

## THE WAYNESVILLE MOUNTAINEER

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UNCLE ABE SEZ . . .

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Band Members Go To Music Camp



nesville Township High School band who are attending the famed Transylvania Music Camp near Brevard. They are taking private lessons under nationally-ranking artists, playing in the camp concerts, and generally having a vacation. Left to right, in front row, are: Elizabeth Watkins, Lane Prevost. Katherine Hyaff, Joyce Carter, Betty Noland, and Aileen Williams. Back row, left to right,

are Robert Massie, Carol Underwood, Mark Rogers, Stanford Massie, Kenneth Underwood, and J. D. Stanley. Robert Streacher. another hand member at the camp, was absent when this picture

#### Williamson Tells Union Service Audience Nation 'Is Not Entirely Free'

#### trip Dr. And Mrs. N. F. Lancaster Hurt mpleted be stock In Auto Wreck

Dr. and Mrs. N. F. Lancaster Fourth of July observance. to the were painfully injured late Thursbeen day, when their car was hit head-on past few by a truck near Weaverville.

Both are patients in an Ashe- that the late President Roosevelt season. snamed suffering from three broken ribs.

Mrs. Lancaster received a hard blow on the head, as well as cuts about the face and arm,

Attending physicians said that the condition of both patients is Mr. Wiliamson said. satisfactory, but they will probably ng espe- be kept in the hospital for another

es and ten days. The two had been to a camp near Weaverville to visit their son Bobby, and were en route home when a truck swerved on the wrong side of a curve and crashed into the car. Dr. Lancaster was driv depart- ing Mrs. Lancaster's Buick.

No one in the truck was reported injured.

#### 21 Arrested Over Week-End Here

The week-end proved to be a busy period for the police department, as 21 arrests were made, according to Orville Noland, chief of Chapter 87, and Bald Creek Chap-

be cut

driving while drunk; 2 for speeding, I for failure to have a drivers high priest of the North Carolina license, I for assault, I for operat- Grand Royal Arch chapter, offiing a disorderly house, and the ciating

others for public drunkenness. Police court was held Monday morning at ten in order to relieve the conjested calendar.

CONGRESSMAN REDDEN HERE Rep. Monroe Redden of Henderonville, was in Waynesville today

quested to be at the Masonic Hall in Waynesville at 5 p. m. where for lunch at the Waynesville Council cars will be ready to take them to Asheville

official.

the four freedoms

"We do not have freedom from

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A class of 25 candidates will re-

ceive the Royal Arch Mason's de-

ter 55, with Most Excellent Com-

panion William A. Coble, member

of the Waynesville chapter, grand

chapter secretary, said the class

has been named the W. A. Coble

class in honor of the Waynesville

He said all companions are re-

B. Hosaflook, Waynesville

Masons To

Confer Royal

Arch Degree

p. m. Friday in Asheville.

#### Dr. Hamilton Says

#### Disappointment Can Be Turned Into Successes

ace Hamilton, speaking to a Juna- dance. uska audience, declared that the nost worthwhile lives are those who having learned the secret of turning their disappointments and make something out of it. defeats into better things than they

had ever dreamed of. Life is full of frustrations, he said, but they may become fruit-less than what they wanted Pcp. ful frustrations.

series, speaking at the Convocation not conditioned for the most nor-Hour of the Western North Caro

Concluding a series of platform lina Youth Assembly in session oddresses here, the Rev. Dr. Wal-

"For some people," declared Dr. Hamilton, the major problem of life is to take a broken plan and "Few people have the chance to

live on the basis of their first choice and have to settle for something "If we are not prepared to cope Dr. Hamilton is continuing his with anything but success, we are (See Dr. Hamilton-Page 8)

## Crowds Jam Haywood Lions To Install New For 3-Day Holiday

#### 484 Cars Per Hour On Soco Gap Road

Associated Press and United Press News

Patrolman Jeff May took 15 minutes out Sunday merning about 10, while stationed at Soco Gap, to count passing traffic. In the 15-minute period, he

counted 121 vehicles—81 going west and 40 east. That was not the heaviest time of the day, it was explained by the Patrolman

The rate the cars passed meant 484 per hour, which is heavy traffic on any highway.

