

**Formal Inspection Of Company "H" Is Set For Eight Tonight**

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(Tentative Machine Gun Regulations) Sergeant George E. Platt, Sergeant Charles Edwards.

Secure equipment, examination equipment, action fall out one, load, out of action, measuring angles.

Antiaircraft fire, action, out of action.

8:42 Physical Drill, Sergeant Charles F. Edwards.

8:45 Nomenclature and stripping pistol, Sergeant Elmer Downs.

8:48 First aid, use of tourniquet, resuscitation from drowning and application of splint to fractures, Corporal Glen Wyatt.

8:53 Making and rolling packs, Corporal Wm. G. Arrington.

8:58 Machine gun marksmanship, position and manipulation of gun on "E" target at 1,000 feet, Corporal Otto Morrow.

9:00 Mechanics of the machine gun, description field stripping, headpiece adjustment, nomenclature, functioning, immediate action, stoppages, cleaning during and after firing, Sergeant Fred H. Lewis.

9:10 Map reading, Sergeant George E. Platt.

9:14 Gas mask instruction, Corporal Glen Wyatt.

9:17 Transportation, Corporal Jack McCracken.

9:20 Interior guard duty, forming, position and relieving reliefs, challenging and action in case of fire, Lieutenant T. G. Boyd.

During the course of inspection a problem in indirect fire with machine guns will be given to selected non-commissioned officers and at the conclusion of the inspection the solution will be submitted to the inspecting officer, and the use of fire control instruments, the aiming circle, angle of site, field glasses, clinometer, lensatic compass and rangefinder will be explained.

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**News Events of World-Wide Interest**

—Briefly Told—

**Senator Long's First Bill**

Senator Rose McConnell Long, widow of Huey Long, offered in the Senate last week her first bill—a measure to authorize the Marine Band to attend a Confederate reunion at Shreveport, Miss. in June.

**The Walker's Have A Baby**

Last week, Mayor and Mrs. Jimmy Walker, Betty Compton, of the stage, adopted a six weeks old baby. She is blue eyed and will be christened Mary Patricia. Her foster parents got her from an Illinois adoption home to "start life anew."

**Exotic Beauty**

Last week representatives of 42,000 beauty shop owners of the United States selected Miss Ruth Coleman of Greenwich, Conn., as Miss 1937. She was picked because she is the "American exotic type." The description surprised her. "Gosh," she said, "I think they mean exotic in the face not in nature. I don't sit around and languish. If I have foreign blood it is too far back to remember it."

**Honored**

Last week Herbert Hoover, in recognition of his achievements as a mining engineer and of the exploration, and scientific work he did in China and Australia received an active life membership in the Explorers Club.

**Leaving Congress**

Mrs. Isabella Greenway, whose business interests include ranching, mining and a hotel, announced last week that she would retire from office at the end of her present term as Representative at large from Arizona. She must devote more time to business she said.

**CCC Camps To Continue**

President Roosevelt's recently-announced plan to close 700 of the 3,158 CCC Camps stirred such protest in the House that the Executives issued an order for maintenance of the existing camps throughout most of the next fiscal year. In a statement he said, "Unless such camps are reduced as a result of the completion of the work being performed by the enrollment of any camp."

**N. C. Welcomes President**

En route to Florida for his fishing trip, President Roosevelt traveled by the Atlantic Coast Line Railway, which took him through Rocky Mount, N. C. During the stop there he was given an ovation by the crowds gathered to catch a glimpse of the chief executive.

**War Forseen**

Senator Pittman, Nevada Democrat, chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, in a speech recently charged the League of Nations with utter failure to take "sufficient action to enforce its decrees against powerful governments."

**Wet Counties Organize**

To work for the retention of the county liquor control system, representatives of the 17 North Carolina counties operating liquor stores, met in Greenville last week, and formed an organization electing Thomas H. Woodard, of Wilson, chairman, and Roy T. Council of Pitt county secretary. An advisory board to work with the officers was also named.

**More Fighting Planes**

Describing equipment of the army air corps as "impotent" and "inadequate," the House military committee Tuesday unanimously recommended to Congress the building up of a fleet of 4,000 military airplanes. Representative Rogers, Democrat of New Hampshire declared, "Our nation is no longer protected from attacks because of the wide extent of the Atlantic and the Pacific coasts, and we must protect ourselves accordingly."

