

Wataugans At Work



ORGANIST—Mrs. Daisy Eggers recently completed her 25th year as organist at the First Baptist Church in Boone. A native of Surry county, Mrs. Eggers first came to Boone at the age of 15 to begin her college career at Appalachian. Shortly thereafter she became organist at the Baptist church. She received her B. S. and M. A. degrees from ASTC and has been a member of the college's department of English for a number of years. Married to Dr. Grayden Eggers, chairman of the department of English, Mrs. Eggers has two sons: John, 21, a senior at Davidson; and Grayden Jr., 16, a junior at Appalachian High. A May Queen herself while enrolled as an undergraduate at ASTC, Mrs. Eggers once sponsored the annual May Day festival for seven years. She has been active in various college, community, and area activities. In recognition of her 25 years as organist, the congregation at First Baptist Church presented Mrs. Eggers with an engraved silver tray and other pieces of silver April 28.

Marriage Licenses

The Watauga County Register of Deeds office issued marriage licenses during the month of April to the following:

Danny Hal Cobble, Midway, Tennessee and Martha Kay McQueen, Elizabethton, Tenn.; William Franklin Dotson, Jr., Rt. 3, Boone and Betty Martha Triplett, Blowing Rock; William Henry Hayes, Rt. 1, Vilas and Doris Helen Young, Charlotte; Billy Dean Hodges, Vilas and Dorcas Dean Reese, Reese; Carl David Kennedy and Patricia Ann Bridgeman, both of Bristol, Tenn.; Dickie Thomas Miller and Ina Christine Luttrell, both of Triplett; Roy Lee Osborne and Rosa Lee Potter, both of Boone; Albert Lloyd Godsey, Johnson City, Tenn. and Rebecca Lyn Blythe, Rt. 8, Elizabethton, Tenn.; Ira Warren Harmon, Rt. 1, Elk Park and Frances Marie Clark, Rt. 8, Lenoir; Melvin Hughes Ward and Sylvia Idella Smith, both of Rt. 2, Banner Elk; Jimmy Dale Crowder and Linda Sue Pardue, both of Shouns, Tenn.; John Burton Seamons and Gerry Geneva Jones, both of Johnson City, Tenn.; Spencer Clay Greer and Lillian Crispene Shelton both of Creston; Bill Eugene Pearson and Georgia Mae Harrison both of Rt. 1, Blowing Rock; Glenn Edwin Townsend, Rt. 1, Banner Elk and Vera Elaine Hicks, Rt. 1, Elk Park; Ned Marvin Perry, Zionville and Martha Jean Love, Vilas; Wilbur Clay Townsend, Rt. 3, Boone and Mary Hazel Walls, Rt. 1, Vilas; Toll William Lewis, Shouns, Tenn. and Hilda Bernice Madron, Neva, Tenn.; Frank Walter Keller and Miriam Jean Barker, both of Rt. 1, Hudson.

Finance Assn. Gives Check To Trade Schools

The North Carolina Consumer Finance Association today presented a check to Governor Terry Sanford totaling \$10,875 to further vocational and technical education in trade schools for the youth of North Carolina.

There are now four vocational education schools and it is hoped that very shortly there will be more. This donation from the North Carolina Consumer Finance Association will be administered by the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction through a Board of Trustees.

Mr. Robert S. Kuebler, President of Home Credit Company in Charlotte, is Chairman of the Public Relations Committee of the North Carolina Consumer Finance Association, and Mr. Armand Swisher, President of Consolidated Credit Corp., Charlotte, is Chairman of the Executive Committee of the North Carolina Consumer Finance Association. Mr. Jack Palt, President of Jack Palt Finance Corporation, Lumberton, is currently President of the North Carolina Consumer Finance Association.

The idea that our ancestors were all good, unselfish and intelligent, patriotic and prophetic, illustrates the extent of modern ignorance.

News Of Our Servicemen

PFC JONES COMPLETES TRAINING COURSE

U. S. Forces, Germany—Army PFC Willey F. Jones, son of Mrs. V. D. Jones, Vilas, N. C., recently completed three weeks of training with other members of the 25th Artillery's 1st Target Acquisition Battalion in Germany.

The training included field maneuvers, road marches under simulated combat conditions and firing exercises.

Jones, a wireman in the battalion's Battery B in Germany, received basic training at Fort Jackson, S. C.

The 20-year-old soldier attended Cove Creek High School.

Browning Goes To Amarillo AFB

Lackland AFB, Tex.—Airman Basic David L. Browning, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse L. Browning of State Farm Road, Boone, is being reassigned to Amarillo AFB, Tex., for technical training as a United States Air Force administrative specialist.

