

**Hear the Noble Lord
He Sees a New Germany
A Must for the U. S. A.
Strength Alone Protects**

An association called "The Anglo-German Fellowship," a name which shows that men forget wars as easily as they do seasickness, gave a dinner in London in honor of the Duke and Duchess of Brunswick, who are Germans, as was the British royal family originally.

Among other speakers at the dinner, Lord Lothian talked about war, the importance of doing something to satisfy Germany, now that Germany is strong enough to fight back.

Lord Lothian has discovered that it is one thing to deal with dissatisfied populations when they are unarmed, and a very different thing to deal with the same dissatisfied populations when they are fully armed.

The British made that discovery for themselves long ago, before Lord Lothian was born, in the process of building up their great empire. If the Boers, Hindus, Zulus and some others had been as thoroughly armed as they were thoroughly dissatisfied, the British empire would be smaller.

Americans who want to know what Europeans, including the English, are thinking and planning, will be interested in the following statement by Lord Lothian concerning Germany. It has been suggested that England and France should pacify Germany by giving back some of the colonial properties taken from Germany at the end of the war. Lord Lothian is one of the numerous Englishmen who do not believe in "giving things back." Said he:

"Personally, I do not believe that the problem can be solved along the lines of the restoration to Germany of the old German colonies. That would not solve Germany's difficulties, and things have changed since 1914. The question must be considered on much wider lines. All the colonial nations must be willing to make their contribution to a transfer of territory. The new world as well as the old must be willing once more to reopen its doors to trade and migration."

The statement of the noble lord that "the new world as well as the old MUST be willing," etc., has no pleasant sound in American ears. The word "must," especially, is one that a wise Englishman could hardly apply to the United States after 1776. Lord Lothian probably meant that the United States "ought," not that it "MUST," once more reopen its doors to trade and migration.

The United States, it is to be hoped, will decide for itself about reopening its doors to trade and immigration. This country needs more of the immigration that made it what it is—it is NOT a redskin country, its people came from Europe, and it needs many millions more of the same kind. It also needs, and the majority of its people intend to keep, American jobs, American wages and American money for the people who live and work in the United States.

There is nothing like being strong and prepared for trouble. You notice how differently Germany appears in the eyes of France and other nations surrounding her today, as compared with the years after the war. Hear Lord Lothian on that subject:

"Germany now has both equality and strength. Reparations have gone. Part V of the Treaty of Versailles has gone. The demilitarization of the Rhineland has gone, and the sooner that recovery of her natural right to self-defense is accepted without further discussion the better. Germany is rearmed. It only remains for the British government to abandon once and for all the fatal system whereby she first has a conference with her friends and then presents the results as a kind of ultimatum to Germany—the system represented by the recent questionnaire—and to substitute for it free and equal and frank discussion around a table. The old system is not equality, either for Germany or for ourselves."

What telephone girl in America has the softest, most beautiful, most easily understood voice? That question was asked in England and a Miss Cain won the competition arranged by the British postoffice, which owns British telephones and telegraph. The finest voice having been selected, a robot was manufactured to imitate that voice by phonographic process. Now, when you want to know the time in London, you dial "Tim" and the soft voice of Miss Cain, perfectly reproduced, tells you: "At the third stroke it will be four twenty-seven and fifteen seconds—"

EARL BLACKBURN BACK

Mr. Earl Blackburn returned to his home here Sunday from North Wilkesboro, where he has been a patient, following severe wounds, allegedly inflicted by a brother-in-law, Mr. Dean Adams. Mr. Blackburn's injuries were believed for a time to be of a fatal nature, but now it seems certain that he will recover.

Nicaraguans make cigar-shaped soap.

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Knox in New England



Portsmouth, N. H.—Col. Frank Knox, Republican Vice Presidential nominee (above), is back on New England health to open the Republican campaign in the East. In addition to his Chicago publishing interests, Col. Knox is publisher of two Manchester (N. H.) newspapers.

RECORDERS COURT HAS BUSY SESSION

Thirteen Cases Are Heard by Judge Bingham on Tuesday's Court Term.

Judge John H. Bingham had an unusually busy day in Recorder's Court Tuesday when thirteen defendants came up for trial, most of them being arraigned for infractions of the dry laws. The judgments of the court follows:

Robert Church, driving while intoxicated, \$50 and the cost. Driving license revoked for 90 days.

Linney Maliba, driving while intoxicated and violation prohibition laws, \$50 and cost. License revoked for 90 days.

Robert Hayes, public drunkenness, violation prohibition laws \$10 and one-half the cost.

Glayton Hayes, interfering with officers, one-half the cost.

Ed Robbins, public drunkenness and violation prohibition laws, one-half the cost.

