

### TVA Is Playing Big Part In War Effort

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of this section and said that "from the tops of the mountains in Haywood county could be viewed the most beautiful scenery in all America."

Prior to the meeting in the court house the Lions and Rotarians were hosts to the visiting farm agents and others at dinner, with around 110 persons present. The affair was given at the new Green Tree Tea room on the Asheville highway. Rev. H. G. Hammett, pastor of the First Baptist church gave the blessing.

Aaron Prevost, president of the Rotary club, introduced the visiting Rotarians from other towns in this section of the state. W. L. Hardin, Jr., president of the Lions club, presented the visiting Lions.

Howard Clapp, county farm agent, introduced the visiting farm specialists and the county farm agents present. W. Curtis Russ introduced the visitors in general. A. J. McCracken, president of the county demonstration farmers presented the officers of the group. Charlie Ray introduced a number of the prominent visitors.

Col. Harrelson, who was presented by Paul Davis, president of the Chamber of Commerce, spoke briefly, touching on the progress made along agricultural lines in North Carolina, of the great service that State College had rendered in training men for the farming industries of the state.

Col. Harrelson also pointed out the increasing benefits that were being derived from the functioning of the Tennessee Valley Authority, and how it could not be estimated what it would mean to future generations.

After the dinner those attending went to the court house to join the crowd assembled there. Charlie Ray presided at the gathering which opened with a half hour concert by the Waynesville township high school band.

Prior to Mr. Lillenthal's address, Harry Brown, of Columbia, general agent of the Farm Credit Administration, spoke on the interrelationship of the Tennessee Valley Authority.

Mr. Brown paid a tribute to the progressive citizens of Haywood county and the court house which gave evidence of the county pride. He spoke of the Ten Commandments engraved on the walls and said that he would like to add another one, "Thou shalt not exploit the soil."

He spoke of the inspiring results of the TVA in the demonstration farms in Haywood county. He explained how the water has been held with a minimum runoff for the benefit of the soil and how it is gradually sent through the dams into the streams.

On Friday morning Mr. Lillenthal accompanied county farm leaders and farm specialists on a tour of four of the test demonstration farms.

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### Social Security Official Coming

A representative of the Asheville field office of the Social Security board will be at the post office in Room 213, here on Thursday, June 25, at 10:00 a. m. Also in the Champion Y. M. C. A., Canton, on June 25, at 3:00 p. m.

Wage earners who have worked in a job covered by the Social Security Act since December 31, 1936, and have attained age 65, may be eligible to file claim for themselves, their wives, or minor children, whether they have an account number or not. Surviving relatives of deceased workers, such as widows, children, or parents, or if none of the above, persons who have paid funeral expenses, may be eligible to file claim.

In addition, persons who have need of social security account numbers or other information pertaining to the act are invited to meet this representative at the time and place mentioned.

### Dr. Saunders Returns Here For Summer

Dr. F. K. Saunders, well known osteopath, has returned for the summer, from Florida. He has been coming to this section since 1928.

Dr. Saunders believes Western North Carolina is due for a fair season this year. At present he is staying at Wayside Lodge.

Limit on purchases of F and G war bonds is raised to \$100,000.

All-Star game at Polo Grounds July 6 will start at 5:30 p. m.

### Here For Meeting



COL. J. W. HARRELSON, head of State College, was among the large number here last Friday for the farm tour and to hear Chairman David E. Lillenthal address citizens at the court house. Col. Harrelson made a brief talk at the dinner given in honor of visiting guests by the Rotary and Lions Clubs of Waynesville.

### Provide New Way Of Rationing Gas After July 15th

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for all gasoline purchases. Coupons, issued to the car owners in several types of books, will be torn out by the dealer when gasoline purchases are made. The dealer in turn must turn in these coupons when getting new stocks from his supplier. This "flow back" of coupons, it was explained will provide an audit control of every gallon of gasoline distributed under rationing.

Under the new plan there will be six types of books for highway uses. The "A" book, containing ration to which every passenger car is entitled. These 48 coupons will be good for one year. "B" and "C" books will provide supplementary rations for passenger cars for vocational, governmental and war purposes in addition to that provided by the "A" book.

The "D" book will provide a basic ration for motorcycles and "S-1" books will be issued to trucks, buses and similar vehicles.

To obtain additional rations, either through "B" or "C" books, the car owner must fill out a much more detailed application and present it to the local rationing board for action. The application form for these higher rating books will be available at the registration place.

