

Windy Gap News

Mr. Ray Harmon has returned from Ohio where he has been engaged in defense work for sometime. Miss Vada Trivett and Miss Mary Harmon of Boone were visiting home folks last weekend. Donald Hagaman of Fort Bragg, Albert Harman of Fort Jackson, Raymond Harmon of Fort Pickett, and Fred Trivett of Fort Jackson visited their parents last week. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Moody spent last Sunday with Mrs. Moody's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Harmon. Paul Tester of Fort Benning was visiting friends here last week. Miss Celia Guy and Shirley Trivett of Beech Creek spent Saturday night visiting Misses Willrea and Betty Ward. Miss Orbie Trivett of Statesville spent the week-end at home. Miss Trivett is a student in a nursing school at Statesville. Mrs. Ray Harmon and daughters Wanda and Shelia spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Edmisten of Beech Creek.

Zionville News

By GEORGIA MILLER Mrs. Jessie Stephens returned from Watauga hospital May 10, and is recovering nicely. Many of her friends have visited her since she returned home. Mr. and Mrs. Daran Shoun and children of Mountain City visited Mrs. Polly Greer and other friends Sunday. Mrs. Ross Bumberner is taking treatment at the Hagaman Clinic in Boone. Mr. and Mrs. Farris Bumgarner have moved from their home here to their place of business at Sugar Grove. Mrs. Dan Bingham and son, John Thomas, spent Sunday with Mrs. Lillie Thomas. Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Wilson and son, Kenneth, Mr. Edward Wilson and daughter, Becky, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Norris. Mr. Emory Greer is sick at his home here. His daughter, Mrs. Pauline Chapman of Richmond, Ind., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Greer. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rominger and son, Lester, visited Mr. and Mrs. Reeves Holman. Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas and son, Randal, returned home after spending a week with Mrs. Thomas' mother, Mrs. Charles Wilkinson in Salem, Va. Mrs. Ella Moretz is visiting relatives in Roanoke, Va. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller and Dora Deane visited Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson on Meat Camp Sunday. Mrs. Eugene Wilson is visiting her husband, Cpl. Eugene Wilson, stationed in Alabama. Mrs. Edward Wilson and daughters, Becky and Karon Sue, are spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Profit on Meat Camp. Mr. Fred Castle has returned home from Kingsport, Tenn., where he has been employed. Mrs. Pauline Sherwood spent Thursday with Mrs. Gordon Sherwood at Sherwood. Mr. Clark Castle visited friends and relatives here Sunday. Mrs. Olen Stephens and Miss Artruda Stephens are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lewis in Cleveland, Ohio.

Million Have Phone Shares

The number of stockholders in the American Telephone and Telegraph Company reached 1,000,000 Tuesday, Southern Bell manager H. M. Inabinet announced. As the 1,000,000th point was attained, there were 6,157 stockholders in North Carolina, owning 163,349 shares. "The Bell System is the only American business with such a democracy of ownership as to have 1,000,000 owners," Mr. Inabinet pointed out. "The people in all walks of life who have invested in the Bell telephone business, and thus become stockholders, live in 19,000 cities, towns, and rural areas in the nation, including North Carolina." Mr. and Mrs. Brady Denton, of Saginaw, Mich., are joint owners of the millionth certificate representing stock. He is an automobile salesman—typical of the average Bell System stockholders, who are farmers, business men, clergymen, merchants, teachers, widows and other "hometown" folks. Funds supplied by people who have invested in the Bell System, like the Dentons, have made it possible for Southern Bell to spend \$63,000,000 for additional facilities in North Carolina between January 1, 1945, and March 31, 1951, Mr. Inabinet said. Telephone service demands in North Carolina are on the increase, Mr. Inabinet said, calling for large amounts of additional facilities yet to be installed. Funds for new facilities do not come from customer's monthly payment of their bills but must be raised in the form of new capital. Telephone earnings must be such as will attract the funds of people who have funds to invest, Mr. Inabinet declared. "That is why it is essential that the Telephone Company in North Carolina be financially strong, with adequate earnings to do the job that the people of the state want done."

1950 Census Used For State Taxes

The 1950 Census will be used in determining State schedule "B" license tax liability for the tax year beginning June 1, 1951, according to information furnished by Wade H. Lee, local deputy collector for the North Carolina Department of Revenue. Mr. Lee calls attention to the fact that many privilege licenses are based on population and suggests that the taxpayers refer to the schedule "B" partial list, which is being mailed together with application blanks to taxpayers throughout the State within the next few days. Privilege licenses not based on population will not be affected by these population changes. The 1950 population figures, subject to correction, for some of the places in Caldwell, and Watauga counties are listed below: Boone, 2,964; Granite Falls, 2,282; Lenoir, 7,863. If any taxpayer in Watauga county is in doubt as to his correct tax liability or needs assistance in filing his applications, Mr. Lee suggests that they contact him in the Grand Jury room, Watauga county courthouse, Boone, on Wednesday May 23, or Wednesday June 6. Mr. Lee's office days in Lenoir, are Tuesday of each week, or he may be called at telephone No. 721, and he will be glad to furnish any information desired.