Wilmer Trivett, larceny, 90 days on roads. Suspended on payment of one-half the cost.

John Henry Grimes, public drunkenness and larceny, 4 months on the roads.

Migaa Wheeler, violating prohibition laws and public drunkenness, 60 days on roads. Suspended sentence of 60 days on roads invoked. Privilege given defendant to enter Dix Hill for 90 days instead.

Roy Lantz, public drunkenness. Former sentence of 90 days placed in effect.

Chas. Michael, public drunkenness, one-half the cost.

Quincy Brown, driving drunk, \$50 and the cost. License revoked for 90 days.

Green Horton, affray and public drunkenness, \$10 and cost or 90 days on roads.

Dayton Ashely, public drunkenness, \$10 and one-half the cost.

Condition Mrs. Barnes Described As Favorable

Mrs. Gurdy Barnes, critically injured when struck by a motor truck in Perkinsville almost three weeks ago, is yet a patient at a North Wilkesboro hospital, where it is said her chances for recovery are apparently becoming brighter each day. Mrs. Barnes suffered a broken arm, compound fracture of one hip and serious abdominal injuries, and for the first several days it is understood, physicians held out absolutely no hope for her recovery.

HOME ECONOMICS DEPT. BOONE HIGH RENOVATED

The home economics department in the Boone High school is being renovated and redecorated under the supervision of E. G. Teams, college architect. Plasterers are at work now and as soon as possible the entire department will receive a fresh coat of paint.

Some new equipment is being made available for the department this year looking toward a better and larger department when the new high school building for the town is completed.

Students are very enthusiastic as they start on another school year. Approximately 100 girls have enrolled for the course in homemaking offered by Mrs. Wade Brown, vocational teacher.

Return of better times is indicated by San Diego, Calif.—a city that has a 40 per cent drop in its relief load.

COVE CREEK FAIR DATES ARE GIVEN

Annual Agricultural Exhibit Will Be Held At College Next Saturday.

The agricultural fair at the Cove Creek High school, will be held September 25th and 26th, according to an announcement made by Mr. George Farthing, director of vocational agriculture at the institution and it is stated that the fair will be open to every resident of Watauga county for the entry of exhibits. The event is sponsored by the agricultural departments of the Cove Creek and Boone High schools.

Farmers, farmers' wives and farm boys and girls throughout the county are urged to enter exhibits. Students of vocational agriculture and 4-H club boys and girls are particularly urged to enter exhibits in their departments of the fair.

The various departments, with the number of classes in each department and the persons in charge, are as follows: "A" baby show, for boy and girl babies under one year of age, Mrs. W. T. Payne; "B" floriculture, 5 classes for dahlias and 11 classes for other flowers, Mrs. Chas. Lewis; Mrs. N. L. Mast and Miss Edna Bingham; "C" art, Mesdames Clara Simpson and Ruth B. Mast; "D" needlecraft, 21 classes, Misses Annie Mae Sherwood, Juanita Worthington and Constance Shoun; "E" culinary, 22 classes, Miss Blanche Stokes and Mrs. Albert Bingham; "F" canning and preserving, 28 classes, Mrs. S. F. Horton, Misses Jennie Love and Grace Bingham; "G" farm crops, 17 classes, T. J. Moody; "H" horticulture, 10 classes, T. J. Moody; "I" livestock, 20 classes, S. F. Horton; "J" poultry, 17 classes, G. C. Farthing; "K" FFA and 4-H club boys, 13 classes, Robert Lewis and Horace Bingham; "L" home demonstration women, home economics and 4-H club girls, 12 classes, Miss Annie Dougherty; "M" dog show, 8 classes, Mrs. Stanley Harris.

In addition to the above departments various athletic contests open to all schools throughout the county will be held each afternoon of the fair under the direction of Claude Pyatte, director of athletics at the Cove Creek High school.

Friday night, September 25th is amateur night and a prize of \$5 will be given to the best amateur performance of the evening. Prospective contestants must see Miss Constance Shoun or Miss Jennie Love and arrange for a tryout before the above date. To appear on the program the performance must be good.

On Saturday night, September 26th, an excellent three-act comedy, "Here Comes Charlie," will be presented by local talent. An additional feature attraction of the evening will be Freddie Moore and his Cara Lome orchestra, the best musical organization yet to be formed at Appalachian College.

Prize lists of catalogs may be obtained at the following places: Boone Drug Co., Watauga Drug Co., Boone Department Vocational Agriculture, T. L. Mast's store, Villas Service Station, Cove Creek Department of Vocational Agriculture, Bert Mast's store, Don Hagaman's store, Clyde Perry's store, V. D. Ward's store, Henry Hagaman's store, W. W. Mast's store, Valle Crucis Co., Clyde Tester's store, C. P. Moore's store, H. H. Berry's store and Ed Harbin's store. Those planning exhibits should get their premium lists soon and get ready for their entries.

