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**TODAY'S SMILE**  
"Oh Captain," said a lady on a liner, "my husband is subject to seasickness. Could you tell what he ought to do?"  
"It's not necessary to tell him ma'am," said the captain, "he'll do it."

## Ready For Season



(Full details of the first home game of the season, with Tryon tomorrow night, may be found on pages 2 and 3 of the second section).

This giant time clock and score board is the latest convenience added to the Waynesville Township High School football field for the convenience of fans. Electrically operated, it tells the time left in each quarter, the score of the moment, yards to go for a first down or touchdown, quarters, and the downs. It was bought and erected on the east end of the field last July. You can see identical clocks at North Carolina State College, the University of Illinois, and other colleges throughout the country. (Staff Photo).

# Tobacco Festival To Be Staged

## Methodist Appointments To Be Made Monday At Annual WNC Conference

## 26 Pints Of Blood Given To Red Cross This Week

Waynesville area residents last Tuesday contributed 26 pints of blood to the American Red Cross Blood Program, as the Bloodmobile made its third trip to the area since last spring.

The blood donor room was set up in the Hazelwood Presbyterian Church, of which the Rev. Paul Patterson Thresher is pastor. Volunteers started reporting shortly after the room opened at 11 A. M. The last donor left shortly before 5 P. M.

## Special Events For Hallowe'en Are Being Planned

Plans are underway to give the children of this area more fun than a barrel of monkeys on Hallowe'en night. The directors of the Chamber of Commerce approved a plan for the youngsters that night, and details will be given later. Not only will they be given the privilege of marking up store windows, but there will be other attractions added to the deal.

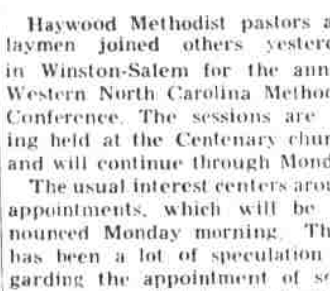
## White Oak Is Winner Of County Field Day Events

White Oak holds the first title of the Haywood County Community Development Field Day. The White Oak residents outnumbered the representatives from the five other communities in last Saturday's event at the Canton High School athletic field to win the event with a score of 60 points.

## Food Handlers School To Begin Here Next Tuesday

The second of a series of Food Handlers schools will begin here Tuesday morning at 9:30. It was announced by the District Health Department today. The three-day sessions will be held twice daily in the small court room in the court house. The afternoon sessions will be identical to the 9:30 sessions, it was announced.

## Stricken



Haywood County Sheriff R. V. Welch was reported this morning in "very serious" condition at Haywood County Hospital after suffering a stroke shortly after midnight.

## Sheriff Welch In Serious Condition Following Stroke

Haywood County Sheriff R. V. Welch suffered a stroke at approximately 1 A. M. today. His physician described the sheriff's condition this morning as "very serious."

## Tourist Group Names Hyatt V-Chairman

Paul Hyatt of Waynesville, owner of the Piedmont Hotel, was elected vice-chairman of the Western North Carolina Tourist Association yesterday. Hyatt County director, was named during the day-long meeting of the Association's board at the office of the North Carolina Park Commission here.

## New Dentist To Practice Here

Dr. C. M. Hinkley has purchased the dental practice of Dr. W. K. Chapman, it was announced this week. Dr. Hinkley, formerly of Asheville, is a University of Louisville (Ky.) graduate.

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The ten other points were awarded yesterday afternoon when the White Oak women's horse shoe pitchers won their event. Iron Duff placed second, only five points behind the winners. East Pigeon finished third with 40 points, and Thickety was fourth with 35.

## Champion Fibre Given Special Recognition For Best Annual Report Again

In the final ratings of an independent board of judges for the Financial World Annual Survey, The Champion Paper and Fibre Company was judged as having the best annual report for the second consecutive year of the pulp and paper industry. The bronze "Oscar of Industry" trophy will be presented to Dwight J. Thomson, vice-president in charge of Industrial and Public Relations of The Champion Paper and Fibre Company, at the Annual Awards Banquet in the Grand Ballroom of the Hotel Stat-

## Many Cases Heard In Civil Court

Hearings continued in Haywood Superior Court today on the cases docketed for the September term as the first week of the two-week session neared its end. The court made heavy inroads in the docket of 86 cases this week, but much more work remains to be done before adjournment.

## Braxton Crocker New President Of WHS FHA

Braxton Crocker is president of the Future Homemakers of America chapter of Waynesville Township High School for the new school year. The new president was elected at the club's second weekly meeting last Tuesday, with other officers for the new year.

## Cpl. Carpenter Moves Here; With Highway Patrol

Corporal John L. Carpenter started work this morning as Haywood County's newest state highway patrolman. The veteran of nine years on the Patrol succeeds Edwin Jones, who was promoted to sergeant this summer and transferred to Cleveland County.

## Highway Record For 1949 (To Date) In Haywood Killed . . . 6 Injured . . . 38

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

## Committees Working On Big Program In November

Initial groundwork was laid Tuesday night for the Third Annual Tobacco Harvest Festival here, starting Thanksgiving week, and climaxing on the Saturday night after Thanksgiving. The Merchants Association in session Tuesday night went on record unanimously approving the plan for the third consecutive year, and discussed plans for making this the largest such event ever staged here.

## Joe Howell Will Open Hardware Store On Friday

Announcement is made today of the formal opening of Howell's Hardware Store on Main Street here Friday. The firm will occupy the building formerly used by Balentine's Man Store.

## W. T. Crawford Honored In Special Service

Members of the Haywood County Bar Association and a large group of solemn spectators paid tribute in the court room of the Court House to the memory of the late Walter T. Crawford, Waynesville attorney who died a year ago.

## 125 Attend Corn Field Day At N.C. Test Farm

About 125 Western North Carolina farmers attended the corn field day at the State Test farm here Wednesday. The group made a tour of two Haywood farms after the visit to the Test Farm, which was conducted by Howard Clapp, director in charge.

## Billy Davis In Washington Hospital

Billy Davis, 21-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Frank Davis of Waynesville, underwent an operation for removal of a kidney last Tuesday at Gallagher Hospital in Washington, D. C.

## Bob Leming Is Editor Of Crabtree School Paper

Bob Leming has been named editor-in-chief of "Crabtree Hi-Life," the Crabtree-Iron Duff High School newspaper. Other members of the staff are Joan Medford and Farrell Sanford, associate editors; Betty Leming, business manager; Farrell Sanford, cartoonist; Dorothea Lee Noland, exchange editor; Billie Welch, sports editor; and Novella Wood, society editor.

## Big Conference Of 1,500 From 9 States Invited To Meet In Community

The directors of the Chamber of Commerce made plans for concluding their membership drive for the current year, and approved tentative plans for helping house a conference which will bring 1,500 here next summer.

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## Ranger Predicts Color Season To Hit Peak On Oct. 10; Foliage Turning

Foliage in the higher altitudes is turning fast, according to Ranger C. W. Senne of the Waynesville District of the Blue Ridge Parkway. "There is nice color around Beech Gap, and near the tops of other high peaks," Ranger Senne said. "Most of the color is found from 3,000 to 5,000 feet in altitude," he continued.

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