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### **Inquiries Coming** In for Summer Accommodations

The 1941 tourist season gives promises of a good year, according to J. Dale Stentz, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

During the months of March and April the local office received inquiries regarding hotels, and other tourist occommodations, scenery, climate, amusements and sports from the following states and countries: Alabama, Florida, South Carolina, Ohio, New York, New Jersey, Virginia,

Also, Tennessee, Illinois, Pennsylvania, Iowa, Maryland, Missouri, Texas, Kentucky, Indiana, Rhode Island, California, District of Columbia, Cuba, Canal Zone, Canada.

There have also been a number of inquiries from the citizens of North Carolina, with the Piedmont section

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Details were completed this week for the formal opening of the large new building of Garrett Furniture Company on Saturday, May 10.

Truck load after truck load of furniture from the plants over the state have been hauled into the building this week, and according to N. W. Garrett, owner, "when the formal opening is held on the 10th, we will have the largest stock of household goods ever assembled in this section of the state."

The new building has 18,000 square feet of floor space, and will afford displaying the merchandise to a better advantage, it was pointed out.

"The stock was bought on the low market, and cannot be duplicated for those prices today," Mr. Gar-rett said.

Mr. Garrett said yesterday that the firm would probably open for business in the new store this morning.

A special useful and beautiful gift will be given each family attending the opening, details of which will be given in next week's issue of this newspaper.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller, of New York City, have arrived to take over the management of the dining room at the Waynesville Country Club. They plan to open the dining room this week.

Mr. Miller has had a wide experience in club management. During the World's Fair in New York he was in charge of the Switzerladnd Pavilion, which had a seating capacity of 900.

He was foremrly in charge of the West Side Club of New York, the Lakeville Country Club at Great

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Henderson's Corner will open for business today, in the building opposite the post office on Main street, with R. C. Gunn, owner and manager, assisted by his daughter, Mrs. Henderson.

A complete soda fountain service, a modern luncheonette, a full line of tobaccos and drug sundries will be featured.

Mr. Gunn was connected with United Cigar Company for 18 years, and for 6 years operated their Pack Square store in Ashe-

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Franklin Delano Roosevelt, third, enjoys the circus in New York with his mother, Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., the former Ethel du Pont. The President's grandson is just another wide-eyed young-ster, though, as he watches the circus wonders.

### **NYA City Park And** School Projects Will Start Monday

Seventy Boys Between 16 And 25 Will Be Signed Up For the Two Projects

Applications for jobs on the NYA city park and school projects which will start on Monday are being made at the office of of Mrs. Jimmy Boyd NYA supervisor of Haywood county who is in charge of signing up the boys for David Stentz Is

Mrs. Boyd expects to put 70 boys on the two jobs with 35 on the park project and 35 on the school projects. Boys between the ages of 16 and 25 are asked to

The park project calls for improvements on the city park and the entrance into Greenhill ceme-

The school project will include painting and general repairing of the school buildings and grounds.

and the county board of education will select a foreman for the school

### Shoe Company Men Satisfied With **Construction Job**

Two officials of the Wellco Shoe Corporation, which will be operated in connection with the Dayton Rubber Manufacturing Company, spent the first of the week here on

While here they consulted local people about housing arrangements for faimiles of the corporation, who will move here when the plant is in operation in early sum-

Both were well pleased with the progress being made on the construction of the plant just south of Hazelwood. The plant will also house the shoe company,

The contract calls for the completion of the plant by July 15th,

### FDR, 3rd at the Circus Waynesville Has No American Mother Passenger Train Service Now

Suspension on Murphy Branch Due to Shortage of Coal Supply

The suspension of the Southern Railway passenger trains between Asheville and Murphy on Tuesday, left all towns on the Murphy Branch completely without passenger service.

Officials of the company reported to have stated that these trains and 18 others on the Southern Railway will remain suspended until the coal supply is replenished. The company's coal supply has run low since the coal mining operations stopped as a result of labor

The dropping from the railroad schedule of other trains will effect connections of travelers between here and Raleigh as well as other towns in the eastern part of the state and also points west of Knoxville.

It was learned unofficially that the suspension was not like to last longer than a ten day period.

The mails on the Murphy Branch are being carried by freight trains. The one coming from Asheville and the other coming from Murphy are scheduled to pass between here and Hazelwood, but it is said that they are rarely on time, being delayed usually from two to three hours.

It was roughly estimated that this new method of carrying the mails would result in a six hour delay of first class mail and a 24 hour loss of time in receiving parcel post and express. It was learned that postal officials have been out on the Murphy Branch trying to work out a more satis-factory and quicker delivery.

### Commissioned 2nd Lt. In Air Corps

David Stentz, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Dale Stentz, received his commission as a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Corps at Barksdale Field near Shreveport, La., on Friday along with 69 others in the "Pursuit Squadron" of which he was a member.

