

State Officials At Tobacco Festival



The Tobacco Festival drew people from a wide area, and among them were two state officials from Raleigh—D. S. Coltrane, assistant director of the budget, on the left, who spoke on Friday night, is shown with State Senator William Medford, Brandon Hodges, state treasurer, who spoke on Friday afternoon, and Oral L. Yates, representative of Haywood county. (Photo by Ingram's Studio).

Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. Reid Grantham and son, Billy, of Red Springs, N. C., spent Thanksgiving Day with Dr. I. B. Funke, Mr. Grantham's aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Bell, Jr. and son of Miami, Florida have returned to their home after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with Mrs. Bell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Gentry.

Jimmie Goodin, a student at Chapel Hill spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Gentry.

Dr. and Mrs. R. L. McKittrick spent Thanksgiving at their former home in Edgewood, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tingen and children of Fuquay Springs arrived Sunday for a visit to Mrs. Tingen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Killian. Mrs. Tingen and the children will remain here while Mr. Tingen is on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Schwarz of Atlanta were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Lenoir Gwyn.

Miss Betty Ann Brown, student at Mercy Hospital School of Nursing in Charlotte, spent the Thanksgiving week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rector and daughters, Ann and Nancy Rector, visited relatives in Morristown, Tenn. Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith of Riversdale, Georgia are guests of the latter's sisters, Misses Daisy and Bessie Boyd.

Mrs. Richard Barber, Jr., and daughters, Betty and Mary, left this afternoon for Griffin, Georgia to spend the week-end with Mrs. Barber's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Norman.

Cyril Minett, student at the University of North Carolina, spent Thanksgiving with his parents.

Misses Elaine and Virginia Francis, students at Woman's College in Greensboro, spent the holiday week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Francis.

Miss Anne Mormino, student at the University of North Carolina, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mormino.

H. C. Turner and Joe Fortner, students at the University of North Carolina, spent the holidays at home.

Miss Dorothy Martel, student at Woman's College, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Martel.

Mrs. C. J. Reece and son, Jeff Reece, Stanford Massie and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Gooch made up a party attending the Duke-Carolina game in Chapel Hill on Saturday.

The exceptionally thick hair of the Labrador retriever makes it a good dog for hunting water fowl in cold weather.

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protection against the cold.

Minutes after the procession ended at the Court House, she fainted from exposure.

The girl was released shortly afterward, however, after treatment at the Haywood County Hospital.

Fines Creek's float, which placed third in the contest, advertised the communities assets and desires.

The huge sign on the jeep pulling the float read, in part:

"We want—Telephones and Better Roads."

"Come To See Us—Because You Can't Call Us."

The reference was to the fact that the community is still waiting for telephone lines.

The Fines Creek assets were listed on the float—but more graphically illustrated in the Tobacco Show held after the parade at the Court House.

Entries from the community won prizes in every division.

The first interruption in the program came Friday night.

The selection of the queen's court was postponed because three of the 19 candidates were prevented from coming by the icy conditions of the roads.

The event at first was postponed until Saturday night, when the queen was to be crowned, also.

But on Saturday morning, County Agent Wayne Corpening announced that all events for the final day had been postponed for a week, because of the adverse weather.

The mercury dropped to 12 degrees after sundown.

Yet more than 350 people reached the Armory, in spite of the bitter cold and hazardous roads.

Jonathan Woody, president of the First National Bank of Waynesville, served as master of ceremonies during the program, and announced the winners of the parade, window display, and other contests.

Dr. D. S. Coltrane, assistant state budget director, delivered the principal speech, after he was introduced by D. Reeves Noland, of Ratcliffe Cove, former district highway commissioner and former member of the State Board of Agriculture.

Though the judging of the candidates for the six positions in the queen's court was postponed, each of the 16 girls who appeared was presented formally to the audience.

Then they got together in a group to pose for the photograph.

Next Saturday night there also will be the string band and square dance contests, and Santa Claus will come as the 1950 Festival queen is crowned.

The cheery little man will herald the opening of the Christmas season in Waynesville.

Two separate boards of judges will make the decision in the beauty contest.

The job of picking the six girls for the queen's court will be handled by P. M. Camack, secretary of the Hendersonville Chamber of Commerce; Raymond Sutton of the Mead Corporation plant at Sylva; and Dr. E. R. Collins, specialist of the N. C. State College Agricultural Extension Service.

