Governor

Allocates

\$750,000

nearer a reality today, since Gov-

ernor Umstead allocated that sum

for the project, out of highway fund

This was half of what was given

to three projects in Western North

The Canton project was the only

one in Haywood getting an alloca-

tion. The others in Western North

\$450,000 for relocating U. S. 70

\$350,000 for extension of a road

Harry E. Buchanan, highway

commissioner of the 14th district,

while here several weeks ago hold-

what the governor would do to-

would be given consideration out

The proposed viaduct, according

The overpass has been proposed

means of eliminating the traffic

Engineers have estimated that

Mayor W. J. Stone was out of

town this morning, and was not

available for comment on the pro-

ject. The Canton officials have

been working on the project for

(See Viaduct-Page 6)

PTA Patrol

Mrs. Mark Cathey was elected

captain of the newly organized

PTA mothers safety patrol at the

Clyde School at a meeting Thurs-

The patrol was formed last week

by PTA women to assist Police

one man to guard the street inter-

After election as captain, Mrs.

Cathey appointed five different

patrols (one patrol for each school

(See Clyde PTA-Page 6)

sections adequately.

will be needed for the project.

linking Bryson City and Fontana.

amounted to \$4,755,097

Carolina were:

through Morganton.

THE WAYNESVILLE MOUNTAINEER

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WAYNESVILLE, N. C., MONDAY AFTERNOON, OCTOBER 19, 1953

The man was bragging about his psychiatrist: "My doctor has one piece of equipment there, the minute I saw it I felt better, It's called a nurse,"

\$3.00 In Advance In Haywood and Jackson Counties

Associated Press

week about fire in the woods, as the forests almost void of all moisture. The streams are per cent below normal, and rainfall three es under normal, according to Ted S. Seely,

arm Bureau

lembership

rive Opens

organization in the commun-

ate, and nation were discuss-

John C. Lynn, former Hay-

County farm agent and pres-

Bureau Federation, at a kick-

membership drive Thurs-

ir county quota is 300.

mty group are R. H. Boone,

membership committeemen.

ycees' 'Ladies Night'

At Maggie School

e Maggie PTA will furnish

meal, with proceeds to go for

pping the school lunchroom.

musical program will be fea-

coms Captures

lax Grooms of Hazelwood, won

Mountaineers weekly foot-

misses out of a possible 12

-a relatively good record a week-end marked by many

nner-up in the contest was

od, who also missed only two

trom the combined score of

Waynesville-Christ School

thara June Davis, also of Haz-

contest award of \$15 with

otball Contest

liron upsets.

director of the

allots In PMA Elections

for the election.

lar member.

Elected were:

district forest ranger, left, and E. R. Jacobs, assistant ranger, right. The photo was made in the Mountaineer office, as the two told of the extreme dangers of fires in the woods,

(Mountaineer Photo).

Foresters 54 County Farmers Cast Point To Fire Danger In Forests PMA officers were elected

Thursday by Haywood County farmers who cast only 454 ballots. Pisgah Forest rangers are sleep-A vote of 800 had been predicted ing with one eye open these nights, as the forest floor of leaves becomes drier and drier from lack Crabtree - Gaye Bradshaw, chairman; George Best, vice chair-

Ted S. Seely, district forest ing a highway meeting, said he conranger, and E. R. Jacobs, assist-sidered the viaduct in Canton Hayman, and Cashins Rogers, regular ant, here for a program at Rotary wood's number one need. He gave Pigeon and Cecil - Henry Gar-Friday, pointed out that the rain- no indication at the time as to ner, chairman; Devere Hardin, fall in the Pisgah area was three vice chairman; Fred Long, reguinches below normal, and that the wards an allocation but hinted it streams were 20 per cent below East Fork — G. W. Howell, chairman; W. A. Pless, vice chairthe same stage this time last year. of the first surplus allotment. The foresters called for the pubman, and Joe L. Holcombe, regular

tating Maine forest fire several luska.