**North Carolina's Allotment**

The U. S. Treasury department reported last week and unexpected balance of \$25,415,000 credited to North Carolina from 1935 Federal emergency appropriations—nearly one-half of the total of \$55,750,000 allotted to the state. Only \$194,000 of the \$9,554,000 allocated for highway work and grade crossing elimination had been used. That was the largest unexpended balance.

**Demonstration Meetings Given**

Dellwood club, Thursday, April 3, at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Murray Ferguson.

Jonathan club, Friday, April 3, at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Riley Boyd.

Cecil club, Saturday, April 4, at 2 o'clock at the school house.

Beaverdam club, April 7, at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Harley Reno.

Fines Creek club, April 9, at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Reeves Noland.

Egg dishes will be prepared at the meetings. The discussions will be on: Compositions, food value, effect of high temperature on eggs and ways of using eggs. Care of eggs and fowls will also be discussed.

Interesting topics will be given by the club members, "When Spring Comes," "If You Would Find Happiness," "Woman's Interest in 1936 Farm Plan," "Dietary Deficiencies of Farm Families," and a story "Origin of Easter Lily."

The public is cordially invited to attend the club meeting.

**County Basketball Champions**



Above are shown the Fines Creek boys team who won the Haywood County Championship on last Friday when they played Canton, at Clyde. They won by a score of 36 to 17. Noland and McElroy won honors for scoring the most points. Kneeling, left to right: Sparks, Ferguson, Messer and Rogers. Standing, McElroy, Noland, Justice and Rathbone.

**County Game Warden Service In Haywood Is Outstanding**

(Continued from front page.)

Willie Poston, Cruso, S. Howell, Crawford's Creek, C. W. Moody, Sunburst, Hancy Beach, Camp Branch, James R. Platt, Maggie, Robert Howell, Jonathan Creek, Nathan Walker is in charge of Chambers Mountain tower, Clyde, which is connected by phone with Mr. Platt's residence, in order that he may be notified at once in case of fire. Ninety per cent of the county can be seen from this tower. The only sections not visible are the Big East Fork behind Cold Mountain, and Crabtree Bald on Fines Creek. Mr. Platt says that even with his familiarity with every fishing stream and hunting ground in the county, he sometimes has trouble in locating and finding the fires.

In 1934 when the county withdrew its support, and likewise the state, there were fires which burned 10,333 acres, with an estimated value of \$30,999. While in 1935 there were 40 fires the total damage was \$3,000.00. There were in the entire western district in 1935 422 fires with a damage of \$42,500. The average damage in the state per acre in 1933 was \$3.40; in 1934, \$2.40, and in 1935, \$2.10. The estimate, however, for the district in 1935 was \$3.05, since there is more forest acreage in this section than many others.

While these are definite figures as to certain values, there are many indirect losses, due to erosion and destruction to wild life, which curtail recreational value of property. It was interesting to learn of the causes of fires which are as follows: Brush burning, 17 per cent; hunters, campers, 11 per cent; railroads, 5 per cent; lumbering, 1 per cent; incendiary 46 per cent; smokers, 13 per cent; miscellaneous, 5 per cent, and unknown, 2 per cent.

While there were more fires in 1935 than 1934, the average fire was smaller, the per cent of area burned less, and the actual cost of suppressing the fire, less, which goes to show the increased efficiency of the warden organization.

Setting a conservative figure of 3 cents per acre per year as being necessary for adequate protection, this district should have, with its 1,190,000 forest acres \$36,000 annually for fire protection. Instead last year the allotment was \$9,000. It is further estimated that in these western counties forest lands pay between 5 and 25 cents per year in taxes. The only portion of this which reverts to direct benefit of the forest land is that portion which may be appropriated for forest protection. It can be readily seen that forest lands more than pay the amount necessary to protect them and bear their share of other governmental expenses.

During 1935 Mr. Platt sold fishing licenses to the amount of \$1,382, and hunting licenses amounted to \$1,914, totaling \$3,296 collected. These figures alone show the keen interest in these sports, and should be conclusive argument of the importance of preserving and protecting both. The fish hatchery at Balsam has had a large share of educating the public in general to a greater appreciation of the natural resources of this section, with an idea of conservation. Thousands of fish from this hatchery have been planted in Haywood streams.

The recent organization of a Wild Life Club is further evidence of the growing interest in the preservation of nature. Mr. Platt wishes that he had some place in which he could collect specimens of wild life and native woods, that might be the nucleus of a county museum, not only for the benefit of the tourists, but as an educational project for the children.

