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TODAY'S SMILE

Quick thinkers become leaders; he who hesitates is bossed.

## Southern Bell Has Big Increase Here



D. E. TERRELL

### D. E. Terrell Named Agent In Mitchell

David Edwin Terrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Terrell of Clyde has been appointed assistant county agent of Mitchell County, according to a joint announcement by Mitchell commissioners at Bakersville and the N. C. State Agricultural Extension Service.

He will work primarily with farm and home development organizations and with boys in 4-H Club work in Mitchell County.

Terrell graduated from Waynesville Township High School in 1949, where he played tackle on the football team for two years. At North Carolina State he was a member of Kappa Phi Kappa fraternity and received his B. S. degree in 1953.

Entering the service in July, 1954, he received his basic training at Fort Jackson, S. C., before being transferred to Fort Belvoir Va., and in April, 1955, to England. He served there with the 801st Air Borne Division until he was discharged July 1, 1956.

He is married to the former Miss Doris Faye Melton of Ruthersfordton.

### USAR Company Leaves For Camp At Ft. Jackson

Members of Waynesville's unit of the U. S. Army Reserve—Company F, 518th Infantry Regiment, 198th Infantry Division—left at 5:30 a. m. Sunday for a two-week encampment at Ft. Jackson, S. C.

For training this year, the USAR unit will be superimposed on a regular basic training regiment at Ft. Jackson.

The group of reservists includes: First Lt. Frank C. Byrd, 1st Lt. Charles D. Parker, 1st Lt. Bob G. Sellers, and 1st Lt. Robert O. Coyle; M. Sgt. J. T. Russell, Jr., SFC's Roy L. Cable and Jack Kelley, Corporals Robert R. Jeter, Jr., J. W. Crawford, and Stallard Jaynes, PFC's William R. Boyd, Larry J. Coleman, John Kesler, James A. Kirkpatrick, David H. Medford, and Franklin D. Shell. Pvt-2's Eugene Wright, Billy A. Messer, William F. Wyatt, and Doyle E. Plenumons.

The Waynesville reservists will return here Saturday, August 25.

### CONVENTION TV

Sheriff Fred Campbell has had a TV set installed in the court room for the public to view the Democratic Convention. The set will be turned on during the time the networks are carrying the Convention, and the court room will be open to all who wish to attend.

### 283 Phones Installed This Year

A total of 283 telephones have been added in the Waynesville exchange since the first of the year, and another 210 are expected to be installed during the remainder of the year, according to E. R. Rawson, Haywood County Manager for the Southern Bell Telephone Co.

The Waynesville exchange now has 4,450 telephones and the Canton exchange 4,350, Mr. Rawson added.

In addition to the telephones which have been installed, 119 patrons have received improved service—such as switching from party line to a private line, the Southern Bell official said.

In the number of telephone calls being made, the rate on toll calls made through the Waynesville exchange was up nearly 100 per cent during July of this year as compared with January. Mr. Rawson said. Toll calls in July averaged 802 a day, those in January averaged 456 daily.

Local calls in July were up nearly 20 per cent from January—an average of 42,129 calls daily for the former month as compared with 35,150 for the latter.

### Guard Unit Leaves For Ft. Stewart

Members of Waynesville's Tank Company, 120th Infantry, North Carolina National Guard, left here Saturday morning for a two-week summer encampment at Camp Stewart, Ga., near Savannah.

Preceding the main body was an advance detachment, which left Thursday morning to draw 10 M-47 medium tanks and set up mess facilities at Ft. Stewart. In this group were 1st Lt. James R. Adams, executive officer; SFC William G. Arrington, SP2's Alan F. Davis and Hollis R. Hampton, PFC Bobby Joe McClure, and Pvt-2 Charles L. Gaddy.

Men who left Sunday were 1st Lt. Albert C. Jones, company commander; Master Sergeants Robert E. Forga, George M. Milner, John (See National Guard—Page 2)

### George Craig Dies Following Short Illness

George M. Craig, 55, of 105 Johnson Hill, Waynesville died today at 3:30 a. m. in the Haywood County Hospital following an illness of only a few days. He owned and operated a cafe in Hazelwood.

A native of McDowell County, Craig was the son of the late John K. and Eula Annis Craig. He came to Waynesville in 1933 and was a member of the Waynesville Presbyterian Church.

Funeral services will be held in the Presbyterian Church Wednesday at 4 p. m. with the pastor, the Rev. Calvin Thielman, officiating.

Palbearers will be nephews: Julius, Wayne, Howard, Benny Joe, Charles, and Billy Craig, George Mack Stinnett, and Joe Bill Russell.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Ruth Houghton Craig; a daughter, Mrs. L. J. (Jack) Worthington of Spartanburg, S. C.; a granddaughter (See Craig—Page 2)



GEORGE CRAIG



BEST EXHIBIT WINNER at the annual flower show Friday was Mrs. Gordon Cagle of Hemp-hill. The exhibit, which also won the tri-color award, was a gloxinia entered in the potted plants division. Mrs. Cagle holds a silver bowl, prize for the best exhibit, presented by Kurt Gans Jewelers. (Mountaineer Photo).