In order to satisfy a local board that he should have a supplementary book of coupons, a car owner will have to prove that an "A" book will not provide him with enough gasoline to carry on his occupation or other work. He will have to prove that he has formed a club of four members who will "double up" or rotate use of their cars, or that alternative means of transportation are inadequate. He will also have to establish the minimum amount of driving that he must do.

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### State College Hints For Farm Homemakers

Rayon hosiery can be expected to give good wearing results. The extraordinary long wear of nylon hosiery cannot yet be expected, but when a comparison is made with sheer silk hosiery, the consumer will probably be pleasantly surprised.

Reasonable care in handling and washing rayon hose is, of course, important. Treat them as you did your fine silk hosiery but have several pairs and wear on alternate days to allow sufficient time for thorough drying. Remember that rayon stockings are weaker when wet and their full strength is not regained until completely dry. If you roll or knead them in a turkish towel (for a few minutes only) it will make them dry quickly and evenly. When you take them from the towel, shape them gently and place double over a rod or line.

Cabbage is versatile and is very good when freshly green and not too solid. That's when it is delicious, briefly boiled with nothing added but salt and a little butter.

Butter, cream, bacon, cheese, bread, onions, garlic, celery, parsley, canned tomatoes, lemons, bacon fat, and other meat drippings, all of which are foods rather than condiments, can be useful in making meals palatable—and in solving that old left-over problem.

An attractive table isn't necessarily an expensive one. The important thing is to have the table cover clean, the silverware shining, the glassware clear and sparkling. All these details have a marked effect upon our appetite as well as our health. A centerpiece of flowers or green leaves, however simple, adds a touch of pleasantness. Meals, above all, should be pleasant. Many cases of indigestion start with a heated table conversation.

### Red Cross Rooms To Be Open Three Days Each Week

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be received at any time and Mrs. Messer is urging that all garments be turned in at once. Miss Alice Stringfield, chairman of knitting, is also urging that all knitted garments be finished at once, as she wishes to get her quota completed so she can give her attention to the garments requested for the men in the service.

All those who plan to knit are asked to come to Central Elementary for materials, as the gas and tire rationing has made it impossible for the committee to distribute the wool as in the past.

### Catholic Evidence Meeting Starts Here Tonight

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dents conducting the services are Miss Lucille Burke, of Oak Park, Ill.; Miss Carol Comrie, of Fargo, N. D.; Miss Mary McDermott, of Cincinnati, and Miss Betty Ryan, of Chicago.

Miss Burke is majoring in English and plans to teach upon graduation from Rosary College. Miss Ryan is majoring in French and, following her graduation, plans to enter foreign diplomatic service. Miss Comrie is majoring in politics.

The selection of the students based on the delivery and on the interest of the student in religious work.

Miss McDermott is the only one in the group having visited this section before.

They will be engaged in this work for a month, and from here will go to Bryson City, Highlands and other nearby communities before returning home.

### Blackie Bear

By D. SAM COX

### WHO-WHO JOKES WITH MR. MAN

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That was a sure-enough cold morning when Mr. Man killed those hogs. Yesterday, when he found how cold it was getting, he went over and asked Uncle Joe and Tom to come and help him with his hog-killing, and he told them that he would give them some "fresh" to pay them for helping him. Country people don't take the trouble to say "fresh meat," when they mean just that, but say only "fresh," and everybody knows what they mean. Of course Mr. Man really ought to have invited Blackie, for, since for years and years, he had lived on almost nothing but "fresh," he ought to know more about handling it than Mr. Man or Uncle Joe, who had "fresh" only once or twice a year.

