

Farm Goals

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and that horticultural research in the field of apple growing be projected at the Mountain Experiment Station in Waynesville.

That burley tobacco allotments under one acre not be reduced; that allotments not being used be made available to new growers; and that the state federation initiate rules and laws covering the charges for

Truck Wreck

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unconscious, but were suffering from shock and bruises and carried immediately to the hospital. The truck was not damaged to a great extent, with one rear wheel out of line and some of the wooden framework broken. The train was halted a short distance from the crash, and a number of boards picked up in the collision were tossed off.

selling burley since it is felt that the four per cent commission plus 25 cents per basket is entirely too much warehouse charge.

That the tax on retailing milk be eliminated in cases where milk is sold solely as a beverage.

That the production of commercial grade cattle be encouraged by all federal, state and county agricultural agencies; a system of direct marketing and cooperative selling be worked out; the establishment of a trade relationship between eastern and western Carolina (freeding and producing sections); the setting up of standard grades and brands by the State Department of Agriculture to remove market prejudice against native-grown beef; the encouragement of producing forage crops and pastures; that the state assist farmers in purchasing better beef bulls; and that a special study be made by the state on the control of Bangs disease, with emphasis on the possibility of calthood vaccination against Bangs disease.

Crime Prevention

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day" drive. Other special events will be "School Day," "Know Your Policeman Day" and "Exchange Club Day".

"Crime is increasing at such an alarming rate throughout the nation that it has become our most threatening problem," states the general chairman, "The National Exchange Club has made sponsorship of National Crime Prevention Week a major project, and outstanding law enforcement officials are agreed that such a nation-wide observance will do much to alert the public to the situation."

It has been estimated that there are from four to five million criminals in the United States, and according to official records a serious crime is committed somewhere in the nation approximately every 18 seconds. During 1946, the last year for which complete records are available, there were more persons aged 21 arrested throughout the country than persons of any other single age group. During the two preceding years, age 17 predominated in arrests.

Boy Scout

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possibilities. In the past 38 years, 14,000,000 boys and men have been members of the Boy Scouts of America, and the present membership is 2,120,000, including Cub Scouts, Senior Scouts and their adult leaders. This year they are emphasizing the conservation of food and natural resources, planting gardens, safety and fire prevention, home repairs and personal health check-up. American scouts will continue to help scout organizations overseas to rebuild.

The Waynesville troop is part of the Pigeon River District, which

Haywood Bookmobile Fund



Goal \$3,000.00
Contributed to date 54.30
Needed for goal 2,945.70

Sanitation

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longer period than a few days. "A restaurant bearing grade 'C' is not a clean place," observes the sanitarian, "not a safe place to eat in, therefore the operator must either clean up or close his doors."

This attitude, Mr. Jones adds, is not unduly arbitrary. "About one-third of all the people get most of their meals in restaurants. Your Health Department is charged with the responsibility of protecting this large number of people by rigid supervision of the places where they eat. That is our job and we must do it."

Some of the restaurants with grade "B" cards, he continues, have been penalized by the condition of the building in which they operate. "Their methods of preparing and serving food may be above reproach, and their food thoroughly wholesome. However, with first class equipment there is little reason why food serving establishments should ever exhibit a 'B' grade.

"The personnel of the Health Department here in Waynesville and the Indian Reservation would like to take this opportunity to thank the restaurant owners and food handlers for the very fine cooperation they have shown in our efforts to improve the service."

Restaurants receiving grade "A" ratings were, in Waynesville: Henderson's Corner, Burnett's Cafe, Smith's Drug Store, Curtis Drug Store; Lake Junaluska: Junaluska Supply Co.; Canton: Emil's Grill and Ice Cream Parlor; Clyde: Silver Moon Cafe; Cherokee: Cherokee Inn, Ocona Cafe, Bus Station and Reservation Grill.

Grade "B" eating places are, in Waynesville: Duvall's Cafe, Charlie's Place, Coffee Shop, American Fruit Stand, Hazelwood Spic and Span; Canton: Eureka Cafe and Haywood Cafe.

The following dairies received "A" ratings: Hub Caldwell, S. J. Moody, Taylor Ferguson, Frank Davis, Wells, C. B. Ferguson, McCracken and Rogers, Mann, Osborne, Sellers, Dan Wells, Silvers, Burgin, Nesbit, Glenn C. Palmer, Joe Palmer, Reeves, Welch, Yates, Terrell, A. J. McCracken Smathers, Cherokee, Campbell, Crews, Moody, Glenn James and Henderson.

