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UNCLE ABE SEZ . . .

Money mout not be woth so much these days, but thar's more uv it—that makes the scales turn 'round jist the same.

2 Killed In Head-On Collision Saturday

On State Board



TOM ALEXANDER who was recently named by Governor Scott as a member of the State Board of Conservation and Development. Mr. Alexander is owner of Calalochee Ranch, and also a consultant on forestry. (A Mountaineer Photograph by Ingram's Studio).

A head-on auto collision early Saturday evening near Waynesville took the lives of 47-year-old Lloyd Kirkpatrick, Waynesville civic leader, and 19-year-old Joe Davis of Iron Duff.

State Highway Patrolman O. R. Roberts, who investigated the tragedy with State Highway Patrolman Jeff May, said the accident happened on a curve on Highway 19A-23, 200 feet east of the Ratcliffe Cove Road intersection.

The officer said the Davis boy, driving east, lost control of his 1939 Ford, crossed to the left side of the highway, and collided with Mr. Kirkpatrick's car.

He said evidence showed Mr. Kirkpatrick who was driving into Waynesville had braked his 1941 Chevrolet for 21 feet and was attempting to move over to the shoulder on his right when the crash came at about 7:30 p.m. The right wheels of Mr. Kirkpatrick's car were on the shoulder of the road. Mr. Kirkpatrick died as he was being taken to the Haywood County Hospital, only a quarter of a mile away, in Waynesville. Mr. Davis died of his injuries about an hour and a half after the accident.

Both victims were riding alone at the time of the collision.

Patrolman Roberts said their cars were demolished completely. Mr. Kirkpatrick, who was associated with the Waynesville Wholesale Company for the past 16 years, was to have been installed as president of the Waynesville Lions Club the night of June 30. He was elected recently while serving as first vice-president, previously had served two years as secretary, and had not missed a club meeting in six years.

Active in the First Baptist Church of Waynesville for the last 33 years, he was chairman of the church's finance committee, chief usher, and associate superintendent of the Sunday School.

He was also Tyler of Waynesville Masonic Lodge 259, and the night before his death had taken the Masonic sixth degree, that of Most Excellent Master, in ceremonies at Pigeon River Lodge 386 in Canton.

The popular Waynesville civic leader, actively interested in many other activities, also was treasurer of the Waynesville Township High School Athletic Association at the time of his death.

Mr. Kirkpatrick was graduated from Mars Hill College in 1922, and from Cecil Business College in Asheville.

Before joining the Waynesville firm, he had been associated with Asheville Foundry and Supply Company.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kirkpatrick, Waynesville Route 2; his widow; a daughter, Miss Nancy Kirkpatrick, a student at the University of North Carolina, Greensboro, and his sister, Miss Winnie Kirkpatrick of Waynesville.

Joe Davis, a graduate of Crabtree-Iron Duff High School, had seen 10 months of war-time service with the Army on the Pacific Coast.

For the past year he had been employed by Unagusta Manufacturing Company of Hazelwood.

Surviving are his mother, Mrs. Gaye Davis; a brother, Max, and a sister, Mrs. Jack Ray, all of Waynesville, Route 2.

Crawford Funeral Home made the arrangements for both funerals.

Funeral services for Mr. Kirkpatrick were held at 3 p.m. from the First Baptist Church with the Rev. L. G. Elliott, pastor, and the Rev. M. R. Williamson, pastor of

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No Dust On The Highway At Clyde When This Was Made



Flood waters across the highway at Clyde were about three feet deep when this picture was made Thursday afternoon. By dark the water had gone down and traffic over the spot was back to normal. (A Mountaineer photograph by Ingram's Studio).

High Waters Damage Haywood Crops; Roads Are Badly Washed

Tenth District Highway Engineer James P. Knight of Asheville said \$50,000 would repair the flood damage to Haywood's roads and bridges as the county's entire State Highway work force of 100 men labored today to complete the job of clearing debris-blocked roads.

The major bridge casualties included the west span of the three-span concrete bridge over the East Fork of the Pigeon near Woodrow. Mr. Knight said this span would probably have to be completely replaced, at a cost of several thousand dollars.

Meanwhile, the portions of Highway 276 between Woodrow and Brevard had been cleared sufficiently by Saturday afternoon to permit the passage of one-way traffic.

