

# Chamber Of Commerce News

By HERMAN W. WILCOX  
If you haven't visited the Horn in the West gift shop this year, you have a treat in store. A multitude of unusual gifts are on sale. A very attractive line of "old fashion bonnets," ideal for the Carolina Charter Tercentenary celebration, are on display.

The gift shop is open daily. Just across the parking lot you will find some very interesting Indian collectors items, some that are not now being made. These are not for sale, only on exhibit to show what the "original race" in America made. Some of these can not be duplicated anywhere.

**U. S. Weather Bureau**  
Beginning June 26, the United States Weather Bureau at Winston-Salem will begin using our daily weather reports. Through the fine cooperation of Mr. Wiley Sims, the manager of the bureau, this fine service is made possible. We will wire this information to him daily. It will go out over a network of over 45 radio stations. As usual, he will inform the people of our attractions and invite them to come to the "cool mountains."

**WBTB To Help Again**  
Our good friend, Mr. Allen Newcomb, of WBTB, will again help us out on his fine program in informing the viewers about Boone's weather and attractions. We are very fortunate in having these fine friends.

**Tragedy Friday Night**  
A terrific crash, a rush from the First Baptist Church where many were attending graduation exercises of the vacation Bible school. The scene—Corner of East King and College streets, a truck with a load of lumber turned upside down over against a power pole. A lady saying, "That truck ran right in front of me; I am a nervous wreck. Let me sit down."

Police and fire truck sirens screeching, arriving on the scene.

What happened?—A runaway truck, no breaks, out of control all the way from Bristol Highway down West King Street. By the time it had reached the church and turned over, it had crushed seven automobiles. Only through "a Divine miracle" no one was seriously injured. Last time this happened we were not so fortunate. A person was killed. Use your imagination—What could

happen some Saturday on King Street should this take place again?

The truck route, plainly marked on the Bristol Highway and Corner of Harding and East King streets prohibits trucks from using King Street. We hope there will be a renewed effort to enforce this

## Elementary Mathematics Workshop Being Offered

A two-week workshop titled "Elementary School Mathematics," one of six to be offered at Appalachian State Teachers College this summer, will be held July 1-12 by Ray L. Graham, visiting assistant professor of mathematics from New Mexico State University.

Graham recently completed course requirements for his Ph.D. In the workshop, he will emphasize the modern approach to mathematics.

Dr. Joseph E. Bryson, assistant professor of education at ASTC, will conduct a second workshop on "Law and the Public Schools," during the same two-week period. Designed for public educators, the workshop will carry three quarter hours of graduate credit in the field of school administration. Major emphasis will be on case law and the director will hold lectures and discussion groups on major issues to explore areas of legal interest surrounding the class project.

Typical problems for class discussion will be loyalty oaths for teachers; affiliation with teachers' unions; religious instruction in public schools; teacher liability for pupil injury; racial discriminations; legal aspects of school finance and school property; and legal authority over public education by government units.

Also, three quarter hours of graduate credits are offered to participants in two workshops in programed instruction at the college's audio-visual center.

The first session, June 17-28, is designed to teach effective use of this new development in instructional technique; the second, July 1-12, will be an intensive workshop in advanced programed instruction, dealing with preparation, design and validation of programs. Both courses will be taught by Dr.

traffic regulation before it's too late.

**Members Paying Dues**  
Boone Drug Company, Horn in the West Gift Shop, J. W. Norris, O. M. Hampton Construction Co., and B. W. Ellis. New members—Dr. James B. Graham and Laurel Motel and Efficiency.

G. C. Eichholz, director of the Division of Educational Resources at the University of South Florida in Tampa.

The first two-week workshop at the Reading Center, "Teaching Reading," will be offered by Mrs. Virginia Mullaney who is Co-ordinator of Secondary Reading in the Charlotte-Mecklenburg school system, June 17-28. Mrs. Mullaney will demonstrate problems in reading, including psychological principles, diagnostic and remedial aspects.

Dr. Sidney J. Rauch will direct the second reading workshop, July 20-Aug. 9. He is associate professor of reading and education at Hofstra College in Hempstead, N. Y., and has acted as consultant-director of in-service training programs for teachers in New York State.

### TOURISTS FROM ABROAD

The United States expects a record number of visitors from abroad this year. Uncle Sam is asking Americans to be good hosts.

The United States Travel Service, whose job is to lure tourists, expect more than 700,000 foreign guests. The 1962 record was 604,000.

The Travel Bureau estimates last year's visitors from overseas spent \$284,000,000, exclusive of the cost of transportation to and from the United States.

## Community Clubs Organize Watauga County Council

Watauga County Community Clubs organized a "County Council of Community Clubs" at a special meeting held at Cove Creek High School Monday, June 10.

Officers elected were: President, Jerry Adams; vice-president, Dean Reese; secretary, Lavola Carruder; reporter, Mrs. Vann Farthing; treasurer, Fred McGuire.

Each organized club will have a representative and an alternate on the council. The county extension chairman, county home economics extension agent, and vice chairman of Agricultural Workers Council will be ex-officio members.

The purpose and functions of the council and operating procedure were outlined as follows:

1. That the council meet quarterly. The meetings will be held at the various community centers.

2. At each meeting each club will have the opportunity to report on activities, projects and accomplishments on which they are working. Each community will be responsible for giving

the report but we recommend that the publicity chairman or the one in charge of activities present the report.

3. We recommend the council select, with the assistance of the Agricultural Workers Council, the dates of judging and the judges.

4. Two of the county extension workers attend these meetings to assist and advise the work of the council.

5. The council will give assistance to help organize communities which do not have organizations at present, and assist communities which have difficulties to help create more interest to strengthen our overall community organization.

### NO RETIREMENT PAY

Adm. George W. Anderson Jr., will not receive his Navy retirement pay while United States Ambassador to Portugal.

The Navy said the outgoing Chief of Naval Operations will be carried on the retired list but will not draw retirement pay, which would come to \$15,000 a year. His yearly income as ambassador will be \$25,000.

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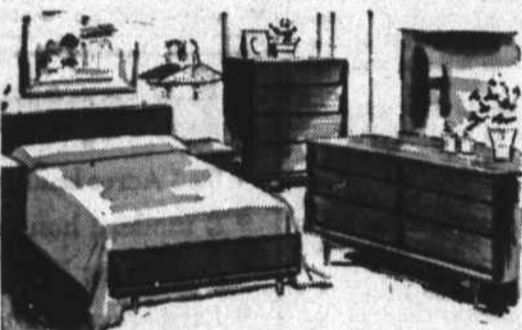
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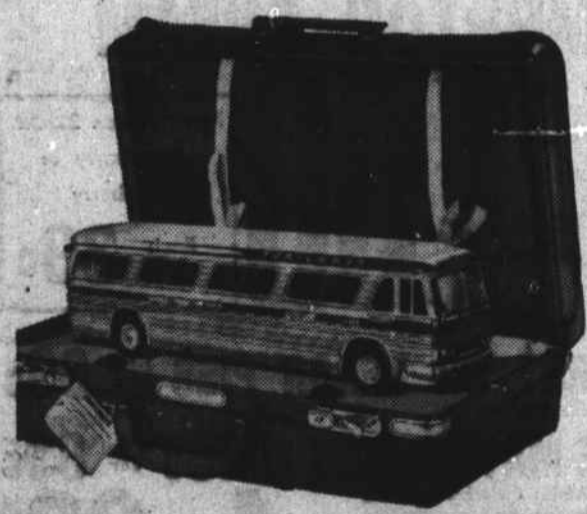
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