Associated Press

WAYNESVILLE, N. C., MONDAY AFTERNOON, NOV. 9, 1953

Fifth Dog

Dies From

Rabies Bite

A six-months-old dog owned by

Lonnie Bishop of the Ninevah sec-

tion of Waynesville died from

rabies Thursday evening to become the fifth animal victim of

the dread disease in the county

The dog died on Thursday and

on Friday a report was received

from the state health department

saying an examination disclosed

that the animal had been rabid.

not believed to have bitten any

Mr. Bishop told the Haywood

County Health Department that

the rabid dog killed in the Pigeon

area two weeks ago had been

fighting with his dog, and prob-

In order to protect other dogs

and owners in the Ninevah sec-

tion, a clinic will be conducted by

Dr. A., R. Riegg, veterinarian,

On Thursday another clinic will

be conducted in the Hyatt Creek

area from 4 until 6 p.m. in the

Green Valley grocery. Both this

clinic and the one at Ninevah are

as to persons in those areas. Dr.

In order to prevent the outbreak

warden. His duties are to see that

all dogs in Haywood are vaccinat-

ed and that owners comply with

the present quarantine, which

specifies that animals are to be

kept in confinement while the

quarantine remains in effect.

Lowest Reading

To 12 Saturday

Of Season Down

season rolled around Saturday.

when the mercury slid down to

an even 12 on the official ther-

mometer at the State Test Farm.

perature was four degrees warm-

er as the official reading was

On Sunday morning the tem-

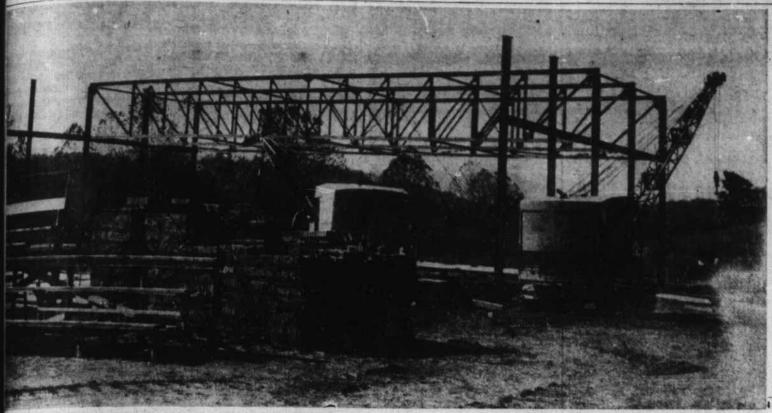
Riegg explained.

ably infected it at that time.

other dogs or personse.

during the past two months.

\$3.00 In Advance In Haywood and Jackson Counties



CLYDE'S NEW GYM begins to take shape as the steel framework or the structure goes up on ground just west of the football field, oss the river from the school, The gym is part of Haywood

### (Mountaineer Photo)

# arm Editor Will Speak t Festival

of awards in CDP judging, eo and home demonstration nts will be among the main at the seventh annual Toro Festival which opens at the esville Armory next Tuesday. ne from the program will be traditional beauty contest and parage. The beauty contest, has been held until this , was voted down by CDP ofis several weeks ago. The last ade was held in 1901.

armory will be open from m until 8 p.m. next Monday that booths can be set up. ing of both tobacco and home s will begin at 10 a.m.

e demonstration booths and eco exhibits will be opened to ablic from 1:30 p.m. until 7 Tuesday and from 9 a.m. un 9:30 p.m. Wednesday.

special contest for high school nts' tobacco posters will albe held-with posters due to n the windows by 9 a.m. Tues-Judging will begin at 10 p.m r. Poe's address and the anng the Tuesday night program he courthouse, starting at 9:30. his will be the first year in hity Development first part of the year.

lrs. Lester Burgin and Mrs. Calhoun spent the weekend Charlotte and attending the

young children spotted

tree section, not far from the he escaped from a gang

e three observant children of and Mrs. Ben West saw Buie,

reported it to their parents

e escaped convict ran to the of Sheep Mountain, where he

trailed by the bloodhounds.

tes after the chase started.

are up without any resistance,

was serving a 13-15 year

ace from Wake County on the of highway robbery.

med and con-

cool, cold again tonight.

fair and slightly warmer.

notified officers.