Mr. Sutton is serving as chair-

Garden Club To Have Program By Mrs. Gramling

The Pichland Garden Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Roy Parkman, Friday at 12:30 p. m.

Mrs. Henry Gramling of Gramling, S. C. and Lake Junaluska will be the guest speaker and will discuss Christmas decorations for the home.

Mrs. Rufus Siler, president will preside.

Co-hostesses for the meeting will be Mrs. John Smathers, Jr. and Mrs. W. L. Kirkpatrick.

Brevard Festival Recordings To Be Available

The Brevard Music Festival recording of the Verdi "Requiem," made last August at the Transylvania Music Camp near Brevard by the Protestant Radio Center, Inc., will be ready for distribution after the first of December.

The recording was made to aid in the fund raising for scholarship at the Transylvania Music Camp. An album will be given as a gift of appreciation to anyone donating \$12.00 or more to the scholarship fund.

The recordings are on cherry-wood vinylite, long playing (33 1/3 r. p. m.) and are bound in a souvenir album of the 1950 Brevard Music Festival. The front cover is decorated with a map of the Music Camp, drawn by Corydon Bell of Sapphire.

Interested persons who will contribute to the scholarship fund, may obtain these recordings to be used for Christmas gifts. Donations may be mailed to the Transylvania Music Camp Winter Headquarters, Davidson N. C. Mailings on the albums will be made promptly.

CDP Beef Cattle Commission To Meet Thursday

The Beef Cattle Commission of the Community Development Program, will meet at the county agent's office on Thursday night, at 7:30 o'clock.

Sam Buchanan, Extension Animal Husbandry Specialist from State College, will work with the commission in making plans for the beef cattle industry for the coming year.

Commission Chairman M. O. Galloway will preside.

Melody Four To Play At Fines Creek Friday

The Melody Four, a quartet of accomplished singers and musicians, will give a performance at the Fines Creek School at 7:30 p. m. Friday.

The entertainment is being sponsored by the school to help raise money for improvements.

The admission charges: 50 cents for adults, 25 cents for children.

Richard Parham To Be In Comedy

Richard Parham, of Waynesville, has a lead role in "The Taming of the Shrew," a Shakespearean comedy to be given by the dramatic department of Gardner-Webb College.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Parham and graduated from Waynesville High School last year.

The judges who will select the queen from among the members of the court will be Dr. Paul A. Reid, president of Western Carolina Teachers' College; T. C. Robertson, superintendent of Buncombe County Schools; and Dr. G. B. Ehlhardt, president of the Asheville Merchants Association.

Judging the string bands will be Charles Russell of Brevard, State Representative Frank Brown of Cullowhee; and W. J. Martin of Brass Town.

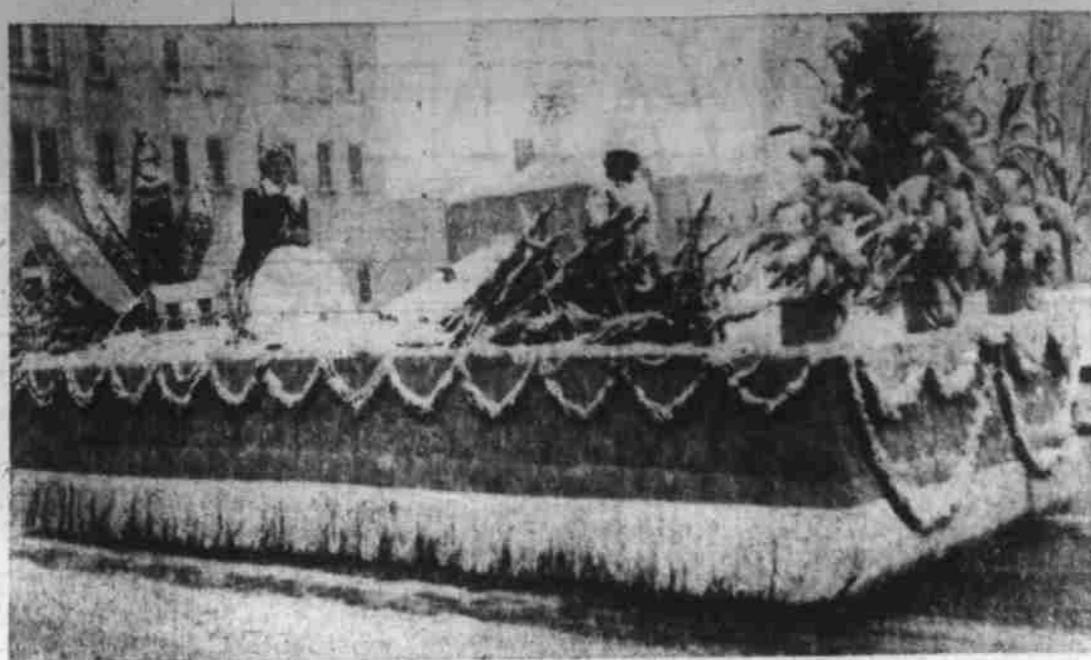
The judges for the square dance contest will be W. B. Collins of Asheville, Wayne Holland of Brass Town, and Milton Roberson of Asheville.

