

Items Of Interest At Appalachian High

Minnie Austin, an outstanding member of the senior class, was named Citizen of the Week on Friday, December 2. She is the eighth student to be selected for this honor by the Student Council.

Minnie, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Colis Austin, is chief cheerleader this year. She has served as a cheerleader for three years. She is now a member of the Girls "A" Club and the Home Economics Club and is now serving as homeroom secretary.

After graduation from high school, Minnie plans to attend Woman's College in Greensboro and major in home economics.

Students Visit Student Council

Six members of the senior class were invited to be guests of the Student Council on Monday, Nov. 28. Seniors who attended the regular meeting of the council are Treva Moretz, B. M. Miller, Mozelle Greene, J. B. Jones, Mary Deane Bingham, and Anne Farthing.

The council plans to invite two members of each homeroom to attend one of its regular meetings. The purpose of the program is to acquaint the student body with the activities and procedures of the Student Council.

Take Trip

Mr. Sam Dry's homeroom took their prize-winning trip for magazine sale to Asheville, Friday, Oct. 18.

They visited the airport, the Biltmore Clothing Industry, the Coca-Cola Bottling Co., and also saw the making of silver jewelry.

Bible Club

Rev. L. H. Hollingsworth honored the Bible Club with a talk about his recent trip to the Holy Land at a recent meeting.

The club is planning an all-member participating programme for the year.

Freshman Class Officers

Rufus Edmiston was elected president of the freshman class at a class meeting on Monday, November 28.

To serve with Rufus as class officers for the current year, Jimmy Hayes was elected vice-president; Marilyn Triplett, secretary-treasurer; and Betty Cooke, reporter.

Audio-Visual Aids Club

During the last three weeks the Audio-Visual Aids Club members have been learning to operate the different projectors which the school owns. Also, they have been

learning proper care of the projectors.

The following boys have been assigned to stay in the audio-visual aids office: Eved Gentry, 1st period; Joe Watson, 2nd period; Kenneth Norris, 3rd period; Frank South and Cecil Tester, 4th period; Glenn Isaacs, 5th period; and Bill Farthing, 6th period.

London Lauds Truman Story

London, Dec. 1.—Former President Harry Truman's memoirs were greeted by critics with unanimous praise on their publication here today.

One critic said Truman was "one of the least ordinary little men who ever lived."

Without exception, the reviews in London morning and evening newspapers praised both the book, "The Years of Decision" and Truman himself.

The influential Times said that "more than anything else, it is a self-portrait. No one can read it without understanding better than before how it was that the modest, unassuming man who had been kept in the Washington back-ground could, on Roosevelt's death, step forward without warning to carry the burden of being president of the world's most powerful country in the years when the load was heaviest.

"Every chapter in this book is alive because it reveals the two qualities in Mr. Truman which struck Sir Winston Churchill when they first met at Potsdam—his gay precise sparkling manner and obvious power of decision."

The conservative Daily Mail compared Truman with Clement Attlee, British prime minister for part of his early years as President, and said it "would be interesting to compare their respective performances" if Attlee also had written his memoirs.

DIES DODGING SNOWBALLS

Elk Mound, Wis.—Jeffrey Ackerman, 7, and some of his friends were tossing snowballs back and forth on the way home from school. Jeffrey, dodging a snowball, darted into the path of an oncoming trailer truck, and was instantly killed.

Fertilizer Chart Handy

A handy chart showing the State College Extension Service fertilizer recommendations for 1956 can be obtained from local county agents or by writing to the Division of Agricultural Information, Ricks Hall, State College Station, Raleigh.

The publication, prepared by the departments of agronomy and horticulture at N. C. State College, unfolds into a 12 by 19 chart that can be posted for easy reference. It is entitled, "Fertilizer Recommendations, 1956."

The authors give recommendations for field crops, vegetable crops, fruit crops, and ornamentals. The publication also presents tables for determining nutrients in grades not listed in the recommendations and the amount of nitrogen available from different materials, and explains how to place fertilizer to obtain good stands.

Field crops for which recommendations are made are alfalfa, corn, cotton, lespedeza, pastures (Ladino-grass, tall fescue, orchard grass, coastal Bermuda, millet, Sudan grass, small grain), peanuts, small grains, sorghum, soybeans, tobacco plant beds, flue-cured tobacco and burley tobacco.

