

# Society

## BPW Officers Are Installed

Officers for the 1959-60 year of the Boone Business and Professional Women's Club were installed on Friday evening, May 8, at the Daniel Boone Hotel.

Installing officer for the ceremony was Mrs. Earleen Pritchett, a past president of the Boone BPW Club.

Officers for the coming year are Mrs. Dena Mae Edmisten, president; Miss Jean Childers, first vice-president; Dr. Mary Michal, second vice-president; Mrs. Mary Helen Teague, recording secretary; Mrs. Martha Hawkins, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Muriel Glenn, treasurer.

Immediate past-president, Mrs. Lawrence Owsley, presented a past-president's pin to Mrs. Ralph Tugman, retiring president of the club.

## Garden Club Meets Tuesday

The Appalachian Garden Club met Tuesday evening, May 4, at the home of Mrs. Bob Davis, for a covered-dish dinner meeting.

Mrs. Dempsey Wilcox was program chairman. She had requested each member to bring a flower arrangement, which she used in a most helpful and informative program.

Mrs. Thomas Wright, a former president of the club, who is moving from Boone, was the honor guest. At the end of the program she was presented with a book on flower arrangement.

Ten club members attended the dinner-meeting. Mrs. Jack Norris, a visitor, was invited to join the group.

TRADE AT HOME

## Miss Robinson Given Shower

Miss Mary Robinson had a corsage of baby yellow orchids, white valley lilies and net to wear at the miscellaneous shower given in her honor last Wednesday evening by Miss Sandy Brown, who entertained some fifteen guests in the reception hall at the New Dormitory.

The hostess, who is to be a bridesmaid when Miss Robinson and Mr. Bill Crawford are married on June thirteenth also had crystal for the bride elect.

The punch table was covered with an Italian lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of pastel spring flowers. The cakes were round with a band of green leaves centered with pink rosebuds. The sandwiches were miniature spring baskets filled with colored flowers. Mints and nuts were served in crystal compotes.

Miss Brown included in her guest list the groom's mother, Mrs. Joe Crawford and his grandmother, Mrs. W. L. Scoggins, Mrs. Migette, house mother of New Dorm, and Mrs. Maxie Edmisten, Dean of Women at the college.

## Co. Council Has Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Watauga County Council was held in the Legion Hut, May 8, with the president, John Lett, Jr., presiding.

The meeting was called to order and the 4-H Pledge was repeated, after which there was group singing. The president then gave a short summary of District Demonstration Day, held at Asheville on April 25.

Miss Lillian Hyatt, Ass't. Home Agent, gave a preview of the summer schedule for the coming months, stressing 4-H camp (to be held at Camp Shaub, Waynesville in June); State 4-H Club Week, which will be held in July at Raleigh; and 4-H Sunday, May 17.

After this informative talk, the following new officers were elected: President, Agnes Grag Shipley; vice-president, Kent Younce; secretary-treasurer, Bettine Danner; reporter, John Lett, Jr.

Miss Hyatt then gave a pep talk on the keeping of records, after which the meeting was adjourned.

## Overplanting No Aid In Weed Quota Increase

From the number of recent inquiries it is still evident that a large number of farmers do not know there is no credit for overplanting burley tobacco toward the establishment of a new allotment, according to the ASC office.

The Congress eliminated this provision of the law in 1955.

Burley tobacco produced on a farm without an allotment or in excess of the 1959 allotment established for the farm will be subject to a marketing penalty of approximately 50 cents per pound.

It should be remembered, according to the ASC office, that the only way a burley tobacco allotment may be established on a new farm is on the basis of experience of the owner of the farm. The necessary experience together with other requirements must be met in every respect.

Full information is available at the ASC county office.

A scientist says the average span of life can be lengthened to 150 years at a probable cost of \$1 a head. Doubtless there are cases in which the expenditure would be warranted.

Rockefeller back Democrat's water bill.

## Class Reunion Being Planned


A reunion of the class of 1939, Appalachian High School, is being planned for sometime in June.

All members of the class who are interested in a reunion are asked to write Mrs. Emory C. Sylvester, 15 Lakefield Court, Middleton, Wisconsin, so that definite plans may be made.

There weren't any teen-age delinquents 50 years ago. When they got through working in the fields all day they were too tired to do any wrong.

India ends restriction on agencies. Argentina bars Communist activities.

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## Engagement Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Perry of Zionville announce the engagement of their daughter, Myrtle Pearl to Mr. Wilbert Chester Calhoun, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Strickland of Louisburg.

The wedding will be an event of May thirtieth at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, Silverstone.

The couple plan to make their home in Raleigh.

## Third Polio Shot Is Due

The local chapter of the National Foundation wishes to remind the persons who have had two polio shots, that the third one is now due, and may be administered at the Watauga Health Center each Wednesday, or by the family doctor.

## Dr. Carder To Speak To Grads

Dr. Clarence A. Carder of the Appalachian State Teachers College faculty will deliver the baccalaureate address for the Cane River High School, Burnsville, Sunday, May 17 at 3 p. m.

Federal programs to fight delinquency urged.

## Dr. Lawrence Attends Meet

Winston-Salem—A Boone optometrist will be one of the key leaders in the fifty-second annual convention of the North Carolina State Optometric Society here May 10-12.

He is Dr. C. Ray Lawrence, a member of the North Carolina State Board of Examiners in Optometry. Appointed to the State Board of Examiners by Governor Luther H. Hodges, Dr. Lawrence is one of the leading vision specialists in North Carolina.

He is a past president of the North Carolina State Optometric Society, and has been active during the past year in the organization's vocational guidance program. Under his leadership, the number of exceptional young men and women entering the optometric profession has been increased substantially.

### CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ticknor of Deep Gap wish to express their sincere thanks to all their friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses shown them in the death of their mother.

## Uncle Pinkney

(Continued from page four) on the car exhaust.

And speaking of livestock, I see where a feller in Wyoming last week got 30 days in jail fer beating his wife over the head with a T-bone steak. Serves him right. Meat is too high fer anything but eating.


Yours truly,  
UNCLE PINKNEY



**SKY-VU DRIVE-IN THEATRE**

SHOWINGS EVERY NIGHT

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| Friday and Saturday<br>May 15 and 16<br><b>MAN FROM GOD'S COUNTRY</b><br>George Montgomery<br>Scope | Monday and Tuesday<br>May 18 and 19<br><b>Sheriff Of Fractured Jaw</b><br>Jayne Mansfield<br>Kenneth Moore<br>Color Scope |
| Sunday—May 17<br><b>Man In War</b><br>Robert Ryan<br>Aldo Ray                                       | Wednesday and Thurs.<br>May 20 and 21<br><b>Twilight For The Gods</b><br>Rock Hudson<br>Cyd Charisse<br>Color             |



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