Muzzle-Loader Interest Visiting Writers At Cataloochee Funeral For

Two writers from national publications get some pointers about muzzle loading rifles from H. C. Wil-

burn, and Verlin Gibson. This picture was made at Cataloochec Ranch recently, when the annual

shooting match was held. The man on the extreme left, with back to camera is John Hemmer, chief

photographer for the State News Burcau. The man in the white jacket is John Gould, of Parade; in

the plaid shirt is Hamilton Cockrane, of Saturday Evening Post; holding the riflic and looking down in

H. C. Wilburn, an authority on mountain love and local histors, and on the extreme right is Verlin Gib-

son, who won two shooting matches in the past. He did not participate this year, but was an interested

Rural Road Program

Set Up In Haywood

who live by clay roads will be the first to benefit from Governor Kerr Scott's rural road program.

Kentucky Grower Praises

Hundreds of people escorting

When school ended in the after-

ville High School band in the cos- ment

tume parade through the rain from

(See Painting-Page 8)

Mr. Thrash told the audience Haywood, Along With Rest Of Nation, Jittery As

ple found no comfort this morning

Yesterday, John L. Lewis failed

on the front pages, the weather bul-

That night, more than 100 stu- verdam, Pigeon and Clyde,

Window

Painting

every road in the county as he is windows in the Waynesville Cham- farm in Iron Duff,

THE WAYNESVILLE MOUNTAINEER

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Mrs. Way

On Friday

Set For Three

of the late Dr. Way, prominent

Waynesville physician, died Wed-

nesday right at the home of her

daughter, Mrs. T. L. Gwyn She-

suffered a stroke last Saturday

ifter having been an invalid for

Funeral services will be held at

he First Methodist church Friday

afternoon at 3 o'clock, with the

pastor, the Rev. J. E. Yountz, of-

ficiating. Interment will be in

Serving as active pullbearers will be: J. M. Long, D. A. Howell,

J. W. Ray, Jonathan Woody, Hugh

Massie, J. H. Howell, Sr., W. Curtis

Mrs. Way, a native of Waynes-

ville, was the former Miss Marietta

Welch, daughter of the late Dr.

Robert Vance Welch and Caroline

Peoples Welch: She was educated

in private schools in Morrestown.

Tennessee and was graduated from

Lucy Cobb Institute, Athens, Ga

A leader in the community's re-

ligious, social and civic afe, Mrs.

in its affairs until ill health con-

fined her to her home. She served

and taught in the Children's De-

partment of the Sunday School

Girl Scout Drive

Is Started

This Morning

Green Hill Cemetery.

Russ and Jack Felmet.

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they felt they

and pick the pel of white nes. On Wed-

picked a dish

d licenses paid man had inlicense fee. he was going to hat the departgave no credit or marriage liwas not a de-

cluded expenses o Florida under ess travel." division also put against that de-out explanation.

eather upholster; e than 30 years barber chair in r shop has been ooks, the barber ness for a few week while the undergoing a plenty of comchair covering.

sioner Dale Thrash told 200 people at a hearing at the Court House at a hearing at the Court House Haywood Burley Crop man who hadn't nce at that sort people living on the clay roads I want it apyway killing a chicken over the most of executing the to wring its neck grasped the hen. inly at him with-

first.

rs, barbers have

Clyde, but Mr.

it by the neck, he gritted his teeth, tapidly around his furious whirls, he

he could hoping know.

self control, he his eyes and deup the crumpled.

ging hadn't killed

saw the body was crumpled. Walking slowly and

mity toward the there was only him to do.

to three months would be diverted nearest grocery to put gravel surfaces on clay hicken that someroads. he had a chicken

He said that, until this job is finished there would be no new family, but his construction started, and that there and his conscience would be no new hard-surface iven snow. (black top) paving jobs started unslept on her fareaming peacefully til next spring.

ship.

As for the order in which the letins or their own coal hins. dream about, the ault only a hazy

Haywood County school children

Tenth District Highway Commis-

Tuesday that the school hus routes

will get the road officials' attention

Second in line, he said, are the

Every township and community

If the delegates thought they Successful would be bringing new information

To virtually every statement des in spite of the cold rain.

areas to the district officials, they consumed children turned out Mon-

received a very pleasant surprise day night to celebrate Halloween,

section, District Engineer J. T. noon, 162 elementary and high

Knight replied, in effect: 'Yes, we school students took advantage of

with the driveway to his own ber of Commerce window-painting

mony also was Division Engineer dent, marched with the Waynes-

contest

in the county was represented at

on rural road conditions in their

scribing a poor road in a particular

Listening attentively to the testi-

One observer estimated that

some dozen requests for needed

road work came from each town-

that all efforts during the next two

Stuart of Mr. Thrash's office.

