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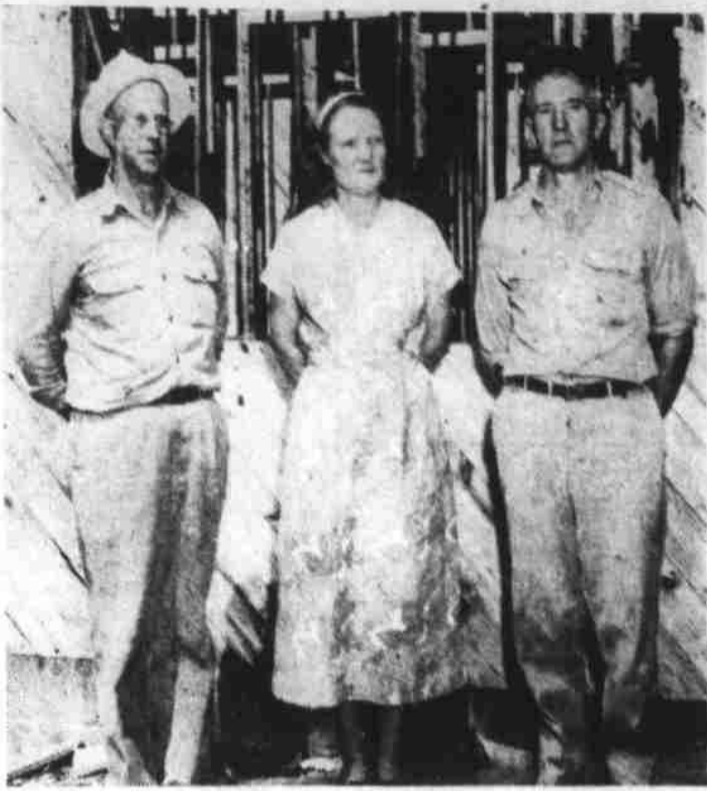
WAYNESVILLE, N. C., MONDAY, AFTERNOON SEPT. 18, 1950

\$3.00 In Advance In Haywood and Jackson Counties

TODAY'S SMILE

"I always do my hardest work before breakfast."
"What's that?"
"Getting out of bed."

Hosts To Farm Field Day



Several hundred attended the annual Farm Field Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Davis in Iron Duff on Saturday. Among the many projects was the 150 men who helped work on the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Davis, to replace one recently destroyed by fire. F. R. Caldwell, (left), chairman of the Iron Duff Community, is shown with Mr. and Mrs. Davis in front of the new home. (Staff Photo.)

Large Attendance Had At Annual Farm Field Day

Between 300 and 500 persons witnessed the third annual Haywood County Home and Farm Field Day program at Frank M. Davis' Iron Duff farm last Saturday.

Civil Court Opened Here This Morning

Work started this morning on a comparatively light civil docket lined up for the scheduled two-week term of Haywood Superior Court.

Judge J. W. Pless of Marion called for the second day's scheduled cases after he opened the term, since the cases docketed for the first day had already been disposed of.

Superior Court Clerk Hugh Leatherwood indicated today the remaining business on the calendar probably could be taken care of completely during the first week and court might adjourn by this week-end.

Swain vs. Motor Lines; McCracken, et al. vs. McCracken, et al.; Rich vs. Gibbons; Inertol Co. Inc. vs. The Haywood Co.

Sawyer vs. Railroad Co.; Rogers vs. Wells, Adm.; McClure vs. Hipps; McElroy vs. Shuler.

Stinnett vs. Lumber Co.; Leatherwood vs. Caldwell, Adm.; Miller vs. Howell; Edwards vs. Haywood Co. Bank; Putnam vs. Putnam.

