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**Board Appointed By** 

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Present for the meeting were past year, as evidenced by the nu-Chairman George A. Brown, Jr., merous letters which went from Commissioners D. J. Noland and J. here relative to lunchroom support.

Simpson Credits Papers With Better News Content Oct. 13 At Lake

"Newspaper publishers are giv- of the statements and descriptions ing more attention to news con- of things that should not come betent of papers today than ever be- fore the eyes of adults, much less fore," R. W. Simpson, retired man- young people. I have always fav-

une told Rotarians last Friday. "Publishers and press associa- retired newspaper man said. tions are spending untold millions by the staff of each year to get the news accurtaineer as being the best semiately and promptly. More stress is weekly newspaper he knew, stating Russell Fultz and assistant scout

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aging editor of The Tampa Trib- ored a clean newspaper, that left out the degrading crime news," the

Mr. Simpson credited The Moun-Rainfall being put upon accuracy then ever that he read it carefully a year be-"Among some newspapers there fore deciding to come to Waynes- Ward, Hessie Terrell and R. C. El-(Continued on Page Eight)

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Illness While In Asheville

Hospital

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Clyde Methodist Church for Grover Cleveland Rogers, 63, who died Friday in an Asheville Hospital, Rev. R. P. Me-Cracken, pastor of the church, officiated and interment was in Bon-A-Venture cemetery

Active pallbearers were Hugh McCracken, Steve Ferguson, Bill Stiles, James Penland, Mark Ferguson, Jack Redman, Dewey Ray, and Tom Garnett

Honorary palibearers were: C. R. Francis, C. E. Brown, Sr., W. G. Byers, Bryan Medford, L. H. Cagle, G. C. Haynes G. M. Fish, W. M. Suttles, C. F. Shook, F. E. Haynes, Claud Jones, M. A. Leatherwood, Fred Campbell, Chief W Stroupe, Manson Caldwell, Paul Robinson, Chief O. S. Noland, Capt. Whitesides, Mayor Jack Way, Mayr Harris, Mayor Paul Murphy, Dr. Tom Stringfield, David Cabe, Henty Gaddy, Jim H. Rogers, C. N. Allen, Jack West, and C. C. Francis

Mr Rogers, a native of Haywood R. GETTY BROWNING, chief county was a former merchant of locating engineer of the State High- Clyde. He had been active in the way Commission, in a letter to The affairs of his community and of Beech Gap should be pushed to county board of commissioners and of Clyde He was at one time a stry member of the Clyde township school board.

At the time of his death he was employed at the state prison camp

Survivors include the widow, Mrs. Fannie Cleveland Rogers; the father, Dock Rogers, three sons, Jerry Rogers, of Waynesville, Rowe Rogers, of Clyde; and Paul Rogers, a student at Western Carolina Teachers College: two daughters, Mrs. Johnnie Rhinehart, R. 1, Clyde, Mrs. Hugh Francis, R. 1, Waynesville, one sister, Mrs. Bobby Brown Ray, of Canton; and one Saving Program half brother. Hugh Rogers, of Fines Creek

runeral Home Waynesville is in charge of ar-

Appointments were made for Rep. Redden specified terms on the six-member Will Address Haywood County Public Library board Monday during the regular **Teachers** semi-monthly session of the coun-J. T. Bailey of Canton was named to fill the vacancy caused by the Here Oct. 22

County NCEA Unit Sponsors Public Appearance of 12th District Congressman

Rep. Monroe M. Redden will ad-At the expiration of succeeding terms, appointments will be made dress the teachers and patrons of Town Conducting Haywood school here October 22, it was announced this week by Paul Inspection Now contract for the erection of the col-Grogan, president of the Haywood ored school at Canton with Jerry Education Association, sponsor of

the meeting. The county-wide meeting will be

tion to the general construction, school starting at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Redden is expected to discuss federal aid for education, a One road petition was received subject he has given much time

Much interest has been shown in federal aid to schools during the A large attendance is expected.

Announcement is made today of the reorganization of Troop 8 of the Boy Scouts at Lake Junaluska. The first meeting will be held next Monday, October 13, at 7 p. m. at Long's Chapel and all boys

to attend and join the troop. Scoutmaster for the group is master is Rural Noland. The troop committee is composed of Wallace



REV. WM. PRUITT, who recently died at the age of 97, Mountaineer, says he thinks the 4- Haywood county. He had served a was perhaps one of the best known preachers in this area. the Asheville livestock yards. mile section of the Parkway at term as a member of the Haywood He baptized more than 3,000 people, and helped build more was a former alderman of the town than a score of churches during the many years of his min-

## Mountaineers Go Down To Strong Elizabethton

Truman Asks U.S. To Follow Food

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6-(UP) Americans to memorize and observe the following food saving

1. Use no meat on Tuesdays. 2. Use no poultry or eggs on

Save a slice of bread every

Public eating places will serve bread and butter only on re-

Charles Luckman, chairman of th citizens food committee, said experts in government and industry were preparing special menus that would help housewives serve well-balanced meals while saving grain.

