

Hospital Drive

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March of 1957 the Hospital's patient load exceeded that of any June-July-August period in its history!

To achieve a desperately needed 25-bed capacity over the past five years, the Blowing Rock Hospital has had to convert badly needed storage space to patient use. But even these emergency measures have proved inadequate. Now the hospital is in dire need of a new wing to provide six additional patients' rooms. The cost of this wing is estimated at \$45,000. In addition, a new nurses' home adjacent to the hospital—estimated in the neighborhood of \$20,000—would greatly facilitate operations of the hospital. Nurses and nurses aides now must travel a half-mile to their present inadequate quarters, to sleep and to obtain their meals!

Community Appeal
To bring these needs to the at-

ention of the communities served by the Blowing Rock Hospital, the Trustees have decided on an all-out drive during the height of the summer season, spearheaded by the annual concert benefit.

Mrs. Orion Mather of Miami Beach, Florida is the chairman of the Ladies Concert Committee of the Blowing Rock Hospital, which will conduct the appeal for funds. Members of Mrs. Mather's committee are Mrs. Council Cooke, Mrs. David Craig, Mrs. Harry Fleming, Mrs. Gwyn Harper, Mrs. C. Stradley Kipp, Mrs. Barbara Page, Mrs. Virginia Bell Rhodes, Mrs. Grover Robbins Jr., Mrs. Robert Schlesinger, Mrs. John A. Snively, Mrs. Thomas V. Snively, and Miss Margaret Vance.

The president of the hospital and chairman of the Board of Trustees, J. Anthony Panuch, has issued a personal appeal to all members of the Blowing Rock community for financial support of the hospital's expansion needs. Mr. Panuch, an international law-

yer of New York and Washington, was formerly Assistant Secretary of State, and special advisor to General Clay as United States Military Governor of Germany. A summer resident of Blowing Rock for over 20 years, Mr. Panuch was chairman of the committee which raised the funds for construction of the Blowing Rock Hospital in 1951, under the Presidency of Mrs. Julius W. Cone of Greensboro.

The Board of Trustees which is backing the efforts of Mrs. Mather's committee, includes Charles A. Cannon, Mrs. Julius W. Cone, Mrs. Ann Cannon Tate, David Owens, C. V. Henkel, W. B. Shuford, Joseph Lineberger, Robert Schlesinger, B. C. Black, Mrs. T. V. Snively, Mrs. J. J. Harris, C. Stradley Kipp, Howard Holshouser and Miss Margaret Vance.

He became substitute carrier in 1949 and was made regular carrier last year.

Robert Von Hagaman started out as substitute carrier in 1950. The auxiliary route he has been carrying has been certified as a regular route by postal authorities, and Mr. Hagaman will receive his appointment as a regular carrier August 10, Postmaster Cook stated.

J. D. Miller went with the postoffice in October of last year as a substitute carrier.

Farthing Hayes began working last month as temporary substitute employee, and will be with the postoffice through this month, while other employees are vacationing or are out on sick leave.

Two other men, not directly connected with the mails, are Spencer Miller, J. D.'s father, and Cecil Farthing.

Mr. Miller joined the postoffice in August of 1954 as fireman-laborer. Actually this is his second time with the postoffice. He served as village letter carrier back in 1928-1936.

Mr. Farthing has been caretaker since November of 1952. He is a navy veteran and was serving aboard the destroyer "Bates" when it was sunk during a suicide plane attack in 1945.

Three rural carriers work out of the Boone station. They are Mrs. Addie N. Clawson, RFD 1; Robert C. Winebarger, Route 2; and Warren M. Dotson, Route 3. The rural routes cover a total of 142 miles and serve 1,029 families.

The city carriers have a possible 996 stops, with a possible delivery to 1,123 patrons—families, apartments, business concerns, etc.—Mr. Cook pointed out.