Scott's rural road program.

clay roads would be gravelled be said the work would be done first in his latest attempt to split the (See Roads-Page 8)

Committees Announced For Tobacco Festival

the Third Annual Haywood Couns ville Rotary Club. ty Tobacco Harvest Festival, time Community Floats-B C Franweek announced the membership ets. Ratcliffe Cove. chairman. Miss of the special committees which Betty Bradley, Bethel: Joe Palmer. are aiding in preparing the event Clyde. Assistant County Agent The Festival will open November, Wayne Franklin, and County Home 22 and continue through Novem- Demonstration Agent Mary Corn-

Waynesville Junior Chamber of Commerce

Troutman. Canton; W. A.

entering its 46th day Today, the Associated Press re-

Mr. Van Arsdall is helping to

"This is the time of year that

(See Burley-Page 6)

in the county last Monday.

ported coal had vanished in some most saw no prospects for getting citus of the Carolinas, and was more. rapidly being depleted in many | The Junaluska Coal Company of

ers and business tirms felt the rectly to a non-union Kentucky pinch with the end of the mild, mine for 12 tons.

Coal Shortage Pinches North and South Carolina pen- his demands in the coal strike, now start of the cold rains last week. Local dealers' supplies generally highest bidder. were completely exhausted, and

> Lake Junaluska reported that it In Haywood County, home own- was planning to send its trucks di-

Indian summer weather and the It reported that in effect the

'Blizzard' Hit Early Today Up At Fie Top

While Waynesville got an assortment of sunshine, rain and sleet this morning, there raged a mid-winter blizzard at Cata-

Ranch, reported the ground was already covered by eight o'clock, and a mixture of rain, snow and sleet was falling as fast as the

All the timber in the area of

No further details were avalable from Alexander as he was

The timber on the Plott Balsams was also covered with froz-

en fog and sleet at noon. The cold weather, and slim stocks of coal was the main topic of conversation here this morn-



Mrs. Geneva Saunooke (above) is one of 30 Cherokee Indians who donated their blood to the American Red Cross blood bank when the "bloodmobile" visited Cherokee, last week-end. She is holding the two pints she gave. The blood was brought to Asheville, and deposited for use by "palefaces," Indians or whoever happens to

Way was a member of the First Methodist church and was active to its affairs until the health confor many years as president of Local Red Cross Chapter

She also taught the Woman's Bible Haywood class which was named in her honor. The Marietta Way Class. She was one of the ploneer work-(See Mrs. Way—Page 8) **Ministers** To Meet

The Girl Scout Drive was launch. Church.

when a group of men from the of the First Baptist Church of Can- and W. Curtis Buss.

Lion's Club and the Girl Scout Ft-nance Committee met at Massie ton, will preside.

quality of Haywood county's crop. Cline, and Ben. Phillips of the stripping and crowding the markets. Joe Davis of the Finance Committy board of elections has declared charge of Mrs. Ethet Fisher, as

county expose the harvested to- The drive will continue through ago barco to the danger of deteriora- tomorrow in an effort to reach the | The ministerial association is extion from bad weather conditions, goal of \$1000 set by the committee, pected to propose a renewal of The purpose of the drive is to effort to get the county board to conduct a series of tobacco grad- make it possible for all girls in the call an election.

The Rev. D. D. Gross, area chairing demonstrations which started community to participate in a complete Girl Scout Program, Parl of man for CROP, will present the

The others were held in White funds will take care of many im- giving season. Oak, Waynesville, Crabtree, Bea- mediate needs at the Girl Scout Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hyatt and Weather Permits Hut, The Council also wants to Mr Van Arsdali said in his state- furnish the girls additional materi- daughter. Miss Kathryn Hyatt, als for Arts and Crafts and equip-spent last week end in Charlotte ment for many other phases of the purchasing Christmas merchandise for Hyatt's Fashion Corner

ville Chapter of the American Red meeting here Tuesday night, The board will meet soon and elect officers for the coming year. Three elected for a one-year

term on the board of directors are completed and approved. were: Leo Weill, Mrs. Charles Ray, The Haywood County Ministerial Wayne Corporing and N. W. Gar-Association will meet Monday at reft two year ferms; O. L. Yates, 12.30 P. M. for the monthly lunch- M. R. Williamson, Joe Davis, and piete, and possibly not before the con at Long's Chapel Methodist Mrs. Jonathan Woody three year contract is let." terms: Mrs. Frieda Knopf, Mrs. ed this morning at 9:30 o'clock The Rev. Horace Smith, pastor Richard Barber, Mrs. David Hyatt,

Before the election, Rev. M. R. 1950 Burley The Rev. M. R. Williamson, Williamson, who has served a tucky's leading burley tobacco charge of the drive are Francis chairman of the committee on more chapter chairman for several years, growers, today complimented the Massie Lawrence Leatherwood Joe als will report on plans for the gave a brief report on some of the It will be recalled that the council of our that the office, which is in at the opening sales and pointed tee. Members of the Girl Scoot and and void the petition with signoccutive accretacy, had aided 346 ans with service, helped bring one veteran from Germany to the bedside of his tather, found a man who had been out of touch with his

(See Red Cross-Page 6)

Knight appeared as familiar with pours to try their art on the store year road in the county as he is windows in the Waynesville Chams.

