

*Music to decorate floats by  
-- they sing like the dickens*



*The Stroup Construction Crew*



*Ford has a better idea*



*King of the road*

## FIRST PARADE —NEW SPRINGS

Boiling Springs not only got its namesake returned in a two-week fashion Saturday but had its first parade of consequence in history.

It was Homecoming and the 42 unit parade proved a success as beautiful weather attracted 2,500 onlookers. The Cherryville High School Band and the Chase High School Band and the college pep vand took part along with Congressman Basil L. Whitener of the 10th District, Ted Abernethy of the Cincinnati Reds, Dr. and Mrs. E. Eugene Poston, president of Gardner-Webb College, Homecoming Queen candidates, cheerleaders and a host of floats.

The gaily decorated floats were interspersed with horses, convertibles carrying beauty queens, clowns, Professor M. A. Moseley and son, Arthur, on motorbikes, student government officers and other units. The prize winning float was the Rotaract's Whale.

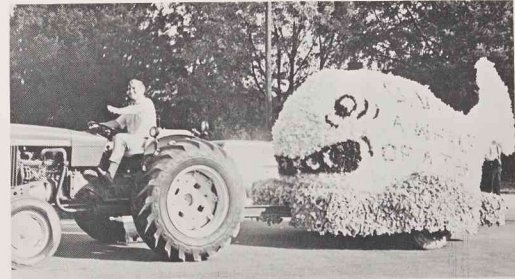
As for the town's namesake -- three boiling springs now push water up and send it plunging down over huge boulders into a pool which is part of a beautification project at the college.

The old springs, located west of the new artificial ones, do not boil any longer due to being dynamited in 1939 in an effort to combine them into single boiling spring. Since that time the town's name has lost some meaning and residents occasionally take ribbings over the fact.

Residents obviously were proud of the boiling springs which are located close to the center portion of town and within eyesight of most visitors passing through the small town.



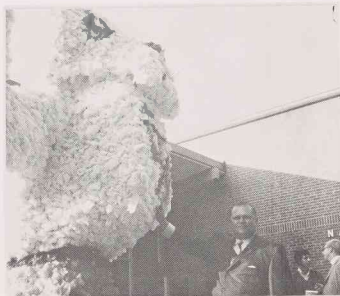
*Stroup's float affectionately awaits other floats*



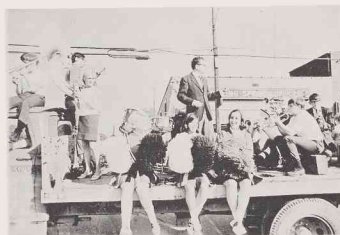
*"My float's better 'n your float"*



*"Look at all that moss growing over your lap"*



*Which one is the bulldog, Mr. Spangler?*



*The Pep Band played "On the Back of a Truck"*