

the railroad 10 or 12  
times. Sometimes I doubt my  
story. I'd be glad to  
propagate with views of  
the state of Washington,  
Seattle, just name them.  
Most sincerely,  
Mae F. Carroll,  
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Half a fact is a whole  
liehood.—Elias L. Magoon.

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# SWANNANOVA NEWS

By JIM BURLESON Phone 686-3205

### A Workman With Pride

Some folks say that I'm a  
bit particular and strive  
overzealously to achieve per-  
fection. This may be a bad  
trait but I don't think so (if  
I may show a bit of conceit).  
We like to see a job done  
well and admire a workman  
who takes pride in his chosen  
profession; whatever it may  
be! Most of my readers (if  
I have any by now) are aware  
that we are building a new  
home. I like to talk about it  
naturally but don't mean to  
sound bragging. However, we  
like to praise the ones who are  
building it, especially since  
they are local men.

There are an abundance of  
excellent builders in our Swannano-  
va Valley and to my knowl-  
edge, Penley Construction is  
of the very finest.

The new house is of brick  
veneer construction and we  
just can't say enough about  
Russell Hall and the tremen-  
dous job he did in laying the  
brick. I've heard of bricklay-  
ers but Russell is a bricklayer  
and a bricklayer. Must not  
forget Herman Hall, able bodied  
helper who did a real fine job  
mixing mortar and keeping  
everything running smooth.

As for the electrical wiring,  
Gibbs Electric of Old Fort,  
(under the expert supervision  
of Donnie Gibbs) have done  
an out-of-this-world job and  
we're downright grateful fel-  
lows. Incidentally, Gibbs Elec-  
tric is another of the Black  
Mountain News fine advertise-  
ments.

Thanks readers for bearing  
with us while we hand out  
plaudits to our builders. I  
promise not to say another  
word about them for at least  
two more issues.

### WOW Picnic

The Swannanova Camp 970  
held its annual picnic at the  
Woodmen lake on Saturday,  
July 22. A wonderful meal  
was prepared and all enjoyed  
it very much.

The Mrs. Woodman Bronze  
plaque was awarded to Mrs.  
Annie Louise Riddle for her  
most loyal and devoted service  
to the men's court.

The Mr. Woodman Bronze  
plaque was won by Mr. Deane  
Summey for his outstanding  
work with the Men's camp.

Mr. R. P. Ramsey was the  
recipient of the Mr. Wood-  
man Honor plaque which is  
one of the highest awards a  
Woodman can receive.

Due to rain, the picnic was  
shortened considerably. Over  
60 members plus many guests  
were present for the occasion.

The next regular meeting  
will be held in the Woodman  
Hall on Thursday, July 27 at  
7:30 p.m.

On The Go  
Mr. and Mrs. Steve Camp-  
field of Littlefield, Tex., are  
currently visiting his parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Campfield  
of Grovemont.

We were real pleased to  
have the Campfields drop by  
for a visit just recently. Happy  
to meet Mrs. Steve Camp-  
field of whom we had never  
seen. Hope she likes our  
mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones,  
sons Larry and Dean, also  
Mrs. Jones' aunt are current-  
ly enjoying a vacation at Fon-

tana Dam. Jerry and Debbie  
are staying with their grand-  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester  
Miller in the absence of their  
mother and father. The Jones'  
were also accompanied to Fon-  
tana by Mrs. Jones' aunt.

Mrs. Ruth Sands of Stone-  
wall avenue, Grovemont, has  
been quite ill recently.  
Mr. T. C. Cole of Eastwood  
avenue, Grovemont, has not  
been feeling as well as usual  
of late.

Miss Bessie Bradley of East-  
wood avenue, Grovemont, has  
returned home from the hospi-  
tal where she underwent  
treatment.

Swannanova Methodist News  
Rev. Ben Stamey pastor of  
the church would like to re-  
schule everyone that Sunday  
school begins promptly at 9:45  
each Sunday morning. It  
would naturally help the wor-  
ship service get started better  
if everyone were on time.

