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THE WAYNESVILLE MOUNTAINEER

What Happens To Rain? Answer Is Sought

Study Being Made By **Scientists**

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What happens to the rain" In a new experimental project still being set up in the Waynesville area scientists of the North Carolina Agricultural Experiment Station have set out to hearn the complete answer to this question

By using specially constructed apparatus and measuring devices they hope to measure the exact amount of water that run off, the amount lost in exquisition, and hence the amount n ed by growing plants

Dr. W. W. Woodhouse, soil hertility expert with the Experiment Station at State College, heads the committee which directs the study Other members are Dr. P. P. Lutz and W. D. Lee of the State Cpllege staff

On-the-spot supervision is in the hands of M. J. Gilbert, young University of California graduate who came to North Carolina a year ago especially for this assignment.

Mr. Gilbert has his headquarters at the Mountain Experiment Station near Waynesville

The Tennessee Valley Authority which is concetating in the project will soon name a hydrologic en-

gineer to service the installations. The studies are to be made on a series of small "watersheds" or

ampitheater-shaped ravines. Though this kind of topography the study of maximum usefulness. is fairly common in the mount the scientists want to locate their urally hesitant to sign away title tainous country surrounding Way-

experiments on both Hayesville and to their land for that length of nesville, the scientists are having Halewood soils, the two types most considerable trouble finding water- common in that area. sheds that fit their needs.

the same on each.

slope



A JET PLANE CAME CALLING ON HIM

IN THE SHAMBLES of what once was his upstairs bedroom in Detroit,

Herman W. Miller, 64, thanks his lucky stars he is still alive. Miller was

asleep in the bed on which he is shown sitting when the auxiliary tank of a jet fighter plane erashed through the roof and continued on to the

formation also must be as near ed watersheds of the desired soil

basement. Extensive damage was done to the home,

identical as possible.

Search for Cooperators

Finding paired watersheds is

only part of the problem. To make

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the school bond issue The conference with Mr. Gudger was to find out how much can be done with the funds that would be be held at the steps. available in the light of current construction costs.

Early during the meeting, the board members heard an Allens Allen submit a request for the building of a new addition to the Allens Creek School.

The representatives from the community also sought information in regard to when school funds would be available. The meeting adjourned after the

board approved the elections of county school principals for the next school year

Mr. Messer said the next board session would be held when information about the school funds was obtained.

Attending the session were Board Chairman R. T. Messer, and W. V. Davis and Homer V. Cagle, members

A record production of 8 100 000 bushels of Irish potatoes was harvested in the State in 1946. The crop totaled 36,000 acres and yielded an average of 225 bushels per

problem of enlisting the cooperature content at any given time. The final measuring device is a Since the tests will last a minithermometer mum of ten years, owners are nat-

(International)

and slope, there still remains the

tion of the land owner.

Try Different Crops

Once the installations are complete, Mr. Gilbert will start the long-term cropping cycle which is

to the long-term project ahead. tain farming

MORE ABOUT Flag Day

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the school band would play patriotic selections at the end of the parade in front of the Court House, and that the flag ceremonies would

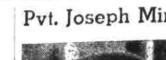
Before the parade starts, members of the Elks Lodge will meet at the Temple at 7 p. m.

In the ceremonies, each of the Creek delegation headed by K. flags which played a part in the Allen, Gordon Hendrix and Mrs. founding of this nation will be brought to the Court House steps by a color guard of National Guardsmen.

Dr. Hugh Daniel of the Lodge will deliver the response, explaining the significance of each flag. while the commentary will be made by Frank Knutti, chairman of arrangements for the Elks.

Taking part in the ceremonies will be Waynesville Mayor J. H. Way, Jr., a member of the lodge. Mr. Knuttl, who is manager of Station WHCC, said the ceremonies are scheduled to be broadcast.

Harvesting of the commercial tomato crop in North Carolina is expected to begin about the middle of June

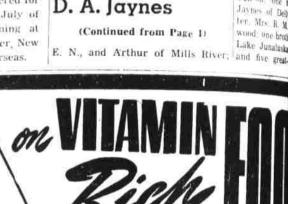




PVT. JOSEPH E. MINTZ, son of Mr and Mrs. Robert Mintz of Waynesythe, Rome 1, is serving with the armed forces in Ger-

many, Pyt. Mintz volunteered for service in the army in July of 1948 and received training at Fort Jackson Camp Kelmer, New Jersey before going overseas.

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Thursday Afternoo

was William C. Conley, 20, of Cl. Arliate progr cago, an unemployed merchant sea Dr. Ellen man, denied any theft, explaining he found the plow point on the he meeting teight leg

By the tracks also, officers found a sack of food stuffs, and a woand question with regard man's handbag. delfate

Jerry Liner, owner of the company, said he had identified the watch and pocketknife as property fare, and at of the store. He added that entry tend the r was affected through an unlocked at 10.30 a m rear window. 3.30 p.m.

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Conley was still held in the county jail today for investigation.

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