INFLATION BAR

The Federal Reserve Board has recently started a double "crack-down" on credit in an effort to counter inflation. Effective on Nov. 18, the Reserve Board permitted six Reserve banks to hike the discount rate from two and a quarter per cent to two and a half per cent—the most restrictive lending cost enforced by the Reserve System in twenty years—since the first half of 1935. Up to then, until late this year, the Reserve Bank lending rate had never topped two per cent.

USDA scientists have found farmers can save a considerable amount of grain by providing more good hay in the ration of dairy heifers.

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

NORTH CAROLINA WATAUGA COUNTY

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed by Dallas Hartley and his wife Violet Hartley dated the 15th day of February, 1955, and recorded in Book 75 at Page 211 in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Watauga County at Boone, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, and the said deed of trust by the terms thereof being subject to foreclosure, the undersigned will offer for sale, as Trustee, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the courthouse door in Boone, North Carolina, at twelve o'clock noon on the 8th day of January, 1956, the property conveyed in the said deed of trust, the same lying and being in Watauga Township, Watauga County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of Minton, Barnett and others, according to a survey made by I. A. Bumgarner April 16, 1954, and described as

BEGINNING on a stake in the Minton line, and running North 72 West 10 poles to a chestnut; thence South 82 West 19 poles to a white oak; thence South 13 West, crossing the road, 54 poles to a stake; thence North 70 West 66 poles to a stake in the Barnett line; thence West 16 poles to a stake; thence North 67 West 10 poles to an oak stump; thence North 28 West 40 poles to the East side post; thence North 73 West 23 poles to a dogwood; thence North 28 East 19 3/4 poles to a stake; thence North 56 East 5 poles to a stake; thence North 55 East 20 poles; thence North 15 poles to a mahogany tree; thence North 36 East 80 poles to a stake in the road; thence with the road South 45 East 4 poles; South 39 East 18 poles; South 28 East 8 poles; South 22 West 8 poles; South 14 East 4 poles; South 53

East 14 poles; North 88 East 20 poles to a stake in Bairds Creek Road; thence leaving the Bairds Creek Road, South 20 West 46 poles to a stake in the Brewer line; thence North 67 East 66 poles to a chestnut; 13 3/4 poles; thence South 87 West 9 poles; South 9 East 14 poles; South 15 West 18 poles to the point of the BEGINNING, and being a part of the lands conveyed to Dallas Hartley and wife Violet Hartley by deed August 1, 1950, from Rex D. Bumgarner and wife Mabel Bumgarner, and Edwin Bumgarner which deed is of record in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Watauga County in Book 68 at Page 215, the tract herein conveyed consisting of 92 acres, more or less, the lumber and sawed fence stakes being excepted; and not conveying, however, that part of the above described lands heretofore conveyed to Maston Hodges and deed dated May 18, 1954, recorded in Book 73 at Page 458, and reserving a right of way across the lands of the grantors as set forth in the deed to Maston Hodges.

BUT this sale will be made subject to any and all unpaid taxes.

This the 2nd day of December, 1955.

LOUIS H. SMITH, Trustee. 12-8-4c-1

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as the administrator, cta, of the estate of Carl Davis, 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 within 12 months of the date hereof or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. Those indebted to the estate are asked to make immediate payment. This December 5, 1955. WADE E. BROWN, Administrator. 12-8-6c-b

NOTICE NORTH CAROLINA WATAUGA COUNTY

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed by Orville Hagaman and wife, Anna Lee Hagaman, dated the 6th day of December, 1954, and recorded in Book 74 at Page 13, in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Watauga County, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and said deed of trust being subject to foreclosure, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the courthouse door in Boone, North Carolina, at eleven o'clock A. M. on the 30th day of December, 1955, the property conveyed in said deed of trust, the same lying and being in the County of Watauga and State of North Carolina, in Boone Township, and more particularly described as follows:

Lying and being in the Town of Boone and BEGINNING on a stone on the east side of Oak Street, North-West corner of Lot No. 16 and runs South 72 East 142 feet with northern boundary of lot 16 to a stone on west side of a 12 foot alley, northeast corner of lot 16; then north 19 east 80 feet with the west side of said alley to a stone on west side of alley, southeast corner of Charles Hollar's lot No. 14; thence north 72 west 142 feet with southern boundary line of said Hollar's lot to a stone on east side of Oak Street; thence South 18 West 80 feet with east side of Oak Street to a stone on east side of Oak Street, the BEGINNING corner, being Lot No. 15, of the Hardin addition to Boone.

