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If you can't look on the
bright side of trouble, keep
it in the dark.

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WAYNESVILLE, N. C., THURSDAY AFTERNOON, AUG. 9, 1956

\$3.50 In Advance In Haywood and Jackson Counties

Champion Fibre Plans Major Plant Expansion

75 To 100 Horses Expected In Horse Show Which Will Be Held Saturday

Machine And Buildings In Big Program



NO. 1 IN NORTH CAROLINA is this Haywood County 4-H Club livestock judging team, which won the state title in the judging contest conducted during 4-H Club Week at Raleigh. The team includes (kneeling, from left) Verlin Edwards of Maggie, Neal Kelly of Bethel, Cecil

Brown, assistant county agent and coach of the team, and R. E. Cathey of Bethel; (standing) Tommy Boyd of Jonathan Creek, and Jerry Ferguson of Fines Creek. The team will enter the Atlantic States contest at Richmond, Va., in September. (Mountaineer Photo).

Sale And Wilson To Officiate

Reed Wilson of Asheville and Archie Sale of Waynesville will be announcer and ringmaster, respectively, at the 3rd annual Waynesville Horse Show this Saturday afternoon and evening, according to general chairman Henry Miller.

Miller said this morning that it appeared there would be between 75 and 100 horses participating in the show. Some of the horses will arrive Friday night.

The show will be in two sections, one at 2 p. m. and the other at 8 p. m.

Other officials for the event will be C. C. League, assistant ringmaster and Dr. Mack Setzer, veterinarian.

Lloyd Tate of Blowing Rock will judge hunters and jumpers and Harold Sherrill of Knoxville, Tenn., the walking and gaited horses.

Flower girls will present awards at both afternoon and evening performances, under the direction of Mrs. Jack Dickerson. During the afternoon Marty Dickerson, Sharon Ray, Mary Owen, Betsy Smith and Tempie Dulin will serve; evening flower girls will be Betty Owen, Helen Kirkpatrick, Linda Kay Smith, Ann Dulin and Carey Howell.

Assisting Mr. Miller on the general committee are John Carver and Elmer Hendrix.

The Waynesville Lions Club is taking care of ticket sales, the proceeds of which will go to the Recreation Development Commission.

Bleachers and box seats will be arranged for by the Waynesville Junior Chamber of Commerce and concessions by the Waynesville Kiwanis Club.

Nine classes will be presented at the Saturday afternoon exhibition, with five ribbons to be awarded in each. Classes programmed are jumping horses, open; pleasure horses, juniors under 12 years; pony exhibit, mares and colts; ponies under 46 inches; walking horses, open; pleasure horses, open; pony driving class; Western riding; three-gaited horses, open.

The ten evening events include six for which the stakes total \$600 and four others for which ribbons will be presented. In order, the classes are open jumping; \$100 junior walking horses; Western class open; pleasure horses; \$100

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Atlantan Becomes Pastor Of Free Methodist Church

The Rev. L. S. Hoover of Atlanta will arrive in Waynesville this week as the new pastor of the Free Methodist Church, appointed by action of the Georgia-Carolina annual conference which convened at Conyers, Ga., last week. He succeeds the Rev. Russell M. Elder.

Rev. Hoover has had wide experience in the religious field as pastor, writer, radio evangelist and lecturer throughout the United States. He was at one time pastor of the Free Methodist Church in Atlanta, and has traveled extensively in the interests of his church.

Mrs. Hoover, who accompanies her husband, has visited in Waynesville on other occasions, and is a recognized leader in the missionary program of the Free Methodist Church.

Five Haywood Men Enter Armed Forces

Five Haywood County men left here Tuesday morning for Charlotte and induction into the armed forces. They were: Parlin Ball, Route 4, Waynesville; Robert William Murray of Canton; Claude Ray Justice of Route 1, Hot Springs; William Earl Ledford of Route 4, Waynesville, and Cedric H. Inman of Hazelwood.

Seven other men were sent to Charlotte for pre-induction examination.

Plans for a three-year program of expansion of production facilities at the Carolina Division of the Champion Paper and Fibre Company were outlined here today by Reuben B. Robertson, president and chairman of the board.

The nucleus of the entire expansion program will be the installation of a mammoth Four-drainer paper machine, to be known as "No. 20" machine, for the manufacture of a wide variety of white business papers.

Included in the expansion plans are an augmented program of timberland acquisition and a general improvement of pulp production facilities, to insure sufficient pulp stock for the new machine.

An addition of 43,000 square feet of floor space is planned in the finishing and shipping departments to provide for the necessary equipment for the final processing of the output of the new machine.

Some phases of the installation of new pulp production equipment are already under way, but the bulk of the expansion program is still in the engineering stage.

"We have not let any major contracts yet," Mr. Robertson said, "and are not in position to determine just what capital expenditure will be required during the next three years to complete our program at the Carolina Division."

"We are going into this development project," he continued, "in response to the increasing demands from our customers for more paper. Extensive improvement."

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Safety Fair Drawing State-Wide Interest

The forthcoming Farm and Home Safety Fair, first ever promoted in Haywood County, and perhaps the entire state, is gaining wide recognition both from Governor Luther H. Hodges, various State organizations and the National Safety Council.

The event scheduled to be held at Camp Hope Thursday, August 16, is expected to attract state and county medical officials, industrial leaders, and others who will participate in the program; and citizens from all sections of the county who will contribute to the success of the Fair by their presence and participation.

W. Sherrill Jimison, chairman of the county-wide program, (See Safety Fair—Page 8)

Maggie Chamber New Member Is From White House

Lake Junaluska may rate a feather in its cap from the appearance there of the Vice President of the United States, but Maggie Valley is not bowing its head in humility.

