

See You IN CHURCH Sunday

First Methodist Church WAYNESVILLE... 10:00 a.m.—Church School... 11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship... 6:30 p.m.—The MYF will meet for supper followed by a program of recreation and worship.

Ninevah Baptist Church The Rev. C. L. Allen, Pastor SUNDAY— 10 a.m.—Sunday School... 7:00 p.m.—Prayer meeting.

Tourist expenditures in Texas grew from 276 million dollars in 1950 to 412 million dollars in 1955.

If a growing child ate as much according to his weight as a growing bird he would consume three lambs and a calf in a day.

THIS WEEK'S BEST SELLERS

- FICTION The Last Hurrah, Edwin O'Connor. Andersonville, MacKinlay Kantor. Auntie Mame, Patrick Dennis. Lucy Crown, Irwin Shaw. NONFICTION The Birth of Britain, Winston Churchill. Arthritis and Common Sense, Dan Dale Alexander. The Search For Bridey Murphy, Moresy Bernstein. How To Live 365 Days A Year, John A. Schindler. Gift From The Sea, Anne Morrow Lindbergh.

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SO FAR AS is known Little Dock Messer is the only "mail boy" of the old days still alive in this part of Western North Carolina.

'Little Dock' Messer Was 'Mail Boy' For Many Years

By W. C. MEDFORD Because of his small stature he has generally been called "Little Dock" in his neighborhood—where he lived at the time. Less than five feet tall and weighing about 100 pounds, Dock Messer was a familiar figure in the White Oak, Fines Creek, Crabtree and Iron Duff sections for many years. That was back when he was "mail boy" in the '90's and early 1900's—when he carried the mails to Fines Creek and also to Iron Duff.

Singing Set For 2 P.M. Sunday At Antioch Church

A singing convention has been announced to the Antioch Baptist church, Iron Duff community, Sunday at 2 p.m. The Kingston quartet from Asheville is expected to be one of the group of singers. All singers are invited to attend.

fifteen years old. "You might live to be as old as your grandfather," we remarked. "I'm a-jokin' for it," he replied. After he quit carrying the mail—when R.F.D. took over, Little Dock would often help the women folks ravel out rags for quilt-linings for twenty-five cents a pound. "You don't get enough for your work, Dock; you ought to charge more," he was told on one occasion. "I git more work than I can do at this price," he replied. He lived most of the time on Fines Creek. In speaking of this, he said, "I've had some mighty good times down there, where I lived with my uncle on Tom McCracken's place."

WCC Faculty Sets Concert Tonight

The Lyceum Committee and the Summer Music Camp at Western Carolina College will present a faculty concert tonight at 8 o'clock, in the gallery of Hunter Library. The program will consist of the following solo performances: Robert Organ, bassoon; Louis Stout, French horn; and Glennis Stout, flute. Dr. Richard Renfro will accompany each soloist. Stout and A. C. Myers, both of the music camp faculty, will play Four Duets for French horn. Trio in F will be played by Miss Mary Osborne, clarinetist; Mrs. Stout, and Mr. Organ.

Brass ensemble music will be performed by Harold Smith and Gene Ellis, trumpets; Louis Stout and A. C. Myers, French horns; John Miller, trombone; Hubert Meyer, tuba; and Don Kneeburg, student of Asheville, baritone.

Featured in the evening's program will be guest artists Elizabeth Frantz, violinist, and Harold Frantz, pianist, both of Asheville. They will perform Sonata for Violin and Piano, by Aaron Copland.

Mrs. Frantz is one of Asheville's leading violinists, and is a former student of Michel Piastro. Mr. Frantz is former head of the music department at Montreat College, now organist at All Souls Church in Biltmore. He is well known as a performer, teacher, and composer.

Harold E. Smith, WCC music camp director, said that the concert is open to the public without charge.

Card For Cop

CHULA VISTA, Calif. (AP)—Of all 90 get-well greetings Police Sgt. Leo J. Kelly has received since he went off duty because of illness, he likes the biggest one best.

Thirty second grade students remembered Kelly had taken them on a tour of the police station and decided they wanted to send a greeting.

The students put together their 30 separate greetings into one card. It measures 36 by 96 inches.



EIGHT WAYNESVILLE AND FINES CREEK MEN have just reported for training at the U. S. Naval Training Center at Great Lakes, Ill., after being sworn into service at Columbia, S. C. They are, left to right, front row, Hugh Leroy Presnell of Hot Springs, a former student at Fines Creek High School and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Presnell; George David Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Newman Mitchell; Arthur Joseph Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wilson; and John Henry Smiley, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Smiley, all of Waynesville. Back row, left to right, Bill Winfield Conard, son of Mrs. Louise Conard; Ronald Benjamin Gardner, son of Mr. and Mrs. James N. Gardner; Marvin Dwight Mills, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Mills; and Gerald Alonzo Swanger, son of Mrs. Ruth Swanger, all of Waynesville.

