OCTOBER 17, 1968

Dr. Keasey Is Elected Head Of N.C. Family Life Group

Dr. Lester D. Keasey, professor of sociology at Appala-chian State University, was elected president of the North Carolina Family Life Council, Inc., at its annual conference Oct. 5-8 in Winston-Salem.

Having served the Council as president-elect the past Dr. Keasey had served on the board of directors for three consecutive three-year terms and was program chairman in 1966.

As chairman of the Constitution Committee, he spear-headed changes of the by-laws on the relationships of local and state councils' affiliation to the National Council on Family Relations. The Greensboro Council was accepted at the annual convention as the newest local council member established under his leadership.

Dr. Keasey came to Appala-chian in September, 1967, after 13 years of teaching religion d sociology at Lenoir Rhyne College. In Western NorthCarolina, he has been program chairman, committee chairman on family life, vice-president and president of local PTAs. A former member of the State Commission of Marriage Coun-

secretary-treasurer of the State Association of Marriage

Counselors. He was workshop

leader for the State Congress

of Parents and Teachers(1963

and 1965) in family life educa-

Dr. Doris Cox On ASU Staff As Chairman Library Science

tion.

Dr. Doris Cox has joined the faculty of Appalachian State as an associate professor and Chairman of the Department of Library Science. She is currently teaching an introductory course in librarianship and a course in research methods of librarianship. She is also working with people preparing theses in the area of library science. Originally from Tallahassee.

Dr. Cox came to Appalachian from the University of Georgia's Department of Li-brary Science, where she taught for three years. She previoustaught at Western Carolina University for four summers and served one year as a vis-iting instructor in the Florida University Library State School.

Dr. Cox received her A.B. in the field of English from Florida State College for Wo-men. She holds an M.A. degree in library science from F.S.U. Library School and has just completed work for her Ph.D. at Florida State, majoring in educational administration and

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gregations as conference family life leader in church-sponsored programs. He was first executive director of the Family Guidance Center, Inc., of Hickory and was a marriage counselor there for seven years. He is now counselor and consultant for the New River Men-Health Center, which is headquartered in Boone.

Frequently Preacher of the Day on Sundays in Lutheran churches in this area, he has been given the five-year distinguished service award by Lions International, was pres-ident of the board of directors of the Senior Citizens Clubs of Western N.C., has been camp curriculum consultant and advisor and is the author of treatises on theological communication. His professional member-

ships include the American As-sociation of University Professors, the National Council on Family Relations and the American Association of Marriage Counselors. He is listed in "Who's Who in American Edu-cation" and "Who's Who in the South and Southwest."

Dr. Keasey has served many Western North Carolina con-

Dr. Keasey received his B.A. degree in history from Gettys-burg College, the bachelor of divinity degree from the Lutheran seminary of Gettys-burg, his M.A. degree from New York University and the doctor of philosophy degree from the University of Pittsburgh. He studied mar-riage counseling at the University of Minnesota in 1964-65 under a National Institute of Mental Health fellow grant.

The former Joy Silvis, Mrs. Keasey teaches second grade in the local dimonstration school. They have two sons, John Mark who is a freshman at the University of Louisville, and Paul Allen, a sophomore at Watauga High. The Keaseys' home is on Forest Hill Drive.

by area and campus specialists in contemporary issues. The series is being co-ordinated by Appalachian's History Department and the Student Center. Noted Movie Producer

Visits His Home Town Neil Hartley, of London, England, visited last Tuesday and Wednesday with his mother

U.S. Position in World Affairs.'

in a series of monthly talks

Mrs. Pearl Hartley of Boone. Their guest was Bob Register, also of London. Mr. Hartley came to New

Mr. Hartley came to New York the previous Sunday evening for the opening of his new movie "Charge of the Light Brigade", which had pre-viously drawn a tremendous response from huge crowds and

On U.S. Position In World Colonel Samuel V. Wilson Col. Wilson has had a long of the Special Services Division at Ft. Bragg, N. C., will speak career of military service. Commissioned a Second Lieuin W. H. Plemmons Student tenant-AUS in 1942 at the age Center at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday. His topic will be "The Current of 18, he later attained the rank of Captain after serving in the China-Burma-India Theater as a member of the 5307th This program will be the first Composite Unit (Provisional), popularly known as "Merrill's

BULLDOZERS AND SCRAPERS speed the Faculty Street improvement project (Boone Thorough-fare) along. Work is now just past the west end of Duncan Hall on the Appalachian campus.

The east end of the project at the ASU athletic practice field is paved and usable. The project will go to Water Street where traffic will be turned back to King Street. (Staff photo)

Col. Wilson To Be Speaker

Marauders." During a three-year European study program from 1943-51 Col. Wilson was assigned to the State Department's Diplo-

titled heads of State in Leicester Square.

Mr. Hartley was producer of the film, which was largely made in Turkey. He has maintained a London

residence for some years while the movie was being done. His latest accomplishment comes after a long and distinguished career in directing Broadway shows and other theatrical activities.

matic Pouch and Courier Service. He functioned as an official interpreter at conferences in Berlin, Potsdam and Vienna and served in a liaison capacity with elements of the Soviet Armed Forces in East Germany and Eastern Austria.

From 1959 to 1961, Col. Wilson was assigned as the Di-rector of Instruction of the United States Army Special Warfare School where he achieved special recognition for developing and writing the ini-tial course of instruction in Counter-Insurgency Warfare,

Early in 1966, he was elevated to the position of U.S. Mission Co-ordinator/Vietnam and Minister-Counselor of the American Embassy, receiving in connection with this assignment a Presidential Appointment to

the personal rank of Minister. The last six months of his three-year tour of duty in Vietnam were spent in an experimental civil-military command position as Senior U.S. Rep-resentative, Long An Province,



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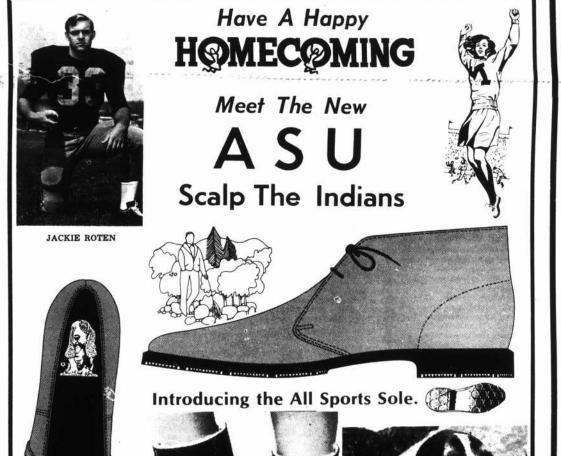


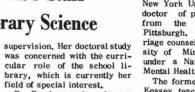
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Dr. Cox has number of years experience as a public school librarian in Florida and holds a Florida certificate for Supervision and Specialist in Library Science. She is a member of Beta Phi Mu, Phi Kappa Phi, and Kappa Delta Pi.

She and her husband, A.R. Cox, Jr. reside at Hound Ears with one of their sons, Cris. "We first began coming into the mountains because of our interest in collecting rocks from this area," said Dr. Cox. The excellent reputation of

Appalachian in preparing edu-cators drew me to the school." Mr. Gox is retired from the Florida State Department of Education. He and his son plan to open a Boone office as income tax consultants. The Coxes have three other sons, one is a junior at the Univer-sity of Georgia, and two live in Tallahassee.

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