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TODAY'S SMILE
Bus Driver: "How old are you, little girl?"
Little Girl: "If you don't mind, big boy, I'll pay full fare and keep my statistics to myself."

Record Vote Predicted For Haywood

Sale Of Beer And Wine Will End At Midnight

Midnight tonight will bring the end of the legal sale of beer and wine in Haywood County. Nineteen years ago the people voted in favor of selling the two beverages and that was how the matter stood until a little more than a year ago when the Ministerial Association started the movement that finally resulted in an election Sept. 2. On that date, Haywood voters put an end to beer and wine sale by a better than three to one margin. But sales did not stop on that date because the law gives dealers 60 days to get rid of their stocks. That 60-day period ends at midnight. Buncombe will be the only western North Carolina county where beer and wine may be purchased legally. Wine apparently never has enjoyed much popularity in the county and few if any dealers have any on hand.

Quiet Halloween Observed Here Friday Night

Waynesville experienced one of the quietest Halloween evenings in its history Friday night. Police reported just one arrest, and that one completely removed from the holiday celebration. Police Chief O. L. Noland said Saturday morning that it was "the quietest Halloween night I have ever known. We were prepared to cope with any vandalism, and I am quite pleased to say it, there was none of any major importance. Store owners and others who are usually subject to the greatest part of the vandalism that occurs on Halloween night were almost unanimous in their report that the children of Waynesville were content with harmless actions in the celebration." It was reported from one group that some children were following another group, repairing the little damage that had been done. There were a few fire crackers shot off at the football game but no one was reported injured as a result.

Mountainer And WHCC Live Election Returns

phone, or have it done, as soon as any ballot is completely counted. The number which should be called is 764. Due to the fact that there are five ballots to be counted in each precinct, it is expected that the counting will require many hours. Election officials have requested (See Election—Page 8)

Hopes Of The Democrats



STEVENSON



SPARKMAN

Getting Ready For The Election



Election officials have been working long hours preparing for the presidential election Tuesday. With the distribution of ballots to the various precincts most of the behind-the-scenes-work is out of the way until the votes are counted. Mrs. Charles Duckett, registrar of Allens Creek receives ballots from Glenn W. Brown, center, chairman of the county Board of Elections. Others are, from left, Mrs. J. B. Siler, Board secretary; C. B. Hawkins, Republican member of the Board; and Frank Medford, Democratic member. (Mountaineer Photo.)

Killing Of Park Bear Creates A Flurry Of News

Never in modern times, has the death of one bear created so much news, as has the one killed by ranchmen in the Smokies last spring. The reading and listening public of America have "eaten up" the story, and begging for more. A radio station in Los Angeles even went to the trouble of getting a 15-minute interview with Tom Alexander on the incident. The interview was recorded and broadcast later. Newspaper from coast to coast, in addition to nationally distributed magazines have carried the story. Mr. Alexander has been cited to Federal court in Asheville. The term of court begins Monday. A group of hunters went into the Park and killed a bear that had been slaying cattle in a pasture adjoining the Park.

Lake Trustees To Hold Annual Meeting Thursday

Twelve North Carolinians are members of the Lake Junaluska Methodist Assembly's board of trustees which will hold its annual meeting Thursday in Atlanta, Ga. Edwin L. Jones, Charlotte, is president of the assembly and chairman of the board. Bishop Costen J. Harrell, also of Charlotte, is vice chairman. The board will hear the annual reports of Jones and Dr. H. G. Allen, assembly superintendent, and plan the church center's 1953 program. Dr. Elmer T. Clark, Lake Junaluska, is chairman of the program committee. It is expected that the 47-member board also will take action on several expansion projects proposed at the assembly grounds, summer program headquarters for the Methodist Church's nine-state southeastern jurisdiction. Other North Carolina trustees are: Hugh Massie, Waynesville; Admiral W. N. Thomas and Bishop Paul B. Kern, Lake Junaluska; Dr. Embree H. Blackard, Asheville; Charles E. Jordan and Mrs. Mar (See Lake Junaluska—Page 8)

Liquor, Drivers Caught Friday On Cove Creek

Patrolman Joe Murrill and Deputy Sheriff Hub Tate captured two cases of non-tax paid whiskey about 8 p.m. Friday on the Cove Creek Road and arrested the two occupants of the 1941 Chevrolet they were driving. The driver was Jerry Lee Price of Canton, who was accompanied by his father, Steve John Price. The men have been released under bond of \$600 each for appearance in the November term of Superior Court here.

