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Election

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The only township with two candidates is in East Fork, where Clayton Pressley (D) and Frank Heathery (R) are on the ballot.

The county ballot has only one office — Representative, Charles B. McCrary (D) is opposed by Walter G. Smathers (R). The two District Democratic state senators are unopposed. They are J. R. Stephenson, and R. Lee Whitmire.

The polls will open at 6:30 a.m. and close at 6:30 p.m.

All Haywood schools will be closed Tuesday, Nov. 6.

Chairman Carver announced the following registrars and judges for the election.

Allens Creek—Mrs. Bill Hembree, registrar; Dewey Brendle (D) and Grady Farmer (R) judges.

Beaverdam No. 1—Harley Ramsey, registrar; Bryon Rhea (D) and Delmar Reed (R) judges.

Beaverdam No. 2—Joe Mease, registrar; John Chapman (D) and Troy Ford (R) judges.

Beaverdam No. 3—Mrs. Logan White, registrar; Ruffner Jones (D) and W. L. Goolsby (R) judges.

Beaverdam No. 4—Mrs. Wade Rhea, registrar; Mrs. Tom Hipps (D) and Mrs. Vincent Worley (R) judges.

Beaverdam No. 5—Fred Williams, registrar; Mac Byers (D) and Bill Battison (R) judges.

Beaverdam No. 6—Mrs. Don Scroggs, registrar; V. H. Byers (D) and Paul Bumgarner (R) judges.

Beaverdam No. 7—Mrs. Carolyn Plemmons, registrar; Girtwood Smathers (D) and William Thompson (R) judges.

Big Creek—Mac Caldwell, registrar; Mrs. Jack Redman (D) and Hells Sutton (R) judges.

Cataloochee—Lush Caldwell, registrar and Mrs. Mark Hannah, judge.

Cecil—Mrs. Clyde Caldwell, registrar; Paul Woody (D) and Lono Warren (R) judges.

Clyde—Mrs. Sara Brown registrar; Massie Osborne (D) and Marguerite Welch (R) judges.

Crabtree—Marshall Kirkpatrick, registrar; Hershell Rogers (D) and Millard Ferguson (R) judges.

East Fork—West A. Pless, registrar; Rex L. Pless (D) and Morris Trull (R) judges.

Hazelwood—Mrs. R. W. Crawford, registrar; Cecil Mauney (D) judge.

Lake Junaluska—Mrs. Grover Leatherwood, registrar; Paul Sutton (D) and Tom Fincher (R) judges.

Jonathan Creek—Mrs. Kate Kennedy, registrar; Larry Sutton (D) and David Boyd (R) judges.

Fines Creek No. 1—R. A. Justice, registrar; Roy Rogers (D) and Henry Haynes (R) judges.

Fines Creek No. 2—Hugh Rathbone, registrar; Floyd Green and John Fincher judges. (All registered voters are Democrats).

Ivy Hill—Albert Siler, registrar; Hub Plott (D) and J. A. Singleton (R) judges.

Iron Duff—Clinton McElroy, registrar; V. R. Davis (D) and Andy Ferguson (R) judges.

Pigeon—Mrs. Edith Edwards, registrar; Ed Justice (D) and Mrs. Burt Cagle (R) judges.

Center Pigeon—W. I. Mease, registrar; Mrs. Glenn Able (D) and Mrs. Mable Clark (R) judges.

Saunook—Mrs. Jane Singletary, registrar; C. L. Rabb (D) and Edw. Caldwell (R) judges.

Center Waynesville—Mrs. Jack Cain, registrar; Mrs. Roy Campbell (D) and R. B. Barker (R) judges.

South Waynesville—Mrs. W. A. Hyatt, registrar; Lawson Mehaffey (D) judge. (No Republican judge secured to date).

East Waynesville—Harley Francis, registrar; L. Z. Messer (D) and Frank Leonard (R) judges.

West Waynesville—Mrs. Shuford Howell, registrar; Mrs. Edna Rogers (D) and Zack Massey (R) judges.

White Oak—Mrs. Roe Ledford, registrar; Robert Fisher (D) and Albert Phillips (R) judges.

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Cataloochee

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though a Democrat has been named to make the third official.

Registration books and ballots will be handed out to registrars at 11 a.m. here Friday, at the courthouse.

Haywood gave Stevenson 8,763 in 1952 and Eisenhower 6,032, making a Democratic majority of 2,790.

In 1952 four Haywood precincts gave Eisenhower a majority — Beaverdam No. 1 and 5, Cecil and East Fork. The Democratic majority in Beaverdam No. 4 was 10 votes, and a margin of 3 in Center Pigeon.

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Low Bids

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of grading, paving, and structures on U. S. 19-A and 23 from a point 1.2 miles northeast of Willets to a point 6.5 miles southwest of Waynesville. Roadway, J. C. Critcher, Inc., Asheville, \$263,744.00; structures, William B. Dillard Construction Co., Sylva, \$72,054.00; moving buildings, Bower

and Hurley, Jefferson, \$11,915.00. Members of the Highway Commission will review the low bids for approval at their monthly meeting in Winston-Salem Friday.

