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TODAY'S SMILE

Mother: "Junior, stop pulling that cat's tail."
Junior: "But Mama, I'm just holding its tail—it's doing the pulling."

They Plan Strict Law Enforcement



Leaders of North Carolina law enforcement officers meet with Gov. Scott in his office at Raleigh and discuss more rigid enforcement of liquor laws in the state. The governor is seated at right. Sitting at left is Sheriff Paul Garrison of Wayne county, president of the North Carolina Sheriffs Association. Standing, left to right, George Andrews, chief of North Carolina ABC Board Enforcement Officers, and Police Chief Eric Hall of Asheville, president of the North Carolina Police Executive's Association. The officials came to Raleigh to attend a meeting of law enforcement officers in the state capitol. Gov. Scott addressed the meeting. (AP Photo.)

Vote Award Presented By Lions

By Mrs. Algie Ratcliffe
Mountaineer Correspondent

The Ratcliffe Cove community last Thursday night was formally presented the Clyde Lions Club's \$50 cash award in recognition for its residents' demonstration of good citizenship in the hospital bond election October 1.

R. C. Francis, Ratcliffe Cove community chairman, received the award on behalf of his community. It was presented by the Rev. W. T. Medlin, secretary of the Clyde Club.

Witnessing the ceremonies were Grover C. Haynes, president of the Clyde club, and Boone Cagle, another representative of the group, and approximately 75 residents of Ratcliffe Cove who attended the meeting in the Community Building.

In presenting the award, Mr. Medlin praised the Haywood County Community Development Program, expressing his own 100 per cent support.

Mr. Francis, thanking the Lions Club on behalf of his community, told Mr. Medlin that the "only way another community would get the \$500 Community Development prize at the end of the year would be by doing a lot more than we're going to do."

The grand prize will be awarded to the community which has shown the greatest improvements since the Community Development Program was launched last winter.

One hundred and 41 Ratcliffe Cove citizens voted in the hospital bond election.

Last week, County Elections Chairman Jerry Rogers certified that the community had shown a vote of 90 per cent of its total registration, thus winning the \$50 prize.

Assistant County Agent Turner Cathey, supervisor of the Community Development Program, congratulated the community residents for their fine showing, then outlined the fall and winter recreation program which will be held for all the communities.

C. C. Francis explained the Farm Bureau membership campaign now underway and urged the residents to work for the prizes being offered to the communities enrolling the largest number of new members.

Before adjourning, the community officers announced that the next regular meeting would be held at 7:30 p.m. November 10 at the Community Building.

D.A.R. Pilgrim



Miss Kathryn Ann Hyatt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hyatt, has been chosen to represent the Waynesville High School and the local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution in the annual Good Citizenship Pilgrimage Contest.

Kathryn Hyatt Is Chosen For D.A.R. Contest

Miss Kathryn Ann Hyatt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hyatt, and member of the senior class of Waynesville High School, has been selected to represent the Dorcas Bell Love Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution in the annual Good Citizenship Pilgrimage Contest, sponsored by the State Society of the D.A.R. She was chosen by the faculty and students of the high school.

The selection of a pilgrim is based on scholarship, leadership, character, and contribution to community service.

As local winner Miss Hyatt will compile a scrapbook of her activities during her high school years and the book will be judged with those of contestants representing all D.A.R. chapters in the state. The state winner will be awarded a \$100 bond.

Miss Hyatt, who has marked talent in music, has been an outstanding scholar and has taken an active part in numerous school groups. She has held class officers and is a member of the Tally-Ho Club, the 4-H Club and the F.H.A. Club. For the past two years she has been obsolet in the Concert Band and during her first two years (See Miss Hyatt—Page 5)

Chilling Rains Bring Sharp Demand For Fuel From Empty Coal Yards

Yards Bare as Coal Strike Enters into Fifth Week; Many Bins Empty

The chilling rains of Sunday and today put the pinch on dwindling coal piles in this community.

Many a furnace had to be started over the weekend, as housewives and businessmen looked longingly at the small amount of coal on hand, and knew there was none in the local yards.

A check of the majority of yards in the community this morning showed most of them bare.