The

eather

day afternoon. He was behind bars after 24 hours

scaped Convict Spotted

Y Children As He Ate

alnuts Beside A Creek

tree young children spotted tar-old Roosevelt Buie, escap-tonvict, as he cracked walnuts

# Parkway In Pisgah Closed For Winter, Construction Of 4.5-Mile Link Continues

been ordered closed, construction

work on the four-and-one-half mile

This particular section of the

Parkway begins at a point approx-

imately four miles west of High-

work is proceeding on both sides.

At the present time, the new

stretch is within 1,300 feet of the

Roughing in and grading will be

completed this fall and next spring

When the new section of road

which is now under construction

is completed, it will be possible for

motorsts to make a complete loop

from Wagon Road Gap west via

the crest of the mountains and

Hospitalized As

Three Canton youths were hos-

pitalized Saturday when the car

in which they were riding over-

turned several times on the new

Carl "Bud" Stanley, 17, son of

was reported in fair condition at

Asheville after suffering a frac-

tured skull and cuts about the

as Reeves Payne, 19, suffered a

broken left arm and was treated

According to State Highway Patrolman W. R. Wooten, Payne

was driving a 1951 Mercury on the

new highway through Clyde with

Stanley and Davis as passengers.

Payne lost control of the car and

it overturned five or six times on

the road but remained on the

highway, the officer said. The ve-

hicle was demolished.

at Haywod County Hospital.

superhighway at Clyde.

fracture of the left leg.

k to 276, for a distance of some

completed link from Beech Gap.

be started next summer.

way 276 at Wagon Road Gap.

is proceeding on schedule.

# Banks, Courthouse Offices To Close On Armistice Day

All offices in the Haywood County courthouse, except the sheriff's and the banks in Waynesville and Hazelwod will be closed Wednesday for Armistice Day, it was announced today.

Retail stores, however, will observe their regular Wednesday hours-8:30 a.m. until noon according to the Merchants Association, Waynesville town offices will be open all day Wed-

A special Armistice Day program sponsored by the American Legion is to be held at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday at Hazelwood School, with Rev. James H. Coleman as the principal speaker.

### Francis Addresses Watauga Homemakers

R. C. Francis. "Haywood Coun-Program ty's Will Rogers," was a featured 20 to 25 miles. This is expected to mty contest are to be announc- speaker Friday night at Watauga at the Tobacco Festival. In the County's annual Home Demonstra- drives in eastern America. they have been announced tion Achievement Day at the Daniel Boone Hotel in Boone. He discussed the role of women in the 3 Canton Youths Community Development Program.

Home Demonstration Agent Mary Cornwell and Assistant Agent Jean Auto Overturns Childers also attended the event.

From Committee

On Agarts Project

Ed Sims has tendered his res-

ignation to the Board of Com-

missioners as a member of the

Advisory Committee for the con-

struction of the Livestock and

Mr. Sims explained in his let-

ter of resignation that he would

not have the time to devote to

the project since he was busy

with the development of the

Waynesville Horse Show on a

Home Arts Buildings.

# Santa Will

Santa has included this community on his pre-Christmas eve

According to a message received It has been kept penned up and is the Pisgah National Forest has this morning by Joe Cline, president of the Merchants Association, Santa has accepted an invitation stretch out from Wagon Road Gap to visit here on Saturday, December 5th.

Santa wired:

"Am happy to accept your generous invitation to visit your beautiful community. Will bring plenty The work is being done by the of candy, and pass it out during Clement Brothers Construction Co., and after the parade. Sounds of Lenoir, and will be continued mighty fine that you will have two until hard, wintry weather sets in. bands to meet me and parade down from 4 to 6 p.m. Wednesday at A large rock bluff near Yellow- the streets of Waynesville and the Ninevah Baptist Church. stone Falls impeded the progress Hazelwood. Tell all my friends I that time, does will be vaccinated of the road building crews, but am anxious to meet them. Am ship. for one dollar. after considerable dynamiting, the ping big supply of candy today. Be on the lookout for it."

Mr. Cline said that the parade

(See Santa-Page 6)

# **Tweed Captures**

Only one miss out of a possible 12 brings Howard Tweed of Balsam Manor Apartments \$15 this week as winner of The Mountaineer's weekly fotball contest. Duke's tie with Navy marred his otherwise spotless record.

