charged with a safe movement violation.

Woman Caught For Hit And Run

Virginia Vasquez Garcia, 22, of Omaha, Neb., was traveling north on Hepler Road around midnight Dec. 26, when she lost control of her 1986 Ford, running off the road where it hit a fence and gate, causing damages estimated at \$1,000, reported Trooper P.T. Henelly.

Garcia left the accident scene but was apprehended about 12 hours later. She was charged with exceeding a safe speed and hit and run, Henelly said.

Four Vehicles Involved In Accident

Four people were injured in a four-vehicle accident about 6 p.m. Dec. 23. According to Trooper T.D. Shaw, William Powell Logan, 71, of Hickory, was traveling east on U.S. 158 in a 1990 Cadillac when it ran into the rear of a 1993 Pontiac, driven by Harold Winston Sweet, 54, of Granite Falls, causing a chain reaction.

Sweet's car struck the rear of a 1992 Dodge, driven by David Lee Richards, 40, of Conover, forcing it into the rear of a 1992 Dodge, driven by Douglas Stuart Pungler, 48, of Winston-Salem,

Canal News

By John "Cain" Godwin
Canal Correspondent

Happy New Year.

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Bryan Andrews sold two goats and is in need of a Billy goat. If you have a Billy, give me a call. You can reach me at 634-6207.

With this New Year coming let's make it better than any so far. I see the glass is half full and the best is yet to come.

Happy Birthday to Margaret Godwin.

By Edith Zimmerman
Advance Correspondent

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Visitors at church Sunday were David and Carole Folmar and daughter Bailey of Knoxville, Tenn.; Norman and Sophie Hummer of Island Heights, N.J.; Janet Barnes of this area.

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Sarah Zimmerman in Fork and Dods Zimmerman Williams in Clemmons.

Mary Berridge of Winston-Salem was a Tuesday visitor of the Zimmerman's.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Myers of Liberty were Saturday lunch guests of his sister Mary Lethia Robertson.

Bill and Pansy Ward celebrated their 49th wedding anniversary on Dec. 29. Their children and grandchildren attended church with them Sunday, Dec. 24.

Mrs. Recie Sheets is not doing too well. She was treated for a shoulder infection at the Davie Hospital emergency room this week.

Lilly Vogler has been confined to home with hip problems. She received treatment last week.

Storehouse Helpers

Cub Scouts from Pack 574, sponsored by the First Methodist Church of Mocksville, contribute food to the Storehouse for Jesus on Depot Street.

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Civil Lawsuits

The following civil lawsuits were filed with the Davie County Clerk of Court.

- Darrielle T. Johnson and Sandra Renee Johnson vs. Universal Insurance Co. and John Doe, hit-and-run auto accident claim, in excess \$10,000 damages.
- Rosemary Buckles vs. Kris Buckles, possession of marital home and automobile, alimony, child custody and support.
- Jill Walker Crook vs. John Gramson Cook, absolute divorce, child custody and support, resume using maiden name, greater than equitable share of marital property.
- Mary Grannaman vs. Timothy

- Franklin White, order that both parties stay away from the other, temporary child custody to plaintiff with visitation rights for defendant.
- Davie Social Services, on behalf of Shanetta Natasha Nichols vs. Robert Arthur Scott, paternity, child support, Jennifer Dawn Vickers vs. Dwight Ashley Scott Jr., paternity, child support, Carol Cox Anders vs. Jay Alan Hawkins, child support; Larry Stephen Davis vs. Jennifer Jenne Keaton, paternity, child support, reimburse for past public assistance; Anita Home Vestal vs. Donald Brian Vestal, child support; Helen Louise Smith vs. Thomas Scott Everhart, paternity, child support, reimburse for past public assistance; Timothy S. Smyers vs. Linda Ann Smyers, child support, reimburse for past public assistance; Lisa Chaitman vs. Donny Lee Sellers, paternity, child support; Lucy Michelle Brown vs. Clarence Smith Webb, paternity, child support, reimburse for past public assistance; Debra Smith Ragland vs. Kemp James Ragland, child support, reimburse for past public assistance.
- Robert P. Roesch vs. Kimberly L. Roesch, child support, reimbursement for past public assistance; Anita Home Vestal vs. Donald Brian Vestal, child support; Helen Louise Smith vs. Thomas Scott Everhart, paternity, child support, reimburse for past public assistance; Timothy S. Smyers vs. Linda Ann Smyers, child support, reimburse for past public assistance; Lisa Chaitman vs. Donny Lee Sellers, paternity, child support; Lucy Michelle Brown vs. Clarence Smith Webb, paternity, child support, reimburse for past public assistance; Debra Smith Ragland vs. Kemp James Ragland, child support, reimburse for past public assistance.
- Melissa S. Jeffcoat vs. Robert Dobbins, request defendant not assault, threaten, abuse, follow, harass or interfere with plaintiff.
- Mark Walsler, Shoaf Coal & Sand vs. G.W. Clement and G.W. Roofing, request recovery, \$2,943.36.
- Julia Ann Combs vs. Richard Warren Combs, request defendant not assault, threaten, abuse, follow, harass or interfere with plaintiff.
- Ellsworth L. Tolliver vs. Frances Jones Tolliver, absolute divorce.
- Chasity Dawn Shoemaker vs. Jeffrey Lane Williams, request defendant not assault, threaten, abuse, follow, harass or interfere with plaintiff.
- American General Finance of America vs. James B. Hicks, request judgment, \$969.97.
- American General Finance of America vs. Cathy M. Baiyy, request judgment, \$553.92.
- Alan Hartman, Kristen A. Hartman vs. Paul Justice and Pamela H. Justice, real estate dispute, \$5,000 actual damages; punitive damages in excess \$10,000.
- Gail Call vs. Billy Dale Mackie, request defendant not assault, threaten, abuse, follow, harass or interfere with plaintiff.
- Clara Mae Baiyy Foster vs. Randall Lewis Moody and Harry Lee Edwards, auto accident claim, in excess \$10,000 for personal injuries; in excess \$3,000 property damages.
- Kathryn Daniel Charles vs. David Johnson Charles, absolute divorce.
- Lucy S. Sutherland vs. Mary J. Sutherland, request defendant not assault, threaten, abuse, follow, harass or interfere with plaintiff.
- Carl B. Johnson vs. Food Lion, lease dispute, request recovery, \$9,157.91.
- Ralph H. Holland and Renai S. Holland vs. Darwin Earl Herring, auto accident claim, in excess \$10,000 compensatory and special damages.

Fires

Davie County fire departments responded to the following calls.

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- Dec. 23: Mocksville, 11:45 a.m., auto accident, U.S. 64 at Valley Road.
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Dec. 27: Jerusalem, 8:03 a.m., vehicle fire, U.S. 601 at Twin Cedars Golf Club Road; Advance, 4:33 p.m., structure fire, Beauchamp Road; Smith Grove assisted; Cooleemee, 5:18 p.m., woods fire, Davie Street; Cooleemee, 5:51 p.m., rekindled woods fire, Davie Street.

Dec. 28: William R. Davie, 1:28 p.m., brush fire, Children's Home Road; William R. Davie, 5:36 p.m., field fire, Eatons Church Road.

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Land Transfers

The following land transfers were filed with the Davie County Register of Deeds.

- Forest C. Cranfill to Donald J. Moser and Pamela C. Moser, 1 lot, Farmington, \$430.
- Cindy Denise Mullis to Melodee Sue Rash, 2.08 acres, Clarksville, \$86.
- Ford Consumer Finance Co. to Wade Sherman Burns, 2.01 acres, Fulton, \$110.
- J. Emory Crawford and Martha C. Crawford to Beechtree's Trio, 2.32

acres, Farmington, \$600.

- J. Emory Crawford and Martha C. Crawford to Beechtree's Trio, 1-acre, Farmington, \$72.

- Bobby G. Bodford and Fannie G. Bodford to Edgar Lee Trivette and Paula Furches Trivette, 2.66 acres, \$95.

- Marshall Wayne Strader and Linda Johnston Strader to Mark E. Walsler, .06 acre, Mocksville.

- Lloyd C. Combs and Debbie Combs, Walter R. Combs and Ruby Combs; Pauline Combs-O'Hanlon, Hoyle W. Combs and Label M. Combs and Ruby Combs Waller to Wade Glenn Owens Jr. and Rachel P. Owens, 8.2 acres, Mocksville, \$51.

- Howard M. Sain and Ellen A. Sain to James Howard Sain and Christine Shore Sain, 1 acre, Mocksville, \$1.

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Mocksville Police

The following incidents were reported to the Mocksville Police Department.

- An employee and customers at The Cobbler Shop reported Dec. 26 that a man came into the store and exposed his genitals.
- Tracy Shores of Mocksville reported Dec. 23 someone pointed a handgun at someone in a parked vehicle on court square.

date: Jan. 18.

- Eric Lynn Hudson Jr., 25, of Salisbury, was charged Dec. 26 with kidnapping and assault on a female. Trial date: Jan. 18.
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The following were arrested by the Davie County Sheriff's Department.

- Brewster Kevin Wilson, 36, of 1962 Hwy. 64 West, Mocksville, was charged Dec. 22 with simple assault. Trial date: Jan. 11.
- Christopher Lynn Price, 22, of Statesville, was charged Dec. 23 with breaking, entering and larceny. Trial

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Test Your BIBLE Knowledge

QUESTION: (T or F) True Christians will be spared pain, suffering, and persecution in this life. (Last Week's Answer: We brought nothing into this world and it is certain we can carry nothing out. Ref. 1 Tim. 6:7)

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Yadkin Valley News

By Ruby McBride
Yadkin Valley Correspondent

Happy New Year to each and every one of you that read my news.

Yadkin Valley Church had a singing that started at 10 p.m. Sunday to sing and pray out the old year, and bring in the New Year.

Pray for "Toots" Riddle he has had a lot of suffering this week, taking blood and other things.

I enjoyed Christmas this year with

Christmas dinner at sister Pansy Allen's and family and that evening with Hazel's family at the home of Tommie and Robin Howard and son Chase. I also enjoyed a meal with John and Sarah Pilcher, and Darrell Pilcher's family were also there on Saturday evening.

Ruby McBride visited Mr. and Mrs. Jay McBride on Thursday evening. He is doing better after having open heart surgery the first of December and "Sis" is able to walk on her foot that she had

broken before his surgery.

We all were proud to see all the young people and college students home for the holidays. We wish all of them a safe trip back to college.

The Adult Sunday School class of the church had cottage prayer meeting at Delmer Howard's home. Our pastor, Ronnie Craddock brought the message, there was special singing, some that were there gave their testimonies about what the Lord has done for them, we were all blessed. Please pray for the

Howard family, as Delmar is sick with cancer.

The church went to our monthly prayer service at Meadowbrook Manor in Clemmons, our oldest member of the church, Dulcie Hauser lives there now, she is a blessing to all of us. Fred Bailey of the church read the Bible in Luke about Christ being born and there were Christmas songs sung. We all were blessed as we heard the oldest story ever told and singing the Christmas songs.

Canal News

By John "Cain" Godwin
Canal Correspondent

Happy New Year.

Gail and I celebrated the New Year at Sweet Creek Farm with Bryan and Heidi Andrews, Steve and Christine Stoud, Doug and Jennifer Cartner, and Jimmy. Heidi had games for all of us to play after eating out at Rock-ola. I over saw the safety of the 21 gun salute at midnight to celebrate the New Year.

Bryan Andrews sold two goats and is in need of a Billy goat. If you have a Billy, give me a call. You can reach me at 634-6207.

With this New Year coming let's make it better than any so far. I see the glass is half full and the best is yet to come.

Happy Birthday to Margaret Godwin.

Advance News

By Edith Zimmerman
Advance Correspondent

There will be a Poor Man's Supper Thursday, Jan. 4 at 6:30 p.m. at the Methodist church fellowship hall. No charge, donations accepted.

Visitors at church Sunday were David and Carole Folmar and daughter Bailey of Knoxville, Tenn.; Norman and Sophie Hummer of Island Heights, N.J.; Janet Barnes of this area.

The family of Mrs. Hazel Shutt and the late Walter Shutt met at the home of Eugene and Maha Collette West in Winston-Salem on Christmas Eve for their annual party. Twenty-eight family members enjoyed the occasion.

Dave and Frances Ward spent several days, during the holidays, with their daughter and son-in-law Kim and

Bob Homer in Stamford, Conn. Kim had undergone major surgery earlier, her parents were unable to go during that time due to the severe winter weather and snows that closed airports. Kim is recuperating satisfactorily.

Mrs. Mary Lethia Robertson had her annual tubecut supper at her home on Christmas Eve for her family. Sixteen family members (100 percent) were present, including her grandson Brent Shoaf's fiancée, Carolyn Hahn. After the meal they exchanged gifts.

Paul and Sue Folmar's family was home for Christmas. They were David and Carole Folmar and daughter Bailey of Knoxville, Tenn.; John Folmar of Washington, D.C.; Linda and Will Pitt of Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Evelyn Hollon accompanied her daughter Sue Elliott to Deltona, Fla. for four days during the Christmas holidays. They visited grandchildren and great grandchildren Karen and John Porteus and Brett and Tara Porteus.

Brenda Zimmerman of Glen Cove, Long Island, N.Y., arrived Saturday, Dec. 23 to spend Christmas with her mother Edith Zimmerman, Adrian and Chris Farley, their children Brian, Christopher, Denise and John of Arlington, Va.; Janie Hendrix and children Andrea Hendrix of Myrtle Beach, Melissa, Amanda and Meredith Hendrix of this community, along with Lester Mayhew, Chris Conzatter and Amanda Potts were Christmas dinner guests of Edith. During the week Brenda and Edith visited Elmer and

Sarah Zimmerman in Fork and Dods Zimmerman Williams in Clemmons.

Mary Berridge of Winston-Salem was a Tuesday visitor of the Zimmerman's.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Myers of Liberty were Saturday lunch guests of his sister Mary Lethia Robertson.

Bill and Pansy Ward celebrated their 49th wedding anniversary on Dec. 29. Their children and grandchildren attended church with them Sunday, Dec. 24.

Mrs. Recie Sheets is not doing too well. She was treated for a shoulder infection at the Davie Hospital emergency room this week.

Lilly Vogler has been confined to home with hip problems. She received treatment last week.

Four Corners News

By Marie White
Four Corners Correspondent

Christmas Eve night our regular exchanging of gifts and enjoying of delicious refreshments together was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Beck, in addition to them were: Mrs. Robert Craft, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Hill and children, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Craft and children of Winston-Salem, Mr. and Mrs. Joe White, Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Smith, Mr. and Mrs. L.S. Shelton Jr., Christopher Shore, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Hill and children and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Allen, Richard Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Beck, Dana Triplett, Peyton and Erica Triplett.

Another year is here. I would like to thank everyone for their business for the past 50 years. And especially for the past weeks, for their prayers, calls, visits and any act of kindness expressed for my recovery. It will never be forgotten.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Hammonds, children, Jerry Potts, Shane Potts, Lori Vogler and Amanda Potts were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Smith.

We extend our sincere sympathy to the Lawrence Baiyy family in their recent loss. He was one of the oldest members of Courtney Baptist Church.

Spiritual Resources: Listen To The Lord

By Shirley Cottle

A very wise woman once told me that when she is in church she always expects to

Davie People

Harpe-Neely Couple United In Marriage

On Saturday, Dec. 16 at 4:30 p.m., Jennifer Anna Harpe and Preston Dale Neely were united in marriage at First Baptist Church in Mocksville. The Rev. John D. Shore, cousin of the bride, officiated at the candle-light double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Harpe of Mocksville. She is a granddaughter of Mrs. Nell Day and the late Mr. Burris Day and the late Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Harpe. She is a graduate of Davidson County Community College and is a certified nursing assistant. She is employed at Piedmont Home Health.

The groom is the son of Susan Neely of Advance and Thomas Neely of Mocksville. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Davis and the late Mr. and Mrs. Barry Neely. He graduated from Davidson County Community College and is employed at Lee Apparel.

The bride was escorted to the altar by her father and given in marriage by

her parents. She wore a formal gown of white bridal satin with a sweetheart neckline, long puffed sleeves with lace appliques. Lace, irridescent and pearls accented the bodice of the gown. The back was fashioned in a heart design with a rusette bow at the waist. The skirt flowed into a train accented with lace appliques and irridescent. The sheer illusion veil was fashioned with rosettes and pearls.

Her bouquet was white and red roses, accented with ivy and gold. She carried a blue lace handkerchief that her mother had carried in her wedding.

Mrs. Wendy Key, cousin of the bride, was matron of honor. Miss Shannon Davis, cousin of the groom, was bridesmaid.

Thomas Neely was his son's best man. Jeffrey Harpe, brother of the bride, was groomsmen.

Miss Amber Harpe, niece of the bride, was flower girl.

Wedding music was provided by



Mrs. Preston Dale Neely ... was Jennifer Anna Harpe



Mrs. Barron Frank Carr ... was Tammy Yvette Revels

Couple Pledge Vows At Bibleway Church

Tammy Yvette Revels and Elder Barron Frank Carr were united in marriage in a double-ring ceremony at 3 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 5, at Bibleway Church, Statesville. Elder Harvey J. Daniels officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Revels of 495 Childrens Home Road, Mocksville.

She is a graduate of Forsyth Technical Community College-Graphic Arts Program. She is employed by Stephen's Photography, Winston-Salem.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Carr of 1112 Caldwell St., Statesville. He is a graduate of University of North Carolina at Greensboro, where he obtained a bachelor's degree in financial management. He is employed by Integon, Winston-Salem.

Escorted by her father and given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a gown of white bridal satin with a sweetheart neckline. The sleeves were long and tapered, heavily beaded with pearls, sequins and crystals. The bodice was covered with cut-out lace appliques crystals, pearls and sequins. The skirt was full, falling to a cathedral length train. Cut-out lace appliques decorated the skirt from, train and entire hemline. A large satin bow surrounded by pearls was attached to the back of the dress.

She wore a headpiece of satin leaves, adorned with clusters of pearls and crystals attached to a puff at the back with two tiered veil of illusion.

She carried a bouquet of navy and white roses along with lilies faced with navy and white ribbon.

Beverly Posey, aunt of the bride of Reynoldsburg, Ohio, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Michelle Speaks of Winston-Salem, Cassandra

Mocksville Man To Perform In 'The Miracle Worker'

The Little Theatre of Winston-Salem will present *The Miracle Worker* opening on Friday, Jan. 12. A resident of Mocksville is among the cast.

Mike Potat returns to *The Little Theatre* Stage once again, this time in the role of Captain Keller. He most recently appeared in *Life With Father* as the Rev. Dr. Lloyd, and has also played in many other Little Theatre productions, including *The Sound of Music*, *The Boys Next Door* and *Annie*.



Potat

Potat has also performed in *My Fair Lady*, *Big River* and *Best Little Whorehouse in Texas* with Piedmont Players. In Mocksville he has directed *Steel Magnolias*, *Never Too Late*, *Lil Abner* and *You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown*.

The Little Theatre's *The Miracle Worker*, by William Gibson, will open on Friday, Jan. 12, at The Arts Council Theatre at 610 Coliseum Drive in Winston-Salem.

Additional performances will be held on Jan. 13-14 and 18-21. Thursday, Friday, and Saturday performances are at 8 p.m. and Sunday matinees are at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$9 for students and senior citizens, and \$6 for children 12 and under.

The box office opens on Tuesday, Jan. 9 at noon and is open Tuesday-Saturday from noon-5:30 p.m. Call (910) 725-4001 to reserve tickets.

The Miracle Worker is the true story of Helen Keller and Annie Sullivan. Keller was born in 1880 in Tuscumbia, Ala., and lost her sight and hearing at the age of ten months after a life threatening fever. At 7, she had grown to be an unruly, difficult, and strong-tempered child, completely unable to communicate with the world on any level. Annie Sullivan, a young woman who had been blind herself and regained some eyesight through nine

Pino News

By Nora Latham
Pino Correspondent

On Dec. 19, John, Beth, Sean and Mary McCashion had dinner at their home for several friends, neighbors and employees. After the meal everyone, including some members of their church, gathered in the barn. John read the Christmas story and everyone else joined in singing Christmas carols. It gave us a true feeling of Christmas there in the barn with the animals.

David and Tammy Talbert spent the Christmas holidays in Richmond, Va. with her parents and her brother.

The children and grandchildren of Nora and Harmon Latham gathered at their house on Christmas day for lunch. Their son, Jim and his family, were

unable to be there on Christmas night. They all went to Ervin and Peggy Angell's home for the Cline family get-together.

Gene and Marie Miller were hosts at dinner for their children and grandchildren on Christmas Eve. On Tuesday, Marie visited her sister-in-law Mrs. Nona Miller in Winston-Salem. Mrs. Miller is 95 years old now and in pretty good health.

Harry and Ellen Rawlings spent the Christmas holidays in Long Island, N.Y. with their children, Joey and his family, Linda and her family, and Keith. Harry said that they missed our nice weather. There was 14 inches of snow on the ground and it was solid ice on top. Sometimes the temperature was below zero. They were glad to get back home.

Louise and Bob Dill had breakfast on Christmas morning with their son Bob and family in Courtnay.

Bob and Kathy Ellis, Robert and Amy, spent Tuesday night in Roanoke, Va. with his mother Mrs. Rachel Ellis.

Calvin and Marlene Trivette hosted a dinner at their home on Christmas Eve. Thirty people attended. On Christmas morning, Mark, Vickie, Nick and Sean Rose enjoyed a ham breakfast at the home of their parents Calvin and Marlene Trivette.

The family of Mrs. Elma Dull gathered in the church fellowship hall on Christmas night for their Christmas dinner. Around 30 people were there. They all missed their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Elma, who was unable to come.

Tom and Toni Horton, and Justin Losh spent the Christmas holidays in Indiana with their son Jamie Losh, and other relatives.

Pete and Madeilyn Gentry and daughters, Christy and Andrea entertained Pete's parents and brothers and sisters over the holidays.

Sunday school will be at 10 a.m. next Sunday and worship service at 11 a.m. New officers will be installed at this time.

Happy New Year to everyone.

Authors To Speak At Garden Club Meeting

Authors, Jack R. Pyle and Taylor Reese, will be guest speakers at Mocksville Garden Club's meeting at the Brock Center on Thursday, Jan. 4, at 7 p.m.

Everyone is invited to this presentation by the authors of "Raising with the Moon", "The Complete Guide to Gardening...and Living...by the Signs

of the Moon, and a second book on gardening, "You and the Moon in the Moon". The Almanac User's Complete Instruction Book.

Pyle who has been a serious writer for eight years, has also written four novels and 14 short stories. He writes a regular column for The Author, a publication of The Writer's Guild of Western North Carolina.

Reese, in addition to being an author, is also a poet, essayist, and short story writer whose work has been featured in hundreds of worldwide publications. His humor was published in The Saturday Evening Post, Farm & Ranch Living, Progressive Farmer, Country America, and What of Tomorrow (Yorkshire England).

The guest speakers will be available to meet with the public and autograph copies of their book following their presentation.

For more information about this program or other Mocksville Garden Club activities, contact Peggy Page at 634-7577.

Fork Club Plans Trip To Davie Village

By Margaret Potts
Club Reporter

Fork Fifty Plus Club met on Dec. 13 with 25 members present.

P.M. Johnson returned thanks before a meal at 11:30.

The secretary checked roll and read minutes of the last meeting.

Ruth Barney had charge of the devotions, reading the second chapter of Luke. She also read two poems.

