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Julia Sadler Is Named Miss CHS

Miss Julia Sadler is here being crowned Miss CHS by Henry Simmons, president of the student body, at the Clinton High School homecoming ceremonies Friday night. The ceremony took place at halftime of the Clinton-Thurmond High football

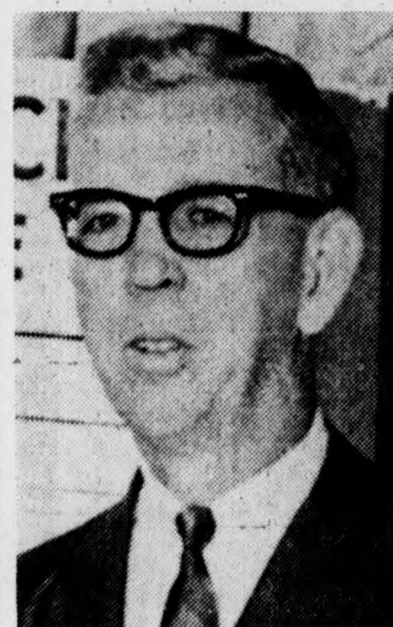
game, which Clinton won 20-0. The other two finalists were Judy Templeton and Brenda Watts.

Julia is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Sadler, and Henry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Simmons. —Yarborough Photo.

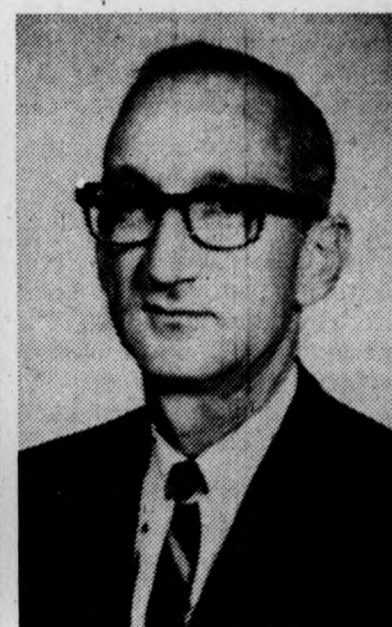
Clinton Merchants Salute Cross Anchor, Cross Keys, Enoree

This week, October 27-29, the Clinton Merchants Association, along with other business and industrial plants in the city, are taking "Hats Off" to the progressive communities of Cross, Anchor, Cross Keys and Enoree. To do this, they, the merchants are saluting with a "Thank-You" for the many contributions the people of Cross Anchor, Cross Keys and Enoree have made. "Your patronage and friendship have meant much to the economy and welfare of Clinton," Clinton businessmen state.

To show their appreciation, the merchants are displaying special banners along the streets as well as offering free merchandise which is advertised in The Chronicle today.



MR. TODD



MR. BOLAND



MR. ROPER

Leaders Named to Head Area Christmas Seal Sale

Hospital Rates To Be Increased

Rates for room and daily service at Bailey Memorial Hospital will be increased effective Nov. 1, it was announced this week by the Board of Directors.

Charges are being increased primarily to provide funds for salary increases for personnel, it was stated.

Private room rates will be \$28 and \$29 per day, an increase of \$4. Semi-private will range from \$18 to \$22, up \$2 to \$4.

The hospital, it was pointed out, soon will be required to pay Federal minimum wages and that represents a part of the increased salaries for personnel.

February 1 is the date that the hospital will come under the Federal minimum wage law. However, it is hoped that the financial position of the hospital will enable making salary increases prior to that date, hospital officials said.

Albert C. Todd, Jr., of Greenwood, will head the 1966 Christmas Seal Campaign for the Tuberculosis and Health Association. Co-chairmen will be David D. Boland of Clinton and R. Bland Roper, of Laurens, according to an announcement by Wade C. Harrison, Jr. of Troy, president of the association which serves both Greenwood and Laurens counties.

Mr. Roper will serve as chairman of Laurens School District 55. He is the son of Robert B. and Janie Bland Roper.

The Laurens native received a B.S. degree from the University of South Carolina and a Master's degree in Business Administration from the Wharton School of Finance and Commerce at the University of Pennsylvania. In 1966 he received a certificate, under the laws of the state of South Carolina, to practice as a Certified Public Accountant. He is a member of the firm of Roper, Hughey, & Roper, Certified Public Accountants.

Mr. Roper is a member of the First Baptist Church, he is also a member of the Rotary Club.

"With these men as leaders, we anticipate that this will be our most successful campaign," Mr. Harrison said. "They are already busy appointing committee members to plan the campaign which opens November 15."

Joanna Department Has Safety Record

Employees of the Spinning Department No. 1 of Greenwood Mills' Joanna Plants have completed a year of work without a disabling injury.