After talking with our forest warden and game and fish protector one is impressed with the fact that his selection was a wise one for the county. He does not think in terms of mere hunting or fishing licenses, or mere putting out the fires, but he has a broad and far reaching vision of conservation that does not confine itself to the present generation, but for generations to come.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ward have as their guests the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Owenby, who have just returned, after spending the past winter, in West Palm Beach, Fla.

Dr. and Mrs. N. M. Medford and young daughter, BeBe, and son, Phil, who have been the guests of relatives at various points in Florida, have returned home.

**Literary Contests To Be Held 7th For Grammar Schools**

The literary events of the elementary grades for the observance of Haywood County Day will be held at Waynesville Township High School at 8:00 o'clock on April the 7th. While the elementary school field meet will take place on the Bethel athletic field, beginning at 1:00 o'clock on Friday the 10th.

The following are the rules governing the recitation-declamation contests of the literary section, at the Township High School: One elementary school boy from each district will be eligible to participate provided, they have won first place previously in the county elementary recitation-declamation contest; the contest shall be held in two sections—one for the girls and one for the boys; the delivery of the pieces should be from 7 to 10 minutes; the school entertaining the contest is to furnish two medals, one for the winner of the declamation contest and one for the winner of the recitation contest; the school entertaining the contest is to furnish out-of-the-county judges; a five point system of judging shall be used, 5-4-3-2-1; the school entertaining the contest shall furnish the musical entertainment for the contest.

Other events of the Haywood County Day program will be the features for the high school students as follows: High school recitation-declamation contest, which will be held at the Fines Creek auditorium on Tuesday night at 8:00 o'clock, April the 14th; the high school field meet will take place at the Canton athletic field beginning at 10:00 o'clock Saturday morning, April the 11th.

Districts participating in the events will be Bethel, Canton, Clyde, Fines Creek, and Waynesville.

Edna Katherine McGee, of East

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**Seal Sale Started For Crippled Children In This County**

The Seal Sale for the benefit of crippled children, which is being sponsored by the North Carolina League for crippled children, will begin on April 6th and last through the 12th, according to Jack Messer, district director.

The local sale will be carried on by members of the Rotary Club, while the Y's men in Canton will have charge of the sale there.

Approximately 90 per cent of the funds derived from the sale will be kept for local work. The objects of the league are: to provide a continuous program for the care, cure, and education, and placement of crippled children in the state; to stimulate and encourage public clinics to constantly combat accident and disease responsible for crippled conditions; and to promote the establishment of orthopedic centers when advisable.

**Several From Here Attend Welfare Meet**

The district welfare meeting which was held in Franklin on Tuesday was marked by a large attendance and a program of exceptional interest. The speakers included both state and national authorities.

Among those from Haywood county who attended were: J. T. Cathey, W. G. Byers, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Haynes, Miss Carolina Allison, Mrs. Doyle D. Alley, Dr. C. N. Sisk, of Waynesville, and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bailey and Miss Victoria Bell, of Canton, the latter district supervisor of welfare work of this district.

Waynesville, and Dorothy Richeson, of Hazelwood, were tied for first place in the recitation contest, and they will meet at the high school today to decide the winner. Melba Rathbone, of Central Elementary, won third honors.

Judges in the girls' contest were Mrs. Stamey, Mrs. Kellett, and Miss Margaret Ashton, and for the boys' contest Mrs. Jones, Miss Bessie Boyd, and Mr. Neil Henderson, all teacher in the local high school.

**Schoolmasters Club Held Meeting Mon.**

The Haywood County Schoolmasters Club met on Monday evening in the banquet hall of the Methodist church, where dinner was enjoyed, followed by the meeting. C. E. Weatherly, president, presided.

Frank A. Barber, of Asheville, president of the recently organized North Carolina League for crippled children, addressed the group. He outlined the purpose of the organization and told of the splendid work in this field that had been accomplished by the Rotary Club, of Asheville.

The annual election of officers was held, with the following being elected to serve during the coming year: president, Fred L. Safford, principal of the Fines Creek High School; secretary, Frank Ferguson, Jr., treasurer, Charlie F. Owen, of Dellwood.

The April meeting will be held at the Lake Logan club house, and later night will be observed.

**HAYWOOD CHAPTER U. D. C. TO HOLD APRIL MEETING**

The Haywood Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy will meet tomorrow afternoon, with Mrs. C. C. White, Mrs. O. R. Martin, president, will preside. Mrs. W. L. McCracken will have the paper at the afternoon.

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