

MORE ABOUT Tourists

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group to work the year round to promote, publicize, and develop the western area as a natural vacationland.
He underlined the importance of the tourist business in the western part of the state and emphasized the benefits to be gained in this area from the great number of visitors to the National Park, the Pisgah and Nantahala National Forests, the Blue Ridge Parkway, and to neighboring federal recreation areas.
He also pointed out the need for a united effort on the part of resort owners and operators in each of the western counties to provide high-standard accommodations and service and more recreational facilities for the tourists visiting the area.
Such an effort is necessary, he declared, to meet the keen competition existing in the national and international tourist business.
Mr. Ray commended the Association board of directors for the progress that has been made in the organization since it was formed at a meeting here last June.
After announcing the appointment of the publicity committee, Mr. Myers reported that consideration is being given to the idea of establishing a joint publicity program for the Cherokee Historical Association, Tourist Association, and Western North Carolina Associated Communities next year.
He also said officials are considering the possibility of engaging a full-time publicity director for the program.
Mr. Myers reported that these ideas were discussed at a recent meeting of officials of the three organizations.
However, no definite action has been taken on the proposals since they will require the planning of financing methods on the part of the three groups to handle the project.
Mr. Myers also stressed the importance of each county organization in the Tourist Association working in cooperation with Chambers of Commerce and other local groups.
He referred particularly to the survey of tourist accommodations being made now.
He said every resort facility listed in the survey would be included in the accommodations folder which will be sent in reply to inquiries from travel clubs and prospective visitors.
The folder also will be publicized through the State Advertising Division, he added.
Attending the meeting, in addition to those listed previously, was Mrs. Doyie D. Alley, Association secretary-treasurer.

Sprinkle Named Head Of Local Masonic Unit

Walter Fish Sprinkle was elected Worshipful Master early this month for the coming year during a stated communication of Waynesville Lodge No. 259, A. F. & A. M.
Other Brethren elected and appointed for the new year were: Robert Mitchell, Jr., senior warden; Hugh Johnstone Sloan, Jr., junior warden; William Albert Abel, treasurer; Claude Benton Hosbrook, secretary; Christian Riches Eckhoff, senior deacon; Jack Folmet, junior deacon; Charles Harold Metcalfe, senior steward; Edwin Paul Martin, junior steward; and Thomas Harry Kent, Tyler.
The Waynesville Lodge will be host to Pigeon River Lodge 386, Sonoma Lodge 472, and Clyde Lodge 453 at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday when there will be a joint installation of the officers of all four lodges.

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large recreation hall.
He said Edwin M. Klink, a June graduate of Mount St. Mary's College at Emmetsburg, Md., has been named director, and that four counselors, an athletic director, and a business manager will be named before the camp opens for its first season.
William Sanderson of Waynesville, is in charge of recreation.
The camp, nestled on its 5,000-foot mountain, probably will be the highest boys' vacation spot east of the Rockies.
The grounds extend to the summit of Potato Patch, and the camp has been named "Camp Waterfall" for the picturesque 45-foot cascade that it encloses.
The officials plan to keep the camp open for a season of eight weeks, offering a balanced program of work and play.
The work will be in nature study, crafts and physical development, and for play, the campers will hike, fish, swim, ride horses, and do other things that school boys on vacation like to do.
But there'll be no regimentation about it. Even the buildings will be located informally, with the four cabins distributed informally around the grounds, and the main lodge located at the camp entrance.
Officials also are planning to establish a part-time summer school in conjunction with the camp and the school, for the benefit of students who will have to make up their studies during their summer vacations.