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Minett

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had a major accident, and cherishes a government citation which he carries. Wednesday, as he checked in all his records, he handed an unused accident report form to Postmaster Enos Boyd. "I've had this for years—and am glad I never needed to use it. The envelope showed signs of having been in the carrier's care for a number of years.

Minett plans to take things "easy" for a while, then go to Mississippi for a visit with First Lt. and Mrs. Cyril Minett, Jr., and their son.

"I hope to get a chance to fly in some of those late model jets," mused the former member of the observation squadron with the Air Force. "I want to fly a little—am tired of driving."

Minett has met with many interesting experiences as a mail carrier—some pleasant, some otherwise. Carrying messages reporting the death of that a son was missing in World War II was among his hardest jobs.

Once he discovered a roused in fire in Stamey Cove, and rushed in to get out a family of six, who were unaware of their danger. In 1940 he was stranded by the floods at Clyde, and did not get back to the office until late at night.

He has been in snow 16 inches deep, and the coldest was two below zero.

In March 1936 he had to detour around a gap in Stamey Cove for three weeks because of the banked snow drifts.

Once he stopped to put mail in a box, and heard someone calling, and learned that a family of six were very sick with flu, and needed a doctor. He got them one, since no member of the family was able to be up.

The nearest Minett ever came to having a wreck, was when a woman with eight children in her car ran into him as he was putting mail into a box. His car was filled with Christmas mail — December 23.

Minett would not venture a guess as to how many love letters he has delivered, but said it was almost a daily incident to have a young man or woman standing at a mailbox waiting for that "special letter". He can often tell by the expressions on their faces what they expect, and sometimes the perfume of the letters is a dead giveaway.

One man got rather bitter because of a letter delivered to his box. The letter was from some one other than the man's wife, and the man did not want it to come to the family box. Minett had no alternative except to deliver the mail as addressed, and it happened that the man's wife got to the mail box first.

A standard question, is "where is my check?"

A lot of people get checks regularly from one source or another, and if perchance they are a day or two late, they always ask the carrier about the delayed letter.

Mail carriers have to be pretty good detectives, especially when it comes to distinguishing people with the same name. For example, Minett has three people on his route by the name of Robert Franklin, and three others with the name Jack McCracken.

Minett started out the first day with the late F. A. Burgin, in a buggy, to learn the route. Later he took over the route of the late T. L. Bramlett, when he retired.

One of the oddest deliveries Minett made in his 28 years was a two-horse wagon. Back years ago, there was not a limit as to size or weight of parcel post items as there is today. The wagon was shipped by parcel post, and Minett carried it out piece by piece—a wheel a day, then part of the body, until he got it all delivered.

About the worst package he ever handled was a bundle of skunk hides shipped by a trapper.

The odor remained in his car for months.

The retired carrier figures he has lost \$1.50 monthly in loans for small items such as stamps and cards. One woman was loaned \$8 for a COD shipment of baby chicks, with a promise to pay the next day. When the carrier got to her home the next day she had moved—taking the chicks with her.

Minett is a native of Vermont. He served four years in the Canadian Army, during World War I as an engineer. In 1920 he joined the U. S. Army as a member of an observation squadron of the Air Force, stationed at San Francisco.

He was in service two years, three months, and when taken ill, was sent to Oteen, where he remained until coming to Waynesville. Mrs. Minett is a native of Bryson City.

Minett slowly folded up a leather pouch he has used for 20 years, and gave a glancing look at the row of pigeon holes where he has stuffed mail for rural patrons for 28 years.

The 678 families on his route will now be served by Bill Plott who is taking over Route No. 3, and James Fie is taking over route one.

and Hurley, Jefferson, \$11,915.00.

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DEL MONTE RAISINS	15 Oz. Seedless	19c
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Del Monte GREEN LIMA BEANS	No. 303 Can	23c
Del Monte EARLY GARDEN PEAS	No. 303 Can	19c
Chase & Sanborn INSTANT COFFEE	6 Oz. Jar	\$1.19
Welch's GRAPE JUICE	24 Oz. Bottle	33c
Ocean Spray CRANBERRY SAUCE	2 Cans	39c
Old Black Joe BLACK EYE PEAS	3 — 15 oz. Cans	29c
Del Monte PRUNE JUICE	Quart	29c

HumKo SHORTENING
8 Lb. Pail **\$1.49**

BANANAS
2 25c Lbs. For

Garden Fresh TURNIPS	2 Bchs. For	17c
Yellow ONIONS	3 Lbs. For	13c
Golden Delicious APPLES	5 Lb. Bag	45c

RINSO 2 Lge. Boxes 47c	LUX SOAP 2 Bath Size 20c	SILVER DUST Large Size 32c	LUX FLAKES Large Box 32c
SURF 2 Lge. Boxes 51c	LIFEBUOY 3 Reg. Size 29c	LUX LIQUID 12 oz. Can 39c	BREEZE Large Box 32c

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