Red Cross OK's Lake Junaluska Swim Program

The Water Safety Division of the Red Cross has approved the entire swimming program at the Lake Junaluska Swimming Pool. New rules have been instituted this year and they are being strictly enforced for the safety of the swimmers. The pool is open each day from 10:30 a.m. until 5 p.m. It is under the supervision of Wallace Martin, physics and math instructor at Pfeiffer College, who is director of recreation for the assembly.

The pool is probably the most popular and widely visited area on the assembly grounds. Up to 400 persons from the lake and surrounding areas have used the facilities in one day.

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Ratcliffe Cove Community News

By MRS. GROVER FRANCIS Community Reporter

Mrs. Carl Francis and sons, Carlton and Teddy, arrived Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Muse, Sr., and other relatives of this community.

Little Janie Palmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Palmer, painfully injured an elbow in a fall at her home Sunday.

A group of junior girls and their leader from the Ratcliffe Cove Baptist Church are spending a week at the Fruitland Baptist Assembly near Hendersonville this week.

In the group are Dean and Jean Francis, Jean Cody, Vickie Caldwell, Janet Meador, and Mrs. Roy Meador.

Testimony For Air Defense Reveals Interesting Facts

WASHINGTON — The importance of the study of our air defense was pointed out by the testimony last week by former Assistant Secretary of the Air Force Trevor Gardner.

THE EXPERT Mr. Gardner is an expert in research and development. When he speaks we should give his views serious consideration.

Mr. Gardner resigned from his high post recently due to his failure to get what he deems adequate funds and more emphasis on research and development in the Pentagon and by the Administration. He says with emphasis that the United States is now behind Russia in the quantitative race and soon will be surpassed in the qualitative race in scientific weapons. Pointing out that our nation must stay ahead in both areas, Mr. Gardner threw up his hands in dismay when his superiors reduced the budget in his field of research. He stated that some strategic projects had to be abandoned in the planning stage.

AREAS OF RESEARCH

"The only commodity you can't get back in this economy of ours is time," Mr. Gardner told our committee. He stated that much time was being lost by divided activity in the development of scientific weapons. He said this competition for money, men and hardware has delayed several ICBM projects. In line with this, many feel that there

Waynesville Art Gallery Opens Tonight

James Mann's Waynesville Art Gallery will open for the 24th season at 8 p.m. tonight it has been announced.

Mr. Mann, owner of the Waynesville Art Gallery, is now on a tour of Europe, but is expected to return to this country the last of June and arrive here about July 2. On his tour, Mr. Mann has seen portions of England, Holland, France, West Germany, Spain, Greece, and Turkey.

should be more serious thought given to the streamlining of the administrative system in research and development.

I have written in this report before that all this research and development costs staggering sums. It will go up.

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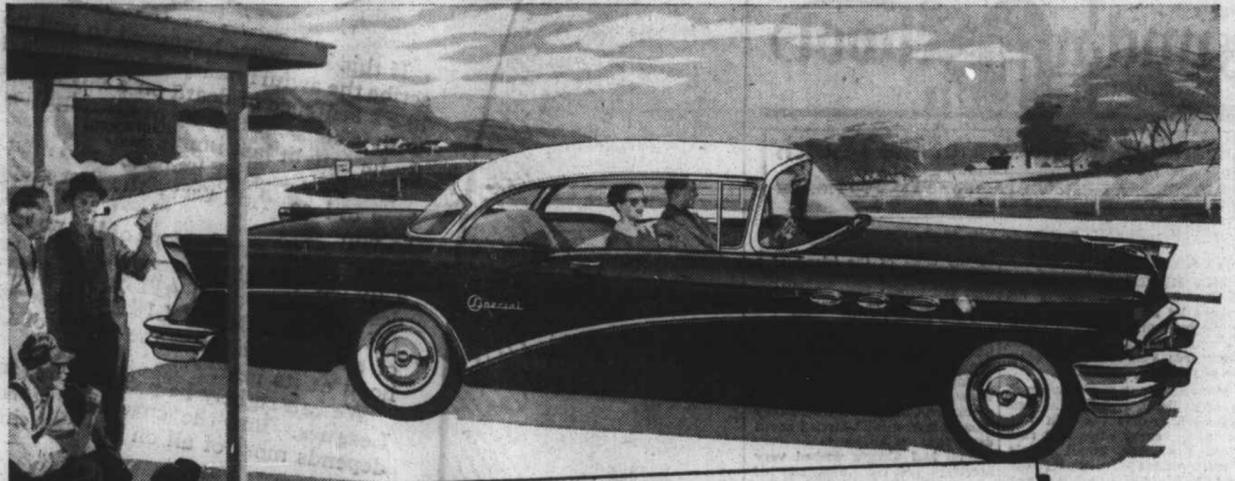
Senator Theodore Francis Green will be 89 years old soon. That makes him the oldest Senator in the nation's history. Last week he broke the record held since 1898 by the late Senator Justin S. Morrill of Vermont. Senator Green is hopeful of serving in the Senate until he is 100. The Rhode Island Democrat says the way he keeps his youthful appearance and philosophy is by keeping active.

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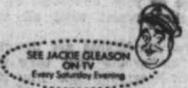
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