

To Build County Airport At Estimated \$120,000

The Laurens County airport will be rebuilt with funds totaling \$120,000 from three agencies, according to an announcement made to an interested group of citizens Monday night in Laurens by Senator William C. Dobbins.

Dobbins said he has been working on the problem for some time, and succeeded in getting the South Carolina Senate Finance Committee to appropriate \$30,000 in a deficiency bill for the work, to be supplemented by \$30,000 from the county and \$60,000 in federal funds.

Grover Collins of the South Carolina Aeronautics Commission, was present to advise on the necessary steps

to be taken and the proper procedure.

He stated that the first thing to be done was to bring in engineers to make a survey and he will set up a meeting to include engineering representatives and the members of the Laurens County Airport Commission which includes A. Y. Bryson, David Roper and Fred Erwin of Laurens, and Ed King of Clinton.

Plans are to construct a 4,000 foot runway with lights and apron to accommodate small jets, including executive type planes.

Mr. Roper stated the commission has title to 150 acres of county land on the old Clinton-Laurens road with the reservation that permanent type improvements be completed at the expiration of 5 years. Three years have passed, he said, since the commission acquired the property, leaving two years for the completion of the currently proposed development.

Dobbins stated that following preliminary negotiations, work will get underway as soon as possible and the project could be completed in less than two years.

The meeting was attended by 25 or 30 interested citizens.

To Honor Ricketts, Greenville Attorney

John B. Ricketts of Greenville is one of three South Carolina lawyers to be honored for more than 50 years continuous membership in the American Bar Association at the annual meeting of the State Bar Association at Myrtle Beach Saturday.

Mr. Ricketts, who was admitted to the bar in 1906 and joined ABA in 1914, is a brother-in-law of Mrs. R. E. Wisor, Jr., of Clinton.

Hospital to Comply With Rights Law

The Board of Directors of the Bailey Memorial Hospital yesterday announced that they have agreed to comply with the Civil Rights Act of 1964 by providing and making available equal health facilities and services to all patients without discrimination.

(The directors had no choice in the matter, since the Civil Rights Act is a law of

the land and the hospital is a public institution.—Editor's note).

To bring about compliance with the Act, the hospital directors have agreed not to treat any patients, physicians, professional staff members or trainees differently because of race-color or national origin.

Compliance also requires non-discrimination in admission policies, patient room assignments, availability of services and facilities, and training and education programs.

It was pointed out that in order to offer hospital services to government sponsored patients, the hospital must be in compliance with the civil rights legislation. Also, there must be compliance in order to participate in the Medicare program which goes into effect on July 1.

Pre-School Clinics Monday, Thursday

Clinics designated as "pre-school immunization days" have been scheduled May 9 and May 12 at the Clinton Health Center, according to an announcement today by R. P. Wilder, superintendent of Laurens County School District 56.

Dates and times at which smallpox vaccinations and general information will be offered pre-school children in the district are scheduled as follows:

Monday, May 9, 9:30 to 11:30 a. m.; 2:00 to 4:30 p. m.

Thursday, May 12, 9:30 to 11:30 a. m.

During the hours designated, tuberculin tests, diphtheria, whooping cough, tetanus series or boosters, as well as smallpox vaccinations will be administered under the direction of the Laurens County Health Department, Dr. Von A. Long, Director. Public Health nurses who serve School District 56 and who have scheduled the pre-school clinics are Mrs. Annie G. Waldrep and Mrs. Martha K. Lawson.

PC Players Group To Present 'No Exit'

"No Exit," a stimulating modern drama by Jean Paul Sartre, will be presented by the Presbyterian College Players in a two-night run in Belk Auditorium this Thursday and Friday.

Both evening performances are scheduled to start at 8:15 p. m., and the public is invited to attend. There will be no admission charge.

The play is directed by Dr. H. L. Zillmer, associate professor of drama and speech. Its four-member cast includes: Dr. James L. Skinner, associate professor of English; John Wingfield, a freshman from Columbia; Beck Truesdell, freshman from Newberry; and Vicki Brown, freshman from Sumter.