"The cold rain of Sunday and this morning has really brought in the calls for coal," one dealer said. "We are just as sorry as the customers that we don't have anything to sell, but it is just one of those things. When we don't have it to sell, we are not making expenses, much less any bread and butter."

Very little coal has been received here since the strike started five weeks ago. What has been received was en route when the mines closed. One retailer here said that one car of coal from a non-union mine had been received, but questioned if any further shipments would be received, stating, "There is a fight being waged by so many dealers to get what coal the non-union mines are producing it is soon gobbled up."

The same survey revealed that many coal bins in this area are almost without coal.

One dealer pointed out that his yard tried to get customers to stock up in June and July, but most people were hesitant, and consequently, the yard had to cancel many a car then on order. Business began to pick up in August and September, and then came the strike.

Another dealer said that the public did not seem to realize that the mines only worked five days in September, and since June had been working only three days a week. The dealer said, "Knowing these facts, it is easy to realize that there are just not any stockpiles of coal at the mines."

Another dealer had a limited amount of stoker coal on hand, but most of it was back orders for customers.

The sentiment expressed by most dealers was that the public up until now has not fully realized the true situation. The continued warm weather had not made them "coal conscious" and hence many had failed to get their bins filled.

One businessman who converted his heating system to oil, commented: "Every fall I worried about not getting enough coal, so this summer I went over to oil, and have been wanting some cold weather to try out the system. I turned it on Sunday, and so far, I'm glad I won't need any coal."

Mrs. Evans And Mrs. Richeson Go To Pennsylvania

Mrs. W. B. Evans and her daughter, Mrs. L. M. Richeson, left Sunday afternoon for Pennsylvania after having received notice of two deaths in their family.

Mrs. Evans' sister-in-law, Mrs. Frank Evans, died Friday in Philadelphia as a result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

D. M. Howell, brother of Mrs. Evans, died at his home in Pittsburgh Saturday night.

Mrs. Evans and Mrs. Richeson have gone to attend the funeral services.

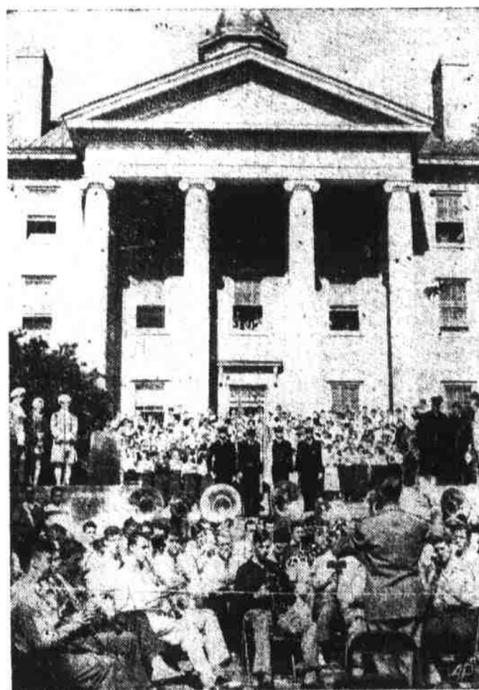
Connatser Wins Top Honors In Firm's Contest

District Manager S. E. Connatser of Waynesville has taken top honors again in the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Company's contest, which ran from August 29 to October 8.

Mr. Connatser won first place for new production and the number of applications written in the Asheville district, and second place in the total of paid business.

The Asheville district covers territory from Shelby to Murphy and has a total of 43 representatives.

U.N.C. Celebrates 156th Birthday



Here's a view of the ceremony commemorating the 156th anniversary of the laying of the corner stone for Old East dormitory, oldest building at the University of North Carolina. At left on platform are three members of the Carolina Playmakers who re-enacted the corner stone laying by Gen. William B. Davie, one of the founders of the university. Next to them is a reproduction of the corner stone. On the right are Chancellor Robert B. House who was president, Frank Groselove, graduate student in dramatic arts who served as narrator, and William Mackie, president of the student body. (AP Photo.)