MORE ABOUT Welfare

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en children. Father sick and unable to work—mother has small baby and cannot leave home to find employment. Children's ages: Boy, age 15; Girls, ages 13, 10, 8, 6, and 4. Baby girl age four months.
Case 4—Mother and five children. Father deserted—mother cannot leave children to secure employment. Children's ages: Girls ages 10 and 2; Boys 8, 6 and 3 years.
Case 5—Mother and six children. Father deserted—mother unable to find employment. Children's ages: Boys 15, 10 and 6 years; Girls, ages 13, 7, and 2.
Case 7—Widowed mother and four dependent children. Mother is ill and unable to work. Children's ages: Boys, ages 15, 9, 6. Girl, age 13.
Case 8—Mother and five children. Father is ill and unable to do any work. Children's ages: Girls, ages 15, 4, and 6 months. Boys, ages 9 and 7.
Case 9—Aged Grandmother and three orphaned grandchildren. Also forty-two year old feeble minded son. All totally dependent. Children's ages: Boys, ages 16 and 10. Girl, age 13 years.
Case 10—Mother and three children. Father an alcoholic. These children will have no Santa Claus. Children's ages: Three girls, ages 5, 3, and 2 years.
Case 11—Mother and 5 children. Father serving Federal prison sentence. Mother unable to secure employment. Children's ages: Girls, ages 12, 10 and 2. Boys, ages 8 and 4 years.
Case 13—Mother and three children. Father is an alcoholic and mother unable to support children. Children's ages: Girl 9 years and boys, ages 7 and 4.
Case 14—Hard-working tenant farmer; income not sufficient to give large family Christmas cheer. 3 boys—ages 12, 2, 6 months; 4 girls, ages 8, 6, 4, 3.
Case 15—Father sick; mother needed in home. Boys 14, 12, 11, 6; girls 8, 4.
Case 17—Mother dead, father needed in home part-time. Income not sufficient for family's needs. Boys 13, 9, 5, 3; girls 11, 7.
Case 18—Widowed mother, only income public assistance grant. Girls 13, 10, 6; boys 12, 8, 3.
Case 20—Father sick. Family live in remote section, no work available at this time of season. Girls 14, 12; boys 9, 7, 5, 3, 2.
Case 21—Tenant farmer, unable to provide adequately for large family. Three boys, ages 6, 4, 2. Two girls 8 and 5 months.
Case 22—Father in mental institution. Family depends on public assistance. Girls 13, 6, 2; boy 10.
Case 23—Father senile and physically incapacitated; mother mentally ill. Boys 16, 12, 8, 1.
Case 25—Father dead; mother dependent on public assistance. Girls 10, 5, 2; boy 7.
Case 26—Father deserted; mother has no income outside of help from DPW. Boys 12, 8; girls 10, 6, 4.
Case 27—Father old and sick; mother mentally deficient. Family entirely dependent on public assistance. Boys 14, 5; girls 10, 8, 2.
Case 28—Father deserted family two years ago, whereabouts unknown; mother not able to work outside home because of small children. Girls 15, 10, 3; boys 12, 3.
Case 30—Father physically incapacitated—no income in home except few odd jobs uneducated mother can pick up. Boys 15, 7; girl 10.
Case 31—Father physically incapacitated; mother dead. Boy 13; girls 11, 7.
Case 32—Three orphans in home of relative who is unable to provide for them. Girl 15; boys 13, 10.
Case 33—Crippled father physically and mentally unable to support family. Boy 6 months; girl 4.
Case 34—Father dead; mother cannot work outside home. Boys 13, 5, 3; girls 9, 1.
Case 36—Man and wife farm family, need help for large family. Two children referred by school because of special needs. Boys, aged 10, 9 and 7; girls aged 16, 14, 13, and 4.
Case 37—Man and wife, farmers, unable to meet all needs. Four children—one afflicted—and invalid grandmother in home. Boys, aged 7, 4, and 6 months; girl, age 6.
Case 38—Mother and fourteen year old girl in home. Now, because of poor health, the mother has no regular employment. Financial aid not immediately available through the Welfare Dept. Child attends high school.
Case 39—The father is critically ill; mother deserted years ago. Boys, age 16 and 12, in school, have occasional odd jobs. Daughter, age 18, has one year old child, is housekeeper.
Case 41—Widowed mother, near blind, receives blind assistance; one girl, age 8.
Case 42—Father near blind, farmer, receives blind assistance; two girls, ages 14 and 7; boys, ages 11 and 13.

Famous Lighthouses

Lighthouses of all times have been elevated structures. Two of the seven wonders of the ancient world were lighthouses. Some lighthouses have become architectural monuments. Such lighthouses as Montauk Point, Long Island, Gaspe Peninsula, Nova Scotia and Morro Castle, Havana, have become landmarks not only for the mariner but for sightseers as well.