Grade "A" meat markets are: in Waynesville, Dixie Home Store; Canton: Dixie Home Store, Smathers Market, City Market, Martin's Market, Robertson's Market; Clyde, Fincher's Market, Brown's Market; Hazelwood: Siler's Farm; and Lake Junaluska: Junaluska Supply. Markets with grade "B" are Beck's Market on Balsam Road and McLean's Market in Cherokee.

HOOSIERS CLING TO BONDS

NASHVILLE, Ind. (UP)—Nobody knows whether it was patriotism or thrift, but the fact remains that Brown County, Indiana, was the only one of the 92 Hoosier counties in which no government savings bonds were cashed in 1947. Brown residents bought more than \$106,000 in Series E, F and G bonds during 1947.

Say, "I Saw It In The Mountaineer."

Includes Haywood county, and the Daniel Boone Council, embracing Western North Carolina.

CANTON CUB PACK

Cubmaster C. C. Poindexter has announced that Canton Pack 2 will hold a special birthday meeting Monday evening at the Central Methodist church. Demonstrations of Cubbing principals will be presented by some of the Scouters, and their parents will serve refreshments. Parents and friends and prospective members are invited to attend.

Grand Jury

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found "overcrowded, unsanitary, badly needing additional janitor service." It has one janitor for three buildings, and 1,090 students. The lunchroom is "too small" for the 840 persons regularly served, with seats for 75 people.

Central Elementary was reported in good condition, "except the heating plant which is about 20-25 years old and just can't heat this building."

On the grand jury are David Underwood, foreman; G. C. Clark, Cash Caldwell, C. A. George, Joe A. Parks, Dick Moody, J. M. Palmer, Taylor Wilson, Joe N. Tate, Merritt L. Messer, Eldridge Caldwell, Rufus Marcus, Boone F. Cagle, George H. Jones, Alney Megeuson and Way N. Mease.

In addition to the schools, they inspected the prison camp, county jail, courthouse and county home; finding all well kept and worthy of compliments to their respective managers.

At the courthouse they recommended that a toilet be provided for women jurors, and that additional facilities be supplied for keeping a record of maps in the offices of the Register of Deeds. The report complimented George R. Brown, Jr., county manager, for his management of this fine public building.

Other Schools

Their report on Hazelwood Elementary, Canton high, Pennsylvania Avenue, Cataloochee, Mt. Sterling and Morning Star stated that the buildings were in good condition. Others received the following comments:

Crabtree school: We find two radiators in bad order . . . 12 window lights broken out . . . two toilets in bad condition . . . all the remainder in good condition. We found the grounds in poor shape because cattle have been allowed to run loose in the year. We recommend this condition be corrected.

Fines Creek school: Building in good condition, except plumbing in girls' rest rooms which are in bad need of repairs.

Saunook School: In good condition considering the building. New school building will be available for the 1948-49 year.

Allens Creek School: We investigated this school carefully and found reports of children being unloaded before the school was opened was corrected and that the building was clean, warm and well supervised. The lunchroom was clean and the lady (Mrs. George Frady) prepares the food and also does the janitor services.

Waynesville colored school: In good condition, except roof leaks in several places.

Maggie school: Excellent condition. We would suggest the lunchroom, which sits away from the main building making it necessary for the students to go out in the weather, be made a part of the main building. The unloading of school busses at Maggie school is dangerous and we recommend that a circular driveway be made there to allow the school busses to pull off the road to unload the children. We further recommend the area near the Maggie school have a speed zone.

Lake Junaluska school: School in fair condition. Roof leaks in auditorium and interior of building needs painting badly.

Rock Hill school: Good condition. The heating plant needs better radiation in order to properly heat some of the rooms.

Clyde school: Lavatories in toilet have become loose from wall. Radiator in boys' toilet needs valve. Wall finish in auditorium under windows in bad shape due to weather seepage from outside. Additional janitor service badly needed.

Patton school: Poor lighting sys-

Truman Says 'Further Rise Will Mean Crash' As Stocks Take A Slide

Action In Road Bids Postponed

(By United Press)

The State Highway and Public Works Commission has deferred action on a construction bid by W. H. Anderson—pending outcome of a restraining order the Asheville contractor is seeking against the commission.

