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THE NEWLY ORGANIZED SWANNANOVA MEN'S CLUB ...



Werner Mair of Munich, Germany, and John Connet, director of music at Warren Wilson college, presented the program for the September meeting of the Swannanoa Men's club which was held at Grandma's Kitchen. The group voted to sponsor a minstrel which they hope to stage within the near future. Arnold Powell is president. Photo by Ellington

## Black Mountain Super Market Grand Opening Set For Friday & Saturday

### Expect Completion Of Locker Plant By Oct. 15

The grand opening of the Black Mountain Super Market (formerly Shaw's store) has been set for Friday and Saturday, H. B. Sabiston, co-owner and manager announced today. Doors will open at 8:30 A. M. The super market is located on the street floor of the Black Mountain Freezer Locker plant on Montreat road, south of the Shaw's store building. Opening of the freezer locker plant will take place about the middle of October.

Called one of the most modern super markets in Western North Carolina, the new store is 53 feet wide and 94 feet long. The Acorn Shop occupies a small portion of the northwest corner of the building, with the manager's office directly in back. Storage space is provided in the rear on the main floor.

Except for the meat section the super market will be completely self service. The frozen food display will be second to none while the meat department will include high grade western meat, ocean fresh fish, and poultry. Produce will be displayed in refrigerated cases furnished by the Warren company of Atlanta. The House of Herb has been added, as well as other new lines of groceries.

Manager of the meat market will be John Turbyfill of Spruce Pine, who has had 21 years' experience. Native of Mitchell county, the new butcher has served for the past 15 years as market manager and butcher at the M and W market in Spruce Pine. He hopes to bring his wife and two sons to Black Mountain within the near future.

Steady growth of the business at the old location prompted Mr. Sabiston, who came to Black Mountain in March, 1947, and purchased a half interest in Shaw's store from his sister, Mrs. Alma Shaw, to seek a site with more floor space. Although a native of North Carolina and educated in the Asheville school system, Mr. Sabiston was engaged in the construction contracting business in Miami for several years. During World War II he became associated with the U. S. Division Engineers in Atlanta which position he resigned to come to Black Mountain.

The original Shaw's store was built by a Mr. Fulture, who is now in California. The late John M. Shaw of Wilmington came to Black Mountain and purchased the business from M. R. Sabiston in 1921. The Shaws operated the business until Mr. Shaw's death in 1945. Mrs. Shaw then took over active management until March, 1947, when a half interest was sold to her brother, H. B. Sabiston.

Maxine Westall will act as super market cashier and Calvin Melton will have charge of the stock and warehouse.

### O.E.S. Bake Sale Will Be Saturday

The O.E.S. will hold a bake sale on Saturday, Sept. 25, at the Black Mountain Grocery co., beginning at 9:00 a. m. Anyone who wishes a special order, is asked to call 3521 or 3061.

### C. OF C. MEETS MONDAY

The Black Mountain chamber of commerce will meet at the city hall Monday, Sept. 27, at 7:30 p. m. for the first meeting since June. President Charlie Spencer has asked that all members attend to hear the reports of the summer activities and to discuss plan for the fall and winter.

## Lions To Resume Fire Truck Drive

The Black Mountain Lions club board of directors, at a business meeting held last week, voted to accept the responsibility for the raising of \$1500 to purchase a fire truck for the Town. The club considered the project in May, 1947, but it was postponed in order not to conflict with the field lighting drive then in progress by the jaycees. This money is to be raised by the first of January, 1949.

## YDC Convention Well Attended

Roy A. Taylor of Black Mountain was one of the two Buncombe county delegates chosen to attend the YDC convention held last week in Greensboro. The convention was attended by several hundred young Democrats from over the state.

According to the Raleigh NEWS and OBSERVER attempts were made to draft Mr. Taylor for the presidency of the club, but he turned it down. The president will spend six weeks prior to the fall election at the state Democratic headquarters in Raleigh and will be expected to do extensive travelling throughout the state attending district rallies and other meetings.

## Friendship Rally Day Sunday

Next Sunday beginning at 10:00 o'clock Rally-Day services will be held at Friendship Presbyterian church on the Montreat road. All members of the Sunday school and members of the church are urged to be present to help make this a red-letter day. The Montreat bus will run to bring young and old for this happy occasion. It will leave Montreat lake at 9:15 and will reach Padgett Town at Gardner's corner at 9:30 o'clock where it will turn around, returning by Montreat road to pick up members from North Fork road and beyond.

## P.F.C. A. V. J. Hollifield Services To Be Sunday

Funeral services for P.F.C. A. V. J. Hollifield will be held at the Mountain View church on North Fork at 2:00 Sunday with the Rev. Eugene Byrd officiating. Interment will be in the Ballard cemetery on Reems Creek. The body arrived at the Harrison Funeral home in Black Mountain Tuesday afternoon.

### LIGHT BREAKERS WARNED

Those responsible for the breaking of street lights on Lakey street were warned today by Mayor J. L. Potter that this is strictly against the law and that violators will be prosecuted. "We've had trouble all over town but particularly on Lakey Street," Mr. Potter said.

### WMS MEETS TUESDAY

The Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church will hold the regular meeting, Tuesday, Sept. 28, 8:00 p. m. in the Memorial room of the church. The Lucy Wright Circle will be in charge of the program.

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## Transportation To Church Offered

The Victory Cab co. will again offer free transportation to and from church and Sunday school. Beginning Sunday, Finley Stepp will take his bus out the old Asheville highway, across the Morgan village and return to Black Mountain by way of the new highway and Blue Ridge road. He will then make a trip up Montreat road and back to the churches.

