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TODAY'S SMILE
Courtesy is the quality that keeps a woman smiling when a departing guest stands holding the screen door open and letting in all the files in the

Capital Officials To Head Festival List

Head Notables At Festival Here



SENATOR CLYDE R. HOEY



SENATOR FRANK GRAHAM



REP. MONROE M. REDDEN

Here are three of the long list of well known figures who will attend the Third Annual Tobacco Harvest Festival here the last of November. All three have a part on the 5-day program, which will begin on Tuesday, Nov. 22, and continue through the night of the 26th.

The list of speakers this year includes besides these officials, Judge Camille Kelley, General Lucius Clay, Dr. Butz, and others.

The program for the Festival is about complete, and is the best ever arranged for an event in this area.

Senator Hoey, Graham; Rep. Redden, To Appear On Festival Program

Senators Clyde R. Hoey and Frank Graham, together with representative Monroe M. Redden, will head the list of dignitaries and speakers here the last of November for the third annual Tobacco Harvest Festival.

The five-day event will start on Tuesday, Nov. 22 and continue through Saturday night the 26th, covering two dances, parade, tobacco show, queen contest, youth day, several high-lighted addresses by nationally known figures, football game, and square dance team contests, in addition to quartettes and singing groups.

Wayne Corpening, general chairman, and his group, have been hard at work several weeks on the program, and are filling the five days with something different, and an interesting program.

The event will begin on Tuesday night of the 22nd, with a square dance barn warming, with Wednesday designated as open house for industries, and the evening program featuring Dr. W. D. Butz, outstanding economist of Purdue University. Featured quartettes will be the entertainment.

Thursday, which is Thanksgiving day, will begin with a Union service at the First Presbyterian church, a football game in the afternoon between Waynesville and (See Senators—Page 8)

Highway Officials Coming To Discuss Haywood Roads

— And These Little Pigs Are Going To Market As Sausage



This photograph on the Rufus Siler Farm could not be duplicated today, because about ten of the Hampshire hogs have already been made into sausage, and shipment has started to 28 states in the union. Mr. Siler began his sausage-making this week, and has already butchered 10 hogs. Before he closes next April he will have slaughtered several hundred, according to past records, and the orders already on hand. The Hampshire hog is used almost exclusively, because it is the "bacon" or lean type porker. Mr. Siler uses all the hams as well as the rest of the meat in the manufacture of his sausage. He grows his own sages and peppers for seasoning, and has built up a mail order, as well as local business that runs into a heavy tonnage. (Photo by Joe Davis.)

Commissioner Thrash And Engineers To Hear Of Roads Needing Rock

Citizens of Haywood will have an opportunity on Tuesday of presenting any road problem to State Highway officials, who are coming here to discuss road matters.

The announcement was made this morning by L. Dale Thrash, highway commissioner of this district.

Commissioner Thrash said he and engineers would be at the court house (in the court room) at ten o'clock to hear all citizens on any road matter in the county.

"Our purpose right at this time, is to get everyone on rock," Commissioner Thrash said. "We have stockpiles of crushed stone at various places, and will put this on all roads where it is needed in order to get the people out of the mud."

Commissioner Thrash said he would like to know about any school bus route that needed attention.

All paving projects are being held up until next April, the commissioner said, with all attention right now being placed on getting rural people out of the mud, and on "a rock foundation road."

His plans for inaugurating the rural road improvement program in this district, is to have some person from each community who knows the needs, to meet and discuss the county projects as a whole, together with civic leaders and county officials. This phase of the work is slated for later in the winter.

Several engineers and maintenance men will accompany Mr. Thrash here Tuesday. They will have maps, and all information for the delegations about the needs on Haywood roads.

Girl Scout Drive To Be Started Next Thursday

Plans are under way to promote the first drive for funds for Girl Scouts in the Hazelwood-Waynesville area.

Sponsoring the drive will be the Boys and Girls committee of the Lions Club, composed of Francis Massie, Lawrence Leatherwood, Joe Cline, and Ben Phillips, and the Finance Committee of the Girl Scouts composed of Hugh Massie, Lawrence Leatherwood, and Joe Davis.

A goal of \$1,000 has been set by this group and funds will be solicited during National Girl Scout Week, Thursday and Friday, November 3 and 4.