McCracken vs. Hipps; Liner vs. Buchanan; Howell vs. Howell; San- (See Court—Page 3)

Mayor System Is Money-Maker For Waynesville

The Town of Waynesville made a savings of \$339.40 last month under the present mayor system instead of the magistrate fee system in mayor's court. The records show that 118 cases were tried in mayor's court last month, and with the \$3.30 fee allowed magistrates, the total cost in mayor's salary was \$50 for the month, as police court-judge as well as other duties as mayor. Under the magistrate system, the total would have been \$389.40.

Rotarians Hear Of Marshall Plan

Leo Weill and Dave Felmet had charge of the program at Rotary Friday, which featured a film of the Marshall Plan and the manner in which it affects business in America.

Mr. Weill has been in Europe recently, and pointed out that the aid America is giving the people in the European countries is more far-reaching than one can imagine. The plan has helped the people get back to their normal ways of living, and at the same time helped business here, and done much towards bringing us closer together in our understandings," he said.

Hazelwood Buys Fire Truck

Local Zoning Plan Now Law

Adjustment Board Named As Town Officials Act

Waynesville's zoning plan is now law. The town board of aldermen enacted the proposal into a town ordinance by unanimous approval on third reading at their meeting last Thursday afternoon.

At the same time, the town officials set up an adjustment board to consider hardship cases which might arise under the new law. Named to the body were Charles Ray as chairman, for a one-year term; M. D. Watkins, vice-chairman, one-year; Johnny Ferguson, one year; and David Underwood and Henry Davis, two-year terms each.

The ordinance declares where new business and industrial houses may be established in the Waynesville area.

It was drawn up on the basis of a survey started several months ago by a specially appointed town Zoning Commission.

A special map shows the boundaries of the business, industrial, and residential areas of the town. In general, new business houses may be constructed only in the defined business areas, and new industrial plants may be built only in the defined industrial areas.

However, the ordinance provides for the extension of new businesses in the new residential areas which will need them as the town expands and develops.

A. V. Phillips Taken By Death This Morning

Arthur Vive Phillips 61, prominent Haywood County citizen, died at 1:30 o'clock this morning in the Haywood County Hospital after an extended illness.

Phillips, a native of Madison County, was the son of the late W. B. and Kate Edwards Phillips. He spent most of his life here and was a retired contractor.

Funeral services will be held in the Barberville Baptist Church, Tuesday at 2 p. m. with the Rev. A. E. Peck and the Rev. George Mehaffey officiating. Interment will be in Green Hill Cemetery.

Active pallbearers will be Shuford Howell, Raymond Blanton, Elmer Head, Fred Owens, Hubert Hoglen, and Charles Davis.

Honorary pallbearers will be Dr. Sam Stringfield, Orville Caldwell, Ralph Carver, Carl Ray, Sam Bradley, J. B. Siler, Channing Burgess, Hardin Franklin, Virgil Sizemore, and Lee Davis.

The body will be taken to the home on the Dellwood Road this afternoon and will remain there until the hour of the service. Surviving are the wife, Mrs. Etta Ray Phillips; five daughters, Mrs. Lawrence Underwood, Mrs. Ben Sutton, Mrs. Boone Davis, Mrs. Herman Francis, and Mrs. Wallace Robinson; four sons, Ben, James, Paul, Ralph, and Raymond Phillips; and five grandchildren, all of Waynesville.

Arrangements are under the direction of Garrett Funeral Home.



SECRETARY of Defense Louis Johnson enters the White House to attend his last meeting with President Truman and cabinet members before his resignation becomes effective on September 19th. On that date Gen. George C. Marshall will take over the post. (International)

REA Gives \$212,889 Contract On Expansions

The Haywood REA last week awarded Leo T. Barber of Mountrie, Ga., the contract to rephase 88 miles of rural electric lines and install switching stations at Clyde and Rosman.

The winning low bid was \$212,889.78. The action was taken by the REA's board of directors at a meeting Wednesday shortly after the officials had opened bids on the project.

REA Manager R. C. Sheffield announced the results last week-end. He said the board's action now must get final approval from federal REA headquarters in Washington.