Maine forest fire, Mr. Seely said: by engineers as the only feasible

now than were the Maine woods between \$200,000 and \$300,00 more

Pink Beds attracted much atten- Mrs. Cathey

pointed towards the reddish haze cast by the coloring foliage. Rang-

Waynesville Red Cross office's Chief C. F. Lanning direct traffic

appeal for donations of old cloth- on Highway 19-23 which runs in

ing for needy school children has front of the school. It was felt that

been good, but more clothing is the increase in enrollment at

still needed, according to Mrs. Clyde School to more than 600

Ethel McDarris, executive secre- students has made it difficult for

ern North Carolina are drier and bottleneck in Canton.

years ago. In commenting on the

"Our woods right here in West-

more susceptible to such a fire

The film showed the blaze

sweeping through towns, and

countrysides, destroying homes,

churches, schools, barns, fields,

Ranger Seely said that the color

season in Pisgah was at its best.

with a record crowd there yes-

terday, The 2,000-3,000 acres of

tion, with scores of cameras being

er Seely pointed out that the Pink

Beds got their names from the

pinkness cast when the laurel and

rhododendron was in bloom in

Red Cross Asks More

Clothing For Children

The public response to the

Clothing can be brought to the

Red Cross office in the courthouse

or donors may have it picked up

at their homes by calling the of-

fice at GL 6-4141.

when this fire broke out '

and business places.

June and July.

lic to use every precaution against to tentative planning, would bereau Federation, at a kick-ing for the county Farm chairman; Bob Justice, vice chairfire in the woods, as the "situa- gin at the top of the hill, near the tion is exteremely dangerous." Library and fire station, and follow At Rotary Friday they showed pretty much the Southern Railway man, and Ray Rogers, regular colored pictures of activities in tracks to West Canton, and there the Pisgah area, and then a col- descend and connect with the new ored film made during the devas- four-lane highway to Lake Juna-

ther speakers at the meeting Panther Creek - John Fincher, O. L. Yates, Western District chairman; Milton Messer, vice entative of the Farm Bureau, chairman, and Marvin Arrington, Mrs. Quay Medford, chairman regular member. Iron Duff - Jack Chambers,

chairman; Frank Bradshaw, vice organization's membership chairman, and Roy Medford, regopened Friday and is to con- ular member.

Ivy Hill - Frank Henry, vice for one week. A progress reon the drive will be made this chairman, and Hugh Moody, reg-

rsday night by members of the lular member. Clyde — W. Clyde - W. G. Byers, chairman; Steve McCracken, vice chairman, in charge of the campaign. and Curtis N. Rogers, regular

arm Bureau President Jarvis dwell presided at last week's ting. Other members of the member. Beaverdam-Jack Harris, chairman; John Reno, vice chairman, and Fred Mann, regular member. Jonathan Creek - Edgar Mor-

rer; Fred Setzer, Van Wells, row, chairman; Ed Messer, vice W. Ferguson, and K. O. Carschairman, and Glenn Boyd, reg-Waynesville - Will Leather-

wood, chairman; and R. H. Boone, vice chairman, and Boone Swayngim, regular member.

White Oak - Teague Williams, aynesville Junior Chamber of chairman; Roe Ledford, vice chairman; will hold a "Ladies" man, and Joe Davis, regular memht program at Maggie School ber.

Gaddis Is Patroling Lake Junaluska Area

W. H. "Sheviff" Gaddis, of Lake Junaluska, is taking the place of Chief Everett McElroy, while the latter is on a 3-week vacation trip to California. Mr. Gaddis is a fulltime employee of the Assembly, and will be on the lookout for trespassers, and especially hunt-

Bethel School Quartet

A girls quartet from Bethel School entertained the Waynesville Lions Club at their regular the school. Principal speaker will meeting last Thursday at Spal- be Jerry Rogers, county school don's Drive-In.

Joe Cline, first vice president, presided at the meeting in the ab- dent, will be in charge of the sence of Wayne Franklin,

Waynesville Lions Hear East Waynesville PTA Will Meet On Tuesday East Waynesville School PTA

will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at attendance officer.