Dr. Zillmer pointed out that "No Exit" is generally regarded as Sartre's best play and has been outstanding fare for theatre goers in Western Europe and America for the past decade. The drama portrays some of the contemporary attempts by man to understand himself in a universe in which he can no longer be satisfied by many of the traditional clichés of thinking. It shows a man and two women in their "residence" in the after-life facing the ultimate destruction of losing their individuality.

After the Thursday and Friday performances in Clinton, the Presbyterian College Players will present "No Exit" Saturday night at the Peachtree Presbyterian Church of Atlanta.

Horizons Have Car Wash

The Kadoka Horizon Camp Fire Girls are having a car wash Sat. May 7, from 9 till 4, at the Boy Scout Hut on Pine St. The charge will be \$1.00. For information call 833-2900.

PC Students Get Honors Day Awards

Awards were bestowed upon 28 Presbyterian College students Friday at the annual Honors Day program paying tribute to scholarship and leadership exemplified on the PC campus during the 1965-66 session.

After an address by Dr. Joseph T. Stukes, chairman of the Lander College social studies division, PC Dean Joseph M. Gettys presented awards to these recipients:

American Legion—Jimmy Bankhead of Chester; Kappa Alpha Athletic Cup—Bankhead; Christian Vocations Club Award—Earl P. Guy, III, of Clinton; Chemical Rubber Co. certificate in physics to Joseph W. Dunlap, Jr., of Knoxville, Tenn., in chemistry to Danny K. Wyatt of Huntsville, Ala.; Tau Phi Pi Science Award—Thomas A. Whitaker of Florence; Neill G. Whitelaw Scholarship—Grover M. Ford of Macon, Ga.

James M. Oeland Science Award—Vickie Ann Brawn of Sumter; Oeland English Award—John S. Mebane of Dunwoody, Ga.; Oeland History Award—James E. Bush of St. Petersburg, Fla.; Frank Dudley Jones Award—Sam C. Waters of Lugoff.

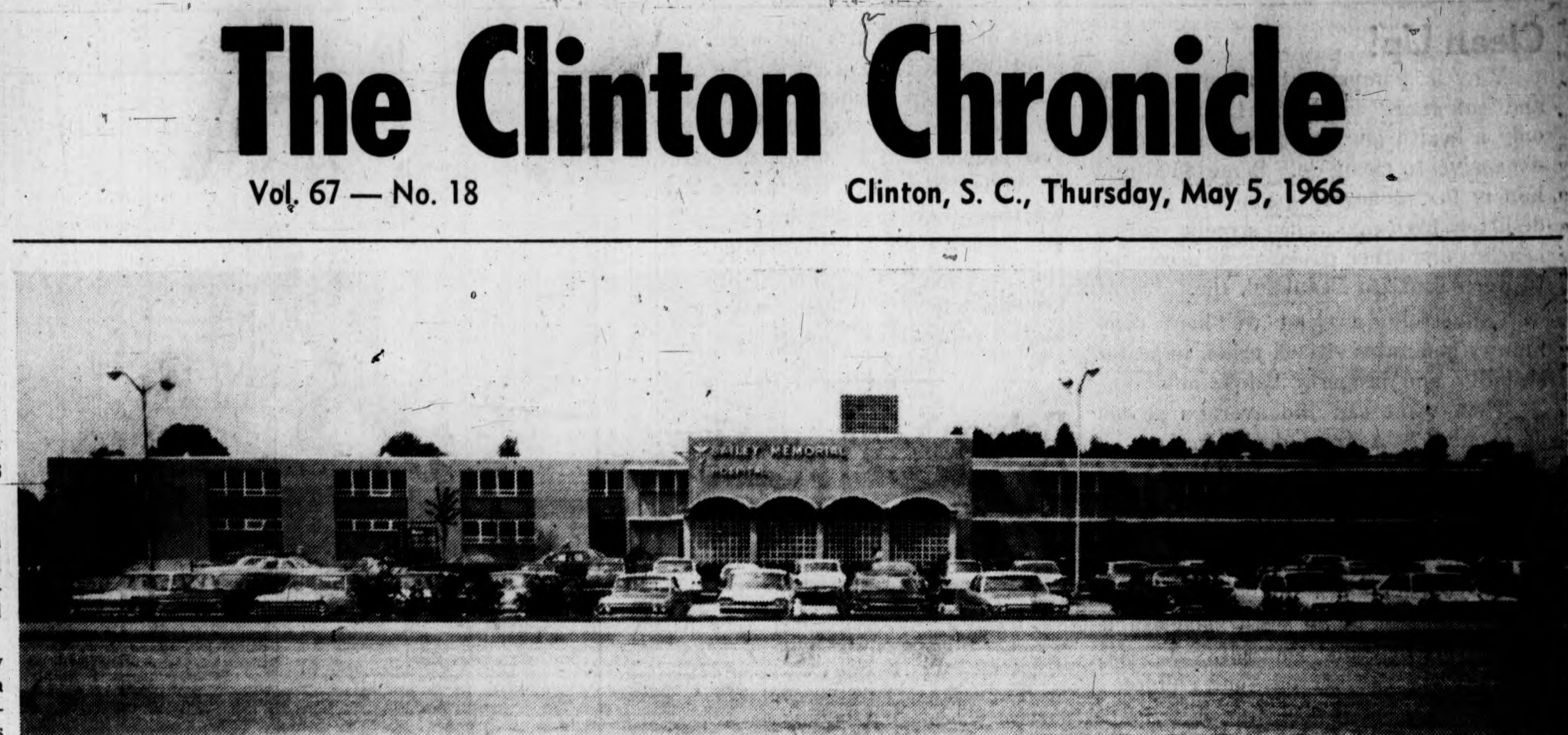
Who's Who certificates—Amelia Nichols of Clinton, Henry B. Lovett of Kingstree, Tom Leland of Summerville, Phil Olmert of Bishopville, David Davies, Jr., of Panama City, Fla., James H. Johnson of Georgiana, Ala., Lewis R. Nelson of Thomson, Ga., James B. Stanford, III, of Decatur, Ga., Dan Taylor of Atlanta, Guy and Waters.

