

Youth Crusade Now Under Way At Hazelwood

A Youth Crusade opened last night at the Hazelwood Presbyterian Church with Jim Smith, ministerial student, in charge of the services.

The Crusade will continue at 8 p.m. each evening ending July 29, with the services specially designed for teen-agers.

Young Smith is studying for the Presbyterian Ministry. He has been featured as a speaker at many youth camps and conferences. In Charleston, W. Va., he has two radio broadcasts, "The New Life Hour," and "Tips for Christian Teenagers." For the past three months he has directed a television program for the Charleston Ministerial Association known as "The Bible Comes To Life." He has worked in juvenile courts and delinquent homes while in college.

The public is invited to attend these teen-age problems at home, in the church and in the school, will be discussed from the Christian point of view.

Josefina Niggli Joins Faculty At Cullowhee

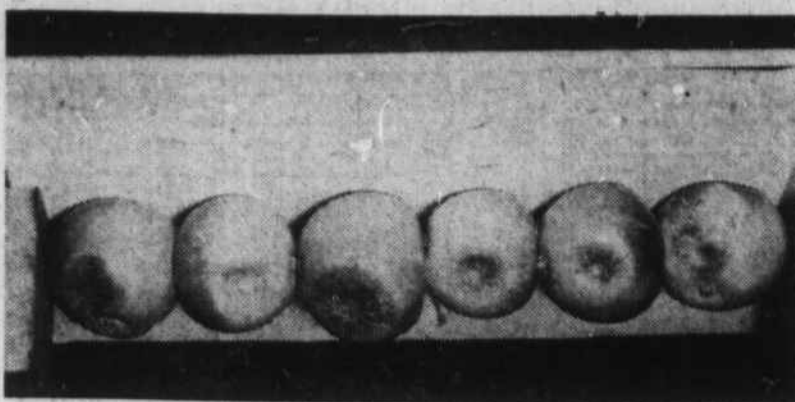
Miss Josefina Niggli, famed authoress of Chapel Hill, has accepted appointment to the English faculty at Western Carolina College for the coming school year.

President W. E. Bird said that Miss Niggli will teach some English courses, and will direct the activities of the Western Carolina Players, campus drama group.

Miss Niggli was born in Nonterrey, Mexico, and lived there for several years. She is of Swiss and Alsatian descent on the paternal side, and her mother is Virginia-born Goldie Morgan Niggli, former concert violinist.

She is expected to arrive at Cullowhee in September.

Australia has a new aviation fuel which is automation in that only three men can operate this chemical industry through a central control panel. It formerly required scores of technicians.



CEDAR RUST, which has severely damaged apples in Saunook and Francis Cove communities recently, is shown here as spots on these apples from the orchard of Harper Eavenson at Saunook, whose loss has been estimated at between \$400 and \$500. Cedar rust is a fungus carried by the wind from red cedar trees into apple orchards, where it affects both fruit and leaves. County Agent Virgil L. Holloway and the Haywood County Apple Growers Association have recommended that all red cedars be cut down. (Mountaineer Photo).

Rotary Leader Praises Modern Youth; Cites Need For Qualified Adult Leaders

"We have the most honest youth, most intelligent, and most daring—with a purpose, but in dire need of right adult leadership," Stanley A. Harris, district governor of Rotary told members of the Waynesville club and 37 visitors from six states here Friday.

The Boone Rotary leader pointed to the urgent need of the right leadership for youth, and continued by saying: "Given the wrong leadership, would make Communism mighty mild."

Harris for 30 years was National Field Executive of Boy Scouts of America, and directed the organization of about a third of the Boy Scout councils in the nation. He directed organization work among racial and national groups. He was also a former teacher, and YMCA official.

He pointed to the work of Rotary International in its work with youth, as over two millions were spent during the past few years through the program of student fellowships, which enable outstanding college graduates to study for one year in countries other than their own, all as Rotary ambassadors of goodwill. He said that since the program was established in 1947 that 834 Rotary Fellowships have been awarded to students in 61 countries for study in 40 different countries.

In addition our district supplies a student from this district every other year. The Representative for 1956-57 of the 280th District is

Carl N. Edwards of Asheville, who will study in Heidelberg University, Heidelberg, Germany. He will sail from New York for Heidelberg on July 21.

Governor Harris further stated, "That still in addition to the work of Rotary International, through the Chan Gordon Memorial Scholarship Fund, District 280 pays the expenses each year of a student from country south of the United States, who spends a year at one of the colleges in Western North Carolina. The representative for next year is Miss Irma Gladys Maglio, Cuaro, Montevideo, Uruguay who will be a student at Queens College at Charlotte. She will arrive in Charlotte early in September. As a part of her program she will visit each Rotary Club and tell them something of her country. When these students return home they visit Rotary Clubs there and tell about America."

Two trillion cubic feet is now the U. S. underground storage reservoir for natural gas. Pennsylvania, Ohio, West Virginia and Michigan are principal storage states.

A Swiss colony in New Glarus, Wis., has 83 factories to manufacture Swiss cheese. Tiny farmhouses here are built in architecture of Swiss mountain houses.

4-H Group Leaves Here For Raleigh

Ten Haywood County 4-H Club members and five adult leaders left here this morning to attend State 4-H Club Week on the N. C. State College campus, Raleigh.

