Personal Mention—Social Activities

Local Affairs

Mr. Harold Cole is a patient at

Mrs. Elbert Vannoy underwent major surgery at Watauga Hospi-tal Thursday.

Mrs. N. G. Erneston was called to Lexington, Virginia February 2 due to the death of an aunt.

Mrs. Jack Gragg is in New York City buying spring merchandise for Newton's Depart-

Mr. and Mrs. Creed Taylor of Foscoe announce the birth of a son, Neddy Joe, at Watauga Hospital on Wednesday, February 3

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Chester visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Chester and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Chester in Iredell County.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hamby, Jr., and daughter, Pam, spent the week end in Fairmont, N. C., with Mrs. Hamby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Faulk.

Mr. and Mrs. William Graham of Todd spent Thursday night in Winston-Salem transacting busi-

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rufty attended the recent annual convention of the North Carolina Dairy Products Association at Pinehurst.

Mr. Ronal Storie of Lenoir visited Mrs. I. G. Greene and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cole and family Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Jo Sing of Whiteville, N. C. is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Walter

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brown and Miss Dorothy Jean Brown spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moretz in Lenoir.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Robbins and Mrs. Julia Fraley of Morton, Virginia spent Sunday with Miss-es Sallie and Lelia Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Glenn of Zionville announce the birth of a son, Dennis Ray, on Wednesday at Watauga Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gentry, Jr. of Laxon announce the birth of a daughter on Thursday at Watauga Hospital. Mrs. Gentry was formerly Miss Emma Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Wilcox and Mrs. Delphia Woodie, mother of Mrs. Wilcox, left Thursday to spend two months in Tampa, Florida, with Mrs. Elzina Lyle.

Mrs. Smith Hagaman of Winston-Salem spent Friday and Saturday with her son and daughterin-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hag-

and children, Deborah and Olan, Jr., of Newton spent Sunday with Mr. Goodnight's mother, Mrs. J. L. Goodnight.

Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Kephart have returned to Camp Yonah-South America and many other points of interest en route.

Dr. Mary Michal returned from and has been able to resume her duties as District Health Officer.

City, Tennessee, is spending the week with her niece, Mrs. John Howell, and family. Mrs. McDade is en route to Florida for an extended vacation.

Mr. N. G. Erneston attended the All-State Orchestra Clinic of which he had charge of person-nel, held at Duke University on February 4 and 5.

Dr. Johnny Perry and son Henry, of Greensboro were week end visitors with Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Perry, Sr. Mrs. Perry returned home with them for a

Donald J. Poarch of Route 1 Banner Elk, has returned home after serving four years in the U. S. Air Force. Mr. Poarch is the son of Mr. and Mrs. U. B. Poarch, also of Banner Elk.

Mr. Marvin T. Culbreth spent last week in New York City attending the National Campers Association convention as a dele-gate from the Southeastern Campers Association, of which be

Mr. Peter W. Everett received his doctor's degree Saturday, February 6 at State University of Iowa, Idwa City. Dr. and Mrs. Everett and children, Geni, John and Randy, have resided in Boone since 1952, where Dr. Everett has been health and physical education instructor.

Mr. Richard Chase of Beech Creek is in Asheville this week conducting clinics and classes in folk games among the city

Mrs. G. M. Donnelly and Mrs. Ruth Roland of Trade, Tennessee spent Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Brown. On Sunbury visited in the Brown home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Thomas and daughter, Patty, of Concord spent Sunday with Mrs. Thomas' mother, Mrs. R. K. Bingham. The Thomas' daughter Peggy is spending the winter with Mrs. Bing-

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Mast, Misses Mary Lou and Catherine Mast, Mrs. C. C. Triplett, Mr. and Mrs. Coaker Triplett and King Trip lett recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Hooper Triplett in Independence,

nell, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Len Cooke. Her husband, who is in the U.S. Navy, is on a cruise to Cuba. He expects to be discharged in March

Miss Alpha Retta Leeper, who is with the joint committee on personnel of the Board of Mis-sions of the Methodist church in New York City, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin T. Culbreth Thursday and Friday. She ad-dresssed Appalachian State Teachers College chapel Friday morning, spoke to Dr. Barden's class, interviewed students in-terested in home and foreign missions, and then met with Wesley Fellowship at the Methodist church Friday night.

Rites Held For Mrs. Edmisten

Mrs. Nan Ray Edmisten, of Boone, Route 1, died on Wednes-day, February 3, at the home of a son, Walter F. Edmisten. She was 83 years of age.

Funeral services were held February 5 at the Three Forks Baptist Church, conducted by the Rev. Homer Greene, The Rev. Raymond Hendrix, and the Rev. Will Cook. Burial was in the Edmisten cemetery.

She is survived by two sons, Walter F. Edmisten, Boone, Route 1, and Wade Edmisten of Johnson City, Tenn.; four daughters, Mrs. R. B. Shull, Boone, Route 1; Mrs. M. O. Coffey, Blowing Rock, Route 1; Mrs. L. L. Hayes, Boone; and Mrs. S. B. Greene, Boone; two sisters, Mrs. Etta Evans of Fontanet, Ind., and Mrs. Lela Kennedy of Pocatello, Idaho.

Holds Meeting

have returned to Camp Yonah-lossee from a cruise to ports in February 3, at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. H. L. Coffey. Following a short business session the 1954 year books were filled her home in Waynesville recent-ly after being taken acutely ill. stration on braided rugs.