During the morning service  
last Sunday the M. Y. F. and  
church members honored Mr.  
and Mrs. E. S. Roberts who  
have done so much for the  
church and its youth. The  
Roberts are resigning after  
four years of ceaseless work  
as Youth Counselors. The  
church congregation is espe-  
cially appreciative of their  
wonderful work. The M. Y. F.  
members presented them with  
a family Bible.

Youth activities week is now  
in progress each evening from  
7:30-9:30.

Friday night a special meet-  
ing will be held on the church  
lawn around a camp fire which  
will end with Holy Commu-  
nion. Youth between 12-25  
are invited to attend.

The pastor wishes to thank  
all those who attended the  
Swannanova Valley Inter-  
church Summer Revival, mak-  
ing it such a huge success.  
Rev. Stamey especially wishes  
to thank the member pastors  
and choirs.

First Baptist News  
The Neale Young circle of  
the W. M. U. met last week  
at the home of Mrs. George  
Gosnell.

Six members and three vis-  
itors were in attendance. The  
members there were Mrs.  
Lucy Franklin, Mrs. Amos  
Ledford, Mrs. Gosnell, Mrs.  
Hilliard Hunnicut, program  
chairman, Mrs. Lillie Mae Mil-  
ler and guests, Mr. and Mrs.  
E. S. Pettit, Mrs. Grace Decker,  
and Mrs. Vance Davis.

Topic for the program was  
"Sharing Possessions For De-  
nomination Advance."  
Mrs. Franklin dismissed with  
a prayer.

Interest In N. C.  
Increased By  
20 Per Cent

A 20 percent increase in in-  
quiries about North Carolina  
for the first six months of  
1961 was announced by Di-  
rector Hargrove Bowles, Jr.,  
of the Department of Conserva-  
tion and Development.

The total, Bowles said, was  
140,808, up 24,306 over the  
corresponding period last year.  
The inquiries were generated  
by North Carolina's national  
advertising program which  
during this six months' period  
appeared in 40 newspapers  
and 30 magazines. Returns  
were bolstered, too, Bowles  
states, by new radio, tv and  
travel show schedules inaugu-  
rated this year.

Bulk of the inquiries were  
about North Carolina's "Var-  
iety Vacationland" attractions.  
Travel is North Carolina's  
third largest industry.

The pulp and paper mills  
in the South employ a total  
of 83,000 people. Another  
82,000 people are engaged in  
the independent business of  
supplying pulpwood to these  
mills.

# BEACON RECREATION

Little Boys League Standing  
National League Standing

Team	W	L	Pct.
Cards	5	2	.714
Cubs	4	2	.667
Giants	4	3	.571
Braves	1	7	.125

### Six Leading Hitters

Player—Team	Pct.
Padgett—Cubs	.400
Burrell—Cards	.369
Miller—Cards	.364
Futnam—Braves	.355
Wright—Cubs	.353
Bradley—Giants	.347

### Leading Pitchers

Player—Team	W	L
Wright—Cubs	3	0
Burrell—Cards	3	0
Bradley—Giants	2	2
Luckadoo—Cards	2	2

### Schedule

July 26—Cards vs. Giants  
July 28—Cubs vs. Giants  
July 31—Cards vs. Braves  
Aug. 2—Cards vs. Cubs (2)

### American League Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Orioles	6	2	.750
Yanks	4	2	.667
Red Sox	3	7	.300

### Six Leading Hitters

Player—Team	Pct.
Haney—Orioles	.616
Silvers, G.—Tigers	.545
Moore, Robt.—Tigers	.500
Creamsman—Tigers	.444
Silvers, R.—Yanks	.426
Bailey—Yanks	.412

### Leading Pitchers

Player—Team	W	L
Shaw—Tigers	2	0
Blankenship—Red Sox	2	0
Creamsman—Tigers	3	1
Haney—Orioles	2	1
J. Hill—Orioles	2	1

### Schedule

July 27—Red Sox vs. Tigers  
July 29—Yanks vs. Red Sox  
Aug. 1—Orioles vs. Tigers (2)  
Aug. 3—Tigers vs. Yanks

### Daily Schedule

Thursday, July 27—9-10:50  
—Advanced beginners; 10:30-  
12—Beginner Boys; 11:00—  
Hike; 1:30-3:00—Crafts;  
7:30-10:00—Teen Dance; 8-  
10:00—Volleyball and basket-  
ball leagues.

