



Cecil Boone

Boone Named Plant Manager

Cecil N. Boone has been named branch manager and David F. Pluemer assistant manager, sales of the Reynolds Aluminum Supply Company service center in Atlanta, Ga. Mr. Boone, a native of Burnsville, N.C., was assistant branch manager of the industrial metals and building supply firm. He succeeds Howard E. Hartsfield who was promoted to general manager for the Central Region.

Mr. Boone has a BBA in Accounting from the University of Georgia and served in the U.S. Navy from 1951 to '55. He and Mrs. Boone have one daughter, Kelly, 7, and live in Atlanta.

Heritage Homes Expands

Heritage, Inc., one of Western North Carolina's largest building companies, has expanded into Yancey County.

Heritage has two homes under construction on Lincoln Pk. Road in Burnsville, N.C.

Travers Chiott, sales representative, will handle the building operation. He is a native of this area of the state and has over six years experience in the field of real estate and mortgage loans.

Chiott said "the people and leaders of the community have expressed concern about the housing shortage in the county, and pleasure that Heritage has faith in the future of Yancey County".

The firm was founded in February 1962 by a Western North Carolina builder to put up quality homes in all price ranges, on the owner's lots selected by the purchaser. Kenneth A. Partin is president.

Since that time, over 800 homes have been built.

The principal means of financing is through the local mortgage loan companies and insured by the Federal Housing Administration and guaranteed by the Veterans Administration. This type financing, Chiott pointed out, "means that more peo-

Scholarships

Applications are being received for two \$200.00 scholarships, one to be awarded to a senior at each of the high schools in Yancey County. The scholarships are made possible by the Yancey Youth Jamboree sponsored by the Yancey County Chamber of Commerce. The principal at each high school has the application blanks, and it is emphasized that any high school senior who is planning to continue his education may apply.

Application deadline is April 10. The scholarships will be awarded later this spring at the annual Chamber of Commerce Dinner. ple are able to enjoy the many bene fits of home ownership with a small down payment, or no down payment to veterans, and small monthly payments. The Farmers Home Administration is also an important source of financing for Heritage Homs.

Heritage homes are built to "exceed" all building codes and the minimum property standards of FHA and VA, Chiott said.

Homes are complete to every detail, including cleaning of the house, landscaping, and finishing of walks and drives.

Land Of Oz Starts Soon

No, the Land of Oz will not be in full operation on weekends this spring.

But, as a concession to all the people who've been inquiring, part of it will be open to the public--weekends only --starting April 10.

"If we'd known how high the interest was going to run," said Oz general manager Ernie Rhymer, "we'd have made plans for a full opening."

He added, however, that renovations and refurbishing of the park--which last year became the state's top tourist attraction in its first year --would prevent a full opening before June 10.

Starting weekends on April 10, the public will be able to ride a lift to the top of Beech Mountain. They will be able to visit the pinnacle of the mountain, the Oz Museum, the Entry Gazebo area and the Judy Garland Memorial Overlook.

"People won't be able to walk through the entire 'Wizard of Oz' story until June," Rhymer said, "but we think they'll enjoy what they can do."

"And maybe it will help keep them from being mad at us for not opening the full park sooner."





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