

Fines Creek Wins In Camp Competition

The Fines Creek chapter of F. F. A. won first place in camp competition last week while at the Western State camp at Parnassville. The other chapters were: Cherryville, Holdenite and Welcome.

Each chapter was scored on the following items: Baseball, softball, volley ball, horse shoe pitching, shuffle board, table tennis, setting up exercises, salute to the flag, care of quarters, spirit and industry displayed during work hours, and general conduct of groups.

The Fines Creek chapter scored 237 points out of a total of 275 points.

Camp Girls Entertain Rotarians And Visitors

Four girls from Camp Junaluska entertained the Rotary Club and 18 visitors here last Friday, with musical and dancing numbers.

Miss Elizabeth Anne Cole, Winchester, Ky., gave two whistling numbers, followed by two tap dances by Miss Martha Verdi, of Atlanta, Miss Betty Simmons, of Charlotte, rendered two violin solos, and was accompanied by Miss Christine Ridge, of Louisville, Ky., who later sang two numbers.

Chas. E. Ray was in charge of the program.

VISITORS INVITED

Masonic Lodge No. 258 A. F. & A. M. will hold a meeting especially for visiting Masons on Friday of this week, August 5th, at p. m., in the Masonic Temple. All Masons who are visitors in Waynesville at this season are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

ROPE RESCUES BOY

Gowanda, N. Y.—Walter Stoll, 18-year-old camper, who suffered serious injury in a 70-foot fall down a sheer escarpment in Zoar valley, was brought to the top of the cliff by an improvised rope stretcher after a physician had given him first aid.

DROWNS AS FRIENDS LAUGH

Churchville, N. J.—Jas. Payne, 17, drowned while his friends on the shore laughed, thinking that the boy's cries for help, while swimming in Black Creek, were a joke. Payne, a strong swimmer, went down before watchers realized that he was in need of help.

Bang's Disease Is Costly To Dairymen

Tests for Bang's disease—most costly disease facing dairymen today—have been completed in six counties, eradicating programs are in progress in 15 other counties and seven are on the "waiting list," Dr. William Moore, chief of the N. C. Department of Agriculture's veterinary division has announced.

Testing work is now in progress in Haywood.

The department is co-operating with the federal Bureau of Animal Industry in a program to eliminate Bang's disease, but before work can be started in any county, the board of county commissioners or the county's governing body must sign an agreement with the State-Federal co-operating agencies. When an agreement is signed, it then becomes compulsory for all cattle owners to have their animals tested.

If Bang's disease is found in any co-operating county, the diseased animals are condemned, appraised and the owner paid for stock slaughtered by the federal government.

The Bang's control program was launched in North Carolina in the latter part of 1934, and in four years 48,425 herds comprising 387,250 cattle have been tested and 13,597 diseased animals condemned and slaughtered and indemnity paid.

LIVESTOCK

Prices furnished by the Haywood Mutual Stock Yards, of Clyde. Prices are based on sales of last Thursday. (All prices quoted per hundred)

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| Calves | \$6.00 to \$10.30 |
| Heifers | \$6.00 to \$7.50 |
| Cows | \$4.50 to \$5.75 |
| Bulls | \$5.00 |
| Steers | \$6.50 to \$7.10 |
| Total sales | \$3,000.00 |

URGES "DUMMY" SPEED COPS

Toronto, Can.—"Dummy" speed cops, realistic figures of wood and paint, mounted on motorcycles, may be placed along the highways if highway officials listen to N. A. McDougall, who says the figures will make motorists drive "more sanely." His idea is that motorcycle policemen would be instructed to park in a similar manner to the signs and motorists would correct their driving before reaching the sign.

Haywood Boy Wins Farm Award



L. Bruce Gunter, of Fuquay Springs, vice president of the State Cotton Association, is shown here presenting Jim Davis, of Waynesville, with a one-year tuition scholarship and \$100 in cash as first prize in the eleventh annual Co-operative Essay contest.

In his essay on "The Kind of Farmer I Intend to Be," Davis stressed the importance of character, education, selection of a life-partner, choosing a farm, soil management, business management, and an ample income. "Contrary to public opinion," declared Davis, "I think the average farm, if managed intelligently, can provide a decent and comfortable living for the farmer and his family."

Davis, who has already made application to State College this fall, where he will study agriculture, said he wanted to learn how to select livestock, plant crop rotations, livestock

rations, learn and understand more about co-operative organizations such as the Farmers Co-operative Exchange, the State Cotton Association and other organizations that are helping to make successful agriculture.

Davis set forth the qualifications he expects the future Mrs. Davis to have in the following paragraph:

"In selecting a life-partner I want to get a woman with good character, robust health, neat in appearance, possessing a good education, a good cook and willing to work and live on the farm and can enjoy farm life."

He declared that "Farming is a business that must be managed as such," commented upon the fact that there is something for the farmer to do every day in the year. He said he intended to guarantee a source of income through a diversified plan of operation which would balance crops and livestock on his farm.