### Having A Famous Son Has Its Difficulties

#### County To Receive Over \$9,000

#### From Forest Lands

Haywood County will receive a little over \$9,000 from the sale of timber and land use in Pisgah National Forest, it has been announced by Don J. Morriss, N. C. National Forests supervisor.

The 19 WNC counties to receive funds from National Forest lands will divide a total of \$145,981.04, an increase of \$43,967.47 over last year. Supervisor Morriss said that the increase was due to larger timber sales.

Haywood's exact receipts will be \$9,392.21.

#### Town Asking Bids On Street Work

The Board of Aldermen of the Town of Waynesville is asking for bids on 18,000 square yards of surface treatment for paving and 300 tons of asphalt. Bids will be opened on August 22 at 4 p. m.

G. C. Ferguson, town manager, said that there were several streets the board had in mind paving, but could not complete their plans until they received the bids to determine accurately what the project would cost.

#### Chamber Directors To Meet August 14

The Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce will meet in the Town Hall on Tuesday August 14 at 7:30 p. m.

This is the regular monthly meeting of the board.

### Queen Sees Stevenson As Democratic Nominee; Will 'Stick To Adlai To Last'

Just before leaving for the Democratic national convention Richard Queen, delegate from this district, told the Mountaineer that he would stay in the ranks for Stevenson for President with Symington for Vice President.

Queen was an alternate delegate to the Chicago convention in 1952, at which time he was a strong advocate for the nomination of Stevenson.

Queen is the fourth Haywood Democrat to attend a national convention as a delegate. W. Roy Francis went to Houston in 1928 when the party nominated Al Smith; Judge Felix E. Alley was a delegate to Dallas in 1932, when the late Franklin D. Roosevelt was nominated; Clifford E. Brown of Clyde attended the 1948 convention

in Philadelphia, when Harry S. Truman was named the party's candidate. Other delegates from this district include Marcellus Buchanan of Sylva, Ralph Ramsey of Brevard, and R. R. Williams, Jr., of Asheville. Delegates-at-large are W. B. Hodges, Hendersonville and Judge W. McLean, Asheville. The North Carolina delegation left Saturday afternoon by train with the South Carolina group and held a caucus in Chicago Sunday afternoon. Queen is staying at the Morrison Hotel. He is optimistic that his candidate for President will be nominated on the first ballot. As Queen departed, he was shown (See Queen—Page 2)

### Concert Slated At Stadium Here On Thursday Night

The Waynesville community band, under the direction of Charles L. Isley, Jr., the community male chorus under the direction of Glenn Draper, soloist from here and the Lake Junaluska Methodist Assembly, and the trumpet trio will present an operatic concert at the WTHS stadium Thursday night at 8 p. m.

The concert will be sponsored by the Waynesville Lions Club, with all proceeds going into the local recreation fund.

In event of rain, the concert will be held in the high school gymnasium. Ticket sales will be handled by members of the Lions Club.

### Back-To-School Section Of Today's Mountaineer Full Of Helpful Suggestions

Students and parents alike will find a wealth of valuable information in the "back-to-school" pages of this edition of the Mountaineer.

With all eyes focused on the August 28 opening of the county school system, the Mountaineer is happy to present as a service to its readers a collection of articles on approaching school days, with ideas ranging from traffic safety precautions to tidbits for lunch boxes.

A careful reading of the back-to-school section will be amply repaid by time and money saved.



TAKING HER FIRST STEPS on the long road of education later this month will be pig-tailed Pam Scruggs, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earle Scruggs of Hazelwood. Here Pam finds that school life will require considerable climbing. (Mountaineer Photo).

## Carolina Horse Show To Be Resumed Here Next August

### Officials Working On '57 Plans

The interest shown in the horse show here Saturday afternoon and night set the pace for the 1957 show, which will be known as the Carolina Jubilee Horse Show, according to Henry Miller, general chairman. "The interest we have seen here today assures us that next year's show will be the continuation of the \$500 Carolina Championship Walking Horse event which began here three years ago," Miller said.

The heavy rain between the afternoon and the evening performances of the show cut down on the evening attendance, but even at that the grandstand was filled and cars lined the entire rail, with scores standing at the entrances and other vantage points for the evening show.

About 75 horses and ponies were entered in this show, and as the program continued, the crowd showed more and more interest.

During the jumping event of the evening, two riders escaped injury as they spilled, and a third horse knocked over the jumping stand.

Judging hunters and jumpers was Lloyd Tate of Blowing Rock. Harold Sherrill of Knoxville, Tenn., judged the walking and gaited horses.

Officials included Reed Wilson, announcer; Archie Sale, ringmaster; C. C. League, assistant ringmaster; and Dr. Mack Setzer, veterinarian.

