

# BLACK MOUNTAIN NEWS

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## EVENT OF THE WEEK THE LIBRARY FAIR

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### Sidewalk Art Took The Show For Two Days

Beautiful clear mountain weather combined with enthusiasm of both artists and viewers to produce one of the finest sidewalk art shows ever presented in the Valley. Sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, the show attracted crowds during both days of showing. Merchants were pleased by the large numbers of persons who visited their stores during the two day show.

Over 270 paintings were exhibited in a wide variety of media. Artists varied in age from Mrs. Martha Buckner's kindergarten ages on up to well, just on up. Numbers contributed by artists varied from one to several and the exact number of artists to show was somewhere between 50-75.

Many of the finger paintings and water colors done by the children showed promise for their future and several were sold, to the surprise of the children themselves. Also several of those done by the more experienced were sold and a few of the recipients were planning to donate a majority if not all of their profit to the library fund.

Chairman responsible for the show were loud in their thanks to merchants who gave them help and to the Chamber of Commerce for sponsoring the event.

Mrs. Jerr Fields, the portrait artist, was kept busy both days with her pastels as she skillfully caught the expression of her subjects.

The art committee expressed a belief that the standard of work had improved as compared with former shows and many "sidewalk critics" agreed with this decision.

### R.B. Davis, USN, On Fremont In Mediterranean

Boatswain's Mate Second Class Raymond E. Davis, USN, son of Mrs. Oma Davis of 322 Mountain Way, St., Swannanoa, is serving aboard the attack transport USS Fremont, currently operating with the Sixth Fleet in the Mediterranean. During a break in Fleet operations, Fremont entertained Spanish dignitaries and American residents of Valencia, Spain, including 200 American pets attending the University of Valencia.

Prior to her arrival in Valencia, Fremont conducted operations in Alucia Bay off the island of Mallorca, about 140 miles east of Spain. Scheduled to return to the United States in early November, Fremont, operates out of Norfolk, Va.

### Program About Gov. Z. Vance For Club Meet

The regular monthly business and literary meeting of the Sea and Topic Club was held Monday, August 9, at the home of Mrs. Richard Oulaou with twelve members present and one visitor, Mrs. E. Jackson, of Jackson, Tenn., former member.

The president, Mrs. W. W. White presided. Programs were discussed for the new year, beginning in October and it was decided to concentrate on the period from 1900 through 1930.

Mrs. A. P. Perley 111 was in charge of the program and read "Governor Vance" by Dr. Cordelia Camp. Zebulon Baird Vance was born in the Reems Creek section in Uncombe County in 1830. He was Governor of North Carolina in 1862, 1864 and again in 1877. He served as U. S. Senator from 1879 until his death in 1894.

Members present were, Mrs. G. Byron, Mrs. S. S. Coover, Mrs. Leslie Garton, Mrs. T. Greene, Mrs. Gordon Greenwood, Mrs. O. E. Lee, Mrs. A. P. Perley 111, Mrs. W. W. Phillips, Mrs. A. Tyson, Jr., Mrs. W. W. White, Mrs. J. M. Woodcock and the hostess, Mrs. Oulaou.

### Mrs. Woodrow W. Leopard, Jr.



Miss Sandra Marie Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence J. Wilson of Black Mountain, and Woodrow W. Leopard, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow W. Leopard, Sr. of Westminster, South Carolina, were married Saturday, August 7, at eight o'clock in the Black Mountain Methodist Church. The Reverend James B. McLarty officiated in the candlelight ceremony.

Miss Lois Irene Ledbetter of Black Mountain, organist, and David Condry of Forest City, soloist, presented appropriate music.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of silk organza over silk peau de soie with an alencon lace bodice studded with seed pearls, a modified floor-length bell skirt with alencon lace panel and a natural waist line

### Combat Trains

Marine Private James B. Ogle, son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Ogle of Swannanoa, completed four weeks of individual combat training July 29, with the First Infantry Training Regiment at Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune. The 20-day course included over 200 hours of rigorous instruction in small unit tactics, night combat, firing weapons under simulated combat conditions and other subjects related to the Marine infantryman.

