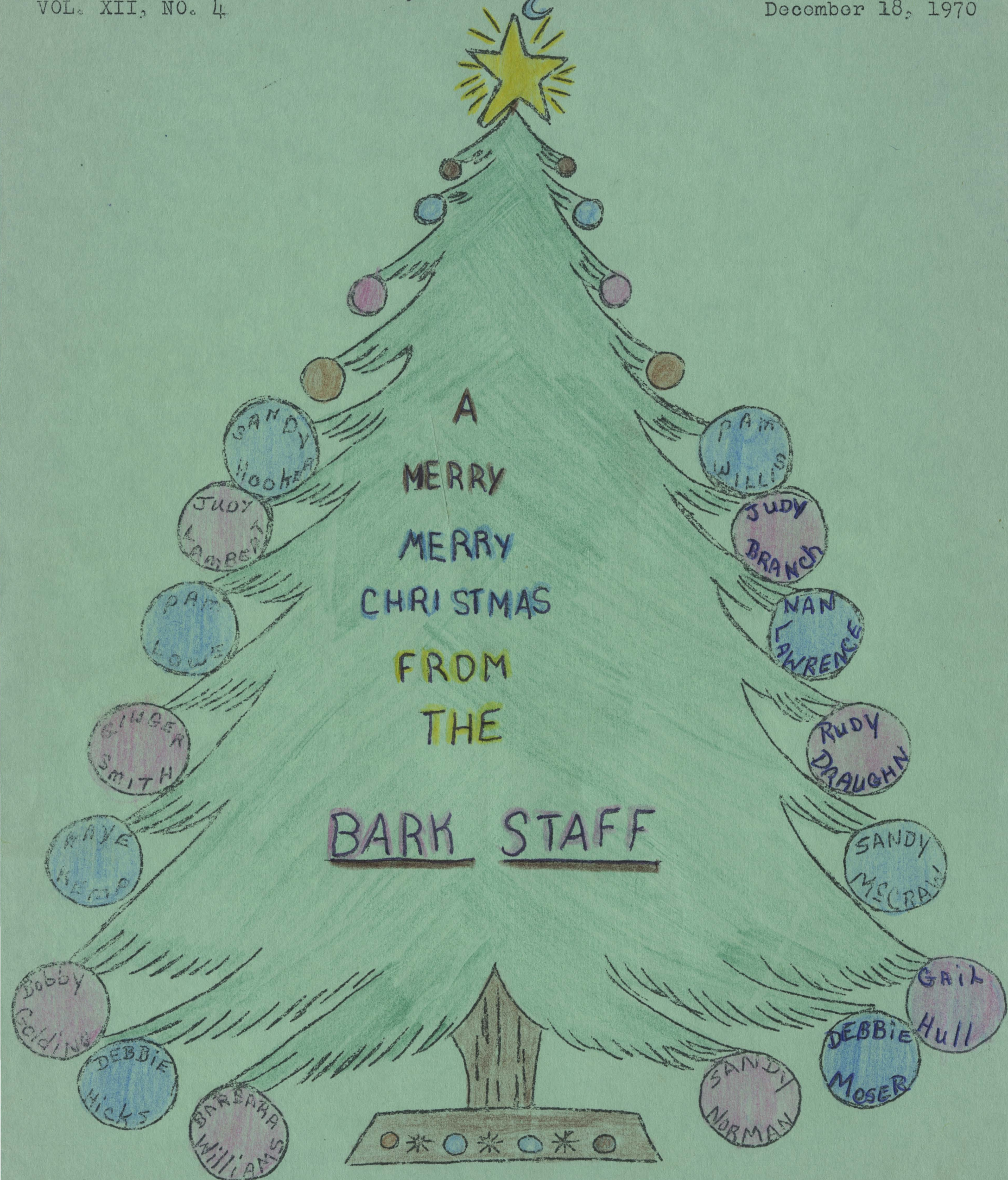


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EDITORIALS

Merry Christmas---
With Love

"Will you help me wrap up some love, Grandma?" asked the little girl. "That's what I'm going to give Mom and Daddy for Christmas."