MAN TAKES CAKE PRIZE

Fort Ann, N. Y.—In a chocolate cake-baking contest at a Grange meeting, three women judges awarded the prize to Howard Vannier for the best cake. The second and third prizes went to women.

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LEGAL NOTICES

RESOLUTION THAT WHEREAS under Chapter 454 of the laws of North Carolina of 1947 the election for the Mayor and the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Boone shall be held on the first Tuesday after the third Monday in June; AND WHEREAS this date falls on June 19 of the year 1951. NOW, THEREFORE, an election for the Mayor and the Commissioners of the Town of Boone is hereby called for June 19, 1951, during the hours from 8:30 o'clock a. m. until 6:30 o'clock p. m. Eastern standard time, in accordance with General Statutes 160-44. It is further ordered that J. C. McConnell is hereby named and designated as Registrar for said town election, and that Bernard Dougherty and R. D. Hodges shall be designated as Judges of said election and the books shall be opened for the registration of voters as provided by law on the 26th of May, 1951, at 9:00 o'clock a. m. and shall be closed at sundown on the 9th day of June, 1951, said election to be held at the Town Hall of the Town of Boone. Duly adopted this 15th day of May, 1951. GUY W. HUNT Town Clerk

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes entries for Mrs. Sam Atkins (14.40), Mattie Barrow (4.94), Carlie H. Bingham (4.94), Mabel B. Brown (94.65), Boone Frozen Food (228.60), Mrs. O. L. Cook (4.30), Dean Cook (43.88), Earl D. Cook (133.47), Oscar Cook, Jr. (4.06), Jordan Cook (3.15), Lyle B. Cook (34.53), Mrs. Edna Dillinger (7.08), B. S. Estes (10.60), Ralph Estes (59.19), Mrs. R. B. Fagan (3.50), J. Paul Fox (63.40), Alvin H. Garrison (2.70), Lawrence Graham (29.80), Carl Greene (26.20), Frank T. Greene (21.17), Mrs. Lusy Greer (10.35), Mrs. E. H. Hester (6.30), W. E. Hampton (37.69), Bruce Higgins (29.82), Gene Hall (6.30), Mrs. Louise Jones (4.14), Mrs. Alice Keplar (57.31), Julia Lawrence (3.60), Dolph Lyons (30.92), Ralph Mast (55.90), Clingman Miller (62.57), Shuford Edmisten (36.51), Mrs. Arline Younce (32.25), N. C. Miller (5.40), Luther G. Moretz (4.50), N. L. Nichols (14.40), L. B. Norris (7.49), Mrs. Ruby Owens (13.50), Margaret Poole (2.70), Joe Robinson (3.60), J. B. Rotter (12.15), Floyd Scott (12.15), Mrs. Willie Shull (4.05), R. W. Story (4.73), J. D. Stinson (5.40), Jack Storie (31.50), Odell Teague (11.80), Joe Trivette (2.90), Mrs. M. P. Van Hussen (3.60), David L. Clyburn (deceased) (6.40), Nella Folk (3.15), Rufus Goins (5.40), Winston Greer (3.70), Edward Grimes (18.00), J. W. Grimes (11.88), Monroe & Addie Grimes (7.75), Rebecca Grimes (3.96), Robert Hagler, Jr. (6.20), Hunter Horton (12.54), Houston Shears (15.94), Rev. A. W. Stover (18.32), Robert White (7.30), Atwood Horton (2.94).

NOTICE OF ELECTION Notice of the calling of the election for the Mayor and the Town Commissioners of the Town of Boone is hereby given. The election shall be held at the Town Hall on Tuesday, June 19, 1951, between the hours of 8:30 o'clock a. m. and 6:30 o'clock p. m. The Registrar for said election is J. C. McConnell. Those entitled to register as provided by law are hereby notified that the books for the registration of new voters shall be opened Saturday, May 26, June 2, and June 9, 1951, between the hours of 9:00 o'clock a. m. and sundown. GUY W. HUNT Town Clerk

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE Having qualified as the Executor of the will of Mrs. F. A. Linney, late of the county of Watauga, State of North Carolina, this is to notify all those having claims against the estate of the said deceased, to present them to me in Boone, N. C., within twelve months of the date hereof, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All those indebted to the estate are asked to make immediate payment. This May 3, 1951. KENNETH B. LINNEY, Executor. 3-10-5c

BEAUTIFUL MEN Salt Lake City.—According to the Census Bureau, men spend more money annually in Utah barber shops than women do in beauty parlors. The receipts totaled \$1,705,000 for barber shops as compared with \$1,142,000 for beauty parlors.