Door prizes were won by Kemp Bamhardt and Robert Gustavson.

It was decided to elect an assistant chaplain, John Frank Jarvis.

Sis Jarvis gave the treasurer's report.

Maxine Correll gave the sunshine

report.

Helen Gustavson read a poem about 60 years of marriage. The club congratulated Clara Mae and Gilmer Foster for their 60th anniversary.

It was decided to go to Davie Village in February to play bingo on Fridays.

Kemp Bamhardt, Wyona Johnson, Clara Mae Foster plan to go and play 4-6 games of bingo with residents.

Clara Mae Foster won coverall bingo. Francis Jarvis' name was drawn to bring next month's prize.

Members exchanged gifts and wished Merry Christmas to all and adjourned the meeting.

Jerusalem News

By Debbie Miller
Jerusalem Correspondent

Neighbor Kevin Coughenour of Green Grass Road and the Jerusalem Fire Department battled a leaf fire that got out of hand. Two calls were reported but no other injuries were reported.

Well wishes to Miss Christy Frogg

of Holiday Acres. Her new trampoline she got for Christmas almost got the best of her ankle.

Happy 5th Birthday to Sam Whitley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Whitley of Marginal Street. Rusty Miller of Pine Ridge will celebrate his 12th birthday on Jan. 10.

Trinity Baptist Church and pastor Darrell Cox of 601 South are celebrating the eleventh year of his ministry. Preacher Cox is the hardest working, hardest preaching, dedicated man of God I've ever heard.

Ed Williams and Mark Grubb of the Corner Store awarded a Fifty Caliber Muzzle Rifle to Ryan Burton of Cherry Hill Road. Anyone that registered a deer was eligible. 144 deer were checked in this past season.

Please share your community news by calling 998-0846.

Couple Married At Macedonia Church

Caroline Susann Martin and Roger Vincent Myers Jr. were married Jan. 1 at noon at Macedonia Moravian Church in Advance. The Rev. Greg Little officiated, his first at the church.

Music was provided by Steve Gray, director of music at the church and Patrick Allen, cousin of the groom, provided the trumpet voluntary procession. The wedding was directed by Julia Davis of Winston-Salem.

The bride is the daughter of Sam and Jackie Cox of Advance and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. E.R. Spivey of Winston-Salem and the late Mr. and Mrs. Russell K. Cox. She is employed by Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

The groom is the son of Roger and Becky Myers of Advance and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Wolfe of Winston-Salem and Faye Myers of Advance and the late Robert F. Myers. He is pursuing a career in automotive body repair at Forsyth Technical Community College.

The bride wore a tea-length wed-



Mr. and Mrs. Roger Vincent Myers Jr. ... She was Caroline Susann Martin

ding gown made of a satin skirt and a french lace bodice. Extra handwork of sequins, pearls, and design were added by Eunice Gonzales. Her headpiece was a tiara of beads and sequins with a scalloped-edged veil with beaded trim.

She carried a nosegay of fresh white niki roses tipped in pink and dandrabian orchids.

The matron of honor was Mrs. Nina Butler of Welcome and Mrs. Dewitt Myers, sister of the groom, was the bridesmaid.

Brandy and Justin Cullen, cousins of the bride, were the flower girl and ring bearer.

Ushers were Scot Kimmel of Advance and Thomas Johnson of Farmington. Roger Myers served as his son's best man.

A traditional New Year's buffet was given by the bride and groom's parents after ceremony.

The wedding cake was a three-tiered pound cake with cream cheese frosting. After the cake was served, entertainment was provided. The bluegrass musicians were the groom and his father, Tom and Toni Horton, Thomas Johnson, and a special appearance by Dean Clawson, playing the fiddle.

Special thanks were given to Mary Lillian and Jerry Pass, Patricia Pass, Dottie Nix, Jean Brickey, Jeremy Murray, Eunice and Rudolph Gonzales, Bob and Liz Allen and Julia Davis.

The bride and groom will make their home in Davidson County and plan to move to Davie County in the spring.



Mrs. Paul Alan Snider ... was Decca Renee Riedel

Dorsett-Milks Couple Exchange Vows At Tanglewood Barn

Lecanne Christine Dorsett and Richard Paul Milks III were united in marriage at 5:30 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 30 at the Tanglewood Barn in Clemmons. The Rev. Randall Kinney officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Hoyt and Linda Dorsett of Advance and the granddaughter of Mrs. Annie Pickett Dorsett and Mrs. Lillian King Tysor, both of Asheboro. She is a 1991 graduate of Davie High School and a 1995 graduate of Winthrop University with degrees in graphic design and psychology. She is a sales/promotion coordinator for the Wilmington Star-News, Inc.

The groom is the son of Vicki and Mark Herpel of Pfafftown and Richard and Lou Milks Jr. of Greensboro. He is the grandson of Richard and Millie Milks Sr. of Madison and Jake and Roxie Overman of Pinehurst. He is a 1989 graduate of Mount Taber High School and a 1995 graduate of High Point University. He is self-employed as a heating and air conditioning contractor.

The wedding was under the direction of Mrs. Candy Poplin and Mrs. Teresa Cook, both of Mocksville.

Kelly Gardner of Rock Hill, S.C., friend of the bride, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Kelly Spangler and Pam Fernandez of Rock Hill, S.C., friends of the bride; and Ashley Prevatte of Greenville, long-time friend of the bride. Junior bridesmaids were Renee Hudson of Thomasville and Katie Bates of Moncks Corner, S.C., cousins of the bride.

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Atkins-Knode Couple Wed In Maryland

On Sunday, Oct. 29, Tracey Jill Atkins and Donald H. Knode Jr. were united in marriage at the Morning Side Inn in Frederick, Md. with 90 in attendance. The Rev. Byron Brought officiated the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wade C. Atkins of Advance. She is a 1984 graduate of Davie High School and is employed with the U.S. Secret Service in Baltimore, Md.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald H. Knode Sr. of Forest Hill, Md. He is a graduate of Towson State University, Md. and earned his master's degree at the University of Baltimore. He is employed as an administrative contracting officer with the Defense Logistics Agency in Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Kris Seaford of Mocksville was matron of honor and Bruce Winter of Catonsville, Md. was best man.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony at the Morning Side Inn in Frederick, Md. After a reception later at the home of the brides parents, with 45 family members and friends in attendance, the couple went on a wedding trip to Jamaica.

The couple will reside in Ellicott City, Md.



Mrs. Donald H. Knode Jr. ... was Tracey Jill Atkins

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Obituaries

Jesse N. James
Jesse Nathan James, 61, of Lexington, died Tuesday, Dec. 26, 1995, at N.C. Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem.

A native of Davie County, he was born March 6, 1934, to the late Samuel Seaford and Bessie Boyd James and was retired from PPG.

Surviving are his former wife, Annie Bailey James of Lexington; 2 sons, Wade James of Southmont and Larry James of Lexington; 3 daughters, Kathy Smith of Welcome, Jessie Lane Hedrick and Amy James of Lexington; 7 grandchildren; a great-grandchild; 2 brothers, Clay James of Advance and Richard James of Mocksville; and 3 sisters, Myrtle Smith of Yadkinville, Nellie King Grayley and Laura Durham, both of Advance.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Dec. 29, at Vogler's Piedmont Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Bobby Robertson. Burial followed at Forest Hill Memorial Park.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Davidson County, P.O. Box 1941, Lexington, N.C. 27292.

Danny Clark
Danny Dwayne Clark, 35, of Mocksville, died Wednesday, Dec. 27, 1995.

He was born Nov. 19, 1960, in Bluefield, W.Va., to Scarlet Blankenship Neal and the late Luther Edgar Clark.

Surviving are his wife, Mary Winfrey Clark of Mocksville; a daughter, Brittany Victoria Clark of Mocksville; a son, Nicholas Daniel Clark of Rural Hill; his mother and stepfather, Scarlett and Mack Neal of Walkertown; 2 sisters, Kathy Gregg Link of Arcadia and Dreama Clark Carter of King.

A graveside service was conducted at 1 p.m. Dec. 29, at Gardens of Memory in Walkertown with the Rev. Danny Smith officiating.

Buster Beck
Nathan Clive "Buster" Beck Sr., 80, of 1621 County Line Road, Harmony, died Wednesday, Dec. 27, 1995, at Davie Community Hospital in Statesville.

He was born in Davie County Aug. 30, 1915, to the late Sheridan "Buddy" and Annie Beatrice Dyon Beck and was a retired carpenter.

A World War II veteran serving in the U.S. Army, he was a member of Mocksville VFW Post 4024. He was of the Methodist faith.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Lucille Tutterow of the home; a son, Nathan Clive "Buddy" Beck Jr. of Mocksville; 2 grandchildren; and a brother, Blume T. Beck of Harmony.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Dewey P. Beck, and a sister, Amanda Elizabeth "Bessie" Beck Stroud.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Dec. 30, at Reavis Funeral Home Chapel with the Revs. William "Billy" Jarrett and David M. Rollins. Burial followed at New Union United Methodist Church with military graveside rites performed by Statesville V.F.W. Post 2031 and D.A.V. Harold Littlefield Chapter 68 of Statesville.

Memorials may be made to New Union United Methodist Church Cemetery Fund, c/o Pat Moore, 551 Turkey Foot Rd., Mocksville, NC 27028 or to the Cancer Fund, Mrs. Bill Leach, Memorial Chairman, 544 Dogwood Rd., Statesville, NC 28677.

Hazel Hester
Hazel E. Doby Hester, 62, of Lexington, died Monday, Dec. 25, 1995.

Born May 7, 1933 in Stokes County to Walter and Velva Ashby White, she was a member of First Wesleyan Church and was employed by Interim Home Care as a certified nursing assistant.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Charles Doby Sr.

Surviving are her husband, Ray Hester of the home; 3 daughters, Joan Pope and Kathy Freeman, both of Winston-Salem, and Betty Bruce of Mocksville; 3 sons, Charles Doby of Advance; Michael Doby of Randleman and Kenny Doby of Clemmons; a stepson, Jerry Hester of Florida; a brother, MacKay White of King; a stepmother, Stacey White of Walnut Cove; 14 grandchildren; and 3 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Dec. 28, at First Wesleyan Church by the Rev. Jonathan Lewis. Burial followed in Bethel United Methodist Church Cemetery.

Katherine S. Poole
Katherine Smith Poole, 68, of Church Street, died Sunday, Dec. 31, 1995, at her home.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Jan. 3, at Eaton Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Larry Hovis officiating. Burial followed in Center United Methodist Church Cemetery.

Memorials may be considered for the Flower Fund or Chancel Choir of Mocksville First Baptist Church, North Main Street, Mocksville, N.C. 27028 or to the Heart Fund, P.O. Box 406, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

She was born in Davie County, March 24, 1927, to the late William Nathan and Blanche Diggins Smith and was a retired retail clerk from B.C. Moore Department Store with 14 years of service. She was formerly with Sanford's Department Store.

She was a member of Mocksville First Baptist Church where she had been active singing in the church choir and serving as chairman of the homecoming committee. She was also active in the Davie County Republican Party and had been a volunteer worker with Meals on Wheels.

She was preceded in death by her husband, James Wilson Poole, in 1987, and by 3 brothers.

Survivors include a daughter, Vivian Gordy of Greensboro; 2 sisters, Louise Hatley of Mocksville and Helen Wrenn of Fayetteville; a brother, Kermil Smith of Mocksville; and by several nieces and nephews.

John T. Lash
John Turner Lash, 74, of Winston-Salem died Friday, Dec. 29, 1995 at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

He was born Aug. 4, 1921 in Farmington to Major Lee and Emma Tysinger Lash and was a member of Calvary Baptist Church.

He served in the U.S. Army's 10th Armored Division during World War II and was wounded in the Ardennes Campaign in Germany. He was awarded the Purple Heart, cited for bravery in the face of combat wounds and was awarded two bronze stars.

Survivors include his wife, Frances B. Lash of the home; 2 sons, John G. Lash of Belleair Beach, Fla. and Dennis H. Lash of Winston-Salem; a daughter, Linda L. Norman of King; 6 grandchildren; 2 sisters, Ruby L. Lash of Winston-Salem and Lillie L. Dull of Advance; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 3 p.m. Dec. 31 at Vogler and Sons Main Street Chapel by Dr. C. Mark Cors. Burial followed in Salem Cemetery.

Leola S. Trivette
Leola Spry Trivette, 87, of Winston-Salem died Friday, Dec. 29, 1995 at her home. She had been in declining health for some time.

She was the widow of Horace G. Trivette. Her brother, Ralph L. Spry, predeceased her in 1994. She is survived by a brother, W. Dennie Spry of Winston-Salem and several nieces and nephews.

She was born Oct. 15, 1908, to Maggie Foster and Rufus Lee Spry in Coleeene.

Funeral services were held at 1:30 p.m. Dec. 11 at Vogler's Main Street Chapel.

Bennie O. Cottingham
Bennie Otha Cottingham, 63, of Richmond, Va., died Monday, Dec. 25, 1995, at Henrico Doctors Hospital in Richmond.

Born May 4, 1932, in Marion, S.C., he was the son of Ruby Cottingham Bost of Salisbury and the late Bennie Otha Cottingham. He was retired from Southern Railway in Richmond, Va.

Surviving in addition to his mother are his wife, Charlotte Trexler Cottingham; 2 sons, Rick and David Cottingham; a daughter, Gail Chapman, all of Richmond, Va.; 5 sisters, Jean Hamilton of Mocksville, Virginia Cox of China Grove, Opal Griffin of Salisbury, Lois Gaither and Christine Cioer of Richmond Va.; and 5 grandchildren.

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Dec. 28, at Dale Memorial Cemetery in Richmond, Va.

Connie Leazer Sales
Corilla "Connie" Leazer Sales, 65, of 2727 Watts St., Coleeene, died early Tuesday, Dec. 26, 1995, at Rowan Regional Medical Center.

She was born in Rowan County March 4, 1930 to the late Foll Monroe and Lillie Mowery Leazer and was educated in the Rowan County schools.

She had been employed by Starback Company as a secretary for 20 years. At the time of her death, she was employed by Hoechst Celanese where she was a lab technician for 23 years. She was a member of Gay's Chapel United Methodist Church in Salisbury.

Surviving are her stepmother, Nora Leazer of Kannapolis; and a number of aunts, uncles and cousins.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Dec. 28, at Gay's Chapel United Methodist Church with the Rev. David Colson officiating and burial following in the Chestnut Hill Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Gay's Chapel United Methodist Church, 5545 Woodleaf Road, Salisbury, N.C.

John A. Helderman
John Avery Helderman Sr., 76, of Winston-Salem, died Tuesday, Dec. 26, 1995, at his home.

He was the father of John A. Helderman Jr. of Mocksville.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Dec. 28, at Hayworth-Miller Silas Creek Chapel with Masonic graveside rites following at Oaklawn Memorial Gardens.

Kelly Lee Gaither
Kelly Lee Gaither Sr., 66, of Duke Whitaker Road, Mocksville, died Thursday afternoon, Dec. 28, 1995, at Davie County Hospital.

He was born in Davie County, Aug. 17, 1929 to the late William Louie and Edna Stroud Gaither and was retired from the U.S. Army where he served during the Korean Conflict with tours in Germany and Okinawa.

He was a lifetime member of the AMVETS in Lexington, the VFW and the American Legion Post in Lexington.

Surviving are his wife, Ruth Chaffin Gaither of the home; 2 daughters, Brenda Crowe of Mocksville and Kathy Gaither of Yadkinville; 3 sons, Curtis Gaither of Harmony, Kelly Gaither Jr. of the home and Ronald "Moony" Gaither of Winston-Salem; 8 grandchildren; a great-grandchild; a sister, Lucille Morrison of Galax, Va.; and 2 brothers, Clay Gaither of Winston-Salem and Billy Gaither of Mocksville; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Jan. 2, at Eaton Funeral Chapel with the Revs. Ben Mull and Elisha Robertson officiating. Burial with military honors by the 11th District Memorial Honor Guard, Veterans of Foreign War, followed in the National Cemetery in Salisbury.

Memorials may be made to New Union United Methodist Church, Sheffield Rd., Mocksville, NC 27028 or to the American Diabetes Association.

Willie Frank Davidson
Willie Frank Davidson of U.S. Hwy. 158, Mocksville, died Friday, Dec. 29, 1995 at his home.

Born in Troutman, he was a son of the late Augustus and Annette Davidson. He had been employed with R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company in Winston-Salem and later worked for Hanes Hosiery Mill until his retirement. He was a member of Rock Hill Church of Christ.

His first wife, Vallie Scott Davidson, died in 1982.

Survivors include his wife, Viola Davidson; 3 stepsons, William Shanks of Washington, D.C., Kenneth and Wayne Shanks, both of Mocksville; 3 stepdaughters, Alice Marie "Peaches" Davidson of Mocksville, Joann Jones of Salisbury and Rochella Shanks of the home.

Funeral services were held on Monday, Jan. 1 at 3 p.m. at Rock Hill Church of Christ in Rowan County. Minister J.F. Kennedy was Eulogist, assisted by the pastor, Anthony Reese. Burial followed in the church cemetery. The body was taken from Morrison-Studevent Funeral Home to the church at 1:30 p.m. where the family greeted friends at 2 p.m. at the church.

Memorials may be made to Davie County Hospice, 210 Hospital St., Mocksville, NC 27028.

Camilla Shaw
Camilla Holman Sigmon Shaw, 77, formerly of Bingham Street, Mocksville, died of cancer Friday, Dec. 29, 1995, at Autumn Care of Mocksville.

Born Aug. 9, 1918, in Davie County, she was a daughter of the late Guy Boone and Mary Ella Witherspoon Holman.

She retired from the textile industry and kept the nursery at Mocksville First Baptist Church where she had been a member for 35 years.

A son, David Lee Shaw, preceded her in death.

Survivors include 2 daughters, Gail Sigmon Stewart of Mocksville and Kay Frances Shaw of Houston, Texas; a brother, Clyde Holman of East Bend; and 2 grandchildren.

She was buried at Rose Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Bus Fund of Mocksville First Baptist Church, North Main Street, Mocksville, NC 27018.

Caregivers Support Group Being Started

Do you have problems dealing with the stress that comes with a caregivers role?

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"If you seem to be having a hard time dealing with pressures of a caregiver you need to join this class," says Peggy Nuckolls from the N.C. Cooperative Extension Service, Davie County Center.

The Extension Service invites the public to a Caregivers support group. The class will be held at the County Office Building Jan. 11, 7-9 p.m. A follow-up session will be held Feb. 1, 7-9 p.m.

Nuckolls, the Family and Consumer Science Educator, is in charge of the program. Call to reserve a seat. "There are only 10 spaces so call us at 634-6297 as soon as possible."

This program is for those who are taking care of an elderly or handicapped person and have to deal with the pressure and stress that will come with the responsibility of a caregiver.

The class will discuss different options available in housing needs and emotional needs. There will be a list of agencies in the community that can assist you with various needs as a caregiver given to each person that attends. She will have information on handling financial needs, nutritional needs, and planning for the future.

Those interested need to call the office at 634-6297 to reserve a place in the workshop. If there are any questions about the program, call Nuckolls at 634-6297.

Navy Officer On Duty In West Virginia
Navy Petty Officer 1st Class Steven D. Buchin, a 1986 graduate of Davie High School, recently reported for duty with the Naval Security Group Activity, Sugar Grove, W. Va.

Buchin's new assignment is an example of how Navy and Marine Corps men and women are assigned to ships, squadrons and shore commands around the world. Whether serving in the Persian Gulf near Iraq or in the Adriatic Sea near Bosnia, people like Buchin are making a difference as they work to improve their knowledge and skill as part of the most highly technical naval force in history.

He joined the Navy in July 1986. Petty Officer Buchin is a 1995 graduate of Harold Washington College, Chicago, Ill. with an associate's degree.

Reunion Planned
Efforts are underway to plan a Davie County Training/Central Davie High School reunion.

All alumni are invited to a reunion committee meeting at 6 p.m. Jan. 8, at Davie County Public Library.

McGuire, Not Setzers
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The McGuire sisters left money to the Davie County Public Library to be released once the house was sold for restoration.

Patton Elected VP
The North Carolina Amusement Machine Association drew the crowds to its Annual Convention and Trade Show in Winston-Salem.

Changes to its governing board included Advance's Jim Patton Bros., Inc. Patton was elected to the position of NCAMA third vice president.

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Sports

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Three Named To All Tourney Team

By Brian Pitts
Davie County Enterprise Record

It was bazookas vs. bows and arrows in the Sam Moir Christmas Classic at Catawba College's Goodman Gymnasium.

The top-seeded Davie County War Eagles (6-2) used its overwhelming physical presence to breezy West Rowan (2-5) 51-38 in Thursday's semifinal, and Davie's girls' team defeated East Rowan 54-40 in the championship to capture the 25th annual tournament.

Janette Williard, 38 points in two games, took home the Most Valuable Player honor. Tami Ramsey and Roxanne Steele also made the all-tournament team.

Williard, who had 22 points and 10 rebounds in the final game, took everything in stride, as if she didn't expect anything less from herself or the team.

"No, I didn't play good," said a modest Williard. "It's a big honor, but you go and play to win...not to win MVP."

"We were not going to be happy (unless Davie won the tourney). We played good as a team."

Davie last year to arch-rival South Rowan, a team Davie expected to play this year, but they were upset by upstart East Rowan in the semifinals. "It was sort of revenge for the seniors to win it this year," Williard said.

Davie disposed of West Rowan like a boxing champion loosening up for a title bout. The win put Davie in the championship round against the underdog East Rowan Mustangs (6-5).

East Rowan was coming off of two upsets and the game started like the Mustangs might have enough gas for one more as Julie Austin scored the first points 2:28 into the game.

Williard's breakaway layup broke the ice for Davie the 4:50 mark of the game.

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Worth Noting ...
Guard Janette Williard of the Davie girls' basketball team saved her best game of the season for championship game of the Sam Moir Christmas Classic against East Rowan. The crafty senior was an easy choice for Most Valuable Player for the tournament by scoring a game-high 22 points and yanking down 10 rebounds in a 54-40 win. Senior Neil Comartzer was named the Most Outstanding Wrestler in the Freedom Dual Tournament Dec. 22. The 189-pounder went 5-0 and upped his season record to an undefeated 23-0. He has won 63 consecutive matches. Seniors Jeff Wilson, 145-pounder, and Josh Nail, 130, were named Most Outstanding Wrestler in their weight classes in the East Gaston Dual Team tournament held last weekend. Sophomore center Ray Spain dominated with 18 points in a 65-59 JV boys' win vs. West Rowan. Sophomore Jason Neese came through with 16 season-high points for Darrall Steele's varsity boys' first win of the year against East Rowan 57-43.

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Davie Wrestlers 881; Opponents, 209
By Brian Pitts
Davie County Enterprise Record

Davie County, 881-209.

That's how dominate the Davie wrestlers' were in the Freedom Dual Tournament at Morganton Dec. 22 and at East Gaston in a dual team tournament last weekend.

In the process, Davie ran its record to 21-1 on the year by winning 14 straight matches over the holidays.

Senior Neil Comartzer was named the Most Outstanding Wrestler in the Freedom tournament. The 189-pounder went 5-0 to claim the honor.

Comartzer also went 5-0 at East Gaston before having to be replaced by Will Lowdermilk because of an injured shoulder. He is 23-0 on the year and has won 63 matches in a row.

Seniors Jeff Wilson, 140-pounder, and Josh Nail, 125, were named the Most Outstanding Wrestlers for their particular weight classes at East Gaston. Along with Comartzer, they were the only War Eagles to go unbeaten at East.

