

# The Galax News

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## THE SUMMER PEOPLE

By - Sarah Thompson McNamee

Summer had come again to Highlands, bringing with her many changes.

The wind which had buffeted us rudely, with frosty breath and icy fingers throughout the winter, now kissed us lightly on our cheeks and caressed us lovingly. The frozen grounds, brown with stubble two months ago, had turned into luxuriant green gardens, where corn stalks proudly flaunted their tassels in the sun. The brook, whose babbling was muffled by heavy ice along its banks in February, now rushed by unhampered, bubbling with glee. Murky winter skies, darkened by angry cumulus, had changed to heavenly blue, and snowy white clouds drifted aimlessly along their way. The trees, once naked and forlorn, now rustled their new green garments provocatively as the summer breezes (Con't. page 4)

## GARDEN CLUB MEETS

The Highlands Garden Club met Thursday, June 17, at the Flat Mountain home of the president, Mrs. A. T. Carter. As this was an open meeting on landscaping, members invited friends to hear the guest speakers, David Watson and James Carey, both of Clemson, S.C.

The first speaker, Mr. Watson, spoke of the infinite variety of landscaping to be found in mountain and hillside gardens--- of how we were not as limited in our planning as were people who lived in Flat Country---of the  
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## ACTIVITIES OF BOY SCOUT TROOP #7

by  
Richard Harrison, Scoutmaster

On Thursday, June 17th, our troop meeting was held in the recreation room of the Methodist Church, as our regular "Hut" does not have the seating capacity which we hoped would be needed for this meeting. The parents of the boys and all friends of scouts were invited for the showing of a film taken from camp life at Camp Daniel Boone, the Council camp at Canton,  
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## TOWN BOARD MEETS

At the regular meeting of the town board the following ordinance was adopted. It was ordained by  
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## GALAX THEATRE

Thurs-Fri June 24-25  
Fernando Lamas-Arlene Dahl  
in  
"SANGAREE" in Technicolor  
Shows at 7:30 & 9:30  
Adm. 15¢ & 50¢

Saturday June 26  
John Wayne-Ella Raines  
in  
"TALL IN THE SADDLE"  
Matinee at 3:00  
Night Shows at 7:30 & 9:30  
Adm. 15¢ & 50¢

Sun-Mon June 27-28  
Debra Paget-Jeffrey Hunter  
in  
"PRINCESS OF THE NILE" in Tech.  
Matinee Sunday at 3:00  
1 Show Sunday Night at 9:00  
2 Shows Monday Night at 7:30-9:25  
Adm. 15¢ & 50¢

Tues-Wed June 29-30  
Alec Guinness  
in  
"THE LAVENDER HILL MOB"  
Shows at 7:30 & 9:20  
Adm. 15¢ & 50¢

MATINEES SUN & SAT at 3:00

1 Section reserved for colored  
at all matinees.

COMING SOON

THE FLAME AND THE FLESH...THE  
LAWLESS BREED...RED GARTERS..  
THE SEA AROUND US.

## GREETINGS

With this, the initial issue of The Galax News of 1954, we extend greetings to our readers. We hope that you will find this paper both informative and interesting. News items and suggestions will be appreciated.

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