Let all the people know, but keep it from the weatherman-the plens are to have the power off Sunday from 1.30 to 5:30," Harry fourle on, local manager for Carotina Power and Light Company said today

The four hour power shut-off has been scheduled for two pre- First National To your, fundays and postponed both times because of rain.

The shut-off is necessary in order to make a change-over of high vol-

A company official said retail All REA lines, and the areas of dealers were paying about \$2 per

and Balsam are included in the shut-off, Mr. Burleson said,

(See Coal-Page 8) Merchanis Complete Plans For Coming Holiday Season

The Waynesville Merchants Asnew schedule of store hours for the diately after Christmas. coming holiday season and acted on other matters of business.

The members decided: Stores will be closed from 10 Carl Mundy, J. L. Newton, and m. until noon Armistice Day C

Stores will be closed all day Thanksgiving (Nov. 24).

very Wednesday from Thanksgiv- Chamber of Commerce. ing until Christmas and remain closed all day Monday following

They will resume the Wednessociation last Tuesday adopted a day noon cloting schedule imme-

A town Christmas decorating committee was appointed with Herbert Eraren as chairman and

J. Reece as members. The Association also voted to recommend that the Chamber of Commerce board of directors ap-They will remain open all day ply for membership in the U.S.

> A spokesman explained that (See Merchants-Page 6)

To Start Building Next Aug.

TODAY'S SMILE

choice.

\$3.00 In Advance In Haywood and Jackson Counties

"Must you go?" asked the "Oh, no," said the departing guest. "It's purely a matter of

Haywood County Hospital will get a 51-bed annex under the federal-state hospital aid program.

This was decided yesterday at a meeting of representatives of tha State Medical Care Commission, the Haywood County commissioners

and the hospital's board of trustees. George A. Brown, Jr., chairman of the board of commissioners, said after the meeting that the project would be under contract by next August.

The commissioners officially engaged Lindsay Gudger of Asheville as architect for the new addition, which will give the hospital a capacity of 100 beds when it is com-

Mr. Brown said the architect has 30 days to prepare preliminary plans for submission to the county commissioners for approval, and five months to complete the perm-

The total improvements, including the new construction, repairs to the old building and the purchase of new equipment will cost approximately \$510,000, Mr. Brown

The State and Federal Governments will pay approximately 70 per cent of the cost. The county will finance the remainder from the \$225,000 bond issue which the voters aproved in the October 1 election, he explained.

He said the Commission repre-Cross were elected at the annual sentatives-Mr. Hamilton and Mr. Jones of Raleigh-assured the county and hospital officials that the state and federal funds would be available as soon as the plans

Mr. Brown adder: "We won't start selling the county bonds before the plans are com-

The bonds will be sold through (See Hospital—Page 8)

Price Support May Be Higher

The U. S. Department of Agriculture yesterday saw the probat the opening sales and painted tee. Members of the Garl Scout hat the open sheds in the Council are assisting the workers. Datumers collected several months veterans with applications for intobacco crops than those of this

> The USDA's Bureau of Agricultural Economics said that the 1950 crop's level of price support will continue to be 90 per cent of parity, under the provisions of the

> new agricultural act The Bureau, meanwhile, forecast that next year's tobacco exports would reach 450,000,000 pounds-at the minimum - and possibly more

Estimates are that 1949 exports would be around 465,000,000

Under the computing method of the new farm law, next year's parity prices cannot fall below those computed under the present sys-

Close Noon On Friday

The First National Bank will tage lines, from 22,000 volts to close at noon on Friday, in tribute to Mrs. J. Howell Way, whose funeral will be held at three ton above the normal wholesale Junaluska, Waynesville, Hazelwood o'clock. Mrs. Way's husband, the late Dr. Way, was one of the founders, and for many years served as chairman of the board of directors of the bank.

> Highway Record For 1949 (To Date) In Haywood Killed . . Injured . . . 38

(This information compiled from Records of State Highway Patrol).

COOLER

ovember 3-Partly er today. Tonight

aynesville temperaed by the staff of the

Max, Min, Rainfall 1.46

with frost, Friday

The committees: Store Decorating — Waynesville Lions Club; City Decorating-David Felmet, chairman: Felix E. N. Stovall, G. C. Ferguson, J. H. Way,

Wayne Corpening, chairman of Jonathan Woody and the Waynes

Commercial Float and Parade-

Band-Charles Isley, chairman (See Festival-Page 6)

loochee Ranch.

Tom Alexander, owner of the mercury in the thermometer.

Cataloochee was covered with

busy keeping water pipes from