#### Scout Camp Opens Today

low Scouts from 13 other Western Daniel Boone

season were the 160 boys with hog rifle shooting. their scoutmasers who arrived last America is not free-too many bridges over the Little East Fork things enslave us." Rev. M. R. Wil- to the camp.

Bob Garner of the Daniel Boone a union service at the high school is director for the camp. With him cliffe of Waynesville High. stadium here Sunday night. The at the camp is a staff of field exec-

until July 30. Rev. Mr. Williamson read the first part of the Declaration of In- Council area will be arriving for at 12:45 p. m.

dependence, and this pointed out weekly encampments through the skiler in ville hospital. Dr. Lancaster is said during World War II that The season's first campers found

of press, freedom of religion, free- was the increased fleet of canoes dom from want and freedom from and rowboats at the camp lake The Hazelwood troop, sponsored by the Hazelwood Boosters Club America today does not have freedom from want or fear," Rev. is headed by Scoutmaster John T Shull. It was chartered late last winter to become Haywood Coun-

tragedy-and the number of trage- ty's newest Scout unit. Paul McElroy. Jr., is Scoutmas dies is appalling. Our highways are human slaughter houses. Only ter for the Waynesville troop, recently North Carolina voted which is sponsored by the Waynes \$200,000,000 for more highways, ville Rotary Club.

#### Fines Creek Church Being Completed

By MRS FURMAN NOLAND Mountaineer Correspondent

On June 26, the Rev. R. P. Mc-Cracken, pastor of the Fines Fines Creek Baptist church, discussed gree at a supper ceremony at 6:30 the need for completing work on the church building. The degree will be conferred by The following Tuesday morning. Waynesville Chapter 69. Canton

carpenters were busy working on

Haywood county comes to a brilliant climax today with a parade, sports carnivals and patriotic meetngs dominating the program.

Some 200 marchers this morning staged an Independence Day parade sponsored by the Hazelwood Boosters Club;

National Guardsmen, members of the VFW and American Legion, Boy and Girl Scouts, civic organizations, and the Waynesville Townbip High School bands, starting from the County Court House, marched down the main street through Waynesville and Hazelwood between sidewalks lined with hundreds of men, women and chil-

Athletic events were features of the morning program, both at Lake Junaluska and the high school

Track and field events for boys Hazelwood troops joined their fel- Club program following the parade, camp off the Balsam Road. The Starting at noon, the hills will meeting will begin at 7 p. m. North Carolina countles this morn- echo with the roar of ancient muzing for a week's stay at Camp zle loaders as men and boys from Bradley, first vice-president-elect, bumper to bumper and could go Daniel Boone.

The charter campers for the 1949

throughout the county start competed will automatically assume the duties of president after instally over most stretches.

June floods had washed out the League will play basehall in the accident June 19. stadium.

At Lake Junaluska, swimming ters Club, as part of the annual The camp season will continue during the morning with the canoe a few days after the ceremonies. Different troops in the 14-county boating events scheduled to start Thursday night are Ernest Ed- cars parked by the roadsides.

> Fourth U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals, at eight o'clock.

An old-fashioned fireworks disthe Cross at 10 p. m., will close the Independenc Day program. Canton's Fourth of July program

will be topped off tonight in the softball doubleheader at Champion Spartanburg, former South Caroina State champion.

Both games shape up as pitchers' duels, with Nazi Miller and Windy Sams scheduled to pitch for Champton, and Wilber Gause, Spartan burg ace, doing mound duty for the visitors.