The members brought a nice ssortment of canned and fresh Mrs. E. L. McDade of Mountain food for a needy family in the neighborhood. Refreshments' were served to six members.

persons, lived on farms.

Set For Monday

palachian State Teachers College will present a student recital, Monday evening, February 15th, day Mr. Paul Donnelly of Salis- at 8 p. m. in the auditorium of the Fine Arts building.

The following students will per form: Myra Adkins, Laven Love, Alene Queen, Juel Rogers, Jo Anne Graybeal, Suzanne Arro-wood, Rebecca Moxley, Bob Gil-ley, Jackie Weathers, Robert Go-forth, Gerald Taylor. The public

Valentine Ball Soph Sponsored

ston-Salem spent the week end with her mether; Mrs. Vera Tunnell, and her gerale. ening, starting at 8 o'clock.

The semi-formal dance will feature round dancing, refreshments, cake walks, the crowning of a king and queen.

Admission will be 25c single and 35c for couples.

Miss Rivers Joins **College Sorority**

Evanston, Ill., January-30.—Lu-cinda Jane Rivers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Rivers, Jr., was recently initiated into Alpa Gamma Delta, national social sorority, at Northwestern

Miss Rivers is a freshman enrolled in the School of Liberal Arts. She was graduated from Appalachian High School, Boone,

Mrs. Cox Speaks At VFW Meeting



MRS. ROY COX

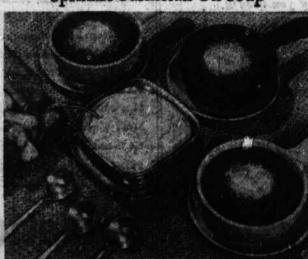
The fifteenth district meeting of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and its Ladies Auxiliary, will be held February 14, at 2 p. m. with the Bruce Wayne Osborne Post 7034, Sparta, N. C.

Mrs. Roy Cox, Asheboro, N. C., the Department Chaplain, will be the guest speaker for the Auxili ary.

All members of Post 7031 and the Auxiliary are asked to attend.

On December 15, 1953, United States farmers were receiving an Of Mecklenburg County's 1950 average of 79 per cent of parity population of 197,052, only 14,581 of corn, 82 per cent for wheat, and 83 per cent for peanuts.

Sprinkle Parmesan On Soup





HORN STAFFERS SHIVER-Waiting for chains to be put on their tires as the snow fell last Thursday are (left to right) Bill Hardy. business manager of Boone's outdoor drama, Horn in the West, Boone's own Ned Austin, who plays the role of Daniel Boone in the drama, and Kai Jurgenson, director. The three were here for a meeting of the board of directors of the Southern Appalachian Historical Association, producers of Horn in the West, which will open its third season June 25 .- Staff photo by Joe Minor.

Scouts To Operate Town Government

As Boy Scout Anniversary men, policemen, garbage collec-Scouts of America, activities mul- Robert Davis assistant. tiply among the Scout units of Watauga District.

the week is the Civic Day ob-night when the Scouts of the servance Thursday when the district were honored. The Rev. Shouts of Troop 109, sponsored L. H. Hollingsworth praised the by the Methodist Church, will Scouting program and suggested, take over the town government that while being a secular organfrom 3:30 to 4:30 p. m. Mayor ization, Scouting is based on the Gordon H. Winkler will yield his precepts of the Christian religion. The Christian forces, he

Week progresses, celebrating the tors, and others. J. R. Robinson 44th year of the founding of Boy is scoutmaster of the troop, with

More than two hundred persons were present at First Bap-Highlighting the program for tist Church in Boone Sunday

Week End Specials

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	VEGETABLE SOUP, can llc
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aid, might even learn some val-

The Boone and Blowing Rock Ministerial Association sponsored the service. The Rev. J. K. Parker, Jr., was in charge, assisted by the Rev. Eber Hudson.

Programs are being-held this week in the schools of the county recognizing and emphasizing the value of Scouting.

Closing events of the week's activities will include Scout Day it Appalachian Theatre, when all outs who wish may attend the Friday show as guests of the theatre. A covered dish supper and pack meeting of the Cub Pack at the Baptist church will be at 6:30 Friday.

Mrs. Bernard Dougherty and Mrs. B. W. Stallings are in charge of the supper

Final activity of the week will be Church Attendance day, when Scouts, their leaders and parents, are asked to attend their Sunday School and Church, emphasizing the Scout law: "A Scout is

The Rev. Joseph T. Shackford, chairman of the Watauga District of Scouting, praised the arrangements chairmen and Scout leaders for their significant achievements during the week. He asked them all to make a written report of their activities for permanent records of the district committee, to be turned in at the monthly meeting of the district Thursday, February 18, at noon. in Gateway Restaurant.

United States milk production in 1953 reached 120.2 billion pounds, a new record.

ECCENTRIC LEABES FORTUNE WANTS TO STAY IN PRISO

Columbus, Oho—Joseph Bluff, who died recently, at 93, was so suspicious of electricity he used gas to light his small framehouse. He condemned automobiles as "new fangled contraptions" only to be killed by one last November 27. Buff left an estate of \$204,233.10, bequeathing some of the money to a church and an orphanage, the rest to his nieces.

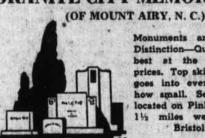


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