Sigma Kappa Alpha senior honor society certificates—Miss Nichols, Johnson and Whitaker; Sophomore Academic Honor Society certificates—David P. Perry, Jr., of Union, Cecil Y. Brown of Laurens, and John C. Jones, Laurens, Mrs. Carole Hughes Johnston of Duncan, Robert D. Lynn, Jr., of Memphis, James H. Powell of Scranton, Joe Singleton of Conway, Henry M. Smith, Jr., of Marietta, Ga., Frances Tuminson of Gadsden, Ala., Bush and Mebane.

Joanna Employees Get Service Pins

Eighteen employees of the Joanna plants of Greenwood Mills were honored with service pins during the month of April for a combined total of 300 years of continuous service. Those receiving pins were:

Eugenia Gunter and Sybil Whittle—25 years; A. C. Farmer, J. E. Adams, T. P. Johnson, Beatrice Bobb and Elbert Morris, 20 years; Lois Bedenbaugh, Mary Louise Senn, C. L. Monts, C. R. Crowder, C. Y. Satterfield, Fay Wooten, W. D. Kinard, Marjorie D. Kinard, and Thomas Chalf, 15 years; C. H. Counts, 19 years; and R. O. Cassey, five years.



Additions at Hospital Nearing Completion

Work on the \$540,000 expansion program of Bailey Memorial Hospital is nearing completion, according to Fred N. Crawford, administrator, who stated that the new sections are expected to be occupied around August 1. Two wings are being added on the south and west sides to double the capacity of the hospital to

100 beds. Sources of the funds were \$361,000 from the federal government, \$130,000 in local donations, and \$50,000 from the Duke Endowment. No local tax funds are being used in financing the new construction. The photo shows the south wing at left. —Photo by Dan Yarborough.

Miss Clinton Fleischman Rites Pageant Will Not Be Held

The Miss Clinton pageant for 1966 has been cancelled due to lack of contestants, it was stated this week by officials of the Clinton Jaycee Chapter, promoters of the event.

