

ADDRESSING A JOINT SESSION of Congress, President Truman is grimfaced as he asks a revision of the present draft law, an increase in taxes, and authorization of new price controls. The Chief Executive also urged that the military buildup program be expanded and aid continued to the free nations of the world. Vice President Alben Barkley is seated on the rostrum directly behind the President. (International Soundphoto)

### Insurance Plan Will Be Presented Rural Citizens

First effort made in North Carolina to extend group hospitalization insurance to rural people is under-

Representatives of Haywood Cunty's organized communities, members of the board of county commissioners, and the County Hospital board, will meet at the Haywood County Court House Monday night to decide whether such a campaign should be authorized. The meeting will open at 7:30

If they vote in favor of this, then efforts will be made to interest the people of the individual communities in the plan.

Representatives of the Blue Cross hospitalization insurance firm will address the audience, explaining the benefits and rate schedule under the group plan

Before attempting to interest the people of the individual communities in it however the firm needs a representative favorable vote for the county as a whole.

Urged to attend this meeting are all Community Development Pro- Fines Creek, was transferred to gram chairmen and additional rep. the Mather Air Force Base in resentatives from each community; California after completing his the county commissioners, members basic training recently, of the County Hospital board, and plan to the communities.

The meeting was planned last Monday night at a session attended by the county commissioners, hospital board, county Extension Service workers, and Community Development Program officers.

Representatives of the Blue Air Force Base in California, Cross addressed this meeting, ex- He was transferred there after plaining the system.

the Haywood County Community Kans. Development Program, appointed eon; Mrs. Hugh Noland, Upper Crabtree; C. B. McCrary, Fines 1950. Creek; and C. C. Francis, Ratcliffe At the time, he was working for

This committee was named to troit. Mich. study the possibilities, and decided He came home last month to

Approximately one million cat- Creek High School. tle and an even larger number of sheep graze the ranges of New

#### Transferred



PVT, JAMES H. GREEN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Green of

#### Pvt. Green Serving At Mather Field

Pvt. James H. Green of Fines Creek is now stationed at Mather

completing his basic training re-Mrs. C. O. Newell, chairman of cently at Shepherd Field, Wichita,

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin a committee of Enes Boyd, Jona- Green of Fines Creek, he volunthan Creek; Van Wells, Center Pig- teered for service in September

the Great Lakes Steel Co. in De-

then to call the county-wide meet- spend his Christmas furlough with his parents. The airman is a graduate of Fines

Africa's population averages 15.

persons to the square mile.

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always puts up a good fight before he giver in.

## TRUMAN GIVES CONGRESS PROGRAM 15 Haywood Draftees To **Be Inducted On January 31**

Haywood County will send 15 more men into military service into military service since the out- Howell, Waynesville; Troy Otis Waynesville, will participate in the January 30.

ported it had been asked to send 75 men to Charlotte on January 23 for pre-induction examinations.

duction at the end of the month | They are:

break of the conflict in Korea. At the same time, the board re- The men scheduled to report for induction January 30 will leave for

Charlotte from the Haywood Coun-The men reporting for actual in- ty Court House that morning

Haywood County draftees to go ville; James Lawrence Birchfield, on motion picture film.

ville; Andrew Haney, Clyde; Doyle Pegram King, Canton; Robert Ed- The Rev. Broadus Wall, paster of ward Coward, Balsam; Richard the First Baptist Church of Canton; and Jack Edwards Reese,

will bring to 56 the number of James Donald Siske. Waynes- they mean it has been transcriped revival campaign."

## Canton; James Dean Kirkpatrick, Ciyde; Herbert King Watts, Canton; J. M. Price, Clyde; Charles Everett Sharp, Canton; Donald Michael Kelly, Canton; T. T. J. Vernon Henry Shytle, Waynes- Franklin Today

Ministers' Conference at Franklin. host pastor. The Conference will be held January 15, starting at 10 a.m.

