

DANCING CHAMPIONS.—Miss Lee Harper (left) is holding the Mollie MacGregor Open Carolina Challenge Trophy she won in nation-wide dancing competition on MacRae Meadows, July 8. Miss Gwyn Harper (right) holds the Flora MacDonald Award for the best Carolinas dancer.—Staff photo Rachel Rivers.

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set businesses, handling more than are better known at the Crafts\$18 billion annually—plays in our national economic welfare.

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#### Polaris Sub Tests Are Successful

Polaris submarines have been stationed within rocket range of Russia, ready to fire, for ; sore

The performance of the first two submarines and their crews :net or exceeded all the requirements According to Postmaster Harold Chiefs of Staff.

The first two submarines, the George Washington and the Patrick Henry, began their mission in the winter. The storms, and long nights in icy seas in high portant features of the Polaris altitudes were of no concern to system, worked at all times with the atomic-powered ships, sub- amazing reliability.



TWEETSIE VISITORS.—These 65 foreign exchange students spent saturday afternoon at Tweetsie Railroad as guests of the manage-

mosphere. Navigation and com

# The Linville Post Office will be a pait of the President's plan to put \$260 million into our economy at a crucial time, including \$100 million in existing postal facilities. The Administration thus recognizes the vital part which the Postal Service one of the weel's loss. Banner Elk.—Mr. and Mrs. Edd, a dulcimer is put together.

es the vital part which the Postal Banner Elk.—Mr. and Mrs. Edd a dulcimer is put together. Service—one of the world's larg- Presnell and their son, Baxter, This quaint instrument,

This quaint instrument, which things, is said to b e the most ap-This Post Office, and the many others benig constructed, will be Asheville July 17-21, to show how mountain ballads. So far as is mountain ballads. So far as is known, it has never been made, in its present form, in any other land or in any other part of our country. It can be played with a tiny stick

> Mr. and Mrs. Pressnell have been working in crafts for 26 years. They have exhibited and demonstrated at many fairs, and have won many ribbons at the State Fair in Raleigh. Their mountain dulcimer is now on exhibit at the International Exposition in

of wood or a goose quill, but hardly

ever with a bow.

The 22-year-old son, Baxter, started working with his father when he was 12. He made two dulcimers while attending Berea Foundation School, and worked in the woodcraft shop to pay for his room and board. He has just finished his second year at Appalachian State Teachers College, major ing in industrial arts and crafts.

#### merged, providing their own at PRESIDENT SIGNS HOUSING BILL TO AID LOWER INCOME GROUP

President Kennedy has signed a to own homes

multibillion-dollar housing measure which is intended primarily to make it easier for families, with annual incomes of \$4,000 to \$6,000, laws have helped the relatively well-to-do through home loans and the poor through low-income housing projects but have done little for those in the lower-middle income brackets.

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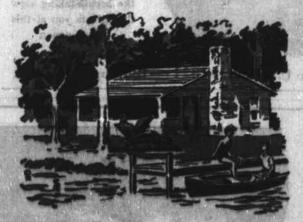
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