In this way, those interested in Girl Scouting hope to provide a number a Girl Scout needs and (See Girl Scouts—Page 8)

Dry Leaders To Map Plans For Election

Plans for renewing efforts to have an election called to abolish the sale of wine and beer in Haywood was in the making today, as members of the Moral and Welfare committee of the Haywood Ministerial Association discussed the matter.

The same committee, headed by Rev. M. R. Williamson, pastor of the Presbyterian church here, sponsored petitions last spring, in which the board of elections were petitioned to call an election. The board, after checking the names, found there were 554 names short of the 15 per cent of the total voting in the last general election.

Rev. Mr. Williamson and other members of the committee plan to meet with the board of elections this week, or early next, they said today. The purpose of the meeting will be to discuss plans and (See Dry Forces—Page 8)

Window Painting Contest Set For Children Monday

Waynesville Chamber of Commerce officials aren't worried about the kids painting windows on Halloween Night.

What they're trying to do is find enough windows for the kids to paint.

Mrs. Frank Knutti, Chamber secretary, said today the enthusiasm of the school children for the idea has her estimating that at least 500 amateur artists will turn out for the window-painting contest.

At Hazelwood Elementary School alone, she said, 700 children announced, by a show of hands, that they wanted to enter.

So far, Mrs. Knutti has obtained permission from merchants for the use of approximately 340 store windows in Waynesville and Hazelwood for the contest.

She said she is planning to get "reservations" for more on Church and Depot Streets.

The costume parade, which will top off the evening's fun, also promises to be big, gay, and colorful.

This event, with its attendant (See Window Painting—Page 8)

Ray Re-Named Carolina Motor Club Official

Charles E. Ray, Jr. of Waynesville was re-elected vice-president of the Carolina Motor Club last Monday.

The members named their officers for the new travel year, extending from Oct. 1 to Sept. 30, at a meeting in Charlotte.

Mr. Ray, who is chairman of the North Carolina National Park, Parkway, and Forests Commission, also served three years as director of the organization.

He is the only officer elected from the area west of Asheville.

Coleman Roberts of Charlotte was re-elected president.

Mr. Ray attended the meeting, which was held in the Club's headquarters offices.

A&P Converting Store Here To Super Market

Workmen started this week converting the A&P Tea Company store at the corner of Main and East streets into a self-service super market.

W. E. Senn, manager, said that the entire interior of the store would be rearranged, and new fixtures added. The store is to be re-decorated, with some remodeling.

Much additional space for customers will be provided, in that all present counters will be removed. Mr. Senn gave no time as to when the project will be completed, other than to say "work will be pushed as fast as practical."

Band, Chorus To Give Concert On Next Thursday

A band and choral concert will be given by the high school music department on next Thursday night, at the high school auditorium, featuring the 55-piece concert band, and the 90 voices of the mixed chorus.

This is the first concert of the season, and the two units under the direction of Charles Isley, director, are preparing a special program of about one and a half hours.

The concert is being given as a special benefit for the music department. Several new instruments are needed to complete the band's requirements.

Park Commission Plans Study Of Pisgah Forest

A comprehensive study of the Pisgah and Nantahala National Forests is next on the program for the North Carolina Park, Parkway and Forests Commission, of which Charles E. Ray is chairman.

The commission meeting with the Board of Conservation and Development this week in Asheville, set the study of National Forests in this area as their next goal, and will meet on November 15th at the Pisgah office in Asheville for this purpose.

At the joint meeting of the two

Expansion Of Test Farm Coming Up

The next step towards expansion of the State Test Farm here will be up to the Council of State, it was learned today.

The State Board of Agriculture has approved two projects for the farm—the acquisition of 72 additional acres, and addition of a poultry laboratory.

Part of the 72 acres would be used for an apple orchard research program.

No date has been set for the matter to be brought before the Council of State for final decision, it was pointed out.

Hundley Is Night Fireman At Local Fire Department

B. R. "Shorty" Hundley has assumed his duties as night fireman with the local fire department. He succeeds J. C. Turner who has accepted employment with a dairy here.

Mr. Hundley has had considerable experience in fire fighting. He was with an industrial fire department until he joined the navy in the early forties, and then served as an instructor at a Naval fire fighting school. Later when aboard ship, he was in charge of a fire fighting squad.

He became a volunteer fireman here in 1946, when he received his discharge from the navy.

Chief Clem Fitzgerald will be on duty during the day.

Demonstrations Scheduled For Tobacco Men

Nine grading demonstrations will be held in Haywood County to aid tobacco farmers, County Agent Wayne Corpening announced today.