Mrs. Roberta Walker, PTA presi-

Sadler And Woodard Buy Waynesville Motor Sales

made today of the change in owner- addition to the sale of used cars, ship and management of the Way- and the sale of new Mercury cars. nesville Motor Sales, local Mercury

Henry Davis, founder of the firm, has sold to M. L. Sadler and Charlie Woodard. The new owners are mains the same, it was announced, now in charge of the business.

Mr. Davis made no announce- in the service department. ment as to his plans, except to take

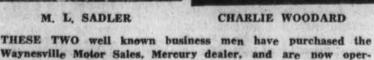
Mr. Sadler will be manager in to devote just part of his time to charge of the firm, which features the operation of the firm.

Formal announcement is being a complete service department, in Mr. Sadler has been associated with the automotive business for some time. The personnel of the firm re-

> with the addition of Posey Gentry,] Mr. Woodard, well known business man, and civic leader, plans

M. L. SADLER

founder. (Mountaineer Photos).



ating the firm, They bought the company from Henry Davis,



Governor Allocates \$750,000 To Canton Overpass From Special Fund

Officials To Discuss Canton

AN APPLE A DAY keeps the doctor away, so pretty Sandra Thatcher decided to take the necessary precautions for an entire week. Sandra, a junior at Waynesville High School, is doing her bit to help Haywood Orchardmen celebrate National Apple Week this week. (Mountaineer Photo).

National Recognition Won By Waynesville Secretaries

Power Will Be Off 4 Hours Sunday

The power in Waynesville will be off from one until five o'clock Sunday, October 25th, it was announced this morning, by G. C. Ferguson, town manager. The cut-off is necessary because of the change-over of the system to 4.000 volts.

The change will give better service, and a more even flow of current, he explained.

Workmen have been working on the change-over for several

Town Officials At State Convention

Almost all town officials are expected to attend part of the session of the N. C. League of Municipalities, now in session in Asheville. Attending all the sessions will be G. C. Ferguson, town day) to work with Chief Lanning. manager, together with Mayor J. Mrs. James Winfrey, PTA presi- er, Henry Miller and Henry Gad-

Waynesville's "Mountaineer new organization and is also relatively small-having only 14 members. However, the secretaries comprise one of the most active organizations in this area and their

accomplishments have already won

them state-wide and nation-wide

attention. As a result of their excellent work, other North Carolina chapters of the National Secretaries Asociation voted to hold their first state convention here this coming week-end. In the past, the group

held only district meetings.

was chartered by national head- hospital patients. quarters on April 13, 1950. Its first president was Miss Mary Medagent. Other charter members were Louise Gaddy, vice president; Stahl, editor; Rufina Bright, Mary be announced later. Sue Crocker, Clara Dotson, Hazel Franklin and Reta L. Grant.

other local organizations in spon- servicemen on the high seas dur- F.Y., Monroe. Members of the patrol include: H. Way, and Aldermen Joe Lin- soring a variety of worthwhile civic projects, including providing entertainment for visiting 4-H groups from Iowa and Texas.

> Perhaps the Mountaineer Chapter's outstanding achievement has been in the field of editing its excellent booklet, "The Mountain- Friday by plane for San Salvador (See Secretaries-Page 6)

Buchanan Calls Meet To Complete **Planning**

A general discussion of the viaduct in Canton will be held Wednesday morning at eleven o'clock at the town hall.

This announcement was made this morning by Harry E. Buchanan, commissioner of the 14th dis-He told The Mountaineer that the officials of the Town of Can-

ton, highway engineers, both construction and right-of-way men, would attend. All citizens of the town are also being invited to attend the meeting and participate Patrol Cites Five in the discussion. Only tentative plans for the viaduct have been completed, and the More Safe Drivers

engineers will be present to present the complete picture of construction of an overpass from one end of town to the other. Commissioner Buchanan said he

was anxious that members of the Chamber of Commerce and other civic groups attend the meeting. project, and because of that, it is lina State Fair, went to:

essential that everyone get the facts first-hand," he said. "We are hoping to work out complete plans, and then maybe find



CALLS MEETING to discuss viaduct across Canton, Harry E. Buchanan, highway commissioner, has called the meeting for 11 o'clock Wednesday at the Canton Town Hall.