Corny?

Sure.

But not to a five-year-old whose monetary wealth consists of a quarter and a few pennies hidden in a doll purse.

Still, when Grandma helped the little girl write a note of love on a simple card, the few tears of joy on Grandma's cheek made her realize that this was the most wonderful gift of all.

Wouldn't it be something to gift-wrap love for your family... gift-wrap the gratitude you feel toward those who are so much a part of you...

Giving the gift of love is the most expensive, the most precious present on earth, and money is unnecessary. Anyone with a heart can bestow it. Yet, few will give love, for it is so much easier to buy a present and Christmas wrap it with gay ribbons.

The gift of love however, requires constant effort, for it must be ever renewed. You must give of yourself--your thoughts and your sympathy, your smiles and your understanding, your unselfish acts, and your strivings to do right.

In addition to presenting the bright store gifts on Christmas morning

try a simple kiss on the cheek of each member of your family. And with that kiss, these words: "I love you, and I'll always try to deserve your love."

Sure, ... it's corny. But it is the one true gift of Christmas as He gave it to the world.

Can you give less to your family?

"The Reporter"

AN INTERVIEW WITH SANTA CLAUS

It's that time of year again! Everyone is frantic knowing that they are unprepared. The most frantic of all is that jolly ole fat man, Santa Claus. He's worked all year making toys for all the little kids and will continue right on up through Christmas. Now, we feel the old man works pretty hard and he doesn't get enough recognition. After Christmas he is forgotten until the same time next year. So we sent a reporter up to the 'Pole' to get to know him a little better and find out his feelings on a few things. This is how the interview went:

Q. Well Santa, are you ready for Christmas Eve?

A. Are you kidding? The elves are all on strike. I had to order all the toys from Sears and they haven't come yet.

Q. Why is everybody on strike, Santa?

A. They want more time off, more pay, and better

working conditions. Rudolph is even threatening to quit. He says if his nose turns blue this year he's leaving and going into show business.

Q. Have you had many letters from kids telling you what they want for Christmas?

A. Yes, in fact I've received letters from several North Surry students.

Q. Can you tell us about some of them?

A. I got a real interesting letter from your principal, Mr. Poplin. He wants a race track set because he's tired of his train. Besides he said he broke it when he tried to ride on the engine. Doris Slate wants a safe driving manual. Nick Jarrell wants a wig with the straight look; Bill Hall asked for a life-size doll that bends at the joints and says, "Take me, I'm yours." Mr. Houck wants a book entitled, "Jokes, Jokes and More Jokes." Sammy Brim wants his tennis shoes bronzed. Coach King wants the trophy for the State 3A Championship. Gail Hull wants a new voice. She wore her old one out at the Mt. Airy ballgame. Benny Younger wants a player piano that plays "Roll Over Beethoven."

And please, Santa, give the Journalism class some ideas for a sparkling new feature or an interesting "inquiring reporter" question that will get all the students involved in our newspaper.

BULLETIN BOARD
CONTEST

On Thursday, December 3, the Young Patriots sponsored a bulletin board contest. The theme was "I'm Dreaming of a Right Christmas."

In the new Vocational building -Mrs Aldridge won, in the west wing -Mrs. Bradford won, in the center wing Mrs. Fulk won, and in the east wing -Mr. Cockrell won. Refreshments were given to each winning class.

PANCAKE JAMBOREE IS
AGAIN SUCCESSFUL

The Pancake Jamboree held here on December 4th and 5th was again very successful. Although, it was not as successful as in the past, it was still very good. A great amount of tickets was sold.

An award of \$20.00 went to the highest salesman, who was Roger Borman, who sold \$58.00 worth. An award of \$15.00 went to the second highest salesman who was Gail Hull. She sold \$30.00 worth. An award of \$10.00 went to the third highest salesman who was Butch Bailey, and he sold \$31.00 worth. And the fourth award of \$5.00 went to Debbie Palmer who sold \$30.50 worth.

