pport The Youth Program

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Scouts Will ticipate In cial Program

troops of Black Mounwannanoa will take part national program to be 20 at 3 p.m. in the

auditorium. troop will take part in which will also in-Hands Across the tainment provided oreign students from college. A col-Juliette Low Interiend will be made at arents and friends are

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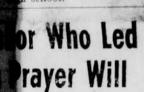


Charles D. Caldwell is 82nd Airborne Diort Bragg. ber of the 82d, he will

anced training in miland participate in ing exercises and manuthe division throughaldwell is the son of Mr.

W. Reese, who reside Mountain. He received training at Fort Jackson,

1953. to entering the Armed he attended Black Moun-



Swannanoa Merchants Association Makes Plans For Campaign

Carter C. Uzzell **Receives** Watch

Carter Uzzell, owner and manager of Uzzell's Rexall Drug store, has recived a coin watch, containhis army career ing the following inscription on the back: "Golden anniversary award to Carter C. Uzzell for outstanding achievement 1953." Rex-

all Drug company. The solid gold 17 jewel Swiss watch was given to Mr. Uzzell for his store having shown a 50 per

cent increase in Rexall sales for 1953

MRS. CLARA CRAWFORD TAKES 2nd IN CONTEST

FROM NEW YORK MEET

Clara Lundie Crawford (Mrs. James A.) has been notified by the National Chairman of Juveniles. of the Biennial Contests, National League of American Pen Women. J. P. Ashley, Mrs. Rhoda Riddle that she won second place in the Mrs Pearl Perkins, Mrs. Della contest for best Tiny Tot Story Hurst, and Mrs. Myrtle Stepp do with a story for the four to six personal service for patients on year olds, entitled, "The Chicken wards such as distributing ciga-That Went To Kindergarten." rettes, toilet articles, magazines,

Named Chairman **Service Groups**

Mrs. H. A. Kerlee has been appointed chairman of volunteer service groups from the Black Mountain-Swannanoa ARC chapter who serve the patients at the Swannanoa Division VA hospital and WNC sanatorium. Forty-two persons have served 4056 hours during the past year. The work comprises: occupational therapy instructors: Miss Genevive Fisher. weaving; Mrs. Oscar Kanner, art. and Miss Emma Southworth, tailoring. Gray Ladies: Miss Lily Woods, Mrs. Eula Croy, Mrs. W. M. Pate, Mrs. Mary Aleshire, Mrs.

Approximately 98 per cent of and meets each month to discuss Swannanoa business places were problems of mutual interest. Mrs. H. A. Kerlee Swannanoa business places were problems of mutual interest. ing at the Towne Grill at which D. W. Harrison, president of the time plans for a coming "Shop organization, is seated in the Joseph's hospital. ing at the Towne Grill at which in Swannanoa" campaign were center of the table, flanked by presented by the publicity and Harry Noblitt on his right and advertising committee, discussed William A. Porter on his left. The and adopted by the membership. "Shop in Swannanoa" drive will The Swannanoa Valley Merchants start in the near future. association was organized recently by Darby Photo Service)



(Photo Wyly Quits Post At Montreat

Last Saturday evening the men on the grounds at Montreat planned and carried out a surprise party honoring Francis (Mike) Wyly who has recently resigned om his position with the Asso iation as superintendent of grounds. The surprise was obvious as the door opened to admit 30 or more friends trooping in with laughter and greetings, thoughtfully bringing with them refreshments for the crowd. Mrs. Joe Reese was the competent mistress of ceremonies, assisted by Mrs. Wyly, and after games were played, everyone added to the enjoyment by recalling "the time I was most frightened —or embarrassed." Wives in the group served refreshments, the high point of which was a superb chocolate cake baked by Mrs. George Tatham. Group singing followed the refreshments, and before the guests took their leave, the Rev. H. L. Henson offered son of prayer. A handsome per and pen-Hubert Massey, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Massey of cil set was given to Mr. Wyly by Black Mountain, is serving with the men, with J. P. Williams makthe U.S. army in Germany. He ing the presentation speech. is with the 462nd QM company. Among other guests were Joe fee hour has been held every Prior to going overseas Hubert Reese, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Harwood, Wilson Watkins, Lester Ro-Va., and Camp Kilmer, N. J. He land, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nanney and two small sons, Doyle Burgess, school and was employed at Bea-Mr. and Mrs. Joe Quinn, Mr. and con Manufacturing company when He ex-Mrs. Oden Walker, Oliver Mundy, he entered the service. Floyd Roberts, Ben Snead, Sam Effler, Liston Worley, Tom Cox, Miss Vickie Samburg, Mrs. J. P. VALENTINE PARTY Williams, Mr. and Mrs. James HELD AT CLUBHOUSE Morgan, Bob Bartlett, and George Tatham. Graduate of Biltmore college A pretty party was given at the parties to patients at the WNC Swannanoa club house Thursday, where he starred in football, Mr. Feb. 11, honoring Mrs. D. G. Lew- Wyly came to Montreat as super-Lewis is the wife of Captain Lew- his return from three years' duty is of the State Highway Patrol with the army in the Middle East and Mrs. Johnston the wife of and Europe. At Biltmore college Lieut. Johnston. Hostesses for the Wyly was one of the outstanding occasion were Mrs. L. O. Wright, junior college guards in the south Mrs. H. E. McKinney, Mrs. Des- and helped spark the team to one Training Command at Little Creek, pins were presented to Mrs. Marg-Va. Upon completion of four part of the presented to Mrs. Marg-Lacker The Velocity of Mars Hill was the only the set of the set o carried out in the decorations and the state to defeat the Bulldogs that season.