# For Fire Dangers

Inspection of buildings in the held in the auditorium of the high business section of Waynesville was begun Monday morning by Fire Chief Clem Fitzgerald; Sam Bushnell. Jr., building inspector; and Willard (Andy) Moody, electrical inspector.

> The group expected to complete their check of the fire zone within three days. All fire hazards noted in the buildings are being called to the managers' attention so that remedial measures may be taken.

#### Boy Scouts Will Reorganize On

is a tendency to publish the 'raw ville to make this his year 'round lis, Link Ensley and James Kirk-

#### WTHS Gridders Take First Loss After 13 Straight Victories By 39-26 Score

Overpowered by a big and fas Cyclone line and the hole bursting of Pat Spurgeon, the Waynesville Mountaineers tasted their first defeat after 13 straight wins in a thrilling display of offensive football seen by more than 4,000 excited fans here Friday night.

Elizabethton took the victory 39 way as Ervin Shook gambled on fourth down plays and fired a passing attack that placed Waynesville ahead in the first quarter and almost evened the ground offensive of the heavier Tennesseans

The game was filled with climaxes from start to finish; from Betsy halfback Shakee Kassem's 60 yard running blast for touchdown on the second play from scrimmage to Jack Noland's pass inter-90 yard scoring dash ahead of the orange jersied wolfpack.

Hugh Caldwell, playing with a badly bruised shoulder, became one of Waynesvile's big guns by shifting to end and sharing the pass catching with halfback Dick Powers and ends Bud Sheehan and Hoot Gibson. And Carroll Broome, Cyclone guard, earned himself a big moment of glory by taking the ball from Shook as he was smothered trying to get off a pass, and running 50 yards for a crucial touchdown.

Had the play gone the other way-the pass gotten off and set the Mountaineers in scoring position-the game might have ended in a tie. Thus the balance in favor of the visitors could be called their pass defense, which bottled up receivers on numerous attempts and with a fast breaking Cyclone line that kept steady pressure on Shook and Powers, who alternated

First Quarter

Elizabethton ran back Watkin's opening kickoff from their 25 to the 38. A spinner picked up two yards, and on second play Kassem 12 years of age and over are invited blocking and ran 60 yards for the next Tuesday. initial score. His kick for extra

Shook returned Campbell's kick from the 10 to 36. On third play from scrimmage he hit Sheehan with a pass on the Elizabethton 42. Shook tossed the

(Continued on page 6)

# More Than 1,000 Sunday Visitors Enter Parkway At Wagon Road Gap

### 28 Haywood Baby Beef Entries In Stock Show

Judging Today Sale **Tomorrow In Annual** District Show At Biltmore

entered by Haywood county 4-H and Future Farmers of America morning in Haney warehouse, Bilt-

by J. C. Poirce of N. C. State col- now and then lege, and sold at auction Wednesday by Oscar Pitts, auctioneer of tion on Sunday reported more color

Jonathan Woody, president of the the scenic views. First National bank, is on the bank-

tered, except the three that were

Four-H club members participating in the competition are: Junaluska-Jimmy Howell; Iron at Ray's Department store. Duff—Joe Medford, James Mor-row and Dan Davis; Crabtree—Bet-the signature of C. N. Allen, Hazelthan Creek-Jerome Boyd.

ter: Howell Brown, Newell Jack-Sherrell and Hall are responsible. son, Buddy Ford, Rex Shuler, Joe to 26, but had to earn it the hard Terrell, Donald Carver, Joe Morrow and Carl Mann.

#### Cheshire To Speak At Lions Meeting Here This Week

Godfrey Cheshire of Raleigh, state agent for the Fidelity and ception in the waning minutes and Guaranty Fire Corporation, will speak on the National Fire Prevenat the Lions club meeting, it is announced by Paul Davis, program chairman.

At the meeting last week Alvin twister, Howell Crawford.

the club would share expenses with the Rotary club for installing a ine from the local radio station to the Towne House so that the talks Meet Thursday Night of outstanding speakers who addressed either organization could matter this week.

The Lions also decided that they dinner meeting vould have a ladies' night program

Trees Now Beginning To Change To Autumn Colors In Scenic

More than 1,000 motorists in over 200 cars, visited the Wagon Road Gap section of the Parkway Sunday afternoon, it was learned from Ranger Carlos Dale and Engineer Aurthur Connell, of the Blue Ridge Parkway service.

Parkway Area

Almost every car stopped at Green Knob for the view which overlooks the Pink Beds and a erans. greater part of the 156,000 acres in Pisgah National Forest.

The Parkway officials announced that the 5-mile section of the Twenty-eight baby beeves will be Parkway would remain open through October. The gate will be open from 9 to 6 daily.

The foliage has just started to youths in the W. N. C. Fat Stock take on fall colors, with much deshow and sale which opens this veloping within the coming week Some woodsmen predict full color by the 12th, and others say it will be about the 20th, Much depends The calves will be judged today on the weather conditions between

Visitors to the Beech Gap secin that area than in the Wagon Road Gap section.