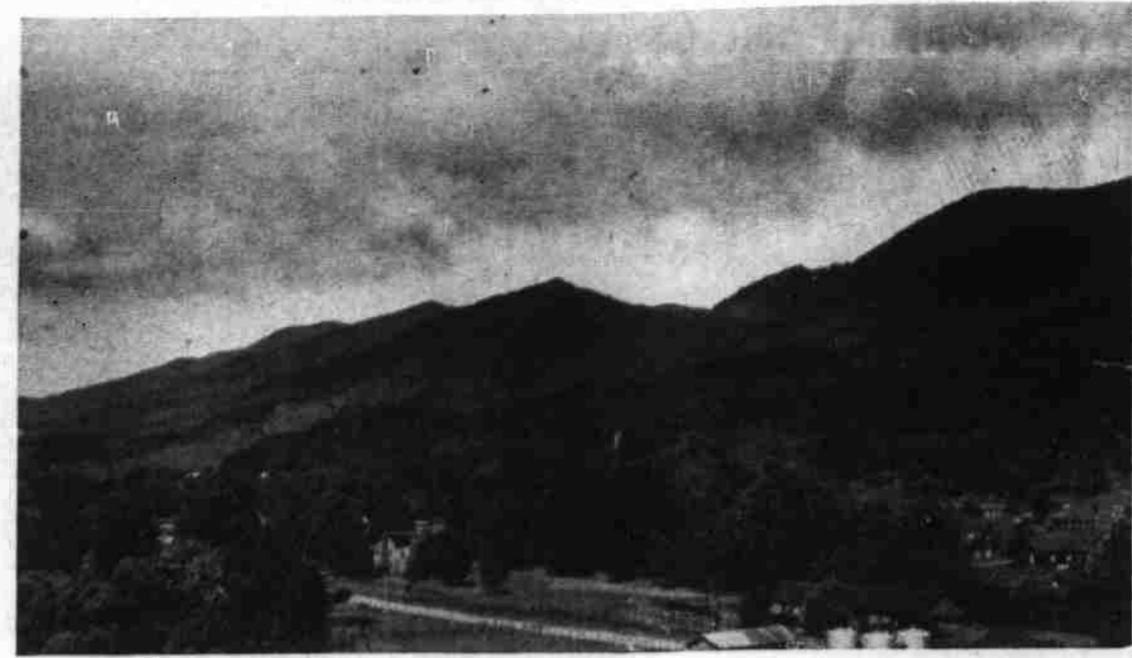
Then, too, Mr. Man owed a lot to Blackie, whether or not he believed it, for if Blackie hadn't taken Hee-Haw away to Mountain House, and kept him for ever so long, Mr. Man wouldn't have worked so hard while he was using a borrowed donkey, and wouldn't have made half so much corn and peanuts and potatoes to fatten his hogs on, and so he wouldn't have had half so much meat. Isn't that perfectly clear? But you know that people don't always get what they ought to have, so Blackie didn't get an invitation to Mr. Man's hog-killing, and it wasn't planned for him to have any "fresh."

But, while Blackie did feel a bit slighted over it, he wasn't so terribly sorry that he didn't get an invitation to help in the hog-killing, for it was a lot easier to sit out on the sunny side of his house, and talk with his friends than it would have been in that cold wind around Mr. Man's crib where he was killing his hogs. "Besides," Blackie said to Doctor, Coon, "what's the use of working, when somebody else will do it for you, and do it better? I am sure they will dress my meat for me better than I could do it. And I think my old pipe has just about finished painting a smoke picture of the way our winter's meat is coming in."

Once upon a time, on a very cold winter morning, Mr. Man loaded up his wagon with three big hogs that he had killed the day before, a lot of turkeys, apples, butter and eggs and other things, and started to town to sell them. Mrs. Man had intended to go, but it was awfully cold, and then, too, she had so much to do in making sausage and liver pudding and souse, that she decided to stay at home, and to get Aunt Judy to come over and help her. So Mr. Man went off alone, and he didn't take his dog or gun. Mrs. Man said she needed them to keep trouble away from the house.

Mr. Man went away whistling, for he had a good load of things that would get him a lot of money, and he was happy. It was so cold that he decided he would keep warmer if he walked than if he sat still up on the wagon seat, and so he walked. They moved along pretty well, and after a while they

### This Scene Given Nation-Wide Publicity



The largest daily newspaper in every city east of the Mississippi river received printing plates of the above scene from the director of St. John's Vacation Home for Girls, which opens the season here Sunday, with an enrollment three times greater than last year. More than 800 copies of the above scene, which was made from the front porch of the home here, were sent to the newspapers for publication. All pictures carried details of Waynesville as a vacation center. Girls from five states and one foreign country are enrolled at the home.

### Summer Business Course Open At St. John's On 22nd

A summer course at St. John's Business School will begin next Monday, June 22. Courses are offered in typewriting, Gregg shorthand, bookkeeping, and general office procedure. Special attention is given to pupils preparing for civil service and T. V. A. tests. Both day and night classes are offered.

St. John's Business School is conducted by Rev. Sister M. Aquinas.

### Loses Car Keys; Carries 2 Tires

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill.—When East St. Louis police saw a soldier walking down the street, carrying two whitewalled automobile tires they stopped him for questioning.

He identified himself as Private Renwick L. Allen, attached to Scott Field, and breathing somewhat heavily, explained he was simply "taking no chances" with the tires from his car.

He told the officers he had lost his car keys and as he was unable to lock the trunk compartment containing the spare tires, he would rather carry them along while he shopped.

Police verified the story and kept the tires in the police station while Allen made his purchases.

### 12 Vacancies In State Guard Ranks

The local company of the North Carolina State Guard announced this week that the company could use twelve new recruits to fill the vacancies of members that have served their year and did not reenlist.