Eleven other grid guessers missed only two games, while 32 missed three.

Three representatives of the Canton Alderman C. F. Stanley, State Board of Health were visitors in the Haywod Health Depart-Memorial Mission Hospital in ment offices last week. They were: Miss Rebecca Swindle of Raleigh, head and throat. Also taken to the nursing consultant; Mrs, Louise Asheville hospital was John Davis, East, of Asheville, district nurs-16, who sustained a compound ing consultant, and Miss Sarah Goggans of Raleigh, records and procedures analyst. The driver of the car, identified

# **Arrive Here** December 5

would start at ten o'clock and would feature the two WTHS bands. The details of the route will be announced later. The wire and it is hoped that paving can from Santa came so suddenly that the details of local arrangements have not been completed. However, a committee composed of Frank Moore, Euel Taylor, Bill Cobb, J. C. Jennings and Robert

### Consultants Here



Crews Battling 3 Forest Fires

In Different Areas Of County

Waynesville-Canton To Meet

In Just One Football Game

Per Season, Starting In 1954

DOG WARDEN Ernest Chambers, appointed to his new post last week by county commissioners, is now working throughout the county to enforce the dog quarantine now in effect. (Mountaineer Photo)

((See story page six)

## Lake Junaluska Trustees To Meet Tuesday In Atlanta

Thirtee? North Carolinians are members of the Lake Junaluska Methodist Assembly's board of trustees which will hold its annual open to the general public as well meeting Tuesday in Atlanta.

Edwin L. Jones, Charlotte, president of the assembly and In addition to the one at Piboard chairman, and will preside geon, other dogs who have died of rabies have been in the Allen's at the meeting. The Junaluska cen-Creek, Camp Branch, and Sau- ter has been summer program nook sections, Several persons headquarters of the Methodist weer bitten in September, but all Church in the southeast since have been taking shots for rabies. 1913.

The board will review reports of rables, county commissioners the assembly's fiscal year, discuss last week hired Ernest Chambers, development projects and plan the a retired Army man, as county dog 1954 summer program.

> Bishop Costen J. Harrell, Charlotte, is vice president; Dr. Elmer r. Clark, Lake Junaluska, is program chairman, and Hugh Massie (See Trustees-Page 6)

# Farm Outlook Conference Set

A conference on the agricultural outlook for 1954, for both farm and home workers, will be held at The coldest morning of the

Dr. D. Brown and Charles Williams of the Farm Management Department of N. C. State College will lead discussions on the nation's farm outlook.

All agricultural workers in the county have been invited to at14 hours. Perhaps greatest tragedy of the current forest fires is one in Sunburst area of Sherwood Forest. Rangers have reason to believe that this fire was wilfuly set after

midnight Sunday by a series of 4 or 5 different fires started on heavily timbered property owned by the Champion Paper and Fiber Company around and above Lake Logan on the West Fork of Pigeon River. A crew of some 30 men have brought this fire under control, but a round-the-clock watch is being kept to avoid its spreading or being renewed. A fourth

ed a forest fire on Rough Nob be-

tween Big Branch and the Crab-

at dawn Monday by Dewey Franklin, lookout in the Chambers

Mountain firetower. A crew head-

after it had burned out a partly

25 acres. Franklin stated that it

was in extremely rough territory

and had burned last week about

again Monday.

fire in the Pisgah Forest at the head of Crawford's Creek is in the (See Forest Fires—Page 6)

# Bloodmobile Due On November 30

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will November 15th. visit Waynesville on Monday, November 30, it was announced today the blood program committee. The be set within a few days, along with ser the Bloodmobile's visit here.

The mobile unit will operate from 11 a.m. until 5 p.m. at the of both schools were emphatic that Presbyterian Church.

who wish to contribute have been requested to call the Red Cross office in the courthouse.

## Theft Suspect Bound To Superior Court

Alvin Mansfield, 49, of Edenton was bound over to Superior Court on a charge of auto theft by Mayor J. H. Way after the defendant waived preliminary hearing. Bond was set at \$1,000. Mansfield, now being held in

7:30 p.m. Thursday at the court- the county jail, is charged with stealing a car belonging to Robert Davis, 115 Maple St., last Monday morning.