Davie JV's went 3-2 and finished 5th of seven schools at Freedom.

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Local runners Dennis Pelerman and Wade Leonard were race participants.



Overall winner Glen Mays was using this race to train for an upcoming marathon.



Denise Merritt, 16, a member of the Surry Central cross country and track teams, takes the lead in the Davie Family YMCA 1.5 mile "fun run" Saturday morning. -Photos by Robin Fergusson



Race officials prepare to record the time while spectators watch another runner approaching the finish line.

131 Runners Finish Race

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 said, "For right now, that was good. It's my first hard effort since I injured my hamstring. I'm very pleased I could do this effort out of it."
 After the race, runners gathered in the Y's multi-purpose room, where volunteers were cooking pancake and sausage and awards were being handed out.
 "I think I've done this every time since they started it. It's one of my favorites," Hagerty said.
 Running, just like any exercise program, should be fun. And anybody can do it.
 "I started when I was 64," Hagerty said. "I wanted to stop smoking. I went to a clinic and they said start moving, and I've been moving ever since."
 "That first day, I was having a nicotine fit, so I started jogging down the street. I said, you know, I kind of like this. I just kept increasing the distances each time I went out."
 "Does running every day sound boring?"
 Hagerty said it could be, so she lifts weights some days, swims on others and takes aerobic classes on other days.
 "I don't have a schedule, because I want to keep this fun," she said. "I'm 72 and I don't want to burn out. I'm just glad to be able to finish."
 So was Christian Jones of Clemmons. At age 3, he was the youngest participant in a 1.5 mile fun run, and was beaming when he received a trophy at the awards ceremony. His parents and two brothers also participated.

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 20-24: Joanna Morgan, 41:58; Ana Garhart, 47:05; Brandy Carver, 1:12:16.
 25-29: Amy Bearman, 49:46; Carolyn Connor, 50:01.
 30-34: Karen Meader, 42:33; Susan Blair, 48:52; Sandra Brodie, 53:19.
 35-39: Donna Thackway, 43:07; Sandy Adair, 55:14; Angie Linville, 56:30.
 40-44: Wanda Brooks, 47:13; Trish Mulloy, 1:00:03; Debbie Carver, 1:13:03.
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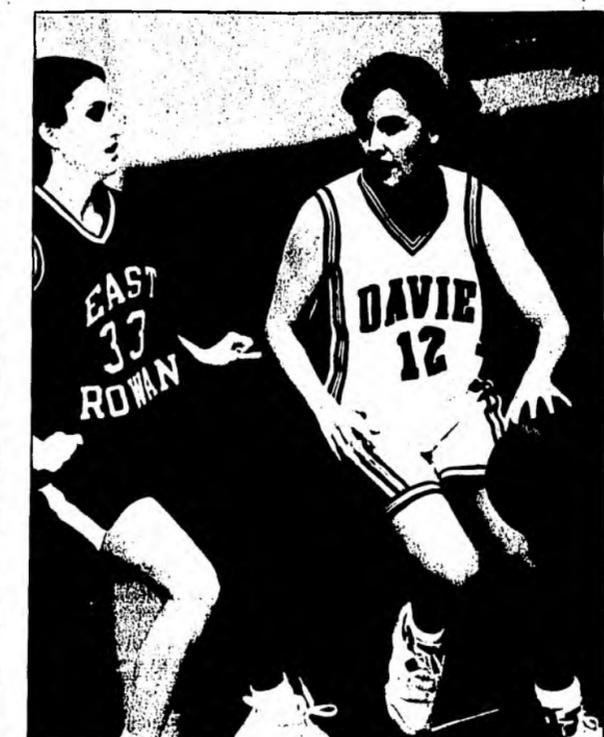
Davie Girls Win At Christmas Classic Tourney

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 first period to tie the game at two.
 The lead changed hands four times before Davie went on one of its patented runs. Davie was leading 14-9 with four seconds remaining in the opening quarter when Steele nailed a 3-pointer off of an inbounds play to put the War Eagles in control at 17-9. Davie scored nine unanswered points to end the quarter.
 Coach Mike Dinkins of Davie can't understand why his girls are so streaky. "We go for droughts and then bam, bam, bam - we blow it open," Dinkins said.
 Ramsey and Williard carried Davie early by scoring the teams' first 12 points. And Williard finished with eight in the first eight minutes.
 The second quarter was basically the same story. Davie went dry for 1:50 before Steele turned a Mustang turnover into a layup for an 11-point lead. After an East Rowan timeout, East went on a 6-2 run to close to within 21-14.
 Davie answered East Rowan with an 8-2 run, sparked by Davie's three lethal scorers (Williard, Ramsey and Steele).
 Ramsey fed Steele for a 3-pointer. Ramsey came right back with a 3-pointer to stretch the lead to 27-14 with three minutes to go before halftime.
 Williard scored Davie's last four points by going inside, and then she drained an 18-footer to beat the half-time buzzer for a 31-19 advantage.
 Williard connected on seven of her last eight field-goal attempts and already had 14 points and seven rebounds halfway through the contest to virtually lock up the MVP selection.
 The third quarter was all Ramsey and Williard for Davie, but the pesky Mustangs put together another spurt to climb back into the game nearing the end of the third.
 Ramsey led off the third with a 3-pointer and after a Dinkins' timeout, Williard hit a layup. East Rowan's point guard Allison Dupree led the Mustangs on one last run by outscoring Davie 8-2 to close the gap to 38-30 with 2:13 to go in the third. Davie's only basket during the run was made by Ramsey on a drive.
 "I thought we could press them effectively," Dinkins said. "But No. 14 (Dupree) was really tough. She just went by us and made some nice dishes and lots of good decisions for them."
 Williard closed the third quarter in the same fashion as the second by scoring Davie's last four points to give her team a 42-32 cushion.
 East Rowan never got any closer than 10 points in the final eight minutes. Davie went to a spread offense with 3:30 remaining and relied on working the clock and looking for layups only. Brill benefited from the four-comers by scoring all six of her points in the late minutes.
 Davie entered the tournament with the pressure on them because they were the No. 1 seed, and they walked away with a convincing 14-point victory.
 "By playing under pressure, it was more than I could ask for from our team," said Dinkins. "We had talked about how sluggish we were yesterday, and we had to have a good start. We couldn't put them away."
 "We came to play and I'm tickled to death."
 Williard rose to the occasion in front of a large partisan Rowan crowd. "I like the intense atmosphere," she said.
 Williard and Ramsey played on two War Eagle teams with a combined 47-8 record. Last year the War Eagles went 25-2, and Williard was



Senior Laura Moyer takes a shot surrounded by defenders.

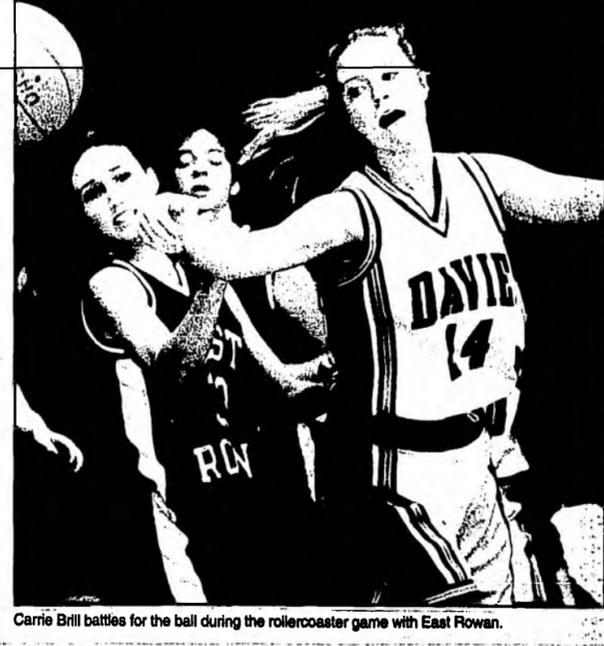
asked how does this year's team compare to the past.
 "You can't compare to last year because you have different qualities," Williard said. "But I think we'll be just as good."
 The scrappy Ramsey finished with 14 points and nine rebounds. Brill had six and eight boards. Dinkins calls Steele his super-sub and she responded with 10 off of the bench. Center Erin Umberger had two.
 "I'm real pleased to be 6-2," Dinkins said.
 Davie was 2-of-8 from the free-throw line. They shot 24-of-59 from the floor (40 percent). Davie was 4-of-13 from 3-point range. Ramsey and Steele hit two each.
Davie Sputters Past West Rowan
 Davie received a first-round by virtue of earning the tournament's top seed.
 They were set to face the No. 5 seed West Rowan Falcons in last Thursday's semifinals - the same Falcons that the War Eagles destroyed 80-52 a week earlier.
 Davie was sluggish, and Dinkins told his team to be careful against the upset-minded Falcons.
 "I don't care who we play, we better be ready," Dinkins said.
 Davie jumped ahead 3-0 before West got on the board after the game was three minutes old. Steele lifted the War Eagles by scoring five first quarter points.
 The teams exchanged baskets the entire quarter, and then Steele gave Davie some momentum by nailing a 15-footer as the first period horn sounded. "Roxanne gave us a real big lift," Dinkins said.
 West scared Davie by going on an 8-2 to start the second and give the Falcons a 17-14 lead.
 Then the game turned into the Ram-



Williard drives past a defender for two points on her way to becoming tournament MVP.



Coach Mike Dinkins and team members watch as Davie captures the lead.



Carrie Brill battles for the ball during the rollercoaster game with East Rowan.

JV Team's Winning Streak Ends In Mt. Ulla

Coach Carol Cozart could see it coming.
 Davie's junior varsity girls' basketball team had beaten up on Statesville and Salisbury in its last four games by an average of 29 points.
 The War Eagles (4-2) could make mistakes against the push-over opponents and get away with it.
 Cozart said all along that the same mistakes could cost Davie when they run into a respectable opponent.
 Guess what happened.
 A dismal first quarter halted Davie's four-game winning streak as West Rowan won in Mt. Ulla 49-41.
 Davie outscored the Falcons in three of the four quarters, however, the War Eagles spotted West a 19-7 lead after eight minutes.
 West's pressure defense allowed the Falcons to take an early 9-2 lead. "They pressed," Cozart explained, "and we didn't respond very well. We got behind the 8-ball. That's basically what beat us."
 Davie was behind 29-18 at the half. Then the War Eagles stormed back in the third quarter.
 At one point Davie was within seven points with the ball. "We were just pressing too hard," said Cozart. "We haven't been behind all year."
 "We couldn't get away with mistakes that we made against other teams."
 The War Eagles went on to outscore the Falcons 23-20 in the second half and lost by eight.
 Forward Melinda Richie had a team-high 12 points and double-figure re-

bounds, according to Cozart. "She played a heck of a game." Jodie Stone added 10 points.
 Inside threat Jennifer Hendrix was held to three points, while averaging eight coming into the game. "That points to our offensive problems," Cozart said.
 The coach was pleased with the overall play of Dana Smith. "She hit a big 3-pointer and gave our defense a boost. Dana did a real good job."
 Kathryn Jackson and Tiffany Peoples had four and two points respectively.
 Stone has a team-high 12.5 scoring average. Richie has upped her's to 8.3. She is averaging 14.5 in the last two games. Hendrix and Holcomb are scoring 7.1 and 5.6 respectively.



The team gathers around to discuss their strategy during the Sam Moir Christmas Classic Tournament.

War Eagles Defeat East Rowan To Win First Game

By Brian Pitts
Davie County Enterprise Record

Davie County's boys' basketball team entered the Sam Moir Christmas Classic at Catawba College's Goodman Gymnasium wanting just one thing: a win.

Davie got just what it needed when they defeated the No. 2 seed East Rowan Mustangs (0-9) in last Thursday's consolation game by a score of 57-43. Davie was coming off of an embarrassing 71-42 first-round loss to West Rowan.

Jason Neese

In Davie's match with the lowly East Rowan was 0-8. Davie was starting for a win, and as far as the War Eagles are concerned, they had to have a victory any way they could get it.

"It's good to get a win," said a relieved Darrell Steele. "We didn't play well defensively. We're not where we should be. We knew No. 30 (Travis Goins, who scored a game-high 21 points) was going to shoot, but we didn't play good defense on him. The game started as fans expect

when two winless teams match-up. It took three minutes before either team could score. Goins' jumper from the foul line put East up 2-0. East had shot an air-ball and blown a wide open layup before that.

Davie had three turnovers and two missed free throws before 6-5 Center Jason Neese, who had a season- and team-high 16 points, scored inside with 3:34 to go in the first quarter.

Davie came back with two more turnovers. The last one resulted in two points for the Mustangs, and a 4-2 lead with a little over two minutes remaining in the first.

Jason Neese's bucket was the only other War Eagle points in the opening quarter. They finished the first like they started the game—with two turnovers.

Davie had a season-low 16 turnovers, but seven came in the first period.

Swing-guard Jaime Lyons swished a 3-pointer to give Davie a 13-13 lead with 3:39 to go before half-time. Lyons' shot started a Davie 9-0 run.

Neese made the second quarter a coming out party. A sophomore, he scored Davie's last seven points of the quarter to give his team a 22-16 lead.

In the third quarter, Davie showed East its outside shooting ability. Point Guard Timmy Gilbreath started the quarter with back-to-back 3-pointers.

Josh Barnhardt connected from deep to give Davie a 33-25 lead. Eric Alspaugh trailed a 19-footer with 1:40 to go in the third period.

Davie had just played West Rowan in its last game and faltered down the stretch to lose by nine.

The second meeting was a different story as West had five players to score at least nine points. Davie had only three to score over six.

It was a mismatch and a different West team from the opening tip.

Coach Bobby Shipwash of West Rowan said he was disappointed about the way his team performed at Davie, and thought his team was out to prove that they were a much better ball team.

"We look good in sports," Steele said. "Our biggest weakness is defense. The offense looked a little bit better. We handled the ball better. Murphy and Derek Dulin had good games."

Davie was 12-23 from the free-throw line compared to East's 8-14. "We should shoot 70 percent from the line. We practice them religiously," Steele said.

Davie nailed five 3-pointers. Matt Jones, Barnhardt and Lyons had one apiece. Gilbreath had two.

Also scoring for Davie were Murphy, D. Dulin and Lyons with six points each. James and Alspaugh had four. Puckett and Barnhardt chipped in with three. Chris Dinkins scored two and Tremaine Dulin had one.

West Rowan Buckles Davie By 29
Davie County ran into an angry

West's last four points of the second quarter started a 15-0 run that ran over to the 4:20 mark of the third quarter.

Davie started the third quarter in nightmarish fashion. The War Eagles self-destructed with five straight turnovers before D. Dulin scored to break the drought.

Dulin was the only factor for Davie in the third period. Davie was outscored 17-4 in the eight-minute span and Dulin had all four points and drew a charge.

The War Eagles turned the ball over 12 times in the third. "Their pressure defense was too much," Steele said. "We practiced all week on how to handle the pressure. We just didn't do it."

"We're not communicating. Things like that are hurting us right now. They shot lights-out," he said.

Things didn't get better in the fourth. Davie had three turnovers, two air-balls and a missed layup in the first four minutes of the final quarter.

Murphy's follow shot gave Davie its first field goal of the fourth with 4:05 to play. Then the War Eagles cut down on mistakes to be outscored just 18-14 in the last eight minutes.

The story for Davie was turnovers and 15-51 field-goal shooting for a miserable 29 percent. Davie was 3-21 from behind the 3-point line.

West Rowan team in the first round of the Sam Moir Christmas Classic last Wednesday night and lost 71-42.

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Timmy Gilbreath shoots over West Rowan defenders.



Timmy Gilbreath attempts two points in a loss to the Falcons.



Jason Neese goes up for two points.



James passes the ball to a teammate.

— Photos by James Barringer

• Barnhardt finished with three 3-pointers. West Rowan had four as a team. Davie was 9-14 from the line compared to West's 17-26.

• Lyons had a season-high seven points. Murphy, six; D. Dulin, four; Puckett, three; Gilbreath, T. Dulin, Dusty Smith and Alspaugh, two; Jason Neese, one.

• Puckett is leading the team with 9.3 ppg. The forward is averaging just 4.7 in the last four games. Gilbreath is second with 8.8 and Jason Neese raised his to 7.3.



Davie coaches appreciated the help they get from Smith. — Photos by Robin Fergusson

Smith Shows His Love For Sports As Davie's Manager

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To put Smith in perspective, he's the first one there and the last one to leave.

JV boys' basketball coach Brian Cantrell takes Smith home after every practice and appreciates his efforts. "He's a real good kid," Cantrell said. "He loves sports, and he has a great time and loves doing it."

"It's very hard to find someone these days to do what he does."

Why does Smith put in all of those long hours? To get into the games free.

Exactly what was Smith's job during football season? "I was responsible for filling the ice cooler, getting footballs and getting the medicine kits," Smith said. "During practices, I would watch and be there for anything—like if someone got hurt."

Smith didn't jump up and leave when practice was over. "I put everything up and help the coaches with anything," he said. "On home game

days I would help set up the field and on away games I would put things on the van."

Smith didn't get any time off as basketball cranked up before football was even over.

"I sweep the floor and get the basketballs ready," Smith said. He said that he practices an average of 45 minutes with the team at every practice.

Smith ends his long day by putting the basketballs up and turning out the lights.

What do Nancy and Sherrill Smith, parents of Joseph, think of all of the time their son puts in? "They didn't like it at first," Joseph said. "They wanted me to clean the house instead. But they're used to it."

After graduation, Smith wants to attend North Carolina State University and major in physical education with a minor in coaching.

Smith is the unsung hero of Davie athletics. The world could use a few more Joseph Smiths.



Smith is in charge of the basketballs before and after practice.

JV Boys Win Third In Row At West Rowan

Davie's JV boys' basketball team won at West Rowan 65-59.

"Overall, we didn't play well at all," Coach Brian Cantrell said. "We're not finding bodies (to box-out) and we missed several layups."

Center Ray Spain, team- and season-high 18 points, made sure that the War Eagles (4-2) won its third game in a row with his inside presence.

"Ray was real tough in the middle," Cantrell said. "He played smart and the guards penetrated and dished to Ray."

Guards Eric Kofke and Charles Miller were the other War Eagles to reach double figures. Kofke had 13 points while banging home two 3-pointers. Miller had 12 on 6-of-7 free-throw shooting.

Davie led 16-14 at the end of the first quarter before the War Eagles ran

off to a 15-point lead, and maintained a comfortable margin throughout.

"They stayed into it for the rest of the game," Cantrell said, "but we steadily held an eight-to-10-point lead."

Cantrell found two positive accomplishments in the game. "We finally got some guard penetration."

Davie led 34-24 at halftime before coasting to win by six. The War Eagles were outscored 35-31 in the second

half.

Jesse Marion hit a 3-pointer and finished with six points. B.J. Johnson chipped in with four. Brian Campbell, James Blakely, Steven Dunn and Brian Lane each had two.

• Miller is leading the way with 11 points per game. Kofke is at 10.5. Spain raised his average to 8.3. The big man is pumping in 15.5 in the last two contests.

Wrestlers Win 14 Straight For 21st Victory Of Season

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East Gaston and Davie were scheduled to face-off in the final match. They knew how it was supposed to go. Lowery said. "East Gaston won a couple of state championships in the late 80s."

The show-down did not live up to its billing. Davie ripped East 52-18. Things started snowballing and there was nothing that they could do. We wrestled against some good people. There's one thing...as the day went on, the better we got. We picked it up another notch," Lowery said.

Davie got a big scare in its first match of the tournament against Myers Park. Adam Bailey, Jamey Holt, Billy Allen, Adam Connor and Nail lost decisions in the first five weight classes to give Myers Park a 16-0 lead.

"They were good down at the bottom," Lowery said. "We didn't win a match until 1:35." Davie took control by winning seven of the last nine rounds. Five were pins.

The War Eagles rolled the rest of the way, winning seven straight matches to set up the East Gaston

match for all of the marbles.

The 72-11 victory over South Point was like a walk through the park. South Point gave Davie eight forfeits and were mathematically defeated before they walked on the mat.

"That was probably the only break we had all day," Lowery said. "The magic number to win a match is 43. And we had 48 given to us. They can't win, but not all places are as fortunate as we are to have 40 some wrestlers."

Lowery was pleased with the way that things panned out for his team. "We didn't wrestle bad after we finally woke up. It gave us a chance to wrestle some young people," Lowery said, who is in his 20th year at the helm. Davie Sweeps Freedom Duals

Davie traveled to Morganton and won all five matches to bring home the tournament championship. The Davie JV's won three out of five to claim the 5th spot.

The varsity War Eagles blew out Freedom, 61-9; Hunter Huss, 62-10; Sun Valley, 76-6; East Burke's JVs, 80-0; and East Burke's varsity, 56-24. This is another small hurdle in Davie County's quest for another state championship. Davie won the dual title in 1994 and the individual in '95.

"If you're not working to be real good and win a state championship...then you're in the wrong room," Lowery said.

The JVs lost a 45-32 decision to Hunter Huss to start the tournament. Then they bounced back to defeat Sun Valley 55-21, before losing 46-20 to East Burke's varsity. Davie ended the day with wins over West Henderson and East Burke. Burke's JV squad was blitzed 62-9, while West Henderson handed Davie a forfeit.

Davie's five seniors (Comatzer, Nail, Wilson, Bobby Brown and Daniel Baily) on the varsity is a major reason that the War Eagles are 21-1 on the season, heading into the conference schedule. "We're getting real good senior leadership," Lowery said. "That's what is holding us together right now. We met some respectable wrestlers. Our philosophy is to be a total team and we're working in that matter."

Davie hasn't shifted gears, pacing themselves for the stretch-run when the regional and state tournaments roll around.

"We have three notches," Lowery said. "No. 1 is the pre-season. Then we want to step it up one for the conference. Then for the post-season we want to go up another notch."

Comatzer is the only War Eagle

with an undefeated record. The senior leader is 23-0 on the year. Adam Connor suffered his first loss of the year, but the junior is still 26-1.

• Comatzer and Allen are suffering from injuries and Lowery doesn't know how serious. Allen (23-4) has tendonitis in his wrist and Comatzer injured his shoulder on a skiing trip.

• Lowery has a 227-48-2 record in his career at Davie. The War Eagles

lost 32 matches Lowery's first five years. Davie has only lost 15 dual matches in the last 15 years.

• The Mat News has Davie County ranked 5th in the state. The War Eagles trail No. 1 Durham Riverside, Anson County, Cary and Hillsborough Orange, Charlotte Independence, New Bern, Eden Morehead, Myers Park and Mt. Tabor round out the rest of the top 10.

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Wednesday, Jan. 10: Grab and go special, ham and cheese sub or PB&J sandwich; with frothy frozen yogurt cup, dill pickle spear and fresh fruit.

Thursday, Jan. 11: Pork chop sandwich, chicken pie with roll or tuna salad plate; 2 of creamed potatoes, seasoned green beans, fruit and juice.

Friday, Jan. 12: Tony's sausage or cheese pizza, turkey and cheese sub or fruit salad plate; 2 of baked apples, tossed salad, fruit and juice.

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Monday, Jan. 8: Tony's pizza, hot steak and cheese sandwich or corn dog; 2 of potato wedges, seasoned baby carrots, fruit and juice.

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Wednesday, Jan. 10: Tony's pizza, home cooking dish, sloppy joe or chef salad; 2 of vegetable of the day, seasoned green beans, fruit and juice.

