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TODAY'S SMILE

Remember that the beaten path can very easily become the path of the beaten.

Parkway Project Plans Announced

Soco-Balsam Link Slated For 1957

Blue Ridge Parkway construction now under way and that planned for the next three fiscal years was discussed at a meeting of the Waynesville Rotary Club Friday by Robert E. Howe of Asheville, district ranger for the National Park Service.

Mr. Howe spoke to the Rotarians briefly following the showing of color slides on "Mission 66", put out by the National Park Service to publicize the 10-year program to greatly expand and improve facilities in this country's national parks.

The ranger said that work now under way or soon to start on the parkway includes: (1) construction of a road from Wolf Laurel on the Soco link of the Parkway to Ravensford in the Great Smoky Mountains National Park, (2), a picnic area and visitors' center at Craggy Gardens.

Mr. Howe said that, barring bad weather, all portions of the Blue Ridge Parkway will be open for the season April 15 and remain open until closed this fall.

The ranger said that the National Park Service operates by the fiscal year, and will start its 1957 fiscal program on July 1, 1956.

Planned for the 1957 program, he pointed out are: (1) Start of construction on a new portion of the Parkway from Soco Gap to Balsam Gap, (2) construction of visitors' center at Soco Gap, and (3) continuation on the road from Soco Gap to Ravensford.

Scheduled for fiscal 1958, Mr. Howe said are: (1) completion of the Soco-Ravensford road, and (2) completion of the Deep Gap-Grandview section in the vicinity of Bowing Rock, which will end all construction on the Parkway from the Shenandoah National Park in Virginia to Asheville, with the exception of the Roanoke and Grandfather Mountain sections.

During fiscal 1959, the ranger said, the National Park Service hopes that needed facilities along the Parkway will be constructed by private enterprise.

He explained that building of by-passes around the two major cities on the Parkway—Roanoke and Asheville—will be deferred (See Parkway—Page 6)

Joe Jack McEvoy Wins Hankins Scholarship

Joe Jack McEvoy, senior at Waynesville High School, has been named as one of the state winners of a George Foster Hankins Scholarship at Wake Forest College.

Joe Jack is the son of Mrs. Mable C. McEvoy of Waynesville.

Other WNC scholarship winners are from East Flat Rock, Cliffside, and Asheville.

J. W. Killian To Re-Open His Laundry

J. W. Killian announced today that he would resume operating the Waynesville Laundry, Monday, April 2.

The veteran laundry owner-operator also announced that Kenneth Stahl would be superintendent of the business, and also in charge of all pick-up and delivery of work.

The Waynesville Laundry has been leased for the past several years, Killian said.

The firm will do both laundry and dry cleaning, he said, and will begin with the operation of five service trucks, and possibly add offices in the near future.

Mr. Killian began in the laundry business here in 1907. The present plant was re-built in 1937, following a disastrous fire.

Stahl has been in the laundry business here for a number of years, both as superintendent of production and in charge of picking up and delivery services.

Man Injured In Accident On Old 19-23

James Messer, 53, of Waynesville suffered lacerations of the head in one of three weekend traffic accidents reported by the State Highway Patrol.

Messer was riding in the 1941 Plymouth, driven by William H. Price, 26, of Hazelwood, which skidded on a sharp curve and overturned on old Highway 19-23 a mile and a half west of Clyde at 10:45 p.m. Saturday.

Patrolman V. E. Bryson said that Price's car skidded on the highway for 270 feet and then went another (See Man Hurt—Page 3)

Thickety CDP To Discuss Plans For Fire Department

Additional plans for the organization of a volunteer fire department in Thickety community will be made tonight at a meeting of the Thickety CDP, with chairman Sherrill Jimison presiding.

Last week, members of the CDP voted unanimously to form a fire department, purchase a fire truck, build a fire house, and establish a central alarm system.

Expected to take place tonight or in the near future is the election of 12 persons to act as a board of directors for the fire department.

Appointed last week as a ways and means committee to plan rais-

ing of funds to purchase fire-fighting equipment were Dock Cannon, chairman; Mrs. Lloyd Parham, Sr., and H. E. Wright, Jr. Named as a nominating committee to select candidates for the board of directors were Earl Cabe, chairman; Troy Ford, and Lloyd Parham, Sr.

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In Haywood County, the freeze was preceded by .87 inch of rain over a two-day period.