Only four girls have made application to compete for the Miss Clinton crown, the Jaycees said, and this is not a sufficient number to conduct a pageant.

The Jaycees extended their thanks to Miss Beverly Mueller, who was Miss Clinton 1965. "She has represented our city in an outstanding manner," Jaycee leaders stated.

School Lunch Menu Will Not Appear

School lunch menus for School District 56 have not been listed in recent weeks, nor will they be listed in the next few weeks, due to the fact that menus will vary in the different schools and a uniform listing will not be available, according to an announcement today by Mrs. Carl B. Crisp, lunch room supervisor for the district.

Merchants To Meet Tuesday

The Merchants Division of the Clinton Chamber of Commerce will meet Tuesday morning, May 10th, at the Hotel Mary Musgrove. J. Robert Cox, president, urges all members to be present for the business session.

Greenwood — Keith Marcus Fleischman, 48, superintendent of Greenwood State Park, died of a heart attack Friday at 9:30 p.m. while attending a meeting at Aiken State Park.

Born in Seattle, Washington, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Fleischman, he was superintendent at Greenwood State Park five years. He was a member of Ninety Six Presbyterian Church and a graduate of Presbyterian College.

The family formerly resided in Clinton.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Spratt Fleischman; three daughters, Miss Beth Fleischman, Miss Margaret Fleischman and Miss Ellen Fleischman of the home; a son, Mark Fleischman of Clinton; two sisters, Miss Maeline Fleischman of Jacksonville, Fla., and Mrs. Charles S. Gwinn of Columbia; and a brother, E. D. Fleischman of Columbia.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday at 3 p.m. at Ninety Six Presbyterian Church by Rev. J. H. Buzhardt. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Pallbearers were Bobby Turner, Jack Epps, M. W. Moseley, Will Montgomery, Henry Milam, John Boozer, Sprott Calhoun and Harry Baldwin.

'Rocky' Norris Is Ward 3 Candidate

William T. (Rocky) Norris has announced as a candidate for Alderman from Ward three.

He is a graduate of Clinton High School and served five years with the 81st Infantry Division Reserves.

He is proprietor of Billy's Texaco Service Station on S. Broad Street, member of Holy Grove Baptist Church and the Laurens County Rescue Squad.

In City Election May 17

19 Candidates Seeking City Democratic Posts

Whitten Village Funds Are Given Senate Approval

Columbia—The Senate, at Sen. W. C. (Bill) Dobbins' behest, approved \$250,000 Thursday for permanent improvements at Whitten Village near Clinton.

Dobbins took the floor during debate of the deficiency appropriations bill and appealed successfully for \$75,000 more than the House had allocated for the Village.

The Laurens Senator said the funds would be used for a cooling and heating system for a dormitory, housing 225 non-ambulant children, and an elevator.

Renovation of two other village dormitories would also be undertaken.

Sen. Rembert Dennis of Berkeley and Sen. Earle E. Morris, Jr., of Pickens, joined Dobbins in appealing for the additional \$75,000.

Supt. Roy B. Suber of the Village requested the extra money.

For General Election

Republicans Nominate Two Candidates in City

The Republican party will enter two candidates in the city general election in August.

Nominated at a Republican city convention last Thursday night were B. Noland Suddeth, candidate for Mayor, and H. C. Caughman, candidate for City Council from Ward Five.

Delegates to the convention were named at the three precinct meetings earlier in the evening. The convention session was held at the Clinton Mill Community House on Academy Street.

Convention delegates were: City No. 1—Mr. and Mrs. Louie Webb.

City No. 2—Noland Suddeth, Hugh S. Jacobs, Miles Powell and R. M. Turner.

Clinton Mill Precinct—Mrs. Betty Jean Floyd, Mrs. Murray Adams, Mrs. Eva West, M. W. Adams, Mrs. Eva Caughman and H. A. Caughman.

W. P. Dixon, County Republican Chairman, presided until the election of Hugh Jacobs as permanent chairman. Louie Webb was named as secretary.

Jacobs said that the party in holding a city convention was "making a beginning of what in the future years can be looked upon with pride. "There is a real need for two parties all the way up and down the line," he said.