July 28, Friday—10-12—  
Swim make-up; 10-1—Tournam-  
ents; 1:30-3—Arts and  
Crafts.

Saturday, July 29—9-10—  
Adult beginners; 10-12—Sen-  
ior Life Saving.

Monday, July 31—10:30-  
12—Swimmer; 10-1—Tournam-  
ents; 1:30-3—Arts and  
Crafts; 7:30-9—Social Dance  
Lessons; 8-10—Tournaments  
and Open Play.

Tuesday, Aug. 1—9-10:30—  
Intermediate; 10:30-12—  
Beginner Girls; 10-1—Tournam-  
ents; 1:30-3—Arts and  
Crafts; 7:30-10:30—Square  
Dance.

Wednesday, Aug. 2—10-12—  
Junior Life Saving; 10-12—  
Tournaments; 1:30-3—Arts  
and Crafts; 4:30—Archery.

### Club Meets With Mrs. Bergthold

Mrs. J. W. Bergthold was  
hostess to a delightful meeting  
of the Home Demonstration  
club at her home in High-Top  
Colony on Monday at noon.  
Each member took a covered  
dish and tables were loaded  
with good things to eat.  
Thanks for God's blessings  
and for the food was given  
by Mrs. Aleshire. The beau-  
tiful scenery in the distance  
rivaled the beauty of the  
abundant luncheon enjoyed by  
all.

Mrs. Guthrie opened the  
meeting with a short devo-  
tional. It was decided to have  
a work shop at the August  
meeting to be held at Lakey  
Gap Community house.

Mrs. Ray, our County Home  
Economics agent, was present  
and gave an interesting dem-  
onstration on "Take a Long  
Look at Your Medicine Cab-  
inet." This information was  
very timely as keeping well is  
part of our business as good  
citizens.

After the social hour the  
hostess said good by to Mrs.  
W. A. Davis and Mrs. Willa  
K. Vaughn, who were the  
guests of the day; and to the  
following members: Mrs. Ef-  
fie Guthrie, Mrs. Finley Stepp,  
Mrs. R. C. Wright, Mrs. Geo.  
McElwath, Misses Mary B.  
and Lena Stephenson, Miss  
Mary Ann MacKay, Mrs. Ja-  
cob Vogel, Mrs. Lee H. Moore,  
Mrs. W. D. Hyatt, Mrs. Mary  
Aleshire, Miss Sarah Kirby,  
Mrs. G. S. Willey, Mrs. Ray  
and the two new members,  
Mrs. R. C. Ink and Mrs. W. T.  
Miller.

# REFLECTIONS—

(From Page 1)

lotte, the convention city, was  
hot. Although the town and  
many of the institutions in  
Charlotte opened their arms  
and hearts to entertain the  
members of the North Caro-  
lina Press association, I was  
satisfied to stay inside of air-  
conditioned Hotel Charlotte  
most of the time.

North Carolina, in contrast  
to many states, has all the  
newspapers in one associa-  
tion. Thus, the large dailies  
and the small weeklies have  
equal status in the associa-  
tion.

# BROAD RIVER

by Mrs. M. M. Elliott

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson of St.  
Petersburg are taking their  
vacation at Miss L. A. Pin-  
holster's cabin (Dream Haven  
in this community. Mrs.  
Wilson is Miss Pinholster's  
niece.

Mrs. Bob Edmondson and  
sons Bobby and Dickey of  
Stark, Fla., arrived last week  
for Bobby's vacation. At the  
termination of his vacation he  
will return to his job in Stark  
and his father Bob Edmond-  
son will join his wife and son  
Mary and Dickey at their cab-  
in for his vacation on upper  
Broad River.

Mrs. Raymond Hutton and  
daughter, Mrs. Robert Ruble  
and daughters who have been  
spending their vacation at the  
Hutton cabin, returned to  
their homes in Florida last  
week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nelson and  
children took me on a pleasure  
trip last Sunday afternoon.  
We visited the new church that  
is going up at Ridgecrest.  
From there we visited Mr. and  
Mrs. Moss of Miami who have  
purchased a large tract of  
land on the mountain near  
Ridgecrest. Mr. Moss is build-

# SHOPE CREEK

By Mrs. Thelma Buckner

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest  
Allen, a daughter on July  
20. Mrs. Allen is the former  
Miss Barbara Reed of upper  
Shope Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Nichols  
and Wayne visited Mrs. Ocie  
Gregg at Mission hospital on  
Saturday.

