Pulpwood Co.

At Iron Station

Wester Bros. of Charlotte, will

buy pulpwood in truck load lots.

Pine pulpwood will be bought, also

limited quantities of poplar, gum and maple. The office will be in

charge of Don Harrill, well known Lincoln county man, and will be open daily Monday through Satur-day from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. (See adv.

Over 700 "First"

Salk Polio Shots

Are Given Here

Lincolnton physicians are continuing to administer the first Salk anti polio shot to those in the priority group at a fairly fast pace,

it was learned today. There is a

at was learned today. There is a charge of \$3 per shot.

A distribution system was set up some weeks ago whereby the Salk vaccine was made available to local physicians in three priority groups—the first category being children from birth to 5 years old and expectant mothers. Over 700.

expectant mothers. Over 700
"first" shots have been administered by local doctors to date, it
was reported. And, there have been
no ill effects from the shots, not

even sore arms, one physician stat-

ed.

Parents are being advised to have their children get their "first" shots now as protection before next summer when the polio season arrives. The fact is stressed that it is important to have all three shots in the proper order to secure the maximum of protection. Health authorities advised the second Salk inoculation should follow the first by 2 to 4 weeks, and the third and final shot about 7 months following the second.

lowing the second.

It was explained that the longer

Gastonia Bank Manager

It was explained that the longer the delay in getting the shots, the lesser the protection, Children beginning the innoculation series now, it was pointed out, won't complete the series of three shots before next July 1, about two months after the polio season begins.

It wasn't County Fair Day Lincolnton Thursday—it was just the crowds pressing toward Ramseur Hardware Co., which was seur Hardware Co., which was seur Hardware Co., which was selebrating its 68th Anniversary with a giant "Open House" event which drew 1,500 visitors during the day.

The company was a genial host, serving free refreshments to all who called, and awarding nine handsome gifts to lucky regis-

Single Copy: FIVE CENTS

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PRE-PAYMENT NECESSITATED BY RISING COSTS ...

New Times Subscription **Policy Starts Tomorrow**

The Lincoln Times' faith in its large family of subscribers proved more than justified last week as many Times readers, recognizing the economic squeeze which made the newspaper set a new policy in regard to subscriptions, visited the office and helped The Times to get its subscription lists in order.

It was in the spirit of cooperation which The Times had hoped for that these loyal readers came to the newspaper plant and took care of subscriptions which had gotten inadvertently into arrears, and paid in advance for continuing service.

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GRATIFYING RESPONSE

Such cooperation is gratifying to The Times management and has caused it to rededicate itself and its services to the building and welfare of the Lincoln County and the country. The Times had for years found it possible not to insist on such provided by rising costs to do so large paying the continuing service.

and paid in advance for continuing service.

A FORCED DECISION

The Times' new subscription policy, made necessary by skyrocketing costs in regard to labor, enwsprint, metal, ink, and every-thing that goes into the making of a newspaper, will become effective.

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WLON Requests 4-H Achievement

The announcement came from

the Federal Communication Comcission in Washington last week.
Jack Brown, general manager
of WLON, stated that the request, if granted, will double
the station's power capacity
and widen the station's reception area to include around
30,000 additional homes.

If the power increase application is approved by the FCC.
Brown said, the station would go
1,000 watts (1 kilowatt withbe next month or so.

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Radio Station WLON, Lincolnton, has applied for an increase the 4-H Achievement Program. It will be held Wednesday night, No-like and 7:30 p.m. The formal program will be fol-

vember 16th and 7:30 p.m.

The old gym at the Lincolnton
High School will be the place for

boys.

Dennis Setzer, Jr., of the Asbury

He is no slick-tongued, patent-

satisfying life than Mr. Eide ha

His has been a career of a

man who has worked hard and who has played with the same degree of intensity. Always ready for a fight or a frolic (sometimes they seem to have been blended together!) he has

now largely put aside personal ambition and is taking an active part in the development of our foremost military outpost. (Mos-

cow papers: please copy.)
An evening with Mr. Eide is one

.T LHS CAFETERIA . . .

Executives Club Dinner Meeting Thursday Night

Harlan Heafner, club president, here to tell of his personal exreports that a combination of the best characters out of Jack London, Robert W. Service and Rex been quite torrid and of advendench will appear "in person" at the next meeting of the Lincoln Executives Club.

The dinner meeting will be the results of the court, and a supper meeting of district Scout count of Honor will be held on Thursday night, November 17, at 7:45 o'clock in the First Presbyterian church.