Our Thanks to everyone who sold tickets for our successful Pancake Jamboree.

BOOK FAIR IN CONJUNC-
TION WITH PANCAKE JAM-
BOREE

The Book Fair held in conjunction with the Pancake Jamboree was not as successful as usual.

Approximately 450 books were sold. The amount of money received was \$382.35.

Miss Vase would like to thank those students who helped during the Book Fair.

CHRISTMAS DANCE

Sponsored by the Student Council, a Christmas Dance was held here on Saturday evening, December 12. The Brotherhood of Peace, a combo made up of a few members of the New Americans, provided the music.

Deborah Moser was crowned "Miss Merry Christmas," during intermission, with Elaine Doss, Clara Bunkér, Ginger Haynes, and Lisa Holyfield named Miss 12th, 11th, 10th, 9th grade respectively.

Delicious refreshments were served from a beautifully decorated table, and a Christmas tree, a gift of Mr. C. I. Carson, was the focal point of the gym floor.

TOP TEN CHRISTMAS SONGS
AT N.S.H.

1. Blue Christmas
2. I Saw Mommy Kissing Santa Claus

3. Little Drummer Boy
4. Snoopy's Christmas
5. Silver Bells
6. What Child is This
7. Jingle Bell Rock
8. Joy to the World
9. Santa Claus is Watching You
10. Silent Night

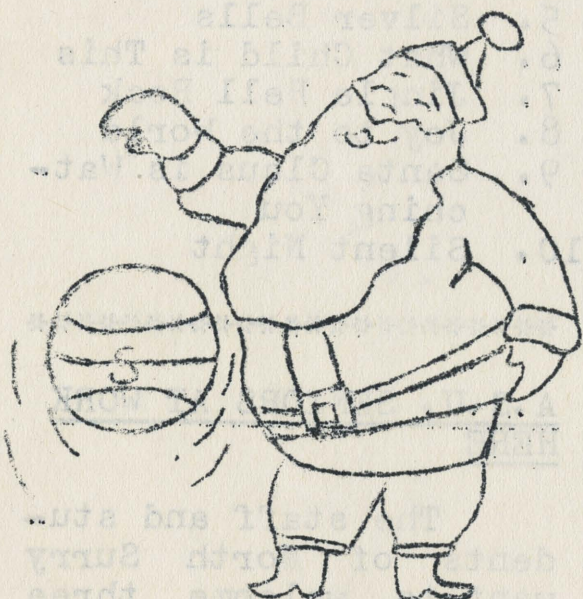
A.S.U. SENIORS AT WORK
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The staff and students of North Surry want to welcome three young men, student teachers, who will be here for approximately three months. All are seniors at A.S.U. and all are natives of Surry County.

Mr. Michael Scott, a graduate of Mount Airy High School is working under the supervision of Miss Quesinberry and Mr. Carris. He remarked that it is pleasant to be here but quite strange, since his Alma Mater and N.S. are "friendly rivals."

Mr. Clayton Cook and Mr. Van Dearmin were high school classmates at East Surry. Mr. Cook is majoring in the field of business education and has Mr. Smith and Mrs. Aldridge as his supervising teachers. He likes sports, friendly people and traveling. Mr. Dearmin is majoring in Health and P.E. and is doing his student teaching under Coach Ron King. Naturally his hobbies are sports.

All three are presently bachelors, but they all have plans for marriage in the future.



NEW TEAMS ADMITTED TO NORTHWEST AAA CONFERENCE

Mt. Airy and Madison Mayodan have been accepted as new members of the Northwest AAA Athletic Conference, beginning with the basketball season of '71-'72, since all the football contracts last two years. Final approval came from the North Carolina Athletic Association. The only drawback would be a possible realignment of all schools in North Carolina, perhaps placing these two schools in another conference.

This would increase our present conference to ten members, as follows; North Surry, East Surry, Surry Central, Forbush, Starmount, Elkin, North Stokes, South Stokes, Mt. Airy, and Madison Mayodan. These two teams asked for admittance when Reidsville, Mt. Tabor, High Point, Andrews, and Morehead, all went to 4 A classification.

