

Mrs. Snead Represents Girls' Camp

Mrs. Bob Snead, of the Junior Woman's Club, has been appointed as local representative of the Winston-Salem YWCA Camp Betty Hastings, for girls eight through fourteen, which will offer three two-week sessions this summer, including one session especially for former resident campers. First session begins Sunday, June 16th and ends Saturday, June 29th. The second session will be June 30th through July 13th. The third session, an advanced woodcraft session, will be July 14th-27th.

The camp fee for a two-week session is \$50 for girls whose parents live or work in Forsyth County. Out-of-county girls pay a camp fee of \$55.

Each session the seventy campers, from all parts of the Southeast, receive instruction and participate in such camp activities as swimming and water ballet, boating, campcraft, creative dramatics, rhythms and square dancing, nature lore, and handicrafts. There are regular campfires in which campers participate, and they can also take part in the camp choir and the preparation of the camp newspaper, the "Hastings Hornet."

Registration forms and information are available from Mrs. Bob Snead, Grand Boulevard, Boone, N. C., and from the Glad Street YWCA in Winston-Salem, N. C.



CLEAN-UP.—The annual spring clean-up day was held at Appalachian High School Thursday. Students dressed informally and worked enthusiastically to clean the building. They washed windows, woodwork, desks, and every-

thing else washable; they polished desks, shelves, and woodwork. All in all, a very thorough job of cleaning the building was done.—Photo Verlin O. Coffey.

Orientation Meeting Set At Boone School

Professor John Howell, principal of Appalachian Elementary School, has announced an orientation and registration meeting at the school auditorium Monday evening, April 22, at 7:30 o'clock.

The meeting is for parents who will have children entering the first grade of the local school during the summer session and/or fall term. Mr. Howell emphasizes the necessity for at least one parent, preferably both, to attend this meeting. This is when the child will be registered.

In addition to school personnel, Mrs. Ed Harrill, representing the local department of health, will be present to discuss the health requirements for entering the first grade.

A number of parents have already received the necessary blanks for registration. Parents are asked to complete the blanks and bring them to the meeting. Also necessary are the child's birth certificate and a certificate of vaccinations.

If any parent has not received the blanks, they are urged to contact the school office, telephone 264-8481, immediately.

Mr. Howell further points out that this meeting is for parents only. The prospective first grade students will be invited to the school at another time.

UNC Professor To Deliver Workman Lecture Tonight

David Theodore Lapkin, professor of economics at the University of North Carolina, will give the John Hillary Workman Lecture at Appalachian State Teachers College on Thursday, April 18, in the Fine Arts Building Auditorium at 8 p.m., according to an announcement by Dr. J. C. Yoder, social studies department head.

Dr. Lapkin's appearance is made possible through a gift by Miss Sarah Workman, Cherryville, sister of the late Appalachian economics professor, Dr. John Workman. This gift established two John Hillary Workman Memorial Lectures each year.

Dr. D. J. Whitener, dean of ASTC, will bring words of greeting and welcome to the audience on behalf of the college, and Dr. Yoder will introduce the speaker.

A native of Richmond, Va., Dr. Lapkin is a graduate of Harvard College and Columbia University. He was associated with the College of William and Mary, 1947-48, and State College of Washington, 1948-57. He was associated with the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis from 1957 to 1959.

Since 1959 he has been professor of economics at the University of North Carolina. In the summer of 1961 he assisted in the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company Summer Fellowship Program in Economic Education.

Dr. Lapkin will speak on the subject of "Gold and the American Economy." He will discuss such problems as the common market, gold and its relationship to the U. S. economy, is America competitive in the world market, foreign aid and inflation.

Visiting Committee To Re-Evaluate AHS Thursday For Southern Association

The final details of the self-study which Appalachian High School has been undergoing during the past several months have been completed in preparation for re-evaluation by the Southern Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges. The school will be visited by a team on Thursday of this week for the purpose of being re-evaluated.

The visiting committee will be entertained at a banquet on Wednesday evening, at 6:00 p. m., at the Daniel Boone Inn. Members of the faculty and administration, the County Board of Education, and the local School Committee, and the County Superintendent and representatives from Appalachian State Teachers College will also be present. After the dinner, the faculty will divide into departments in order to meet with the person who will be evaluating that particular subject area.

On Thursday, the team of educators will visit the school for the purpose of observing all

aspects of the school program in action. They will observe classes, talk to students and faculty members individually and in groups, and observe the school in operation before school, between classes, at lunch, and after school.

The visiting committee is composed of educators from the State Department of Public Instruction in Raleigh; professors from various colleges; and superintendents, supervisors, teachers, and principals from Southern Association Schools. They are as follows:

Mr. Hugh M. Tomberlin, Principal, Enka High School; Mr. John M. Hough, Superintendent, Leaksville Township Schools; Mr. Hugh R. Randall, Superintendent, Hendersonville City Schools; Mrs. Sylvia A. Airheart, Supervisor, Secondary Education, Asheville City Schools; Mr. Joseph M. Parsons, Academic Dean, Asheville Biltmore College; Mr. W. P. Griffin, Superintendent, Asheville City Schools; Dr. Robert

F. Steward, Professor of Mathematics, Western Carolina College; Mr. Raymond Rhodes, Director, School Athletics and Activities, State Department of Public Instruction; Mr. Wayne Pressley, Music Department, Mars Hill College; Dr. Eugene W. Vosecky, Associate Professor of Business, Western Carolina College; Miss Vergie Lee Stringer, Woman's College, Greensboro; Miss Katherine Tighe, Lee Edwards High School; Miss Marie Halgwood, Supervisor, Elementary Education, State Department of Public Instruction; Mrs. Alice W. Porter, Consultant in-School Library Services, State Department of Public Instruction. Dr. Brank Proffitt, Director, Teacher Merit Pay Study, State Department of Public Instruction; Mr. R. J. Denny, District Supervisor in Agriculture, Asheville.

The Southern Association is one of five regional associations in the United States. A high school in any of the five regions desiring accreditation must carry on a self-evaluation for two years.


Appalachian High is one of the few high schools in this area to be a member of the Association. In fact, it is the only school in a six-county area made up of Alleghany, Ashe, Avery, Mitchell, Watauga, and Madison counties.

Membership is a goal that all secondary schools strive to obtain. Membership signifies that the school has met the standards for accreditation in five areas of school operation:

1. School plant and facilities.
2. Instructional aids, supplies, and equipment.
3. The instructional program.
4. School records.
5. Administration.

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Superintendent Will Speak To Parkway Group

Mr. Guy Angell will be the guest speaker at an important meeting at the Parkway School Friday, April 19th at 7:30 o'clock. All parents and interested persons are encouraged to be present.

Mr. Angell will present charts and tables to show the growth of county schools since 1941. His slides will point out the great needs for enlarging the entire school system in the county.

Orthopedic Clinic Friday Morning

The Orthopedic Clinic will be held on Friday, April 19, between 8:30 and 12:00 o'clock at the District Health Department, Boone, with Dr. J. S. Gaul, Orthopedic Surgeon attending.

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