The names of five more drivers handed tickets in the county by the State Highway Patrol for observing principles of safe driving were disclosed today by Patrol-

man Harolotis Dayton. Tickets handed out by the pa-"This is a big, and an important trolman, good for the North Caro-

Miss Mary Cornwell of Waynes ville, Thomas Harry Kent o Howell's Mill Road, Archie Monro Sales of Route 2, Waynesville the additional money somehow to Porter Garrett Styles, 516 Brow complete the project," he contin- Ave., Waynesville, and Hubert ued.

William Presley of Canton.

Red Cross Names New Officials At Annual Meeting

by the Red Cross at its annual Brevard Game To Chapter" of the National Secretar- board meeting last week, and anies Association is a comparatively other director was re-elected to a new term.

Chosen as directors were Miss Louise Ballard, Mrs. Carl Ratcliffe and Mrs. Euel Taylor. Re-elected

was Mrs. Frieda Knopf. Directors also appointed Johnny Edwards and Rudolph Carswell as co-chairmen of the Red Cross blood program to replace the former chairman, the late David Under-

Annual reports given included those by treasurer Fred Moody and by Mrs. Felix Stovall, chairman of the Gray Ladies, who discussed the work done by her group dur-The Mountaineer Chapter of NSA ing the year in aiding veterans

Present projects being undertaken by the Red Cross here inford, sercetary to the county farm clude the Junior Red Cross program in the schools, headed by Mrs. Ratcliffe, and the instruction on Saturday. Jimmie Watts, recording secretary; of a new group of Gray Ladies by Joy Woody, correspoding secretary: Miss Betsey Lane Quinlan - with Evelyn Carter, treasurer, Louise the starting date of her class to It's In The Book

The chapter was also requested ing the Yuletide season.

president, was in charge of the meeting.

the summer at her home here, left regulation the law says you must to join her husband for the winter.

Committee To Lay Plans

For Opening New Plant Members of Waynesville's com-

Handicapped" will meet at 3 p.m. county's handicapped.

Preliminary plans for establishing such a plant were disclosed last week at a meeting of the ably will manufacture handi-Chamber of Commerce in which crafts for sale in WNC stores and Heinz Rollman, H. P. McCarroll, gift shops. and James Kilpatrick were appointed as a committee to work financial arrangements have been with other agencies in working to completed and suitable space has establish the plant.

mittee on "Employ the Physically Chamber will work with Mrs. Doyle D. Alley, chairman of the Wednesday in the Park Commis- Employ the Handicapped Comsion office to discuss products mittee, Miss Debrayda Fisher, which may be manufactured in the head of the Waynesville Employnewly proposed plant to aid the ment Security Office, and other interested persons.

Previous discussions have indicated that the proposed plant prob-

Operations will be started when been obtained for the plant.

Start At Eight; Expect Big Crowd

Football fans going to the Brevard - Waynesville game in Brevard Friday night should give themselves plenty of time, according to Coach D. G. Dail of the Blue Devils.

The Brevard Coach said this morning that 3,500 fans are expected, and that everyone should try and be in the stadium by 7:15 to 7:30. The kick-off will be at eight o'clock. He said the eight o'clock time was necessary due to a broadcast com-

Billy Grahl attended the Maryland-Carolina game in Chapel Hill

I have heard that it is unlawful by the national organization to to park a car and fail to pull up The secretaries have joined with furnish Christmas packages for the hand brake, Is this true? -

> Yes, Motor Vehicle Manual reg-Mrs. David Hyatt, Red Cross ulations, in describing the correct procedure for parking a motor vehicle, say you must first stop the engine and then "effectively" Mrs. J. F. Hodges, who has spent set the brakes. Under the same turun the front wheels toward the curb when parking on a grade.

> > Highway Record For 1953 In Haywood

(To Date) Killed :::: Injured \dots 37

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



onday—Sunny and warm.

-Mostly fair but some cloudi-.72 41

Max. Min. Rainfall