

# Many Report For Summer Camp

**Banner Elk**—Fifty-seven campers and eighteen staff members reported last week for the Appalachian High School Camp, being held on the Lee-McRae College Campus, according to Dr. A. E. Crew, director of the camp and principal of the high school.

Thirty boys and twenty-seven girls were among those reporting. They came from six different states—Virginia, Tennessee, North and South Carolina, Georgia, and Florida.

Seven of the staff members are supervising teachers for whom the camp experience is a part of their graduate study program at Appalachian State Teachers College. Five Appalachian State Teachers College student-teachers are also participating in the program. They are teaching the campers under supervision to get credit for practice teaching, according to Dr. Crew's statement.

The camp curriculum offers all four years of high school English, American and World Histories, Biology and Chemistry, Algebra I & II, Plane Geometry, General Math, Solid Geometry, Spanish I & II, Latin I & II, and French I and II. About one-half of the campers are taking typing.

Mrs. Helen Hahn of Hilderbran is the supervisor for freshman and sophomore English and the teacher of French. Mrs. L. A. Kirk, Athens, Georgia, is the supervisor in the field of science.

Manuel Lorenzo, a native Cuban and a teacher at Lenoir High School, is teaching Spanish and supervising the typing instruction. Mrs. Helen G. Moore, of Roseborough, is supervisor of junior and senior English and teacher of Latin. Mrs. Norman Ouellette, Banner Elk, is assisting in the reading program and directing the recreational program for girls.

Miss Doris Vance, Asheville, and a teacher in East Mecklenburg High School, is supervisor of mathematics and teaching solid Geometry.

Rex Whittington, North Wilkesboro, is supervisor of social studies and director of recreation for boys. Mrs. Crew is manager of informal recreation and the Snack Bar at the Student Center. Dr. Crew, principal of the Ap-

## Swimming Lessons Given At Blowing Rock Pool

Monday and Thursday: Free swimming lessons for those under 18 years of age. 10 a. m. to 1 p. m.

Tuesday and Wednesday, Friday: Free tennis lessons from 10 to 12 noon.

Thursday and Saturday: Free square dance lessons from 7 to 8 p. m.; paid square dance from 8:30 to 11:30 p. m. in the recreation building.

Wednesday and Friday: Pony League Baseball game with Valle Crucis at 4:00 p. m. Wed. With Boone at Boone Friday.

Thursday: Girls' softball game with Cove Creek at 2 p. m. Midget baseball game with Cove Creek boys at 3:30 p. m.

Monday and Wednesday: Pre-teen canteen from 6:30 to 9 p. m. (dancing, games, arts and crafts, etc.)

Tuesday and Friday: Teen canteen from 7 to 11 p. m. (dancing, games, tournament play, etc.)

Pool Hours: Morning: 10 a. m. to 1 p. m.; children 12-25 cents; adults 50 cents.

Afternoon and evening: 2 p. m. to 6 p. m.; 7:00 p. m. to 10:00 p. m.; children 35 cents; adults 60 cents.

Efficient planning is the key to successful farming.

## Summer Band To Give Concert At College Tues.

The Appalachian School Camp Summer Band will give its only concert this coming July 19th on the Fine Arts Lawn. The program will be in connection with the College Summer Band Concert series.

The band will present four selections under the direction of the four members of the staff. "Activity March" will be directed by Mr. Jack Kennedy, bandmaster at North Charleston, S. C.; "The Rosary" will be directed by Miss Martha Thommasson, band director at Rutherfordton; "Skip To My Lou" will be directed by Mr. Paul Simpson, bandmaster at Dallas and "Little Suite For Band" will be directed by Mr. J. Perry Watson, band camp co-ordinator, and bandmaster at Boone.

Students in the camp come from Shelby, Decatur, Ga., Candler, Drexel, Mooresville, Statesville, Lenoir, and Boone.

## Sewing Center Ideas Given

If you're planning to make clothes for spring and summer, it's a good idea to take the time to arrange your sewing center for comfortable, convenient work.

How fast and easy your work goes may depend on the height of the cutting and sewing tables you use and the comfort of the chair you sit in.

Twenty-four homemakers in Pennsylvania tried an experiment and helped in laboratory tests of sewing equipment. They found that cutting tables about 36 inches high and not less than 56 inches long made their work easier. Of course, the height of the table or cutting board should be adjusted to suit the woman who will be using it.

A sewing machine table 40 inches long and 28 inches high with a chair 16 inches high suited most workers. They felt having the machine needle 7 inches from the front edge of a table at least 19 inches wide added to sewing convenience.

In the Pennsylvania Experiment Station study, most of the women liked the U-shaped arrangement of sewing equipment. The most popular arrangement had an ironing board at sitting height at the worker's left as she faced the machine (or to the right if she was left-handed) and a low table on

## Tri-County League Goes Into Close Race For Lead

A very close race is being waged for the first spot in the Tri-County Baseball League. Each of the first four teams suffered a loss which dropped them down in the standings and put each team within striking distance of first place.