The two candidates also expressed appreciation for the confidence placed in them and will serve to the best of their ability if elected.

Two candidates for Mayor and 17 for Alderman had qualified to participate in the forthcoming Democratic primary when the books closed at noon Saturday.

A mayor and six aldermen will be nominated in two primaries if needed, the first of which will be held on Tuesday, May 17. Second primary is slated for two weeks later, on May 31.

The number of candidates for alderman is the largest in many years, observers state. The present mayor and all six aldermen are offering for reelection.

Following are the candidates:

For Mayor: J. J. Cornwall, incumbent, and Charles H. Johnson.

For Alderman:

Ward 1: Boyd Holtzclaw, incumbent, L. L. Copeland, Jr., and Tommy Windsor.

Ward 2: S. A. (Chick) Pitts, incumbent, W. Alvin Hueble, and Truman Owens.

Ward 3: Harry C. Layton, incumbent, Fred Bragg, Jr., and William T. (Rocky) Norris.

Ward 4: Lynn W. Cooper, Sr., incumbent, Gene S. Lucas and Martin Mills.

Ward 5: George W. Bagwell, incumbent, and Woodrow Wilson.

Ward 6: Talmadge Sanders, incumbent, James C. Craine and G. Frank Lyda.

The Democratic candidates will enter a general election in August, two of whom will be opposed by Republicans for the first time.

The Republican candidates are B. Noland Suddeth for Mayor, and H. A. Caughman for alderman in Ward 5.

Employee Training To Be Discussed In Closing Lecture

The fifth and final lecture in a series on business management training, sponsored by the small business administration and the Merchants Division of the Clinton Chamber of Commerce, will take place Tuesday evening, May 10, from 7:30 to 9:30 at the Hotel Mary Musgrove. Ross Higgins, Easley Marble Company, Easley, will speak on "Employee Training Program."

The 10-hour course, which has been held in five two-hour sessions, has been offered by the local Chamber of Commerce under the leadership of J. Robert Cox, chairman of the education committee.

Mr. Higgins, a native of Columbia, has taught sales courses throughout the state. He attended the University of S. C., is a graduate of Dale Carnegie Leadership Instructors' School, Orlando, Fla., and of Dale Carnegie Sales Instructors' School, New York. A member of the Methodist Church, he has spoken to civic clubs and various business organizations. He has also worked with the Manufacturers' Association in training supervisors.

Present at the session were W. R. Garrett, county candidate for State Senator, and Niles Hana, former county chairman.

Copeland Candidate For Ward One Post

L. L. Copeland, Jr., has announced as a candidate for Alderman from Ward One.

Copeland has been connected with the United Insurance Company of America since 1957, now holding the position as assistant manager. Prior to 1957 he was connected with C. W. Cooper. He was born and raised in Clinton.

He is a member of Broad Street Methodist Church where he serves as superintendent of the adult division of the church school. He has also served on the Board of Stewards, Board of Trustees and was chairman of the Commission of Education for several years. He is married to the former Lucille Sims of Union and has three children.

Dr. Mashburn To Speak At Hurricane

Speaker for this Sunday's evening service at Hurricane Baptist Church will be Dr. Don Mashburn of the Southern Baptist Brotherhood Convention, Nashville, Tenn. Service will begin at 7:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Dr. Mashburn will participate in an eight-county brotherhood workshop in Newberry next week, May 9-13.

