

### Wide Publicity Is Given New CDP Insurance Plans

The shift to the new Blue Cross, Blue Shield type of insurance is being made rapidly. Interest and enthusiasm has followed in the wake of a series of county meetings that by Friday night will have covered every community in Haywood County except West Pigeon and North Clyde. Meetings will be held there in the near future.

Much literature has been distributed. The chairman and treasurer in each community has been well supplied with application blanks and descriptive literature. The chief fallacy among the people at present, according to Jack Chapman, is the assumption that if you did not have the previous insurance you cannot have this one. That is very much untrue.

Anyone desiring additional information may obtain it from Mrs. C. T. Wanner, the Rural Enrollment Director; Mrs. Madeline Murray from the Asheville office of the Hospital Savings Association; Miss Marion Lee and William Taylor

### State Employment Supervisor Visits Waynesville Office

James E. Massenburg of Raleigh, supervisor of counseling and selective placement for the State Employment Security Commission visited the local employment office this week to discuss the employment of older workers with staff employees here.

During his visit Mr. Massenburg asserted that the proportion of older persons in the population increases with every improvement

from the Farm Office; or Miss Olivia Patton, local Waynesville representative. Inquiries may also be made of Mrs. Sullivan at the Haywood County Hospital, or of Bill Brooks at the Canton Medical Center.

### The First Charter In Ten Years Is Presented



Kiwanis Governor of the Carolinas District, Joe Chiott, presents to Jimmy Childress, President of the Waynesville Kiwanis Club, the first charter given since 1941 in this district. Shown at the bottom right is Mrs. Chiott. The ceremonies took place Tuesday night at the Hazelwood School Cafeteria. More than 150 were present, and guests came from as far away as Hendersonville, Kings Mountain, and Marion. (Mountaineer Photo).

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### Kiwanis

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Special guests were present from several neighboring towns: Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Ervin, Asheville; Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Gambill of Hendersonville; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wyatt of Marion; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Aycock of Brevard; Mr. and Mrs. Prentice Willett of Cherokee; and Truman Westmoreland of Hendersonville. In addition to the speaker, governor Chiott, and the Lt. Governor, E. L. Walker, and the district governor elect, M. E. Gambill, guest were also present from civic clubs in Waynesville and Hazelwood. A telegram was also read from the secretary of Kiwanis International.

Gifts were presented by Fenton Ervin to president Jimmy Childress. They included a Kiwanis Speakers Stand from Kings Mountain and Morganton; a Kiwanis Flag and Standard from Forest City, Tryon, Hendersonville, and Brevard; and a Kiwanis Bell and Striker from Asheville.

In his speech Mr. Chiott warned of the danger of "creeping socialism" in this country. He traced the gradual development of the Socialist Party in England and he sought to tie it to the Communist Party as directed from Moscow by saying: "In 1883 they issued orders to take a bite at a time of political and economic influence until strength was reached. They were told to use the Liberal Party to get started and then to cast it aside."

"We must," continued Chiott, "have a program of our own and stand behind it. If we don't, what will we have to offer our children: communism, one bite at a time, or the noble heritage of America?"

"Kiwanis," he continued, is an example that democracy works, and we have found that God is the only answer to peace. We can never have peace permanently until we have understanding."

In conclusion, the governor of the Carolinas repeated this year's slogan of Kiwanis International: "Freedom is not free, but" he added, "nothing is free without freedom."

### Job Seekers Here Advised To Keep Applications Up

Persons in the community seeking jobs through the employment office here were urged today to keep their job applications active by visiting the office once a month. Miss DeBryda Fisher, manager of the employment office, explained that applications for work are placed in an "inactive" file when applicants fail to check at the office each month.

Miss Fisher said that her office has only 358 employment applications in the active file although she estimates there are about 2,200 "employable" people in this area.

The current employment picture here is somewhat improved over the preceding weeks, Miss Fisher said. Local industries have recalled a number of laid-off workers, and some have issued a call for women trainees in production jobs, she added.

### Services For L. B. Leatherwood Set For Friday

Funeral services for Lucius B. Leatherwood, 78, will be held in the Shady Grove Methodist Church on Jonathan Creek Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The Rev. James H. Coleman, pastor of the church, will officiate and interment will be in Green Hill Cemetery.

Active pallbearers will be Enos Boyd, Jack Leatherwood, Jim Leatherwood, Howard Leatherwood, Lawrence Leatherwood, and Charles Medford.