Thursday, Jan. 11: Tony's pizza, spaghetti with garlic toast, chicken barbecue sandwich or tuna salad plate; 2 of tossed salad, seasoned corn, fruit and juice.

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"When used and stored according to directions, ammonium nitrate is one of the best sources of nitrogen available," says Dr. Steve Hodges, leader of North Carolina Cooperative Extension Service soil science programs at NCSU. "In fact, it is one of the most common forms used by homeowners and by farmers."

Fertilizer-grade ammonium nitrate differs significantly from the technical-grade ammonium nitrate that is explicitly classified as a blasting agent. Because this grade is more porous, it is easier to sensitize with fuel or another carbon source, then to detonate by heat shock or friction from a booster charge.

The less-pure fertilizer grade, on the other hand, is much more dense, has larger particles and is coated with clay. Taken together, these properties make it more stable and, thus, difficult to explode.

To use fertilizer-grade ammonium nitrate to construct a bomb, such as the one used in Oklahoma City in April, a person would have to be trained in making chemical explosives and would have to combine it with a highly specific amount of explosive materials—not too little and not too much, Hodges says.

"To make fertilizer-grade ammonium nitrate explode, you've got to know what you are doing," he says. "For farmers and other customers, there is really no need to fear that it will accidentally explode."

The fertilizer form is an important product for North Carolina farmers and homeowners. It supplies plants with nitrogen, the nutrient responsible for increasing yield and making plants green, Hodges says.

"Of the three major plant nutrients—nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium—nitrogen is the one most often found to be lacking in soil," Hodges says. "Without it, plants become spindly and yellow. These weak plants are then subject to diseases and other pests that can kill them or further inhibit their growth."

Nitrogen fertilizers are made by combining naturally occurring nitrogen with carbon, which constitutes 78 percent of the atmosphere, with natural gas. The fertilizers come in three major commercial forms: anhydrous ammonia, a gas that must be injected into the soil; urea, a synthetic organic form that can be lost as a gas; and ammonium nitrate, a granular form that is distributed by itself or in common fertilizer mixtures, like 10-10-10 (10 percent nitrogen, 10 percent phosphate and 10 percent potash).

The key to using ammonium nitrate safely is to follow manufacturers' instructions, Hodges says. It is particularly important not to store the fertilizer near flammable materials or a heat source, such as a heating duct, a stove or a heater.

"Though the fertilizer grade of ammonium nitrate is not the same as the highly refined materials used for the blasting, it still can be hazardous if you try to handle it," he says. "But gas and kerosene and a lot of other things people can easily buy are even more dangerous."

"What farmers and homeowners need to keep in mind is that they have nothing to worry about if they store their ammonium nitrate away from flammable materials and from heat."

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Giant hot-air balloons brighten the wall at the Pinebrook Elementary School media center. Area artist Gerald Marlon has been painting the mural. - Photos by Robin Fergusson

Cat In A Balloon Brights Pinebrook Media Center

By Mike Barnhardt
Davie County Enterprise Record

Henry the cat had a wish. He wanted to fly in a hot-air balloon. The hot-air balloon pilot wouldn't let Henry aboard, so when the man turned his head, Henry jumped into the basket. His claw caught the cord that fired the burner, and Henry began his solo flight.

Students at Pinebrook Elementary School can now follow Henry's flight in two ways. They can read the book, or they can look at a new mural just completed on a media center wall.

Local artist Gerald Marlon painted the mural, which features hot-air balloons, boys and girls, and, of course, Henry the cat peering over the edge of the biggest balloon.

Will Markland, a first grader and son of Don and Lisa Markland, said the mural has made the media center more lively.

"It was just a solid yellow wall," Will said. "I like the big one with a cat in it, because I like cats."

Marion said it was fun interacting with students while painting the mural.

"I've never been with a project that has generated so much excitement," Marion said. "Every morning, they (students) would look at what I had done last and say, that's my favorite."

"They were real excited when they saw Henry in the balloon. They were always asking, when are you going to do Henry, when are you going to do Henry."

The idea got started between Marion, a couple of teachers and the PTA. He did a color sketch which the PTA approved.

He has done murals and wall paintings for businesses, but this is his first at a school. He also painted murals while doing mission work in South America.

The mural should last as long as the building is standing, Marion said.

And students for many years to come will be able to go along with Henry as he travels through the sky.



Marion talks with student Will Markland.



Will's favorite part of the mural is the cat in the balloon.

Davie Schools

Shady Grove Elementary
Fourth graders presented their Christmas program at the December PTA meeting. Elnora Gore's, Susan Sidden's, and Judy White's students presented Cool Yule to the school on Dec. 19 and then to the PTA that night. They helped parents rock into the Christmas season with lots of "apeal" music.

The monthly staff meeting was held

on Dec. 14. Core Team, media, and arts council representative discussed important. Teachers were given a "Learning Styles Inventory" to complete. The walking program and progress were discussed. Paula Seaford, school nurse, discussed and showed teachers how to use a "bee sting" kit. Other topics covered were reports from the Southern Association committees. Linda Jones presented

the "Read A Book Certificate", West Area Council Chamber of Commerce Mini Grants as well as the Shady Grove Foundation grants. It was brought to the attention of the teachers that Winston-Salem State University is offering master programs in small school pods.

On Dec. 13, Melanie Hendrix and Bonnie Spach's 2nd graders were visited by their pen pals from Mocksville Elementary. After refreshments, the visitors toured the school.

Bus Students of the Week were Josh Dixon, Rachel Davis, Sara Brown, Ashley Trivette, David Bolin and Amanda Smith.

Burger King Night will be Jan. 9. Jan. 10 is an Early Release Day and students will be dismissed at 1 p.m. It is also P.E. Demonstration Day from 8 a.m.-noon. The store will be open on Jan. 12 and again on Jan. 26.

Also, on Jan. 12, the K-2 grades will be having their reading party and the birthday luncheon will be held to honor those with January birthdays. Jan. 15 is Martin Luther King Day and there will be no school for anyone and the next day will be a teacher workday so students get another day off. Report cards will be sent home on Jan. 22.

The following books have been placed in the media center as a part of the Honor Book and Celebrate With a Book programs:

If You're Not Here, Please Raise Your Hand in honor of Tabitha Young. *Walk Two Moons* in honor of Jared Hill.

The Random House Book of Sports Stories in honor of Troy and Trent Brooks.

Angela's Christmas and Who's the Best? presented by Marilyn Ellis's Kindergarten class.

The Bear Santa Claus Forgot, Christmas Tree Tangle, Three Cheers for Tacky, and The Three Little Pigs and The Big Bad Wolf presented by Sue Tucker's Kindergarten class.

Big Red Barn and No Biting, Horrible Crocodile presented by Sandy Roger's Kindergarten class.

The Friendly Beast and The Rainbow Fish to the Rescue presented by Cammie Walker's Kindergarten class. *Me First, That's Good, That's Bad, and Santa's Book of Names* presented by Luwonna Ellis's 1st grade class.

Alexander, Who is Not, Do You Hear Me Going, and I Mean it to Move presented by Rebecca Marion's 1st grade class.

Ship of Dreams and Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening presented by Cindy Minor's 1st grade class.

The Christmas Star presented Jennifer Quance's 1st grade class.

Raven and Hold Christmas in Your Heart presented by Melanie Hendrix's 2nd grade class.

Hackaday, Pigg, Tweetie Adventure, and Squeezing: Solar Powered Dinosaurs presented by Bonnie Spach's 2nd grade class.

The Dog Who Found Christmas presented by Janet Hill's 2nd grade class.

The Remarkable Christmas of the Cobble's Sons and Strange Creatures That Really Lived presented by Sherry Kau's 2nd grade class.

Sody Sallyraus, Pirates, and The Armadillo from Amarillo presented by Sue Johnson's 3rd grade class.

Swamp Angel presented by Beverly Hobson's 3rd grade class.

Snaky Nights and The Magic School Bus Inside a Hurricane presented by Melba Phillips 3rd grade class.

The Wretched Stone, Sukey and the Mermaid, and Michael Jordan presented by Sue Sidden's 4th grade class.

Carolina Carolites and Mystery of the Biltmore House presented by Judy White's 4th grade class.

Mystery of the Last Colony presented by Elnora Gore's 4th grade class.

The Boys Start the War presented by Kathy Rowe's 5th grade class.

The Wright Brothers: How They Invented the Airplane presented by Ann Foll's 5th grade class.

Math Curse presented by Anita Howell's 5th grade class.

Pinebrook Elementary Students in Linda Dorsett's kinder-

garten class met Miss "U" with her umbrella. They heard her story and did a color sheet of her. The letter "J" was reviewed and the big book read was *Santa's New Sled*. Students made Santas to go with the big book, stockings, and a Santa Advent calendar and completed gifts for their families. The numbers "3" and "4" were introduced during math time. Parents provided things for the Christmas party.

Before Christmas the kindergarten class of Debbie Crutchfield and Debbie Triplett were working on Christmas symbols. Each day a symbol was discussed and an art project was made.

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95th commencement ceremonies Saturday, Dec. 16 in Jones Auditorium on the school campus.

Two Awarded ECU Degrees

Two Davie students at East Carolina University earned degrees following the fall semester.

Amanda Angeline Mullis of East Renee Drive, Advance, earned a bachelor's degree in exercise and sports science.

Amy Jo Bailey of Deadman Road, Mocksville, earned a bachelor's de-

gree in child development and family relations.

Howard Files For State House; Commission Race Heats Up

Julia Howard has filed for re-election to the N.C. House of Representatives, and four Republicans have filed for the two county commission seats to be elected by Davie voters this fall.

In addition, Luther Potts Howard has filed for re-election to the Davie County Board of Education, and Henry Shore has filed for re-election as Davie Register of Deeds.

The Republicans filing for county commissioner include incumbent Carl Boon of Bermuda Run, and challengers Richard Poindexter of Advance, Red Foust

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Final Football Contest Winners
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Living In Filth
Woman Arrested As Officers Find Dogs,
Some Dead, And Birds Inside House

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It's A Snow Storm



Josh Beaver, 3, son of Steve and Cindy Beaver of Country Lane, takes time out from making a snowman to taste the white stuff Sunday. Photo by Robin Fergusson

Davie Digging Out From Big Blast

By Jeanne Houpe
Davie County Enterprise Record

As the first snowflakes began falling Saturday morning, those who had been skeptical at another warning of snow joined the flood of people rushing to the grocery store while the roads were still passable.

Others began digging out items they had not in years - snow tires, chains, snow plows for their tractors, ski masks and sleds.

The last time Davie County residents saw anything close to this was in March 1993 when snowfall accumulation was measured at five to eight inches.

This week Millard Anderson, who has been collecting weather information to be used for media weather reports since 1977, said he measured 10 inches at his house in the Calhoun community.

He had to use a yard stick because the snow overflowed his rain gauge, he said.

In another part of the county, John Peeler, who volunteers as a weather watcher for NOWA (Northern Oceanic Weather Association), measured 7 and 1/2 inches at his home on N.C. 801 between Fork and Greasy Corner.

Despite all the snow and ice on the roads, EMS Director Johnny Frye said, as of Monday afternoon, there had been no accidents involving serious injury.

There have been a number of minor traffic accidents, including a couple jack-knifed tractor trailer trucks, but only one person had to be transported to the hospital as a result, he said.

And there had been no reports of people falling and getting hurt due to the snow, he added.

Frye said getting into a couple driveways was the only problem emergency personnel had encountered responding to calls.

He said the N.C. Department of Transportation is doing a good job clearing the roads. EGT officials were too busy Monday to respond to

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Student Scholars

Randy Brewer Named To Western Dean's List
Davie High School graduate Randy Brewer has been named to the fall semester dean's list at Western Carolina University. He is a senior majoring in industrial relations.

Courtney Krenach On Dean's List
Courtney Krenach was named to the dean's list for the fall semester at Wake Forest University. She was a cheerleader at North Davie Junior High and Davie High schools. She has been a varsity cheerleader at Wake Forest for the past four years and is a captain. A physics major, she plans to graduate in May.

Student Named To RCC Honor Roll
Anthony Jarvis of Mocksville, a photo-finishing student, has been named to the fall quarter dean's list at Randolph Community College. To qualify, a student must maintain a minimum 3.5 grade point average.

16 Earn Academic Honors At Appalachian State University
Sixteen students from Davie County earned fall semester academic honors at Appalachian State University.

Named to the dean's list with a minimum 3.85 grade point average were: Amy Dawn Harbour Chapman of Mocksville, a senior elementary education major; and Sean Christopher Gamet of Mocksville, a senior physical education major.

Named to the dean's list with a minimum 3.45 grade point average were: from Mocksville, Shawn Matthew Barney, a sophomore marketing major; Haven Kathleen Bass, a freshman English major; Amy Elizabeth Champ, a sophomore; Carla Denise Dyson, a senior housing and interiors major; James Wesley Mechem, a junior criminal justice major; Allison Marie Miller, a junior English, secondary education major; Brooke Elizabeth Potts, a junior social work major; and Kerri Larue Ward, a senior elementary education major.

from Advance, Bryan Carlton Thompson, a senior political science major; Meredith Leigh Sause, a senior communication disorders major; Christy Eudora Kenney, a senior elementary education major; Benjamin William Harrison, a junior management major; Thomas William Becker, a junior mathematics major; and from Harmony, Emily Nicole Campbell, a junior English, secondary education major.



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Poindexter Foust Smith Boon Potts Shore

a problem, it's a big problem to them. If you can cut through the government tape and give them an answer, it makes them feel better."

Howard said strives to be fair dealing with her constituents and with fellow legislators.

She is chairman of the House Ethics Committee, co-chair of the Welfare Reform Committee, and a member of the Finance Committee and State and Local Government Committee.

A mother and grandmother, the

NAACP Plans King Events

The Davie County NAACP annual Martin Luther King Celebration will be held Saturday, Jan. 13 beginning at 1 p.m.

A parade will start on court square at 1 p.m., travel east on Main Street to Campbell Road, ending at St. John AME Zion Church.

There, Dr. Alexander Erwin will

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Editorial Page

When It Snows ... It's Lots Of Fun

The snowfall was beautiful. Children rejoiced. Parents grabbed jugs of milk and loaves of bread from the grocery stores and raced home.

In the middle of it all ... the Internal Revenue Service sent out its annual seasons greetings. That put an extra chill in the air. This year's package is printed in multi-colored pastels. No matter what they do to make it look pretty, the 1040s will never look good.

Some other observations about the snow:
The newspaper delivery folks from Salisbury and Winston-Salem should receive roses for their excellent service during the snow. They never missed a delivery at my house. But there was one problem. I didn't find one of the Saturday newspapers until the driveway was scrapped on Monday.

The mail folks also came through in flying colors. Mrs. Bishop, one of my carriers, trudged through the snow with glad tidings on Saturday.

The new generation has trouble being impressed about anything. When I was a boy, there was no treat to beat snow cream. The making of snow cream was a ritual. We couldn't get enough.

Kids these days ... don't seem to think much of it. My sons thought it was good ... and ate a few bites. Other neighborhood boys complained that it was too icy.

What do they want ... 31 different flavors?
Sledding remains fun for all ages. We live at the top of a big hill, and kids and adults zoom down the slope. Sledding these days come in many varieties. The old-fashioned wooden sled with runners could still out-perform any new-fangled pretenders.

Finally, it always amazes me how many people drive in the snow. And why I'm one of them.

Royal Tangle: Charles, Di

The delightful British accent on the telephone prompted me to ask:
What about that "little bucket Prince Charles"? Her answer shocked me.
She's on Charles' side. She thinks Princess Di is a flake.

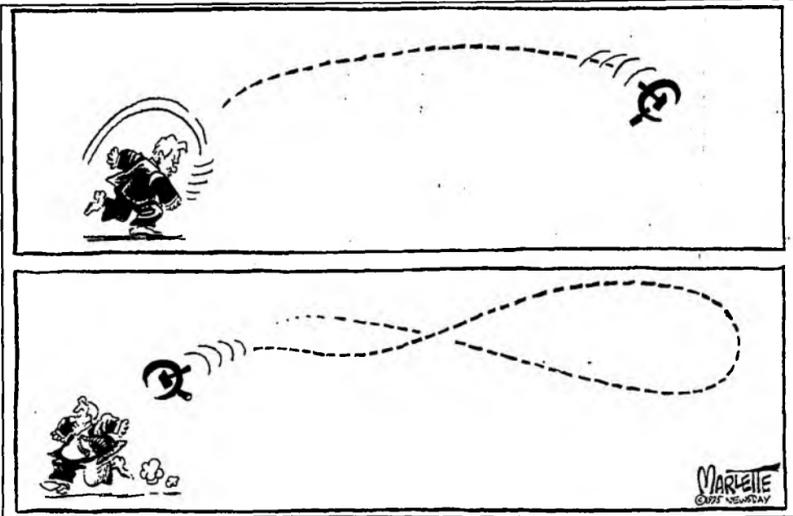
They're both flakes, of course. But isn't he the flakier of the two? I debated the issue long and hard with the caller. My college is going to reap a gold mine of alumni contributions this year. Putting a British woman on the telemarketing effort was genius. She is the wife of a professor and chipped in to help on the telephone calling.

She said many of the alumni asked her about the royal marriage. Between tidbits about Charles and Di, she tried to get us to double last year's gifts. What a salesman.

I told her Princess Di, true to her wish in the television interview, was indeed queen in my heart. Prince Charles was crazy to dump her for that homely Lady Macbeth.

No matter that I'm not British. No matter that most of the world isn't British any more, we all seem to have opinions about Charles and Di. He's a codfish. He did her wrong. He wanted heirs from her and nothing more. And she's ... Well, she is a little flaky. But she's a tremendous counter puncher. Charles is on the ropes. And the queen is embarrassed.

It's a better story than the O.J. Simpson saga.
— Dwight Sparks



In The Mail ...

Help Needed For Family Of Schizophrenic

To the editor:

It amazes me that a county so intent on establishing programs for the prevention of domestic violence and overcrowded jails is so inadequate at helping a family with a potentially dangerous schizophrenic. During the Christmas holidays, my aunt was physically assaulted by her 36-year-old son. When the sheriff's department attempted to serve papers on him, they encountered a belligerent and armed subject who kept approaching and threatening the deputies even though their weapons were drawn.

Over the years, my aunt has reached out for help from politicians, county officials, mental health personnel and even hiring an attorney. She has been given numerous excuses such as her son is grown, he cannot be forced to take his medication, and that he is not incompetent. It seems to me that everyone is so intent on going by the law that they are unwilling to intervene and possibly prevent a more serious crime.

As a result of the incident during Christmas, my cousin now sits behind bars in jail awaiting his hearing two weeks away. Will he receive the help he needs or become another statistic on the streets? This encounter with the sheriff's department doesn't show that he is sick and potentially dangerous, then what will it take? Do we need a repeat of the Michael Hayes incident?

Avis A. Anderson
Mocksville

Cemetery's Old Policy No Longer News

To the editor:

Last night, TV-12 titillated its viewers with a fresh expose' straight from Cooleemee. This news couldn't wait for daylight hours. At 8 that night, the 84-year-old caretaker of the local American Legion cemetery graciously agreed to answer questions at his home where he cares for his wife who suffers from Alzheimer's.

What was the big story that required urgent coverage at 11? It seems that Mrs. Lonnie Wilson had "discovered" an ancient clause in the old cemetery deeds which restricted burials to "whites only." Everyone who was living during the 60s or before knew that there was legal segregation in the South. Everyone of that age also knows that, by custom, there have been few interracial burials. Everyone in the civil rights movement knows that federal civil rights laws - in one fell swoop - made all those ancient deed covenants null and void. None of this is big news.

After watching the story one got the distinct impression of a racist little redneck town; where Old South methods of oppression linger on. Talk about stereotyping. It is to Mrs. Wilson's advantage to paint the ordinary, working class white folks here as the major obstacle holding back African-American progress. She comes off as a valiant "David" fighting a horrible "Goliath." And to what end? To get herself on TV and to scare honest people from daring to utter a word against her in public for fear of being labeled a racist or an Uncle Tom.

Lynn Rumley
Cooleemee

As far as I am able to observe, Bessie Wilson has done little constructive to unite the black community around a realistic plan to develop the old schoolhouse in North Cooleemee, despite Cooleemee Town Board's approval of a near-million-dollar federal community development block grant for this area. Nothing visible has been organized by Mrs. Wilson to help curb rampant crime in that neighborhood, despite repeated complaints by elderly residents and the obvious need for a community watch program. Her only visible product seems to be cultivating racial animosity.

Bessie Wilson's latest publicity stunt comes on the heels of her silly demand last October that she be placed on the ballot for a Cooleemee Town Board seat - when she lives outside the town limits. That TV expose' cost the hard-working taxpayers of Cooleemee, of all ethnic backgrounds, precious resources which could have been better spent elsewhere.

Channel 12 TV reporters haven't caught on to the fact that Mrs. Wilson is one of the mayor's tiny number of remaining faithful - or that much of what she does is bound up with the mayor's vendetta against the previous administration.

Lynn Rumley
Cooleemee

Christians Have No Place To Go But Up

To the editor:

Near Westminster Abbey, from the tomb of King George, haunting laughter has been heard. The ghost of King George now feels aggrieved as the laughter seems to echo "America, I gotcha." The battle cry of the colonists was no taxation without representation. They had sacrificed all to escape to the new world and freedom. Now, only ten generations later, the children of the colonists promote a new world order. Our government is so huge and intrusive on individual freedom that old King George appears a piker by comparison.

We sit nightly in front of our TV sets watching the government forcing their way into private homes. Then we say, "Well, it's for our own good you know." The Branch Davidian fiasco in Waco, Texas holds consequences far greater than just ridding society of a religious kook. By destroying the religious kook, we destroyed our right to protect ourselves from invasion by our own government. We see examples of how victims lost the right to express viewpoints to a free press, even denied access to the press. We see how the government allows only its viewpoint to be released.

We see that a citizen under seige has no right to an attorney. We now realize that the citizen has no rights or recourse against the government. For example, the citizen cannot sue the government for mental or physical abuse. King George laughs at us because our government is many more times abusive than he was. Instead of a government by the people, the people are now subjects of the government.

Clyde Truell
Mocksville

So You Think That You're 'From' Davie County ...

So you think you're from Davie County. You have a home here. You pay taxes here. But are you really from here? Try the following test to see if you qualify as being "from Davie County,"

1. If you order a cheeseburger from C's, what would you expect?
2. How did Greasy Corner get its name?
3. What is the Old Rebel?
4. Have you ever been fishing and/or swimming at The Bullhole?
5. By what name does the area once known as "The Corner" go by these days?
6. Why was Hwy. 158 once a hotbed for traffic and transfer trucks?
7. Who is the Davie County historian?
8. Who is the most famous person ever to reside here?
9. What creek is the home to the watershed lakes?



Mike Barnhardt

10. What road encircles the county, from one county nearly into another, passing two others.

Give yourself 10 points for every correct answer. There will be a few chances for bonus points, plus a few chances for subtractions.

1. If you answered a skinny piece of meat, a slice of tomato and a lot of pimento cheese between two toasted buns, give yourself 10 points. If you don't know where C's is located, subtract five. If the thought of pimento cheese on your burger turns your stomach, subtract five more.
2. The correct answer is barbecue joints and gas stations. Give yourself five bonus points if you can name the two roads that intersect here.
3. The original mascot of Davie High School. You get five bonus points if you have a Davie County Rebels sweatshirt.
4. You get 10 points if you've done either of the two, plus five bonus points if you wouldn't let your children go there nowadays.