Superintendent O. O. Langston, who made the announcement, sent congratulations to the group for this safety achievement.

Avinger Wins Award For Livestock at Fair

Laurens—Ronald Avinger, 17-year-old Thornwell High School student and member of the Laurens County 4-H Livestock Club, won the special award for fitting and showmanship at the Laurens County Fair Tuesday night.

The \$100 check given annually by the County Fair Association was presented by Jack Long, vice president of the association.

Young Avinger said he plans to study to be a veterinarian and will apply the money toward his college education. He is a member of

Also showing winners were Susan Hamm, senior and grand champion in both the junior and open Guernsey show; Alice Lathrop, junior champion in the junior show; and Perry Hamm, junior champion in the open show. All three are members of the Newberry 4-H Club.

C. D. Clawson, formerly with the dairy extension department at Clemson University, judged the show.

Adult and junior community exhibits were also judged Tuesday. Winners in the adult division, from first to fourth place, were Camak Home Demonstration Club, Mountville Community Club, Barksdale Home Demonstration Club and Barksdale Narnie Community Club.

In the junior division, winners were Whittan Village 4-H Club, first; Camak 4-H Club, second; Mountville 4-H Club, third; and Countywide 4-H Club, fourth.

Beef cattle judging will highlight activities Wednesday, with judging scheduled to get under way at 6 p. m.

Gredler Resigns Utilities Position

Richard G. Gredler has resigned his position as superintendent of the Clinton city utilities department, to accept a similar post with the Water and Light Commission of Easley.

He will begin his work in Easley Nov. 1.

Mr. Gredler came to Clinton in February 1962 to York where he was connected with the York Electric Co-Op.

In his Clinton post, Mr. Gredler has headed a city department that has had rapid growth and considerable expansion of facilities.

He and his wife and little daughter, Georgianne, 3, have been occupying their recently constructed home on Calvert Ave.

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EUGENE CRAVEN

Craven Installed Acting Postmaster At Joanna Saturday

Eugene Craven was appointed acting postmaster at Joanna in ceremonies there Saturday.

Mr. Craven, a native of Joanna, has been with the local office for some 19 years. He succeeds Mrs. Dollie M. Carr, who retired last week following 28 years at the Joanna office.

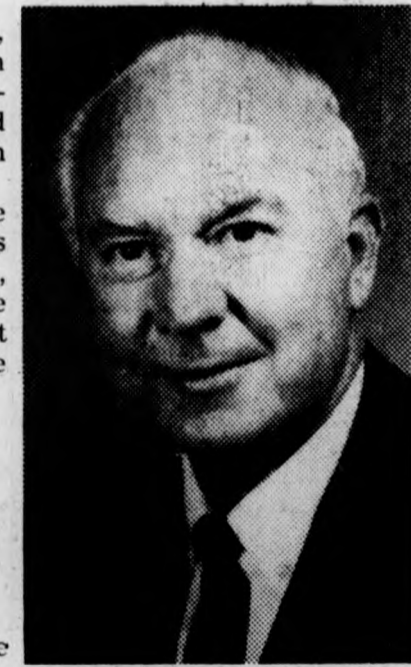
Mr. Craven is married to the former Margaret Hayes and they have a daughter, Patricia Gay, a student at Newberry College. Active in civic affairs, he is a Shriner and a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Joanna.

PTA Carnival On Monday Night

Goblins and witches will be snooping around at the Hampton Avenue PTA Halloween Carnival Monday night, Oct. 31. Doors will open at the National Guard Armory on S. Broad Street at 5 p. m. for all the young and young-at-heart.

Bring the entire family as there will be plenty of good things to eat and drink, plus lot of fun.

Judging for the best costume will begin at 6 p. m., with prizes awarded in age groups. Pony rides, ball games, fishing, bake goods, country store, and many, many other surprises have been planned. Tickets may be purchased from members of the 4th, 5th, and 6th grade students of



M. P. NIVEN

Kiwanis Club To Hear Manufacturer

M. P. Niven, of Greenville, will be the speaker tonight (Thursday) at the Kiwanis Club meeting at Hotel Mary Musgrove at 7 o'clock.

Mr. Niven, a native of Dundee, Fla., was graduated from the University of Florida and also from Harvard Graduate Business School.

He founded Carolina Manufacturing Co. in Greenville, manufacturer of the world-famous "Hav-A-Hank" handkerchief, and is also president of R. W. Ethridge Co. in Charlotte.

He is vice-president and director of the Pleasantburg Rotary Club and an elder in Greenville's Westminster Presbyterian Church.

Mr. Niven was chairman of the committee to raise the funds for Greenville Dining Hall at Presbyterian College and is a member of the Board of Visitors of the College.