NORTH WINS NONCONFERENCE BATTLE

On November 24, the

Hounds opened their basketball season when they traveled to Alleghany in a nonconference battle. The game was a close one, changing scores from time to time. The game went right down to the wire, with the Hounds, winning 60-57. Sammy Brim was high scorer with 29 points.

In the opener, the JV's won 47-42, with Barry Badgett high-scoring.

NORTH LOSES TO NORTH WILKES HOUNDS DOWN REBELS, 57-38

On Dec. 3, the Hounds were host to the Vikings of North Wilkes in another nonconference game. It was a very close game with both teams battling hard, and in the last few minutes of the game the Hounds were behind three points. The Hounds trying hard to get possession of the ball, fouled, but were unsuccessful in their attempt to recover needed points, and lost 60-67. Sammy Brim was high scorer.

The JV's had a very close game, with the score changing from time to time, but the JV's came out on top, 50-46. Barth Tesh was high scorer.

HOUNDS WIN OVER BEARS

Tuesday Dec. 8, the Bears came to Hound territory across the creek, and went back "skinned." At first the Hounds looked as if we were tense and nervous, but with fine team effort the Hounds pulled to within one at the end of the first half. The second half saw the Hounds take the lead to 10 points and then keep it to win, 61-55. The

scoring was very even for the team with 5 in double figures; Brim, Casstevens, McDaniel, Payne, and Young.

The JV's lost 41-44 in a close game. The Hounds led most of the game, with a tie, 31-37 at the end of the regulation game. In the overtime the Bears pulled out the lead to win.

The Greyhounds "licked" the Rebels in a game played here on Friday, December 11. This was our first conference game of the season, and our third victory. Paced by Sammy Brim's 23 points, it was an easy win.

The JV's won also, 78-44, another easy win. Coach Smith played all of his boys. This was also the third win for the JV's.

NORTH WINS OVER ALLEGHANY

Thursday evening, Dec. 15, the Hounds were host to the Trojans of Alleghany High. The Hounds won it, 50-35. It was a hard fought game. Sammy Brim was high scorer for the Hounds.

The JV's also won, 56-46, in an exciting game.

UPCOMING GAMES

The Hounds are to play the Rams of Starmount High there on Friday, Dec. 18, North Wilkes on Dec. 22, and the Granite Bears the 29th at the Y.M.C.A.

PERSONALITIES OF THE MONTH

SHE IS: From the Franklin community; a cheerleader; member of the Monogram Club; Pep Club, and Girl's Activity Club; 5'; very active and friendly.

SHE HAS: Wonderful parents; one brother, Randy; blonde hair; green eyes, a Volkswagen, an infectious laugh; and a lot of pep.

SHE DISLIKES: Homework; conceited people; working; for N. S. to lose a game.

HER AMBITION: To be a dental technician.

SHE IS: PAN MARION

HE IS: 6'2"; a Junior; a member of the varsity football and basketball teams, a member of the Monogram and Pep Clubs.

HE HAS: Blue eyes; brown hair; two brothers, one sister; a light blue Ford truck.

HE LIKES: football; spaghetti; cheese; and Mountain Dew's.

HE DISLIKES: T. Airy Granite Bears; Chevrolets, and conceited people.

HIS AMBITION: To become a pro football player.

HE IS: JOHN McDANIEL

SHE IS: A mother of three; Speech and English teacher; sponsor of Student Council and debate team; and a wonderful person to know.

SHE HAS: One son; Allen; two daughters, Ann and Laurie; a husband, Ed, who has to do all the extra running, without much complaining.

SHE LIKES: Good music; interesting speakers; her home; and all North Surry Greyhounds.

SHE DISLIKES: People who are insincere; unnecessary talking in class; too much paper work.

HER AMBITION: To make a public speaker out of every student here.

SHE IS: MRS. SARAH McGEE

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HE IS: 5'9"; Junior sponsor; and a carpentry teacher.

