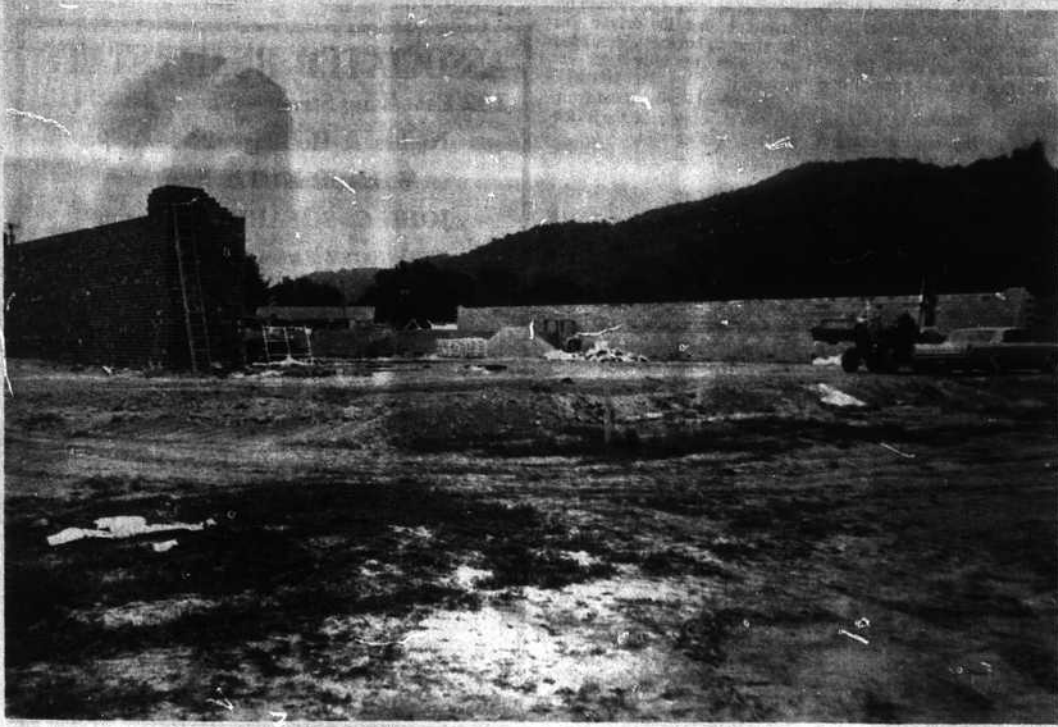


BOONE WEATHER					
1970	Hi	Lo	Prec.	Snow	W. Hi
Jun. 9	78	48			78
Jun. 10	77	52			72
Jun. 11	78	50			77
Jun. 12	79	56			75
Jun. 13	81	61			78
Jun. 14	72	57	.02		75
Jun. 15	75	54			73



BRICK WALLS RISE AT SHOPPING CENTER

Watauga Village Takes Shape

Construction is going forward rapidly on Watauga Village, the shopping center being developed on a 12-acre tract on U.S. highway 321 south, opposite Holiday Inn.

Perhaps more than half the masonry work has been done on the walls of Lowe's food store, the first establishment.

The owners of the center are J. C. Faw of North Wilkesboro and T. G. Proctor of Sanford. Scheduled for completion the

latter part of the year, the center will comprise 100,000 square feet under one roof and will provide parking space for 400 cars.

Lowe's Food Store will utilize 22,000 square feet of the acreage, Rose's Department Store will require 40,500 feet. Other stores are expected to be announced later.

Mr. Faw, who is president of Lowe's Food Stores, noted when Watauga Village was announced,

that Lowe's has grown from the first store in North Wilkesboro in 1956 to 16 stores with sales of more than \$25 million last year.

Lowe's operates food stores in North Wilkesboro, West Jefferson, Mount Airy, Eldon, Statesville, Lincoln, Hickory, Morganton and Lenoir, with other units being constructed in Mocksville, Granite Falls and Newton-Conover.

T. B. Rose Jr., Chairman of the Board of The Rose Co. said

when plans to build in Boone were announced that Rose's sales passed \$156 million in 1969.

Last year in North Carolina Rose's opened new stores in Henderson, Fayetteville, Kinston, Ahoskie, Elizabeth City, Lexington, Dunn and Asheboro. This year a new store will be opened in Morganton, with 14 others in the southeastern states.

\$80,000 Grant To Be Used For Program At Valle Crucis School

The Z. Smith Reynolds Foundation has made an \$80,000 grant to Appalachian State University to launch a pilot Lighthouse School Project in Watauga County's Valle Crucis Elementary School.