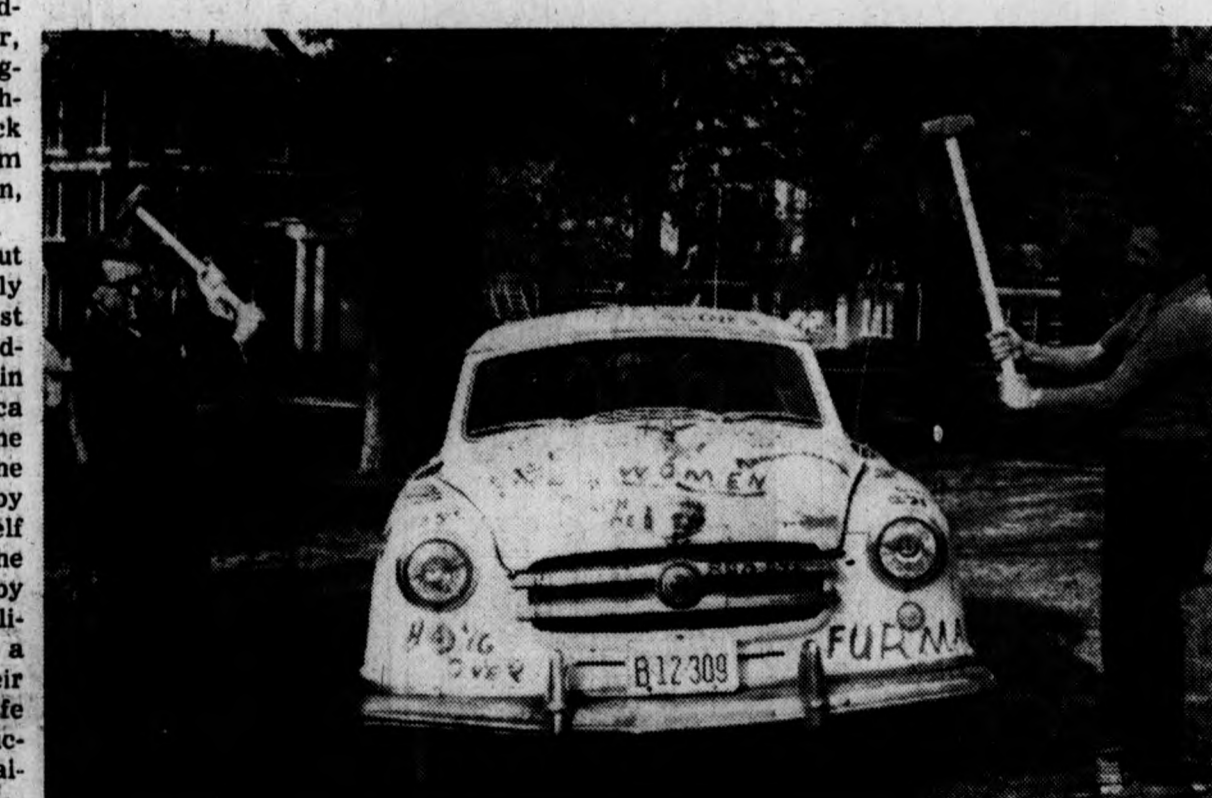
Promoted in Viet Nam

Robert Uldrick, who is a radioman with Headquarters & Headquarters Company, Third Ordnance Battalion, has been promoted to Specialist Fourth Class. He has been stationed in Viet Nam since the first of the year.



Miss Adams Honored With Tea At Joanna

Miss Etta Adams (right), who retires from the teaching profession at the close of this school year is shown receiving the PTA pin and plaque of honorary membership from Mrs. Geneva Floyd, president of the Joanna organization. Miss Adams, teacher of fourth grade, will complete 19 years at the Joanna School. She was honored at the final meeting of the PTA on April 19 with a tea.



25c a Swing to Help Buy Bus for Home at Newberry

Professor Earl Halsall and Coach Cally Gault of Presbyterian College take the first swings toward demolishing a car—at 25c per swing. The old automobile was placed on the college campus by Lynn Cooper, Inc., and was completely demolished in two days of pounding by students and faculty.

The car crash was sponsored by Pi Kappa Phi fra-

ternity at Presbyterian College and the money earned from the project will go toward the purchase of a second-hand bus for Boys Farm at Newberry.

The boys at the farm do not have adequate transportation; so the brothers and pledges of Pi Kappa Phi have undertaken several projects to raise money for this cause, but they are still short of their goal.

The Pi Kappas hope to enlist the aid of the citizens of Clinton to help complete the purchase and remodeling of the second-hand bus and let it be presented to Boys' Farm from the people of Clinton.

Members of the fraternity will solicit funds during the week of May 9-13. Anyone who wishes to contribute may contact Rev. Zeb Williams, the advisor for the fraternity.