Police said he was picked up in the car at Taylorsville, N. C. later last week and returned here.

Necessary In Order To Meet With State Athletic **Association Rules** 

By W. CURTIS RUSS Editor The Mountaineer

Waynesville and Canton will return to a schedule of one football tree Section which was discovered game each season, beginning with

The two-game per season schedule, started in 1937, will end with ed by E. R. Caldwell, County Fire the second of the 1953 series here Warden, was battling the blaze on Thanksgiving Day.

The decision to play just one This was a rekindle of a fire game per season between the two which was brought under control schools, was reached by the athwith great difficulty last Friday letic associations of both schools, after the meeting of Blue Ridge timbered area of between 20 and Conference members with officials of the North Carolina High School Athletic Association, at Sand Hill

several weeks ago. Officials of the State Association told members of the Blue Ridge Conference that the only way they could participate in the state football playoffs would be to end their regular season by No-

vember 15th of each year. Until now, no member of the Blue Ridge Conference has been participating in the state playoffs,

because of the late dates in ending their schedules. Sentiment at the Conference meeting seemed to favor partielpation in the state playoffs, and then it was that the officials of the

two athletic associations-Waynesville and Canton-decided to return to the one game per season schedule. Each school, however, plans to play a full 10-game schedule each season, starting earlier in order to

have the schedule completed by the State Association's deadline of The game will be played early in

October, it was learned from a reby Johnny Edwards, co-chairman of liable source. The exact date will Waynesville Lions Club will spon- the place of play for the first game of the new series. Officials, together with coaches

the return to the one game per Each member of the Lions has season was wholly due to the regubeen asked to enroll a blood donor lations of the State Association. between now and the 30th. Those and not because of the outcome of

(See Football-Page 6)

# **Heavy Dynamite Blast Moves Rock** On Road Project

Tons of rock were blasted to bits shortly after noon today, as workmen set off a heavy charge of dynamite at the highway intersection at Lake Junaluska, where the road is being widened.

Workmen have been working on drilling for the blast about ten days or two weeks. The road is being widened 39

feet. .. The cut is 50 feet deep, and about 27,000 yards of dirt and rock will be moved.

# U.S. Milk Survey Made; **Higher Rating Expected**

Haywod County producers and in retail raw milk, raw milk sold dairies was completed last week to plants, pasteurization plants, by a federal inspector, P. L. Pes- pasteurized milk, and enforcement sup of Raleigh.

Although an official report will not be made for several weeks, Mr. Jessup told Haywood Health De- of Asheville. partment workers here that he believed the county will be given a satisfactory rating.

During the four-day survey, 28 producers of Grade-A milk, one retailer of raw milk, and two pasteurization plants were inspect-

Assisting Mr. Jessup in the inspection were Health Department sanitation officers Bill Milner and Jack Arrington.

Federal milk inspections are ordinarily made about once each two years. In the last inspection made in this county in July, 1951, unsatisfactory ratings were made on several aspects of the inspection. Since that time, however, considerable improvement has been made in milk-handling facilities, and a much better rating is

expected this year. To achieve a satisfactory grade

A federal milk inspection of | ratings of above 90 must be made methods.

> Haywood County has the largest number of milk producers west

> > Highway Record For 1953 In Haywood (To Date)

Killed .... Injured .... 46

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



# Top Beef Sale Price

Jack Felmet of Ratcliffe Cove, other owned by George Kirkpatwhich was declared Grand Cham-rick and sold to the Dayton Rubpion of the Western Carolina Fat ber Co.

cents-in the sale held yesterday, average of 30 cents, while 17 head The animal was purchased by entered by FFA members averaged the S. & W. Cafeteria in Asheville. 29 cents. Max. Min. Rainfall The second highest price for a Other sales of "prime" grade Haywood County steer-35 cents- Haywood County livestock includ-

was paid for two animals, oneed animals owned by:
owned by Don Calhoun and sold to (See Haywood Steer-Page 6)



GRAND CHAMPION of the annual Western Carolina Fat Stock Show held at Enka last week was this 1045-pound steer owned by Jack Felmet of Ratcliffe Cove, a 4-H Club member. High

ratings were also won by a number of other animals entered in the show by Haywood 4-H and FFA members,

(Davis Photo).