The major problem, he added, was getting the big road machinery to do the job. Workers cleared the road with pick and shovel sufficiently to let the bulldozers and tractors to get through to finish the job.

Temporary spans were being built as the work force went forward, starting at Little East Fork where the wooden bridge to the Boy Scout Camp had been washed out.

Among other timber structures washed away were bridges over Crawford's Creek and Pisgah, and the steel-reinforced span over the Pigeon between Lake Junaluska and Clyde near the old Medford Farm.

This latter, Mr. Knight said, would probably be the last to be replaced since it was a "convenience" span connecting two roads, both of which were open between Clyde and the lake.

To replace the concrete section near Woodrow, he added, would take "some time."

Meanwhile, traffic to Wagon Road Gap and Brevard was being detoured around the damaged bridge via Highway 110, thence to Rickman's Store at Woodrow, and back into the main highway. This was causing little inconvenience to

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Driver Faints—Car Leaves Road, No Damage Done

If Robert R. Sney were alive he would certainly want this for "Believe It Or Not."

About noon Sunday, a Buick left Highway No. 19-23 near the Owl Service Station east of Canton. The car went down a 40-foot embankment and stopped just short of the Southern Railway tracks.

The woman driving the car had fainted, which caused the car to solo down the embankment.

The driver was not injured, and the car only had a bent rear fender.

Patrolman William Sawyer got in the car, drove it up the railroad to a sideroad and then onto the highway.

Patrolmen in discussing the incident said that if the driver had tried to steer the car down the embankment, it would have probably turned over and wrecked—as it was, the car followed the lines of least resistance and went on through.

Baptist Revival To Start July 3 At Junaluska

A 10-day revival service will start July 3 at the Lake Junaluska Baptist Church with the Rev. R. E. Seroggs of Jackson County as guest speaker.

The first service will be held at 11 a.m. opening day, and a second is scheduled for 7:30 o'clock that evening.

Services will be held at 7:30 p.m. daily throughout the series, the Rev. O. J. Beck, pastor, announced recently.

Boards Name Turner Cathey As Assistant County Agent Here

Assistant Agent



TURNER CATHEY who was named assistant county agent this morning by the Haywood Board of Commissioners and State Extension Service. Mr. Cathey will devote his time to the Community Development Program.

The Haywood County Board of Commissioners and the North Carolina State College Extension Service today jointly announced the appointment of Turner Cathey of Pigeon as assistant county agent to work with the Community Development Program.

Mr. Cathey was principal of Canton's Pennsylvania Elementary School at the time of his appointment.

County Agent Wayne Corpening, expressing his pleasure on the selection, said that as far as he knew, Haywood is the only county to have a specialist assigned exclusively to this type of program.

Hailing the addition of his new assistant, he termed it a tribute to the progress of the Community Development Program, saying:

"The county commissioners and the Extension Service think so much of the progress that has been made so far that they have selected a man whose special job is to push it."

Mr. Cathey's appointment increases the county agent's staff of experts to five. In addition to the new assistant and Mr. Corpening, there are Assistant County Agents Joe Cline, Herb Singletary, and Wayne Franklin.

Mr. Cathey started to work this morning.

Mr. Cathey, vice-president of the Center Pigeon Community Development Program, filed his resignation formally today with Canton City Schools Superintendent A. J. Hutchins, leaving the job he had held since 1941.

Before coming to the Canton school, he had served 15 years as principal of Edneyville High School in Henderson County.

A track, basketball, and baseball coach, the Duke graduate also had served as director of Camp Hope, the YMCA camp near Cruso, for several summers.

He and his wife, the former Miss Aurelia Bush of Inman, S. C., live with their young son and daughter on their beef cattle farm in the Pigeon section.

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Sam Galloway Rites Are Held Sunday

Sam L. Galloway, 70, a retired lumberman, died suddenly Friday night at his home here.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon in the Ratcliffe Cove Baptist Church with the pastor, the Rev. Oder Burnett, and the Rev. L. G. Elliott, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Active pallbearers were Wade Frazier, Jack Felmet, Homer Owen, Irving Leatherwood, Ben Phillips, and Will Leatherwood.

Honorary pallbearers were members of the Men's Bible Class of the First Baptist Church of Waynesville, Bruce Gordon of Murphy, and Chan Gordon of Asheville.

