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Attendance Is Expected Saturday At Hunters Dog Show

Five states are expected to compete in the 10th edition announced for the second annual Haywood County Fox Hound show, in which judging will begin Saturday morning at the East Waynesville grounds.

Rev. Parris Named Head Of Baptist Association

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62nd Annual County Meeting Concludes Wednesday At Ratcliff Cove Church

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Four Women On Jury List For Coming Civil Court

Four women were drawn on the first and second week jury lists for the September civil court of Superior Court at the meeting Monday of the Haywood county Board of Commissioners.

No. 1 Rotarian To Be Guest Of Club At One Here Today

S. Kendrick Guernsey, president of Rotary International, will be the speaker at the Rotary Club today at one o'clock.

Lake Junaluska Assembly To End Successful Season On Sunday, August 31st

The Lake Junaluska assembly season will close August 31 with one of the best end-of-the-season crowds in its history.

You'd Smile Too



EDDY SUTTON, youngest softball player in Bob Sutton's family and mascot of the team, flashes a big smile as the cameraman snaps him holding firmly to the trophy won in the WNC Invitational Softball tournament at Brevard. A picture of the team is on the sports page. (Photo by John Anderson).

Telephone Exchange Enlarged

500 Tobacco Farmers Saw Demonstrations At Test Farm Yesterday

A group of North Carolina's leading authorities on burley tobacco met with some 500 Haywood growers Thursday at the State Test Farm near here and discussed every phase of tobacco from planting to selling.

The annual tobacco field day was a success from every standpoint, and according to W. Kerr Scott, North Carolina Commissioner of Agriculture, "the farmers here today certainly are interested in learning more about burley and the Turkish type being grown here on the farm."

2 Teacher Vacancies For Schools In Haywood

Teachers for the Haywood county schools that will open Wednesday morning were announced this week, with one vacancy listed for the Waynesville district and one at Cruso.

Superintendents Announce Faculty Assignments For Schools Opening Wednesday

The Bellwood school, which has been operated by one teacher in the past, will not be open this fall. Students of that area will be taken to Lake Junaluska on special bus No. 17.

Arthur Stupka To Give Lecture Here On Park Wildlife

Arthur Stupka, Park Naturalist, will lecture on animal life in the Great Smoky Mountains National Park tonight at 8 o'clock at the Court House.

Ten Bids Given For Negro School

Bids for the construction of the colored school building at Canton were opened Monday at a joint meeting of the Haywood County Board of Commissioners and Canton Graded School Board.

Civic Body Thanks Hello Girls For Their Service

The board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday night, passed a resolution praising the personnel of the telephone company for the services rendered.

Pepper Amazed At Beauty In Smoky Mtn. Park Area



SENATOR CLAUDE PEPPER of Florida is photographed above with his mother, Mrs. J. W. Pepper (center) and aunt, Mrs. Eunice McClendon, on the lawn of their vacation home, Seven Oaks. The natural beauty of the mountains in the Great Smokies area more than lives up to its reputation, they state.

Completion Of Parkway Is Urged By Pepper

"You can quote me as favoring strongly the immediate completion of the Blue Ridge Parkway and full development of the Great Smoky Mountains National Park. It is a tragedy and national loss not to do this."

Truman Will Beat Taft In '48, Predicts Sen. Pepper

Senator Claude Pepper, Florida's senior member in the upper house of Congress, made this statement Tuesday morning when interviewed on the porch of Seven Oaks.

Foot-Long Cucumber Grown By Gilliland

A cucumber that grew almost to the size of a young watermelon was brought to The Mountaineer office Wednesday by Tom Gilliland, Jr., of Woolsey Heights.

Rep. George A. Smathers Is Not Candidate For Governor Of Florida

Representative George A. Smathers, of the fourth district of Florida, and a summer resident here, cleared the political atmosphere of Florida over the week-end when he issued a statement here that he was not a candidate for governor.

New Units To Provide Speedier Services

Present Switchboard Unable To Take Care Of Increased Load

A crew of 13 engineers are working around the clock to get three more units of equipment installed and in operation at the telephone office here by September 6th.

Two of the units are for local service, and one for long distance. Each of the units will accommodate from 200 to 600 new telephones.

A check was just made of the local calls, and it was found an average of 15,000 are handled daily by the four units of the switchboard.

New Folders Are Planned For Next Season By C. Of C.

The board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce decided Tuesday night to publish a new pictorial folder for general distribution.

Civic Body Makes Tentative Plans To Promote Travel Over No. 276

Another project discussed by the board was the promotion of travel over Highway No. 276 from upper South Carolina via Brevard over Pisgah.

Highway Record For 1947 In Haywood

(To Date)
Injured - 41
Killed - - 4

(This Information Compiled From Records of State Highway Patrol)