Cataloochee Is Again In The National News

Cataloochee precinct is again in the news, and there is a possibility that the precinct will be the first in the nation to make an official report on Tuesday morning. In the 1948 general election, Cataloochee reported early in the morning, and was just a few minutes behind a precinct from New England. The Associated Press and United Press are both anxiously awaiting the early vote of the small precinct in the Park. There are 7 voters there. In 1948 all 7 votes were cast for Truman.

Shuford Will Speak Here November 11

George A. Shuford, Democratic nominee for Congress in the 10th District, will deliver the main address at the Armistice Day program here Nov. 11. This announcement comes from J. T. Russell, commander of the American Legion Post, which will be host to Mr. Shuford. Gold Star parents will be special guests during the day's ceremonies.

Candidates Are Listed

Following is a list of candidates representing both Democratic and Republican parties for whom the voters of Haywood County will cast ballots Tuesday. Township candidates are not included.

| Democrat | Office | Republican |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|
| Adlai Stevenson | President | Dwight Eisenhower |
| John Sparkman | Vice-President | Richard Nixon |
| William Umstead | Governor | H. F. Seawell, Jr. |
| Luther Hodges | Lt. Governor | Warren Pritchard |
| Thad Eure | Sec. of State | Frank Carr |
| Henry Bridges | State Auditor | J. A. Maulsby Jr. |
| Brandon Hodges | State Treasurer | S. C. Eggers |
| Harry McMullan | Attorney Gen. | Avalon Hall |
| Charles Carroll | Supt. Public Inst. (Short term) | |
| Charles Carroll | Supt. Public Inst. (Reg. term) | Jeter Haynes |
| L. Y. Ballentine | Comm. of Agri. | Joel Johnson |
| Waldo Cheek | Comm. of Ins. | John Day |
| Forrest Shuford | Comm. of Labor | W. E. Rutledge |
| William Devin | Chief Justice (Sup. Court) | C. C. Frazier, Jr. |
| R. Hunt Parker | Asso. Justice (Short term) | |
| R. Hunt Parker | Asso. Justice (Reg. term) | A. L. Butler |
| Jeff D. Johnson Jr. | Asso. Justice (Sup. Court) | R. H. McNeill |
| George A. Shuford | Member Congress (12th Dis.) | Hugh Monteith |
| Robert Gash | State Senate (32nd Dis.) | E. S. King Jr. |
| W. B. Hodges | Same | |
| Joe Palmer | State Representative | W. A. Bradley |
| Mildred Bryson | Tax Collector | E. C. Truitt |
| J. W. Killian (Dis. 1) | Board of Education | |
| Jack McCracken (Dis. 2) | Same | |
| Tom Leatherwood (Dis. 3) | Same | |
| Jarvis Caldwell (Dis. 4) | Same | |
| Mark Kirkpatrick (Dis. 5) | Same | |

Officers Capture Liquor Friday

A 1940 Pontiac and 120 gallons of non-tax paid whiskey were captured early Friday morning on Cove Creek Mountain by Cpl. Pritchard Smith of the Highway Patrol and Sheriff Fred Campbell. The driver managed to escape.



EISENHOWER



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Hopes Of The Republicans

There will be another drawing next Saturday afternoon on the high school field. His companion, Annie Ethelene Myers, was admitted to the Haywood County Hospital for treatment of minor injuries and released the next day.

13,000 Votes Seen For This County In Election Tuesday

Banks, Court House To Be Closed On Tuesday

The First National Bank, Waynesville, the First State Bank, Hazelwood, will be closed Tuesday, November 4, which is election day, it was announced today. It was announced that the Court House would also be closed. Post office officials said that regular hours would be observed there.