D. L. Creamsman of Dilling-  
hamville has been hospital-  
ized again.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jarrell  
and Elaine left on Saturday  
for Detroit, Mich. They plan  
to go to Canada before re-  
turning home. Miss Jennifer  
Kensley who has been a guest  
of the Jarrells this summer  
accompanied them to her home  
in Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Jar-  
rell will return home by way  
of Raleigh.

On July 16 Mr. and Mrs.  
Junior Ingle, Jr., and Mom  
were dinner guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. George Creamsman and  
family.

On Saturday, July 13, Mr.  
and Mrs. Fred Moody, Jerry  
and I left for Florida on va-  
cation. Our first trip to the  
Sunshine State, and it was  
wonderful. We visited the zoo  
in Jacksonville, visited some  
of the places of interest in  
St. Augustine and Marineland,  
spent a few hours at Daytona  
Beach and to Merritt Island  
for house guests.

For a few days with Mr. and  
Mrs. Ray Robinson and chil-  
dren. Mrs. Robinson took us  
shopping in Cocoa and we  
were her guests for lunch at the  
Trade Winds cafeteria. We  
spent an afternoon at Cocoa  
Beach, went in the ocean  
which was a thrill. We gath-  
ered sea shells and enjoyed  
the golden sun and silvery  
sand. On Wednesday we  
watched for a couple of hours  
to see the man shot into space  
but it was postponed, and on  
Thursday we headed for the  
good old North State.

My nephew, Wayne Nich-  
ols of Swannanova, is our guest  
this week.

On Sunday we were sitting  
on the porch enjoying the eve-  
ning breeze, my little Chihu-  
hua "Pokey" was coming  
through the yard. She gave a  
yelp and came running to me.  
I went to investigate and there  
in the yard lay a big copper  
head—it had bit her in the  
face. It took us both to kill  
it. Poor little dog. I think if  
it hadn't bit her, it might have  
been one of us. Just recently,  
Clinton Gregg had a fight with  
a big rattler, he first ran over  
it with his car, but it kept go-  
ing, he tried stones to no avail.  
He admitted it had him  
worried, and began looking  
for another weapon, in the  
meantime the snake had gotten  
into the weeds. With his  
dead limb, Clinton parted the  
weeds and the rattler just  
reared up and came at him,  
then is when he used the stick,  
one lick broke its neck. It  
had ten rattlers.

ing a beautiful summer home  
on his land.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mess  
are their daughter and her  
husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harry  
Miller and children of Miami.  
Also Mr. Moss' niece and her  
husband, Mr. and Mrs. Roy  
Marlowe and son of Flat Creek  
visited Mr. and Mrs. Moss  
Sunday afternoon.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Nelson  
took me to the old Tabernacle  
cemetery. I attended funeral  
service there of a young man  
named Bob Turner on Thanks-

giving day, 1899, and haven't  
been there since until last  
Sunday afternoon.

I have several relatives bur-  
ied there. Uncle and Aunt  
Azer and Salina (Moffitt)  
Stepp, Aunt Elizabeth Mof-  
fitt, Cousin John Byrd Stepp  
and several others. We stopped  
by for a short visit with Mr.  
and Mrs. George Taylor,  
friends I grew up with in this  
section.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A.  
Hall and son Roy are Mr. and  
Mrs. Hall's daughter and her

husband, Mr. and Mrs. John  
Bowerman and son Jimmy and  
Johnny of Cincinnati, Ohio,  
Mr. Ownbey is the son of the  
late Rucker Ownbey of Broad  
River.

Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Gough  
and sons were dinner guests  
of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nelson of  
this community recently.  
Elijah Lawing of the Beth-  
el section near Marion is very  
ill with a heart attack.

Rev. Marvin Ownbey of  
Marion delivered the message  
in the absence of our pastor,  
Rev. Ralph Gough who is in  
Florida on business.

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Mrs. Dora Nanney is ill at  
her home in this section.

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