At Farm Bureau Meeting

Shown here at the annual meeting of the Laurens County Farm Bureau in Laurens last Thursday night are (from left) Robert L. Wickham, who was named vice-president; Mrs.

Agnes Bailey, secretary-treasurer; E. H. Agnew, speaker; T. J. Copeland, reelected president; and Emory Bishop, district representative of the State Farm Bureau.—Yarborough Photo.

Two-State Auto Ring

Laurens County Men Arraigned in Thefts

Three Laurens County men were not indicted or were arraigned before U. S. arrested. They were listed as Commissioner Jesse M. Ray Raymond Horace King, Robert Greenville Monday, part of Earl Roberts and Gerald a 12-man round-up, Fed. of Larmer Armstrong.

General Bureau of Investigation FBI Agent Joseph Ponder announced in an investigation identified those arrested in an alleged two-state auto Georgia as Lorenze Dewitt theft ring.

The suspects, arrested in Ohio; Nathaniel Hoyte Georgia and South Carolina; Shoemaker, Jr., 25, of Chamewere charged with conspiracy, a mechanic; Iver Lewis acy in interstate transportation—Powell, 29, of Conyers; Roy ion of stolen vehicles, A 13th Patrick, 25, of Dalton; Wilman was being sought in New William Moore Ginn, 27, of Com-Orleans in the climax of a merce, and Otis Boswell, 22, two-year investigation.

FBI Agent C. F. DeFord in Columbia announced the arrest of Harold Kennedy, 23, a Laurens scrap metal merchant; Paul Gibson Cannon, Jr., 22, a Laurens truck driver; and John P. Hellams, Jr., a Laurens house trailer dealer.

Hellams and Cannon were released under bonds of \$5,000 each and Kennedy remained in custody under \$5,000 bond.

The men were named in indictments handed down Oct. 17 by a federal grand jury in Spartanburg.

Three other Laurens men were named as co-conspirators.

Bishop To Speak Sunday Evening

Rev. Cyrus Bassett Dawsey, Bishop Emeritus of Brazil, now of Columbia, will speak at Broad St. Methodist Church Sunday evening at the regular worship hour following Family Night in Hodges Hall which takes place at 6:30. Broad Street observes Family Night each fifth Sunday with covered dish supper prior to the evening service.

Bishop Dawsey was born in Gallivants Ferry, S. C., a graduate of Wofford Fitting School, Wofford College, and took the Conference Course through Vanderbilt University. He was ordained in Ministry of M. E. Church, South and was admitted into the S. C. Conference in 1911. He was ordained deacon in 1913 and transferred to Brazil where he was ordained elder in 1915, having served Picolet Mills prior to going to Brazil. He was elected bishop in 1946 where he remained until his retirement in 1956.

The last time a bishop visited Broad Street was in 1914. The public is invited to hear Bishop Dawsey at the 7:30 service.

Dr. Patte to Preach In Knoxville Sunday

Dr. Edouard Patte will occupy the pulpit of Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church, Knoxville, Tenn., Sunday at Copeland, who has given the morning worship service, much of his time and effort He is to preach the Reformation in Farm Bureau work. Some of the services that are now offered to Farm Bupastors, the Rev. Tom C. Cook and Wm. J. Jarvis.

Taylor Heads Youth Program

Laurens—Jerry L. Taylor of Rt. 1, Laurens, has been named director of the Neighborhood Youths Corps program for Laurens County.

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County Farm Bureau Has Annual Meeting

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During the evening the group was entertained by one of the local barber shop quartets, "The Windpipes," composed of Bob Wassung, Earle Martin, Max Corn, and Frank Sherrill.

Speaker for the evening was E. H. Agnew, of Starr, past president of the South Carolina Farm Bureau Federation. Mr. Agnew congratulated Laurens County for the good work they are doing to help the farmers in the county, with a special reference to the Laurens County members in South Carolina and Laurens County are

a tire, battery and insurance service program, and a records keeping program, and the facilities of both the Charleston and Easley grain elevators.

The following officers were elected to serve for the coming year: President, T. J. Copeland, Rt. 2, Laurens; vice-president, Robert L. Wickham, Clinton; state director, Charles R. Workman; Kinards; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Agnes Bailey, Laurens.

Directors at large: Hugh Boyd Workman, Clinton; and L. Boyd Stoddard, Owings.

Directors by townships: Cross Hill—Hance Finley and John L. Adair; Hunter—W. P. Dickson and Lawrence F. Davis; Jacks—Howard H. Watkins and David Pitts; Laurens—J. Herman Power and Robert Burns; Scuffletown—W. T. Blakely and S. B. Fleming; Sullivan—Fred Pitts and James Wasson; Waterloo—Niles C. Clark and J. L. Fennell; Youngs—James Martin and Willie Lomas; Dials—Milton S. Woods.