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Harold Eide, veteran explorer, trapper, trader, and gold miner is the "in person" and he will be had a more colorful and as richly-

Date For Lincoln Area Artificial Heifer Sale Set

had.

All in all, he has spent over a quarter of a century in "Seward's ice box," and no one alive knows Alaska, in all its phases, better than does Mr. Eide. He is a man of much "intestinal fortitude," and he has exercised all of it in carrying out his various objectives in the Far North. The 1956 Artificial Heifer Sale will be held in Statesville August 22. Farmers wishing to consign animals to the sale should breed their animals so as to freshen as their animals so as to freshen as close to sale time as possible. If past experience is a guide, buyers will pay about \$1.00 less for each day the heifer carries her calf after the sale date. For example, if a heifer freshening on sale date would bring \$200, she would bring \$100 for the property \$1.00 for the property \$ only \$170 if she freshened on September 22 (thirty days later).

must be from artificial breeding, well grown, and of sound health.

The only changes in the 1955

animals must be first calf heifers and all animals must be dehorned. Last year, Robert Warlick, Rt. 2, Lincolnton; Sterling Bowman, Rt. 3, Vale; E. C. Rhyne, Rt. 1, Vale; and J. G. Morrison, Rt. 1, Stanley consigned heifers. They were well pleased with the prices their animal brought.

Reports on the three artificial sired heifers that were purchased from the sale last year and brought to Lincoln County are excellent. The purchasers were Loy Howard of Denver and Roy Devine of Iron Station.

For any additional information ontact the county agent's office.

√FW To Have Dance, Bingo

Shipp-Lockman Post No. 1703 Veterans of Foreign Wars, wi sponsor a dance on Saturday night, Nov. 26, at the post home. night, Nov. 26, at the post nome.
The post will sponsor another
in its series of Saturday night
bingo parties on Saturday night,
Nov. 19, an dstill another on Saturday night, Dec. 3.

Power Increase Program Plans To 1,000 Watts Are Completed

The formal program will be followed by a period of active recreation. This will be led by Henry Dameron. Assistant Farm Agent, Cleveland County.

Results of projects will be ex-

this annual event.

JOHNNY LANTZ PRESIDES
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JOHNNY LANTZ PRESIDES
The line of the County 4-H
Council will preside at the meeting. Awards will be given to club
members who have excelled in
the various projects for girls and
hove

All Club members, their parents, leaders, and friends of 4-H are invited to attend. **Scout Court Of** Honor Thursday

The monthly Lincoln County Boy Scout Court of Honor will be

hibited by club members. These exhibits wil be judged on Wednesday afternoon prior to the evening program.

EXHIBIT REQUEST

Members who wish to exhibit some of their work are requested to get it to the office of the agents by noon Wednesday, or to the gymnasium between noon and 3:30 p.m. Judging will begin shortly after 3:30.

court, and a supper meeting of ping Center, Gastonia.

district Scout committeemen at 6 A native of Maiden,

Giles J. Arndt has been named manager of the Citizens National Bank's branch at the Akers Shop-A native of Maiden, Arndt has p.m. at the North State Hotel prior | been with the Gastonia bank since

AT SOUTH ASPEN SCHOOL . . .

Over 200 Lincoln Home Club **Members Attend The Annual Achievement Day Celebration**

Lincoln county's seventeen tome Demonstration clubs held their annual Achievement Day the fitting celebration Friday of the clubs by Mrs. George M. Home Demonstration clubs held their annual Achievement Day with a fitting celebration Friday evening at the South Aspen street school. More than two hundred and fifty club members were pres

MRS. FINGER PRESIDES Mrs. FINGER PRESIDES

Mrs. Cleo Finger, president of
the Lincoln County Council of
Home Demonstration clubs; presided over the business session
when Achievement reports were
given by all the clubs (A list of most of us have wanted to exper- each club's achievements appeared

"FREE" TESTS LOCALLY...

Diabetes Detection Drive Scheduled For This Week

Today, November 14, is the opening of Diabetes Week.

It marks the inauguration of the eighth annual Diabetes Detection Drive sponsored by the American Diabetes Association and conducted locally by Dr. L. A. Crowell, Jr., of the Lincoln County Medical Society.

The public is being reminded through the medias of newspapers, radio and television that today the search for the undetected diabetics

ailment.

Testing Centers are located here in the Crowell Hospital, the office of Dr. Boyce Griggs, and Dr. Edwards' office at Toluca.