Last week, Anderson submitted a bid on a job in Buncombe and Haywood counties that was \$14,000 below that of his nearest competitor. But the commission voted last December 18 to consider Anderson "Not a responsible bidder." They took that action because of a dispute Anderson had with Highway Engineer Vance Baise over materials to be used in a project. But for the present they are just postponing action on Anderson's bid until the court decides what to do about Anderson's request for a permanent injunction to force the commission to consider his bids.

Incidentally, a new kind of argument for a special session of the state legislature came out of the highway meeting.

Merrill Evans, commissioner for the first district—says he thinks the legislature should pass a \$10,000,000 bond issue to complete rural road program.

Evans didn't want to push his proposal strongly enough to request a resolution supporting it. But he says he does want the commissioners to consider his contention that unless something is done by the legislature, the rural road program will be pretty well gone by the end of the biennium.

67 YEARS AT ORGAN

LA PORTE, Ind. (UP)—After playing the organ at services in St. Peter's Catholic church for 67 years Miss Minnie Conklin has retired. She started as organist at the church when she was 14 years old, Miss Conklin was a first grade teacher here for more than 50 years before quitting in 1941.

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tem. We recommend fluorescent lights. We recommend kitchen be separated from dining room which is overcrowded. Gutting out the building in bad condition, stopped up water overflows on walk. Recommend concrete walk be put in front of building. Need new toilets in buildings.

North Canton school: In fair condition except toilets and heating which is in bad condition. We recommend new toilets in both buildings and new heating system in new building.

Cruso school: in good condition. We recommend a fence be placed on both sides of highway for the safety to children. Also a fire extinguisher as there is no way to fight a fire. Also a marker to sit in center of highway for speed precautions.

Cecil school: Good condition. We recommend a central heating plant, also fire extinguishers. Cook stove in need of repair.

All school busses were reported in good condition.

The prison camp was found clean, the prisoners well fed, warm and comfortable. Of 72 prisoners, 21 are life termers. We especially compliment Mr. W. F. Swift, superintendent, for his management of this public institution, the report added.

The Haywood county jail was reported in excellent condition, with Sheriff R. V. Welch deserving to be complimented for the manner in which the jail is managed.

The County Home is in good condition, with 22 inmates; 15 men, 6 women and 1 baby. The management is in need of a pickup truck, which should be furnished by the county, states the report, and Mr. McCracken should be highly complimented for his work at this institution.

WASHINGTON—(AP)—President Truman said Thursday prices are rising so alarmingly that a crash is inevitable unless something is done to halt them.

For his part, Mr. Truman said he will keep telling congress he needs authority to impose price controls.

Talking to a news conference, Mr. Truman brought out charts prepared by the budget bureau.

He said these show steady rises in the prices of commodities, food and all other items. Rises, he explained, since he asked for stand-by price and rationing authority in a message to the special session of congress last November.

Mr. Truman did not say whether he is planning a special message to congress. He said members of congress have the same information he has.

A reporter asked Mr. Truman what about the "nose-dive" yesterday of prices on commodity and stock markets. (The price movement continued downward today.) The president said the price situation still is alarming.

Then he was asked what the sharp break in commodity and stock prices indicates.

Mr. Truman said he has no comment, that he did not know enough about it yet to express an opinion.

He said the budget bureau charts show rises in just about everything the people buy since his anti-inflation message to congress Nov. 17.

Mr. Truman held up one of the charts. He asked the reporters to just look at what has happened to rents since the weakened rent control bill, due to expire at the end of this month, was passed last year.

It really is an alarming situation, the president added. Practically everything had gone up.

"Are you going to send a new message to congress?" a reporter asked.

He replied simply that he was going to keep telling them about the situation, but he added they tin congress know what's going on.

Mr. Truman declined to comment today on Southern opposition to his civil rights proposals. Asked what he thought of the reaction of some Southern senators and governors, the president replied that he had no comment and added that the comments are being made by the press itself and over the radio.

Mr. Truman said that Republican efforts to slash his \$39,700,000,000 budget will get exactly nowhere.

He told his news conference a senate-house subcommittee recommendation for a cut of \$2,500,000,000 was just so much conversation.

He said he seemed to have heard similar conversation last year about cutting the budget.

A year ago, he said, he asked for \$37,500,000,000 and congress ended up by appropriating \$37,700,000,000.

This year, he said it's exactly the same line of conversation and will get nowhere exactly.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses were issued this week to the following: Frank M. Rhodes and Ila Nichols Pressley, both of Canton.

Theodore Jackson McGee, Jr., of Columbus, Ga., and Dora M. Carver, of Canton.

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