This 28th day of November, 1955.

WADE E. BROWN, Trustee 12-1-4c-B

Salute To Ike Dinner Slated

Winston-Salem will be among the more than 60 cities which will participate in the nation-wide series of "Salute To Eisenhower" dinners scheduled for January 20.

The Winston-Salem function will be held at the Hotel-Robert E. Lee. Frederick C. Crawford of Cleveland, National Chairman of the "Salute To Eisenhower" dinners, has named Charles D. Owen, Jr., Asheville, North Carolina, as Chairman of the Sponsoring Committee of the Winston-Salem dinner.

NOTICE NORTH CAROLINA WATAUGA COUNTY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That the partnerships heretofore doing business in Boone, North Carolina, under the firm names of "Buena Vista Apartments" and "Boone Livestock Market", have been dissolved by the death of Lester Carroll, one of the partners, on the 16th day of November, 1955, and that all parties having claims against the said partnerships which were in existence at the time of the death of said deceased partner are notified to exhibit the same to the undersigned surviving partner on or before the 25th day of November, 1955.

C. H. BLACKBURN, JR. Surviving Partner 12-8-4c-B

The coast-to-coast affairs will mark the third anniversary of President Eisenhower's inauguration and will serve as the kick-off for the Republican party's fundraising efforts for the 1956 campaign.

The "Salute To Eisenhower" dinners will be sponsored by the Republican National Finance Committee, of which John Clifford Folger, of Washington, D. C., is chairman. Conrad Hilton, internationally known hotel executive is chairman in charge of the closed-circuit television arrangements.

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 - NEW 3-BEDROOM BRICK HOUSE—Bath, attached garage, fire-new 2-BEDROOM BRICK HOUSE—Bath, attached garage, fireplace, full basement, hot air heat, located Howard Street.
 - GRAND BLVD.—Nice building lot for sale.
 - OLD BRISTOL ROAD—2 bed rooms, living room, kitchen, dining room, bath, full basement, hot air furnace. Well insulated. Price \$6,500. Terms if needed.
 - WOODLAND DRIVE—New 3-bedroom brick house, two ceramic tile baths, dishwasher, full basement, hot water heat, double garage, storm windows. Located in one of the better residential sections, near college. F.H.A. or G. I. loan available.
 - VALLE CRUCIS—2 bed-room house, bath, living room, dining room and kitchen completely furnished including refrigerator and stove. Price \$3800.
 - 100 ACRES young timber land and farm land, Mabel, N. C., \$2,000.
 - FOR SALE—P. A. Hunter property located 8 miles east of Boone on Highway 421, near Parkway School. New Restaurant—ideal for truck stop. Good 7-room house, bath, heat, 36 acres land. This property can be bought as a whole or will be divided to suit the buyer. Good terms.
 - GOOD 3 BED ROOM HOUSE, bath, 5 to 6 acres of the best bottom land, good outbuildings, located on hardsurface road, Sherwood section. Ideal property for some one wanting nice home for retirement. Price is right.
 - GOOD GOING GROCERY AND SERVICE STATION for sale. Located on Highway 421, known as Lynn Springs Service Station. Sale includes land, building, stock and equipment.
 - ONE ACRE LAND with water rights. Small house and barn overlooking Boone. Ideal for summer home. Price \$1,500.
 - FOSCOE—7 room house, water in house, 2 1/2 acres land, new highway in front. Price \$3,500.
 - BUCKEYE HILL—4-room house, water in house, 7 1/2 acres land. Telephone and electric service. Price \$4200.
 - BEAUTIFUL RESIDENTIAL BUILDING LOT 250'x200' located Hardin Subdivision. City water, paved street, small lake on front of lot. Nice homes surrounding properties.
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