

Merchants To Hear Details of the OPS

Charlotte—Director Ben E. Douglas and several of his assistants in the Charlotte office of OPS will tell the story of how that organization is striving to help hold the line against inflation in a panel discussion at the forthcoming convention of the North Carolina Merchants Association at Asheville.

Mr. Douglas will conduct the panel consideration of OPS and its activities at the session at the Battery Park hotel at 4 o'clock on Monday afternoon, May 28. The meeting will be in the Rhododendron room, Thompson Greenwood of Raleigh, executive secretary of the association, announced last week.

Director John G. Clark of the Raleigh OPS and members of his staff have also been invited to participate in the panel forum, said Mr. Greenwood. Out of the discussion much information of interest and value to the merchants will be developed, it was forecast. "We believe that this portion of the program will prove one of the highlights of the convention," Mr. Greenwood said.

It was revealed also last week in an announcement from Richmond that the regional director of OPS, W. F. Bailey of High Point, former mayor of that city now heading the work of Region 4 with headquarters in the Virginia hospital, would attend the annual meeting of furniture retailers in High Point on Monday, May 21. Both he and Mr. Douglas are also scheduled to attend the meeting of North Carolina automotive dealers at Pinehurst on Monday, May 14, it was revealed.

John L. Rominger Funeral Rites Held

John L. Rominger, resident of Beaver Dams, died Thursday morning April 26, at Watauga hospital after an illness of eight years.

He is the son of the late Rev. and Mrs. Smith Rominger.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at the Zion Hill Baptist Church. Rev. Ralph Miller was in charge of the rites and was assisted by Rev. Dwight Edmisten. Interment was in the Harmon cemetery.

Survivors include the widow and three children: Mrs. Ford Henson, Vilas; Spencer Rominger, New York; Narvie Rominger, Sugar Grove. Eight grand-children, three brothers and three sisters also survive.

He professed faith in Christ at an early age and was united with the Piney Grove Methodist Church where he remained a member until death.

CASTOR OIL

Since castor oil is used as a lubricant in high-powered military planes, the government has restricted some civilians uses of castor oil, such as in paints, cosmetics, toilet articles, serins and plastics, etc., but not, boys and girls, for medicinal purposes.

JOBLESS PAYMENTS

The Labor Department reports that the state jobless insurance systems paid out \$1,400,000,000 to idle workers in 1950, which was \$400,000,000 less than in 1949. The number of workers receiving unemployment insurance payments also dropped from 7,400,000 in 1949 to 5,200,000 in 1950.

An efficient worker can plant 300 to 500 tree seedlings by hand in a day. With tractor-drawn equipment, two men can plant from 8,000 to 10,000 seedlings a day.

"Paul Said to Mr. Ed:" HER TURN

A MAN WAS DRIVING AN AUTO WITH HIS WIFE IN THE BACK SEAT AND STALL-ED HIS CAR ON THE RAILROAD TRACK AS THE TRAIN WAS APPROACHING.

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FOR SALE—One good heavy team of horses, also nearly new Oliver Mowing Machine. H. C. Moretz, Route 2, Boone, N. C. 5-10-2p

I SELL AT AUCTION FOR YOU, from home to mountain. Write or call Jim Brown, Auctioneer, Boone, N. C. 1p

FOR RENT—Pasture or grazing by the head on 15 acres of extra good grass. J. B. Cannon, Vilas, N. C. 1p

WANTED—Experienced dry cleaning presser. Apply in person at Model Laundry, Lenoir, N. C. 1c

FOR RENT—Acre of land behind Frank Triplett's Garage. Cash rent \$25.00. Mrs. W. H. Greene, Route 2, Boone, N. C. 1p

FOR RENT—3 room apartment, with private bath and private entrance. Space for garden if desired. Mrs. G. C. Greene, Phone 236-W. 1p

FOR RENT—Garage building at Sands Service Station. Reasonable price. See me at City Shoe Shop, Boone, N. C. W. H. Jones. 1p

NOTICE
The Watauga county Board of Education will meet May 23, at 8 p. m. in the county office building for the purpose of appointing a county superintendent and transacting other business. Clyde Perry, Chairman. 5-10-3c

FOR BEST PRICES ON Cinder Blocks and Cement Blocks, Brick, see H. B. Wood, Boone, N. C. 5-10-4p

FOR SALE—One floor show case and two wall show cases, two pieces office or waiting room furniture. Palmer's Photo Shop, Boone, N. C. 1c

WAITRESSES WANTED at the Daniel Boone Hotel. Apply in person. 5-3-2c

COST OF THINGS GOING UP faster than your income? You can make more full or part time as a Rawleigh Dealer in North Central Watauga County. Write for full particulars, Rawleigh's, Dept. NCE-180-RR, Richmond, Va. 5-3-3p

WE HAVE ON HAND at all times day-old and started famous Holly Mountain Chicks. Winkler's Feed Service, 114 North Depot Street. 4-26-tfc

FOR SALE—45 acres of land, good 4-room house and outbuildings. Contact McCoy Parsons, Todd, N. C. 4-19-4p

FOR RENT—3 room furnished apartment with bath. Heat and water furnished. Mrs. Rob Rivers, phone 154 or 12.

