Tinka Crawford won the first place award in the recent writing contest, sponsored by the Black Mountain Arts Club. Entries were received from Montreat, Warren Wilson, Swannanoa and Black Mountain. Second place was given to Fred Hunt, also a student at Black Mountain high school, and member of the junior class. Judges were members of the Asheville Pen Women, a national organ-

Approximately 30 boys turned out for baseball practice, which began last Tuesday, under the direction of coaches Tate and Morgan. Most of the home games are being played on Wednesday afternoon, in order that the merchants can attend most of the games. Let's everyone give our team your best support by attending all the games you can.

In the basketball intramurals, Mr. Nesbitt's sophomores and the freshmen are tied for first place in the boys' division, while Woody's 9th, the sophomores and the juniors are all tied for first place in the girls' division. Several good



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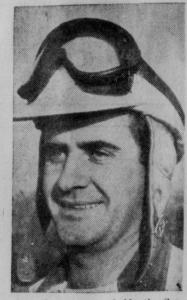
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Borough Named Sales Manager

Appointment of Randal B. Borough to the newly-created position of car sales manager was announced today by C. Gordon Johnston, Charlotte istrict sales manager of the Ford Motor company's Ford Division.

Mr. Borough will supervise new car sales in North and South Carolina in his new assignment. He formerly was used car and truck sales manager for the Charlotte district.

Creation of the car sales department was necessitated by the continued development of this area as a center of automotive sales activity, Mr. Johnston said announcing the appointment. Mr. Borough joined Ford in January, 1946, four days after his discharge from the U.S. marine corps. He was a student in the company's orientation course and then was appointed administrative assistant in the truck and fleet sales department at Dearborn.

players have revealed themselves in these games, and should afford some new talent for the varsity when next basketball season rolls

Several practice teachers from Montreat college have been teaching here this week. Miss Kathercause steering parts failure, loss of control, ine Grosclose has been teaching blow-outs—ACCIDENTS! BEFORE that the commercial subjects in the happens, come in for Safety check-up on place of Mrs. Woody, Miss Frances Brown has been teaching English for Mrs. Perley, Miss Jean Spellman has been teaching English for Mrs. Trueblood, and Miss Charlotte Roth has been teaching biology for Mr. Seawright.

The Journalism Club had an April Fool's party on Friday night, March 31, in the high school lunchroom. Approximately 3 5 people were present. Each member of the club was allowed to bring one guest, however all members were not present, since there were several other activities on the same night. Round dancing and square dancing was enjoyed by those present, and several "acts" were given by some of the members of the club, after which refreshments were served. Tommy Spence served as master of ceremonies.

Plans are in the making for an "open house" in the near future, where all the parents can attend and have an opportunity to see how the different classes are taught. After this, lunch will be served, and the event will be concluded with a field day. This will consist of different athletic activities, such as the hundred yard dash, the running broad jump, high jump, sack race, and many other activities. The one which was held last year was very successful.

EASTER PROGRAM

There will be an Easter program at the Church of God Sunday evening, April 9, at 7:30 p. m. Everyone is invited to attend. CLASSIFIEDS SELL-Phone 4101

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ELIJAH P. BRANK

Elijah P. Brank, 72, resident of the Riceville section and retired day at his home.

Surviving are the wife; daughters, Mrs. Frank L. Allen and Mrs. H. L. Ingle of Swannanoa; three sons, Clarence L., Sam J. and Carl E. Brank, all of Swannanoa; three brothers, John Brank of High Shoals and Brad and Kelly Brank, both of Icard, and a sister Mrs. Leona Haslett of Atlanta, Ga.

Funeral services were held in Berea Baptist church here Wednesday at 2 p. m. with the Rev. A. D. Smith, the Rev. Troy Lunsford and the Rev. W. M. Hyde officiating. Burial was in Brank ceme-

Pallbearers were J. B. Padgett, Lanny Banks, Lloyd Creasman and

Monte Vista Hotel Now Open To Guests

After having been closed for the winter months, the "Monte Vista" is now open to guests.

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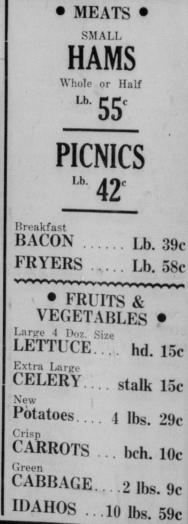
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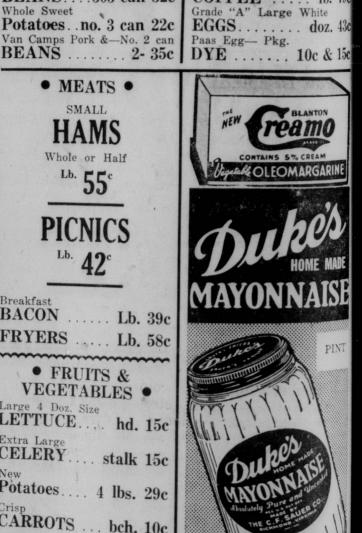


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