The Hazelwood Boosters Club Independence Day program started last Tuesday night when the amusement rides opened at the high school grounds. Since then thousands of men, women and children from nearly every community

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#### Memorial Chapel Dedicated



This is an artist's drawing of the Memorial Chapel at Lake Junaluska which was dedicated yesterday morning by Bishop Costen J. Harrell, of Charlotte. He administered the Holy Communion to worshipers in the Chapel at 8:30 Sunday, the occasion marking the opening of the building which is a memorial to men and women from the denomination's Southeastern Jurisdiction who served in World War II. He was assisted by Dr. F. S. Love, superintendent of the Assembly, Admiral W. N. Thomas, of the United States Navy, and the Rev. Dr. Elmer Clark, member of the Juna-Juska Board of Trustees.

# Officers

WAYNESVILLE, N. C., MONDAY AFTERNOON, JULY 4, 1949



The new officers of the Waynesand girls and contests for all ages Thursday night in ceremonies at the White Oak road to Max Patch were scheduled on the Boosters a steak supper at L. N. Davis' mountain. It was understood that Dick

had been delayed a week when the Canton's Pigeons of the Industrial president-elect, victim of an auto

byterian church told an audience at Council headquarters in Asheville erby and Assictant Coach Carl Rat- will move up one position, leaving

races for boys and girls were held post of third vice-president within filled to capacity by early Sunday

wards, secretary: Herbert Angel The carnival is under the directreasurer; Lester Burgin, Jr., Lion Traffic Heavy In tion of Cuthbert Ishee, Assembly tamer; Joe Tate, Jr., Tailtwister; recreational director, who is High Lawrence Leatherwood and J. C. "America is fighting to preserve many improvements that had been the Assembly will feature the Patrick, directors for one year; and freedom made since lest year, Among these address of John J. Parker, of Ben Phillips and C. E. Weatherby, The final meeting of the club

year Thursday night was given to routine matters of closing one of play which will start at the foot of the most successful years in the history of the club and making plans for the beginning of the new year the next day.

Johnny Cuddeback, the out-going sceretary, was presented a plaque Park between the crack Champion from District 31 - A Governor YMCA nine and Crutchfield's of Whitener for his excellent service To Discuss during the year.

The steak fry provided by the food committee will highlight the Thursday meeting.

#### Improvements Continue In Fines Creek

By MRS. FURMAN NOLAND

Mountaineer Correspondent

Among the latest being effected is the new cannery that is being built at the Fines Creek School. This will become the fourth cannery operated for the convenience of Haywood's farm homemakers by the county school officials. The others are operating at Waynesville, Bethel and Crabtree,

Another addition to the munity is the new tenant house that has just been completed on Millard Ferguson's farm. Hugh Morris recently moved

nto his new home in upper Fines Creek, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Safford have bought a new car.

## Heavy Traffic Sets New High Record

July 4th holiday travellers flowed over Haywood county's highways. State Highway Patrol Corporal E. W. Jones said the traffic was the heaviest he had ever seen.

He reported there had not been a single accident in the county up to 10 a, m. today.

Traffic was flowing through Clyde at a rapid pace Sunday afternoon, according to Cpl. In a 26-minute period, from

3:49 to 4:15 Sunday he counted 320 vehicles. This is by far the heaviest count ever made on Highway No. 19 and 23, he said. "Everyone seemed to be driving with care, and we experlenced no trouble with violators

this morning. About the only road that wasn't ville Lions Club will be installed jammed with traffic Sunday was

on the highways," he commented

The highway from Cherokee to Gatlinburg was so crowded both ways that cars proceeded virtually

When the shooting at the high school field ends, Hazelwood and death of Lloyd Kirkpatrick, the shortly after daylight when traffic usually is scarce

Shops in Cherokee and other Jimmy Reed, who was elected parts of the Indian reservation Directing the track and field second vice-president, and Johnny were thronged with tourists all events were Coach Carleton Weath-

with tourist courts, hotels, and Underwood rooming houses from Waynesville The new directors will fill the to the Tennessee side of the Park afternoon, many travellers were Other new officers to be installed forced to spend the night in their

### Waynesville

fic over the week-end was the Church.