Goler Green Wins Grand Prize In Hog Rifle Shoot

Goler Green, 46-year-old Haywood County sharpshooter, won the grand prize Saturday over a field of more than 100 competitors in the annual muzzle-loading rifle shoot on Cataloochee Ranch.

Green, who lives near the ranch, received the \$50 cash prize offered by the Honorary Tar Heels to the best shot in the field, as well as a hindquarter of Ranch Owner Tom Alexander's steer as his prize for winning in his age class, of 40 to 59 years.

The shoot, which started at 10 a.m., was a feature of the annual get-together of the Honorary Tar Heels, those from outside of the state who have done outstanding jobs of boosting North Carolina.

When Judges Jonathan Woody, Jerry Rogers, and Pless Boyd of Maggie, inspected Green's target, they found they could easily cover his three shots with a quarter.

Ray Trullinger, rod and gun editor of the New York World-Telegram, who finished second in the age-group competition behind Green, presented the cash award in behalf of the Honorary Tar Heels.

Daniel Boone Arrington of Allens Creek, a 73-year-old marksman, took first prize in the class for shooters 60 years old and older—the other hindquarter of the steer.

His son, 29-year-old Frank Arrington of Balsam, brought another prize into the family when he won the shoot for those from 20 to 39 years of age and was awarded the steer's forequarter for his prize.

Ross Caldwell, 16-year-old Mag. (See Hog Rifle—Page 5)

Honorary Tar Heels End Event

The Honorary Tar Heels, accompanied by native Tar Heels, braved threatening weather early this morning to go out on their second bear hunt, winding up their annual informal meeting.

Yesterday's heavy rains washed out the scheduled day of fishing at Fontana Dam.

Ranch Owner Tom Alexander led a party of more than 100 out at 4 a.m. Saturday to track bear on the first day of the season.

The sportsmen, including some of Haywood County's finest hunters with their bear dogs, flushed several of the bears.

But it wound up as something of a break for an independent hunting party from Sylva.

The Honorary Tar Heels and their companions chased the bears into the neighboring county. One of the Sylva men shot one of the fleeing bears, but early reports indicated the others escaped.

John Hemmer, Pinehurst photographer. (See Tar Heels—Page 5)

New Water Line Laid To Allens Creek Road

Waynesville water will start flowing to families in the town's new Allens Creek area within the next two weeks.

Town Manager G. C. Ferguson said last weekend that most of the approximately 29 families along the new main will be connected into the town's newest water system within that period.

The job of installing the new 2,500-foot main extending from the Country Club to the Allens Creek Road intersection was finished last Wednesday.

Part of the line is the first town system to enter the section since Allens Creek citizens voted to become part of Waynesville last summer.

Waynesville water will start flowing to the homes and eight business places on the new system when the work of tracing out those now getting Hazelwood water and connecting them into the new main is completed, Mr. Ferguson said.

The labor and materials necessary for the installation of the six-inch pipe will cost the town up to \$15,000.

Child Dies After Truck Accident

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon for two-year-old Robert Moody of Waynesville, fatally injured when he was hit Thursday by his uncle's truck.

The Rev. Thomas W. Ruten conducted the services at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sentelle Moody, the boy's grandparents, off Soco Road. Interment was in Green Hill Cemetery.

Officers quoted Ned Moody, the child's uncle, as saying he was moving the truck out of the driveway at his Soco Road home when the boy ran in front of the vehicle and was struck.

The child died in an Asheville hospital a few hours after the accident.

The boy was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Moody while his mother, Mrs. Archie M. Sale, was in Woodston, N. J., to attend funeral services for a relative.

In addition to his parents and grandparents, a sister, Nancy Ann, survives.

Garrett Funeral Home of Waynesville directed the funeral arrangements.

The pall bearers were Robert Ferguson, Wilson Fisher, Stewart Alexander, and Fred Henry.

County CROP Organization To Be Set Up

A county organizational meeting of the Christian Rural Overseas Program will open at the Clyde High School at 7:30 P. M. today.

The Rev. D. D. Gross, pastor of the Clyde Baptist Church, and district supervisor of the Program, said in his announcement that plans would be made at the meeting for getting the county's share in North Carolina's Friendship Food Train ready for shipment.