HE HAS: A wife, Rita; four children, heila, Gina, Melody, Crystal; an outdoor swimming pool.

HE LIKES: All sports; carpentry; politics.

HE DISLIKES: Cats; lazy people; Communism.

HIS AMBITION: To be a better teacher and to make a million dollars.

HE IS: MR. WILLIAM (BILL) HIATT

NORTH SURRY WELCOMES EXCHANGE STUDENT

North Surry has a visiting student for a few months. Mabeth Quintanilla an exchange student from El Salvador. Mabeth doesn't speak much English, but she has won every student with her warm smile and friendly personality.

Mabeth is 17 years old and is the only child in her family. She has attended 14 years of school consisting of two years in kindergarten, six years of primary school, three years of secondary school, and two years in senior high. She completed her first year in secretarial school before she came here. She is sponsored by the International Fellowship of Buffalo, N.Y. and is currently living in the home of Pam Marion.

Mabeth likes modern music, and all types of food. The customs of her country are similar to our customs, except that dating in her country means going out with a group of boys and girls. She thinks the American boys are very similar to the boys of her country in their dress and actions.

Mabeth's ambition is to become a bilingual executive secretary; therefore, she is taking courses that concern this career. When asked her impression of North Surry she said that she is learning much and the teachers here are very good. We all wish to extend Mabeth our warmest welcome during her visit with us.

SENIOR ROUND-UP

Name: Charnell Goad
Nickname: Faith
Ambition: To have a successful life
and marriage
Likes: Marvin C. Slater (a lot)
Dislikes: Teachers that play favorites
Favorite Saying: You dummy!

Name: Carlton Goins
Nickname: Peanuts
Ambition: To succeed in life
Likes: Darlene, pizzas, hot dogs,
and New Americans
Dislikes: Conceited and stuck-up
people
Favorite Saying: Howdy!

Name: Garry Goins
Nickname: Harry
Ambition: Architect
Likes: Nancy and carpentry
Dislikes: Stuck-up people
Favorite Saying: Fare ye well fellows,
Go away from here

Name: Pam Goins
Nickname: None
Ambition: To become a fast knitter
Likes: Honest people, kingburgers,
and one certain boy
Dislikes: Liars
Favorite Saying: Glad to hear it

Name: Bobby Dwight Golding
Nickname: Rim Golding
Ambition: To graduate and to become
a color specialist
Likes: Janie, winning football games,
and dancing
Dislikes: Conceited people
Favorite Saying: I'll drink to that!

Name: Christine Golding
Nickname: Chris
Ambition: To graduate
Likes: A certain boy
Dislikes: Stuck-up people
Favorite Saying: You be good

Name: James Thomas (Tommy) Golding
Nickname: None
Ambition: Become a mechanic
Likes: Cars, football, and nice girls
Dislikes: Big linemen
Favorite Saying: Dang fire!

Name: Tommy Golding
Nickname: Tom
Ambition: Automative engineering
Likes: Cars, money, and girls
Dislikes: English IV
Favorite Saying: Can't say it!

Name: Betty Goodson
Nickname: B.J. and Blondy
Ambition: To marry Larry and have a
successful life
Likes: T-Burgers, onion-rings, and
Larry
Dislikes: Tag-alongs and push-overs
Favorite Saying: "Alt"

Name: Steve Goodman
Nickname: Goodman
Ambition: To be 6 ft. tall and
weigh 175 lbs.
Likes: Football and North Surry
Dislikes: Talking in front of a
class
Favorite Saying: You devil you!

Name: Floyd E. Gwyn Jr.
Nickname: Butch
Ambition: To be a success in life
Likes: Cute, well shaped girls,
and lots of fun
Dislikes: Underhanded people and
conceited people
Favorite Saying: You don't say!

Name: Ann Gwyn
Nickname: Annie
Ambition: To be a secretary
Likes: Everyone and music
Dislikes: Homework and one certain
person's attitude
Favorite Saying: "Whatever turns
you on!"