The temperature reached its

Big Freeze Came Year Ago Tonight

Will history repeat itself? It was just one year ago tonight that the temperature nose-dived to only 4 above zero—virtually wiping out Haywood County's apple crop and causing a loss of three quarters of a million dollars.

This year, heavy damage has already been reported to peach trees in South Carolina, and it's possible that Western North Carolina's apples may have suffered somewhat.

County Agent Virgil L. Holloway commented: "It's difficult to say right now whether or not our orchards have been hurt."

He said, however, that the danger of damage from cold weather will continue in this area through the first part of May.

Parents are asked to accompany children to the clinics.

The

Weather



Partly cloudy and warmer today. Tuesday, partly cloudy and mild with chance of showers.

Official Waynesville temperature as reported by the State Test Farm:

Date	Max.	Min.	Prec.
March 22	55	23	—
March 23	65	23	—
March 24	62	31	.16
March 25	57	16	—



RUSSELL E. FULTZ, right, manager of plant accounting at The Dayton Rubber Company, is shown receiving an award from the Western Carolina Chapter of the National Association of Cost Accountants for his recent article on "Distribution of Factory Overheads". Presenting the award is A. P. Jones, Director of Publications, Western Carolina Chapter of N.A.C.A.

Series Of Easter Services Set For This Community

Mission 66' Showing Set Here Tonight

Color slides taken in U. S. National Parks by the Department of the Interior to publicize "Mission 66", will be shown to the public at 8 p.m. tonight at the courthouse, according to Ned J. Tucker, executive vice president of the Chamber of Commerce, who is handling bookings for the show here this week.

"Mission 66" is a 10-year plan announced recently by the Department of the Interior and the National Park Service to enlarge and improve facilities in national parks—including the Blue Ridge Parkway and the Great Smoky Mountains National Park.

The color slide show—which also includes a tape recording of remarks by Conrad L. Wirth, director of the National Park Service—was shown to the Waynesville Rotary Club Friday afternoon and was previewed recently at a WNCAC meeting at Cullowhee.

Under the construction program of "Mission 66" are the following objectives:

Construction of more than 100 new visitor centers in the parks. Construction, reconstruction, and realignment of 2,000 miles of park roads, including construction of some 300 miles of new roads.

Construction or relocation of (See Mission 66—Page 6)

Soco Highway Being Repaved

Workmen have started re-surfacing Highway 19 from the foot of Soco Gap, on the Cherokee Reservation, towards the top of the mountain.

A large asphalt mixing plant has been put in operation at the Cherokee foot of the mountain, and work of putting down the surfacing material has started.

This side of the mountain was re-surfaced not too long ago.

Liner Starts On 30-Unit Apartment

Workmen have the old Central Elementary School completely encased in scaffolding preparatory to putting on a new roof and cornices.

Jerry Liner who is converting the building into a 30-unit apartment, said today he plans to add a third more windows to the building, and will make it four stories inside instead of three as at present.

A shipment of Indiana limestone for the window sills is expected to arrive any day and will be used for the new windows.

Liner said he plans to stucco the exterior of the building, and use horizontal line for a modernistic effect.

The front porch and roof of the building has been removed, as a new front will be added.

Liner said he plans to add a pavement to all entrances which will serve the 30-apartment structure.

Four Pre-School Clinics Scheduled For This Week

Pre-school clinics will be held this week at four Haywood County schools.

On Wednesday, children entering Fines Creek School this fall will be examined at 9 a.m., and those entering Crabtree-Iron Duff School will be examined at 11 a.m.

On Thursday, clinics will be held at Aliens Creek School at 11 a.m. and at Saunook at 1 p.m.

Parents are asked to accompany children to the clinics.

Fultz Wins A National Award

A national award has been presented to Russell E. Fultz, manager of plant accounting at The Dayton Rubber Company here, who received an award from the Western Carolina Chapter of the National Association of cost accountants for a recent article he wrote.

Mr. Fultz's article received the second place national rating and will appear in the monthly N. A. C. A. "Bulletin". This article was selected from entries of the 34,000 members and 118 chapters in the U. S.

The N. A. C. A. is an organization devoted to the study of the problems of industrial accounting. The objects of the Association are to develop a better understanding of the true nature and value of accounting, especially cost accounting, in industry; to study and improve technical methods and to establish sound general principles.