He said officials throughout the nation are planning to have each of the states' trains ready to start rolling by Thanksgiving.

Last year, he explained, the work was not completed until about Christmas, and contributions were lower than they had been anticipated because of the seasonal Christmas rush.

Mr. Gross's district includes Haywood, Macon, Graham, Clay, Jackson, and Cherokee counties.

He will outline the objectives of CROP in North Carolina, explain the plans for collection, what commodities are wanted, and what methods are used to distribute the food overseas.

The meeting originally was scheduled for last Monday afternoon, but was postponed until tonight, Mr. Gross explained, because the earlier hour proved inconvenient to most people who wanted to attend.

Ratcliffe Cove Amateur Event Set For Tuesday

An amateur Night, staged by the Ratcliffe Cove Community Development Program organization, will be held at 7:30 P. M. tomorrow at the East Waynesville School auditorium.

Mrs. Mark Galloway, who is handling the arrangements for the event, said today all performers throughout the county are invited to participate.

Already, East Waynesville School's finest talent has entered. Among them are fifth graders, Tommie Masie, Martha Howell, Joyce Anne Turner, Anna Jean Linn, Mike Leatherwood, Mac Ratcliffe, Gail Woodard, Charles McElroy, Paula Mooneyham, Salina. (See Ratcliffe Cove—Page 5)

McPherson Heads WHCC As Changes Made At Station

A new corporation, WHCC, incorporated, has taken over the facilities, and operation of radio station WHCC here. Holt McPherson is president of the organization, and announced this morning that no changes in personnel is anticipated.

The station only recently became affiliated with the Mutual Broadcasting Company, and carries the network programs.

WHCC went on the air about two years ago.

Those affiliated with Mr. McPherson in the new firm are Mrs. Ben Phillips, Harry "Blue" Robinson and Frank Wilbur.

Mr. McPherson said that his plans called for a steady improvement of the programs, and comment of the programs, and complete radio service to the area which the station serves.

CHIPS LANGTRY ...



returns to her home in the West to find the house haloed by memory a shambles; the Langtry name anathema; her life in jeopardy. But with the help of...

HOW KELLY ...



mystery writer, artist, cartoonist and chief aide, she cleans up the house, clears her father's name, discovers the murderer of Big Chips and finds love and happiness. Read ...

Heart of Happiness

Starting Thursday in this paper.

Drys Win In Three Counties In State

By The Associated Press

Three North Carolina counties—Clay and Jackson in the West and Lee in the East—Saturday voted against the legal sale of beer and wine. Drys thus raised their victory total to 34 without a defeat. Unofficial returns included:

Jackson County—16 of 20 precincts, 2,337 against, 122 for, a margin of better than 20 to 1 against the beverages.

Clay—All seven precincts, 1,354 against, 144 for, a margin of 8 to 1.

Lee—13 of 14 precincts, beer, 1,902 against, 1,643 for, wine 2,098 against, 1,295 for. Election officials said the unreported precinct is (See Drys Win—Page 5)

Rotarians Pay Tribute To Late Dr. J. R. McCracken

Rotarians paid special tribute Friday to one of their charter members, and a past president—Dr. J. R. McCracken.

Dr. N. M. Medford told of Dr. McCracken as a Rotarian, while Dr. Tom Stringfield, also a charter member of the club, along with Dr. Medford, told of being associated with Dr. McCracken in the medical profession for well over a quarter of a century.

L. K. Barber, senior warden of the Grace Episcopal church, talked of Dr. McCracken as a churchman, and W. H. F. Millar told of the late physician's work on the Masonic order.

The meeting concluded with the members standing in silent tribute to their former president.

Masons To Hold Quarterly Banquet

The 41st Masonic District Past Masters Club will hold its quarterly banquet at 7 p.m. Thursday at the Clyde High School cafeteria.

All past masters are invited to attend.

The district includes the Waynesville, Clyde, Pigeon River (Canton), and Sonoma (Bethel) Masonic lodges.

CLOUDY

October 17 — Mostly occasional light rains in the temperatures. Tuesday partly cloudy. Waynesville temperature by the staff of (Name):
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