Date Of World Day **Of Prayer Is Set** Friday, March 5

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YOUR COUNTY NEWSPAPER

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1954, BLACK MOUNTAIN, NORTH CAROLINA

The World Day of Prayer will be observed here on Friday, March 5, with services in the hospitals, schools, and churches. Always held on the first Friday in Lent, the World Day of Prayer is the one day each year when all Christians everywhere are given the opportunity to participate in a day dedicated to prayer, and an effort toward a better understanding of the world-wide Christian enterprise.

There will be outstanding speakers, and a worship service will be used, based on the theme. "That They May Have Life", from John 10:10. The same service, written by Sarah Chakko, president of Isabella Thoburn college, in Lucknow, India, will be used in many languages around the world.

Mrs. Marshall Mott is chairman Jones, son of the late Mr. and play, "Broken Dishes," a 3-act of the observance and her com- Mrs. George Wesley Jones of Gads- comedy by Martin Flavin, directed mittee includes: Mrs. S. S. Cooley, ton, Ala., Sept. 25, 1953 in Kings- by Y. L. Medlin. While no profit Gordon Greenwood, Mrs. Mary Aleshire, Miss Alice McLean, tree officiating. and Mrs. Howard Kester.

with black accessories and a red phases of its production. The United Council of Church rose corsage. Mrs. Jones was Women sponsors the World Day graudated from Swannanoa High of Prayer each year. school in 1951. Mr. Jones attend-

LOOK AT WHO'S HERE!

during World War II. Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Philbeck Mrs. Jones are now residing at have a son born Feb. 14 in St. 4444 Laclede avenue, St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wayne Hutchinson



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Mrs. Robert Jones

The bride wore a light blue suit

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in the 82nd Airborne squadron

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Little Theatre Group Seeking New Members

The Swannanoa Valley Little Theater Group, at a business meeting Tuesday night, Feb. 9, made plans to celebrate the first anniversary of its organization at a covered dish dinner next month at the Swannanoa Community Center; and also discussed means of interesting and enrolling new members.

The group has a present membership of 20, including residents of Swannanoa, Black Mountain, and Oteen, with Mrs. John Kelly as chairman. Its purpose is to bring together all those in the community who are interested in any field of dramatic endeavor-writing, directing, staging, and costuming, as well as acting-for pleasure Mrs. Roy Holbert of Swannanoa and experience. During the past announces the marriage of her year, the group has held periodic daughter. Ila Mae, to Robert Earl meetings, and has produced one ton, Ga., with the Rev. J. A. Crab- was realized on this play, all expenses were made, and the group gained valuable experience in all

> Any profits from future productions will be used for adding to the resources of the group in the way of scenery, costumes, etc., and for community projects. In this connection, the Little Theater Group, while not seeking sponsorship, will welcome the opportunity to work with any civic organization that wishes to take over responsibility for promotion, publicity and ticket sales for a production, in return for a share of the proceeds. No play has been selected, but plans are being made for a spring or early summer production.

New members are being sought for the group, and anyone interested is invited to see or phone Mrs. John Kelly, Asheville 2-1791, or Mrs. Sam Alexander, Black Mountain 2352

New Employment Bureau Opens

The employment bureau, sponsored jointly by the American and the elementary PTA.

is set up and ready for operation,

According to the plan head-

quarters will be Earley's Drive-

In Cleaners and Lormay's Depart-

ment store. A list of those ap-

plying will be made showing their

age, address, phone number, sex,

training and availability and

All of those desiring employ-

ment which includes baby sitters,

lawn mowers, etc., are requested

to list with the above. Those who

wish help of any kind are invited

to use the service. It is further

understood that the American

Legion and the PTA will assume

no responsibility for the character

or conduct of those employed. All

arrangements are between the em-

ployer and the employee. The

agency does not check the refer-

ences of those applying, but will

by the above organizations under

the 1954 Finer Carolina program,

Charles Spencer, general chairman.

Students To Hear

This is a free service furnished

serve only as a listing bureau.

officials announced today.

charges for work.

Ministry

, son of Mr. and R. McMahan of Buck-Swannanoa, leaped into prominence recently ed 59 other passengers after their plane became started to run out of fuel Pacific Ocean.

ie, on its way from To ed safely in Honolulu gas tanks almost empty McMahan, 20, entered Oct. 1, 1951, and was to a Hawaiian girl on June Both plan to enter the when he is discharged navy next year.

ended Swannanoa school nployed at Morgan Mancompany at the time stment.

g to press dispatches acific McMahan showed gers the four life rafts y 20 people each and aimly what doors to go of emergency.

knelt down near the rear and began saying Mr. and Mrs. Rector Ledbetter, e continued. "They was graduated from officer candiseats and bowed their aid prayers with me. mission at Newport, Rhode Island, prayed for 20 or 30 on Jan. 29

Ensign Ledbetter is a graduate his was in progress the of Black Mountain High school e plane was throbbing with the class of '49 and received a few hundred feet his Bachelor of Science degree in

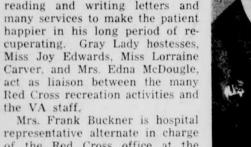
HARDSON SPEAKS ETHEART BANQUET or High department of weeks' instruction there, he will ing Union of the First attend Enginemen's School at urch held a sweetheart Great Lakes, Illinois. ast Saturday night. Dr. poke to the group on as a home port. ems, A skit "Seven Life," was given by MRS. ZELLNER RETURNS the department. Missapps and Ruby Mattox everal vocal duets.

and Mrs. Yvette Zellner of Black was centered with a Mountain of the nursing staff of gement of mixed flow- the VA Hospital, Oteen, have just ents of Seawright returned from the first national Present were: Dr. conference of operating room GIRL SCOUT TROOP Richardson, the nurses, held at the Hotel New W. A. Huneycutt, Yorker, New York City. Frank Hudson, Mr. than 2000 nurses attended. Wilson, Mr. and The three-day conference inkins, Miss Harriet cluded talks and demonstrations Nilla Hall, Mrs. by doctors and nurses interested Miss Mary Rice, in operating room problems and Billingsley, A. C. procedures. A panel discussion. Elliott, Ann El- "New Trends in Surgery" conducted

Gragg, demonstrations using live models sation check. Scottie Glenda Miller, Joe and latest equipment.

in January.

Commissioned



of the Red Cross office at the VA hospital and has Mrs. Kelly Pfc. J. Benge, Mrs. Carrie Vernon, Mrs. George Moray, Mrs. Peggy Penley, and Mrs. Margaret Smolinski assisting her as staff aides. A cof-Sunday evening from November trained at Fort Jackson, Fort Lee, through May for the past four years, and bingo parties and attended Black Mountain High other forms of entertainment are arranged by the Black Mountain-Swannanoa Red Cross chapter. Var- pects to return home in March. ious civic clubs in the community

serve through this chapter. The Business & Professional Women's club and the American Home and Ensign Guy R. Ledbetter, son of Civic club are there during Feb- IN SWANNANOA ruary. Gray Ladies give bingo

date school, and received his comsanatorium.

Mrs. Kerlee entertained the volunteers at her home Thursday afternoon when plans were made to further the hospital work. Delicious refreshments consisting of agriculture from Berea college last coffee and cake were served dur-June. He visited his parents here ing the social hour following the Va. Upon completion of four aret Cook, Mrs. Kanner, Mrs. Moray, and Mrs. Penley. refreshments.

A sterling silver Red Cross After the guests had assembled Ensign Ledbetter has been as badge and certificate was also presented to Mrs. Nancy Wyly, the hostesses presented each honardson was guest speak-poke to the hours as volunteer in this chapter Games in keeping with the occaand thus becomes a Red Cross sion were enjoyed.

nurse. Miss Margarite Haire of Oteen teers are needed.

LEGION AUXILIARY WILL SPONSOR

More

At the February meeting of the Martindale, Miss Della Tamplin, American Legion Auxiliary held Mrs. Richard Wells, Mrs. Charles Monday night at the home of Mrs. English, Mrs. R. A. Queen, Mrs. A. R. Rudisill, members voted to L. C. Smith, Mrs. G. W. Ervin, sponsor Girl Scout Troop 4. Mrs. Mrs. A. V. Harrison, and Mrs. June Glenn, Jr. is leader of this W. D. Spratt. group and Mrs. C. D. Boone the

assistant. ouge, Milton Ham- in New York City, followed by a contribution to the state treasurer the alfalfa plant cause livestock Alaska, in several instrumental arr, Ruby Mattox, esting and valuable, as were ans who do not receive a compen-Scottie Gragg domentation domestication check and strain and st

Mrs. Clarence Joyner, chairman,

CO-WORKERS CLASS

The Co-Workers class of the Methodist church will have a cov-Those present were wives of the ered dish supper at 6:30 p.m. Fri-

> All members and their families decoration. are urged to come.

Alaskans Will Be At Youth Rally

Saturday night at 7:30 in the American Legion hall the committee in charge of the Youth

Rally will present two brothers, It was also voted to make a that substances called saponins in Stan and Norman Henderson of

Corkran, Judy Capps of next year's meeting to be held P. Dinwiddie were appointed to have been tested for possible use The public is cordially invited Putnam. -Turn to Page 10 in seeding United States pastures. to attend,

-Cut Courtesy of Asheville Citizen

Feb. 11, honoring Mrs. D. G. Lew-is and Mrs. H. C. Johnston. Mrs. intendent of grounds shortly after Miss Nadine Patton Deweese Is Married Talk On Safety To Kenneth W. Hutchinson In Church

Miss Nadine Patton Deweese of The bride, who was given in the morning assembly of the Black Swannanoa, daughter of Mrs. marriage by her uncle, Floyd E. Mountain Elementary school Fri-Lovey Deweese of Swannanoa and Patton of Atlan'a, Ga., wore a bal- day morning, Feb. 19 when Sgt. Ralph Deweese of Oteen, was mar-lerina length dress of tulle and Jones of the state highway patrol ried to Kenneth Wayne Hutchin- imported lace. The lace of the will address the students. son, of Roanoke Rapids, son of Mr. fitted bodice extended into a The safety chairman of the and Mrs. William M. Hutchinson, pointed panel down the front of Black Mountain Woman's club will of Augusta, Ga., Friday evening at the bouffant skirt. The sleeves introduce Sgt. Jones who will talk 7 o'clock in Swannanoa Presbyter- ended in calla lily points. Her to the girls and boys on bicycle ian church.

The Rev. George B. Talbot, pas- fitted satin cap outlined with and not to do in order to be safe tor of the bride, conducted the orange blossoms. She carried a at all times. double ring ceremony. Baskets of prayer book centered with a white white gladioli and chrysanthemum orchid showered with lilies-of-the-only cordially invited to attend interspersed with palms and valley.

cathedral tappers were used in classmate of the bride, was matron children. The National Safety Ralph Carroll, organist, and blue nylon net over ice blue taf- attitudes and habits begin in the

sented a program of wedding tiara. She carried a nosegay of music. Mrs. Alexander sang "Un- pink carnations, and gladioli with by the Black Mountain Woman's til", "At Dawning", and "The pink streamers. Lord's Prayer." During the cere-

money "To A Wild Rose" was played. The traditional wedding ville, S. C., also a classmate of the bride, was bridesmaid. Her dress marches were used. was similar to that of Mrs. Stev-

MRS. CARR ADDRESSES YANCEY COUNTY CHAPTER streamers.

Mrs. Bessie S. Carr, executive Little Miss Flaine Patton of At- will teach the mission study book secretary of the Black Mountain- lanta, Ga., was flower girl. She "In Evangeline Country" at the Swannanoa chapter American Red was dressed in pink nylon net First Baptist church on Thursday, Cross, attended a dinner meeting over taffeta and matching head- Feb. 18, from 10:30 a. m. till quite successful in meetings held of the Yancey County chapter at dress. She carried a nosegay of 2:30 p.m. The nursery will be Bakersville Wednesday evening. pink carnations and gladioli with open so that mothers can attend. Mrs. Carr spoke on Red Cross blue streamers.

services to families.

Safety will be emphasized at

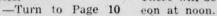
finger-tip veil was attached to a and highway safety, things to do

All interested parents are not but they are urged to do so in branched candelabra holding Mrs. Charles Stevens of Oteen, the interest of safety for their of honor. She wore a gown of Council advises that good safety Mrs. Roy Alexander, vocalist, pre- feta with matching stole, mitts and home and are begun by parents.

This is safety month, sponsored club. Mrs. Clara Crawford is Mrs. Frank Williams of Green- chairman.

MRS. FELLOWS WILL ens and she carried a nosegay of TEACH MISSION carnations and gladioli with pink STUDY BOOK

Mrs. Jack Fellows of Ridgecrest There will be a covered dish lunch-



These young men have been

-More than 40 clover varieties over the country.

Mrs. Kerlee says other volun. State highway patrol troop E, ra- day in the fellowship room of the dio operators, mechanics and of- church. fice workers. In addition to the ones already mentioned guests included Mrs. E. W. Jones, Mrs. W. L. Hatcher, Mrs. J. A. Sullins,

Mrs. W. L. McDonald, Mrs. W. S.

-Agricultural scientists believe