CHIROPRACTOR—Dr. Charles B. Rollins, 420 1/2 W. Main St., above Edmisten Furniture Co. Hours 9-12; 1:30-5:30; Thursdays 9 to 12. 11-9-tfc

FOR SALE—Used Tappin gas range. See Gill Phillips, Phone 131-M, Boone, N. C. 1c

FOR RENT—Five room house in Perkinsville. House furnished. R. D. Harmon, Clarksville, Va. 1p

WANTED TO HEAR from someone having a registered, male Black and Tan dog. Object, more dogs. F. W. Lewis, Shulls Mills, N. C. 1p

FOR RENT—Three room apartment, unfurnished. Cold and hot water year round. Steam heat. If interested see O. L. Coffey at Courthouse. 1p

FOR SALE—23 acre farm, four miles east of Boone near Mt. Vernon. Good house, water, lights in house, good barn and other outbuildings. Four cows, one horse and farming tools. On good road, school bus, milk, mail route. David Greene, Route 1, Boone, N. C. 1p

BOONE TRAIL CAFE for sale. Located on Main Street across from the postoffice. This is one of the best locations in Boone and the oldest cafe. This is priced for a quick sale and on easy terms. If you are interested in this see us at once for we are going to sell it. Honeycutt Real Estate and Auction Co. 1p

DR. L. E. WELLMAN, Optometrist, will be in his office at Mountain City, Tenn., every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 9 a. m. to 3:30 p. m. Eyes examined, glasses fitted. 1-6-tfc

FOR SALE—80 acre farm, grazing land, woven wire fence. Located on Fork Ridge. D. Archie Coffey, Lenoir, N. C. 4-20-tfc

WESCOTE SUPREME PAINT—highest quality, \$3.89 gallon. Also complete line of WALLPAPER. Expert painter available at 75 cents per hour. Call 46-W. WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE. 3-22-tfc

FOR RENT—Two apartments, furnished or unfurnished. Steam heat and hot water. Phone 91 day, or 136 after 6 p. m. 2-15-tfc

FOR SALE—1951 Studebaker pick-up used as a demonstrator. Buck Maddux Motor Co., Boone, N. C., Phone 362 3-8-tfc

SPECIALS THIS WEEK—New WASHING MACHINES \$89.95; REFRIGERATORS \$179.95. Guaranteed 5 years. Because of our large buying power we can save you 25% on these items. WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE. 2-22-tfc

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Talent Show Goes Over Well at School

The annual talent show given by the Boone Demonstration and High Schools went over with the proverbial "bang" last Friday night. Under the direction of Dr. Herbert Wey, a wide variety of entertaining acts were presented. Mr. Leo K. Pritchett was Master of Ceremonies. The judges chose the following acts as prize winners:

First place, Demonstration School; Song Flute Band under the direction of Mrs. Madge Johnson. Second place, John Buchanan, who did a song and dance number. The First Grade Singers under the direction of Mrs. Grace Council received honorable mention.

First place, High School; A comedy skit, "Little Nell" which was directed by Nicholas Ernest. The actors in this number were Coaker Triplett, Jimmy Johnson, Dixon Qualls, and Joe Edmisten.

Second place was the Dixieland Combo, directed by Mr. Louie Deviney. The Combo consisted of Martha Council, Dixon Qualls, Marjorie South, Bill Crawford, and Guy Hunt.

A large crowd attended, and witnessed one of the most successful talent shows ever to be presented in Boone.

Chicken Dinner

The members of the Elkland Athletic Club attended a chicken dinner, April 20, sponsored by Mr. Herbert Moretz, Mr. Thomas Trivette and Mr. Glenn Howell.

They met at 7:30 at the Elkland High School lunch room. Thirty-four were present. After the dinner the athletic students went to a movie.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
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Organ Fund

The members of the Boone Methodist Church observed its 85th anniversary at a dinner Thursday evening, and \$2,625.25 was contributed to the fund being raised for the rebuilding of the pipe organ in the sanctuary. The organ has been removed and complete new mechanical equipment is being installed to the end that the instrument may be thoroughly modern. The entire cost of the project is \$6,500, and with the large supper contribution, only \$3,874.75 remains to be paid.

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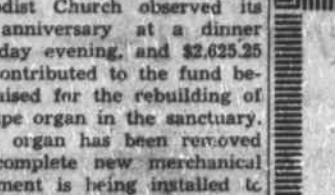
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