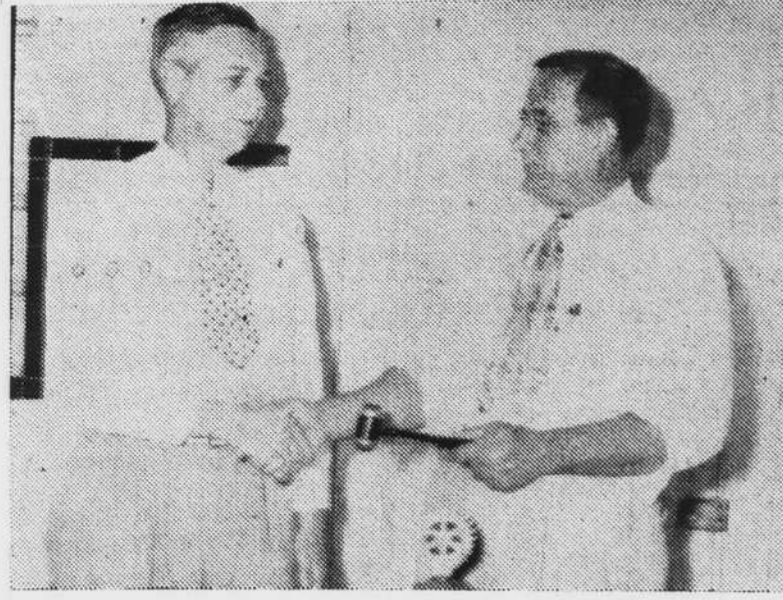


Exchange Rotary Club Gavel



Dick Ribet and Louis Deaton, retiring and incoming presidents, respectively, of the Valdeese Rotary Club, are shown above as Mr. Deaton receives the gavel, symbol of the office, and also the president's pin. Mr. Ribet was presented a past-president's pin.

Here 'n There At The Community Center

By JIMMIE CHAMBERS
The rains finally ceased last week and then came the hot weather—so hot that the swimming pool is being used to the limit. What a thrill it is to watch the young folks as they hit that springboard and dive into the water. Many of them are becoming expert swimmers.

in a very bad place because he doesn't know how to play with other children. Little hands are there, but they won't amount to much in life unless they are guided through childhood, and when I say guided I don't mean they should be just half guided. Send your children to the playground program every morning—they will get good training and they will enjoy every minute of it.

Connelly Springs News

By INEZA ABERNATHY
Miss Jo Miller of Washington, D. C., arrived Saturday for a week's visit with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Coulter and daughter, Judith, of Miami, Fla., are spending several weeks here visiting relatives.

Nan Abernathy spent last week in Asheville visiting Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ayers and family.

Rev. Miller, pastor of the Baptist church, delivered the sermon at the Sunday evening service at the Methodist church in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Parker.

Ralph Goode has returned from a visit to the North Carolina coast. Mrs. Cecil Abernathy and children are visiting Mrs. Abernathy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lyerly, in Salisbury.

Russell Pope and Cecil Abernathy are on a business trip to Watauga, Tenn. They are expected to return around the middle of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Clark of Fallston have been visiting Mrs. Clark's mother, Mrs. D. P. Hudson, and are now visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hudson, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Hudson visited friends in Hickory Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Scronce and family visited Mrs. Scronce's niece, Wanda Scronce, who is in the Newton hospital.

Miss Ruth Ann Wilkinson is visiting with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Scronce, Jr., and Mr. Scronce of Startown.

Mr. and Mrs. John Black had as Sunday evening guests Mr. Black's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Black, of Hickory.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Scronce had as their guests Friday Rev. and Mrs. G. L. Wilkinson of Hanes.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hudson and Mr. and Mrs. John Black made a trip to Inman, S. C. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Alexander of Asheville are visiting at their home here for a few days. Mrs. Alexander is undergoing treatment at the Valdeese General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Clemmer had as their guests for the week end Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Clemmer of Ridgeland, S. C.

Continue Work On Grounds
The Methodist and Baptist churches plan to meet again Thursday evening at 5 o'clock below the home of J. W. Glass to continue cleaning off the vacant lot for the recreational grounds.

The ladies of the churches will again this week serve a supper at 6 o'clock for the workers.

Connelly Calendar
Wednesday, July 27
7:30 p. m.—Prayer meeting at the Methodist and Baptist churches.

Thursday, July 28
5:00 p. m.—Members of the churches meet to clean recreational grounds.

7:30 p. m.—The MYF will meet at the Methodist church.

Sunday, July 31
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School at the Baptist church.

10:00 a. m.—Sunday School at the Methodist church.