Coming To The Strand



Richard Conte, undercover agent posing as a hospital intern, seeks Coleen Gray's assistance in this important scene from Universal-International's "The Sleeping City," coming to the Strand Theater Wednesday and Thursday.

Second Place Winner In Friday's Parade



This is the Ratcliffe Cove float, which won second place Friday. Miss Betty Feimet is candidate for queen from that community. (Photo by Ingram).

Methodists Hear Speech By Bishop

More than 100 delegates from as far west as Murphy braved the treacherous highways and sub-freezing cold today to attend the Waynesville Methodist District Rally here.

Bishop Paul N. Garber of the Geneva, Switzerland area, made his scheduled address at the First Methodist church, the rally headquarters, as scheduled.

He told the audience that the Methodist church is the only Christian denomination now doing missionary work in North Africa, aside from the native Moslems.

The Moslems, he added, not only do not resist the Methodist missionary efforts, but are urging the church to send more missionaries there.

Bishop Garber, former dean of the Duke University Divinity School, was introduced by Dr. C. N. Clark of Lake Junaluska, retired Waynesville district superintendent.

The Rev. W. Jack Huneycutt, current district superintendent, presided.

During the session, the group heard reports on the district activities, including those by Mrs. F. O. Dryman, on the WSCS work, and the Rev. J. E. Yountz, pastor of the host church.

The rally adjourned following lunch.

Australia has low over-all population because of its large proportion of desert lands.

He plays the part of Lucio in the comedy, which is to be given December 14th at 7:30 in the college auditorium.

Reunion At Last



CULMINATING a three-year fight to bring his German bride to America, James Bates appears overjoyed as he greets his wife, Charlotte, and daughter, Gloria, on their arrival in Los Angeles. Bates married Charlotte in Berlin when he was stationed there as a corporal in the American Army. (International)

At The Park Thursday and Friday



Ricardo Montalban, promising fighter, shows an injured fist to Dick Powell in this scene from "Right Cross," which also stars June Allyson.

Deaths

NOLAND INFANT

Steve Townsend Noland, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Noland, died Wednesday in an Asheville hospital.

Graveside rites were held in Green Hill Cemetery Thursday afternoon with the Rev. B. E. Wall officiating.

Surviving in addition to the parents are the maternal grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Noland, and the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James T. Noland, all of Waynesville.

Garrett Funeral Home was in charge.

JAMES NAPOLEON HANEY

Funeral services for James Napoleon Haney, 88, of near Franklin, were held at 11 a. m. Thursday at the Aquone Baptist Church.

The pastor officiated.

Burial was in the church cemetery.

Mr. Haney died at his home Wednesday after a long illness.

Surviving are two sons, John Haney of Waynesville, and Luther Haney of Macon County; four brothers, John and Charlie of Charlotte, and Frank and Mark of Macon County; and four sisters, Mrs. John Neal, Mrs. Joe Evans, and Mrs. James Bryant, all of Franklin; and Mrs. Jim Wilson of Charlotte.

The arrangements were directed by the Crawford Funeral Home.

MRS. A. C. BURNETTE

Mrs. Ada Chambers Burnette, 45, died this morning at 7 o'clock at her home in the Retreat section of Haywood County.

She was a native and life-long resident of the county and had been employed for a number of years at the Champion Paper and Fibre Company in Canton.