5. Hillsdale.
6. I-40 ended about a mile after it entered Davie County from Forsyth, and the traffic all went on Hwy. 158.
7. James Wall. You get five bonus points if you ever had him as a teacher or if you own his book.
8. If you answered Morry Joe Campbell, subtract 10 points. The correct answer is Daniel Boone.
9. Dutchman's Creek. Add five points if you've ever caught a catfish from any of these lakes, subtract five if you can't name the river to which it flows.
10. Hwy. 801.

Now for the scoring. You'll find out you don't have to be a Davie County native to be "from" here, but you do have to have knowledge of the county, its history and peoples' habits. If you scored over 100, it's official. You're not only from Davie, you deserve a key to the county. They should devise some type of special license plate for you guys.

Between 90 and 100, you're from Davie County, too. Maybe a certificate would be appropriate.

Between 80-90, there's hope, but you're not quite there. Try getting out more between the two Yadkinds.

Between 70-80, you need to get out a lot more. You may live here, but you're not from here. We'll let you stay on a provisional permit, but you had better shape up.

Between 60 and 70, consider yourself lucky to be able to live here. Twenty years ago, you would have been run out with the nearest Democrat.

Between 50 and 60, and you probably feel like a bug in a jar. People are staring at you, trying to figure exactly where it is you are "from." It's sure not Davie County, or you never would have left in the first place.

Under 50, forget it. Move as quickly as possible. You have no idea where you live, and although Davie County people are naturally friendly, you're pushing us to our limits. Do us both a favor.

So, how did you do? Never mind, this isn't exactly a scientific test. And the writer isn't a polished poet; he thinks Gallup is something a horse in a hurry does.

In fact, he only gets a certificate after taking his own test.

G.M. Meacham
Advance

In The Mail ...

Virginia Community Appreciates Help

To the editor:

A big thank you to all the folks of the Mocksville/Davie County area who helped make Christmas special for some 400 families in Scott County, Va., through their donations to Christmas Cart. To the churches, clubs, businesses and manufacturers who donated food, clothes, toys and transportation;

to the individuals who donated time and energy to collect, pack and deliver your gifts to Southwestern Virginia, many, many thanks.

Special thanks go to Dale Brown of Mocksville, who for the past several years has made the Christmas Cart project his mission. Preparing Christmas

boxes for 1200 people is a big job, we couldn't do it without a little help from our friends. Thank you, Dale. Thank you, Davie County.

Beverly Aton
Church and Community Worker
Scott County, Va.

County Should Consider A Noise Ordinance

To the editor:

I was recently made aware that Davie County does not have a noise ordinance. This was brought to my attention after contacting the Sheriff's Department due to a persistent problem with a neighbor's dog who barks constantly. I was informed that the City of Mocksville has a noise ordinance, which provides the citizens of Mocksville with a recourse when problems arise due to inconsiderate neighbors who could care less how loud noises generated by themselves or their pets affects their neighbors. And in case you may think this pertains just to noisy pets, their is absolutely no recourse for any type of loud noises, including music.

With the dramatic increase of families moving into the rural areas of Davie County, especially east

Davie, I would hope some consideration is given to the enactment of a noise ordinance in the county. I feel the citizens of Davie County deserve the same right to peace and quiet, and preservation of property values that the citizens of Mocksville now enjoy.

G.M. Meacham
Advance

Criticism Of DHS Band Shows Disrespect Of Writer

To the editor:

This letter is in response to the letter written to the Enterprise in last week's paper by Mona Potts. I am astonished someone could be so self-centered and disrespectful. How can you expect to call up a band as large as the Davie High Band and expect them to go to a parade in a week's notice? The band from Tyro is a baby band compared to the Davie High School Band. Your comment about the director not allowing the kids to be in a parade in Davie County outside of Mocksville...ridiculous. There has not been a parade outside of Mocksville before. Those kids are told at the beginning to summer what events they are required to show up at (if they aren't required to show up, there won't be enough people to show up to make it worthwhile). The band director cannot tell those kids one week that they have to show up in a parade the next week.

That is not enough time to get everything ready for show again.

I am very offended that you inconsiderate people would even talk bad about the band director in the first place. He has done wonders for that band. Since he has been there, the band has been invited to be in New Year's Day parades in London, England and Paris, France. They perform in Orlando, Fla. every so often. You try taking over 125 teenagers to London or Paris. Try keeping up with that many or more in Disney World. You can't...I can't. He is the best band director anywhere. I have had people who proclaim to be "Christian" that cut him down because of him not accepting the invitation to be in the "Advance Christmas Parade". After the way people have acted this year, I would not blame the band for deciding to stay out of that parade permanently.

And remember, the whole Advance Parade started out as a joke. At the time he was approached, he reasonably did not want to involve the county schools in a dumb joke. And for your information, he brought the idea up to the band itself and they decided as a group that they did not want to attend.

My 3-year-old daughter and I enjoyed the parade in Advance, but because of your attitudes, because you did not get your way, have caused me and more than likely, several others to think bad on your parade after the hard work you did put into it. Why don't those of you who are always criticizing the band try something new and support the band? Maybe then they would not think twice and get excited about the opportunity to march in you parade.

Susan Carpenter
Advance

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Eddie Neely and Jimmy Fortune are bundled up against cold.



Josh Beaver puts the finishing touch on a snowman.



A few motorists braved the elements to drive on South Main. - Photos by Robin Fergusson

Snow Storm Of '96 The Biggest Davie Has Seen In Years

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questions. They were manning trucks and scrapers, and were expected to continue making roads passable well into the week.

Less traveled roads, such as dirt roads, were usually the last to be cleared, but that's not always the case.

According to Larry Staley, some neighbors with tractors were concerned about Chal Smith being stuck at the end of Chal Smith Road with no way in or out, so they scraped the dirt road Monday morning with their tractors, taking time to clear the driveways to all the homes on the road.

Those kinds of acts of kindness make living here rewarding, he said.

Frye warned drivers that the real danger comes when the snow starts to melt and freezes again leaving icy places that are hard to see.

Many area offices and stores were closed Monday and meetings cancelled. Davie Schools Superintendent Dr. Bill Steed said Monday morning there would have to be a lot of melting before students would be expected to return to school.

He said the school system would have to play it day by day, making decisions on the side of safety.

Most kids aren't complaining about having a few extra days to play in the snow.

Sarah Naylor, 7, found out snow was good for a lot of things, as she was sledding with her friend Hannah Thompson down Depot Hill Sunday while her parents, Ricky and Lynn Naylor, skied nearby.

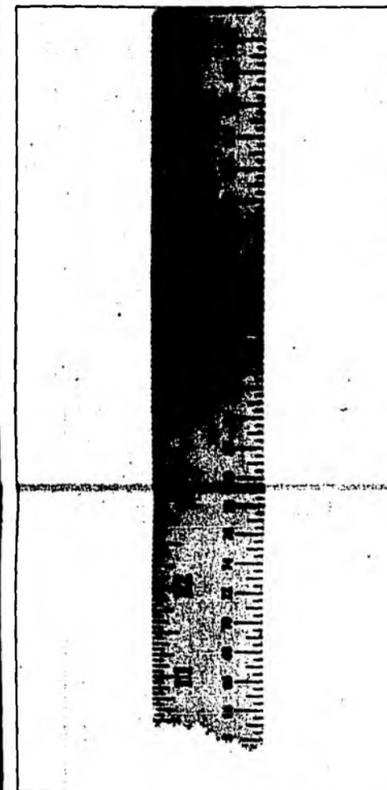
"I ate some snow, too. It's good," she said.

But, while they have been snowed in, most people wanted more to eat than snow.

Business probably increased by 50 percent on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, said Dottie Dwiggin, manager of Food Lion at Squire Boone Plaza on Yadkinville Road. He said it had been even busier than Thanksgiving week with milk and bread as the two hardest hit categories. "It's been a rough one," Dwiggin said.



Don't forget to feed the wildlife when ice and snow hit.



The measuring stick says it all, snow 10 and 1/2 inches deep.

Davie District Court

The following cases were disposed of in Davie District Court Dec. 21.

—Prosecuting Judge Kimberly Taylor, Prosecuting were Mark Culler and Rod Taylor, assistant district attorneys.

—Talya V. Atkins, 85 mph in a 65 mph zone, reduced by DA to exceeding safe speed, \$10 fine and court costs.

—David M. Canner, using alcoholic beverage in rest area, prayer for judgment continued on condition he pay court costs.

—Drew S. Carter, failure to yield for stop sign, reduced by DA to improper equipment, pay court costs.

—Jennifer L. Chunn, worthless check, dismissed; larceny, reduced by DA to concealment of goods, prayer for judgment continued on condition she pay court costs, stay away from store, 24 hours community service.

—Shunta A. Cowan, resisting public officer, larceny, reduced to 90 days suspended for 1 year, 72 hours community service, \$150 fine, court costs, stay away from store, adhere to curfew.

—Jerry W. Crowley, failure to stop for stopped school bus, reduced by DA to improper passing, pay \$25 fine and court costs.

—Finis G. Darr, breaking into currency machine, possession burglary tools, dismissed.

—Robert W. Dubbins, assault on a female, dismissed.

—Cecil T. Eldred Jr., possession drug paraphernalia, sentenced to 45 days suspended for 1 year, pay \$200 fine and court costs, comply with substance abuse assessment; simple possession Schedule VI controlled substance, sentenced to 15 days suspended for 1 year. Appealed.

—Wesley H. Elms, breaking into currency machine, possession burglary tools, dismissed.

—Henry L. Foster, driving while license revoked, reduced by DA to no operator's license, prayer for judgment continued on condition pay court costs.

—Melvin B. Gillaspie, driving while license revoked, sentenced to 45 days suspended for 1 year, pay \$200 fine and court costs, not operate motor vehicle until properly licensed.

—Placido Gonzalez, assault on a female, reduced by DA to simple assault, sentenced to 45 days suspended for 1 year, \$100 fine and court costs, complete Domestic Violence Prevention Program, have no contact with prosecuting witness.

—Mary E. Gregory, possession Schedule II controlled substance, reduced by DA to misdemeanor possession of Schedule II controlled substance, sentenced to 45 days suspended for 1 year, \$200 fine, court costs, remain in treatment, not possess any controlled substances; possession drug paraphernalia, sentenced to 45 days suspended for 1 year; possession Sched-

ule VI controlled substance, dismissed.

—Joshua M. Haglin, assault on infant, serious injury, sentenced to 45 days suspended for 2 years, \$100 fine, court costs, not threaten, harass or assault prosecuting witness, make restitution. Appealed.

—Sherry L. Holleman, simple assault, dismissed.

—Wade N. Huffman, intoxicated and disruptive, sentenced to 15 days suspended for 2 years, \$200 fine, court costs, 72 hours community service, adhere to curfew, submit to any drug testing or searches, report to Day Reporting Center; injury to personal property, sentenced to 45 days suspended for 2 years; resisting public officer, dismissed.

—William L. Keaton, fictitious/cancelled registration, sentenced to 30 days suspended for 1 year, \$50 fine, court costs, not operate vehicle until licensed; no liability insurance, dismissed.

—Harry E. Moore, DWI, sentenced to 60 days suspended for 1 year, \$100 fine, court costs, 24 hours community service, not operate vehicle until licensed, comply with substance abuse assessment; improper turn, dismissed.

—Stacie N. Morris, driving after drinking on provisional license, sentenced to 30 days suspended for 1 year, \$100 fine, court costs; not be convicted of similar offense, not operate vehicle until licensed.

—Rebecca S. Phelps, second de-

gree trespassing, dismissed.

—Phillip L. Shoaf, possession stolen goods, sentenced to 45 days suspended for 2 years, \$100 fine, court costs, \$200 fine and court costs; comply with substance abuse assessment; submit to drug testing or searches, report to Day Reporting Center.

—Joe Spillman Sr., assault by pointing a gun, dismissed.

—Sheldon D. Summers, DWI, sentenced to 6 months suspended for 2 years, \$300 fine, court costs, not operate vehicle until licensed, comply with substance abuse assessment; driving while license revoked, sentenced to 120 days.

—Ronald P. Tabor, possession Schedule II controlled substance, waived probable cause and was bound over for trial in Superior Court; possession marijuana, sentenced to 45 days. Appealed. Driving while license revoked, dismissed.

—Robert D. Thompson, 3 counts probation violation, probation revoked; resisting public officer, sentenced to 60 days.

—Michael S. Tranum, driving while license revoked, dismissed.

—Sandra S. Ward, resisting public officer, dismissed.

—Gerald B. Wilkie, 70 mph in a 45 mph zone, reduced by DA to 54 mph in a 45 zone, \$10 fine, court costs; improper passing, prayer for judgment continued.

Failed To Appear

The following failed to appear for their scheduled court trial.

—Bert B. Bahnsen, expired registration, no liability insurance.

—Makeba S. Beatty, DWI, exceeding posted speed.

—Jeremy S. Chandler, possession malt beverage under age.

—Tony O. Earls, drinking beer/wine while driving, carrying a concealed weapon, habitual impaired driving.

—Juan F. Garcia, no liability insurance, expired registration, vehicle inspection violation.

—Angela R. Harmon, simple worthless check.

—Jackie A. Ledbetter, communicating threats, assault on child under 12.

seat belt.

—Janet K. Mijken, driving 80 mph in a 65 mph zone.

—Wendell L. Cate, driving 77 mph in a 65 mph zone.

—Rebecca M. Miller, driving 77 mph in a 65 mph zone.

—Kannal A. Crumbin, driving 67 mph in a 55 mph zone.

—George L. Albert Jr., driving 80 mph in a 65 mph zone.

—Curtis E. Sweet, driving 80 mph in a 65 mph zone.

—Mark Barnette, license not in possession.

—Donald E. Lighter, driving 80 mph in a 65 mph zone.

—Tina M. Villant, driving 80 mph in a 65 mph zone.

—Gerald L. Cruse, failure to wear seat belt.

—Richard A. Manske, improper equipment.

—Melody S. McCue, failure to wear seat belt.

—Michael K. Bauer, driving 77 mph in a 65 mph zone.

—Shelia C. Merrill, no child restraint system.

—James E. King, driving 77 mph in a 65 mph zone.

—Gary S. Fowley, driving 80 mph in a 65 mph zone.

—Mestha L. Peterson, driving 80 mph in a 65 mph zone.

—Ronnie L. Coble, exceeding safe speed.

—Tammy J. Cobb, failure to wear seat belt.



Hannah Thompson (front) and friend Sarah Naylor, both age 7, enjoy a day of sledding down Depot Hill Sunday afternoon.



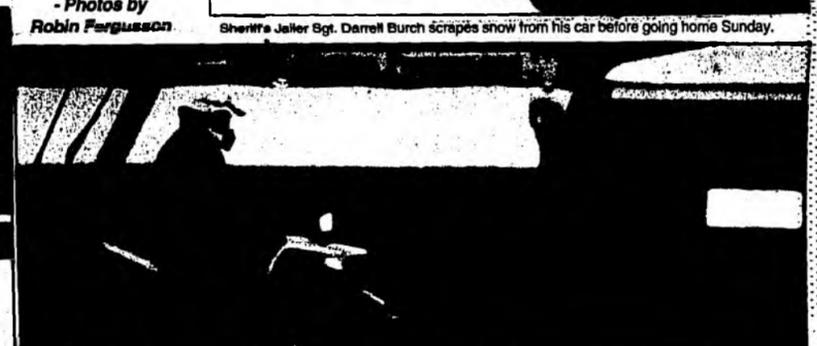
The sledding and skiing is fun, but there's always that long walk back up the hill.



Sheriff's Jailer Sgt. Darrell Burch scrapes snow from his car before going home Sunday.



- Photos by Robin Fergusson



There wasn't much traffic over the weekend, but those on four-wheelers went riding, some through downtown Mocksville.



Ricky Naylor took advantage of the snow by skiing downtown.



Chris and Alice Hanes walk across South Main Street. In the back is suicide crossing going toward the south side of town.

Public Records

Arrests

The following were arrested by the Davie County Sheriff's Department.

- Danny Patrick Geraghty, 34, of 179 Duke St., Cooleemee, was charged Dec. 30 with larceny of checks and two counts of forgery and uttering.
- Lanny Wayne Millaney, 19, of Chattanooga, Tenn., was charged Jan. 1 with carrying a concealed weapon, driving while license revoked, and operating a vehicle without insurance. Trial date: Feb. 2.
- Chad Allen Cook, 19, of Ringgold, Ga., was charged Jan. 1 with carrying a concealed weapon. Trial date: Feb. 22.
- Melissa Ann Jones, 22, of Winston-Salem, was charged Jan. 1 with driving while license revoked and driving left of center. Trial date: Jan. 19.
- William Franklin Tatum, 17, of 120 Windward Circle, Mocksville, was charged Dec. 30 with a probation violation. Trial date: Jan. 4.
- Harold E. Crews, 51, of 217 Cedar Grove Church Road, Mocksville, was charged Jan. 1 with assault on a female and with communicating threats. Trial date: Jan. 11.
- Teddy Edward McClure, 46, of 88 Lakewood Motel, Mocksville, was charged Dec. 22 with possession of marijuana, possession of Ritalin, and possession of drug paraphernalia. Trial date: Jan. 18.
- Christopher Wayne Martin, 25, of Davie County, was charged Jan. 2 with larceny, breaking, entering and larceny and with seven counts of forgery and uttering. Trial date: Jan. 18.
- Laverne Dillard, 35, of 425 Campbell Road, Mocksville, was charged Jan. 4 with simple assault and communicating threats. Trial date: Feb. 8.
- Gilbert Eugene Cockerham, 41, of 310 Mill St., Mocksville, was charged Jan. 4 with failure to comply with non-support order. Trial date: Jan. 12.
- Eddie Lewis Neely Jr., 17, of 343 Montview Drive, Mocksville, was charged Jan. 4 with simple assault and communicating threats. Trial date: Feb. 8.

Sheriff's Department

The following incidents were reported to the Davie County Sheriff's Department.

- Wayne Franklin Melton of Advance reported Jan. 3 a dog may have been poisoned off Peoples Creek Road.
- Roland Patrick Boissonneau of

King reported Jan. 3 the larceny of a deer stand, with an estimated value of \$75, from property off Allen Road.

- Evelyn Langford of Mocksville reported Jan. 3 someone drove goats onto, damaging a yard off Farmington Road.

- Rebecca June Taylor Ciaramello of Salisbury reported Jan. 3 that a tire was damaged in the Jockey distribution center parking lot off Nolley Road.

- Robert Grimes Brown Jr. of Mocksville reported Jan. 2 someone drove a vehicle onto, damaging a yard

off Hwy. 601 South.

- Amos Stewart Brown of Mocksville reported Jan. 3 the larceny of a roll of plastic and a roll of hand cloth towels, with a total estimated value of \$130, from a vehicle parked off Wagne Road.

- Scott Boles of Mocksville reported Jan. 2 a larceny from 4-Brothers Amoco, Hwy. 64 at I-40.

- Charles Larry Ashley of Mocksville reported Dec. 25 a mailbox was damaged on Howardtown Road.
- Julio Cesar Hernandez of Win-

ston-Salem reported Dec. 31 the larceny of a license plate from a vehicle parked along Baltimore Road.

- Billie Martin Allen of Advance reported Dec. 31 a car parked off LaQuinta Drive had been damaged, possibly by bicycles.

Mocksville Police

The following incidents were reported to the Mocksville Police Department.

- Melinda Jean Tutwiler of Mocksville reported Jan. 3 she was assaulted at Food Lion, Squire Boone Plaza.
- Robert Lee Scott reported Jan. 2 he was robbed of \$40 in a parking lot at Depot and Pine streets.
- Homer Lee Leonard Jr. of Cooleemee reported Jan. 1 the shoplifting of a TV/VCR from Wal-Mart.
- Barry Clark Kennedy reported Dec. 30 the larceny of a safe from Wendy's Restaurant.

Arrests

- Gregory Donnell Peoples, 33, of Route 2, Advance, was charged Jan. 4 with DWI, driving while license revoked and resisting, obstructing and delaying an officer.
- Quentina Marie Barnes, 17, of 50 Watts St., Cooleemee, was charged Jan. 3 with two counts of assault and communicating threats. Trial date: Feb. 8.
- Clifton Russell Fowler, 20, of 100 Holly Hill Court, was charged Jan. 3 with embezzlement. Trial date: Feb. 1.
- Margaret Angel Beauchamp, 32,

of 300 Milling Road, Apt. 17, was charged Jan. 2 on an order for arrest. Trial date: Jan. 10.

- Christopher Wayne Martin, 25, was charged Jan. 2 with three counts of forgery and uttering. Trial date: Jan. 18.
- Noyola Demesio, 23, of Crestview Apartments No. 3, was charged Jan. 1 with DWI and driving without a license. Trial date: Feb. 2.
- Curtiss Russell James, 25, of 300 Milling Road Apt. 10, was charged Dec. 31 with simple assault. Trial date: Jan. 11.

Traffic Accidents

- No charges were filed after an accident at 12:08 p.m. Jan. 2 at Main and Cemetery streets.
- Katrina Charun Wagner, 22, of Montview Drive, told Officer D.T. Matthews that the engine cut off to the van she was driving from Cemetery onto North Main when it was struck in the side by a car driven by Gregory Alex Duhon, 43, of Lewisville.
- A Mocksville man was charged with making an unsafe traffic movement after an accident at Main and Cemetery streets at 12:11 p.m. Jan. 2.

- David Leslie Hand, 40, of 172 Center Circle, had stopped a 1973 Gremlin on North Main waiting to make a left turn onto Cemetery Street when it was struck from the rear by a 1987 Nissan truck, driven by Devin Daniel Biehler, 31, of 557 Sain Road. Biehler was cited.

- Both drivers were charged after an accident at 4:05 p.m. Jan. 2 on South Salisbury Street.
- According to a report by Officer K.D. Hendrix, Troy Laverne Dobbins, 22, of 112 Spough Lane, stopped a car on the street when it was struck from

the rear by a car driven by Joshua Trenan Smith, 16, of Advance. Dobbins was charged with a child restraint violation. Smith was charged with failure to reduce speed.

- No charges were filed after an accident at 4:32 p.m. Jan. 2 at Salisbury and South Main streets.
- According to a report by Sgt. J.V. Parcell, Glinnie Adkins Lewis, 35, of Route 4, had stopped a 1995 Nissan truck at the sign when it was struck from the rear by a 1988 Pontiac station wagon driven by Melinda Rogers Loper, 28, of Hwy. 801 North.

Land Transfers

The following land transfers were filed with the Davie County Register of Deeds.

- The transactions are listed by parties involved, township, acreage, and deed stamps purchased, with \$2 representing \$1,000.
- Paul W. Harrison and Leona G. Harrison to Robert Vernon Harrison, 1 acre, Farmington, \$72.
- James Jerry Daniel and Jean W. Daniel, John A. Spillman and Patricia C. Spillman, Erwin Gray Daniel and Vickie Daniel to Mildred W. Wiles, 1 tract, Jerusalem, \$118.
- Louise S. Pierce and Gilbert R. Pierce to Brenda Kay S. Stockton, 49.5 acres, Fulton.
- Louise S. Pierce and Gilbert R. Pierce to Dianne S. Tuttle White, 49.5 acres, Fulton.
- Louise S. Pierce and Gilbert R. Pierce to Jason N. Tuttle, 3.41 acres, Fulton.
- Louise S. Pierce and Gilbert R. Pierce to Jennifer Dianna Tuttle, 3.41 acres, Fulton.