The 4-H'ers included four members and an alternate on a dairy-judging team; R. E. Cathey, Verlin Edwards, Charles Ray Smith, Jerry Ferguson, Tommy Boyd, and Gene McGaha; Neal Kelly, vice president of the state 4-H Council; Charles Ray Smith and Ronnie Evans, regular delegates; Barbara Ferguson, who will enter the state dress revue, and Gail Bradshaw, who will sing in the 4-H leadership chorus.

Adult leaders going to Raleigh will be extension personnel in charge of 4-H Club work: Cecil Brown, assistant farm agent, and Miss Jean Childers, assistant home agent; Mrs. Ray Seay of Fines Creek, Miss Phyllis Hartman of Saunook, and Miss Mary Frances McCracken of Lake Junaluska.

The group will return to the county Saturday.

Baptists To Hold Sunday School Meeting Tonight

The Haywood Baptist Association will hold an association-wide Sunday School meeting on Monday, day School meeting tonight at 7:30 p.m. at Spring Hill Baptist Church.

"Enlargement" will be the theme for discussion in the conference. The Rev. Millard F. Hall, pastor of the West Canton Baptist Church, will bring the message on "The Value of Promotion Day in Sunday School". The North Canton choir will sing, and Miss Esther Mae Gibson will play.

Others in charge of various parts of the program are Jack Medford, the Rev. George Huggins, Mrs. Dock Scroggs, Mrs. Ina Frady, Mrs. B. C. Pressley, Miss Violet Mann, Mrs. B. A. Horton, Mrs. Jack L. Medford, Lewis Sorrells, B. A. Horton and the Rev. Elmer Green.

Former Canton Man To Manage Alabama City

Robert V. Hawkins, formerly of Canton, has been named city manager of Tuscaloosa, Ala.

Hawkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Taylor Hawkins of Canton, is a graduate of Canton High School and received his engineering degree from the University of Alabama in 1949 following three years' service in the U. S. Air Force.

For the past six years he has been assistant city manager of Tuscaloosa.

WNCAC Meeting Set For Tomorrow

The regular quarterly meeting of Western North Carolina Associated Communities has been called by President W. Beckman Huger of Canton, for Tuesday, July 24, at Cherokee. The meeting will begin with a luncheon at 1 p.m. in the Agency dining hall.

Bill Sharpe, editor of State Magazine will attend the meeting and will talk on subjects of interest to WNCAC.

The members of the board of directors will meet at 11 a.m. at Qualla Hall.



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Folk Festival Set For Early August

From the Valley of the Oconaluttee they will come.

And from Deep Creek, The Yonahlossee Trail, Valdese and Little River.

The folk who gather in Asheville August 2, 3 and 4 for the 29th annual Mountain Dance and Folk Festival are every bit as colorful as the names of the places they call home.

The casual, informal atmosphere of the three day affair which begins every night "long about sundown," plus the obvious joy these people take in "their music" adds an irresistible charm.

Some thirty years ago, Bascom Lamar Lunsford suddenly woke up to the fact that since the new highways had opened up vast sections of his beloved mountain homeland, there were so many places to go and so many things to do that the young folks weren't learning the ballads and the "dancin'" as he felt they should.

He came in to town and presented his idea of a singing, dancing festival to help preserve the natural heritage of the Highlands people. The Festival grew by leaps and bounds. Soon there were requests from other parts of the country for Lunsford to bring the performers and have them exhibit the genuine mountain dances and sing the old ballads. The Folk Festival in Asheville started the ballad and folk song revival in America and a sudden growth of like festivals all over the country.

A summons came from the White House. The square dancers did the "Shoo Fly Swing," "The Ocean Wave," and promenaded while an enchanted Washington audience kept time to the foot patting music and the "caller."

On April 5, 1940, the Soco Gap artists played in Carnegie Hall to a cheering crowd.

Toastmasters Club To Meet Tonight

Members of the Waynesville Toastmasters Club will hear talks on a variety of subjects as they meet tonight at 7:15 p.m. at Art Shepard's.

Speakers for the evening include R. Ellis, on "How to Get Along with Children"; C. Underwood, on "Woodworking as a Hobby"; J. Thomas, on "No Time Limit for Desegregation"; and B. Hall, on "Federal Aid for Schools". Evaluators will be A. Hunt, V. S. Smith, J. Dickerson and T. Stackpole.

Others taking part in the program include Toastmasters Williams, Reeves, McAulay, Border, Noland, Justice, Howey and Felmet.

Moodv Graduates From FA Course

FORT SILL, OKLA. — Second Lt. William C. Moody, Jr., 23, whose father lives at 194 Academy St., Canton, recently was graduated from the field artillery officers basic course at The Artillery and Guided Missile Center, Fort Sill,

The 12-week course trained him in the duties of a field artillery battery officer.

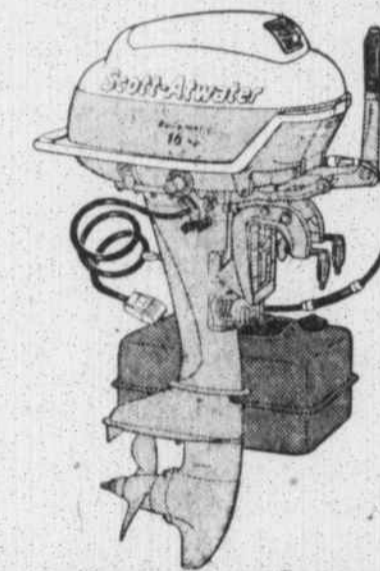
Lieutenant Moody, a 1955 graduate of North Carolina State College, worked for the Champion Paper and Fibre Co.

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