

## Howell, Petrey Attend Principals' Meeting

Mr. John Howell and Mr. Earl Petrey, principal and assistant principal of the Appalachian Elementary School, attended the North Carolina Principals' Conference in Asheville on November 8 and 9.

**Mrs. Buckland's Fifth Grade.** Officers have been elected for Mrs. Buckland's fifth grade. They are: President, Sylvia Crew; vice-president, James Bingham; secretary, Patty Spencer; treasurer, Barry Faries.

The class recently visited the Northwestern Bank where important functions of a bank were explained by Mr. James Marsh. The class fund which has been made from the sale of Christmas cards was deposited in the bank. Mr. Marsh presented a pencil to each child. The following people received prizes on the Christmas card sale: Patty Spencer, Larry Triplett, Sylvia Crew, Carolyn Greene, Edwin Wise, Lenore Nash, Judy

**STATED COMMUNICATION OF SNOW LODGE NO. 363, AF & AM** will be held

Fri., Nov. 15, at 7:30 p. m. There will be work in the third degree by a visiting team from Spruce Pine. Floyd M. Brewer, W. M. J. E. Robinson, Sec.

Payne, Russell Roark, Mackie Mast, Leslie Hardin, and Brent Davis.

### Library News

The first essentials of an active school library are the children and young people who use and enjoy the materials the library makes available to them. The school library is a reading center, a materials laboratory, and a work center for the entire school. It's function is to further the objectives of the particular school which it serves.

The Appalachian Elementary School has about four thousand books in the library. These books are classified according to the Dewey Decimal System of Classification. Approximately 800 books are circulated each week. This does not include book jackets, filmstrips, pictures, pamphlets, magazines and other materials that are circulated by the library. The audio-visual machines are housed in and distributed from the library. This equipment includes three filmstrip projectors, one movie projector, an opaque projector, a tape recorder, a dry mount press, and two portable screens.

Each class in school has one

## Teachers At Hickory Meet

Five members of Alpha Gamma Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma attended the twenty-third Regional Birthday Celebration which was observed on Saturday, November 9, at the First Methodist Church in Hickory.

Attending the meeting from Watauga county were Mrs. Sarah Horton, Mrs. Ennis Davis, Mrs. Grace Council, Mrs. Annie Laurie Whitener, president of the local chapter, and Mrs. Allie Hodgkin.

scheduled library period a week. During this period books are checked out and other activities are carried on. Each child is given an opportunity to help in some way with routine library duties. Instruction in the care and use of library materials is given at all grade levels. During the month of October library lessons have been concerned with the arrangement of books on the shelves. Instructional and recreational filmstrips are used with all grades.

The first grades do not check out books until after the Christmas holidays, but the children have story hours and are given opportunities to examine books. Stories are used with the other grades also. Use of reference books usually begins in the fourth grade and is carried on extensively in the upper grades.

Free periods are scheduled daily, during which time any pupil may use the library for recreational reading, committee planning, reference work or other school activities.

The library club is composed of students from the two eighth grades. The main purposes of the club are to encourage reading of worthwhile materials and to help members gain skill in using the library.

Along with the Appalachian High School Library and ten other libraries in the state, the Appalachian Elementary School Library is participating in the study conducted by the Southern States Work Conference. The general purpose of the study is to determine "What Is A Good School Library Program And What Does It Do For Boys And Girls?"

Mrs. Jessie D. Pease is the librarian at the Appalachian Elementary School.

### PEANUT ACREAGE

A national allotment of 1,610,000 acres for the 1958 crop of peanuts has been announced by the Agriculture Department. This is the same acreage allotted for this year's crop.

## Graduate Club A.S.T.C. Lauds Chappel Wilson

In behalf of all the graduate students who have attended Appalachian State Teachers College, we, the present members of the Graduate Club, wish to express our sincere thanks to the friend we recently lost.

Mr. Chappel Wilson was born on a farm in Robeson County sixty-six years ago. He fought for his country in World War I and was seriously wounded. Mr. Wilson graduated from Wake Forest College with an A. B. degree in 1920, and after teaching in public schools of North Carolina, came to Boone to work with Dr. Dougherty in 1922. He received his Master of Arts degree from Peabody College in 1930.

Mr. Wilson served Appalachian in many ways. He was a teacher, principal of the laboratory school, director of the laboratory schools, director of summer school, and Dean of Graduate Studies. He was known throughout the country as the "good will ambassador" of Boone and Appalachian State Teachers College. Any time Mr. Wilson was in a group the topic of discussion changed to the outstanding characteristics of Boone and Appalachian State Teachers College. People listened to him because he believed what he said.

We knew Mr. Wilson best as the Dean of Graduate Studies. Through his own perseverance he founded the Graduate School at Appalachian State Teachers College, and saw to it that the graduate program became fully accredited. It is due to his counseling and encouragement that many students now hold master's degrees. We, the present members of the graduate class can count many among

us who would not be here if it had not been for Mr. Wilson's encouragement. He liked to see people advance themselves. It is true that he made the picture seem prettier than it was sometimes, but this approach got many of us started who would not otherwise have begun our graduate work.

Mr. Wilson was a man who did not sacrifice his principles and beliefs in order to gain friends. We, the students who knew him, admired him most for what he was and mourn the fact that other young people will not have him to help push them up the ladder in the field of education.

GRADUATE CLUB 1957-1958

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ording to the American Meat Institute. Hogs are grown on nearly 4,000,000 farms, while sheep are grown on about 800,000 farms.

Research indicates that carefully controlling burning helps increase forage production of some Eastern North Carolina lowlands.

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No Auto Insurance — No 1958 License Plate

All North Carolina motorists must show proof of minimum insurance coverage of \$5,000 to \$10,000 bodily injury and \$5,000 property damage to obtain 1958 license plates. Deadline for display of new plates is February 15, 1958.

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