- Louise S. Pierce and Gilbert R. Pierce to Richard B. Tuttle, 3.41 acres, Fulton.

- Otha Lee Stroud and Pauline Stroud to Joyce G. Sutton and Joseph B. Sutton, 1.53 acres, Calhoun, \$7.
- Richard B. Poindexter and Linda S. Poindexter to A. Patrick Mitchell and R. Michelle Mitchell, 1 lot, \$350.
- Lifestyle Contractors to Andrew J. Hanschu and Aneda J. Hanschu, 1 lot, Shady Grove, \$295.
- Hubbard Realty of Winston-Salem to Rocky W. Johnson and Susan H. Johnson, 1 lot, Farmington, \$770.
- Bobby Ray Goforth and Linda Henderson Goforth to George Hugh Goforth Jr. and Florence Lucy Goforth, 1 tract.
- Eva Gray McClamrock, Glenas M. McClamrock and Inell McClamrock, Melvree M. Benson, Calvin McClamrock and Pansy McClamrock, John G. McClamrock, Alex F. McClamrock and Alice McClamrock and Doris M. Sumners to Luther F. White and Lola P. White,

11.47 acres, Mocksville, \$158.

- McCanowski Associates to James R. Miller and Debbie B. Miller and Ronald W. McDaniel and Stefanie H. McDaniel, 35 acres, Jerusalem, \$170.
- Edith M. McGee to Larry E. McGee and Vickie B. McGee, 1 lot, Farmington.
- Glenn Johnson Builders to James A. Gildein and Nancy Lee Gildein, 1 lot, Farmington, \$380.
- Phyllis T. Russell and Terry E. Russell to Teresa A. Chappell, 1 lot, Jerusalem, \$134.
- Jeffrey Lynn Lipscomb to Christie Jones Lipscomb, 2 tracts, Clarksville.
- William D. Dunn and Lucy J. Jenkins to Roy L. Potts and Diane H. Potts, 19.5 acres, Farmington, \$200.
- Jerry F. Swicegood and Judy G. Swicegood to J. Todd Swicegood, 16 acres.
- Jerry F. Swicegood and Judy G. Swicegood to T. Kyle Swicegood, 16 acres.
- Carolyn Groseclose Humphrey

Sprinkle and Robert Ronald Sprinkle to Cletus R. Miller and Mildred A. Miller, 1.37 acres, Jerusalem, \$20.

- Fred W. Pratt and Eloise M. Pratt, Dorrell L. Pratt and Virginia C. Pratt, John H. Pratt, Bruce M. Pratt and Judy F. Pratt, Norma Gaynell Pratt Hollar and Henry L. Hollar, Reitha Leona Pratt Whiakier and James Thomas Whiakier, Charlotte Marie Pratt Norris and Harry B. Norris to James Henry Gentry and Barbara Stewart Gentry, 2 acres, \$28.
- Audra Marcia Beauchamp, Scott Kimber Beauchamp, Edker J. Hendrix, trustee under the will of Lester W. Beauchamp to Scott Kimber Beauchamp, 12.9 acres, Farmington.
- Audra Marcia Beauchamp, Scott Kimber Beauchamp, Edker J. Hendrix, trustee under the will of Lester W. Beauchamp to Scott Kimber Beauchamp, 4 lots.
- Melvin S. Livengood to Melvin S. Livengood and Judith Ann Livengood, 3 tracts, Mocksville.
- Robert Forest Angel and Romaine S. Angel to Clifford M. Merrill and

Elizabeth R. Merrill, 1 lot, Shady Grove, \$76.

- Franklin C. Jones and Linda B. Jones, C. David Jones and Linda B. Jones to Paul Berkeley and Vicki Berkeley, 9.1 acres, Calhoun, \$56.
- Franklin C. Jones and Linda B. Jones, C. David Jones and Linda B. Jones to Deborah A. Wolaver and Loren C. Magnus, 60.88 acres, Calhoun, \$365.
- Paul Shew and Margaret C. Shew to Teresa S. Santis and John H. Santis, 8 acres, Calhoun, \$4.
- Lena Belle Potts to Alan M. Bailey, .52 acre, Farmington, \$200.
- Carroll S. Johnston to First United Methodist Church of Mocksville, .24 acre, Mocksville, \$59.
- C.W. Myers Trading Post to H&V Construction, 1 lot, Mocksville, \$10.
- Ronnie Earl Smith to Charles L. Smith and Robin C. Smith, 1.53 acres, \$130.
- Lawrence P. Dull and Lilly Lash Dull to Gail Evans Walsh (half interest) 9.57 acres, Farmington.

- R.P. Associates to Richard B. Poindexter and Linda S. Poindexter, 1 lot, Mocksville.

- Fred H. Davidson to Eva D. Anderson and Ray S. Anderson, 5 acres.
- Milton L. Carter and Elizabeth M. Carter to Jack M. Carter and Jane W. Carter, (half interest) 1.14 acres, Shady Grove.
- Jane Earle Brown Whitlock and Barry J. Whitlock to Alyssa Ann Brown, 1 lot, Mocksville, \$120.
- Ada F. Caultle to Stephen A. Frye and Amanda S. Frye, 1 tract, Mocksville, \$90.
- Niblock Financial Systems to H. Gordon Niblock Jr. and Regina W. Niblock, 1 lot, Farmington, \$304.
- Dorothy Lynn Crews to Jerry Milton Crews, 2 tracts, Farmington.
- David Keller and Emily M. Keller to Jerry F. Keller and Carlus Keller, 9.38 acres, Farmington.
- Jerry F. Keller and Carlus Keller to David Keller and Emily M. Keller, 2 tracts, Farmington.

Highway Patrol

The N.C. Highway Patrol investigated the following Davie accidents.

Car Overtakes

Samuel Lee Slater, 17, of Advance, was traveling north on Yadkin Valley Road at 4:35 p.m. Dec. 29, in a 1987 VW when it ran off the right shoulder, causing him to lose control of the vehicle, reported Trooper D.R. McCoy.

The car skidded back across the road, down an embankment and struck a fence, overturning onto its side.

Vehicle Catches Fire

Christopher Michael Watson, 16,

of Rural Hall, pulled over to the right shoulder, parked and got out of the 1984 Oldsmobile he was driving east on I-40 when it began to experience mechanical problems at 7:30 p.m. Dec. 30.

According to Trooper T.S. Kennedy, the car caught on fire while parked. Watson told him he thought the fire had started under the hood.

Deer Hit On Cornatar Road

Patricia Snyder Merrell, 43, of Mocksville, was traveling southeast on Cornatar Road at 9:30 p.m. when a

deer ran into the path of her 1992 Honda and was hit, reported Trooper T.S. Kennedy.

Deer Hit On U.S. 64

Cherie Dunn Davis, 38, of Asheboro, was unable to avoid a deer that ran into the road in front of her 1991 Chevrolet, as she traveled east on U.S. 64 at 6:30 p.m. Dec. 30, reported Trooper D.R. McCoy.

Car Struck From Rear

Charlie Frank Keaton Jr., 27, of Advance, had begun to reduce speed for a vehicle in front of him that was

making a right turn from U.S. 601 into the Hardie's parking lot at 2:55 p.m. Jan. 1, when his 1987 Chevrolet was struck from the rear by a 1987 Oldsmobile, driven by Barry Gene Rivers, 31, of Mocksville, reported Trooper T.S. Kennedy.

Rivers was charged with failure to reduce speed.

Car Strikes Deer

A deer that was hit on Greenhill Road around 4:35 p.m. Jan. 2, could not be located after the accident.

According to Trooper T.S. Kennedy, the deer ran into the woods after being hit by a 1990 Buick driven by Patricia Reynolds Thompson, 43, of Mocksville. Damage to Thompson's car was estimated at \$1,000.

Car Crashes Into Tree

Matthew Wayne Steelman, 16, of Mocksville, was traveling south on Campbell Road in a 1981 Ford in a curve, when the car left the road onto the grass shoulder, skidded and struck a tree at 6:05 p.m. Jan. 2, reported Trooper T.S. Kennedy.

No charges were filed.

Truck Wrecks On U.S. 64

Alton Jerome Martin, 45, of Sophia told Trooper P.T. Hemmely he applied the brakes of the 1996 Ford tractor

trailer he was driving west on U.S. 64 when he saw a truck in front of him begin to stop for traffic.

To avoid striking that truck, he forced his vehicle into a ditch, the trooper reported.

Damage to the truck was estimated at \$4,500.

Martin was charged with exceeding a safe speed.

Fires

Davie County fire departments responded to the following calls.

- Dec. 29: County Line, 4:16 p.m., smoke investigation, Ridge Road; Jerusalem, 4:37 p.m., vehicles on fire near structure, Green Grass Road; Cooleemee assisted; Mocksville, 5:04 p.m., fire alarm, Autumn Care; Mocksville, 6:31 p.m., car fire, Wal-Mart parking lot.
- Dec. 30: Sheffield-Calahoun, 11:33 a.m., reported tractor getting ready to explode, Ben Anderson Road; Advance, 3:50 p.m., grass fire, East Ridge Court; Center, 7:28 p.m., vehicle fire, I-40.
- Jan. 1: Advance, 3:36 p.m., fire alarm, Meadowbrook Terrace; Smith Grove, 3:38 p.m., fire alarm, Meadowbrook Terrace; Advance, 4:15 p.m., house fire, Wendall Lane; Fork as-

sisted; Jerusalem, 11:19 p.m., chimney fire, Boxwood Lodge; Cooleemee assisted.

- Jan. 2: Mocksville, 2:56 a.m., house fire, U.S. 158; Jerusalem, 3:05 a.m., electrical investigation, Liberty Circle; Cornatar-Dullin, 9:55 p.m., fire alarm, Sara Lee, Cornatar Road; Advance assisted; Cornatar-Dullin, 10:13 p.m., directing traffic, Davie Oil Company.
- Jan. 3: Advance, 5:57 p.m., barn

fire, Zimmerman Road; Cornatar-Dullin and Fork assisted; Smith Grove and Jerusalem were placed on standby in case of other calls.

- Jan. 4: Jerusalem, 7:06 p.m., chimney fire, Gladstone Road; Cooleemee assisted.
- Jan. 5: William R. Davie, 12:27 a.m., truck overturned, intersection of Wagner and Blackwelder Roads.

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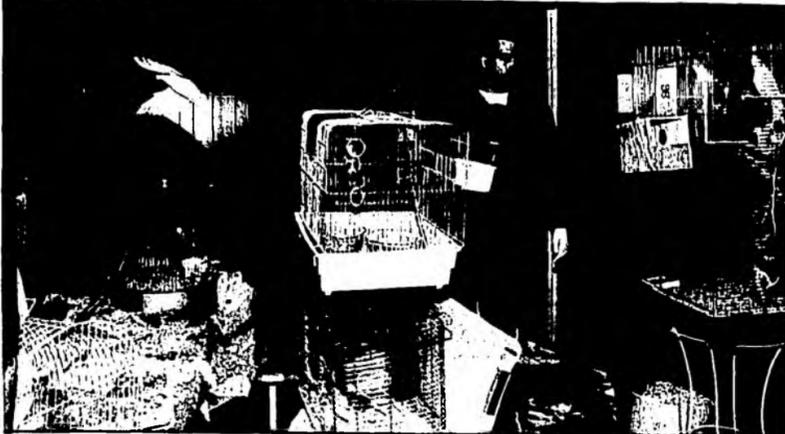
REUSE THE NEWS.



Animal Cruelty Investigator Terri Hamm, Dog Warden Robert Cook and Sheriff's deputy Judy Chandler get ready to take Susan Walker (right) to jail.



Sheriff's Detective Chris Shusky takes photograph of dog feces covered bed.



Sheriff's Deputy Michael Cundiff inspects kitchen area of house, where a bird is flying from a cage.



A small dog peers from a box inside of a closet in house.

Susan Walker "It's out of hand. I haven't done a good job, I'll admit that." Woman Charged With Cruelty After House Inspection

Mike Barnhardt
Davie County Enterprise Record

ADVANCE - Officers going through a house on Hillcrest Drive last week came outside periodically for the fresh air.

The smell inside the house was too bad.

They found dogs and birds throughout the house, grown dogs as well as puppies.

And they found a dead dog.

When they asked the resident of the house how long the dog had been dead, she answered, "Since bedtime last summer."

It was enough for authorities to test Susan Carol Walker, 41, for cruelty to animals and for possession of a stolen property (a dog stolen from a county animal shelter last summer). She was released on a \$10,000 bond, pending a Jan. 18 appearance in Davie District Court.

Walker was told by Davie Social Services employees that her daughter, who lived with her, couldn't stay in the house.

Davie Environmental Health Director Joe Mando and employee Buck Hall were there. They didn't have to go into the house but one step.

"I could see all I needed to see, looking at what was the kitchen area, I think," Mando said. Health Director Dennis Harrington and County Attorney Bob Price were scheduled to issue an abatement order this week, ordering Walker to clean the house.

"It will give her 'X' number of days, basically, to make the house livable again," Hall said. "He (Health Director Dennis Harrington) recommended they hire a professional cleaning firm to do that."

Officers leaving the house said they didn't see how it could be cleaned to sanitary conditions. They also found rats inside a sofa on which a dog was nursing puppies. There were some small dogs under that sofa.

Outside, they found more dogs, including one in a basket that had been dead for a long time. It had never been

buried. There was a dead rabbit in a cage.

Animal Control Officer Robert Cook said he had received a call about dogs running loose from Walker's property.

"I had seen about six or seven dogs running around in the front yard. I asked her to let me see the rest of them and she did," Cook said. "I found some in the back building that she said belonged to someone else, Vickie Fulk, so I stopped and called the cruelty investigator."

Fulk's house off Gliny Lane had been raided a couple of weeks earlier. Mistreated animals were found there, and Fulk hasn't been seen here since.

Cook estimated there were 40 dogs at Walker's house. "I don't have a good count. Some were hiding. I would say there were at least 40 on the property, of all kinds."

Most of the dogs were not mixed breeds.

Davie Sheriff Allen Whitaker said Walker's name came up in the Fulk investigation. "It started as a result of an investigation we have ongoing in this part of the county into stolen animals and breaking, entering and larcenies," he said.

Cook said that only one stolen dog had been identified from the Walker house. "I don't think she stole it, but she should have known it was stolen," he said.

Walker said she was just trying to help Fulk care for her animals, she didn't know any had been stolen.

"I feel like I'm in the middle of a witch hunt," she said. "The day she (Fulk) left, she asked me to come here and take care of her animals. We just became friends. I thought she was just eccentric, she never did me any harm. I didn't know she was stealing dogs."

Walker has lived on Hillcrest Drive for six years and doesn't plan to leave. She said friends had promised to help her clean the house.

"This is hurting me," Walker said. "I was not keeping the dogs in a clean condition, but I was feeding them. I

don't want to get in the middle of their fight with her. I have a job, I don't have time to go out and steal dogs all day."

When asked how she let her house get in the condition it is in, Walker said "stupidity."

"I'm a clutterer. It just got out of hand," she said. "I'll admit that I probably have too many dogs. I hope to get the authority to sell them, and at least re-coup some of my money, since I paid for them."

Walker said she has about 15 dogs.

"It's out of hand," she said. "I haven't done a good job, I'll admit that, but I don't deserve to be tagged with this stolen dog charge."

The problem has been out of hand for years, neighbors said.

The neighbors got together and had a kennel operation moved from the three-acre site now occupied by Walker. And they've told county zoning officials, to no avail, that Walker, as well, was violating county zoning laws.

"Jesse Boyce (zoning director) wrote her a letter with a copy of the zoning ordinance and told her she had to comply, but it was never enforced," said Virginia Hart. "If he had been enforcing the zoning laws, this situation never would have gotten out of hand like this. The dogs are roaming free throughout the property and dogs often get out of the property."

She has little confidence that current efforts to have the property cleaned will be successful, but she is hopeful.

"I have to live next to this, and they have been ignoring the situation."

Cook has received hundreds of telephone calls from people inquiring about their missing animals. Those calls are being referred to sheriff's investigator Chris Shusky.

Walker said people won't be allowed on her property to look at the animals unless accompanied by sheriff's or animal cruelty officers. Authorities seized some of the dogs, and others were left for Walker to care for until the court date.



One of the dogs in Walker's home hides under a chair in the kitchen.



Walker waits on deck while house is inspected.

Animal Cruelty Investigator Wayne Hardy pets dog outside house.

Davie People

Couple Married At Bixby Presbyterian



Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Gene Hendrix ... she was Elizabeth Plowman Lynn.

Elizabeth "Libby" Plowman Lynn and Ricky Gene Hendrix were united in marriage Dec. 9, at 2 p.m. at Bixby Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Charles Kyker officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Annie Plowman of Advance. She was given in marriage by Robert "Bob" Lemmons, former chief deputy with Davie County Sheriff's Department. She is an executive assistant with a property management firm in Winston-Salem.

The groom is the son of Graham and Joyce Hendrix of Advance and is a teacher at North Davie Middle School.

The wedding party included: maid of honor, Andra Smith, the bride's daughter. Carla Kimel, Stephanie Styles and Christy Barton were attendants. Acolytes were Amber Spillman and

Amanda Reavis, niece of the bride. The bride's bouquet, the attendants' stem bouquets and altar candles held a mixture of wine and ivory poinsettias with streamers.

The groom chose his father, Graham Hendrix, as his best man. Ushers were Alan Hendrix, groom's brother, Ron Kirk and Richard Kistler of Advance.

Joy and Ricky Hicks attended the guest register. Mrs. Shirley Comatz, pianist, presented wedding music. Russ Wilder, soloist sang the Lord's Prayer.

The wedding was directed by the groom's sister, Ms. Susie Hendrix. The couple will reside at 488 Rolland Road, Advance.



Robertson-Revells Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Robertson of Underpass Road, Advance, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jeannie Rebecca, to Christopher Lavon Revells, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Lavon Revells of Athens, Ga.

Miss Robertson, a 1993 graduate of Davie High School, attended Emmanuel College in Franklin Springs, Ga., and plans to continue at the University of Georgia in Athens.

Revells is a 1992 graduate of Georgia Institute of Technology. He is employed as an engineer by Chase Control Technologies in Athens, Ga.

The wedding will be Saturday, March 2, at 6 p.m. at First Assembly of God in Winston-Salem, with a reception to follow in the church dining hall.

Cana News

By John "Cain" Godwin
Cana Correspondent

Whiter than snow, yes whiter than snow, now wash me and I will be whiter than snow.

Cana covered, in a blanket of snow, is the only thing that I can think of that could match Cana's beauty in the spring and summer. 4-wheel drive was a necessity. Paul Eaton's large farmstyle house was beautiful in the snow. My pole shed, that I built with some lumber from an old tobacco barn and some tin from one of Mr. Paul's barn, with stood the weight of 10 inches of snow. Kind

of surprised weren't you, I was. Tracks were very easy to read, from a large deer, to a rabbit, to a 4-wheeler. Haha. Larry Gilbreath went back to the Citadel on Saturday and just missed the snow. Larry, you tell those Charleston boys that you still know what snow looks like. They may not understand what snow is.

The third largest snow storm in this part of North Carolina history cools off many fears that global warming is going to kill us all. Were these the same people who warned us of the next ice

age in the 70s? I'm still here, you are still here, and the cows are still burping in the atmosphere. I mentioned the cows after hearing a while back on the news that cows are a threat to humans because they burp into the air and this eats away the ozone layer. I saw some cows with icicles that were trying their best to burp.

Time Magazine names a man of the year who has stood out through the year in helping others, and it is about time that Cana have a Man of the Year. This year's "Cana Man of the Year" is Larry "Tuter" Tutterow. Larry doesn't

even live in Cana but this year he has spent so much time in our community helping to beautify it. He has spent many hours cutting grass, cutting trees, to leveling unmanageable gullies. All this creating a beautiful place. "That Larry, can do anything he puts his mind to," this is what I have heard many people say, who watch him work. After Ab Hutchens passed away we no longer had a tractor near by to handle many of the tougher jobs. Thank you Francis for giving us Tater. Tater will always be a crucial part of what we call Cana.

Yadkin Valley News

By Ruby McBride
Yadkin Valley Correspondent

Remember all the sick at home with colds, flu and other things. We pray that all this will soon be better so people can be okay.

Pray for Toots Riddle he was admitted to Medical Park Hospital on Wednesday for treatment, and they

kept him until Friday.

Pray for all the young people as they return to college. Christy Kenney at Boone, Emily King and Brent Ward at High Point, and Marcus King, Dana Melton and Dustin Wright at Raleigh.

Happy New Year and a good year in your studies. Pray for Larry Dean Douhiti as he is

very sick. He is a patient at Forsyth Memorial. Remember him with cards and prayers.

Fred and Maxine Bailey returned home last Sunday after a trip to their daughters home in Mississippi, and to Florida to visit another daughter. They came home sick with the flu. She is still bothered with a broken shoulder bone.

Pray she will soon be well. Joy Steelman's condition is still no better, and she is in Autumn Care in Mocksville.

Remember Dulcie Hauser in Meadowbrook Manor in Clemmons and all others, Mildred Bales, Evelyn Gough, Jim Smith, Pansy Smith and Charlie Boger.

Shiloh Installation Ceremony Sunday

Shiloh Baptist Church on Depot Street will begin the new year church services with a breakfast and an installation ceremony this Sunday.

The breakfast, to be held at 8:30 in the Smith-Grace Fellowship Hall, is sponsored by Pastor and Mrs. Jenkins and is designed to kick off 1996 as "The Year of Missions and Sunday School."

During morning worship, all 1996 officers will be installed. Jenkins will preach a special sermon titled "Do You Want to Be Made Whole?" based on John 5:1-9. The Chancel Choir will provide the music, and all officers will be dressed in white.

Hepler Family Announces Birth

Ray Jr. and Jackie Hepler, along with brothers Jason, Michael and Darren Hepler, all of Mocksville, announce the birth of their son and brother, Ryan Wesley, on Dec. 23, 1995, weighing 7 lbs., 15 oz. and was 20 1/2 inches long.

Paternal grandparents are Ray Sr. and Betty Hepler of Mocksville. Maternal grandparents are Donnie Messick of Pfafftown and Brenda and Bob Gregory of Mocksville.

Paternal great-grandparents are the late Sam and Geneva Hepler of Mocksville and the late George and Sadie Rummage of Rowan County. Maternal great-grandparents are the late Glen and Willie Mae Messick of



Sanderson-Kennedy Engagement Announced

Martha Jackson of Concord and Johnnie Sanderson of Fayetteville announce the engagement of their daughter, Charlotte Lee Sanderson of Concord to Joey "Neil" Kennedy of Mocksville, the son of Joey and Vickie Kennedy of Mocksville.

The bride-elect is a 1990 graduate of Central Cabarrus High School and attended Rowan-Cabarrus Community College in Concord. She is employed by the N.C. Department of Revenue.

The groom to be is a 1987 graduate of Davie High School and a 1990 graduate of Davidson County Community College. He is a 1992 graduate of ECPIT with a degree in electronics. He is serving in the U.S. Air Force.

The wedding is planned for Feb. 10 in Broadus Memorial Baptist Church in Concord.

Bits & Bridle 4-Hers Planning Year

By Tiffany Turner
Club Reporter

members some pointers on showing horses.

Members planned the 4-H calendar for 1996. Starting in March, they will begin showing horses just about every weekend. They also plan to go to the 4-H Retreat in Hillsborough Feb. 24-25. The next meeting will be Feb. 6.

