

## Wataugans In Marching Band

County civic leader and former

register of deeds, died about 6

p.m. yesterday at his home after a heart attack,

He had served as register of

deeds for 20 years and resigned to become cashier of the Jeffer-son branch of the Northwestern

Colvard also had served for many years as chairman of the Ashe County Chapter of the American Red Cross and once

served as county chairman for

the U. S. Savings Bond sales

He also was active in the Boy

Scouts, the Masons, the Jefferson

Baptist Church and the Jefferson

Rotary Club. He had served as

He was a veteran of World

Surviving are his widow; two sons, Parks Colvard in the Air

Holloway of Charlotte; and four ican.

Bank. He retired in 1961.

Other Activities

American Legion.

According to band director Charles Isley, Jr., two Watauga County students are among the 75-member marching band at Appalachian State Teachers College this fall. They are Mickeal Lee Johnson and Ben Miller. marching band functions during the fall

games during the football season. Often it is featured in parades in Watauga County and throughout the state. Most of the members remain with the organization after fall quarter when it becomes a concert band.

The funeral was conducted a

3 p.m. Sunday at Jefferson Methodist Church by the Rev. John Christy. Buriel was in the Jefferson Cemetery,

Its Time To

Treat Alfalfa

It is time to treat alfalfa for

weevil control. For Watauga

above 2,500 feet, an application

of 2 and one-half per cent of granulated Heptachlor at the

rate of 30 pounds per acre should

be applied between October 1

and 15. If treatment is not made

at the right time, poor results

If Heptachlor is not applied in

the fall, only partial control can

can be expected.

He was a veteran of World be obtained with spring sprays. War I and a former commander of the P. G. Wright Post of the ed with the fall treatment.

L. P. Colvard Dies At 67

Jefferson, Oct. 4-Larry P. Col- grandchildren.

### **Bob Yoder In Editor's Seminar**

Misenheimer, N. C. - Bob Yoder, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Yoder, 118 Highland Circle, Boone, on October 1 shared in a communications seminar led by Richard L. Tobin, managing editor of The Saturday Review.

Tobin opened the college's 1963-64 convocation series at the college. During his visit he met with student and faculty groups at which time current literary affairs, particularly related to mass communication media, were discussed.

The veteran newspaperman, former City Editor of the New York Herald Tribune, was also honored at a luncheon during

Yoder is a member of the senior class, a pre-ministerial student, and a leader of several campus organizations.

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lace which was being cleared by a buildozer, uncover-ed a page from Iredell's political

Earl Bustle who lives on the

tag with somebody's identifica-tion on it," Bustle said. The tag is about one and one-half inches wide and two inches long, with a small slit at the top for fasten-

## **Annas To Head** Alumni Group As Of October 26

Miles 'Annas, an Appalach ian State Teachers College gra duate of 1942, will head the school's 7,000 member alumni Association beginning October

Annas was elected to the president-elect post during the ASTC Homecoming ceremonies last year. He will be officially installed during the Homecoming luncheon in the Men's Old

Leroy Sossamon of Bryson City, President of the Alumni Association, will install Annas and relinquish the gavel to the new president.

Annas, a resident of Char-lotte, is president of the Southern Comfort Company, a heating and air-conditioning contracting concern. His company has installed heating and air conditioning systems in such buildings as the Hawthorne Medical Center in Charlotte and the Westgate Shopping Center in Asheville.

After graduation from ASTC, Annas spent four years in the U. S. Army as a combat engineer. He earned two bronze stars for bravery during the war. After World War II, he joined the N. C. State Highway Department as a resident en

It is getting to the point Force and Hal B. Colvard of Jef- where an individual who In 1950, he was recalled to ferson; two sisters, Mrs. Annie doesn't agree with a minority Dent of Jefferson and Mrs. Maude is accused of being un-Ameractive duty and served two years in Europe during the Korean conflict.

He said the tag was slightly bent and he was able to make out a little of the inscription before using a piece of steel wool on it. "I saw it was someone for Congress in 1904 and that's the reason I cleaned it up," Bustle Eye Glasses

The tag was probably used in political campaign before For Needy Asked

encer Blackburn. He was born near Boone in Watauga County Sept. 22, 1868. Blackburn studied in the "common schools and academies of his native state," according to the directory, and studied law, being admitted to the bar in 1890. He practiced law

the North Carolina State Senat in 1894 and 1895, was a member of the State House of Represent tives in 1896 and 4897. He served

eaker pro tem in 1897. Blackburn was named assistan United States attorney in 1898. In 1900, he was elected as a Republican to the 57th U. S. Congress and served from March 4 1901, until the term ended on March 3, 1903. He was an un-successful candidate for re-election in 1902 to the 58th Congress. The tag which was found by Bustle was evidently campaign material used by Blackburn in

in Congress, Bi March 10, 1912, and is buried in

known. Bustle is 49 years old and the tag as to be at least 59 years old. Blackburn was elected to the 59th Congress (1805-1907) and the campaign was in 1904.

A check through the Biographical Directory of the American Congress, 1774-1927, turned up so me information concerning Blackburn. and artificial eyes to nearly quarter of a million needy people

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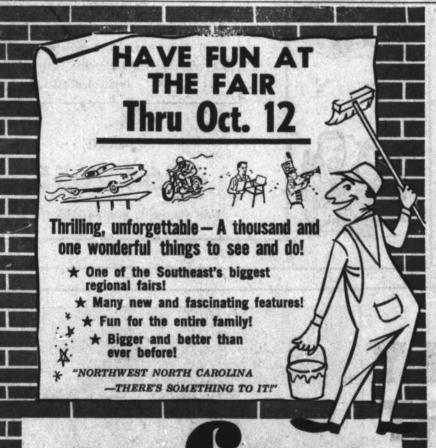
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