Flower girls were Marty Dickerson, Sharon Ray, Mary Owen, Betsy Smith, Tempie Dulin, Betty Owen, Helen Kirkpatrick, Linda Kay Smith, Ann Dulin and Carey Howell.

Miller's committeemen were John Carver and Elmer Hendrix.

#### AFTERNOON PERFORMANCE

JUMPING HORSES—1. Flying Sauter, Wayne and Neal Stamey; Neal Stamey; 2. Katy Did, Walter Newman, Judy Alexander; 3. It's Up, J. R. Boyd, Dude Frazier.

PLEASURE HORSES—1. Bumbling Jess, Sarah Jane League; (See Horse Show—Page 2)



DUDE FRAZIER is shown taking it's up over the first hurdle of the Horse Show here in the afternoon performance. The horse was one of many shown at the two performances Saturday. (Mountaineer Photo).

## Safety Fair Designed To Attract Big Crowds 17th

### Post Card Takes Longer To Arrive Than Does Sender

Home Agent Mary Cornwell is having a hard time proving her whereabouts on August 8—she declares she was long since home from Toronto, Canada, but she has to admit it's her handwriting on a card just received and plainly postmarked Toronto, August 8.

The card was delivered to the Mountaineer office Friday morning, but the sender staunchly insists that she distinctly remembers dropping it in the hotel mail chute on July 25.

If only she had dropped it into her suitcase instead, she could have saved four cents and two weeks!

### Five Accidents Do Minor Damage

No one was injured and damages were minor in five automobile accidents over the weekend, according to investigating officers Harold Dayton and W. R. Wooten.

During the rain Saturday evening at 6:05 two cars collided on US 19A just this side of the Ratcliffe Cove road. Claude William Smith of Hall Top road, Waynesville, driving a 1953 Ford toward Waynesville, skidded to the left and struck a 1956 Ford pickup truck operated by Jaynes Riley Medford of Route 2, Waynesville. Both cars landed partly on the shoulder of the road, with damages estimated at \$100 to the truck and \$150 to the car. Smith was charged with operating on the wrong side of the road.

Sunday afternoon at 12:35 a car slowing down for traffic ahead was hit in the rear by the car following, with damage estimated at \$50 to the leading car and \$35 to the following. The accident occurred on US 19 just west of the Dellwood intersection. Both cars were traveling toward Lake Junaluska. A 1956 Chevrolet, driven by Charles L. Carl of Louisville, Ky., received the rear bumper damage from a 1949 Studebaker operated by William Thomas Bird, a teacher at Tryon High School. No charges were filed. Patrolman Dayton said.

Hugh Carroll Best, Jr., of Route 1, Clyde, was charged by Patrolman Wooten with operating on the wrong side of the highway as he ran another car off the Iron Deff road at 7:15 Saturday morning. Driving a 1951 Studebaker, he told the State Highway Patrolman that as he looked down at his watch he got onto the wrong side of the

(See 5 Accidents—Page 2)

Some two dozen free exhibits and demonstrations will follow a picnic dinner at the Home and Farm Safety Fair to be held Thursday at Camp Hope. The fair is sponsored by the county community development program. Gate prizes will be given.

Haywood County ministers have been issued personal invitations to attend with their families as well as to urge attendance of their congregations.

In commenting on the project Canton's mayor, Bruce G. Nanney, said:

"Most social problems are ultimately solved as far as possible when the people themselves recognize the problems and set themselves to solve them.

"All citizens everywhere have just cause to be proud of Haywood County rural people for recognizing the home and farm safety problem, and for taking appropriate action to remedy it."

Among the displays scheduled are those on home and farm accident prevention, kitchen hazards, electrical hazards, emergency treatment, blood typing booth, health and accident booth, home and farm (See Safety Fair—Page 2)

### First Graders Must Have Birth Certificates

All children entering the first grade must present birth certificates on the first day of school, according to North Carolina law. First graders must have reached their sixth birthday on or before October 16.

Children born in Haywood county may get birth certificates without charge from the Register of Deeds.

Immunization against smallpox, diphtheria, and whooping cough is also required of the beginners.

**Highway Record For 1956 In Haywood (TO DATE)**

**Killed . . . . . 3**  
(1955 — 1)

**Injured . . . . . 49**  
(1955 — 37)

**Accidents . . 117**  
(1955 — 76)

**Loss . . . \$38,016**  
(1955 — \$30,479)

(this information compiled from records of State Highway Patrol)

**The Weather**

Partly cloudy and quite warm today with a few scattered thunderstorms. Tuesday, partly cloudy with little change in temperature and widely scattered afternoon and evening thundershowers.

Official Waynesville temperature as reported by the State Test Farm:

Date	Max.	Min.	Pr.
Aug. 9	86	53	
Aug. 10	87	57	
Aug. 11	86	56	.16
Aug. 12	84	59	.13