Name: Patricia Gwyn
Nickname: None
Ambition: To be a model and a suc-
cess
Likes: Ambitious people, singing,
and reading
Dislikes: Noisy and selfish people
Favorite Saying: "Right On"

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SENIOR ROUND-UP

Name: Pat Gwyn
 Nickname: Pete
 Ambition: To be a success
 Likes: Soul music and boy watching
 Dislikes: People who are stuck-up
 Favorite Saying: Ya dig

Name: Terry Gwyn
 Nickname: None
 Ambition: To be a physical education teacher
 Likes: Football and basketball
 Dislikes: Hockey and tennis
 Favorite Saying: It's just a think

Name: Bill Hall
 Nickname: Weasel
 Ambition: To go to college
 Likes: Football, life, people, and winning
 Dislikes: Losing and unhappy people
 Favorite Saying: Ho

Name: Carroll Wayne Hall
 Nickname: None
 Ambition: To make a million dollars
 Likes: Lynn, cars, and playing with the Royal Henchmen
 Dislikes: Nothing except school
 Favorite Saying: "Aw, you know how it is."

Name: James Hall
 Nickname: Pussycat
 Ambition: Be a playboy
 Likes: Susan Booker and all the time with her
 Dislikes: School
 Favorite Saying: None

Name: Kathy Sue Hatcher
 Nickname: Susie
 Ambition: To become a psychiatric social worker and travel
 Likes: Privacy, traveling, reading, and teachers who don't just teach.
 Dislikes: Boring teachers, this school, and loud people
 Favorite Saying: You Know

Name: Pat Marion Hawks
 Nickname: Pat, Moaelle, and Ike
 Ambition: Be a better Christian, wife, and beautician
 Likes: Being with Dale, sewing, and reading

Dislikes: Rudeness, prejudice, and people who think they're it
 Favorite Saying: "How do you like that?"

Name: Barbara Hayden
 Nickname: None
 Ambition: To be successful in life and be a good wife to Jack
 Likes: Jack, pizza, and the weekend
 Dislikes: Stuck-up people and a lot of homework
 Favorite Saying: Don't worry it all will work out.

Name: Jo Ann Haymore
 Nickname: John
 Ambition: To live a useful and happy life
 Likes: Warm puppies and warm blankets
 Dislikes: Being cold
 Favorite Saying: Going out of my head

Name: Carlene Haynes
 Nickname: Carldine
 Ambition: To graduate and get a good job
 Likes: Onion rings, hamburgers, and chevelles
 Dislikes: Nosy people, pickled pig feet, and stuck-up people
 Favorite Saying: Boy, I'm mad now.

Name: Sue Haynes
 Nickname: Honey and Sweet Sue
 Ambition: To be a good wife and mother
 Likes: Piano, music all around, and church
 Dislikes: Nosy people and hypocrites
 Favorite Saying: I'll be

Name: Charles Hennis
 Nickname: Checkbook
 Ambition: Executive
 Likes: Money, V.W.'s, girls, and Beatles
 Dislikes: Country music
 Favorite Saying: Make a profit

Name: David Hensley
 Nickname: Gomer
 Ambition: To make the whole world happy
 Likes: Females and friendly people
 Dislikes: Rude People
 Favorite Saying: Far Out!

IT HAPPENED AT NORTH SURRY

'Twas the night before Christmas, when all through the school
Not a creature was stirring, not even a fool;
We had hung up our boots, for our stockings had runs,
And we figured the boots would hold more sugar plums.
The children, eighth graders, each snug in his seat,
Listened intently for deer's tiny feet;
And I and my seniors sat quiet in our room
To listen for Santa's own sonic boom.