The Chamber of Commerce president, Mrs. M. L. Sadler, has just received the following letter:

"Thank you very much for your letter of July twenty-third, sent on behalf of the Maggie Valley Chamber of Commerce. I am highly complimented by your thought in wanting to make me an honorary member of your organization, and glad to have the membership certificate that you sent me.

"I am grateful, too for your wishes for my future good health.

"With warm greetings to all the members of the Maggie Valley Chamber of Commerce,

Sincerely,
Dwight D. Eisenhower."

Maybe his membership will encourage the President to try a little Haywood County trout fishing in one of the sparkling streams around Maggie!



FADING INTO MEMORY is the stage of the WTHS auditorium — being dismantled here — scene of countless band concerts, plays, and chapel programs. When funds are available, a new

auditorium probably will be erected on the school campus. Until then, assembly programs will be held in the gymnasium. (Mountaineer Photos).

Remodeling Work Started On WTHS Auditorium

Many Local Features To Highlight 'Back-To-School' Edition Coming Monday

The annual "Back-To-School" edition of The Mountaineer will be published on Monday.

This year's edition will be of different design than those of past years, featuring many local pictures of students preparing for school—from the first grader to those entering college.

A number of special features will also be carried in the edition that will prove interesting to parents and students alike. Several members of The Mountaineer staff have been at work on the material for the edition for some time.

Registration Books For September Election Open

Registration books for the September 8th amendment election will open Saturday, August 11, it was announced today by John M. Carver, chairman of the board of elections.

The books will be at the 29 polling places of the county from 9 a. m. until 6 p. m., August 11 and 18th, and on the 25th will be open until sunset.

Carver said registration can be done at any time during the period from Aug. 11 to 25th at the registrar's home. The registrars who have already served this year in elections will continue in that capacity for this election, and the general election judges will serve on the 8th.

Saturday, Sept. 1 will be challenge day.

The laws as apply to the general election will be followed for this election, with absentee balloting permitted for any voter who will be away from his polling place on the 8th eligible to receive a ballot for absentee voting.

Carver said the poll books would be delivered to the registrars on Thursday, August 9th.

Pigeon St. Bids Due August 21

Bids will be received on August 21 for construction of a new Pigeon Street school, it was announced today by Lawrence Leatherwood, superintendent of county schools.

The estimated cost is approximately \$85,000, plus equipment including lunchroom facilities at \$8,000 more.

The new building will be constructed on a 3-acre site just across the Ninevah road from the present location. It is to be of brick and to contain three classrooms, a cafeteria and a kitchen.

Dates Are Set For Registration Of WTHS Students

The registration schedule for Waynesville Township High School students has been announced by C. E. Weatherly, principal. Students will register between 8:30 a. m. and 2 p. m. on the days designated.

The schedule follows:
Seniors, Monday, August 20.
Juniors, Tuesday, August 21.
Sophomores, Wednesday, August 22.

Freshmen, Thursday, August 23.
Eighth graders, Friday, August 24.

Seventh grade students will register on the opening day of school, Tuesday, August 28.

Bethel Presbyterian Church To Mark 122nd Anniversary

The Bethel Presbyterian Church will mark its 122nd anniversary Sunday morning with a picnic lunch on the grounds and a program in the afternoon.

The afternoon program will include special music, group singing, and remarks by former Bethel Presbyterian ministers and pastors of other Bethel churches.

The regular Sunday morning message will be brought by the present pastor, L. B. DuBose of the Columbia Theological Seminary of Decatur, Ga., who will speak on "The Mind of the Spirit."

The Bethel Presbyterian Church was first organized at the old Union Church on the Elijah Deaver school property. The present building was completed in 1885 on property donated by Capt. William S. Terrell.

This church was first called Ebenezer. The name was changed to Bethel by the Presbytery in April, 1953. The first pastor was the Rev. William A. Hall. First elders were Elijah Deaver, Leander Kil-

lian, Samuel Fitzgerald, and Frank Jln Brown.

Highway Record For 1956 In Haywood (TO DATE)

Killed	3
(1955 — 1)	
Injured	49
(1955 — 37)	
Accidents	112
(1955 — 76)	
Loss	\$36,241
(1955 — \$30,479)	

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

Telephone Service To Start Next Week At White Oak

New Road To Be Let Next Year

More than a half million dollars has been earmarked for construction of a new road from Balsam Gap to Willets. It has been announced by State Highway Commission Chairman A. H. Graham. The work is scheduled for letting in 1957-58.

The allocation is part of a two-year \$41,500,000 state primary road program.

The 4.7-mile link of the highway, which is part of the relocation of the road from Balsam to Sylva, was granted \$550,000 for grading, structures, right-of-way and paving.

To be let in 1956-57 is a 7.3-mile section from Sylva to Willets, costing \$725,000, also a part of the work on Highway 19A-23.

Richard Hoyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Hoyle, is visiting friends in Morganton.

Two Concerts Planned Here During Next Two Weeks

Two concerts will be presented during the next two weeks by the Waynesville Community Band under the direction of Charles L. Isley, Jr.

The first will start at 7:15 p. m. Friday on the steps of the courthouse and end at 8 p. m. to avoid conflict with the current revival at the Waynesville Presbyterian Church.

The second concert will be at 8 p. m. next Thursday at the WTHS stadium, under sponsorship of the Waynesville Lions Club.

This concert will include numbers by the band, the community male chorus under the direction of Glenn Draper, soloists from here and the Lake Junaluska Assembly, and the trumpet trio.

In the event of rain, the concert will be held in the WTHS gym (the auditorium is now being converted into classrooms).

Tickets for the event will be sold by members of the Lions Club.

The Weather

FAIR

Date	Max.	Min.	Prec.
Aug. 6	89	59	—
Aug. 7	83	56	—
Aug. 8	84	51	—