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### Historic Past Recalled For Kiwanians

When a pinch-hitter comes thru with a hit he is applauded. Although it was not baseball, William McMurray was the substitute speaker at the August 5 meeting of the Kiwanis Club of Black Mountain-Swannanoa and was applauded.

His rapid fire delivery had all gasping for air as he commented on the history of Black Mountain and Swannanoa valley. He stated that the first settler in this Cherokee area was killed. Land at one time sold for five cents an acre. The advent of the stage coach introduced a new outlook. As people poured into this area tourist inns and more homes sprang into existence. When the railroad made its debut, steamer trunks and luggage used to pile up to such an extent that it took all day to deliver them. After World War I there was a boom in real estate. Mr. McMurray told of the coming of the various assemblies and their influence on the community. He spoke briefly on beauty of our mountains and valley, fishing spots, hiking trails and scenic roads. He noted one sad fact that the last wild turkey around here was shot in 1903.

When Mr. McMurray collapsed from his own exertion, he had stirred up so many memories that the meeting lasted another ten minutes. Subjects covered during that time were swimming holes, flowers, Indian trails, bear grass (which according to "Hugh" White is neither a bear nor a grass but a lily), the wondrous train ride from Black Mountain to Old Fort. Mr. McMurray reserved his greatest sentiment for our mountains and rightly so as

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### CALENDAR FOR WEEK OF AUGUST 12-18

Waycaster-McFee American Legion and Auxiliary will have a picnic supper Monday night, August 16, at 7 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Rudisill. Members of both units are invited to come and bring a dish of their choice.

Home coming: Tabernacle Methodist Church on August 22, Dr. E. H. Blackard, District Superintendent, will be the speaker for the 11:00 a.m. worship service.

### Annual Report Given By Pilot Club

The monthly dinner meeting of the Black Mountain Pilot Club was held Friday, August 6, in the private dining room of Assembly Inn. At this time the District Governor, Miss Margaret Marley of Goldsboro, paid her official visit to the local club. All the committee chairmen presented their annual reports to the Governor.

The Community Service chairman, informed the club that a "fold up walker" was purchased and would be available to any one in the community who needed it on a loan basis; also 24 hours of service to the Blood Bank had been given since June 1. Out of town guests were: Mrs. Cedric Faber of Columbus, Ga., and Miss Sally Abernethy, member of the Winter Haven, Florida, Pilot Club. Members attending were: Mrs. Billie Gregory, Mrs. Edith Pace, Miss Vada Mills, Mrs. Myrtle Traywick, Mrs. Queenie Walker, Mrs. Jessie J. Maynard, Mrs. Myrtle Ensminger, Mrs. Anne Wolf, Miss Betty Austin, Mrs. Catherine Koltun, Mrs. Sarah Norwood, Mrs. Elizabeth Lovan, Mrs. Jewel Reece and Mrs. Elizabeth Clough.

### Mrs. Arnold Lee Allen



Miss Frances Irene Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dexter W. Morgan of Swannanoa, and Arnold Lee Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Allen of Weaverville, were married Saturday, July 31, at eight thirty in the evening at the Flat Creek Baptist Church, Weaverville. The Rev. J. H. Lackey united the couple in a double ring ceremony.

The bride wore a street length white brocade satin dress, fashioned with cap sleeves and a scoop neckline. She carried a white Bible topped with white carnations. Miss Carolyn Ceelia Banks of Mars Hill highway was maid-of-honor. She wore a pink street length dress with white accessories. Miss Theresa Elaine Morgan, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid. Her attire a pink suit with white accessories. James E. Morgan, brother of the bride, served as best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the bride's home. Assisting were Mrs. Dexter W. Morgan, Jr., of Raleigh, and Miss Brenda Williams of Swannanoa.

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### Basic Trains

Airman Third Class James L. Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Russell of Rt. 2, Old Fort, has completed U. S. Air Force basic military training at Lackland AFB, Tex.

Airman Russell is being assigned to Ellsworth AFB, S. D., for training and duty as a vehicle maintenance specialist. He is a member of the Strategic Air Command which maintains America's constantly alert force of intercontinental missiles and jet bombers.

### RARE BIRD SEEN IN VALLEY SKY

Latest thrill for bird watchers is the sight of a swallow tail kite glimpsed Sunday afternoon by E. M. Hoffman and friends from the neighborhood of Last Resort. The kite was soaring on the wind current and although clearly visible with the naked eye the members of the group also viewed the bird through binoculars.