Lions To Give Surprise Radio Program Today

The Waynesville Lions Club will get the air tonight for the benefit of the Waynesville area's needy children.
The club will broadcast a surprise program over Station WHCC from 9 p. m. until midnight at the First National Bank here.
Club Radio Chairman Lester Burgin, Jr., announced today that the 1949 annual broadcast is to raise money for the club's Christmas Cheer fund.
The Lions will buy Christmas gifts for children with the contributions.
The club will go on the air again at the same time and same place a week from tonight, December 22.

Christmas Concert Set For Tuesday

Waynesville High School's concert band of 55 musicians and mixed chorus of 90 voices will give their annual Christmas Concert at 8 p. m. Tuesday in the school auditorium.
But for 30 minutes before the concert opens, a brass choir will play the old favorite Christmas carols on the school lawn.
The main concert of light music will have a Latin-American touch, however, and it took a lot of work to put it there.
Director Charles Isley's boys and girls will play Burnett's arrangement of Morton Gould's "Tropical."
Director Charles Isley and Associate Director Robert A. Campbell spent a lot of time begging, bor-

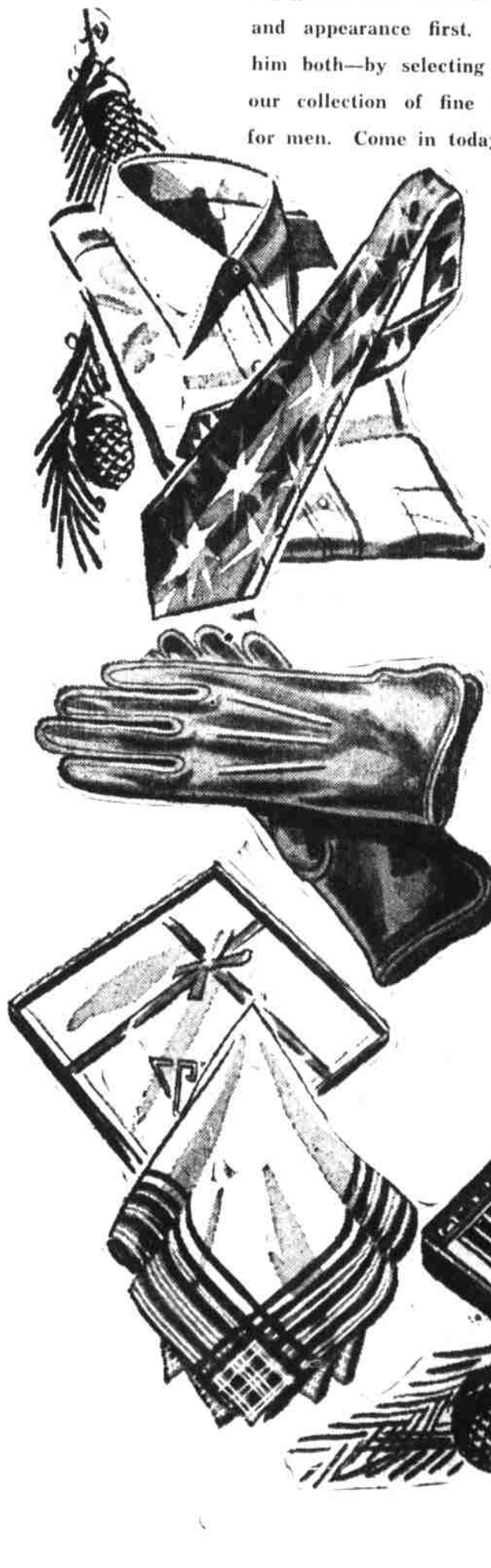
rowing and buying the Latin-American percussion instruments that the band didn't have.
The band will open the program with "Chorale and Fugue in G Minor" (Bach-Abert), then follow with the Irish Tune from "County Derry and Shepherds Hey."
"Tropical" is next in the lineup, then Lilly's "A Christmas Fantasy," will close the first part of the program.
The chorus will come in with "And The Glory of God" from Handel's "The Messiah."
"Gesu Bambino," by Yun will be offered, then Gavaert's "Stuber Song of the Infant Jesus."
The chorus will follow this with "Beautiful Saviour," then Miss Jane Rogers will sing the soprano solo, "Birth of a King."
Two chorales from Bach's "The Christmas Oratorio"—"Break Forth O Beauteous Heavenly Light" and "Thee With Tender Care" and "Carol Of The Bells," and "The Christmas Song" will be offered by

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