Other ministers participating our name in the social register.

will be the Rev. M. W. Chapman E. Waynesville P. also of Franklin, the Rev. J. A. To Meet Jan. 23 Richardson of Andrews, the Rev. C. M. Warren of Sylva, and the Rev. B. S. Hensley of Sylva. Mr. Cook, the moderator, will

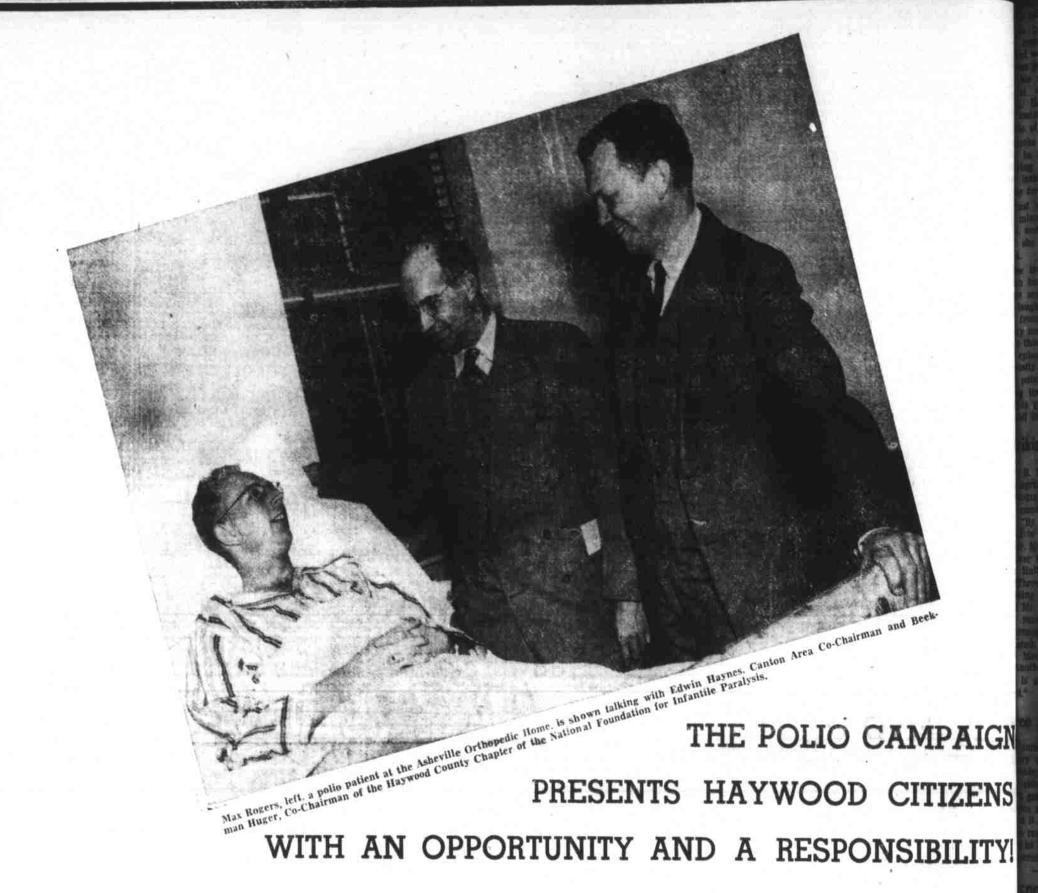
The Rev. Charlie McConnell of Cullowhee is serving as Confer- uled for next Tuesday Thompson, Canton; Erwin Grooms, Western North Carolina Baptist ence clerk, and Mr. Chapman is

To the tribal chiefs of the Ameri- be held next Tuesday n program has been "kinescop.d," ject, "The Holy Spirit's part in a can Indians during the 1860's, own- Haywood County Court B ing a totem pole was like having

The East Waynesville

meet the night of Januar The Association ann day the postponement sion, which originally A spokesman said the made to avoid conflict Community Developmen debate and spelling bee

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The devastating story of the ravages of Polio comes close to Haywood - we have friends and loved ones who have been stricken by this terrible disease

Medical science is making every effort to conquer this dreaded disease, but that requires time, and money.

In the meantime, those of our fellow citizens who have polio must be give every care and attention. The treatments for these patients are expensive, but that is secondary - COST cannot be counted, because human suffering, and life is at stake.

All of us cannot become highly trained doctors and nurses to care for these pages. tients; but thanks to the American way of life, an opportunity is afforded each of us to share in the caring for our friends in the iron lungs — or just out of them

— we can give money. We can give any amount we like, but this year the need is urgent. From our own county, 19 of our own people during the past year were stricken with polio.

Here is your opportunity — reach deep in your pocket, and give liberally, you say a prayer of thanks, that here in America we can still be "our brother" keeper, and help those who suffer".

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