J. W. Van Arsdall, a Kentucky burley tobacco grower and recognized grading expert, will assist the county agent's office in conducting the demonstrations.

Tobacco farmers are urged to attend at least one of the scheduled demonstrations to learn the quickest methods of grading tobacco correctly.

The schedule:
October 31 — 10 a.m., Grady Howell's in Jonathan Creek community; 2 p.m., Mark Ferguson's store, Fines Creek.

November 1 — 10 a.m., Robert Davis', White Oak; 1:30 p.m., Richard Boone's, Waynesville; 3:30 p.m., George Stamey's, Pigeon.

November 2 — 10 a.m., George Best's Store, Crabtree; 1:30 p.m., J. B. Hipps', Beaverdam; 3:30 p.m., Carter Osborne's, Clyde.

November 3 — 9:30 a.m., Jarvis Caldwell's, Iron Duff.

Haywood Chapter Red Cross To Hold Meeting

The annual meeting of the Haywood Chapter of the American Red Cross will be held at the Court House on Tuesday, November 1, at 7:30 P. M.

At this time a board of directors will be elected which will in turn, elect officers of the chapter.

The Rev. Malcom Williamson, chapter chairman, will preside and W. D. Dibrell, field representative of the Red Cross, will be present.

Tourist Association To Push For Longer Season

2 Buildings Going Up At Test Farm

Construction of an implement shed at the State Test Farm will be completed this week, according to Howard Clapp, director in charge. The shed is built of tile, and represents an expenditure of \$5,000 to \$6,000.

Work is slated to begin next week on a burley pack house, and grading room. This building will cost about \$4,000, Mr. Clapp said.

The building will be temperature and moisture controlled, in order to give more scientific data on tobacco research work which is being carried on at the farm.

"The automatically controlled temperature and moisture in the room, will enable us to give a more accurate result on our burley experiments," Mr. Clapp said.

Power Will Be Off 4 Hours Sunday

Present plans are to have a shut-off of power from 1:30 Sunday afternoon until 5:30. The interruption of service is necessitated by the change-over of lines from 22,000 volts to 66,000 volts, according to Harry Burleson, representative of Carolina Power and Light Company here.

The power shut-off will affect all REA lines, and all lines in Waynesville, Hazelwood, Lake Junaluska, and Balsam.

Haywood 4-H Clubs Win Fair Award

Haywood County was judged a winner in the State 4-H recreation and rural arts projects at the N. C. State Fair last week.

The announcement was made yesterday.

Assistant County Agent Joe Cline said the Waynesville Senior and the Fines Creek Clubs had been entered in this classification. The judging was on the basis of the work done in this field during the last year.

Haywood and the other winning counties each will get \$25 to buy recreational supplies.

Nobody Hurt In 3 Accidents In Haywood County

Three traffic accidents this week in the eastern end of the county caused considerable property damage but no injuries.

State Highway Patrolman Bill Sawyer reported a loaded truck-trailer overturned after failing to make a sharp curve just inside the county line, throwing its cargo all over the highway and blocking half the highway Monday for about seven hours.

He said the driver, whom he identified as Harry Matthews of Canton, escaped injury.

The damage to truck and cargo was estimated at at least \$2,000.

On Tuesday night, an auto driven by Ralph Miller of Canton, crashed into a power pole near the slick pavement of Pigeon Road and turned over. He and his three companions escaped injury.

In the third accident, a truck hit a spotlight in downtown Canton near the post office.

Until the light was repaired, traffic at that spot was directed in the old fashioned way, by a policeman using hand signals.

WNC Baby Beef Event Set For Next Week

Haywood County boys and girls will have entries in the Western North Carolina Baby Beef Show and Sale for 4-H Club and Future Farmers of America members next month.

The event is scheduled to be held November 2 and 3 in the Bernard-Walker Warehouse No. 2, Biltmore.

Judging will start at 1 p.m. November 2, with the sale scheduled to open the next day at the same hour.

Haywood Apples Win In State Fair Exhibits

The Haywood County winners of awards are as follows, with the divisions designated:

Apples in single trays:
Grimes Golden—Henry Francis, Waynesville.
Delicious—R. G. Boone, Waynesville route 1.
Golden Delicious—Bolling Hall, Waynesville.

Rome Beauty—Henry Francis and R. H. Boone.
Staymen—R. H. Boone.
Red Rome—R. H. Boone.
Any other variety—Bolling Hall.
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