11:00 a. m.—Morning worship services at the Baptist church.

7:00 p. m.—BTU will meet at the Baptist church.

OPEN HOUSE
Open house will be held Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the Waldensian Presbyterian church for the Young People.

Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock the Pioneers will leave the church for a picnic at Clearwater Beach.

COLONIAL THEATER - VALDESE
Wednesday—George Raft—Ann Sheridan—Humphrey Bogart in THEY DRIVE BY NIGHT Chapter 11—Congo Bill
Thursday and Friday—Esther Williams and Red Skelton in NEPTUNE'S DAUGHTER
Saturday—Double Feature Whip Wilson in CRASHING THRU also—Johnny Sheffield in BOMBO, THE JUNGLE BOY Chapter 7 Ghost of Zorro
Saturday, Late Show—Barbara Stanwyck and Burt Lancaster in SORRY, WRONG NUMBER
Monday and Tuesday—Betty Grable and Cesar Romero in BEAUTIFUL BLONDE FROM BASHFUL BEND
Recognize Yourself
If the boy whose blue racer turned over in the test run at the Ruherford College soapbox derby Saturday will come by the box office, he will receive a free theater ticket.
Last week's ticket was for Alyce Epley.
It's Always COOL

Happy Birthday

- July 27—Mrs. Lee Ribet, Mrs. J. H. Bounous, Robert A. Pascal, Patricia Jacumin, Albert Lowdermilk, Jr., Peggy Abebe
July 28—Patsy Lindsay, Flora Pascal, Betty Melvin, Mrs. C. C. Long
July 29—Eldon "Corky" Berry, Bobby Craft, Mrs. George Rector
July 30—Sonny Garrou, Doris Grill
July 31—John Benfield, Frankie Adkins
August 1—Betty Jo Lindsay, Mrs. Cora Lindsay, L. E. Deaton, Mrs. Charles B. Honeycutt, Glen Robinson
August 2—Bertie Barlowe, Philip Perrou, Arlie Williams, James Turner

MANY USE COTTAGE OF VALDESE COUPLE

Perhaps Rev. and Mrs. Bertis Fair have had as many guests in their home this summer as anybody in Valdeese, and most of the time they haven't been there to entertain them.

This Spring the Fairs completed a summer home at Ridgcrest, Southern Baptist's convalescent assembly grounds.

Every week the house has been occupied by members of the Mt. Calvary church, attending the various conferences. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Odom, Training Union leaders, and Miss Virginia Street, choir director, spent the past weekend there. The Woman's Missionary Union will take over the cottage this week, and other groups will be there throughout the summer.

The cottage has accommodations for nine, and more can be taken care of by putting up cots, Mr. Fair said.

FOLK FESTIVAL GROUP TO PRACTICE SATURDAY

The group which will take part in the Western North Carolina Folk Festival in Asheville on August 6 is asked to be present for the practice Saturday evening at the Community Center. It is very important for everyone to be present, in order that transportation and other details of the trip may be worked out, Mrs. John D. Guilgo, who is in charge of the group, said.

ROTARY PRESIDENT HAS CHARGE OF PROGRAM

An address on governmental "Paternalism" was read to the Valdeese Rotary Club last week by President Louis Deaton. The talk which had been delivered at a recent Building and Loan meeting, concerned what the writer deems the trend towards socialism in this country.

Clinton Brown, who was in charge of the day's program, had secured a speaker from Hickory who was unable to come to the last meeting.

Guests included Shem Blackley and Willis McMurray of Shelby, J. D. Fitz and Jack Kirksey of Morganton, Albert F. Garrou, Jr., and Eldon Berry.

BOATING CLUB GROUP TO MEET TUESDAY, 7:30

The group interested in organizing a fishing and boating club will meet Tuesday evening, August 2, at 7:30 o'clock at the Valdeese Community Center to elect officers and adopt by-laws.

Much interest was shown in the first meeting, held last week, when about fifteen people gathered to discuss the formation of a club. Anyone who desires to join the club is invited to be present Tuesday night.

Amphibian tanks were used by the U. S. Marine Corps in 1924.

At 24 years of age Alexander the Great conquered the world.

Pee Wee Needs A Stroller—Could You Spare One?

Pee Wee needs a stroller. Pee Wee, who was so named by the nurses at the Valdeese General Hospital, is a blue baby who has lived in the hospital all the 16 months since he was born, and who must stay there until he is old enough to have an operation on the valves of his heart.

If he had a stroller, he could go for walks (or rides, rather) in the sunshine. He can't stand up, and he's getting too big to be carried very far.