Airman Browning, who enlisted in the Air Force a short time ago, has completed his initial basic military training here.

The airman attended Cove Creek High School. He is married to the former Janet Farthing of 114 Delmar St., Boone.



DAVID L. BROWNING

TRAINING IN TEXAS

Lackland AFB, Texas—Airman Basic Deward B. Coffey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Deward B. Coffey of Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C., is being reassigned to Amarillo AFB, Texas, for technical training as a United States Air Force aircraft maintenance specialist.

Airman Coffey, who enlisted in the Air Force a short time ago, has completed his initial basic military training here.

The airman is a 1960 graduate of Blowing Rock (N.C.) High School. His wife is the former Merry Wilson of 310 E. King St., Boone, N. C.



AIRMAN DEWARD COFFEY

STUDENT'S HEAR SERMON

Daytona Beach, Fla. — The "Espresso Priest," of Wayne University in Detroit, conducted a very unusual Good Friday service.

The Episcopalian spoke to some 500 vacationing students at Daytona Beach from a sound truck. He contributed their attention to his sermon by speaking "honestly to them." The Rev. Mr. Boyd told the students, "Go live your religion—in your life and in the world."

Many students expressed gratitude for the meaningful religious service.

Dixie Products Are Being Featured At Local Market

For the third straight year, "Dixie Products Days" is emphasizing the fact that over 4,700,000 North Carolinians are today enjoying more nutritious and more varied meals at lower real cost than ever before.

The observance this week is marked by home-grown meats, produce and staples featured in abundant display at the 85 North Carolina supermarkets operated by Winn-Dixie Stores.

North Carolina-grown and North Carolina-bred is the "Dixie Products Days" theme in these supermarkets, a number of which are located in the local area.

Special decorations pointing up the importance of North Carolina farm products are brightening each Winn-Dixie supermarket, whose employees are garbed in typically Southern attire. The important contribution the company now makes to the entire South's economy is illustrated by the following yearly figures for the company as a whole, which operates 603 stores in Dixie:

Salaries, \$58,000,000; occupancy costs, \$11,500,000; local taxes, (not including social security), \$2,375,000; advertising expenses, \$6,000,000, and utility expenses, \$5,525,000—all totaling \$83,400,000.

The actual scope of "Dixie Products Days," however, is shown in the figures on the food handled by Winn-Dixie Stores during the course of one year. The amounts are somewhat staggering:

Groceries, 137,430,000 pounds in the Raleigh division and 1,435,018,000 pounds in all divisions; produce, including frozen foods, 71,718,000 pounds in the Raleigh division and 777,536,000 pounds in all divisions; meat 42,148,000 pounds in the Raleigh division and 411,390,000 pounds in all divisions.

Ann Oglesby Named Chief Cheerleader

Ann Oglesby, a vivacious cheerleader from Mt. Holly, was elected chief cheerleader at Appalachian State Teachers College in a run-off election.

Other cheerleaders serving with Ann include Judy Benton, Concord; Donna Sellers, Charlotte; Billy Hunt, Asheboro; Jim Russ, Belhaven; Judy Stillier, Salisbury; Barbara Deal, Lenoir; Judy Ellington, Cherryville; Judy Martin, Leaksville; Danell Skreen, Rockingham; and Judy Tudor, Winston-Salem.

These cheerleaders are responsible for campus-wide pep rallies, victory dances, the general school spirit on the campus and at athletic contests.

Miss Oglesby issued a statement to the student body this week in regard to her election. She said, "I'm thrilled and honored to be your new cheerleader and I would like to thank the student body for its support. My plans for the coming year are to build up the school spirit. Already we have been working on new cheers and have started planning our pep rallies for next year. I just hope I can live up to your expectations as well as my own."

Two things that most young girls heed: the telephone bell and the automobile horn.

ASC Orders To Soon Expire

All farmers purchase orders which have been issued for fertilizer, lime and seed under the 1963 Agricultural Conservation Program expire May 10, 1963 and should be filled prior to that date. If because of dry weather conditions farmers wish any extension of time on purchase orders they should contact the Watauga ASCS office.

Spring practices should be reported by June 30, 1963. Approximately \$4,000 of the 1963 ACP allocation is available for first approvals on farms.

Nerve grafts in humans are reported.

Legion Will Meet Friday

Watauga Post 130 of the American Legion and Auxiliary will have their regular meeting on Friday night, May 10. All members of both organizations are requested to be present to discuss some very important business. The newly elected officers will be installed.

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