Funeral arrangements, under the direction of Wells Funeral Home, Canton, were incomplete at noon.

Surviving are the husband, Thomas B. Burnette; two children, Tommy and Naomi Burnette; the father, Lona Chambers; and several brothers and sisters, all of Haywood County.

RICHARD HERMAN RIEGG

Funeral services were held at 4 p. m. Sunday at the Crawford Funeral Home here for Richard Herman Riegg, 63, of Tallman, N. Y.

His wife had preceded him in death slightly more than a week before, succumbing to complications arising from injuries sustained October 31 in an auto accident.



24-Hour Service

Crawford Funeral Home

Crawford Mutual Burial Ass'n.

Waynesville, Phone 147

Canton, Dial 3535

Miss Peggy Noland Joins Chi Omega

Miss Peggy Noland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Reeves Noland of Waynesville, has been initiated into the Eta Beta Chapter of Chi Omega Social Sorority at Iowa's State College in Ames, Iowa.

Miss Noland graduated from Waynesville High School in 1949 where she was May Queen and outstanding in 4-H Club work.

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Death came to Mr. Riegg at his son's home following a brief illness.

A textile manufacturer who came to the United States 17 years ago, Mr. Riegg was the son of a member of the Swiss national Senate who had been the subject of a book issued by the Swiss government honoring him for his work.

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He had retired from business a year ago.

Surviving, in addition to the son and grandson, is a sister, Mrs. Hedwig Wihlen of Hurburg, Switzerland.

The final rites were conducted by the Rev. Mrs. Slicker, a reader of the Christian Science Church.

After the services, the body was sent to Winston-Salem.

It remained at the Funeral Home until the hour of the service.

40 Members Of WNC Press Haywood Guests

(See Pictures, Page 6, Section 1)

About 40 members of the WNC Press Association made "Haywood Day" for their November meeting. Starting at ten o'clock the group met at Champion and Fibre Company, and on tour of the plant.

At noon they met in the dining room of the cafeteria guests of the management heard H. A. Heller, division manager, Bruce Morford and H. Keener, in charge of wood product in brief addresses.

Then the group, with its patrol escort, came here and in the annual parade.

Several parties of the press snow-bound and were unable to turn home for the night. The early Saturday morning.

Mr. Keener pointed out the limited possibilities in this growing wood pulp, especially fast growing pine, which the company is using in larger quantities than ever.

The Labrador retriever is native of Labrador but was brought to Newfoundland by early traders.

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E. J. LILIUS

Jeweler

PARK THEATRE

Matinee—Sunday 2 & 4 P. M.
Saturday Continuous Shows from 11 A. M.
Nights—Sunday 8:30 P. M.—Weekdays 7 & 9 P. M.

PROGRAM
LAST TIMES TODAY

RIB-RIPPING RIOT!
Bob HOPE • Lucille BALL
"FANCY PARTS"
color by TECHNICOLOR

TUES. and WEDNESDAY, NOV. 28 & 29



Action TO MATCH TODAY'S HEADLINES!
MARINE RAIDERS
Pat O'BRIEN • Ruth HUSSEY • Robert RYAN

THURS. & FRI, NOV. 30 & DEC. 1



JUNE ALLYSON • POWELL
DICK POWELL
RICARDO MONTALBAN
"Right Cross"
HONOL BARRYMORE
Written by Charles Schnee • Directed by JOHN STURGES • Produced by ARMANDO DUTCH

STRAND

Two Shows Daily Monday through Friday 7 & 9 P. M.
Saturday: Continuous Showings from 11 A. M.
Sunday: 3 Shows, 2, 4 and 8:30 P. M.

PROGRAM

TODAY and TUESDAY, Nov. 27-28



BRILLIANT • SPECTACULAR • GORGEOUS!
M-G-M MUSICAL!
THE TOAST OF NEW ORLEANS
STARRING KATHY GRAYSON • MARIO LANZA • DAVID NIVEN
GAY WITH MARI GRAS COLOR BY TECHNICOLOR!

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, NOV. 29-30



EXCITEMENT RIPS THE NIGHT!
The SLEEPING CITY
Starring Richard CONTE • Coleen GRAY
and introducing ALEX NICOL
Also—Cartoon and News
BE WISE—GET STRAND WISE