SURVIVES 15-FLOOR FALL New York.—Hoisting himself atop a radiator, Tommy Paiva, Jr., 2, pushed open a casement window of his parent's 15th floor apartment, and fell. He suffered only a fractured left leg and cuts and bruises. His fall was broken by shrubbery. Yugoslavia, rebuilding merchant marine, gets another ship.



Come in and try it out! NEW STUDEBAKER COMMANDER V-8 America's grand new driving thrill! An exhilarating 120 horsepower! New type valve-in-head V-8 engine! Tops in thrift! No premium fuel! A remarkably moderate price! Best Eight in actual gas mileage! In the 1951 Mobilgas Economy Run, a Studebaker Commander V-8 led all other eight-cylinders in actual miles per gallon! See and drive this Commander V-8 now! BUCK MADDUX MOTOR COMPANY 533-5 WEST MAIN STREET

WANT ADS

WATAUGA DEMOCRAT WANT ADVERTISING RATE 2 CENTS A WORD—50c MINIMUM CHARGE Cash must accompany all orders unless you have an open account with us.

FOR SERVICE—Poland China Boar. M. H. Edmisten, Sugar Grove, N. C.

FOR SALE—Complete power tool home workshop, mostly Delta machinery. \$800.00 See at 508 Grand Blvd. or call 215-J. 1p

ESPECIALLY WANTED: Mandrake, or Mayapple Root—25c per lb., Butterfly, or Pleurisy Root at 25c per lb., Shonny Haw Tree Bark at 18c per lb., Catnip Leaves 35c per lb., Black Cohosh Root 12c per pound, Select Sassafras Bark 35c per lb.; Highest Market prices also paid for Cherry Bark, Ginseng, Metals, Car Batteries. We are also buying 100 or more other items. Ask for complete price list.—Wilcox Drug Company, Boone, N. C. 5-17-4c

PIANO TUNING and service, good work on good Pianos. Regular tuning is \$5. Tuned to play with other music, price is ten to fifteen dollars. Edmisten store, Chester Sharp Vilas, N. C. 5-17-2p

FRESH STRAWBERRIES Ideal for home freezing or processing I expect to start picking a new field of strawberries about May 28. Will pick for about 3 weeks. If you want a case or two please drop a card so I can put you on my list. Will notify you when to come after them. Located on Highway 87, 5 miles from Mountain City, Tenn. in Doe Valley. \$7.00 per gal. in the field. Extra charge for crate if packed in crate. 5-17-3c

7-ROOM FRAMED dwelling—Bath, electric range, refrigerator and all other household and kitchen furniture. Owner will sell furnished or unfurnished. Price is right. Home Realty Co. 1c

FOR SALE—23 acre farm, four miles east of Boone near Mt. Vernon. Good house, water, lights in house, good barn and other outbuildings. Four cows, one horse and farming tools. On good road, school bus, milk, mail route. David Greene, Route 1, Boone, N. C. 1p

FOR SALE—8 foot Kelyinator. Good condition. See Joe Todd. 1p WANTED TO BUY—Large pony or small riding horse, bridle, and saddle. Must be gentle. See Herbert Wey. 1c

FOR SALE—One good heavy team of horses, also nearly new Oliver Mowing Machine. H. C. Moretz, Route 2, Boone, N. C. 5-10-2p

NOTICE The Watauga county Board of Education will meet May 23, at 8 p. m. in the county office building for the purpose of appointing a county superintendent and transacting other business. Clyde Perry, Chairman. 5-10-3c

FOR BEST PRICES on Cinder Blocks and Cement Blocks, Brick, see H. B. Wood, Boone, N. C. 5-10-4p

COST OF THINGS GOING UP faster than your income? You can make more full or part time as a Rawleigh Dealer in North Central Watauga County. Write for full particulars, Rawleigh's, Dept. NCE-180-RR, Richmond, Va. 5-3-3p

WE HAVE ON HAND at all times day-old and started furniture: 6 piece bedroom suit, 1 kitchen cabinet, 1 enamel kitchen table, 1 book case, 1 iron bed. See Grady Wilson, Boone, Route 2. 1p

FOR SALE—Six room house, 3.8 acres of land, cold spring, 1 1/2 miles west of Boone. See Jim Brown, Boone, N. C. 1p

CHIROPRACTOR—Dr. Charles B. Rollins, 420 1/2 W. Main St., above Edmisten Furniture Co. Hours 9-12; 1:30-5:30; Thursdays 9 to 12. 11-9-tfc