The Testing Centers at the respective listed places above will be open from 8 o'clock in the morning until 5 o'clock in the afternoon from today until Saturday, November 19.

Dr. Crowell, local Chairman of the Diabetes Detection Drive, stat-

Mrs. Robert Warlick, of the Mrs. Robert Warnes, of the Union Club won first prize in the best pie contest and Mrs. L. E. Summey of the Vale ciub, won second prize. Third prize winner was Mrs. Howard Bumgarner, County Line Club.

scene 1 — Indian Tableau: Mrs.
(Continued on page 8)

Dean Tallent, 26, Is Injured When Truck Tire "Lady Cotton" Explodes In His Face

Dean Tallent, 26, of Vale, is in the Crowell Hospital with severe facial injuries he received when a truck tire he was repairing ex-ploded in his face about 10:30

A. Crowell, Jr., of the Lincoln
County Medical Society.

The public is being reminded through the medias of newspapers, radio and television that today the search for the undetected diabetics in Lincoln County will be in full swing as Testing Centers begin tests for diabetes.

The tare about 1,000,000 persons in the United States who have the condition (diabetes) but are not aware of it. The purpose of the community.

In the Crowell Hospital, the office of Dr. Boyce Griggs, and Dr. Edwards of Griggs, and Edwards of Griggs, and Dr. Edwards of Griggs, and Edwards of Griggs, and Edwards of Griggs, and Edwards of Griggs, and Edwards of Gr



MAY QUEEN... Miss Eleanor Seagle, daughter of Mrs. Garland Seagle of this city, has recently been elected May Queen at Montreat College, Montreat.

Miss Seagle, who is a senior, majoring in Elementary Education' is the president of her class. Among the other offices she has held include: Chairman of Foreign Missions and Religious Education on the Student Christian Council: Chairman and Secre-Council; Chairman and Secre-tary of the Red Cross Chapter, and a reporter for the Dialette

and a reporter for the Dialette staff.

She is also a member of the college chorus, Kappi Pi Beta literary society, the Collegiate Council of the United Nations. the Life Service group, the Thalians Dramatic Club, and the chapel choir.

P-TA Meeting Tuesday

The South Aspen Street P-TA will hold its regular monthly meeting in the school auditorium Tuesday afternoon Nov. 15th at 3:15. All parents are urged to at-

The \$50 cash prize was claimed by Steven Henry of 210 East Water Street, who was present

to claim his good fortune.

The other winners were:

1—E. W. Rudisill of Lincolnton Rt. 3, a Presto automatic

Congress Street, enough Kurfees paint to dress up two rooms. 3 — Mrs. Albert D. Goodson of Boger City, a Toastmaster toast and jam set. 4—Mrs. Bennett Ballard of Lincolnton Rt. 3, a General Elec-

Two Cars Overturn

In Weekend Lincoln

Two cars "flipped over" in week

end accidents in the eastern section of the county, with minor in-

Highway Accidents

him today for details.

To Be Presented

The Lincolnton Little Theatre

At Iron Station

Indications are that improve ment in range feed conditions and a continuing trend toward enlarg-ing farm flocks will lead to an in-crease in sheep numbers next year. SIXTY-EIGHTH BIRTHDAY EVENT ...

Ramseur Hardware Event

tric steam and dry iron.

5 — Mrs. Hazel Matthews, 311
East Hoke Street, a Presto
automatic coffee-maker,

1 6 — Mrs. J. J. Waldrop of
Vale, Rt. 2, a set of Revere Ware.
7 — Mrs. Guy Lackey of 701
North State Street, a Westclox
electric wall clock.
8 — Ralph Wise of Lincolnton,
Rt. 1, an electric trivet.
The crowds thronged the aisles
of Ramseur Hardware all day long

Attracts 1,500 Persons

All tickets are 50c.

Variety Show

Features Top

The Band Parents Club will again sponsor the Variety Show, which has become an annual event, on Friday night, Nov. 18, at 8 o'clock.

Top performers capable of pro-ducing an evening of fun-packed entertainment will again feature

Presented in the show will be

a variety of numbers including aerobatics, dancing, skits, musical selections, both solo and ensemble. Even an all-girl orchestre to furnish the glamour necssary to make the evening a real success.

It is honed that a full house will

It is hoped that a full house will

be present to enjoy the show and to give their support to the High School Band.