The fair building will be open Thursday afternoon, September 24th from 1 to 3 p. m., and Friday morning, September 25th from 7 to 12 a. m., for the entry of all exhibits except livestock and poultry. The fair grounds will be open Saturday morning, September 26th from 7 to 10 for the purpose of entering livestock and poultry.

SEAMANS ADDED TO STAFF

Banner Elk, Sept. 9.—C. M. Seamans, M.D., of Plattsburg, N. Y., has been added to the staff of Grace hospital it was announced here today by Dr. W. C. Tate, chief-of-staff.

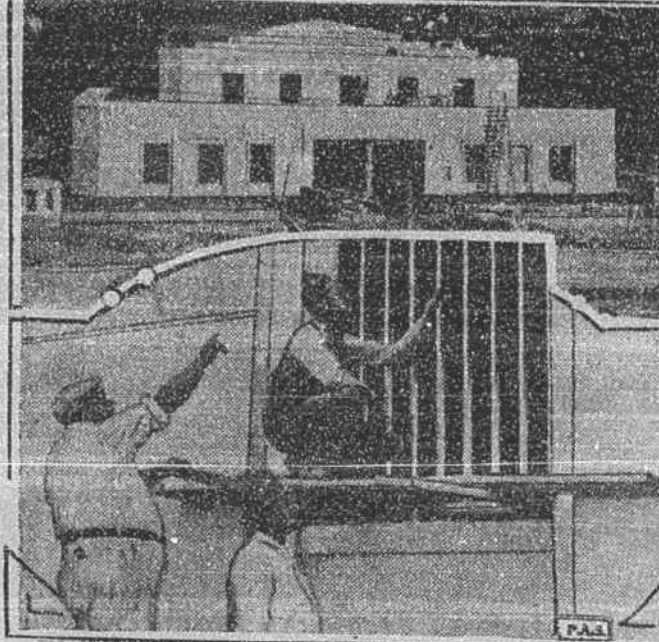
Dr. Seamans received his A. B. degree at Asbury college, Wilmore, Ky., in 1931. In 1935 he received his M.D. from the University of Louisville. He served his internship in the Samaritan hospital in Troy, N. Y., August, 1935 to August, 1936.

JAMES F. CLINGER ADDED

Banner Elk, Sept. 9.—James F. Clinger of Platteville, Wis., will succeed Charles F. Whitesell of Brownville, Minn., as head of the wood-working department at Lees-McRae college this fall, according to an announcement made yesterday by Leo K. Pritchett, dean and registrar.

Mr. Clinger is a graduate of State Teachers' college, Platteville, Wis., where he received his B. E. degree in industrial arts in 1933 and his B. E. secondary in 1934.

A Fortress For Ten Billion in Gold



Ft. Knox, Ky.—Here is the super-structure of the vault where Uncle Sam will shortly store \$10,000,000,000 in gold. The vault has been built from secret plans. It will be surrounded by a high steel fence and two water-filled moats with a device to flood the underground vault in event of danger. The gold will be moved here in fifty armored trains, guarded by 1,400 regular army soldiers. Insert shows workmen installing stainless steel bars, held by headless jail bolts.

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEET ARRANGED

High School Association Gathering Will Be Held At College Next Saturday.

The first annual meeting of the sixteen member high schools of the Appalachian Association will be held in the men's gymnasium of Appalachian College next Saturday at 2 o'clock, says E. E. Garbee, retiring president of the organization.

The organization was founded last year for the purpose of fostering a closer harmony among the mountain high schools in all forms of activities, and a part of the program was in the form of a successful basketball tournament held here last spring.

New officers will be elected, the constitution and by-laws formally adopted and other routine business discussed at the meeting Saturday.

The retiring officers of the association are: E. E. Garbee, Professor of Physical Education at the college, president; J. E. Merrill, Jr., former Boone High coach, vice president; W. W. Braswell, Newland High school, secretary and treasurer. The member schools are: Ashe County, Virginia-Carolina, Healing Springs, Elkland, Fleetwood, Nathan's Creek, Jefferson, West Jefferson, Riverview, Lansing, Avery, Newland, Altamont, Cranberry, Watauga, Boone, Blowing Rock, Cove Creek and Bethel.

PLAYGROUND HAS FINE BEGINNING

Mr. Garbee Submits Report to Mayor Of Work Done On City Playground.

Between the period of June 18th and August 31st of this year, eight hundred and sixty-six boys and girls were cared for on the playground which was sponsored by the city administration, according to a report submitted to W. H. Gragg, mayor, by E. E. Garbee, director of athletics at the college, who was instrumental in the creation of the playground project.

