

### PTA SCHOLASTIC WINNERS



Glenn Gaskins, President of Providence School PTA, presented \$25 Savings Bonds to Johnny Oakley and Carroll Gregory at the Closing Day Exercises on May 27th. The awards are given to the sixth grade girl and boy with the highest scholastic average for the prior four year period. The program was begun last year by the PTA to encourage better scholastic achievement among the students.

### Mary Cunningham Presented at Recital



Miss Mary Cunningham was presented in a piano recital by Mrs. Joe E. Land following her graduation from Clinton High School.

Miss Cunningham was assisted by Mr. Herschel Brown of Spartanburg and senior students of Mrs. Land's Music Class in the recital held in the Academy Street School Auditorium on May 15.

#### The Recital Program

INVOCATION	Rev. Fred Harmon
WARSAW CONCERTO	Addinsell
PRELUDE IN B FLAT MAJOR	Bach
	Miss Cunningham
BLUE BIRD OF HAPPINESS	Harmati
THE DESERT SONG	Romberg
	Mr. Browne
SONATA IN C MINOR (Pathetique)	Beethoven
	Miss Cunningham
MALAGUENA	Lecuona
	Miss Joan Burgess, Miss Margaret Madden
PAPILLONS	Schumann
TWO PART INVENTION NO. 8	Bach
	Miss Cunningham
OL' MAN RIVER	Kern
	Mr. Browne
CHINATOWN, MY CHINATOWN	Schwartz
	Music Pupils
WHIMS	Schumann
POLONAISE DANCE	Scharwenka
	Miss Cunningham
BENEDICTION—	
MAY THE GOOD LORD BLESS AND KEEP YOU	Wilson
	Mr. Browne

### Twenty-five Have Perfect Attendance At Providence

Twenty - five students at Providence School had perfect attendance for the 1957-58 school year.

At closing day exercises on May 29, Claude A. Crocker, Industrial Relations Director, congratulated the students on their accomplishment and presented each a silver dollar on behalf of Lydia Cotton Mills.

**First Grade,** Loraine Cothran, Wells Goss, Phillips Moore, Gary Morris and Mike Campbell.

**Second Grade,** Frank Gaskins, Steve Grady and Jimmy Sanders.

**Third Grade,** Freddie Fuller.

**Fourth Grade,** Donnie Fuller, Claude Grady, Wayne Hairston, Harvey Shumate and Mitchell Wigley.

**Fifty Grade,** J. W. Davis, Warren Goss, Johnny Lanford, Pearl Cobb, Carolyn Frost, Peggy Grady, Tonita Harvey, Sue Word and Joyce Wyatt.

**Sixth Grade,** Johnny Oakley and Lewis Meeks.

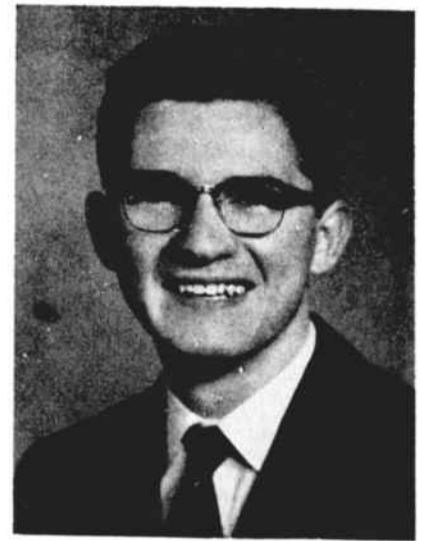
### FURMAN GRADUATES



Bennie Hughey received a B. A. degree in music with a major in Sacred Music. He has assumed the position of Minister of Music at the First Methodist Church of Jasper, Alabama. He will teach in the Junior College there this fall. Bennie is the son of Flora Hughey. Flora is a Battery Filler at Lydia on the second shift.

**Doctor:** "You've been working too hard."

**Patient:** "I know, but that's the only way I can keep up the easy payments."



Frank Deitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Deitz, Rt. No. 1 Clinton, received his B. A. Degree from Furman University at graduation exercises held in Greenville's Textile Hall on Sunday, June 1st. Frank majored in Greek and had a double minor in speech and English. He plans to enter the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky, this fall, to prepare himself for the ministry.

His mother, Viola, has ten years continuous service as a cloth grader at Lydia.

### Ten Little Workers

Ten little workers, feeling fit and fine —  
 One smoked in the solvent room,  
 Then there were nine.  
 Nine little workers, thought they'd be late —  
 One cut through the railroad yards,  
 Then there were eight.  
 Eight little workers, looking up to heaven —  
 One fell down an elevator shaft,  
 Then there were seven.  
 Seven little workers, putting in hard licks —  
 One mixed booze with gas,  
 Then there were six.  
 Six little workers, glad to be alive —  
 One forgot his goggles,  
 Then there were five.  
 Five little workers, standing near the door —  
 One thought a wire was "dead,"  
 Then there were four.  
 Four little workers, one scratched his knee —  
 Didn't go for first aid,  
 Then there were three.  
 Three little workers, with nothing much to do —  
 One indulged in horseplay,  
 Then there were two.  
 Two little workers, took stairways on the run —  
 One missed his footing,  
 Then there was one.  
 One little worker, thought of the other nine —  
 Began to practice safety,  
 Now he's doing fine.  
 WHICH IS YOUR NUMBER?

### One Reason For Slump Americans Spending Less On Clothing

WASHINGTON — One reason for the decline in the textile industry is that Americans are spending a smaller portion of their incomes on clothing than they did ten years ago, according to the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

In 1947, a USDA report said, the average family in this country spent 9.2 per cent of its income on clothes. Ten years later the average family was spending only 6.2 per cent on clothes.

Women are spending four per cent less on clothing than they did ten years ago, considering income boosts in that period. Men are spending about 11 per cent less.

The increasing number of older persons in the U. S. population also contributes to the decline in per capita clothing sales, the report added. One study showed married couples over 60 years old spend about as much on their clothes as parents do for the average six-year-old.

### Awarded Master Theology Degree



Donald E. Cook was awarded the master of theology degree from Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary in commencement exercises Friday, May 16. Son of Mrs. Ada L. Cook, Frame Tender at Lydia Mills, Donald is now pastor of Whitaker and Hickory Baptist Churches, Whitaker, N. C.

### Not Hard to Find

### THE ROAD TO HAPPINESS

It is not so very hard to find the road to happiness. One sign-post along the way tells us to push forward toward the tasks of the day, at the same time leaving the cares and heartaches of yesterday behind us. Another points out that the service we render our fellow travelers is the one thing that will bring true peace to our minds. If we allow ourselves to be guided by these signs as we travel the great highway of life, we will find true happiness at the end of the road.

Power brakes may stop a car on a dime—but it costs around \$100 to get the rear end fixed.

### C. H. S. Grad



George Richard Johnson. George is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Johnson of Route 2, Kinards. George's plans for the future are incomplete. Mr. Johnson is employed at Lydia as a card tender and spare grinder on the third shift.