Bits and Bridle 4-H Club meets the first Tuesday of each month at The Allen Farm, Jericho Road, at 6:30 p.m. Jeff Smith, an expert horse person, talked at the last meeting about how to keep a horse healthy. He also gave club



Happy Birthday to Jacob and Isaac. Jacob will be 4 years old on Jan. 12th and Isaac will be 1 year old on Jan. 31st. Jacob and Isaac are the sons of Greg and Karen McCulloh of Mocksville.

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Douglas and Inez Gregory

50th Anniversary Celebration Held

Douglas and Inez Gregory of Gladstone Road, Mocksville, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception on Saturday, Jan. 6, at the VFW Hall in Cooleemee, hosted by their daughter and son-in-law, Lois and Larry Baker, and their grandchildren, Bonnie Welch and Kimberly Baker.

The couple was married on Jan. 5, 1946, in York, S.C., by E. Gettys Nunn. The couple returned to live in Mocksville eight years ago. He is retired from Duke Power Co., she is retired from Pilot Life Insurance Co., both in Greensboro. She is the former Inez Driver of Cooleemee.



Forrest and Laura Grey Whitaker

Whitaker Couple Celebrates 50th Wedding Anniversary

Forrest and Laura Grey Whitaker of Mocksville celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Saturday, Dec. 23, at the Oak Grove United Methodist Church fellowship hall from 3-5 p.m. Hosts were their son and daughter-in-law, Jerry and Nancy Whitaker, and grandsons Calvin and Brad Whitaker, all of Jacksonville, Fla.

Guests were greeted by James and Bonnie Summers. Presiding at the guest register were Doris Goins and Linda Poindexter.

The food tables were covered with white linen cloths with green draped at the front, burgundy and gold bows. Three gold Christmas trees centered the table with angels, fruit and greenery as additional decorations. A round serving table held the three tiered white ball green and red velvet cake, decorated with gold cherubs, greenery and burgundy grapes, topped with white love birds. The cake was served by

Jane Bowers, Bea Hoots, Gladys Griffin and Sarah Whitaker. The punch bowl was flanked with magnolias sprayed with gold and mixed with fruits. Coffee was served from a silver coffee urn. Serving punch and coffee were Dorothy Whitaker, Melvree Benson, Nelda Wall and Dorothy McCulloh.

Guest tables were covered with white linen cloths, centered with green Christmas trees and fruits.

The fellowship hall was decorated with a lighted Christmas tree with gold ball, bows and white doves. Red poinsettias and lighted candles were placed in the window with large wreaths and gold bows over the windows.

Thank you favors were presented to guests by Jane Whitaker and Elaine Armsworthy. Approximately 200 guests called.

The couple was married on Dec. 22, 1945.

Young Earns Eagle Scout

Travis S. Young received Boy Scouting's highest honor on Sunday, Nov. 12.

He was awarded the Eagle Scout rank at a special service at Fulton United Methodist Church in Advance, where he attends. This service was attended by friends and family members and a lunch was held after the service in his honor.

Young is a member of Troop 502 sponsored by Smith Grove Ruritan Club, a part of the Old North State Council. He has earned 41 merit badges during the years.

He chose to help the church for his Eagle Scout project. He brought the church up to fire codes by installing new fire extinguishers, smoke alarms, and planning and conducting fire drills for the members.

Young is a member of the Davie High School Marching Band, where he is a freshman honor roll student.

He is the son of Tim and Teresa Young of Advance, and the grandson of Nelson and Jane Young of Advance and Stanley and Lucille Mabe of Stokesdale. His great-grandparents are Essie Collins of Madison, Margie Snider of Lexington and Iva Young of Advance.

Young was presented letters of congratulations from such dignitaries as the President and First Lady, United

States senators and congressmen, Gov. Jim Hunt, state legislators and representatives, and had a flag flown in his honor over the capitol in Washington, DC on Oct. 23.

He will be honored again at the Old North State Council Eagle Banquet on March 28.

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Spiritual Resources: His Promise

By Shirley Cottle

It was not on my agenda on that particular day during our recent holiday break, but there I was cleaning out all my kitchen cabinets. I am somewhat of a "saver" of things I think just might be useful later, and I was recycling long before it became the ecological thing to do. There were such things as pieces off of two old coffee pots; just in case the newest one broke. (Our last three have been just alike.) Four milk jugs; I think to use for tea at the next church supper. Several old glasses; just in case some of the regular set got broken. Lots of old bread bags; in case I happen to be out of the zip-lock kind; and the lid goes on and on. With a lot of deamination and "will-power," I finally ended up with several bags of throw away items, and a lot more space. In fact, I did not realize how much shelf space was available until I gave up the unnecessary items. But I did not part with them without a lot of hesitation and second thoughts.

In this new year, our Lord calls us to look again into our hearts and minds and see if we are not cluttering our spiritual lives with unnecessary items. The Old Testament writing of Ezekiel, God speaks through the prophet with this message: "And I shall give them one heart, and shall put a new spirit within them. And I shall take the

heart of stone out of their flesh and give them a heart of flesh." Of course a heart that is "like" stone is useless, but a heart of the "flesh" is vital, beating, life-giving. God, in the Christ Jesus who's birth we just celebrated, offers us a new heart, a new walk, a new outlook. However, there are items that need to be cleared from "our spiritual shelves" that allow this to happen.

Christ calls us to a new birth; to repentance of the old habits and ways that are detrimental to our spiritual and physical well being. In that repentance comes forgiveness, and new direction. The Apostle Paul to the Ephesians reminds them: "Put on the new self which is in the likeness of God." "In the likeness of God" we cannot have hatred, anger, selfishness, prejudice and greed. And we cannot remove them by ourselves. These can only be cleared away by our faith and trust in Christ, and replaced with His love and peace, harmony and caring.

I am happy that my kitchen shelves are cleared of those unnecessary items, for I have space for those that are useful. Christ calls me to relinquish the cluttered areas of my heart too. In those spaces, He promises to fill with items of great joy, peace, and happiness. In this new year, remember that His promise is for you as well.

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War Eagle Girls Win Conference Opener After Surprise Loss

Brian Pitts
Davie County Enterprise Record

WALNUT COVE—Davie's varsity girls got game-high 16 points from Tami Ramsey and 15 from Jonette Willard to pace the War Eagles to a 51-43 victory over South Stokes Friday night to open the Central Piedmont Conference schedule.

West Rowan stunned Davie (7-3, 1-0 conference) 59-53 in a nonconference matchup last Wednesday.

Against South Stokes, Davie burst to a 12-point lead at the end of the first. Six points is as close as the Sauras got from the 3:53 mark of the first quarter until the final horn.

"We played well early," Coach Mike Dinkins of Davie said. "We went to our full-court press early in the game and it caused a lot of turnovers."

The Davie pressure caused five turnovers in the first four minutes and the War Eagles led 9-0. A South Stokes timeout didn't help matters as Davie went on to a 16-4 advantage after eight minutes. Ramsey had seven of her 16 in the first

period.

The Sauras played even basketball in the second quarter and Davie went cold, something Dinkins has become accustomed to. "The second quarter was one of those droughts that I've been talking about," he said. "We only scored two points for a long time, but we still led by 12."

Davie held a 28-16 lead at the half.

The third quarter was virtually all Willard, Ramsey and Carrie Brill. The threesome scored 14 of the team's 16, but the Sauras cut the lead to 9 going into the final frame.

South Stokes mounted a run to get the home crowd back into the game. South's Margaret Floyd's put back made the score 46-40 with 4:18 remaining.

After that the Sauras fell apart. They could only manage three points the rest of the way. Ramsey and Willard converted five out of six free throws to stretch the lead to 11 and Davie was 14-22 from the line in the fourth alone to pull away.

Dinkins was disturbed afterwards because

he wanted to empty his bench much earlier in the final eight minutes. "At one point in the fourth we were only 4-8 from the line," he said, "and I've got girls that I want to put in the game."

Finally Dinkins said enough is enough and put in five subs with one minute to go. "We were going to win it or lose it with these girls," he said. "If we hit free throws then it's not close."

Dinkins was referring to Erin Umberger, Allison Foil, Amanda Hendrix, Nikki Davidson and Wendell Carner.

"I like to give these girls a chance. Hendrix plays real good defense and I like Wendell's production out of the point guard position. And Umberger (a season-high six points) played her best game of the year. I'm real pleased to be 1-0 in the conference," he said.

• Brill was the third War Eagle in double figures with 11. Roxanne Steele, 5; Foil, Laura Moyer and Davidson, 2; and Hendrix, 1.

West Rowan Beats Odds, Davie By 6
Sometimes basketball, or any sport for that matter, makes no sense.

Davie defeated West Rowan 80-52 on Dec. 20. Then Davie faced the Falcons again in the semifinals of the Sam Moir Christmas Classic and cruised 51-38.

Davie was set to face the same Falcon team last Wednesday night. On paper, the War Eagles would breeze to their fifth victory in a row.

Wrong.

That's why they play the game.

West Rowan won 59-53 to stun the heavily favored War Eagles.

"Nothing went right," Dinkins said.

Much of the reason for the loss for Davie was 21 percent shooting from the floor, jiggling a 17-point deficit in the early going, and allowing West's Sherece Culbertson to hit some crucial shots and finish with a team-high 15 points.

"We didn't play well early," Dinkins understated.

"Tonight, for the first time all year, we did everything well," Coach Toni Wheeler of West said of her girls' win.

Wheeler had high praise for the War Eagles. "I don't believe we will play anyone all year who can shoot like they can, so holding them down is something to be proud of."

The Falcons went into halftime with a 31-20 lead. But Davie wasn't done as Brill, who scored a season-high 16, was mostly responsible for bringing Davie back to within four points with 1:50 to go after trailing by as many as 17.

Davie had two possessions try to cut the lead to two or one but failed on both. "Brill helped the comeback with her inside play," Dinkins said. "Really, she carried us on both ends."

Dinkins said Davie was in trouble because two of Davie's top scorers (Ramsey and Steele) were cold for most of the game from the field.

• Willard and Ramsey finished with 12 and 10 respectively. Steele, nine; Moyer, four; and Foil, two.

• Willard is averaging a steady 15.7 points per game to lead her team. Ramsey, 12.8; Brill, 9.7; and Steele, 7.7.

North Davie Girls Pull Away For Win Over Rival South Davie

Continued From Page B1
North Davie girls' basketball team pulled away for a 51-43 victory over South Davie in a conference opener Friday night.

Brooks scored six of South's eight unanswered points in a key stretch that saw the Tigers extend a three-point lead to 51-40 with 1:27 to go.

"We were careless against the press break," Harris said. "Without the careless passes, we would have either won or it would have been a lot closer."

Orsillo scored all of the Wildcats' four fourth-quarter points, two of which came at the buzzer to make the final margin 12.

"We cut down on turnovers," Whitlock said. "Duane hit a couple of three's. We had steals off of the press for easy baskets."

The loss for North couldn't erase a smile off of Harris' face. "That's the best we've played all year," she said. "We're improving every game."

According to Harris, don't count North out of the conference tournament championship hunt. "We could lose every game and be conference champs if we win the tournament."

Umberger exploded at the outset of the game with eight first-quarter points. South managed to lead 13-12 at the end of one quarter.

Umberger was held to just four points the rest of the way, but he did pull down 12 rebounds. "Umberger played good," Harris said. "We slacked off getting it to him 'til the rest of the game."

Whitlock said: "We came out sloppy. Maybe we were a little rusty from the holidays."

Orsillo came alive in the second quarter, and the Wildcats got some contribution from the backcourt to storm to a 27-22 halftime lead.

With North trailing 17-16, guard James Stewart of North nailed a 3-point shot from the wing. Then after Orsillo's sixth point of the quarter, guard Kevin Ashley scored off of a South turnover for a 23-19 advantage.

Dominic Graham of South answered with a try to bring his team to within 23-22 with 35 seconds remaining in the half. Orsillo and Umberger scored four straight to open up the five-point halftime lead.

"I really thought," Whitlock said, "North Davie played as good as they could play in the first half. We didn't protect the ball and Duane missed some wide open shots."

"I wasn't really worried at halftime."

North had eight turnovers and just a Iyam Lynch bucket in the first five minutes of the third period. By then, the Tigers had grabbed a 30-29 lead.

Forward Jared Vaughters of South was the third Tiger in double figures with 13 points. "When three guys (Vaughters, Brooks and Phillips) score like that..." Whitlock said.

Jeremiah Creation scored two points for the Tigers. Graham finished with three.

Phillips is leading the Tigers with 18.5 points per game. Brooks has topped his average to 10.3. Vaughters is scoring seven.

Ashley had four for the Wildcats. Lynch and J.C. Willard had two each. Stewart chipped in with three. Andy Boger had one.

Orsillo is averaging a team-high 17.5 points and 12.7 rebounds. Umberger is at a 10.2 clip and pulling down 9.3 rebounds per contest.

North scored the Tigers 23-12 in the second half. "We forced several turnovers with our man-to-man defense and full-court press," he said.

North's guards (Harkness, Ember Spillman and Amber Hamm) combined for 25 points and 10 steals. "They have to be the most aggravating defensive players in the conference," Hendrix said.

South jumped on the home Wildcats 5-4 at the end of the first period. The Tigers stunned North with a 14-11 halftime lead. Five Tigers scored in the second quarter.

North's Spillman started to assert herself after halftime. She scored six of her 10 game-high points in a three-minute span to give North a slim 23-22 advantage after three quarters. Spillman was all over the court, grabbing six rebounds and five steals.

Edwards thought that rash decisions by her team led to the loss. "Defensively, we should have had a half-day," she said. "With our height advantage, we shouldn't have had to foul to alter their shots. But they moved the ball and they are quick."

"We played good. Our plays worked. We thought we needed to foul for some reason."

After seeing South for the first time, Hendrix was impressed. "South is a very good team that simply has trouble scoring," he said.

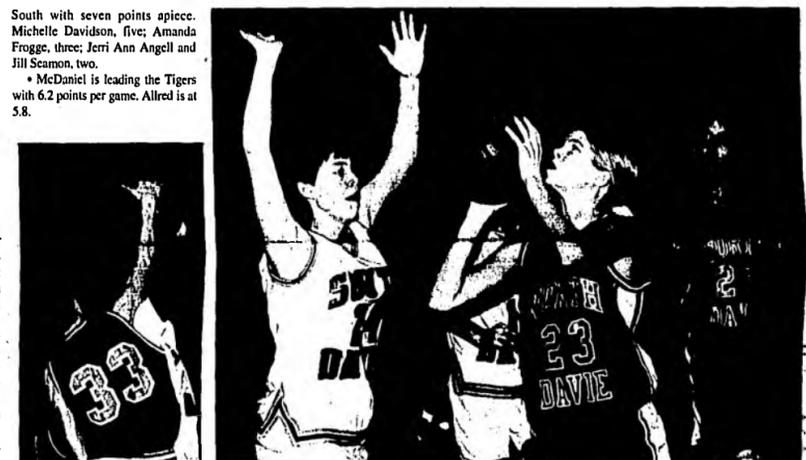
Hamm had six points for North. Erin Baldwin, five, and a team-high seven rebounds; Katherine Phillips, two and four boards; and Jessica Whitley, two.

Spillman is the only Wildcat averaging double figures in scoring with 10.2 per game. Hamm, 7.5; Harkness, 5.5; and Baldwin, 4.1.

• McDaniel and Molly Allred led



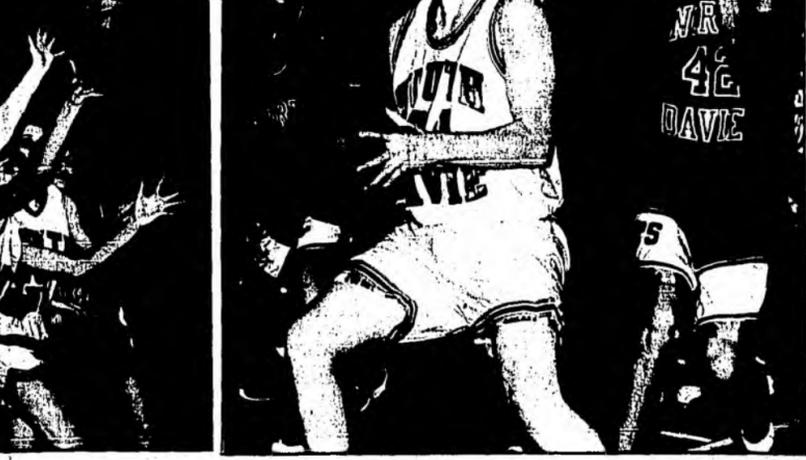
Jerri Ann Angell goes for a loose ball for South Davie in a loss to North Davie. Photos by Robin Fergusson



North Davie's Erin Baldwin goes up for a shot over South Davie defender.



J.C. Willard goes for ball.



South Davie's Shawn Brooks tries to maneuver past John Orsillo (right) in action last week.

War Eagles Fall To 1-9 With Losses To South Stokes, West Rowan

Brian Pitts
Davie County Enterprise Record

WALNUT COVE—Davie County's varsity boys traveled to South Stokes Friday night and showed that vs. the Sauras' man-to-man defense, that the 1-9 War Eagles can play with the likes of a 9-3 South Stokes squad.

But when Coach Kent Mendenhall of South Stokes switched to a zone at halftime, while holding a 3-point edge, the Sauras showed why they have an impressive record, and why Davie is a young, raw ball team that will continue to struggle until they can solve second half woes.

"Davie's effective penetration came to a halt, and the Sauras outscored the visiting War Eagles 36-26 in the last 16 minutes to open the Central Piedmont Conference schedule.

"I thought the difference in the game," Mendenhall said of the South Stokes vs. Davie game, "was when we

changed to a zone in the second half. They were getting too many easy shots. It changed the rhythm of the game. They couldn't adjust to the zone. A lot of times in high school if you change defenses it will change the rhythm."

South's Brandon Fendley scored 13 of his game-high 22 points in the opening quarter to keep the Sauras ahead for the last 7:30 of the first period. "We didn't play good defense on him (Fendley)," Coach Darrell Steele of Davie said. "We're not guarding people real well."

"We didn't box-out. Fourth quarter turnovers (seven in the first six minutes of the fourth quarter) again hurt us."

Another difference in Davie and South Stokes is senior leadership. Last year South struggled as a young team, much like Davie, and this year it's Davie's leadership that is lacking.

Hear again, senior leaders for South Stokes played last year and they don't make mistakes like they did last year," Steele said.

Davie's seniors are having a tough time adapting to that particular role. "Evidently, they haven't been in the lead before. They have to step up," he said.

Davie led three times. The first was

1-0, twice midway through the third period for all of one minute, before South regained the advantage and never looked back.

The War Eagles handicapped itself with 9 of 21 free-throw shooting and South's ability to knock down seven 3-pointers compared to Davie's two.

Davie was trailing 19-13 when the Sauras turned the ball over while attempting to hold for one shot with just seconds remaining in the first quarter.

Davie was in dire need of a boost, and forward Lee Puckett converted the Sauras' turnover into a half-court 3-pointer as the horn sounded to bring the War Eagles to within 19-16 after eight minutes. That was good for three of Puckett's seven first-quarter points.

In the second, South ran out to a 26-18 lead. Then Davie's power forward, Jason Murphy, had his brightest moments of his senior campaign.

Timmy Gilbreath and Josh Barnhardt assisted Murphy for two of his three field goals in a one-minute span to cut the Sauras' lead to 26-24. Davie headed into halftime trailing 28-25.

Davie was on the verge of all upset until South Stokes found the range from deep.

Fendley's trey gave South a four-

point lead. Then Brent Watson had back-to-back threes to up the lead to seven. The barrage of 3-pointers came in a 1:40 span to put the War Eagles in a hole.

In the final eight minutes for Davie, the War Eagles turned the ball over six times in seven possessions to fall out of contention 54-41.

Davie put three players in double figures for the second time all year. Murphy had a team-high 13. Puckett and Jason Neese finished with 11 each.

"We're playing decent ball," Steele said. "Our 20 turnovers was the second lowest number for the year. The guys are young and making mistakes at the wrong time. A lot of the mistakes are mental."

"We just haven't put it all together yet. We might pull a couple of upsets."

• Barnhardt and Eric Alspaugh added six points apiece. Gilbreath, four; and Jamie Neese, three. Murphy's 13 was the first double figure game for him this year.

Rally Falls Short, Falcons Prevail
Davie County can't expect to build a huge deficit against a traditionally strong West Rowan team and expect success, especially to the same Falcon team that had already beaten the War Eagles twice this year by margins of nine points and 29.

That's exactly what the War Eagles did, spotting West a 21-5 lead early in the first quarter and eventually falling 80-64.

Davie came close to stunning the Falcons, trailing by only five after three quarters. Then West blistered the nets for 33 fourth-quarter points to spoil the upset bid.

"It started out being ugly," Steele said. "We got behind with turnovers and sloppy play."

Coach Bobby Shipwash of West Rowan blamed the lackluster second and third quarter on fouls. "There were so many fouls that it was hard for us to get any rhythm."

"We were struggling offensively. They were zoning us, and we hadn't seen much zone. Some guys got frustrated with all the fouls and the tough shooting luck."

Davie climbed back to a respectable 25-13 deficit at the end of the first period. The War Eagles outscored the cold-shooting Falcons 33-26 in the middle quarters to draw to within 51-46.

"The guys sort of got back together," Steele said. "They found out that they could play with West. We were in the ball game."

The fun was over for the underdog War Eagles as they were outscored 33-14 in the final eight minutes.

"Then we had five or six turnovers at the wrong time and against a team like that, they're going to capitalize on your mistakes," Steele said.

Steele doesn't think any team will have a stranglehold on the CPC regular season championship. "Nobody in the conference will go undefeated. It's anybody's. Hey, your talking about somebody going to the playoffs with two or even four losses."

"Mi. Tabor and North Davidson have already been beat. The best team that I have seen is South Rowan. They're playing together."

• Jas. Neese and Gilbreath each had a team-high 11 points. Barnhardt, nine; Alspaugh, a season-high eight; Jamie Neese, six; Puckett and Matt James, five; two.

• Puckett is averaging a team-high 9.1 points per game. Gilbreath, 8.6; and Jas. Neese, 8.1.

9th Grade Boys Remain Undefeated

Davie's 9th grade boys basketball team is the only undefeated team left at the high school after blitzing Grimsley 61-51 and pulling out a 60-57 overtime win against South Stokes.

But don't let the 5-0 record be deceiving. Coach Clyde Studevent's squad has plenty to work on.

Our free throw shooting was terrible," Studevent said referring to the South Stokes game. "We shot them in practice to try to improve in that area."

Studevent said that Davie was too loose going into the Grimsley game after scoring 97 versus Lexington.

Davie was forced to go to the extra period against the Sauras mainly because of free throws. But like most good teams do, the War Eagles started to connect from the line in overtime to pull out the three-point win.

Bryson Finkie is an excellent free-throw shooter, but there is one prob-

lem, according to Studevent. "He doesn't get fouled."

"South Stokes had a very good inside game and that is our weakness." Davie countered its inside problems by nailing seven 3-pointers.

• Kenny Collins led with a game-high 18 points. Trent Howell, two 3-pointers and 13; Shunta Frazier, 10; Jason Sherman, six; Greg Lanier, five; Finkie, four; Ronnie Blackburn and Josh Maynard, two;

First Half Enough To Propel DHS
Frazier and Collins each had a game-high 17 points while helping Davie remain unbeaten on the year with a 61-51 victory over Grimsley.

Davie's 30-18 first half surge was enough for Davie to cruise the rest of the way.