A native of Haywood County, Mr. Galloway had been active in the lumber industry for many years. He was a member of the Ratcliffe Cove Baptist Church.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Mary William Galloway, two sons, Mark and Paul Galloway, of Waynesville, two daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Galloway of the堡 and Mrs. D. C. Neve of Greensboro, S. C.

Also two brothers, M. O. and Leon Galloway of Waynesville, three sisters, Mrs. W. B. Woods of Marion, Mrs. James Underwood of Waynesville, and Mrs. Mat Nichols of Lenoir.

Crawford Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Morgan In Raleigh For Election Board Meeting

J. R. Morgan left this morning for Raleigh to attend a meeting of the State Board of Elections. An official canvass will be made of the vote of June fourth on the two bond issues.

Mr. Morgan did not know of any other business to claim the attention of the board Tuesday.

Howard Hyatt In Hospital

Howard Hyatt, who underwent an appendectomy at the Haywood County Hospital Sunday afternoon, is progressing satisfactorily.

Highway Record For 1949 (To Date) In Haywood Killed . . . 3 Injured . . . 17

(This information compiled from Records of State Highway Patrol.)

Asheville Pastor Speaks At Lake

The Rev. Dr. Lee Tuttle, minister of Central Methodist Church, Asheville, Sunday evening preacher here, spoke from the Lake Junaluska Assembly pulpit on the subject, "Doing the Right Thing at the Wrong Time."

Enlarging on his subject, the speaker stressed three outstanding facts as follows:

"Doing the right thing at the wrong time is doing right when it seems unwise, impractical and not good business.

"Doing the right thing at the wrong time is doing right when it is dangerous and unpopular.

"Doing the right thing at the wrong time is doing right when it means one person taking the whole responsibility for a situation."

The weekend has brought a number of vacationing groups and individuals to the Assembly grounds.

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Sherrod, of

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\$5,000 Gift Is Given To Lake Junaluska Assembly

A cash gift of \$5,000 to the Lake Junaluska Methodist Assembly was announced today by Dr. F. S. Love, Superintendent. The donor, who refuses to let his name be known, stipulates that the money, available at once, is to be used in improvements at the Terrace Hotel, owned by the Assembly, and this year under new management.

The new manager is Joseph Chamberlain, experienced hotel operator, who is manager of Lake Alfred, and Walesbilt hotels, at Lake Wales, Fla.

Associated with Mr. Chamberlain, as assistant, is Robert A. Riedel, also of Florida.

They have brought with them a complete hotel staff, including an experienced chef.

Among the immediate improvements which the gift will make pos-

sible are: Seventy-five innerspring mattresses; 300 yards of carpet for halls and stairways; 200 rugs, new curtains and bedlamps for bedrooms; new rugs for the lobby; 100 floor lamps, additional chairs and other equipment which will be purchased and installed at once, in accordance with the wishes of the donor.

Mr. Chamberlain, an active churchman, said he and his staff would cooperate with the Assembly management to make the Terrace Hotel known throughout the Junaluska area for efficient and courteous service—chief among which would be good food, clean rooms and attention to needs of individual guests. He and Mr. Riedel expect to spend the season here to personally look after the comfort of hotel guests.

Killed In Saturday Highway Accident



JOE DAVIS Funeral services set for Tuesday.



LLOYD KIRKPATRICK Funeral services held today.

Children's Building Costing \$50,000 Is Proposed At Junaluska

Throughout the Methodist Church's nine-state Southeastern Jurisdiction yesterday, church schools were asked to contribute \$50,000 for the proposed new children's building to be built at the Lake Junaluska Assembly.

The donations made up the John Wesley Birthday Offering, held the first Sunday after the birthday of the founder of Methodism on June 17, Mrs. C. A. Rauschenberg, vice-chairman of the Children's Building Committee, explained today.

Mrs. Rauschenberg, a native of Atlanta, Ga., who lives at the Assembly during the season, said the new building would house Sunday school classes for children under

12 years of age, a laboratory school for teachers, a children's library, small assembly hall for the showing of movies, and a craft shop.

To integrate the work with the children's activities at the Assembly, the building would be erected near the children's playground.

"We want to start construction this fall so that the building will be ready in time for the next summer season," Mrs. Rauschenberg added.

The idea of the building was conceived in 1936 by several of the workers in the teacher laboratory at the Assembly, she said, but

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