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In Response—Clyde R. Hoey Jr., of Canton speaks on behalf of his family during dedication ceremonies which named ASU residence hall in honor of his father.

Historical Group Names Officers

The directors of the Southern Appalachian Historical Association Monday re-elected Dr. I. G. Greer of Chapel Hill as its president.

The full slate of nominees was accepted by a vote of acclamation posed by J. E. Hol-

Career Night Draws Notice Of 35 Agencies

Wednesday, Nov. 1, will be Career Night at Watauga High School.

Approximately 35 schools and agencies have accepted invitations to participate in the program to help juniors and seniors with plans for post-high school training or employment.

Schools represented at Career Night will be business colleges, beauty schools, technical institutes, community colleges and a few other vocational training schools. Industry will be represented by speakers from Blue Ridge Shoe Company, Vermont-American, IRC and Shadowline. The armed forces will be represented by recruiting officers from the Army, Navy, Air Force and Marines.

Approximately 300 juniors and seniors plan to attend Career Night. Parents are invited to attend with their sons and daughters. The Career Night programs, planned by the high school Guidance Department, will begin at 7 p. m.

FREEMAN ONSCHOOL LUNCH
Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman has called for a nationwide drive to extend the government-sponsored school lunch program to 30 million children not now being served.

Special Watauga Livestock Market Sales Bring \$633,418

The Watauga County Livestock Market sold 1,356 steers in the special steer sale Oct. 19 for \$230,313 or an average of \$169.85 per head or \$23.95 cwt.

L. E. Tuckwiller said this brings the total number of cattle sold in special sales to 3,940 for total receipts of \$633,418.94. "In addition to the special

sales, the market has been handling approximately 500 cattle per week in their regular weekly sales," he said.

Of the special sale Oct. 19, the County Extension Chairman said 63 per cent of the steers graded good or better. Choice steers sold at an average of \$25.10 cwt, and good steers averaged \$23.93 per cwt.

He noted that choice steers averaged \$193 per head and good steers \$173 per head (or \$20 less than choice); and commons were \$142 per head (or \$19 under medium).

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603 More In Extension Program

4,942 Students Are Enrolled In University's Fall Quarter

Optimist Carnival Tuesday

Drawings for free door prizes will be staged every half hour during the Boone Optimist Club's annual Halloween Carnival Tuesday, Oct. 31.

The Carnival will begin at 7 p.m. in the burley warehouse across from the bus terminal. The event is being put on for Watauga children and no admission fee will be charged.

Among prizes will be a new bike and a transistor radio. In addition, the Optimists will conduct a drawing for a pony. Music will be provided by at least two bands and a dance contest is planned.

Entertainment booths will feature bingo and other games and a cake walk will be held during the Halloween Night Festivities.

Watauga Hi Homecoming This Week

Graduates of the 1966 and 1967 classes at Watauga High School are invited to the school's homecoming events on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 27 and 28.

The homecoming game with Valdese will be played in Conrad Stadium on Friday night. On Saturday night the student council will sponsor a dance for graduates and students in the high school student lobby.

The Homecoming queen and her court were elected by the student body early this week. Members of the court are freshman, Kathy Aldridge; sophomore, Jane Ragan; junior, Dorothy Hodges; and seniors, Margaret Blanton and Jane Dougherty.

One of the two senior girls will be crowned queen during homecoming festivities.

2 Laundries Are Robbed Sunday

Two Boone laundries were robbed of an undisclosed amount of change sometime Sunday night.

Boone Police Chief Red Lyons said C. J. Hayes' discovery Monday morning of the robbery at his Scenic Laundry, Blowing Rock Road, prompted a check on the Coin-Op at the corner of Hardin and King Street. The change box there also had been robbed.

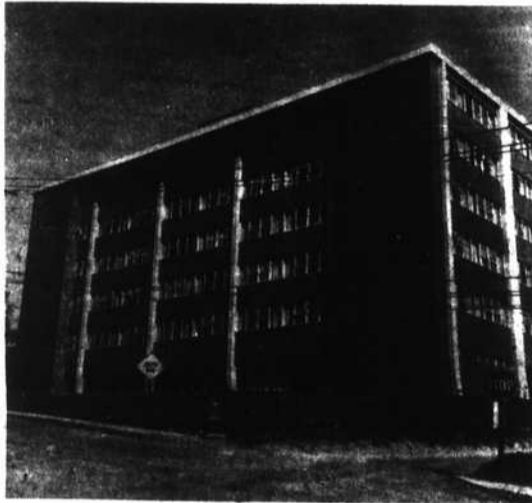
Lyons said he judged from the way they operated, that the thieves were professionals. He said he has alerted law agencies in Eastern Tennessee.