"We started off well," Studevent said. "They changed defenses in the

second half, and it took a while for us to master that and settle down. Their press started to cause turnovers."

Collins put on a show from his point guard position. "He played a significant role. He was always in control and settled us down. He played above his game," Studevent said.

Frazier matched Collins' 17 despite being plagued with fouls throughout. Howell added 14. "He had an excellent three quarters and then he got rattled," Studevent.

• Matt Young and Blackburn had four apiece. Finkie, three; and Maynard, two.

• Collins and Howell are the only Davie players to have scored in double figures in all five games. Collins is averaging a team-high 16.2 points per game. Frazier, 13; Howell, 12.8; and Maynard, 9.2.

'No Name' Wins Final Contest

It was put-up or shut-up time in the football contest. The last hurrah. Whoever came out on top during the long awaited bowl week would have bragging rights for the next seven months.

Most gamblers would put their money on one of the diehard players taking home the cash. There is certain families that you can count on every week.

How about the Serfats, the Moodys, the Thompsons, the Johnsons, the Hendrixs, the Moons and the Siddens.

Then you've got Donald W. Carrick Sr., who it seems like has never missed a week in his life.

The age groups varied in the last week. I won't try to predict the oldest player. But how about the youngest prognosticator. Sixth grader Dave Poplin.

And believe it or not, he outshined some of the veterans by only missing 10. Yes 10. It was that kind of week.

The sportswriter should get a pay raise after grading these entries. Out of 79 contestants, there was 830 misses. That is an average of 11 per entry. There was only 21 people to miss in single digits.

Two people come out of nowhere. Nonames Adam Connor and Michele Shaver missed seven each. Con-

nor predicted a 43-21 Nebraska victory over Florida. Shaver said Florida would come away victorious 24-14.

Needless to say, Connor is your winner. He also has a 26-1 record on Buddy Lowery's Davie County wrestling powerhouse. He will collect \$25. Hey Connor, you can go buy the nicest sled that any store has to offer. Or you can save the cash for the school cafeteria lunch food.

Shaver can take her \$10 and go purchase some milk and bread. The YMCA employee was not expecting to come in second. When told of the outcome, Shaver said, "Are you sure it was me."

The expert award: Only four people predicted Philadelphia to upset Dallas. Milton Kern, King Tut Hicks, Kathy Hicks and Charlotte Angell were the only fans cheering when Switzer and the Cowboys failed on that 4th and 1.

The expert award No. 2: There was 15 to predict Tennessee's mild upset over Ohio State. You know who you are.

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It's a loose ball as players from South and North give chase.

Trio Leads JV Girls To Wins Over West Rowan, S. Stokes

By Brian Pitts
Davie County Enterprise Record

Davie's junior varsity girls defeated West Rowan 40-33 and South Stokes 50-34 last week behind Leslie Holcomb's timely 3-point bombs, Melinda Richie's clutch rebounding and Jodie Stone's consistent scoring.



Stone

our job now."

The Sauras took advantage of the complacent War Eagles, outscoring them 10-5 in the second to crawl to within four at the half.

"They played a 3-2 zone, and that gave us trouble," Cozart said. Just when Davie (6-2) needed a lift, Holcomb burned a try to open the second half. And Davie was on its way again.

The War Eagles outscored the Sauras 28-16 in the last 16 minutes to win by 16.

Jennifer Hendrix added seven points and five rebounds. Richie, six and six rebounds; Jackson, five; Ashlee Andrade and Dana Smith, two; and Rebecca Carle, one.

The Sauras shot a poor 3 of 24 from the floor in the fourth quarter. For the game the Sauras were 14 of 47 (29 percent) from the floor and Davie was 16 of 42 (38).

West Rowan shouldn't have taken this Davie County girls' team lightly, despite snapping the War Eagles four-game winning streak 49-41 Dec. 20.

"Their coach said they were assuming that they would repeat what they did to us," Cozart said.

It didn't take a rocket scientist to figure out why Davie was able to turn the tables on the Falcons.

In the first meeting, West shot 40 percent to Davie's 30. Last Wednesday,

Day, Davie shot 40 compared to West's 30 percent.

With the game still in doubt, Davie converted 8 of 10 free throws in the fourth quarter. West was 0 of 7 in the waning minutes.

West's 1-3-1 trap gave Davie fits two weeks ago. Cozart went to the drawing board during practice. "We worked on that 1-3-1 and it didn't pose a problem this time," she said.

Davie led 14-9 after the first period. They contained a seven-point lead after one half of action. "We were in control in the first half," Cozart said. "They (West) seemed a little flat."

Davie had a let-down in the second half. West climbed back to within one point in the fourth, but all of a sudden the Falcons went cold at the worst possible times.

West was forced to foul and Davie did something that West couldn't do—hit free throws. Davie was 9 of 14 for the game. West was 1 of 13. "We won by seven...that tells you the story," she said.

Richie chipped in with eight points. "She had an outstanding defensive game (12 rebounds)," Cozart said. Tiffany Peoples spelled the starting point guard, Jackson, because of fouls and netted six. "She did a real good job defensively," Cozart said. Holcomb, five; Hendrix and Jackson, four; and Andrade, one.

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Jeff Wilson goes for a hold on South Stokes opponent.



Jamey Holt maneuvers in a match the War Eagles won last week.

JV Boys Split Two Games Last Week

By Brian Pitts
Davie County Enterprise Record

Davie's junior varsity boys split its games last week, winning 61-52 over West Rowan and dropping a heart-breaker 46-45 to South Stokes.

If Coach Brian Cantrell of Davie could have had his way, some things would have been different.

The win against West is nice, but Cantrell would rather have won against South Stokes in the Central Piedmont Conference opener.

Also Cantrell would have liked to had the referee's striped shirt in the closing seconds of the South Stokes' game.

With the score tied at 43, the ball was batted out of bounds. Cantrell thought that the ball belonged to the War Eagles. South received the benefit of the call and scored to go up two points with 40 seconds.

Davie (5-3, 0-1 conference) retaliated with a bucket to tie the game. After the Sauras hit a free throw, Davie got a golden opportunity to steal the game. B.J. Johnson missed the winning

shot, but Scott Carter rebounded and threw up a desperation shot that rolled off the rim for the one-point loss.

Charles Miller led the way with a team-high 15 points. Brian Lane broke out of a recent slump to score 11. Big man Ray Spain added 10.

"Spain was the story. They had three or four guys that were 6-4 or taller," Cantrell said. "Spain hung tough in there."

Davie's leading scorers, Eric Kofke and Miller struggled with their shot all day. "Their shots were not falling," Cantrell said. "But they made up for it with their effort."

"This shows that we have to play together real tough for 32 minutes if we expect to compete in this conference. A lot of credit goes to South Stokes. They are probably a legitimate contender in the league."

South put Davie against the wall from the beginning, outscoring the War Eagles 18-5 in the first eight minutes. Then the momentum turned toward Davie as they went on a 12-2 heading into halftime.

Davie outscored the Sauras by two points in the second half.

Johnson added seven points. And Jesse Marion had two.

Davie Catches Fire, Wins By 9
Davie began to heat up after struggling for the first half and rolled to a 61-52 victory over West Rowan.

Davie continued to come out of the gates slow. The War Eagles sputtered to a 21-20 halftime lead.

"Our trend all year," Cantrell said, "is to start out slow. It was the third quarter before we decided to play ball. Then we had a lot of effort."

Davie opened a 15-point lead in the second half and went on the defeat the Falcons for the second time this year.

The War Eagles doubled its point total from the first half by scoring 40 in the last two quarters compared to the Falcons' 32.

Again Miller led the way with 14 points.

Spain pitched in with 10. Brian Campbell and Johnson, nine; Marion, seven; Kofke, six; Scott Comariz, Chad Dyson and Steven Dunn, two each.

One of the reasons for the War Eagles' 5-3 record is the balanced scoring. Miller is leading with a 11.8 scoring average. Spain, 8.7; Kofke, 8.6; and Johnson, 8.3.

Wrestlers Dominate Again

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Brown, Jake Marion, Will Lowdermilk and Brian Murphy all had pins.

"This group," Lowery said, "one minute may wrestle well and the next may not."

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Winter Sports Schedules

Wrestling			Swimming		
Date	Team(s)	Time	Date	Team	Time
Jan. 16	S. Rowan	7	Jan. 16	S. Rowan	4
Jan. 18	W. Forsyth		Jan. 27	W. Forsyth, Reynolds	4
Jan. 23	Mt. Tabor		Jan. 25	W. Forsyth, Reynolds	3:30
Jan. 29	Forbush (JV)	6	Jan. 31	W. Forsyth, Reynolds	4
Feb. 1	Reynolds	7	Feb. 8	Reynolds, W. Forsyth	4
Feb. 3	Conference Meet	All Day	at WSSU		3:30
Bold denotes home matches			Feb. 17	Central Piedmont Championships at WSSU	TBA
9th Grade Basketball			Feb. 21	Salisbury	4
Date	Team	Time	Bold denotes home matches, at Davie Family YMCA		
Jan. 12	Surry Central	4	Varsity, JV Basketball		
Jan. 16	S. Rowan	4	Jan. 12	N. Davidson	6
Jan. 18	Grimsley	7	Jan. 16	S. Rowan	6
Jan. 23	Mt. Tabor	7	Jan. 23	Mt. Tabor	6
Jan. 26	Reynolds	4	Jan. 26	Reynolds	6
Jan. 30	S. Stokes	4	Jan. 30	S. Stokes	6
Feb. 2	W. Davidson	4	Feb. 2	W. Forsyth	6
Feb. 9	S. Rowan	4	Feb. 5	N. Davidson	6
Feb. 19	Reynolds	4	Feb. 9	S. Rowan	6
Feb. 18	Mt. Tabor	4	Feb. 13	Reynolds	6
Bold denotes home games			Feb. 15	Mt. Tabor (JV)	4:30
South Davie Wrestling			Feb. 16	Mt. Tabor	6
Jan. 17	Kannapolis		Feb. 20	N. Davidson	6:30
Jan. 18	Concord		Bold denotes home games		
Jan. 23	J.N. Fries		JV games at opposite sites at 4:30		
Jan. 25	Open		South Davie Basketball		
Matches start at 4:30 p.m. Bold denotes home matches			Jan. 17	Kannapolis	
North Davie Wrestling			Jan. 18	Concord	
Jan. 17	Corriner Lige		Girl's begin at 4, followed by boys. Bold denotes home games		
Jan. 18	North Rowan		North Davie Basketball		
Jan. 23	West Rowan		Jan. 17	Corriner Lige	
Jan. 25	Knox		Jan. 18	North Rowan	
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Obituaries

Lou Jean Lakey
Lou Jean Riddle Lakey, 66, of Farmington Road, died Saturday night at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

She was born in Davie County, Dec. 24, 1929, to the late Oscar and Mattie Beauchamp Riddle and was retired secretary with the N.C. Agriculture Extension Service.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Harmon Williard, in 1981, and by 3 grandchildren, Larry Williard II, Kevin Fearington and Kenneth David Fearington.

Survivors include 2 daughters, June Fearington of Lewisville, Kathy Mason of Farmington; son, Larry Williard of Yadkinville; 5 grandchildren; and 6 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were to be held at 2 p.m. Jan. 10, at Eaton Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Roy Beals officiating and burial following in the Farmington Community Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Farmington Community Cemetery, c/o Mrs. J.T. Green, Farmington Road, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

Hattie W. Williard
Hattie Mabel White Williard, 85, of Wyo Road, Mocksville, died Saturday night at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

She was born in Davie County Oct. 15, 1910, to the late John Neely and Lilly Ann Cuthrell White and had been a homemaker.

She was a member of Mt. Olive United Methodist Church where she had been a Sunday School teacher, youth leader, MYF director, sang in the church choir and was a member of the Mt. Olive Church "Pumpeters".

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Bertha H. Westmoreland
Bertha H. "Big Mama" Westmoreland, 89, of Mooresville, died Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1995, at her residence following a lengthy illness.

She was born in Davie County, Nov. 20, 1906, she was the daughter of the late George Alexander and Gertrude Irene Alison Heagans. She was the widow of the Rev. L.W. Westmoreland.

She was the sister of John Heagans of Mocksville.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Jan. 7, at Shinnville United Church of Christ in Troutman with the Rev. Waddell Rivers and Dr. James Pace officiating. Burial followed in the South Iredell AME Zion Church Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Helping Hands of Yadkinville, 633 West Main Street, Yadkinville, N.C. 27055.

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On March 12, David Trash, historian and researcher from Winston-Salem, will present *Ceremony* by Leslie

Marion Silko. On March 26, Dr. Paula Gilbert of Duke University will present *A Prayer for Owen Meany* by John Irving.

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Widows were also remembered with an annual donation from the lodge. Headed by this committee were past

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Davie District Court

The following cases were disposed of in Davie District Court on Jan. 4.

Presiding was Judge James Honeycutt. Prosecuting were Rob Taylor and Allan Martin, assistant district attorneys.

—Jerry Adams, second degree trespassing, dismissed.

—Terry D. Anderson, driving 96 mph in a 65 mph zone, sentenced to 30 days suspended 1 year, \$50 fine, court costs, no operate vehicle until licensed.

—Wayne Atkinson, vehicle inspection violation, rear lamp violation, dismissed.

—David Bares, assault by pointing a gun, dismissed.

—John K. Beard, driving while license revoked, no liability insurance, sentenced to 45 days suspended for 2 years, \$200 fine and court costs, no operate vehicle until licensed, fictitious/cancelled registration, dismissed.

—Billy Beck, over 200 lbs, sentenced to 45 days suspended for 18 months, \$100 fine, court costs, appealed.

—Stanley A. Bell, failure to pay income tax, sentenced to 90 days suspended for 18 months, \$1,000 fine, court costs, 2 counts failure to pay income tax, sentenced to 30 days suspended for 18 months, \$100 fine, court costs, appealed.

—Wayne G. Blacker, failure to yield, dismissed.

—Jennifer Chan, simple worthless check, sentenced to 30 days suspended for 1 year, pay court costs.

—Scott E. Cranfield, DWI, (11 Breathalyzer), sentenced to 12 months

suspended for 2 years, \$400 fine and court costs; no operate vehicle until licensed, 2 days in jail, 30 days house arrest, comply with substance abuse assessment; driving while license revoked, dismissed.

—John K. Dean, driving while license revoked, sentenced to 90 days suspended for 2 years, pay \$300 fine and court costs, no operate vehicle until licensed; expired registration, dismissed.

—Charles F. Dymond, no liability insurance, dismissed; exceeding posted speed, pay \$10 fine and court costs.

—Charles Ford, simple assault, dismissed; stalking, not guilty.

—Barry Fortune, injury to personal property, simple assault, dismissed.

—Vance S. Freeman, DWI, (08 Breathalyzer), sentenced to 60 days suspended for 2 years, \$100 fine and court costs, no operate vehicle until licensed, fictitious/cancelled registration, dismissed.

—Lemuel D. Nichols, assault on a female, sentenced to 45 days suspended for 18 months, pay \$100 fine and court costs, report to Day Reporting Center, stay away from prosecuting witness, driving 77 mph in a 65 mph zone, dismissed.

—Keith L. Fuller, 92 mph in a 65 mph zone, reduced to driving 79 mph in a 65 zone, \$25 fine, court costs; failure to wear seat belt, dismissed.

—Carnell Johnson, 55 mph in a 35 mph zone, reduced by DA to improper equipment, \$100 fine and court costs.

—Larry C. Jones, assault on a female, sentenced to 75 days suspended for 2 years, \$100 fine and court costs, report to Day Reporting Center and following any programs recommended, submit to searches or drug testing; assault with a deadly weapon, dismissed.

—Joseph L. Keel, larceny, reduced

by DA to misdemeanor larceny, sentenced to 45 days suspended for 4 years, \$200 fine, court costs, 50 hours community service, make restitution; breaking and entering and larceny, reduced by DA to misdemeanor breaking and entering and larceny, sentenced to 45 days suspended for 4 years, \$200 fine and court costs, 50 hours community service.

—Ricky J. Lewis, no operator's license, drinking beer/wine while driving, unsafe tires, exceeding safe speed, dismissed; DWI, sentenced to 60 days suspended for 2 years, \$100 fine and court costs, drinking beer/wine while driving, sentenced to 120 days.

—David L. Mackie, communicating threats, dismissed.

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Davie Man Sentenced To Four Years In Prison For DWI Offenses

A Davie County man was sentenced to at least four years in prison in District Court last week after he pleaded guilty to three DWI offenses, two occurring on the same night.

Douglas Anthony Culler was first

stopped for DWI on Sept. 10, at which time the officer said he was belligerent and refused to take the Breathalyzer tests. He was also charged in that same stop with driving while license revoked, failure to heed light or siren, drinking

beer or wine while driving, and driving left of center.

On October 27, Culler was involved in an accident on N.C. 801 where he reportedly ran a red light and hit another

car. Trooper Pat Hennessy with the N.C. Highway Patrol, told the judge the Culler left the scene and was involved in another wreck several minutes later in which two people were seriously injured. Hennessy said Culler appeared highly intoxicated at the time and refused to take a Breathalyzer test.

Culler was also driving a stolen vehicle at the time.

Judge James Honeycutt sentenced the defendant to 12 months on the first DWI, and 120 days on the driving while license revoked and drinking beer and wine while driving, and was to pay court costs for the driving left of center. A resisting public officer charge was dismissed.

On the second DWI case, Culler was

subpoenaed and should appear.

Honeycutt asked if she was denying that appearing in court would hurt the child.

"I have no evidence to refute this claim, but my client has a constitutional right to confront witnesses."

Honeycutt said that was true if the witnesses were mentally and physically capable of appearing, but noted, "I won't require it if it will damage the child."

Allowing the motion, prompted Ramirez to go ahead and waived his right to the probable cause hearing and the case will now go to Superior Court.

A second first degree sex offense charge against a child was dismissed.

sentenced to 24 months and 120 days for the driving while license revoked. He was to pay court cost on a charge of failure to stop for a red light.

Culler also received 24 months for the second DWI, and another 120 days

for another driving while license revoked charge. Charges of having unsealed wine or liquor in the passenger area and possession of stolen goods were dismissed, based on his pleading guilty to the other charges.

Man Charged With Indecent Liberties With A Child Waives Right To Probable Cause Hearing

Pedro Hernandez Ramirez, 35, of 429 Pineville Road, Mocksville, waived his right to a probable cause hearing in Davie District Court last week on charges of attempting to take indecent liberties with a child and first degree sex offense against a child.

Judge James Honeycutt ordered that Ramirez be bound over for trial in Superior Court on the two felony charges.

Ramirez's attorney, Tammy Fleming, did plan to proceed with a probable cause hearing, but changed plans when Honeycutt allowed a motion to quash a subpoena requiring the victim to be present in court last Thursday.

Attorney Sally Smith, representing the Department of Social Services, told the judge the child, who is 8, was at Amos Cottage and it was the belief of her doctors and therapists that an appearance in court at this time would be detrimental to her well-being.

"It's the state's position that we have enough evidence to proceed without the victim here," Smith said.

Fleming said it was her position that DSS had no place to make such a motion in this case. "The defendant has the right to call witnesses, and the calling of this witness is not frivolous, but is in an effort to get the facts. A person has been

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Taxi Service Could Open By February

Mocksville's new taxi service could be in operation as early as February, according to a report.

Steele approached The Town Board Commissioners in December about hiring a taxi service in Mocksville. The board had discussed amending town ordinance regarding insurance requirements for taxi cabs when their company was planning to locate here recently.

The board voted unanimously to approve the amount of coverage to \$200,000 for property damage, \$100,000 per person and \$300,000 maximum personal accident bodily injury coverage.

After contacting officials in Statesville and Winston-Salem, Administrative Assistant Lee Rollins had found this level of coverage to be close to that required by surrounding cities.

According to Jimmy Kelly of National Insurance, this amount of insurance coverage will cost Steele about \$2,000 per year.

Prior to the amendment Rollins said the town had only required about \$25,000 per year, \$10,000 per person and \$50,000 maximum per accident.

The board also eliminated a local ordinance requiring a taxi driver to have a chauffeur's license.

An actual chauffeur's license no longer exists, Julius Sutor told the board, and a commercial driver's license is only required when a person is transporting 15 or more passengers.

According to Town Manager Terry Bralley, other cities require no special license.

Board members welcomed Steele's business to the town.

Local Jaycees Seek Shower Gifts For Infants With AIDS

Many children, who have AIDS, have been abandoned by their families and left to die.

Mission Inn, a United States Jaycee project, is a pediatric AIDS treatment facility.

The Mocksville-Davie Jaycees gave \$500 to Project Mission Inn in response to a challenge to North Carolina Jaycee chapters. Together N.C. Jaycee chapters raised \$15,000, which was delivered to the U.S. Jaycee President, Kelly Willis.

The Jaycees are searching for a location for a second Mission Inn. To further boost the selection of North Carolina as the second site, N.C. Jaycee chapters are sponsoring Operation

Cuddle Up. Operation Cuddle Up is a baby shower. Donations of baby formula, disposable diapers or anything of use by a pediatric unit may be made by persons interested in contributing to unfortunate children with AIDS.

Collection locations in Mocksville are both Central Carolina Banks and Wal-Mart.

Donations may be made through Jan. 31.

Items will be collected and delivered to North Carolina Jaycee Headquarters in Asheboro on Feb. 3, where a truck will be on hand to load the donated items for transportation to St. Louis.

Someone attending the WHITAKER 50TH ANNIVERSARY PARTY on 12/23 may have worn the wrong Autumn Haze Mink Stole home. Mine has the initials E.L.I. in pocket. To retrieve yours call: 910-725-2674

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100 Southwood Dr. - 4 Bd, 3 Ba, 2497 sq ft b/c UNDER CONSTRUCTION. Well maint. w/ liv. rm, din. rm, den, kit, fin. basmt, range, dishwasher, call. fan, rafting, window trim, concrete. \$179,900. CALL MEL.

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NORTH CAROLINA DAVIE COUNTY

EXECUTRIX NOTICE

Having qualified as Executrix of the Estate of Enos Monroe James, deceased, late of Davie County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 4th day of April, 1996, being three months from the first day of publication of this notice. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned. This is the 4th day of January, 1996.

Sarah H. James, PO Box 431, Mocksville, NC 27028, Executrix of the Estate of Enos Monroe James, deceased.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF DAVIE

IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE DISTRICT COURT DIVISION

DAVIE COUNTY HOSPITAL, Plaintiff vs. JEFFREY L. TONEY (94 CVD 488) ERMINE S. JEFFERIES (94 CVD 491) DONALD GENE SHORES (94 CVD 492) DENNIE SLOAN (94 CVD 494) SONYA FRAZIER ANDERSON (94 CVD 497) GARY W. CHAPPELL (94 CVD 587) PORTIA DIONNE DALTON (95 CVD 100) TWILA DAWNE EVERHART (95 CVD 101) WANDA M. JUSTICE (95 CVD 103) JOHNATHAN A. BOGER (95 CVD 114) BILLY RAY REDMOND (95 CVD 116) DORIS A. SHIPMAN (95 CVD 118) TONYA NICOLE ANDERSON (95 CVD 119) TIMOTHY SCOTT SMYERS (95 CVD 123) DONALD E. LAUL (95 CVD 129) KEVIN L. MCCOOK (95 CVD 130) FRANKLIN V. FAVRE (95 CVD 131), Defendants

NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION

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Dean H. Humphrey, Attorney at Law, PO Box 970, Mocksville, NC 2