Winners Blue Ridge Contest Are Given Trip To Colorado



FELIX HART



BRENDA ALLEN



MARY BETSY JONES

Winners of Blue Ridge Electric's Farm and Home Electric Contest will receive a free trip to Fort Collins, Colorado, in August. They will attend the annual meeting of the American Institute of Cooperation at Colorado State University. The meeting will have youth and adult delegates from all states and

many foreign countries, where the main theme will be "Cooperatives in Our Big Business Economy."

Brenda Louise Allen was co-system 4-H Club winner. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Allen, Route 1, Lenoir.

Felix Hart, son of Mr. and Mrs.

Walter Hart of Lenoir, was system winner in the Future Farmers of America division of the contest.

Mary Betsy Jones was co-system winner in 4-H. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Jones of Lansing.

Brief News Items

The Food and Drug Administration has launched a nation-wide campaign against fake claims by door-to-door vendors of products to combat malnutrition.

Successful firing of a Genie, an air-to-air rocket with a nuclear war head, was reported by the Air Defense Command. The device was fired from a jet plane

over Nevada.

Derek Ibbotson broke the world mile record with 3:57.2 at London. Three others in the race bettered 4 minutes. Dan Waern did 3:59.3 at Stockholm.

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Postoffice

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cording bulk mail or dispatching the next. "Everybody pitches in and gets the job done," Mr. Cook said.

Present employees of the Boone postoffice include:

Mr. Cook, who became acting postmaster in 1953, was a school teacher before being appointed to his position.

Mrs. Nellie C. Linney has been assistant postmaster since 1950. She was hired as substitute clerk in 1942 and advanced to clerk in 1943.

J. W. Norris, senior clerk, has the longest record in point of service, being appointed regular clerk when the late W. Dudley Farthing was postmaster. He is finance clerk in charge of money orders, postal savings, and C. O. D.'s, although he assists with handling the mails when needed.

Ralph L. Beshears began his tenure as auxiliary city carrier in 1942, and is now second senior clerk. He worked a while in 1940 as substitute village carrier when Wiley G. Hartzog was postmaster.

Morris W. Barnett, regular clerk, began working with the postoffice in 1948 as caretaker. He was appointed by Postmaster Brown as temporary clerk the same year, and received his present appointment from Mr. Cook in 1955.

Cloyd S. Bolick became substitute clerk in 1955. He has taught in the Lenoir school system.

Rex Hagaman joined the post office crew the first month of 1943 as a substitute city carrier, being appointed to regular carrier in 1944.

Albert Farthing began working at the postoffice in 1939 as care-

Grandfather Home

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vegetable garden, and marketable farm products are managed and produced under the supervision of the personnel of the home by the young farmers. One of the inspiring things in a visit to the home is the chance to talk with these budding American farmers. Much of the food supply for the children and staff is provided by the farm. Recent additions to the kitchen provide cold storage and deep-freeze facilities, to care for the increased farm production.

The Department of Agriculture has printed a Farmer's Bulletin giving detailed information on how farmers may act to protect themselves, their families, livestock and crops from radioactive fall-out in an atomic attack.

Modern community-wide and group x-ray surveys are making valuable contributions to the prevention and control of tuberculosis in this county.

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 - 1955 CHEVROLET 210
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 - 1954 FORD VICTORIA V8
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2 door, hardtop, power steering, power brakes, red and white, white side walls, radio, heater, extra clean.
 - 1954 PLYMOUTH
4 door, two tone green and black, one owner, radio, heater, clean.
 - 1953 PLYMOUTH BELVEDERE
2 tone green, radio, heater, white side walls.
 - 1953 CHEVROLET
4 door, tan and brown, heater, clean.
 - 1953 FORD
2 door, green, radio, heater, extra clean, one owner.
 - 1952 CHEVROLET
2 door, white, radio, heater, one owner, extra clean, low mileage.
 - 1952 FORD CUSTOMLINE V8
4 door, radio, heater, clean.
 - 1950 PLYMOUTH
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- TRUCKS —
- 1956 DODGE PICKUP V8 1/2 TON
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