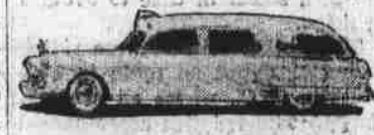
Honorary pallbearers will be J. Earl Ferguson, R. L. Davis, Grayden Ferguson, Glenn C. Palmer, Glenn Boyd, Walter Chambers, Dave Boyd, Hub Caldwell, George Brown, Orvil Noland, J. L. Walker, Grady Howell, Grady Moody, W. T. Boyd, Alvin Ward, Roy Francis, John Hipps, J. H. Woody, Bryan Medford, M. G. Stamev, David Underwood, J. W. Ray, F. W. Messer, Mack Caldwell, R. W. Howell, Robert Welch, Dr. N. F. Lancaster, Felix Stovall, John Kerley, John Grasty, Wade McDaniel, D. J. Noland, Judge Felix E. Alley and Solicitor T. D. Bryson, Jr.

The body will remain at the home on Jonathan Creek until Friday at 1 p. m. when it will lie in state at the church.

Mr. Ferguson, a retired farmer, died Tuesday night in the Haywood County Hospital after a long illness. He was a native and lifelong resident of Haywood County and the son of the late J. C. and Aveline Haynes Leatherwood.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Leona Caldwell Leatherwood; two daughters, Mrs. Dick Moody of Waynesville, Route 2 and Mrs. Jack Messer of Waynesville; one son, Hugh Leatherwood of Waynesville; three brothers, two sisters and four grandchildren. Garrett Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

U. S. farm population, which started decreasing in 1910, was about 5 million lower in 1950 than in 1940. The total shown by the 1950 census is about 23 1/2 million, the same as that of 50 years ago.



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### Justice

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Crabtree boys team and the Center Pigeon girls team, the latter victorious for the second straight year.

The drafting of men for the armed forces is expected to hurt the basketball program in smaller communities, Mr. Cathey predicted. Mrs. C. O. Newell, chairman of

the CDP recreation commission said the commission has recommended that the winter include debates, spelling, music, one-act plays, and programs. Exchange programs tried on an experimental basis in communities in White Oak, Beaverdam, and Creek and proved a marked success.

A countrywide debate and singing again has been scheduled this year, and a music festival being considered.

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### Much Illness Revealed At Hominy

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Miss Nora Hall is confined to her home with side pleurisy. The community wishes her a speedy recovery as well as Mrs. Retha Johnson who is quite ill at her home.

The community is glad to learn that Reigh Scroggs is recovering. His doctor says he will go back to his job about January.

Mrs. Jessie Roberts and baby are also on the sick list.

Roy West and Lloyd Jones spent last Saturday in northeast Georgia.

Hominy community welcomes the family of Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Roberts who have moved to this community. They moved to the Lloyd Jones farm.

Two stray dogs killed another ewe for G. H. Hipps last Saturday night. Anyone who has dogs that run loose at night had better tie them up or they will be killed, if caught running sheep. This makes about six sheep Mr. Hipps has lost this year.

Stray dogs have also killed some sheep of Fred Mann.

Over a hundred men attended the Haywood County Layman's Fellowship Supper at Plains Methodist Church December 10. At the next Fellowship supper wives will also attend. The place will be announced later.

Several families are working hard in their basement trying to get their tobacco worked off. Other farmers have already sold their tobacco, and are helping out their friends.

Miss Betty Ann Jones spent the past week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd R. Jones.

Mrs. Destie Medford and nephews, Jimmie Shaw and Tommy Nation have returned to their home in this section after visiting relatives in Dallas and Gastonia.

in living conditions, medical care, and public health.

One in every five persons was in the middle-age group in 1950. Persons over 45 comprise about one-third of the labor force and about one-third of the registered unemployed, Mr. Massenburg added.



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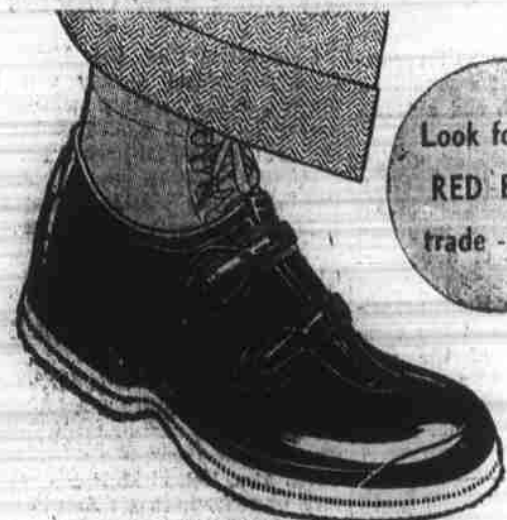
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