Performers

ed a fatal shooting in the county over the weekend Killed with a lethal blast from a 16-gauge double barrelled shotgun was Pledger Franklin Ray, 34, of Lincolnton,



Shotgun Blast Kills

Pledger Ray; Lincoln

Rev. A. F. Blackburn, of Lan-dis, N. C., will begin a revival meeting at the Friendly Chapel Baptist church Wednesday, No-vember 16. The meeting will continue through November 21 with services being held each evening at 7:00 o'clock. The public is in-

Annie Hoke.

Present officers of the com-pany are: David C. Heavner,

president; E. Carr Heavner, vice-

Sheriff Frank Heavner stated that he was holding in custody L. Berge Williams, 50, also of Lincolnton, Route 4, in connection with the shooting.

Williams has admitted shooting Ray, the sheriff said, but claimed it was in self defense.

Two others were also held for questioning on circumstances sur-rounding the shooting. They were Mrs. Lena Hoyle and Robert Elijah Callaway.

The body of Ray was taken to a The body of Ray was taken to a Morganton hospital where an autopsy will be performed by a doctor there. The Times was, informed. County Coroner Guy E. Cline stated that as soon as the autopsy report is received and the body is returned to Lincolnton, he will call an inquest.

JURY EMPANELLED

Empanelled as a jury for the inquest, the coroner stated, are the following: Frank Kuck, Woodrow Armstrong, M. P. Hedgepath, Ray Small, Fitzhugh Costner and Robert Hawkins. The shooting occurred about

The shooting occurred about 1:30 a.m. yesterday (Sunday) in Williams' home on Lincolnton, Route 4, the Lincolnton-High Shoals highway section, the sheriff

Williams, an unmarried man, williams, an unmarried man, was quoted by the sheriff as saying that he was asleep on a couch in the living room at the front of the house, and that Mrs. Lena Hoyle of Lincolnton, Route 1, was asleep in another room of the house. He claimed that he was awakened by a noise and was awakened by a noise and looked up to see Ray, with a knife in his hand, framed in the doorway from the light burning in the kitchen and it was then that he fired his shotgun at the intruder. the Cobb Building (now the Reinhardt Building (now the Rein-hardt Building and occupied by Conner Furniture Co.), and then in 1903 to its present location on East Main Avenue. The present store building had just been erected by Bob Michael and Mrs.

ONE SHOT FIRED ONE SHOT FIKED

Ray is believed to have died almost instantly after being hit by
the 16-gauge blast. Only one shot
was fired from the gun, the sheriff
added.

Poblagt F. Collaway 20 upmar-

Robert E. Callaway, 20, unmarried, of Lincolnton, Route 4, was The crowds thronged the aisles of Ramseur Hardware all day long and until the store ended a full and successful day at 9 p.m. by posting the names of prize winners.

ONE OF OLDEST

Ramseur Hardware, with Lawing-Keziah Drug Store, are the only two Main Street businesses with so long a standing as members of Lincolnton's business family. Ramseur's was established here in 1887—22 years after the Civil War—by Henry E. and J. B. Ramseur hardware now occupied by Bumgarner's Shell Service Station'

BEGINNING NEXT MONTH...

president: E. Carr Heavner, vice-president and treasurer; and threasurer; and the store, and the firm for 37 years, joining it as a clerk shortly after the Armistice in 1918. Later, he purchased the interest and the stock.

Ramseur Hardware employees include: June H. Summey of Lincolnton, Rit. 4. 17 years with the company: Hubert Gilbert of Lincolnton, with the company for 11 square now occupied by Bumgarner's Shell Service Station.

BEGINNING NEXT MONTH... with Ray at the time of the shoot-

quainted with Kay prior to the shooting, officers reported, and it is alleged there were some differences between the two. Ray, a mechanic at Chaney's near High Shoals, was estranged from his wife, the sheriff was told.

FUNERAL SERVICES
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Funeral services for Ray will be held Tuesday at 4 p.m. in the Salem Baptist Church with burial in the church cemetery.

Surviving are one son, Tommy; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M., Ray; one brother, Cagev Ray; one sister, Mrs. Grace Setzer.

Warlick's Funeral Home has charge of arrangements.

charge of arrangements



RECEIVES EAGLE AWARD ...Barron Lee (above), son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Lee, received his Eagle Scout Award at the October Lincoln County Boy Scout Court of Honor. He has been a Scout for two years and six months with perfect attendance to the weekly meetings and courts of honor. Barron has 43 merit badges and is working on the God and Country award. He is a member of Troop 1, Boger City, of which Woodrow Blanton is Scoutmaster. received his Eagle Scout Award

BEGINNING NEXT MONTH . . .