Young Stentz started his train-A foreman will be appointed by at Fort Worth, Tex., where he recity officials for the park project ceived his primary instructions in Later he was transferred to Randolph Field near San Antonio, Texas, where he took his intermediate courses.

For his work in advanced flying he was sent to Barksdale Field. During the next 30 days he will either be assigned as an instructor at some field or in a tactile unit,

Lt. Stentz was educated in the local schools and at Brevard Col-His mother and his sister, Miss Mary Stentz and Miss Haseltine Swift attended the graduation exercises at the flying field on

### Frank W. Miller Who Suffered Heart Attack

Reported Improving

Frank W. Miller, who suffered a heart attack last Saturday, was night. Mr. Miller had not been well for several days, but was taken seriously ill on Saturday and on pected to be back in the community before that time.

Sunday was removed from his home among the first to build a home at to the Haywood County Hospital, Lake Junaluska, have arrived for where he is now a patient.



Election of Mrs. Dena Shelby Diehl, of Danville, Ky., as American Mother of 1941 was announced by the Golden Rule Association. She is a widow and the mother of four children, and by marriage a great-great granddaughter of Isaac Shel-by, Revolutionary War hero and first governor of Kentucky.

### 29 Seniors Will Receive Diplomas From Clyde School

Graduating Exercises Start On Sunday Night And Close On Wednesday Night Hanson Brothers

Graduation exercises of the Clyde high school will be held on Wednesday night, May the 7th, at 8 o'clock in the Baptist church of

The Rev. Nane Starnes, pastor of the West Asheville Baptist church, will deliver the literary address. Class awards will be made and diplomas will be pre-sented to 29 graduates of the school The baccalaureate sermon will

be delivered by the Ry L G Huggin, Jr., pastor of the Waynesville Methodist church at 8 o'clock on Sunday evening in the Clyde Baptist church.

The senior class-night exercises will be held in the auditorium of the Hazelwood school on Tuesday night, May the 6th, at 8 o'clock. The Clyde high school has been ing last September at Hicks Field holding daily classes in the old Clyde high school been in the process of construction

The graduates who will receive diplomas on Wednesday night in-Muse, Essie Mae Hall, Anna E. Hall, Jean P. Haynes, Hellen Dotson, Vesta Hopkins, Mildred Robbinson, Gwendolyn Haynes, Sarah Grasty, Pauline Smith, Harley King, Oris Sizemore, Glenn Messer, Clarence Hughey, Florence Smith, Lucille Cathey, Hurst Justice, Jr., Jack Dotson, Hubert Rogers, Melvin Henline, Robert Suttles, Carrol Hawkins, James Brown, Charles Dotson, Fred Brown, Edwin Seay, Homer Snyder, and Mildred Shuler,

Little June Spencer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Spencer, and Joe Noland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rural Noland, are mascots of the class. W. L. Fitzgerald has reported to be much improved last served as sponsor of the 1941 class.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Adams, of Tampa and Durham, who were

# **More Equipment**

A new 13-yard carryall, and an-

The equipment, with scores of other giant-size pieces, are now on the 7-mile project, which starts at Soco Gap, and goes westward to Big Witch Gap.

Clearing has been completed for about a mile and a half, and grading of a pioneer road has been completed for about a mile.

# Allen Family to Hold

As has been the custom for several years, the Rev. C. L. Allen will be in charge of the program. week.

# 4 Haywood Towns Will Vote Tuesday

### **First Farm Tour** Of Year Planned For Saturday

The first farm tour of the 1941 season will take place on Saturday when the alfalfa acreage in the county will be visited under the sponsorship of the county farm

Any farmer or person desiring to make the tour who does not have means of transportation may be provided for if they will notify the county agents.

Alfalfa is proving to be one of the most profitable crops grown on Haywood farms and the tour has been planned in order that those who have not tried it on their places may see the success others are having.

Every one taking the tour is sked to meet at the court house at 9:45 on Saturday morning. The first stop will be made at the farm of John Allen in Beaverdam, where the party will arrive at 10:15. The next stop at 11 o'clock will be made at the Osborne Dairy Farm; followed by a visit to the W. A. Bradley place in Waynesville at 11, and the stop will be made at the Lowe Allen farm on Allen's

### See Each Other After 22 Years

"I'm impressed with this section of the country, and like your beef cattle," said E. H. Hanson, of Caledonia, Minn., who is visiting his brother, C. C. Hanson, of Clyde. Mrs. Hanson accompanied him down on their first trip into this section, and will spend two weeks, including a trip to My lie Beach.