Designed to study and then test new ways of improving teaching and learning on the elementary school level, the project hinges on a cooperative effort from the ASU faculty, the 10-member Valle Crucis faculty and parents of the

school's 250 students. Director of the new program is Dr. George Graham, a former Executive Vice-President of Hardin-Simmons University and now a staff member of Appalachian's College of Education. "Attention to the individual pupil," Graham said, ranks as one of the Lighthouse's major aims.

He explained, "In our conventional way of teaching, there is too great a variation of needs in the classroom. The teacher

has to carry the low-ability students and try not to ignore the high-ability children. But then he reaches just a few in the middle."

By eliminating this barrier to learning, Graham indicated, the Lighthouse project will attempt to let each student progress as rapidly as he can or as slowly as he has to.

Parents from the Valle Crucis community, student teachers from Appalachian and new teaching media all will be called upon to assist the regular school staff in providing the individualized instruction.

The project also is expected to involve techniques such as peer teaching, a process whereby students increase their com-

mand of subject matter by teaching each other. (Continued on page two)

Bitzy Blonde Is Needed

Wanted: A little girl age nine to 12, standing four feet to four and one-half feet tall, with blonde hair, for the role of Little Mary in this season's cast of "Horn in the West."

Tryouts for this talented role in the Horn will be held at 11 a. m. on Thursday morning, June 18, according to Ward Haarbauer, director of "Horn in the West."

The tryouts will be held on-stage at Daniel Boone Theater.

Teachers Workshops Slated In Avery Co.

Harry McGee, Superintendent of Avery County Schools, has announced that two Area Workshops for teachers will be conducted in Avery County during the summer.

These Area Workshops are sponsored by the State Department of Public Instruction, the Art Education Association, and the North Carolina Music Association. The courses offered will carry two semester hours each, of renewal credit and may be applied

to the 1970 renewal or may be carried forward for the next five year period.

The Workshops will be held at the Avery County High School on the following dates: Music Workshop July 8-18; Art Workshop July 20-29. Both classes will begin at 1:30 p. m. and will run until 5:30 p. m.

It is hoped that all those who have signed for the courses will keep the dates in mind and others are invited to enroll and participate in the classes.

Watauga Night At Horn; Free Tickets Are Given

"Horn in the West" again this season has designated opening night as Watauga County Night, offering free tickets to county residents and their families.

And due to the success of Watauga County Night in past seasons, this season the invitation by the Horn's cast will be extended to include three performances.

So that all Watauga residents may be guests of The Horn, 1,000 free tickets will be offered for each of three performances—opening night on Friday, June 26; and on Wednes-

day, July 1 and Thursday, July 2.

These tickets, offered on a first-come basis, may be picked up at the ticket office at Daniel Boone Theater weekdays between 10 a. m. and 5 p. m.

Tickets for all three Watauga County Night performances also may be obtained by residents by mail. Requests should be addressed to Watauga County Night, Horn in the West, Box 295, Boone, N. C. 28607.

A stamped, self-addressed envelope must accompany all mail requests for tickets to the three Watauga County Night performances.

Friday Of Next Week Curtain To Rise On Horn In West

19-Year Staging Record

"Horn in the West," a colorful, lusty, rugged story of the westward movement in America, again will come to life this summer for the 19th consecutive season here beginning June 26.

The scene is the beautiful Blue Ridge Mountains and Daniel Boone Amphitheater—at 3,333 feet the highest elevation for a theater of its kind east of the Mississippi, built on the very ground where Daniel Boone once camped and hunted.

In "Horn in the West," Daniel Boone yields, in the words of author Kermit Hunter's words, to a "horn blowing in the west" and guides and protects a group of early American colonists fleeing from tyranny and oppression.

The time is a nine-year period between 1771 and the Battle of Alamance through 1780 and the Battle of Kings Mountain.

The story of the flight of the spirited settlers to the Blue Ridge and Watauga country includes a British doctor and his family, a devout, jovial 280-pound traveling Baptist preacher, and Daniel Boone, a 6-foot-4 legend in his own time.

And authentically, America's westward movement and "Horn in the West" is also the story of nameless people who loved, danced and fought their way to a new life by taming a virgin land.

The dances include a British gavotte—an aristocratic garden dance—the popular square dance, a love ballet, the chivarré—a post wedding marathon dance lasting far into the night—and the fierce, flaming Cherokee war dance.

The cast includes 70 professional actors and actresses who (Continued on page two)

Terry Sanford Slightly Hurt In Collision

Terry Sanford, Duke University President and former governor of North Carolina, escaped serious injury in a head-on collision during a severe rainstorm near Old Fort Friday.

Three people, all from Hendersonville, were injured in the other vehicle. They were Dr. George Lind Hardgrove, his wife, Gladys, and Dinar Anderson.