The term of enlistment is for a year and is purely voluntary on the part of the individual.

It was also announced by Captain W. A. Bradley that some time in July the company plans to go out on maneuvers for two or three days with headquarters somewhere in the Pisgah National Forest.

### Navy's Postoffice Speeds Gob Mail

SAN FRANCISCO — With the expansion of the Pacific fleet, the navy has found it necessary to establish a navy postoffice.

This serves the double purpose of expediting the mail of the men of the fleet and also enhancing the secrecy of their whereabouts and the movements of their ships.

The new U. S. Fleet postoffice, covering 32,000 square feet, is adequate for serving a community of 100,000 people.

came to Cool Spring, where he and Hee-Haw always stopped to get water. Just as they got back in the road, and started on to town, a great big owl darted down and grabbed Mr. Man's hat off of his head, and flew back up the road towards Mr. Man house. He flew for several hundred yards, and then he dropped the hat in the road, and flew out in the woods. Mr. Man was terribly upset, and he was both scared and mad, when he saw the owl drop his hat there didn't seem any sensible thing to do but to go back and get it.

Before Mr. Man got his hat, somebody shot a gun close behind him. He whirled around to see who shot the gun, and he saw that "Strange Animal," all dressed up in Tom's clothes, with a smoking gun in his hands, and running right after him. Mr. Man turned his eyes and his feet back towards home, and Jocko says he really ran. When a second shot cut off some limbs that fell on him. Mr. Man took to the woods, and he never did see Jocko jump on the wagon seat and turn Hee-Haw's head up the Creek that has such a hard bottom of rocks that no sort of tracks show on it.

### Sent Last Message 111 Enrolled At Hazelwood Daily Vacation School



The Vacation Bible school of the Hazelwood Baptist church which started on Monday of last week has approximately 111 enrolled.

A varied program of games, recreation, Bible study, and hand work are daily features of the activities, with love and loyalty for God's house being stressed.

Rev. Frank Leatherwood, pastor of the church, has been teaching a class of adults, New Testament Doctrines.

On Friday the circle of the Woman's Missionary Union will serve refreshments. The closing program will begin Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Sam Knight is superintendent, and teachers are, beginners, Mrs. David Gaddy and Elaine Queen; primary, Edith Queen, Mrs. Pink Compton, and Mrs. Oscar Knight; juniors, Mrs. Clarence

The War Department announced that Pvt. Irving Strobing of Brooklyn, N. Y., sent the final series of radio messages which described the last hours of Corregidor before its surrender to the Japs. Strobing pictured the grim plight of the Americans, shelled and bombed until "it was too much for guys to take."

### Broughton Looks For Big Session Of Governors

RALEIGH — Governor Broughton of North Carolina predicts that attendance at the 24th annual governor's conference will be the largest in history. The conference will be held at Asheville from June 21 to 24.

Broughton says, and we quote, "Definite assurances have been received from 38 governors that they will be present. And two others indicate they may come."

Speakers will include Don't! Nelson, chairman of the WPB, Leon Henderson, price administrator, Jesse Jones, secretary of commerce, Lord Halifax, the British ambassador, and Doctor Hu Shih, the Chinese ambassador.

Transport of gasoline by barges and Florida pipeline is planned.

Nelson urges a salvage drive, calls waste treason.

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Union Clothing Co. Waynesville

Our New Place Will Be Haywood's Most Modern Store

### Josephus Daniels To Speak At Lake Sunday At 11 A. M.

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special music during the evening. While the number of visitors to the Lake is not quite up to that of former years, Mrs. Katherine Atkins, manager, states that in short while she expects practically all the cottage owners to be on the grounds as well as a large increase noted in visitors in general.

Nothing has been spared this year to hold the program up to the usual high standard. Some of the outstanding speakers of this country are scheduled to appear during the course of the season.

All the bishops of the Southern eastern jurisdiction of the Methodist church and several from other sections of the country are scheduled to speak at various intervals.

It has been the custom for many years to designate the opening Sunday as Haywood County Day at which time the citizens of the county are invited to attend the services at the auditorium.

### Baptist Vacation School To Hold Closing Exercises

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Terrell, superintendent; intermediates, Mrs. H. G. Hammett, superintendent.

The public is cordially invited to attend. The program will last an hour after which the handing of each department will be on display in the department rooms.

### HOUSEHOLD HINT

We must avoid accidents in the home these days, where it has been found the greater per cent of accidents occur. Do not go to sleep with electric pad turned on; be sure that it is never damp.

Scruggs and Miss Nina Holt, Greensboro; intermediates, Ed Leatherwood.