Sponsoring the annual event are The officials patroling the 5the N. C. Bankers Association, the mile section of the Parkway re-Asheville Chamber of Commerce ported that they had had no and Asheville Coca-Cola Bottling trouble with motorists at all. None company. Wayne Corpening, the were called down for speeding, as Haywood farm agent, is a member everyone seemed to be there for of the steering committee, and one sole purpose, that of enjoying

#### All calves shown in the Hereford Police Arrest show here last week will be en- Two Young Men On Forgery Count

Two young men, listed by po Waynesville-Joe Love, Ted Fran-lice as Ross Sherrell and Vincent cis, Wade Francis and Laura P. Hall, both 18 and from Hazelwood Woody; Bethel-Neal Stamey, Joan, were arrested Friday on charges of Patsy and Donald McCracken; Lake attempting to cash a forged check

ty Ruth Ferguson, Robert Ledford, wood merchant, for \$28. According Max and Woody Best; and Jona- to Police Chief Orville Noland, four other checks in which Mr Ten calves will be shown by Allen's name had been forged were members of the Clyde FFA chap- passed during the early part of September, and it is believed that

The two men were scheduled for hearing in Mayor's Court on Monday afternoon, with the possibility of being bound over for trial in Superior Court

#### Weapon Designer **Ends Visit Here**

Frederick H. Wallace, of New York and Columbia, S. C., who contributed numerous designs to the war department on guns, mines gun mounts and naval equipment ion week theme Thursday evening has left for Washington after

Mr. Wallace left Sunday, accompanied by Mrs. A. C. Avery, Asheville, and Mrs. Rufus L. Allen, of Waynesville, Mrs. Avery's son, Ward, chairman of Lions educa- Col Johnston Avery, of the departtion, conducted a quiz program ment of justice, remained in Berlin announced yesterday by F. G. Ripwith the assistance of the tail- in the interest of the United States. Mr. Avery was a former It was voted at that time that Carolina newspaper man.

### Boosters Club Will

The Hazelwood Boosters Club be broadcast. The Rotary club is will meet at seven o'clock Thursexpected to make a decision on the day evening at the Presbyterian church for the regular monthly

Frank Underwood is president

#### Haywood Apples To Be Entered In State Fair

Among the orchards sending

and Homer Justice.

Apples from about six Haywood ticulture display at the Fair, and orchards will be displayed at the will carry down apples from Hayhit right end behind excellent State Fair which opens in Raleigh wood, Buncombe and Henderson counties.

About twelve varieties will be down displays include Barbers Or- put on display from Haywood orchards, Robert McCracken, Hugh chards. The apples here this year Massie, Robert Boone, Bolling Hall, are of better quality, on an average, than last year, it was ex-Howard Clapp, assistant direc- plained. Several displays were tor in charge of the Mountain Test made of apples from this county Farm here is in charge of the hor- at the state fair last week.

### **Gold Star** Mothers Select Nice Plot

Landscaping will Begin Soon On Plot In Green Hill Cemetery Here

A committee of Gold Star mothers, together with city officials, and representatives of patriotic organizations, yesterday selected a plot 100 feet by 150 to Green Hill cemetery for Memorial Plot as the erans.

The group looked at a number of sites and selected one with a slight slope, facing the new road around the cemetery. The road runs exactly east and west at the point where it passes the plot and will in all likelihood be called Memorial drive.

The plot does not have any trees, which will make it much easier to landscape and beautify from the start. The committee was unanimous in their decision and the town board will take up the matter Thursday night and pass the legal resolution setting the plot

aside for graves of any veteran. No charges will be made for use of the plot, and all markers will be uniform. Relatives wishing to use the plot to bury veterans should contact the city manager. The same size space for veterans' whose bodies were never recovered will be available for a marker.

Officers of the American Legion and Auxiliary, and the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Auxiliary. are cooperating in every way and will be glad to consult with any family as to use of the plot.

Tentative plans are to start with the front row at one corner of the lot and fill the plot from front to back. The space allocated will be ample room for some 700 graves.

Among the plans of these selecting the site, was that one large marker be placed in the center of the plot, with perhaps the words, 'Our War Dead" inscribed. The name of each veterans would be on the individual headstone or mark

Several thousand bodies have already left foreign soil en route to America and are expected to arrive by the last of October. It is not known whether any Haywood veterans are among the group.

Among those selecting the site esterday afternoon included the following Gold Star Mothers: Mrs Crews Moody, Mrs. Will Medford. Mrs. M. C. Green, Mrs. Frank Williams, Mrs. Jeter Hawkins and Mrs. Virgil Davis. Town officials were G. C. Ferguson, town manager, T Henry Gaddy and Dave Cabe, aldermen; Col. J. H. Howell, representing the American Legion; Mrs. (Continued on Page Eight)

#### Wildlife Club To Meet On Saturday

The Haywood Wildlife Club will meet Saturday night at eight o'clock at the Court House, it was petoe, president.

"We have several matters of urgent importance that we must dis-cuss at this meeting," the president said. "It is urgent that every member be present.

Other officers include C. J. Reece, vice president and Lloyd Kirkpatrick, secretary

> Highway Record For 1947 (To Date) In Haywood Injured --- 46 Killed ---- 7

(This information Compiled From Records of State Highway Patrol)