**Sat., July 6**—Bamboo 5, Boone 5; Lenoir 10, Foscoe 2; Mabel 2, Mt. Pleasant 1; Lansing at West Jefferson not reported; Millers Creek, open date.

**Sun., July 7**—Lenoir at Lansing, not reported; Boone 9, Mabel 1; Bamboo 5, Foscoe 2; Mt. Pleasant 9, Millers Creek 0; West Jefferson, open date.

**Sat., July 13**—Boone at Mt. Pleasant, West Jefferson at Bamboo, Mabel at Lansing (8:00 p. m.), Millers Creek at Lenoir, Foscoe, open date.

**Sunday, July 14**—Lenoir at West Jefferson, Mt. Pleasant at Foscoe, Bamboo at Lansing, Millers Creek at Boone, Mabel, open date.

Standings were not available at press time.

## Timber Owner Easily Cheated

The buyer who offers you the most money for your timber may not always be the best one to sell to, according to R. S. Douglass, forestry specialist for the N. C. Agricultural Extension Service.

He points out several reasons why this may be true:

If the buyer destroys a large amount of young trees he may severely damage and reduce the amount of merchantable timber you will have in the future.

When timber is paid for on the basis of timber actually cut, a dishonest buyer can often gain by not reporting all that is cut.

Carelessness with fire by the cutting crew can completely destroy the next crop of timber.

Trees cut below the minimum size can be collected for, but usually at only about actual market value. The value of these smaller trees to the owner is much more than this, when considered in terms of future growth.

Douglass says this can all be summarized in these words, "Know your buyer."

the other side for tools and partially finished work.

## Farm-Home Week To Draw 2,000 Club Women

North Carolina State College and the N. C. Agricultural Extension Service will play hosts to more than 2,000 home demonstration club women at this year's Farm-Home Week, August 5 through 8 on the campus of the college, it was announced by Ruth Current, state home demonstration agent.

The week's activities will begin Monday afternoon with registration in the William Neal Reynolds Coliseum and an evening program at 7:30 p. m.

The four-day meet is designed primarily for women this year rather than the combined program for men and women which has been followed in past years.

Approximately 15 different classes on various subjects of interest to North Carolina's home demonstration club women will be taught by outstanding instructors to be announced at a later date.

Some of the classes will be of such subjects as: trends in home decorating, modernizing old picture frames, wildlife on the farm, braided rugs, farm pond and water safety, you and your clothes, keeping plants healthy, supplementing the electric range, what's new in home lighting, children and money, parliamentary procedure, outdoor cookery, and foods for wedding and anniversary receptions.

Special activities such as a fashion show and a talent show will be features of the week, in addition to Thursday's activities as part of the annual meeting of the State Federation of Home Demonstration clubs. Election and

## 'BIPARTISAN' CUT

Senator Lyndon B. Johnson, Senate Democratic leader, recently stated that Congress is cutting President Eisenhower's budget in a "bipartisan" way and he hopes the Administration doesn't inject politics into the matter.

**FINDS OLD CHECKS**  
San Francisco—More than twenty years ago, a resident of San Francisco bought \$250 worth of American Express Travelers checks. For some reason, which even he cannot recall, he put them into a cookie jar in his home and the jar later disappeared. Recently, excavating crews, tearing down the house found the jar and Travelers Checks still intact, buried between the walls. American Express promptly redeemed the checks.

Dr. Edwin G. Nourse, former chairman of the President's Council of Economic Advisers, said a "built-in inflationary mechanism" had been developed between business and labor since the war.

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# Telephone Talk


by H. M. INABINET  
Your Telephone Manager



**ALICE IN ALASKALAND**—"White Alice" is the name of a defense communications system telephone folks are setting up in faraway Alaska for the Alaskan Air Command. For the first time, huge antennas will send and receive radio-telephone messages over 150 miles, bouncing them off a layer of air seven miles up. The first links are already in service. When completed, White Alice will help our defense forces spot enemy aircraft quicker, and will also bring telephone service to remote Alaskan areas. Telephone folks working on this top-o-the-world project are part of the same team that keeps your phone ringing right here in town and makes it possible for you to keep in touch with almost anyone, anywhere, any time.

# TRIP TIPS

If you're planning a vacation or a weekend trip, here are some tips that may add to your enjoyment:



First, be sure to take along the right clothes—they can almost make a vacation, you know. And don't get too much sun. Take your tan in short, easy doses for best results. For extra peace of mind, phone ahead for advance reservations. And plan to keep in touch with home or office by telephone. Long Distance is quick, easy to use, and it costs so little. As a time-saver jot down before you leave any numbers you expect to call while away—it's twice as fast to call by number.

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