Mr. Hanson is a farmer and cattle raiser, being especially interested in the Hereford breed of beef

This is the first time in 22 years that the brothers have seen each other. Their home is in South Dakota C. C. Hanson moved to-this sec-

schools and for the last 4 years has C. A. Scruggs, W. T. Queen and held that position with the Clyde

In speaking of farming conditions in Minnesota, Mr. Hanson clude; Freda Hall, Edythe Henson pointed out that he has seen the mercury drop to 40 below zero on

### Owners of Balsam **Lodge Arrive for Summer Season**

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Parson, owners and operators of the Balsam Lodge, at Balsam, have ar rived from Miami for the summer season. During the winter the former was connected with the management of the Casalomore Hotel at Coral Gables.

They are making extensive improvements on the Balsam Lodge, which contains accommodations for around 30 guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Parsons plan to open the lodge for guests around the 15th of this month, and are optimistic over the coming season.

## Put On Parkway

other large tractor were added to equipment of Lowdermilk Brothers, Parkway contractors this

### Reunion with Mr. and Mrs Jim Kelley on May 4th

The Allen family will hold their annual reunion on Sunday, May the 4th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kelly. Those attending are asked to assemble at 10 o'clock and bring lunches which will be spread ill, was reported slightly better late

#### Heavier Than Usual, Is Pre-Election Predictions As Interest Increases

Voters in Haywood's four towns will elect town officials next Tuesday, in what now looks like a heavy turn out of citizens, as interest increases in each of the respective elections.

The polls in all four of the towns will open at seven and remain open until seven in the evening. All tickets are expected to be counted out by ten o'clock.

The elections will be patterned in general, after state elections, 18 was explained by election officials.

There will be no mayor's race in Waynesville, as no one filed against Mayor J. H. Way, who is a candidate for re-election. The mayor's race in the other three towns is creating quite a bit of comment, as four have filed in Hazelwood and two in Canton and

### 5 Seek Place As Waynesville Aldermen

In Waynesville, a new registration was called, and about 1,100 names are now on the books. A vote of about 750 is expected.

Five candidates have filed for members of the Waynesville board of aldermen; L. M. Killian, T. L. Bramlett and Hugh Massie are seeking re-election. The other two candidates are Roy Campbell and J. C. Patrick.

Election officials are Frank Ferguson, registrar, Henry Gaddy and Jarvis Campbell, judges. Only one polling place will be

#### used-the court house, Hazelwood Has 4 For Mayor; 6 For Aldermen

Interest is running high in Ha-zelw od, with four candidates in the field for mayor, and six seek-ing a place on the board of alder-

Those on the mayor's ticket are: Dewey Hyatt, J. V. Blalock, Clyde Fisher and Sam Knight.

Blalock and Knight are present members of the board of aldermen. In the race for aldermen, Grady tion in 1923. For 8 years he was Smith is the incumbent, and others superintendent of the Bethel are L. M. Richeson, R. L. Prevost,

> Hazelwood has a registration of over 500, and something like 375 are expected to cast votes on next Tuesday.

Howard Passmore is regisrar, and W. A. Whitner and W. H. Snyder ar judges.

#### Clyde Has Two Tickets Out For Town Offices

Carl Swanger.

The two complete tickets in Clyde is making the cattle shipping town become the center of political activity in Haywood, as - (Continued on page 8' -

### Forest Fire On **Hyatts Creek Is** A Legal Burning

The bright reflection from a fire on the land of M. O. Galloway, on the head of Hyatt Creek, caused considerable comment in the community last night, as the fire cast a red glow in the skies.

According to Mark Hannah, county fire warden, it was a legal burning, as a permit had been issued Mr. Galloway allowing the tract of about 20 acres to be burned. Approximately 15 men were on

### control. Mr. Hannah said. **New Front Built** On Moody Grocery

the job keeping the blaze under

A modern front is being put in the E. C. Moody Grocery on Main street. The entrance will be to the right of the building, offording a large display window on the street.

The building is owned by D. Reeves Noland. Jerry Liner has the contract.

A. E. Ward, Seriously III, Reported Slightly Improved Last Night

The condition of A. E. Ward, of Lake Junaluska, who is seriously last night. Mr. Ward was taken to the Mission Hospital in Ashe-

# They Work While We Sleep



Lawrence Kerley, chief of the city fire department, as he was photographed one hight recently by Patsy Gwyn at the Fire Station.

Editor's Note-This is a third in a series of articles by Hilda Way Gwyn on local people "who work while we sleep." This week she interviewed Lawrence Kerley, chief of the city fire department, who is on call 24 hours, day and night. Another article will appear next

"Strange as it may seem the calmest person to ever call in a fire since I have been connected with the city fire department was little Ninkey Prevost, four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Prevost," said Lawrence Kerley, fire chief, who for 18 years has been a local fireman and for eight years employed by the city fire department.

"In an everyday steady voice, Ninkey just said, 'this is the residence of Mr. Ralph Prevost and the house is on fire'," he continued.

"Most people are just plain crazy over a fire, and that can include us firemen too. I have really seen men carry mattresses down stairs very (Continued on page 5) -