Transportation will be free. Anyone living along the route covered may ride to and from church. The bus will leave downtown Black Mountain at 9:30 for the first trip and immediately after the close of church services for the return trip home.

## Church Women Plan Program

The Interdenominational Council of Church Women met Thursday evening at the home of Miss Margaret Hay. Plans were made for the program for World Community Day on Nov. 5 at the Presbyterian church. An offering will be taken for medical supplies at this service and everyone is requested to bring "towel bundles" for children overseas. Organizing a junior choir was discussed at the meeting. Everyone is urged to attend the World Community Day program.

## Mrs. Ben Kincaid Is Electrocuted

Mrs. Ben Kincaid of Miami, Fla., was electrocuted Tuesday afternoon when she got hold of a live wire while attempting to rearrange the radio aerial in her yard, according to information received by her brother-in-law Wade Morrow of Black Mountain. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at the Ridgecrest Baptist church.

The Kincaids have spent their summers at Ridgecrest for the past 15 years and are well known in this community.

Mrs. Kincaid is survived by the husband Ben; a daughter, Mrs. Horace Lytle of Atlanta; a son Ben Jr., of Miami; two sisters, Mrs. Wade Morrow and Mrs. G. B. Field, both of Black Mountain, and two brothers Henry and Herbert Quarterman of Thomasville, Ga.

### With The Sick

Mrs. Lee Morris has returned from Mission hospital and is recovering nicely.

## Red Cross Annual Meeting October 11

The Black Mountain-Swannanoa chapter of American Red Cross will hold the annual meeting, Monday, Oct. 11, at 7:30 p. m., at the Black Mountain Methodist church. All members of this chapter are expected to attend.

The meeting is being held for the purpose of electing new officers and reporting the chapter activities for the past year. Dr. C. D. Thomas, chairman, requests a full attendance.

## Ponies Gallop Against Bulldogs Here Friday

The Biltmore Bulldogs, sporting a new coach and several new boys who transferred this year from Haw Creek, will come to town Friday afternoon to help Eugene Byrd and his Darkhorses launch the 1948 campaign which they hope will result in the return of the county grid championship to the Key City. The crown is now worn by the Warriors from Swannanoa. Game time is 3:00 o'clock.

Bill Estes, former Cullowhee player, is the new head coach at Biltmore, replacing Norton. Biltmore was strong last season but the addition of the Haw Creek boys will give them depth, something lacking in 1947.

As a whole the Black Mountain squad is in fair condition for the first encounter. Coaches Eugene Byrd and McKinley Hensley have been working hard for the past few days ironing out the weak spots in offense and defense. However, the victory path was darkened Monday when Letterman Carrol Stevens injured a knee in practice and may be forced to the sidelines for the opener.

The following boys have shown up well in early drills and may see action during the game.

Ends, Osteen, Gregg, Burgin, White, and Ingle.

Tackles, Morris, Rice, Nichols, Chandler, and Wheelon.

Guards, T. Reed, McIntosh, and Stepp.

Centers, R. Reed, and York.

Backs, Milbee, Capps, C. Reese, White, O. Reese, Glenn, Fox, Bartlett, Ramsey, Smith, and Spence.

### BOARD MEETS MONDAY

The executive board of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Swannanoa Presbyterian church will meet on Monday afternoon, Sept. 27, at the home of the president Mrs. T. J. Hunter. All members are urged to be present.

## Warriors To Open Against Sand Hill

Only two lettermen will be among the 11 boys which Coach E. Y. Neill, former Cullowhee star, will start against Sand Hill when the county champions open the season before the home folks tomorrow (Friday) afternoon at Swannanoa.

Gone will be the boys who made Swannanoa a power to be feared on both the gridiron and court among county foes last season. In their place the head man, who moved to Swannanoa this year from Weaverville, will have a team composed chiefly of ninth grade boys and the two lettermen.

Although the team is green and inexperienced, the Warriors always field a fighting team and this season should be no exception. A large crowd is expected to be on hand when toe meets leather promptly at 3:30 p. m. As the NEWS went to press, Coach Neill was still undecided about his opening lineup.

## P.-T.A. Studies School Problems

The Black Mountain P.T.A. held their first meeting of the year last Thursday afternoon in the Grammar school auditorium. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. A. F. Tyson, Jr., who welcomed the old and new members. The Rev. Thad McDonald gave the devotional. The new high school teachers were introduced by N. C. Shuford and the new grammar school teachers by A. W. McDougle.

Officers for this year are: Mrs. Tyson, president; Mrs. Dempsey Whitaker, 2nd vice president; Miss Lou Lindsey, corresponding secretary; Mrs. R. T. Hill, recording secretary; and Mrs. Percy Justus, treasurer. Standing committees are: program, Mrs. Roy Taylor; ways and means, Mrs. Dempsey Whitaker; membership, Mrs. Robert Franklin; hospitality, Mrs. Zeb Sawyer; high school committee, Mrs. E. V. Gouge; publicity, Mrs. Harry Barkley; publication, Mrs. R. H. Kaplan; health and summer roundup, Mrs. Max Woodcock; room count, Miss Bonnie Shuford, and recreation, Mrs. Eunice Beddingfield.

### SERVICES CONTINUE

Special services will be held tonight and tomorrow night at the Black Mountain Methodist church as the special week of preaching draws to a close. The public is invited to attend the services which begin each evening at 7:30.