

WEDNESDAY, MAY 13, 1950

## THE YOUNGER SET

By MILDRED MEDFORD  
High School Senior



pair of a young girl madly in love with an ex-convict—Johnny Patterson. Jimmy McJunkin was always on hand to take Coretta's shoes off and just "kinda" look after her. They had only been going together for 25 years.

Deryl Davis played the part of George Garrett's right hand man... he even had a police uniform on, and if I am not mistaken it was real... gun and all.

Bob Owen, who played the part of Vivian's uncle, refused to let her marry Johnny... so he was killed. And Don Whisenhunt sure did get one big wallop on his head... for being the leader of the gangsters.

John Terrell made a wonderful doctor, although he didn't try to cure people, but give them dope, and Frances Hoyle acts as his assistant... did all of his dirty work for him.

If it hadn't been for those working backstage, it would have certainly been a hard job to present the play. Everyone of them did an excellent job. Mary Osborne made up some beautiful programs and took special care with our money as the Business Manager. And to make high school girls and boys look as if they were 40 years old is one hard job, but Nancy Floyd did it. She also, with the help of Gene Yarborough, sure did give the play advertisement. Kathleen Calhoun, as the costume mistress, figured out what each person had to wear in the play, and in what act they should wear it. Nancy and Susie Stamey had charge of get-

## TRUMAN WARNS AGAINST ISOLATION



IN THE FIRST SPEECH of his 6,400-mile speaking tour, President Truman (arrow, top) tells a crowd of 10,000 gathered around his train platform in Galesburg, Ill., that a turnback to a policy of isolationism "would certainly lead to a third world war." The townfolk knew he was coming, so they baked a cake, shown being presented (bottom) on the occasion of the Chief Executive's 66th birthday. (International Soundphoto)

### Cherokee Plans Art, Hand Craft Exhibit May 25-28

First annual Regional Exhibit of Fine Arts and Hand Crafts will be held at Cherokee May 25 through May 28 under the sponsorship of the Cherokee Indian Agency.

Mrs. Joe Jennings of the Agency, in her announcement today, said: "The sponsors very much hope that the show will be a time for co-operation and getting together of all those in neighboring communities who are interested in painting and drawing in all forms and media and in all types of handicrafts."

She explained that several persons from each town will be asked to serve as a committee to interest people in their communities in

## Haywood Library To Sponsor Essay Contest

The Haywood County Public Library is sponsoring an Essay Contest on the **Cherokees**. The contest is open to students in the county or town schools and entries will be accepted from anyone in the fourth grade up. There are no restrictions as to the length and essays will be judged according to age and grade. Method of treatment, length, and subject approach are up to the student and any phase of the Cherokee is acceptable, whether it be history, legends, present life, arts and crafts or games. The deadline for all entries is July 15th.

Prizes of tickets to "Unto these Hills," donated by Carl Sink, publicity director, will be awarded the five highest winners with the First Prize as 5 tickets; Second Prize four tickets; and so on down to fifth place.

Miss Ida Penny, chairman of the Literature Committee of the Waynesville Woman's Club, in cooperation with several other members, will act as judges.

The Contest is being sponsored by the librarians of Western North Carolina and comes as the outgrowth of several meetings held recently to discuss ways of promoting regional interest in the drama. A special exhibit of books and pamphlets pertaining to the Cherokees is being planned at the County Library and may be used for background reading.

Following is a list of rules for Haywood County:

1. The essay may be written on any subject pertaining to the Cherokees.
2. Entries will be accepted from anyone in the 4th grade up.
3. The Essay must be typed or written in ink.
4. The essay must bear the name, age, grade and address.
5. All essays must be turned in to one of the following people by July 15, 1950:  
Miss Margaret Johnston, County Librarian.  
Mrs. James Atkins, Jr., Waynesville Library.  
Robert Russell, Bookmobile.  
Mrs. M. P. Haynes, Clyde Town Hall.  
Mrs. J. R. Stevens, Sr., Canton Public Library.
6. Prizes will be tickets to the drama, "Unto these Hills".  
1st prize—5 tickets; 2nd prize—4 tickets; 3rd prize—3 tickets; 4th prize—2 tickets; 5th prize—1 ticket.

