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# Friendship Chapel Will Open Defense Smokey Says: Of Title Against Hosiery Mill Monday

The Black Mountain Hosiery Mill softball team, the hard luck boys of the 1947 campaign, will WITH THE LEADERS meet Friendship Chapel at 7 p. m. on Monday, May 17, in the opening game of the Church softball league. An hour later the Methodists will take the field against Ridgecrest. Friendship won the title last season.

Mayor J. L. Potter will officially open the season by pitching the first ball from the mound promptly at 7 o'clock. Ronald E. Finch, president of the Lion's club will be the batter, with Alfred Tyson, Jr., vice-president of the junior chamber of commerce, behind the Walter H. Styles, president of the three series at the end of the Jaycees, who will be away on vaseason.

night the season will run through bitions, according the schedule released by Eugene Byrd, league have been left open for makeups. The first half will end on June 25. The championship will be de-

Team standings	W	L
V. F. W.	7	1
Flat Creek	6	2
Biltmore	6	2
Hominy Valley	5	2 2 3 4
Marshall	5	3
Valley Springs	4	4
Barnardsville	3	5
Weaverville	3	5
Venable	3	5
Black Mountain	2	5
Rockwell-Ballew	2	6
Beacon	2	6
Enka	2	6

plate. Mr. Tyson will represent half meeting in a best two out of

All teams have been materially With games scheduled for each strengthened since the close of Monday, Tuesday, and Friday play last year and will be gunning for the crown worn by Everett August 13, with the rest of Stephenson and his Friendship August being given over to exhi- Chapel mates. Doss Kerlee has a strong aggregation lined up for the Methodist, while Cecil Nanney president. A few Friday nights and his Baptist crew will attempt to regain some of the glory lost last year. Doyle Turner's Ridgecrest team may prove to be the darkhorse of the league but will be pushed for the seat of honor by Bill White and his hard driving Presbyterians and the Hosiery mill boys under the direction of Ed Reed.

As this will be the first full season under the lights, President Byrd is expecting a banner season. The big 10 hitters will appear

Mr. Byrd as president, J. O. Williams, treasurer, and an executive committee composed of Ed Reed, Cecil Nanney, Joe Mackney, Doyle Turner, Everett Stephenson, Doss Kerlee, and Bill White. The complete schedule follows:

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After much discussion it was decided not to increase the membership of the league this year. There is one important change in the rules. Any player desiring to play in the league and not being a member, employee, or regular attendant of the church or group he represents must be waived or accepted by the lowest teams in the league standings at the time he aplies before he may play with a higher ranking team.

The Black Mountain Junior chamber of commerce assumes financial responsibility of the league. Any profits that may accrue from the league are to be used in the improvements of the athletic field.

The league is organized with

## Miss Burney Directs May Day Program

May Day festivitties are to be held on the afternoon of May 22, at 4 o'clock in Central Park. The processional will be "Pomp and Circumstance" and as the court enters onto the grassy slope down into the park, it will be heralded by voices blended in our May Day

Representatives to the court have previously been named. To these young ladies' names, however, can be added the name of a young gentleman, Billie Burkes, who will act as crownbearer.

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### Wade H. Boggs and Charles B. S. Kraemer To Deliver Addresses

Speakers for the Montreat commencement services were recently announced by Dr. Mc-Gregor. Reverend Wade H. Boggs, who is executive secretary of the Committee of Christian Education and Ministerial Relief. Louisville. Kentucky, will preach the Baccalaureate sermon at the eleven o'clock service on Sunday morning, May 23. The Reverend Charles E. S. Kraemer, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Charlotte, will deliver the commencement address at the exercises, Monday, May 24.

Chapel exercises on Saturday consist of the presentation of scholarship, athletic, and other

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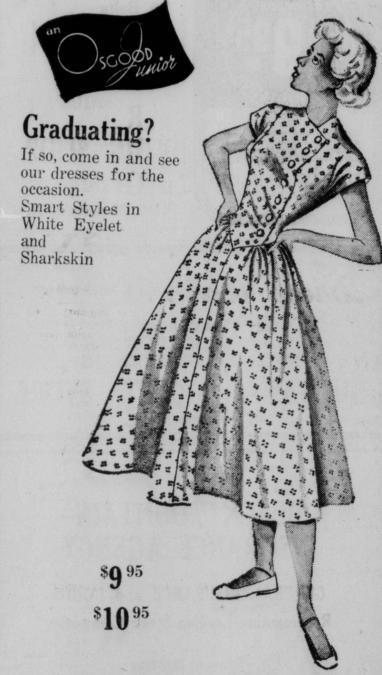
Another special service during the last weekend will be the final vesper program of the Christian Youth Fellowship on Sunday evening, which will be led by a guest

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