When outside the east wing we heard such a blast
Yelled, "Good gosh, he got here at last."
Ang from their desks and I from my chair
That the heck was happening out there.
Windows and stuck out our heads
To see St. Nick had jet-propelled sleds.
On the room on the new fallen snow
Glowed by reflection to give off a glow.
But I know how impossible this sounds:
One sleigh and eight tiny greyhounds,
In leather, black belt, the rest red,
Antennae sticking straight up from his head.
His watch and then rang a bell
Greyhounds responded as if in a spell.
Now Atkins, on Aldridge and Hall,
G Price, Hiatt, Vaughn, Moss and all;
In the west wing, the new building, too,
Of the students a bit more than due.
The greyhounds with gifts on their backs
Santa just smiled and picked up his sack.
His heads and were turning around
To our room St. Nick came with a bound.
His outfit was trimmed in pure gold,
It was not tarnished with ashes and soot;
Dressed by silk parachute.

Like a salesman completing a deal,
He sat sitting down to a meal.
His eyes fairly twinkled as he glanced 'round the room
We all had ducked down; it was quiet as a tomb.

He glanced at the ceiling and then started to smile,
As he laid out the gifts in a neat little pile.

He was pleased we could tell with what he had done,
And was ready to take off on his next Christmas run.

With a wink of his eye and twist of his head
He turned to leave, but we heard what he said.

For we were all quiet, each crouched by his chair,
Sort of stunned by the turn of this whole strange affair.

He said, "Dear Seniors in Room 42,
I wish a great Christmas to each one of you!

May your holiday season be happy and gay,
With joy your companion throughout each fine day."

Then we woke from our dream as his voice became real
And the intercom clicked out this urgent appeal:

"Your attention, please, Your attention, please!

At 1:59 on Tuesday, December 22, a bell will ring

Providing time for a last 'Merry Christmas'

Between students and teachers before proceeding to the

Buses at 2:00, and a Merry Christmas to all.

That is all!"

-C. W. Cockrell

World History Teacher

HERE

The Keyette Club, a service club, has recently been organized here, and will participate in various activities to improve our school. From the 69 applications for membership turned in by sophomores, juniors, and seniors, a total of 30 was selected by faculty judgment and vote. Miss Carol Moss is faculty sponsor. Officers include Lynn Beasley, President; Sonya Reynolds, Vice-President; Rebecca Smith, Secretary and Mary Jane Brown, Treasurer. The board of directors members are Jean Boyles, Sophomore; Dena Dollyhigh, Junior; and Charnell Goad Senior.

The Keyette Club's first activity was serving the Kiwanis Club and Key Club at a dinner held on Tuesday, Dec. 1, here in the school cafeteria.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY
INDUCTS FOURTEEN

Thursday morning, Dec. 3, the National Honor Society, inducted fourteen new members.

Remarks were made by Fred Jones, president of the N. H. S. and Mr. Poplin, principal, who gave a brief history of the North Surry chapter of the society. The devotional was given by Kathy Hatcher, after which the chorus sang 'Born A King'. The four aims and objectives of the National Honor Society were explained by Debbie Fouts, Clarence Tolbert, Charles Goad, and Anne York, after which the tapping of new

members took place. The fourteen students inducted are as follows: Dena Hiatt, Danny Galyean, Pam Willis, Doris Slate, Charnell Goad, Carolyn Scott Bennett, Peggy Mosley, Elaine Doss, and Sharron Hiatt, seniors; and Gary Payne, Jerry Collins, Gary Hiatt, Kent Faw, and Shirley Draughn, juniors.

YOUNG ENTERTAINER PLAYS
A VARIETY OF INSTRUMENTS

The Southeast School Assemblies again provided our school with some interesting entertainment, when on November 24, Mr. Gene Jestice, of Middleton Ohio, presented a very unusual musical program. Among the instruments he played were frying pans, glass bottles, rocks, and a saw. The Swiss cow bells afforded probably the best entertainment. On them he played "The Caissons Go Rolling Along" which showed that a lot of practice was needed in order to play them. He then selected eight "volunteers" from the audience who demonstrated that it isn't too hard to play bells.

Mr. Jestice, who has been with the SESA for one year, started his musical career as a church organist. By the time he was 12 years old he could play 13 musical instruments. He is now 21 and plays 30 instruments.