Political Groups Hear Leaders In Final Rallies

Judge Felix E. Alley, Democrat, and Hugh Monteith, Republican, wound up the campaigns of their respective parties in Haywood County last week by both predicting victory for his party, and both giving the voters something to think about in the few days before the election. Judge Alley, speaking to a large crowd at the Court House Thursday night, urged his listeners to vote Democratic. He spoke at the last in a series of "old fashioned" rallies the Democrats have been conducting over the county. Mr. Monteith, Republican candidate for Congress from the 12th Congressional District, addressed a large crowd at Republican headquarters in Canton Thursday night. He reviewed the record of the Democratic Administration and outlined the program being offered by the GOP.

Power To Be Off In Allens Creek

There will be a three hour interruption of electric service Sunday, November 9, when service will be off from 2 p.m. until 5 p.m., along US 19-A and 23 Highway from Norman's Garage to Hyatt Creek Road. All of Allens Creek will be affected. This time was selected with the hope that it will inconvenience a minimum number of customers. This interruption will allow the Carolina Power and Light Company to phase out the lines in this area. In case of inclement weather, the interruption will be postponed.

Mrs. Hill Wins Second Time In Trade Jubilee

Mrs. Robert Hill of Waynesville is one woman that won't need convincing that shopping in Waynesville, Hazelwood and Lake Junaluska is the smart thing to do. Because she does her shopping in one of those places, she has won a bedroom suite this year and will use it along with the living room suite she was awarded last year in the same contest. Mrs. Hill was joined in the winners group by Mrs. Marshall Hannah, also of Waynesville, who won a vacuum cleaner, and Clifford Caldwell, who won a basket of groceries. Mr. Caldwell is also from Waynesville. There will be another drawing next Saturday afternoon on the high school field.

With one of the most extensive campaigns in history behind them, Haywood County voters are expected to go to the polls in record numbers tomorrow. Present indications are that upwards of 13,000 will cast their ballots. General feeling is that a combination of three factors is responsible for the expected large turnout—the intense interest being shown by the people of the county in the Presidential election—the efforts of hundreds who were responsible for the "Get Out the Vote" campaign—and the heavy new registration. Approximately 2,500 people have registered during the past three weeks and everyone of them is expected to vote. In 1948 a vote of 10,200 was recorded in the county. If that number should reach 13,000 this year, it would be the largest number ever to participate in an election in Haywood. The various rallies that have been conducted by both parties has, in a large degree, added to the interest of members of the respective parties. The politically independents of Haywood have, as in most of the county, been wooed by both parties. They are expected to go to the polls in record numbers also. Say what you may, there aren't many people who are failing to show some sort of interest. Almost every corner of the county has been invaded with posters, buttons, automobile stickers, and speakers, each proclaiming the attributes of a favored candidate or slate of candidates. Blank ballots have been printed for Township Constable, no party affiliation, for precincts in Pigeon, Clyde, and Waynesville townships. This action was taken when a number of people studied their interest in running for the post. Spaces are provided on the ballots for a write-in vote for the particular candidates. The Board of Elections met with registrars and judges Friday morning and distributed all material needed for the election and also issued final instructions. Election officials called attention to the rules governing elections today and cautioned voters and campaigners that violators of the rules would be prosecuted. Elaborate plans have been made to broadcast the returns as soon as they are available. The Mountaineer news staff will work with staff members of WHCC and officials of the Board of Elections to announce returns as soon as possible after they are made available. Workers in the "Get Out the Vote" campaign reminded eligible voters again today that every vote counts.

Injury Results From Accident Saturday Night

An automobile was badly damaged and one of its occupants suffered cuts and bruises about midnight Saturday after the car crashed into a guard rail about a mile east of Lake Junaluska on Highway 19 and 23. The driver was Roy Moreland of Chattanooga, Tenn., who was cited for reckless driving and having no operator's license. He was placed in jail and released Sunday after posting bond for \$150 to appear at Superior Court during the week of Nov. 17. His companion, Annie Ethelene Myers, was admitted to the Haywood County Hospital for treatment of minor injuries and released the next day.

Highway Record For 1952 In Haywood (To Date)

Injured . . . 43
Killed . . . 5

(This information compiled from Records of State Highway Patrol.)

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