County Schools Have Good Opening Attendance

The enrollment for the three schools that opened in the county on Monday of this week was unusually good, according to Jack Messer, superintendent of the board of education.

The schools that opened were Fines Creek, Bethel and Crabtree.

An exact enrollment was not available this week, but Mr. Messer said it was satisfactory, and that all three schools opened without "a hitch" and were getting down to work on the new school term.

The United States government offers its co-operation with other governments in attempting to "humanize" warfare, but it seems almost farcical to talk of humanizing such a thing as war.

An investigation in one state discloses the fact that 300 persons paid pensions for being blind, also have automobile drivers' licenses.

Loans Available To Haywood Tenants For Buying Farms

Haywood county is listed among the 50 counties in this state which the Farm Security Administration will make loans this fiscal year to tenants to buy and improve farms under the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act. The announcement was made by Supervisor T. Newton Cook, Waynesville, who has charge of FSA work in Haywood and Buncombe counties.

Mr. Cook said the counties were designated on the basis of type of farming area, prevalence of tenancy and availability of good farm land at fair prices, figured on what the farms well managed can be expected to produce.

Applications for loans with which to buy farms will be made to Mr. Cook at the Farm Security Administration office which is located in the court house.

The period for receiving applications will be limited to 30 days, beginning August 5, and ending September 5, Mr. Cook said.

A three-farmer, county advisory committee will assist the county supervisor, examine applications, appraise farms applicants propose to purchase and recommend applicants qualified for successful farm ownership. Borrowers will have the aid of the Farm Security Administration in building or repairing their homes and in making plans to do better farming.

Engagement rings can now be adjusted to fit any finger. What a chance for the fellow who swaps fiancées ever so often.

SWIM 45 HOURS
Santa Monica, Cal.—After being in the water 45 hours, Paul Christian, a French swimmer, was forced to abandon his effort to swim 50 miles from Santa Barbara to the mainland, 15 miles short of his goal.

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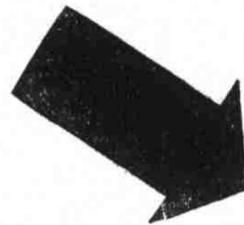
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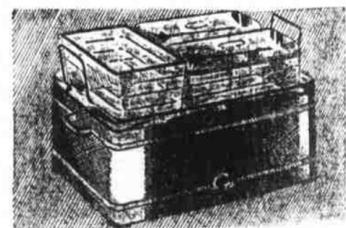
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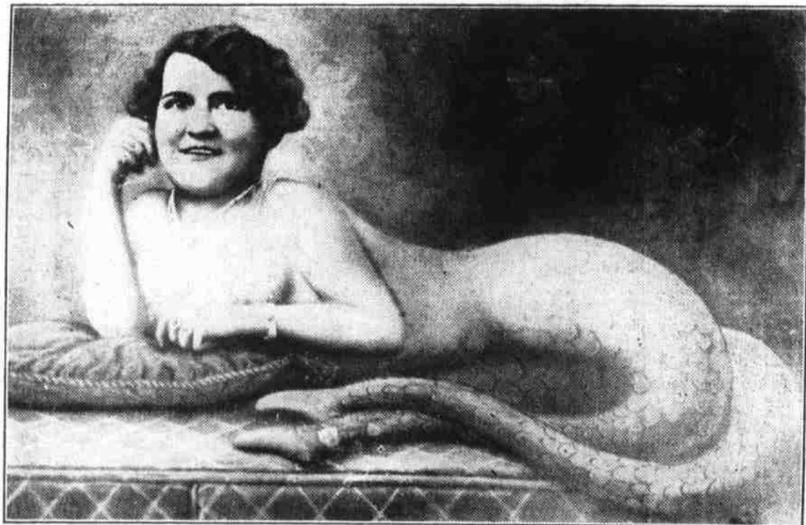
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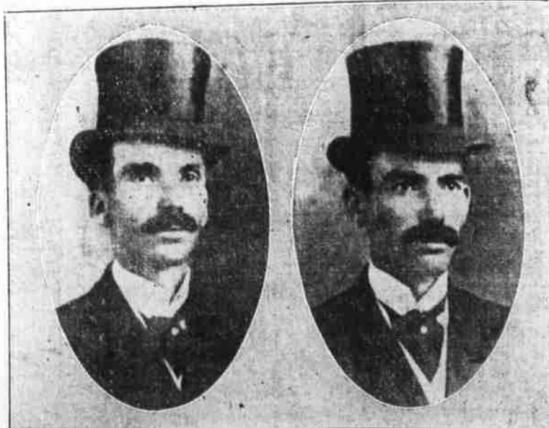


Is "Sea-Tiny," pictured above, the equal Sea-Tiny, from an anatomical standpoint. Sea-Tiny is one of the feature attractions with the Mammoth Marine Hippodrome that will be presented from time to time, exhibit in Waynesville for one day only, Tuesday, August 16. The exhibit will be located near Main and Rogers streets, immediately on arrival and will be open to the public from noon until 11 p. m. Admission ten cents.

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