When asked his opinion of young people today he stated that he is very enthusiastic about them. He believes that the majority of the

students he'd performed for were out to get an education and not just wasting time. Most of them are well-behaved and enjoy his music. He feels the future of our country will be secure in the hands of its upcoming leaders.

CHORUS PREPARES CANTATA

The high school chorus, under the direction of Mr. Arlis Heifrin, has been working hard this past month to prepare their Christmas cantata, Born A King. They will present this in several of the area churches.

The group also appeared in the Mount Airy Christmas Parade, where they rode a float, entertaining the crowd with Christmas carols.

The Cantata was presented last evening, in the school gym.



SNOOPY'S CORNER

Noticed: L. E. and G. S. eating dinner at Ray's Starlite on December 13; Jackie V. eating 25 prunes and drinking two cartons of chocolate milk for lunch; N. S. girls wearing very attractive pantsuits; groovy music at the Christmas Dance; the pretty little San Salvadoran; the band working hard for their joint concert; Jerome Penn's shorter hair.

ENGAGED: Vicky Snow to Bruce Amburn; Brenda Edwards to James Parker; Sue Bennett to Tommy Moorefield; Charnell Goad to Marvin Slater

Married: Hilda Roberson to Robert McMillian Jr.

Recently a set of bones were presented to Miss Evans. Where did you dig them up, Bobby L?

Who did the boys in Mrs. Staples 4th period class sing "White Christmas" to; could it be Teresa B.?

Attention Lynn Blackburn: To go forward in a car you have to put it in D for drive instead of R for reverse

Who is Marvin N. secret 9th grade admirer? How about it Lynn E.

Why has Walter Shuff been so quiet lately? Ask M. E.

FAMOUS LAST WORDS:

"Miss Boles, what happens when you heat this?"

"Go ahead and throw it. Mr. Haynes isn't looking."

"I'm not going to that rotten old assembly today--nobody will miss me."

"What blue light flashing behind us?"

"Let's skip out during homeroom--Mr. Houck will never know we're gone."

"We don't have to ride the pep bus home from the game--Mrs. Martin will probably forget to take attendance."

Snoopy would like to wish all his N. S. friends a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.



HO! HO! HO!

The new clerk asked the customer: Have you an account here, ma'am?

"No," the lady replied, "but I would like to see the manager."

The clerk took the customer to the manager's office and announced: A no account lady to see you, sir.

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Teacher: "How would you punctuate the sentence, 'I saw a girl walking down the street?'"

Bud: "I'd make a dash after the girl."

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An Indian watching water skiing for the first time asked, "Why boat go so fast?"

The second Indian said: "Man on string chase him."

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Officer: When I saw you come around that corner I said to myself, "45 at least!"

Woman driver: "You are wrong. This dress just makes me look older."

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Big shots are only little shots who kept shooting.

Two youngsters were walking home from Sunday school after having been taught a lesson about the devil. One of the boys said to the other: "What do you think about all that devil stuff?"

The other thoughtfully replied: "Well, you know how Santa Claus turned out. It's probably just your dad."

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Mother to son: I don't care if the basement wall is cracking. Quit telling everyone you come from a broken home.

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Behind every successful man there's a woman-----constantly telling him he's not so hot!

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Watch your span if you want to look spic!

Jimmy had trouble pronouncing the letter "R" so his teacher gave him this sentence to practice at home: "Robert gave Richard a rap in the ribs for roasting the rabbit so rare."

A few days later the teacher asked him to say the sentence for her. Said Jimmy, "Bob gave Dick a poke in the side for not cooking the bunny enough."

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A big game hunter was on his way back to camp one evening when an enormous tiger appeared out of the jungle not twenty feet away. As the tiger was about to spring, the hunter fired his last cartridge and missed. The tiger sprang too far and landed fifteen feet beyond the hunter, who then ran for camp and got there safely.

The next day the hunter went behind the camp to practice a little shooting at close range. He heard a strange noise in the brush and went to investigate. It was the tiger---practicing short leaps.