The work will start within 30 days after this final action is taken, he explained.



DR. H. G. ALLEN has been named superintendent of Lake Junaluska Methodist Assembly, to succeed Dr. Frank S. Love who resigned last week. Dr. Allen will assume his duties on October, and move after November. Dr. Allen has been district superintendent of the Winston-Salem area for the past six years.

Less Than 4% Of Haywood Farm Land Shown As Being "Idle"

Only four per cent of Haywood County's 182,485 acres of farm land has been classified as "idle".

The figures are contained in a county farm census survey made last January.

The report was made public by the federal-state Crop Reporting Service this week.

The data was collected by the Haywood County commissioners through their farm census supervisor and township enumerators.

The report also says that 23,353 acres of the total acreage of farm land was used for crop production in 1949, and 71,725 acres was in open pasture.

A total of 44 per cent, or 79,670 acres, was in woodland, cut-over, waste, or other non-plowable land.

The idle land is land which is plowable but not used for production.

The survey showed also that corn is king among Haywood County field crops, and Waynesville Township is the corn capital of the county.

A total 46 per cent of the county's cultivated land is devoted to corn. That means 9,638 acres.

Of the cultivated land in Waynesville Township, 1,612 acres are in corn.

This township also leads the county in the number of apple trees planted, with 59,944 trees of fruit-bearing age numbered in the survey in this area.

Beverdam Township, with a to- (See Farm Survey—Page 3)

Delivery Of Unit Expected About 15th Of October

A modern American LaFrance fire truck is expected to be delivered to the Town of Hazelwood about October 15th.

Town officials placed the order for the truck, built on a Ford chassis, sometime ago, with the delivery date set for the middle of October. The unit is complete with 1,200 feet of hose, and cost \$8,250.

The truck will be housed in the new city hall of Hazelwood, which has a specially built department, together with sleeping quarters for the night fireman.

Chief of Police Ossie Sutton said that plans were to have a fire chief and an assistant, with one of the men on duty at all times. A volunteer department of about twenty men will be organized, and given special training when the truck arrives.

Chief Sutton, together with the representative of the American LaFrance Company plan to conduct a training school for the volunteer firemen.

Town officials have had the matter of purchasing a truck before them for some time, but waited until the city hall was completed and a place to house the unit before placing the order.

The fire department in Waynesville now answers calls in Hazelwood, under a ten-year agreement between the two towns. The agreement expires January 1, 1951.

Driver Tears Up Fences, Sidewalk, In Wild Ride

A pickup truck tore down 100 feet of fence, drove through two private yards, and tore up ten feet of sidewalk, Friday afternoon.

Police Chief Ossie L. Sutton of Hazelwood said it "was the worst case of reckless driving I've seen in my 13 years of police work."

Two young Hazelwood men were fined \$200 and court costs by Hazelwood Mayor Clyde Fisher in police court a few minutes after they were apprehended by Deputy Sheriff Wade McDaniel.

The driver was charged with drunk driving, and the passenger, described by Chief Sutton as the owner of the truck, was charged with aiding, abetting, and allowing the truck to be driven by a person under the influence of intoxicating liquor.

Both pleaded guilty to the charges.

Chief Sutton said the truck left the street near the Hazelwood Baptist Church, crossed the sidewalk, knocked down the gate of a house, crossed the yard and travelled into a neighbor's yard.

On the way it side-swiped a tree, and on the way out of the second yard it crashed through another fence.

The truck was halted by Deputy McDaniel near the Haywood County Court House 20 minutes later following a search by sheriff's deputies, state highway patrolmen, and Waynesville town officers, aiding Chief Sutton.

Chief Sutton said the two defendants also were ordered to replace the damaged fences and sidewalk.

The destruction amounted to about \$250, he estimated.

"It was just luck," he commented.

"Usually at that time of the day, children are playing in those front yards."