Fifteen of these boys and girls learned how to swim during the summer, said Mr. Garbee, who added that this constitutes a remarkable record of achievement for Miss Bryant, when it is recalled that the city does not have a swimming pool. The swimming lessons were given in Winkler's Creek, and following is the list of boys and girls who were taught to swim: Harold Watson, Roy Johnson, Francis Johnson, Alice Gilley, Martha Hamby, Ray Farthing, Phil Vance, Gene Bingham, Richard Bingham, Mildred Farthing, Annie Lee Angel, Ruby Ashley, Lloyd Isaacs, Nadine Gragg and Joan Lovell.

The following youngsters can float and are not afraid of water, the report says. They need more practice: Katherine Yount, Kathleen Gragg, Mary Sue Winkler, George King, Cecil Farthing.

In addition to swimming, all sorts of activities were participated in on the playground, including hikes to various points of interest. Mr. Garbee takes occasion to thank those sponsoring the playground for their interest in behalf of the children, their parents, himself and Miss Bryant. At the same time he hopes the people of the town will soon arrange for a permanent municipal playground, in order that the children

REACTOR PROJECT MAY BE COMPLETED BY END OF NEXT WEEK

Temporary Organization Set Up At Entertaining Meeting Last Saturday. Information Being Compiled and Maps Prepared.

The possibility that the Rural Electrification project for Watauga county would be in the hands of the proper authorities in Washington during next week loomed Saturday as representatives of different townships submitted to County Agent Collins their data on the preliminary survey, and as detailed work on the project actually got under way.

The attendance at Saturday's meeting was large and enthusiastic and the principal business transacted was the naming of a temporary slate of officers for the proposed REA cooperative, who will cooperate with Mr. Collins in the consummation of the project. Richard Olsen of Valle Crucis was named chairman of the organization, R. T. Greer, vice chairman and Henry J. Hardin, secretary-treasurer.

Mr. Port Jones, Lenoir draughtsman, began Monday the task of preparing a detailed set of maps of the county from the information gathered by the canvassers, which will give country roads as well as main highways, indicate the location of houses, the distance apart and the distance from roadways. It will be largely on the basis of the information contained in the maps that the extent of the project asked for the county will be determined. At the same time Mr. Collins is sending a questionnaire to all those calculated to be customers of the proposed rural electric lines, through which blanks further detailed information will be compiled. Potential users of the current will be asked for a small contribution to take care of the necessary expense incident to the preparation of the project.

Another meeting will be held at the courthouse Saturday of this week at 2 o'clock, at which time details as to a quick finish of the project will be worked out with the view to having the mass of information in such shape as will meet the approval of Washington officials by the following Saturday.

Complete information was forthcoming from the most of the townships at last Saturday's gathering, and Mr. Collins, as well as others interested, are highly pleased with the readiness of the people to cooperate in the important undertaking.

Local People Attend Green Pastures Rally

A group of something like twenty-five Watauga county people expect to go to Charlotte today where this afternoon President Roosevelt will address the Green Pastures Rally, at which time Democratic laymen and leaders from seven southern states will be present. More than 30 Wataugans have been designated as marshals for the occasion and most of these will attend, together with some others, it is understood.

President Roosevelt will arrive in Charlotte at 4:30 from Asheville by automobile, where he spent last night. He will address the throng of something like 100,000 shortly after his arrival and be on his return trip by 6 o'clock, present plans indicate.

Boy Scout Hut To Be Dedicated 12th

The recently completed Boy Scout hut in Legion Park will be officially dedicated Saturday, September 12th at 7:30, according to Scoutmaster B. W. Stallings, who states that Mr. Vaughan-Lloyd of Winston-Salem, Piedmont council executive, will be present for the exercises. Rev. E. D. Butt of Valle Crucis, will be the principal speaker.

Mr. Stallings states that a number of citizens have been invited to be present for the dedicatory exercises, and that others who are interested in the Boy Scout movement will be welcomed.

The building which has been erected by the local Scout troop has been completed, but plans are under way to add a rock chimney and fire place to the structure.

\$10,000 FOR BABY COTTAGE

Banner Elk, Sept. 9.—Grandfather Home for Children, one of the three institutions in the Edgar Tufts Memorial association, has been given \$10,000 by a friend for the construction of a new baby cottage. It was announced yesterday by Edgar H. Tufts, president of the association, which bears his father's name.

The Livingstone Club is announcing a fall fashion show to be held on September 25th. This show is to be different in many respects. Later announcements will give particulars as to place and participants.

may be kept off the streets and at the same time be instructed in helpful play.