"Outside of two speeders, and one drunk driver, the rest seemed to be driving with care," he said. The violators were arrested.

#### Soco Club CD Program

The Haywood County Comunity Development Program and the development of the Soco Road valley will be discussed Thursday night at a supper meeting of the Soco Gap Road Boosters Club at Maggie The dinner will start at 7:30 p.m.

The principal speakers will be County Agent Wayne Corpening, velopment Program continues to Jonathan Woody, president of the No Plane Crashed stimulate new improvements in this First National Bank of Waynesville; and County Schools Superintendent Jack Messer. Mrs. James Robert Plott, Jr.,

Club secretary who made the announcement today, said anyone who wants to attend the supper meeting should contact her. The Club's objective is to pro-

mote and develop the valley from Soco Gap to Lake Junaluska as a tourist center. Club President Tom Campbell

will be in charge of the session. Mr. and Mrs. William Ray and

small daughter have moved into their new home on the Conutry

#### Haywood Fire Inspection To Start Wednesday

Public buildings in Waynesville, composed of special agents of stock Canton, Clyde, Lake Junaluska, and insurance companies other communities will be inspected Wednesday and Thursday for fire hazards.

The inspections will be carried on by 20 members of the North executive. Carolina Fire Prevention Association working in two-man teams.

This service will be conducted in conjunction with the quarterly meeting in Waynesville of the Stock Fire Insurance Field Club of North Carolina, an organization

Club president W. E. Rushin of Charlotte announced the scheduled inspections recently in a letter to Paul Davis, Waynesville insurance

The inspectors will examine theaters, cafes, resaturants, hospitals, schools, and other places, with the exception of churches, where people gather in large numbers.

Then they will make recommendations for the elimination of any (See Fire Inspection-Page 8)

#### Killed In Wreck



CLIFFORD HOWELL UN-DERWOOD died of injuries received late Saturday when his motorcycle hurtled off the road near Greeneville, Tenn. He died in Greeneville's Takoma Hospital. The cycle failed to make a curve and left the highway eight mites south of Greeneville. This picture was made while in the Navy during the

#### Rites Are Set For Tuesday

Funeral services for Howell Underwood, 27, of Waynesville, who was killed in a motorcycle accident near Greeneville, Tenn., Saturday afternoon, will be held Tuesday at Chief Orville Noland said traf- 2:30 p. m. in Ratcliffe Cove Baptist

recalls ever seeing The Rev. Balo Rogers will of ficiate and burial will be in Craw ford Memorial Park. Pallbearers will be R. V. Ford, Clyde Burchfield, Mark Palmer, Harvey Nations, Dewey Ford and Charlie Balentine.

Military rites will be conducted at the graveside by the Veterans of Foreign Wars and American Legion Posts and the 120th Tank Unit, National Guard. The Rev R. L. Young, Legion chaplam, will officiate, VFW and Legion auxiliaries will be in charge of flower: The body was taken to the home of a sister, Mrs. John Webb, Ratcliffe Cove, this afternoon.

Underwood was traveling with a group of friends who were plan ing to attend motorcycle races to Greeneville. The accident happened on a detour. Underwood died in a (See Underwood-Page 8)

The Sheriff's office said Saturday there was "nothing to" reports that a plane had gone down at Woodfin Mountain the previous night.

A deputy said a thorough check failed to reveal any evtdence of a crash.

Two men at a motor company in Waynesville said they had seen a light trainer-type plans ge down at the mountain but had not seen it rise again.

An officer said the plane could have ascended beyond their sight.

> Highway Record For 1949 (To Date) In Haywood Killed . . . . 3 Injured .... 21

(This information compiled from Records of

State Highway Patrol).