FOR RENT—5 Room unfurnished apartment, also rooms for rent. 107 Oak Street. Mrs. W. A. Deaton. 5-10-2p

DR. L. E. WELLMAN, Optometrist, will be in his office at Mountain City, Tenn., every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 9 a. m. to 3:30 p. m. Eyes examined, glasses fitted. 1-6-tfc

SPECIALS THIS WEEK—New WASHING MACHINES \$89.95; REFRIGERATORS \$179.95. Guaranteed 5 years. Because of our large buying power we can save you 25% on these items. WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE. 2-22-tfc

FOR RENT—Large apartment. Available June 1. Call 58-M. 1p

FOR SALE—Ice box in good condition. Call 518-W. J. E. Ray, Perkinsville. 1p

FOR SALE—Full size Hotpoint Electric range in good condition. \$50. See F. A. Furtado, Cannon Apartments. 1p

WANTED—Job doing general housework or caring for children. Write Miss Ann Johnson, General Delivery, Boone. 1p

ALMOST TOO WARM Denver, Colo. — Waking at about 3 a. m., little Mike Morrell, 3, decided to check up on his Easter ducks in the kitchen. Creeping into the kitchen, he thought they looked cold and what happened next isn't clear. His mother, Mrs. Diane Morrell, was awakened about an hour later by billows of smoke. She found the kitchen ablaze and Mike playing in the hall. Firemen put out the \$250 blaze and found the ducks o. k.—not even singed.

Stevensville, Mont. — Rancher John Sullivan awoke recently just as a big black bear was leaving with a pig in its mouth. One rifle shot killed the bear. Instead of pork in his deep freeze, Sullivan now has bear meat, by permission of the game warden.

WESTCOTE SUPREME PAINT—highest quality, \$3.89 gallon. Also complete line of WALLPAPER. Expert painter available at 75 cents per hour. Call 46-W. WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE. 3-22-tfc

FOR SALE—80 acre farm, grazing land, woven wire fence. Located on Fork Ridge. D. Archie Coffey, Lenoir, N. C. 4-20-tfc

FOR RENT—Two apartments, furnished or unfurnished. Steam heat and hot water. Phone 91 day, or 136 after 6 p. m. 2-15-tfc

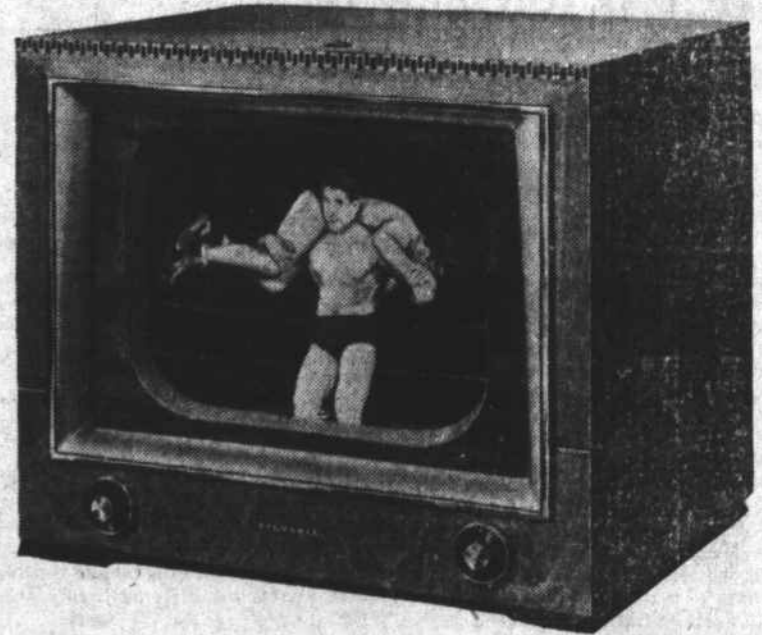
FOR SALE — 1951 Studebaker pick-up used as a demonstrator. Buck Maddux Motor Co., Boone, N. C., Phone 362 3-8-tfc

WANTED—Service station hand. References required. See Brown's Esso Station, Phone 355-W. 1c

FOR SALE—Pontiac 41. Good buy for cash. Radio, heater, motor O. K. Good tires, nearly new spare. Call 259. Mr. Hill. 1c

BOONE DRUG CO. Your Prescription Store PROMPT SERVICE Three Registered Pharmacists: G. K. Moore, W. R. Richardson, O. K. Richardson Store Hours: 8:30 A. M. to 9:30 P. M. Sundays: 2:00 P. M. to 6 P. M. If Needed after Store Hours, Call 114-M or 101 The REXALL Store

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