N. A. C. A. also studies the relation of the accounting department to the other departments of industry and business and seeks to develop the most effective means of supplying usable information to these departments; to supply to its members information on the most up-to-date methods and to assist them in solving their individual problems. It is essentially a cooperative movement for the advancement of the science of industrial accounting.

Three basic costs are considered in determining the cost of a product, these being materials, labor and overhead. Mr. Fultz deals with overhead in his paper and the method for arriving at a fair proportion of overhead to all products manufactured.

Mr. Fultz first came to the Waynesville plant of The Dayton Rubber Company in July, 1946. He and his wife, the former Miss Edith Long, reside at Lake Junaluska with their two children, Sally and Elaine.

Mr. Fultz is chairman of the Waynesville Chamber of Commerce Industrial Council, a member of the Society for Advanced Management and a member of the Tax Executive Institute.

Larry H. Cagle, Police Court Judge of Clyde, has returned after a 15-day cruise with the Navy. He is Chief Petty Officer with the Navy Reserve Unit 625, Asheville.

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John L. (Jack) Stickley, Charlotte, who will become president of Lions International in June, will address members of the 44 clubs of district 31-A here Thursday night at the High School cafeteria.

The occasion will honor district governor Lawrence Leatherwood, Waynesville, with a "district governor" program.

Mr. Stickley will be advanced to the presidency of Lions International at the Miami convention. He has held many honors in Lions, all the way from president of the Charlotte club to International director, and as third, second and now first vice president of the International organization.

He is the first man to hold such a high office in Lions International to visit this area.

Grace Episcopal Launches \$75,000 Building Program

Campaign Launched Last Night

The congregation of the Grace Episcopal Church formally launched a building program last night which is estimated will cost \$75,000. The project calls for a new church and parish house.

A "Loyalty Dinner" last night, with about 80 attending, and representing all of the Parish's 81 families, climaxed the Palm Sunday program for the Church in The Mountains in launching the expansion program, which was approved by unanimous vote earlier this year. Yesterday's attendance at all services was unusually large, and enthusiasm reigned throughout the day as plans were completed for the formal start of the building program.

A tentative floor plan of the new church was presented last night by the joint steering and finance committee of the church.

Now the work of designing the structure, drawing of plans and compiling specifications will be started immediately, in preparation for letting the project under contract. Leaders feel that the actual construction can get under way by late summer, or early fall.

The church will be built at the corner of Haywood and Miller Streets, and will face Haywood street. All present buildings on the church property will be retained for the present and utilized in the church program.

The proposal is for the church to seat 214, with a number of small rooms adjoining the church for use of the rector and altar guild, also a choir room, Rector's office, library and lounge for smaller meetings. Included in the plans are a kitchen, and a large meeting room and classrooms.

A nursery and playground in patio-type arrangement is a vital part of the plan since nursery service is offered families every Sunday morning and on other important occasions.

The patio is surrounded by a cloister-type walk which, in turn, connects with a similar covered walk surrounding the church. Adequate parking space is hoped for in the long-term plan.

The finance committee includes E. M. Rothermel, chairman; Miss Lou Elva Eller; Lyman Reed; and David Felmet.

The steering committee which has so far worked on preliminary (See Grace Episcopal—Page 3)

Auxiliary To Observe 'Doctor's Day' Saturday

The Auxiliary of the Haywood County Medical Society will observe "Doctors' Day" Saturday, according to Mrs. J. Frank Pace.

Auxiliary members will place red carnations in Haywood County Hospital and in offices of physicians in the county.

Iron Duff CDP To Hear Holloway

County Agent Virgil L. Holloway will speak on community cooperation and increasing farm family income tonight at a meeting of the Iron Duff CDP at the new community house.

Jarvis Caldwell, president of the Iron Duff CDP, will preside at the meeting.

Swan of Asheville, district home economics supervisor; C. C. Pettitt of Sylva, district forester; Jeff Enloe of Asheville, district field representative of the ASC; Joseph B. Cash of Sylva, area supervisor for the FFA; Tom Bridges, district SCS conservationist; Oral Yates of Iron Duff, Farm Bureau field representative, and a representative of the North Carolina State Grange.

M. R. Whisenhunt, director of the Mountain Experiment Station and president of the Agricultural Workers Council, will preside at the meeting Tuesday.