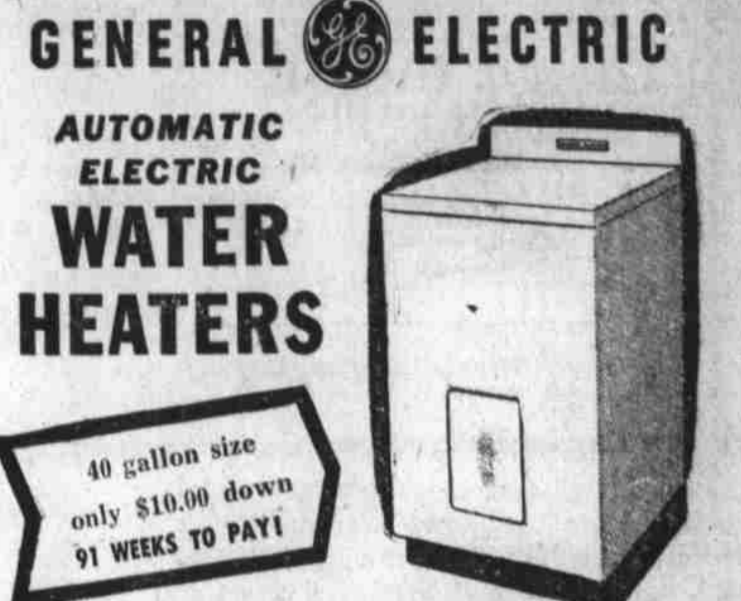
## White Oak To Honor Candidates Night Of May 18

By MRS. GEORGE BORING  
(Mountaineer Correspondent)

The White Oak Community Development meeting and box supper honoring Haywood County's can-

didates for public office has been changed to the night of May 18. The session will open at 8 p.m. The meeting originally was scheduled for May 19, but was moved up to the earlier date because of graduation exercises at Fines Creek High School. All White Oak residents are asked to bring one or more boxes Thursday night for the "Candidate Night" supper.

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ting the ushers and seeing that everything went off smoothly in the audience.

The ushers, who looked more like models, were: Nancy Stamey, Susie Stamey, Libby Patton, Aileen Fulbright, Betty Brown, and Mary Dorcas Howell.

Last week in assembly, Charles L. Isley, Jr., director of the music department of the High School, presented the students who have been in the band and chorus for a number of years and who have also been very outstanding in their work, awards. The pins and letters are beautiful, and I know that all of those who received one will always be proud of wearing it.

Those receiving awards were: Don Whisenhunt, Coretta Henson, Bob Owen, Luther Shaw, Jimmy Galloway, Jimmy Whitman, Lillian Medford, Mary Jane Rogers, Betty Noland, Joan Ratcliffe, Mark Rogers, J. D. Stanley, Robert Massie, Joyce Carter, Betty Franklin, and Don Matney.

The presentation of these awards will be made annually to those who keep their work above the average.

Anne Platt proved to the students of Waynesville High School that she knew how to speak last week when she won first place in the Annual Woman's Club Reading Contest. Her reading was, "George Washington Slept Here," and boy, did she keep everybody laughing. It was a real cute speech and the way she did it, just won the judges' vote.

Vivian Watkins, a senior of WTHS, won honorable mention, with her reading "June Night," also a humorous reading. If you could have heard and seen David Felmet during the time that Vivian was giving her speech, you would have probably thought that he was the boy in Vivian's speech that had the stomach ache... he laughed so much he had to hold his "tummy"... Your speech sure was good, Vivian.

Others who participated in the contest were: Laura Woody, Barbara Scruggs, Mary Michal, Elaine Francis, Patricia Brendle, and Betty Jo Ray. They were all good, and as everybody said after the contest, "never in all of the contests has there been one to compare with this one... all of the speeches were just wonderful. We enjoyed every one of them, too."

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