



Students Visit Newspaper

Joe Minor, Democrat employee, demonstrates to eighth grade students who have been studying newspaper writing how their stories may one day be set up for printing. The students, members of Mrs. Hamby's eighth grade English class at Appalachian Elementary School, toured the Democrat office last Thursday. Pictured are (left to right) Minor, Cathy Isley, Melinda Robinson, Margaret Blanton, and Steve Masten.

Marriage Counselors Coming To Watauga

"If only I could know that my marriage will really last!" "I wonder why my children don't confide in me anymore?" "How can I keep my sweetheart and not compromise my standards?" "How permissive must I be with my children?" All of these questions and many more like them bring concern to young people and adults. Many people think they have found adequate solutions to their personal problems, only to discover that their answers are impractical or weak. All of us need to find solutions that will stand the test of time and human emotions. To help us in our search, a special committee of concerned people have invited Dr. David Mace, one of America's foremost authorities on family relations, to visit Watauga County.

High School Auditorium on "Responsibility of Youth in Family Life." Young people from Parkway, Watauga, Blowing Rock and Green Valley will address everyone interested on "Teen-age Morals and Teen-age Marriages" at the Appalachian Elementary School Auditorium.

On Wednesday, October 23, Dr. Mace will be at the Cove Creek High School Auditorium speaking to students from Bethel, Mabel, Valle Crucis and Cove Creek on "Responsibility of Youth in Family Life." His addresses will be at 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. for high school and junior high students respectively.

The above schedule has been arranged to afford everyone a chance to hear and talk to this outstanding authority. The sponsoring committee is encouraged by the many expressions of interest in the three-day conference that bears the theme "Responsibility in Family Life."

TRADE AT HOME

Freak Accident

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Finally, on September 28, a dump truck belonging to J. C. Greene of Boone caught fire when Greene dumped a load of trash from it onto a small fire at the city trash dump, and then was unable to get the truck out of reverse gear in order to move it away from the newly-fed blaze. Quick work by the Boone Fire Department kept damage to a minimum.

Such accidents are humorous, of course, only when viewed with the detachment brought on by the passage of time. Certainly they are not funny at the time of their occurrence, and we can only be thankful that no serious injuries resulted from those to which we have referred in this article.

It is to be hoped that such curious twists of fate may be avoided by Wataugans in the future.

The chief business of every citizen should be to live his life correctly, without telling too many people what to do.

Benson praises the work of Autumn makes oldest entrance since 1949.

FOR SALE

145 acre farm with an eight room stone house; tile bath; swimming pool in yard; yard is beautifully landscaped with trees, shrubbery, flowers and grass. This is a very attractive place. There are three tenant houses; large barn, a 15,000 capacity broiler plant completely equipped; an Esso service station, and a general store building with 2,000 square feet of floor space and completely equipped. There is 100,000 feet of marketable timber on this place. At least 100 acres of this farm is covered up with young white pine and poplar. 10,000 white pine and poplar trees have been planted out on this farm. There is also around 2,000 shrubbery plants now growing on this place. It has a large lake stocked with fish. It has bottom land and up-land pasture. It has running water for livestock. It has gravity running water in the home and in the broiler plant. From 50 to 60 percent of the value of this place can be financed through the Federal Farm Loan Bank. Rent from store building, filling station and tenant houses will more than carry the loan. This property is located in a good community, on a paved road and only about 5 miles from Lenoir, Caldwell County, N. C.

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Kuykendall Is With State SCS

On September 16, Mr. J. P. Kuykendall assumed the position as State Conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service in North Carolina. He replaces Mr. R. M. Dally who has been transferred to Washington as Assistant Deputy Administrator for Watersheds.

Mr. Kuykendall was born on a Hampshire County, W. Va., farm. He graduated from the University of West Virginia in 1933 with

a BS degree in Agriculture. He received an MS degree in Public Administration from the University of Colorado in 1961.

Mr. Kuykendall is a career employee with the Soil Conservation Service, having worked in a number of locations and in a number of positions with the Service in West Virginia. He served as Assistant State Conservationist for seven years and became State Conservationist in West Virginia

in 1961.

Mr. Kuykendall is a charter member of the Soil Conservation Society of America. His church affiliation is Presbyterian. Mr. Kuykendall is married and has four children. His family will continue to reside temporarily in Morgantown, W. Va.

Peace Corps Needs 9,000

Washington, D. C.—The Peace Corps estimates that it will require at least 9,000 volunteers to meet the requests of host country governments in 1964.

These needs include 5,000 teachers, 2,000 community development workers, 700 health workers, 600 agricultural technicians and 700 skilled tradesmen, technicians and professional personnel.

The greatest demand is for teachers — 3,000 for secondary schools, 1,000 for elementary and 500 for colleges and universities. An additional 500 volunteers are needed for the fields of physical, vocational and adult education.

In the field of health, 500 nurses of all kinds are needed. Another 200 persons will fill posts as medical, laboratory and X-ray technicians, doctors, dentists, sanitarians, etc.

While the demand for agricultural skills cover a wide range of subjects, these skills are most frequently requested; agricultural extension, irrigation, farm mechanics, animal husbandry, agricultural engineering, poultry, dairying and soil conservation.

The Peace Corps is interested in volunteers who have recently retired and also those eligible for a leave of absence from their present employment.

Applicants are advised to submit an early application if they want to be considered for either

750 Calves To Be Offered At Feeder Sale

Approximately 750 beef type steer and heifer calves have been consigned to the 1963 Boone Feeder Calf Sale. The calves will be weighed in at Boone Livestock Market on Tuesday, October 22, and sold on Wednesday, October 23.

All heifer calves in this sale must be vaccinated for Bangs by a registered Veterinarian at least 10 days before the sale. (This service is free to the farmers if they sign requests for vaccination and call the veterinarian). All calves, both steer and heifer, must have been vaccinated for blackleg and shipping fever as in all state sponsored sales in North Carolina.

The graders pay more attention to horns and taggy steer calves than in the yearling sales. We have the kind of cattle the buyers want, so let's bring them to the sale properly prepared to go to the feed barn.

a February or June appointment. An application form may be secured from the Peace Corps, Division of Recruiting, Washington, D. C. 20525. Special literature will be sent to those indicating the particular area of their skill and when they would probably be available.

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