"This time, however, they just happened to be empty."

Members Of First Baptist To Hold Two Conferences

A general conference of all members of the First Baptist church is being called for Wednesday night, to discuss a general church program to present to a prospective pastor.

Leaders of each department of the church will be called upon for tentative recommendations.

Plans are to have these recommendations completed in time to present in another conference on Friday evening. Rev. Broadus E. Wall, of Chester, S. C., who preached here on the tenth, has informed the pulpit committee of his intentions of being present on Friday evening.

Local Policeman Called To Marine Duty

Town Policeman Arthur Paul Evans will swap uniforms September 27.

That's the date he will go on active duty with other Marines at Camp Lejeune.

Evans, in the Corps' inactive reserve, served 26 months with the Marines during World War II.

That included four of duty on Guam and at Tientsin, China.

He picked up his honorable discharge papers in November 1946 and joined the local Police Department shortly afterward.

Author To Build Summer Home At Balsam This Fall

Mrs. John Gruelle, author and publisher of the "Raggedy Ann" series of books, and manufacturer of the "Raggedy Ann" dolls, plans to start construction in the near future on a summer home at Balsam.

Mrs. Gruelle is from Miami, and recently bought a tract of land at Balsam for her home, where she plans to spend six months of each year.

The "Raggedy Ann" books have been on the market for the past 30 years, and new editions are added to the series almost every year.

Mrs. Gruelle's son does the art work for the books.

Delights Of The News

Love Grand?

A young couple, apparently un- of the downpour at the Thursday night, sat snuggled under an umbrella. Occasionally they put their attention on the game, but for the most part it was just a big lovely with two people in it.

During the half they decided on coffee, and as they started to get their seats, were dumped back under just the back of their umbrella. The rain began rolling off in torrents their backs. They were so they had to bid each other light and go on home.

Their love grand—not even of a soaking rain?

Man's Meat

of the most interesting man in local gridiron history was of the forward-lateral in the third quarter of the Waynesville game Thursday night.

Styus, rushed by the Styles, shot a pass to the only receiver he saw undefended.

Knocked Kenneth Styles in the end and stuck there.

Styus, unfortunately for that particular time at least, was a land, as such, did not hold a catching privilege card.

Styus was covered with embarrassment as he got rid of the thing which was possible by whipping lateral to his nearest friend roommate, Tom Boyd, who is

holds lateral-catching privilege. Since he isn't one who is proud expecting people to lateral at him, Mr. Styles' took him quite by surprise.

stood there, frozen in confusion, holding the ball gingerly.

this moment of indecision but a fraction of a second, when he was bidding a silent prayer to the soft, green horizon.

Styus' 40-yard line and sailing.

Accompanying him was half the football team, but no rude words were laid on him till after he set up house in the end

program, unplanned as well as rehearsed, happened rapidly, under the eye of one of the officials.

Styus' hand by a photo finish. It's interesting maneuver gave Mountaineers a net gain of 15 yards, which is the penalty for an illegal receiver catch.

DIRECTORS TO MEET

The directors of the Chamber of Commerce will meet tonight for regular monthly business. The meeting will convene 8:00, with James Kilpatrick, president, in charge.

Weather

CLOUDY

Monday, September 18—Partly cloudy and continued mild Monday	20	75	53	—
Tuesday	14	73	47	.05
	16	77	47	—
	17	73	52	.12



This picture shows the site and loading platform of the new bus station here at the corner of Miller and Montgomery streets—one block off Main. There is room for four buses at the station at one time. Large waiting rooms for white and colored have been provided, and a restaurant is operated in the adjoining building. All the lot around the bus station is paved. The tall building in the back with the chimney is The Toggery, and the wall of the Park Theatre is right behind the bus. W. H. Massie owns the bus building, and Ralph Dills is local manager. (Staff Photo.)

Official Waynesville temperatures recorded by the staff of the Test Farm: