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Special Meeting

There will be an educational meeting for everyone interested in strawberry production, blueberries, blackberries and other small fruits, Tuesday, March 22, 1977 at 7:00 p.m. in the courtroom of the Yancey County Courthouse.

Mr. Joe Brooks, Extension Horticultural Specialist in Small Fruits, will be on hand to discuss the cultural practices and suggestions for disease and insect control.

Want to know more about the New Asheville Farmers' Market? Then this is your chance. Don't miss it. Mr. Clayton Davis, Superintendent of the Asheville Market will be here to tell us about the market and answer your questions. Everyone is encouraged to attend.



Forage Production Seminar

Forage production is important to Yancey County's livestock industry. Pictured above, Agricultural Extension Specialists from North Carolina State University, work with a corn research project in Yancey last summer. Results of the work will be shared in a "Forage Production Seminar" scheduled next week March 22, from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at East Yancey Middle School. The seminar is being conducted by the Agricultural Extension Service especially for Yancey livestock farmers. Topics on the agenda include: pasture, management and fertilization, hay crops, management and fertilization, summer annuals, no-till cropping, double cropping systems and corn. The last hour will be devoted to corn varieties, insects, diseases, weed management, fertilization and plant population. The public is invited. Come and bring a friend.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor:
We are writing as concerned parents and home owners. We are very disturbed by the study that is being made to determine whether to turn a great part of Yancey County into a National Park, and we wonder if the people here realize the burden and hardship they will face if this comes about.

We have lived in several different parts of the United States and know how much it cost and the way people live away from here. We moved back in 1970 and bought property and a home which we have worked very hard for. We thought we had found a place where our children could build homes and raise their families. Now we are faced with the threat of a National Park which would take our homes and land and change one of the most beautiful and unspoiled parts of the country left anywhere.

Our children can hunt, fish, swim, and go on outings and enjoy themselves now, so what could a National Park give us that we don't already have? Seems to me the people that will not be in the Park will have to pay higher taxes with that land off the tax rolls.

Go by the U.S. Forest Service Office in Burnsville and check the maps and see for yourselves how much property would be taken and where the proposed boundaries are to be. Do we want it to happen here? If not, we'd better let our Congressman know! Lamar Gudger has a toll-free number in Washington, D.C. that he says we can call with our problems. The number is 1-800-452-2821. Write him, or call and let him know now what your feelings are, before it is too late.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Chrisawn
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[Editor's Note: Congressman Lamar Gudger's address in Washington is as follows:

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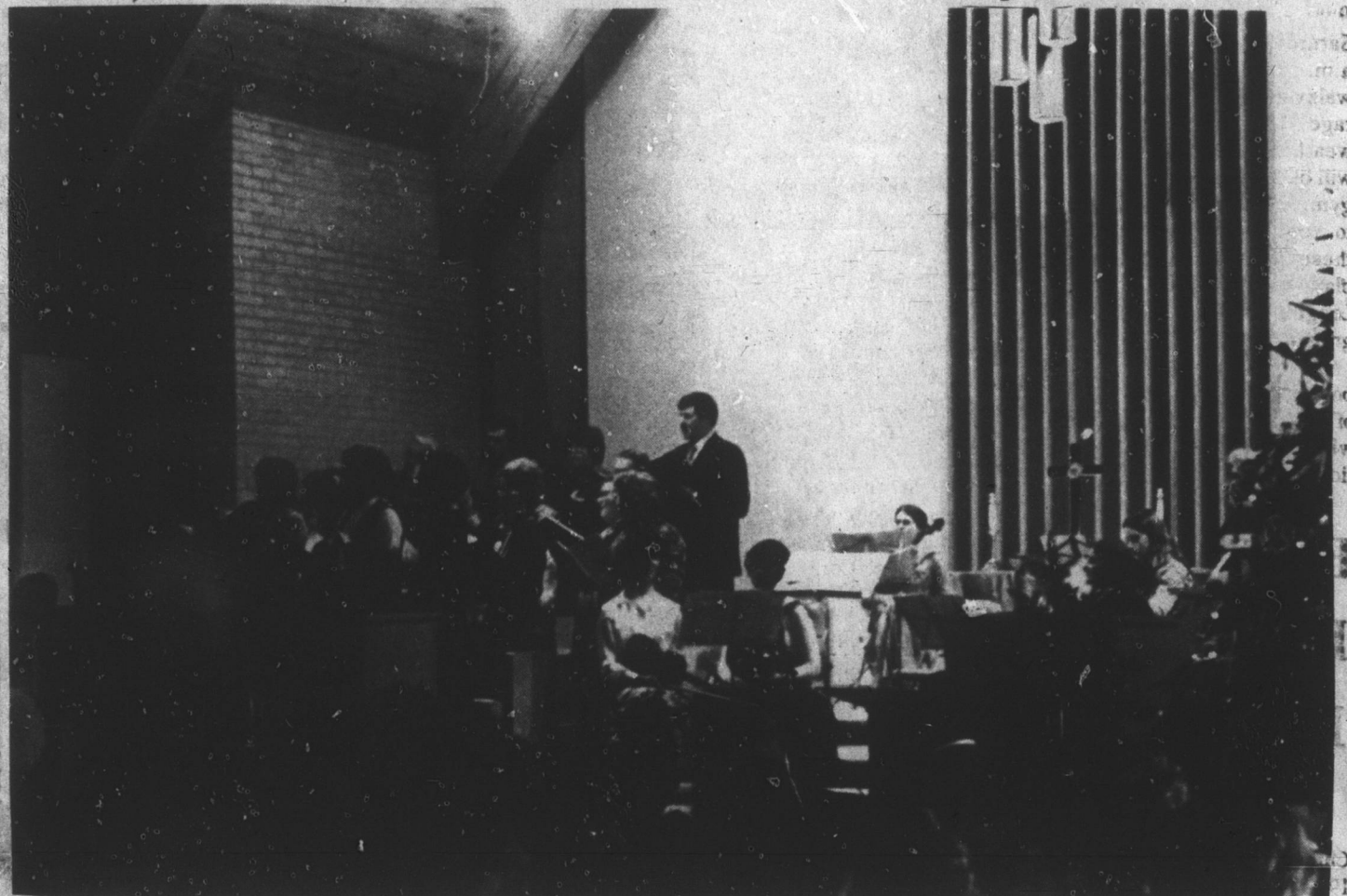
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Burnsville Fire Calls

March 9, Wednesday, 5:25 p.m. Grass Fire 1 1/2 miles West of City Limits along 19E South. 2 Trucks, 12 men responding.

South Toe Fire Calls

March 9, Wednesday, 4 p.m. Brush fire near Lawrence Fox residence in downtown Celso. Fire Dept. Trainee Derek Murphy (nearly 10 years old) organized his friends, used what he had learned in training, and put the fire out. Responding firefighters only had a little mop-up to do. One truck and nine firefighters turned out.

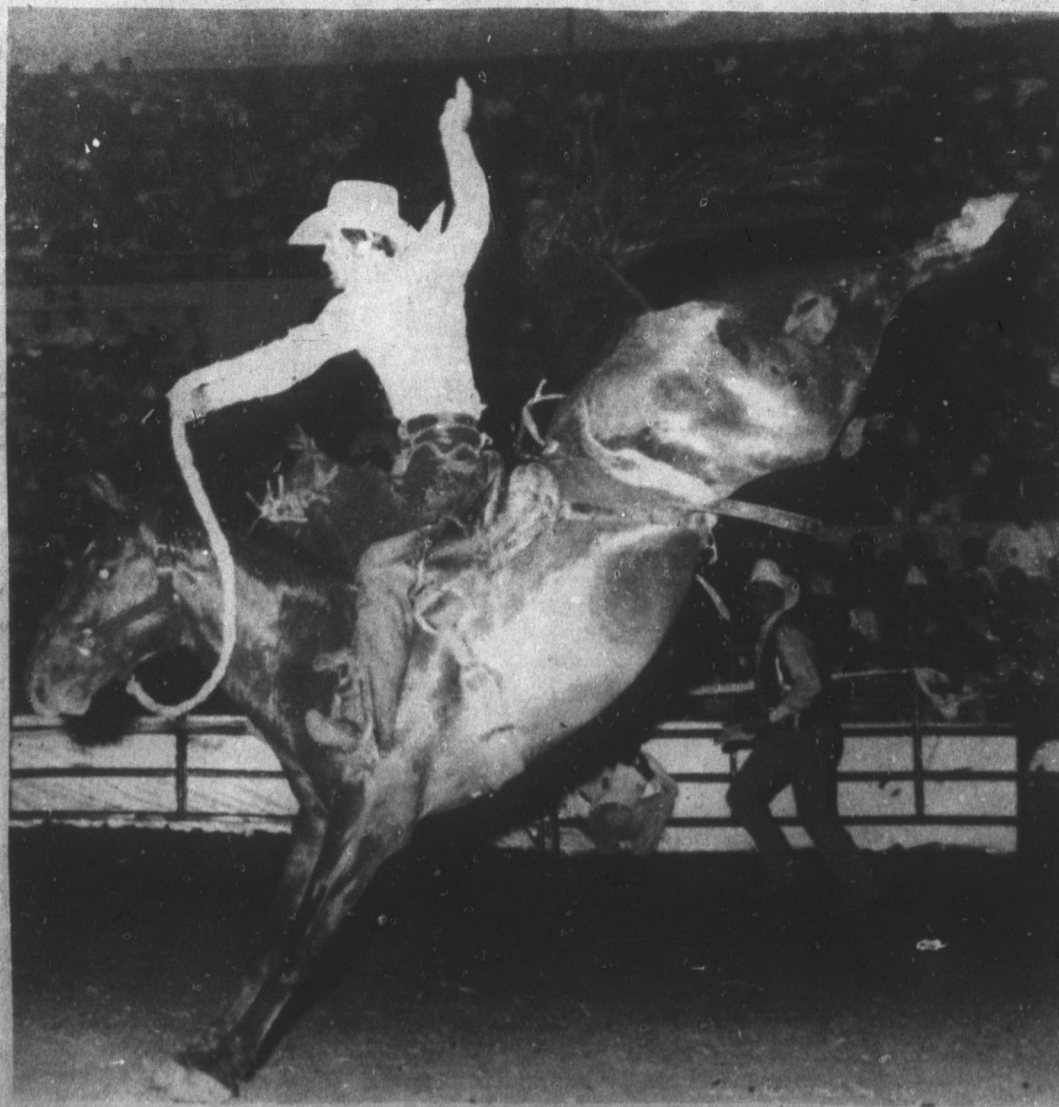


Mayland Community Chorus Rehearsals Set

The Mayland Community Chorus, in its winter concert, will begin spring rehearsals on March 25th at 7:00 p.m. Rev. Ed Heath and the First United Methodist Church have again generously allowed the Chorus to use their fine facility and organ for rehearsals and performance. The Chorus, sponsored by Mayland Technical Institute, will again be directed by the very talented Dr. Lee Beall who has selected interesting and beautiful music for the spring season. All who like to sing choral music are most welcome to join the group.

Spring Tour To Gardens Is Slated

The WNC Horticulture Crops commission has planned a spring tour to Callaway Gardens for April 3-4. Callaway Gardens is located 80 miles south of Atlanta, and is one of America's best known ornamental gardens. The gardens cover more than 2500 acres, and include 600 varieties of azaleas-which should be in full bloom, a large conservatory setting of greenhouses, seasonal flowers, a famed two mile long "holly trail", "wild flower" trail and many other horticultural attractions. The group will stay at the Holiday Inn at the gardens and enjoy 3 buffet meals there. Total cost of the trip will be \$64.00 per person. This includes bus fare, motel (2 per room), all meals, and admission to the gardens. Reservations will be on a first come, basis. It should really be a great tour. If you are interested, call the agricultural extension office for more details (682-6186).



Championship Rodeo This Weekend

This cowboy shows championship form on World Champion Saddle Bronc, Gold Plated. The horse was just presented his championship title for the unprecedented third year in a row by the International Rodeo Association and will be one of the featured animals in the Longhorn World Championship Rodeo in the Asheville Civic Center March 18-20. The rodeo opens Friday with a special \$3.50 all seats Bargain Night 8 p.m. performance and will feature six competitive events, plus professional contract performers between each of the contests, all performances through the weekend. Tickets are available at the main box office and all regular ticket outlets.

Damage Survey

Joseph I. Myers, Area E Coordinator with the N.C. Division of Civil Preparedness announced that the state office of CP has sent representatives to Yancey County to assist the county and town officials in a damage survey for any possible damage the county and town may have experienced from the severe cold of the past two months.

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