So, if anyone has a stroller that is not in use, a call to the hospital saying that it is available would make Pee Wee very happy.

Burke County Briefs

DONATE LOT
The Rev. and Mrs. John D. McCready have donated a lot at Ridgcrest to the First Baptist church of Morganton for the purpose of building a cabin to be used by members of the church. The lot is being given in memory of their infant son, John Dudley McCready, Jr. A "Ridgcrest Committee," has been appointed to solicit funds for building a cabin. Unless unforeseen delays arise, the cottage is expected to be ready by next summer.

AGGIES SLIPPING
Within the last week, the Morganton Aggies have slipped from fourth place in the Western Carolina League standing to fifth place. The R-C Owls have taken over the No. 4 slot previously occupied by the Aggies.

ON TRIP
Miss Beatrice Cobb, publisher of The Valdeese News and the Morganton News-Herald is on an extended two-months tour of northern Europe. Miss Cobb's traveling companion for the trip is Mrs. Virginia Price of Louisville, Ga.

Camp Meeting Opens Today At Connelly Springs

The annual camp meeting at Camp Free at Connelly Springs was scheduled to open today and remain in session through August 7, according to the leaders in charge.

The Rev. Russell Boaz is chief evangelist and will be assisted by the Rev. Jim Green, the Rev. Lester Allman, the Rev. Virgil Melvin, and others. The Rev. W. P. Armstrong is in charge of the music.

Anyone interested in lodging and meals during the meeting should contact the Rev. Lester Allman of Connelly Springs.

Lake View News

Jim Glazebrooks, a patient at Moore General Hospital, spent the week end with his family in the Lakeview community. His condition is reported to be better.

Miss Betty Abebe of Valdeese spent the week end with his Lena Shuffler.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sitton and family of Asheville were the week end guests of Mrs. Sitton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sitton.

Mrs. Blackwelder of Winston-Salem returned home Sunday after spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Harvey Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Shuffler, Donnie and Joe, spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Shuffler's sister, Mrs. Walter Baker, at Lake James.

Lester Woodie left Sunday for Bristol, Va., where he has accepted a position with the Stanley Brothers at Station WCYD. He was formerly with the Melody Mountain Boys at WIRC in Hickory.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivey Lowman and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sharpe spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Woodie.

Brazil's unit of money, the cruzeiro, is named for the Southern Cross.

Nearly a score of American towns are named El Dorado.

POOR PA BY CLAUDE CALLAN



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IN ALL-STAR GAME

Several members of the Valdeese American Legion softball team participated in the all-star softball game in Morganton last Friday night. Picked teams from the Industrial and County Softball Leagues engaged in an exhibition game. Harlan Murray who started as catcher for the County nine knocked in the first two runs for the losers with a powerful blow to leftfield.

LAUNCH BUILDING PROGRAM

The North Morganton Baptist church has launched a building program with a view toward a new and enlarged church sanctuary. The building committee is composed of Lawrence Setzer, H. A. Rhodes, George Hern, Ira Hendrix, and Stoner Walters. Construction is scheduled to begin by next spring at least. The Rev. Ed Bennett is pastor of the growing church.

LEAVE FOR CAMP

Thirty 4-H club members left the Farm Market Building in Morganton Monday morning for the 4-H camp at Millstone near Rockingham for a week's stay. The group is under the supervision of Miss Evelyn Wiggins, Burke county home demonstration agent and Bill Robinson, Burke county home agent.

BURKE MAN TRIED

Hugh G. Farmer, 21, of Morganton and formerly of Lincoln, was given a three year suspended sentence in Lincoln county Superior Court last week on charges of automobile manslaughter in connection with the death of Pete Postum, 30-year old negro of Lincoln last March. In the judgment, Farmer was directed not to drive a car for the next five years and must pay to the estate of the deceased a sum of \$1,000 in the next two years in \$200 installments.

TO FINISH COURTS

The Morganton Kiwanis Club has voted to contribute \$1200 to the Morganton Parks and Recreation Commission for the completion and lighting of the three tennis courts now under construction at the Recreation Center on Collet Street in Morganton. Each member is being asked to contribute \$10 to the project.

CLASSIFIED ADS

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New Arrivals

At the Valdeese General Hospital Born to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Manning Lowman, Box 291, Valdeese, a daughter on July 19.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Benny Ray Powell, Connelly Springs, a son on July 20.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Coy Stillwell, Route 1, Connelly Springs, a daughter on July 20.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Clinton Berry, Box 475, Rutherford College, a daughter on July 22.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Alexander Moyers, Route 1, Box 65, Valdeese, a son on July 24.

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