Mrs. Hardgrove, apparently the most seriously injured, suffered fractures of both legs. Highway Patrolman J. A. Jennings who investigated the accident on the rain-swept highway said the collision apparently occurred in the westbound lane of U. S. 70 five miles west of Old Fort.

The accident occurred about 3:45 p. m., shortly after Sanford addressed a meeting of the Western North Carolina United Methodist Conference at Lake Junaluska, Lake Junaluska is about 45 miles west of the scene (Continued on page two)

Democratic Convention To Be Held Saturday

Democrats of Watauga County will meet in convention next Saturday June 20th at the courthouse on call of Mrs. Rachel Hartley, acting chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee of Watauga County.

The Convention will be held under the new State plan of organization. Party officials will be elected at the convention, delegates named to the State convention and other pertinent business transacted.



WRECKED AIRCRAFT—Picture by Flowers.

3 Hurt In Plane Crash

Three persons were slightly injured Sunday afternoon when a Piper Cherokee single-engine plane crashed while attempting a landing at the Boone-Blowing Rock airport.

Charles Heakley of Huckleberry Knob, Blowing Rock, a pilot for National Airlines, Miami, Fla., received a head injury.

According to Sheriff Ward

Carroll, Heakley said he leased the plane at Spartanburg and wasn't used to it. He is quoted as saying that when he touched down on the grass and saw he would not be able to stop the machine he attempted a take off but the wheels hit a wire fence at the end of the runway.

Three passengers all of Inman, S. C., were not seriously

hurt. Horace Andrews, 19, received minor scratches, Lurah Gregory, 20, facial and head injuries and a hip injury and Harry Murray, 30, was reported as being "shaken up." All were treated at Watauga Hospital and released.

A gasoline tank was ruptured by the impact and the Watauga Rescue Squad roped off the area.

ASU Education Center Is Named For Broyhills

The Board of Trustees at Appalachian State University have named the proposed center for continuing education here for Mr. and Mrs. J. Ed Broyhill of Lenoir.

The \$2,000,000 facility which will be built on a knoll overlooking the immediate campus is to be named the Broyhill Center for Living and Learning.

The project was initiated several years ago with a gift from Broyhill which has been supplemented with a state appropriation, a self-liquidating bond issue, and funds from the Appalachian Regional Commission and the Higher Education Facilities Administration.

The center will feature special media equipment to make learning processes more efficient and will employ the resources of the university faculty to staff the various academic workshops, seminars and conferences for which it will be used.

Preliminary plans for the complex call for 120 rooms for luxury overnight accommodations, dining facilities, and a multi-level Learning Center containing meeting and conference rooms, individual study rooms and a library.

It will also incorporate a Faculty-Alumni Club with lounge facilities and VIP dining room which will be available to all guests of the Broy-

hill Center. The complex will rise on the pinnacle of a tract, already accessible by a new hard-surface road, behind the president's home on the campus.

Lenoir Man Is Caught After 30-Mile Chase

William Donald Fowler, 16, of Lenoir is being held in Watauga County jail in default of a \$1,000 bond, being arrested by Lenoir officers after a 30-mile chase which started in Boone Saturday

morning, during which one shot was fired into the automobile of a pursuing policeman.

The chase, which involved Watauga and Caldwell Sheriff's (Continued on page two)



SHERIFF CARROLL



CHIEF TESTER

Sheriff, Police Chief Institute Speakers

Watauga County's two chief law enforcement officers will speak this week to the participants in Appalachian State University's EDPA Institute for native speakers of Spanish.

The students, all of whom are refugees from Cuba, are being prepared to teach Spanish in high schools throughout the state next fall.

Besides classes in conversational English and teaching methods, the Institute is attempting to acquaint the Cubans with all facets of life in North Carolina's small communities. Helping the students toward that goal, Boone Chief of Police Clyde Tester will speak to the participants Tuesday afternoon on "The History and Duties of a City Policeman."

Watauga County Sheriff Ward G. Carroll will explain the duties of his office to the class on Wednesday.

Both men are Watauga natives and are decorated veterans of World War II.

Tester became Chief of Police here in 1969 while Carroll has served as Sheriff since 1966.

Horse Show Saturday

The seventh annual Cove Creek Horse Show will be held Saturday at the junction of 421 and Vanderpool Road, Vilas.

The afternoon show, starting at 12:30 p. m., will feature 15 classes limited to residents of Watauga County and students in Watauga County.

The night show will start at 7 o'clock. There will be 15 classes open to all exhibitors. Entries should be made to R. G. Shipley, Manager of the Cove Creek Horse Show, Vilas, N. C.



BOONE POLICEMAN points to hole made when a bullet smashed through the grill of his squad car. (Flowers photo)