BOWIE HALL



HOEY HALL



LOVILL HALL



WHITE HALL

Education Pioneers Honored At Dedication University Buildings

Four men who served as pioneers in the birth and early life of the educational institution which has grown to become Appalachian State University, were praised and honored

Sunday as four new residence halls were dedicated in respect to their accomplishments. Thomas Contee Bowie, Clyde Roark Hoey, Edward Francis Lovill and Robert

Bruce White were eulogized as persons symbolic of all great individuals who have built such institutions.

The men, all deceased, were described as the true "fathers" of Appalachian by State Treasurer Edwin Gill, who was the speaker for the dedication ceremonies attended by several members of the Bowie, Hoey, Lovill and White families.

"These fine buildings are being named in memory of the four men who, in different ways and in different times, aided Appalachian so greatly," said Gill. "Each served in an individual and unique manner. We are united in our memories by their integrity, and by their loyalty to Appalachian."

"They were men who denied the need of labels such as liberals, conservatives, radicals, and reactionaries," Gill continued. "They possessed the common sense, the knowledge, and the leadership which is needed so much in these days and times."

Presenting responses for the families were Carter L. Redd Jr., of Columbia, S. C. (Bowie's grandson); Clyde R. Hoey Jr., of Canton; Mrs. Joan Lovill Tolbert of Misenheimer (Lovill's great-granddaughter); and R. Bruce White Jr., of Durham.

"If my father were here today, he would be most pleased at the amazing growth of Appalachian," Hoey stated.

"Nothing would have pleased my father more than this dedication," White said. "It provides all of us with great pride, and a sense of belonging and being."

Redd and Mrs. Tolbert, on behalf of the Bowie and Lovill families, expressed their appreciation "to all those persons who have bestowed this honor on our family."

Dr. W. H. Plemmons, ASU President, said that "we pledge our efforts in continuing the great contribution of these four men. As long as there is an Appalachian, there will be Bowie, Hoey, Lovill and White buildings on its campus."

Following the program, which was attended by several members of the university's Board of Trustees and friends of the honored men, the families toured the high-rise residence halls which house a total of 1,100 students.

Bowie Hall for men is a nine-story structure. Hoey, Lovill and White Halls are sister buildings either seven or eight stories in height. The four buildings, constructed at a total

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State Treasurer Edwin Gill praised and lauded the achievements of four "fathers" of Appalachian State University.

Teachers Of Northwest Meet In Boone Friday

High school and elementary school teachers from throughout northwestern North Carolina will gather here Friday and Saturday for a Conference on Teaching Creativity.

Dr. E. Paul Torrance, one of the nation's foremost ex-

Nominate 23 For Inclusion In Who's Who

The official fall quarter enrollment at Appalachian State University has been set at 4,942 students, not including 603 students enrolled in the extension program.

The official total consists of 4,403 undergraduates (1,542 freshmen, 957 sophomores, 1,123 juniors and 743 seniors), 254 graduate students and 285 students taking only Saturday classes.

The full-time on-campus figure of 4,942 is 531 more than the previous record high established a year ago when 4,511 enrolled.

Total enrollment figures for the past five years are: 1963, 3,428; 1964, 3,765; 1966, 4,993; and 1967, 5,543.

Twenty-three Appalachian State University students have been nominated for inclusion in the 1967-68 edition of "Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges."

Selected for consideration by editors of the book were:

Harold Clyde Doster, Belinda Carol Horne and Patricia Tennent of Charlotte; Kenneth Ray Treadway and Michael Grant Yancey, Valdese; Douglas Michael Allen of Travis AFB, Calif.; Dan Stephan Camp of Lawndale, George Douglas Carroll of Roseboro; Janice Marie Anderson of Lenoir; Donna Jeannie Austin of Locust; James Thomas Corne of Duncan, S. C.; Sherrill Dion Curtis of Asheboro; Mary Helen Goforth of Kings Mountain; Jerry Delbert Myers of North Wilkesboro; William Gary Ogburn of King; Don R. Patrick of Shelby; James Michael Pendleton of Clover, S. C.; Clifford Kenney Rorer of Leaksville; Eddie Herman Schofield of Gibsonville; Fredrick P. Sharpe of Burlington, Richard Lee Shepherd of Lansing, Linda Elaine Stoner of Concord; and Carolyn Sue Whitener of Union, S. C.

Controller Is Named For Boone IRC Plant

Philadelphia - IRC, Inc. has announced the appointment of James A. Daily to the post of Controller of the Boone, N. C., Division.

He was formerly a financial analyst at IRC headquarters in Philadelphia. A graduate of Villanova University, where he received a B. S. in accounting, Daily was affiliated with Hoover Ball & Bearing Company for six years prior to joining IRC in May, 1966. He served as assistant controller of Hoover's Georgetown (Ky.) plant and as assistant plant manager of the High Point (N. C.) plant.

Daily and his wife, Nancy, reside with their infant daughter, Heather Marie, at 250 Iven Ave., St. Davids, Pa. They will relocate soon in the Boone area.

Group sessions in eight different categories will be held at 10 a.m. and at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday.