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Look, Kids! Look! Happy Day, Circus

# **EFLECTIONS**

Gordon Greenwood

that the Black Moutain team members have atattention of the

Moore, outfielder, will spring training with the Pirates next year, Jess Owenby, pitcher, Bob outfielder, and Harold s, catcher, are waiting from the Major league Al of these tried out at cent camp conducted at

her member of Manager Hall's Buncombe County champions, Charlie Davis. best looking infielder at the camp by representatives. had a date with his poard on Sept. 5 and won't be considered his army status is settled. -R-

h Vernon Kyker may have his Warhorses under the for a 10 minute scrimmage the start of future games. Hendersonville Friday night ys "froze" on the first deplay and permitted a Bearpart of the game, as inditwo blocked punts and

many bright spots for War- Family Die supporters. Did you notice Clayton shook off tacklers During Week w of his goal? How Joe son set the enemy back time time with the best exhibition and most players will admit pastor, officiating. Burial was in one of the hardest defensive the Ridgecrest cemetery.

--Rying his first year of softlimmy Trickett, son of Mr. Ars. Carl Trickett, turned play that is rarely seen y league. re was a man on first

when the batter slammed on the ground to right-Timmy came in fast, ped the ball up and whipit to second base to catch batter who was trying to etch his single to a double. second baseman tagged out man coming in and then ed the ball to third base e the man, who had overthe base, was tagged out. immy should clip this and te it in his scrapbook. There many outfielders in the jors who never started a doubplay on a ground ball hit to outer garden. He may never another one but he has the isfaction of knowing that one ne he did.' That's a good re-rd if he never makes another

orman Harris, coach of the dner-Webb college football 18 working with 51 boys in paration for the opening of the on with Ferrum college on

-R-

-R-A few days ago I found a on my desk which said at Mrs. Pryse Haney of Black ountain has a dog that is 22 ars old. Who said living a og's life was bad? It doesn't m to have affected this one. hat must be equal to a century a man.

SIX FULL HOURS (Tune of "Sixteen Tons")

me people say a teacher is made out of steel; Their mind can think but their body can't feel. on and steel and hickory tea, Frowns and gripes from 9 to 3.

ou teach six full hours, and what do you get?

in debt.

Then for 29 days your billfold's

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JACKIE SARTI WILL ENTER VIRGINIA

Miss Jacqueline Delores Sarti, September 19.

Virginia Intermont will begin the 72nd session with a new president, Dr. Floyd V. Turner, former Dean of Belmont college, Nashville, Tenn. An all-time record enrollment of new students will highlight the new session.

# **Voters To Decide** Amendments In State Election

Voters will decide on four proposed amendments to the state constitution on Saturday, Sept. 8. The first would increase the pay of members of the General Assembly, the second would make it legal to start the legislative session in February, and the third would authorize a married woman to execute a power of attorney conferred by her husband.

While these are important, most attention has centered around the fourth amendment, the Pearsall Plan, which would authorize the General Assembly to provide education expense grants for private

A child, apparently a first or Gov. Luther Hodges and other Chief opposition has come school, a competent witness told from educational groups and church leaders.

The following questions and an-According to the eye-witness the child had started to cross from the swers, taken from a booklet issued south side of the street to the the Public School Amendment" ment of the school. school ground near the west entrance to the ballfield when the give highlights of the proposed amendment. car, traveling at a high rate of

Why should we amend our State

cause he had to use all the energy N. C. Constitution in order that and speed he had to prevent being the State legislature can pass the hit," the man who witnessed the necessary laws to protect the peo-The veteran Warhorse line rose event said. The driver evidently ple against unacceptable mixing to make is the open field The Rev. Mr. Binford attended up to put a stop to the foolishness knew what had happened but con- of the races and thereby assure What are we voting on?

er they want to authorize the "islands" installed for their pro- rooms of the grammar school Owen High. General Assembly to provide edu- tection. Posts and wire fencing building, beginning with a full cation expense grants for private define the boundaries of these day Thursday. ng fans were talking about tist churches in Western North After Owen had stopped the Bearsermon program Sunday night, words, the smallest school unit

Arthur Clayton took a handoff on the service is "Events In the Life If the people approve this pro-Pallbearers were Clarence J. the seven and stepped through a of Our Lord", described by script- gram will my child be forced to Wilson, John H. Rice, Frank Wat- broken field for 49 yards. Several ure readings followed by appropri- attend school with a member of

choirs of the church, consisting of A. Emphatically No. Is this an effort to defy the U. choir, and the men's chorus. Two S. Supreme Court?

ore three solos will be sung also. A. It is not defiance. It is an attempt to stay within that decision, even though a great majority of our citizens disapprove the Supreme Court's ruling. -Turn to Page 8

Dick Stone, president of the meeting of the entire organization to the Finer Carolina contest. for Tuesday night, Sept. 18, to discuss issues vital to the welfare MRS. BEGLEY ATTENDS of the school. All members and INSTITUTE AT U.T. those interested in athletics in the Swannanoa Valley in any way have a special invitation to at-

Officers for the coming year will be elected and plans for lighting, Tennessee, Knoxville. sodding, fencing, and widening the football field will be the chief items of business. The special report at that time.

## Miss Day Named Bible Teacher

The committee for Bible in the school has announced the appointer in the Black Mountain school for the coming year.

North Carolina. She is a graduate of Wheaton college where she received her M.A. Degree in Religious Education.

### MRS. WATKINS DIES IN COLUMBUS, OHIO

death of Mrs. Clyde E. Watkins at ter Masons to attend. her home 245 N. Burgers ave., Columbus 4, Ohio, Monday.

Those from this section who The McDowell Wildlife club has went to attend the funeral Thurs- been organized and will sponsor a day are Mrs. Charles Broughton, series of events this fall, including

## daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Sarti, Sarti, Sr., 222 Laurel circle, Black Mountain, will enter Virginia Information and Mrs. Coming Here for Big Show Monday "Jumbo" Coming to Black Mountain Sept. 10 **Performances** Will Be Held

The world-famous Beers Barnes Circus is coming to Black Mountain on Sept. 10 for its first appearance in this section for many years. The three ring show, complete with clowns, animals from the four corners of the world, and other thrilling acts will start arriving at the Primary school grounds here Sunday in time to

get ready for two performances Monday, Sept. 10. At 3:00 p.m. there will be a special performance for those who can't attend the evening show at 8:00. The Big Top show, with performing elephants, seals, bicycleriding chimps, liberty horses and 25 thrilling acts will give a onehour and 30 minute show at each performance.

The circus is being sponsored by the Owen High school PTA. Members are now conducting an advance sale of general admission tickets. On all ticket sales made in advance the Owen High PTA will receive up to 50 percent, sale at the Black Mountain News and a number of other places in the community.

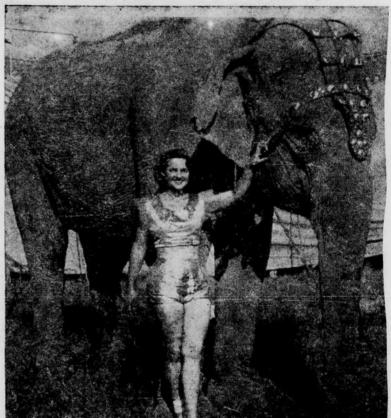
The PTA will conduct a special sale of tickets in the four schools Thursday will be registration teacher, is in charge of advance for the primary grades of the sales there. She will have tickets Swannanoa schools. Grades 1, 2, all this week and until 10:00 a.m. and 3 will register and be assign- Monday. ed to their teachers. The work

With the cooperation of the on the primary building is not principals of the primary and ele-As Swannanoa children finished and the 1st and 2nd mentary schools Mrs. McMahon alight from busses and cars, re- grades will not return for a week has arranged for a sale of tickets turning to school for the Fall or more. The 3rd grades will be immediately following the roll call A. The people will decide whethsession, they find new safety taken care of in the make-shift Monday morning by students from

The following PTA members will be in charge of sales: at Swannanoa, Mrs. G. B. Talbot; Black Mountain Primary, Mrs. A. F. Tyson, Jr., and at the Black Mountain Elementary, Mrs. Roy

Student tickets will be 50 cents. Mrs. McMahon today expressed the thanks of the PTA and the community to the principals, N. C. Shuford, Owen; E. N. Howell, Swannanoa; Leonard Keever, Black Mountain Primary, and E. V. Gouge, Black Mountain Elementary

The Beers-Barnes Circus, third history, still in operation under original ownership and management, offers a complete circus performance with accent on train-Mrs. Ida Adams is ill at the ed animal acts and good clown home of her nephew, John Boone, numbers, Gene Christian, advance agent for the show, said, "We James Osteen Jr. has been ill bring your community," he promthe road today-100% entertain-Mrs. Lee Tiller is getting along ment, with glorious surprises for



"Jumbo", Four-Ton "Cargo Alice," America biggest whereas for tickets purchased at torist at noon Wednesday in front North Carolina Public School Sys- elephant, along with Beers-Barnes famous Circus Herd, will the grounds on Circus Day the arrive in Black Mountain at the Primary School grounds on sponsors will receive only 10 per-Sunday, Sept. 9, to prepare for performances at 3:00 and cent of gross sales, Mrs. Annie Mc-8:00 p.m. on Monday, Sept. 10. The appearance here of the Mahon, PTA president, has anfamous circus is sponsored by the Owen High school P.T.A. nounced. The sponsor was allotby the Governor's Committee For The P.T.A.'s share of the proceeds will be used for improvedo adults. Tickets are now on

PRIMARY GRADES WILL

AT SWANNANOA SCHOOL

REGISTER THURSDAY

Grove Stone Ch.

Grove Stone Baptist church will

# QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS SWANNANOA FINEY onstitution? A. It is necessary to amend the Carolina Groups

one feature of Swannanoa's Finer Carolina project of improving Homecoming To traffic and safety conditions around the elementary school, Be Sunday At under auspices of the PTA and other interested groups.

"Help Keep Our Town Clean" is the request lettered on the sides of new green trash contain- have homecoming on Sunday, Sept. 9. Everyone is cordially invited ers placed all around the Swannanoa area. This project of the to attend and all singers are wel-Men's club is a part of the come. Bring a basket lunch and school for their cooperation. munity traffic and sanitation im- stay all day. provement aims of the 1956 Finer The Rev. James Frizsell is pasoldest title in American Circus history, still in operation under Carolina contest

A summer series of highly successful teen-age square dances With The Sick came to a close on Friday night, Aug. 24, at the Community clubhouse, with music furnished by the new sound system, and records of Charleston, S. C. provided by the Swannanoa Community council. The sound system, a gift of the Junior Music Joseph's hospital last Sunday for small-city shows of its kind on treatment. Community Center, and represents

Ruby B. Begley, owner of Begley's Beauty Shop, has returned after attending the Institute of Cosmetology at the University of

While there she studied under Mrs. Grace Doran, co-owner and director of the Ultra Modern and committee on the TV project will internationally known Comer and Doran Beauty school and the division of advance hair design in Hollywood, Calif. She also studied under Mrs. Jeanette Hannigan of Miami, Fla., one of the top hair stylists and beauty educators in the country.

In addition to advance hair styling Mrs. Begley studied psycholoof Guilford College, as Bible teach- gy under Dr. R. R. Shrader, dermatology under Dr. Margaret Maynard, art applied to hair styling under Mrs. Wanda Johnston. tary for the Society of Friends of chemistry under Miss Louise Carson, and hair coloring and art of make-up under Mrs. Doran.

## MASONS TO MEET FRIDAY

Black Mountain Masonic Lodge o'clock Friday evening for a stated year Safe Drivers Award. James communication at Lodge hall, Ce- H. Parks, acting postmaster, pre-

# Valley Booster club, has called a the real contribution of this group nicely after undergoing surgery at young and old, minus the usual St. Joseph's hospital last week. -Turn to Page 5

The Post Office department Patton was first employed as subtoday awarded H. R. Patton, Jr., stitute rural carrier in March of 663 AF&AM will meet at 8:00 rural carrier of Swannanoa, an 11 1939 and made regular carrier on News has been received of the cil Ham, WM, has invited all Maseath of Mrs. Clyde E. Watkins at ter Masons to attend.

Sented the award in behalf of the drop in accidents involving postal tional Safety Council in keeping personnel since the inauguration, several years ago, of the safety Safety Program to recognize safe program now in effect. A regular drivers in the department.

out an accident of any kind. Mr. drivers license.

Jan. 1, 1943, on the death of his father, H. R. Patton, Sr.

There has been a considerable safety training program is now carried on and in addition each It is estimated that Mr. Patton employee who drives on official



They are, left to right, Jerry King, Maurice Nanney, Dan Hampton, Ronny Hall, and Eddy Harris.

The line played the heavily favored Hendersonville for- Narrow V k to romp almost unmolest- ward wall on even terms and twice rushed through to block oss the goal. But they setenemy kicks. Once the offense starts clicking the Warhorses
were later and outplayed the are sure to have a lot to say about the final grid standings

Misses Child son county school's line for in Western North Carolina this fall.

# inflicted on Bearcat passers they could get the ball Two Members of

Last rites for the Rev. J. N. Hendersonville captain, decided the cking displayed by a local Binford, retired Baptist minister, contest, and the margin of vicin many a moon? The who died suddenly at his home on tory. The Bearcats sent Elliott improvement of Don Wright Montreat road Sunday morning, on runs of 66 and three yards in ball carrying department? Sept. 2, were held Tuesday morn- the first quarter and made it 18 make a good football player some- Constitution? the fierce play of the line? ing in the First Baptist church to 0 when the same back romped st football coaches will tell with the Rev. Wilbur Huneycutt,

It isn't too hard to hit the Southern Baptist Theological for the rest of the game as they tinued east on Highway 70 at a public support of schools. carrier while he's hemmed seminary, Louisville, Ky., and had threw back the highly touted Henhigh rate of speed. the line of scrimmage, but held pastorates at Immanuel Bap- dersonville forwards with regularsituation changes when he's tist church, Louisville; Cedar ity. They rushed through to block with a kickoff, a punt re- Creek church, Fern Creek, and two punts and hurried the kicker SPECIAL SONG or a pass in an open field. Springfield church, Springfield, so much that not a single extra SERVICE SUNDAY trick is to make the ball Ky., and Haines City church, Haines point was made. show first. And this City, Fla. He served as a supDon Wright, senior Owen back, Mrs. J. H. Smith, director of whether they want the closing of safe from passing traffic while 2nd grades will be made up later McMahon, Warhorse end, ply pastor at Kerlee Heights Bap-scored as the climax of a 93 yard music, First Baptist church, Swan- any school to be decided by the waiting for transportation, or af- in the year. learned to do. Saturday tist church and a number of Bap- drive late in the fourth quarter. nanoa, announces a special song people on the local level. In other ter getting out of cars. This is

pen field against the Bear- 1945. He was 81 years old. kins, Frank Ledbetter, Virgil times it looked as if he'd get away ate musical numbers by various another race? Mitchell, and Joe Bullock.

> Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Lillie Bragg Binford; two daugh- Pearsall Plan ters, Mrs. Claire Kelly of Black Mountain, and Mrs. Ralph Lake To Be Explained of Greensboro; thre sons, J. R. of Versailles, Ky., Edwin K. and At PTA Meeting Frank I. of Louisville; one brother, the Rev. T. H. Binford of Mrs. Olin Dillard, chairman of Hurricane, W. Va.; two sisters, district No. 1 of the North Caro-

### Rev. R. A. Kelly

Kelly, 64, who had made his home about the issues which will be inhere for the past two years, died volved in the election which will P. Perley and one guest to free in Cone Memorial hospital, Greens- be decided Saturday in a state- admission to see "The Great Alexboro, Tuesday, Aug. 28. He had wide ballot. been a patient there for four

The Rev. Mr. Kelly, a native of Tyler, Texas, organized and was pastor of Shawnee Baptist church in Louisville, Ky., and also held pastorates in Baptist churches in Canton, Belmont, and Matthews, N. C., and Hastings and Lake Worth, Fla.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday in Lambeth Chapel, Greensboro. Burial was in Lake View Memorial park, Greensboro. Dr. C. C. Warren, pastor of the First Baptist church, Charlotte, and Dr. Harold W. Tribble, president of Wake Forest

college, officiated. Survivors include the widow, the former Miss Claire Binford, who is a faculty member in the Black Mountain schools; two sons, Dr. Richard A. Kelly Jr., of Greensboro, and Charles E. Kelly of Charlotte; a sister, Mrs. John A. Tyree of Danville, Va., and two grand-

# **Legion Appoints** John J. O'Connor

John J. O'Connor has been appointed a member of the department of membership committee of Another day older and deeper the American Legion. The appointment was made by departpay your dues in this and ment commander, Tim Craig of

> Mr. O'Connor is past district commander and is active in civic work in Black Mountain.

The Owen High gridders have been working hard this week in being run down by a speeding mo- plan as "An effort to preserve the being run down by a speeding mo- plan as "An effort to preserve the day evening at Memorial Stadium with Lee Edwards. This will be a home game for the locals.

Last Friday evening at Hendersonville the Warhorses lost a hardfought Blue Ridge conference tilt to the Bearcats, 18 to 7. Two long runs by Bob Elliott, 210 pound 56 yards early in the second per-

driving tackles he made in Carolina since coming here in cats deep in their own territory, Sept. 9, at 8 p.m. The theme of could make the decision.

Mrs. Clem Snead of Blairs, Va., lina PTA, will discuss the Pear-

## speed, roared down on him from the west. "That little boy will time, if he lives long enough, be-

preside. The public is invited to attend The Rev. Richard Alexander the meeting and to learn more

The public is invited. WOMAN'S CLUB WILL OPEN SEASON AT RIDGECREST, SEPT. 12

AT SWANNANOA

The first meeting of the Womand Mrs. A. B. Brown of Martinsville, Va.; 12 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

School PTA tonight (Thursday) at the school at 7:30. Mrs. C. L. McMahon, president, will sam McMurray is in charge of the Communication.

The first meeting of the woman's club for the 1956-57 season will be held at Ridgecrest on Sept. 12, at 3:15 p.m. Mrs. William McMurray is in charge of the Communication. Sept. 12, at 3:15 p.m. Mrs. William McMurray is in charge of the **Elect Officers** 

juniors, young people, sanctuary

This clipping will entitle Allen On September 18 ander" at the Pix Theater.

Mrs. Paul David Hertzler who was married on Aug. 25 in the chapel of the First Baptist church in Richmond, Va. in the chapel of the First Baptist charles in technical many are Mrs. Charles Broughton, series of events this fall, including It is estimated that Mr. Patton employee who drives on official Mrs. Hertzler, the former Doris Marie Blankenship, is the Mrs. W. A. Watkins, Mrs. Charles turkey shoots, hunts, and social has driven approximately 140,000 business must qualify for a federal Mrs. Hertzler, the former bons mare blankenship of Black daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wade Blankenship of Black Watkins, and Mrs. Earl events. Beauford Reese is secremiles while on official duty with drivers permit as well as his state daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mountain. They will make their home in Alexandria, Va. Swayngim and daughter Judy.