Lincoln Parents Advised To Have School Children interest of the county, with minor injuries to the drivers and heavy vehicular damages, investigating of ficer Bob Smart reported today. Highway Trooper Smart said a 49 Ford, driven by John Henry Provided the County with minor injuries and the county with minor injuries. Given Third Polio Shot Application of the county, with minor injuries and the county with minor injuries. Given Third Polio Shot Application of the county, with minor injuries and the county with minor injuries and the county with t

Summey of the vate cuto, went second prize. Third prize winner was Mrs. Howard Bumgarner, County Line Club.

Club members who had a perfect attendance record during the year were recognized.

Yay Ford, driven by John Henry Goodson, Jr., of Iron Station, went out of control on the Mariposa and and overturned. The Ford was a "total loss," Smart said, and the driver was charged with reckless driving.

Yay Ford, driven by John Henry Goodson, Jr., of Iron Station, went out of control on the Mariposa ceived their first and second Salk anti-polio shots at clinics last April on May were reminded by health and May were reminded by health althorities today that they should authorities today that they should help with salk vaccine and thus delay with Salk vaccine and thus on the pointed out. Local physicians are reported to have an adequate supply of the vaccine on hand. Dr. J. W. R. Norton, state health officer, has advised parents to have their children who received their first and second Salk anti-polio shots at clinics last April officer, has advised parents to have their children who received their first and second Salk anti-polio shots at clinics last April officer, has advised parents to have their children vaccine on hand. Dr. J. W. R. Norton, state health officer, has advised parents to have their children who received their first and second Salk anti-polio shots at clinics last April officer, has advised parents to have their children who received their first and second Salk anti-polio shots at clinics last April of the vaccine on hand. Dr. J. W. R. Norton, state health officer, has advised parents to have their children who received their first and second Salk anti-polio shots at clinics last April of the vaccine on hand. On the delay with salk vaccine on hand. On the delay with salk vaccine on hand.

Dr. Benton Scott, district health director, told Frank Hull Crowell, Chairman of the Salk polio clinic Barker, traveling west towards Lincolnton, claimed a rear tire on the Olds blew out and caused the car to overturn. The Olds was heavily program in Lincoln county, Lincoln parents should be advised to see the physician of their choice and have the vaccine administered to those who received the first and second shots during last school Patrolman Dave Houston investigated a Sunday traffic accident but The Times was unable to reach

It was pointed out by Dr. Scott that Lincoln county was the only county in the state to adminiser the first and second shots before the school term ended last spring, and that he felt Lincoln county's record of "no polio cases this sum-mer" was due largely to the Salk vaccine, shots the school children

will present the play "Lady Cot-ton" in the Iron Station school auditorium Thursday, November cination clinic here last April, 1.410
Lincoln county first and second
graders were inoculated, and 1.282
administered the shots at the secdoministered the shots at the secMooresville, will replace Graham ond clinic in May

CHARGE OF \$3 CHARGE OF \$3

The first and second shots at these clinics were given free, the vaccine being paid for by the National Polio Foundation.

There will be a charge, however, of \$3 for the third shot it was

PAGEANT PRESENTED
One of the highlights of the evening was the presentation of the pagent "America Sings" under the direction of Charles Loveland. Mrs. H. C. Little of Denver was narrator and Mrs. Dan Mosteller, of Vale, was accompanist.

driving.

A 1955 Oldsmobile, driven by Grady Barker of Davidson. Route twee direction of Charles Loveland. Mrs. H. C. Little of Denver was narrator and Mrs. Dan Mosteller, of Vale, was accompanist.

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A 1955 Oldsmobile, driven by Grady Barker of Davidson. Route the third shot in December. The third shot is reported to be the most effective of the three.

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State Highway Patrolman Harry

Patrolman and Mrs. Graham and their six-year-old daughter, was due largely of the Sala vaccine shots the school children received.

At the first Salk anti-polio vaccination clinic here last April, 1.410 Lincoln county first and second

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James Ray Stutts, 23-year-old vaccine short the party from the property of the party from the party

Mooresville, will replace Granam at Lenoir. Stutts, a graduate of Davidson high school, became a member of the patrol last June 15 and took two months preliminary training at Cherryville, and then attended the Patrol School at Chapel Hill from August 4 to November 4