Although the swallow-tail kite is rare in this part of the South, bird books state that they are occasional visitors to this area. Since this visitor Sunday was identified beyond any doubt it must be that the group was treated to one of the rare visits by a transient kite.

### Metropolitan Group To Sing At Montreal

As a feature of Montreal Day which will be celebrated August 14 with numerous activities, the Metropolitan Golden Curtain Quartet will be presented in concert in Anderson Auditorium at 8 p. m. Tickets are available at Montreal Information Desk in the auditorium.

Artists for the occasion will be soprano Maria Albanese, mezzo-soprano Adele Baker, tenor Dan Marek and baritone David Clatworthy. This talented and charming group are already distinguished in solo performance both here and abroad.

Taking its name from the famous Metropolitan Opera House golden curtain, the quartet is made up of young artists who have already passed the first milestone along the way to the top operatic and concert careers. Each is preparing for that supreme moment in the career of any singer when the great gold curtain of the Metropolitan Opera will rise on his debut.

Producer-director and creator of the golden curtain quartet is Kurt Adler, renowned conductor of the Metropolitan Opera, Maestro Adler began his career in his native Czechoslovakia followed by conducting posts in Berlin, Vienna, Prague and throughout Europe.

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### AARP CANCELS MEETING IN FAVOR OF LIBRARY FAIR

The members of the AARP at their last session voted unanimously to forego their regular meeting on Friday the thirteenth so that each member might be free to attend the Library Fair at their leisure.

This was done in recognition of the fact that some of their members are active in the organization of the fair. It was also realized that the Library Fair is a really worthwhile event benefiting a major community project, the Black Mountain Library Building Fund.

### Guests Become Speakers For Rotary Club

With the scheduled speaker failing to show for the Monday meeting of Rotary club, many visitors were pressed into service to give the members and other guests not only an informative but interesting program on activities occurring in other clubs.

The majority of these speakers were from out of the State and events in their clubs brought new ideas not only for the local club but for those represented as well.

### To Be Honored Day Of Fun Predicted For Library Fair

COME ONE—COME ALL, to the site of the new library building next to the Asheville Federal Savings and Loan Association and also in the Club room of the Asheville Federal.

The Fair will be open for business at 10 a.m. on Friday, August 13 (don't be superstitious and let the date frighten you!) Your patronage of the sales room, snack bar, snow cone and hot dog stands will be appreciated.

Amusements and entertainment as advertised on posters should provide a real Fair atmosphere until 8:30 p.m. Several of the younger boosters will be selling "Bird in the Hand" tags Thursday and Friday. Please indicate an interest in their endeavor by dropping a coin in their "Bird in the Hand" boxes and wearing the tag.

In case you hadn't already guessed—"Bird in the Hand" is the theme of the Library Fair. Let's make this one a big success.

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### Horse Show At Monte Vista Farm Sat.-Sun.

Three shows beginning with Saturday afternoon at 1 p.m., continuing that night at 7 and the following afternoon at 2, on August 14-15 will comprise the Asheville Horse and Saddle Association's Horse Show at the Monte Vista Farm this week end.

With \$1,000 given in money and trophies and 45 classes from which to choose, it appears that local equestriennes may again have a chance to display their skill as riders and the ability of their mounts.

### Owen High Grid Camp Set To Open

Candidates for the 1965 Owen High School Warhorses received their physicals on Wednesday, August 12, and are set for the opening of the second annual football camp at the gym on Tuesday, August 18, Head Coach Bill Stanley announced today.

Some 65 candidates will report on August 18 and remain in camp through Thursday, August 28 as they prepare for the opening of the season on Sept. 3 against the always powerful Enka Jets at Memorial Stadium. Pre-season experts have installed the Warhorses as favorites in the Buncombe County and Tri-County circuits. Back will be most of the regulars from 1964 and a fine crop of freshmen. Owen will be favored over all opponents during the coming season.

### DR. PAUL LIMBERT RETURNS FROM TOKYO MEETING

Dr. Paul M. Limbert, Executive Secretary of the Blue Ridge Assembly, will return on Saturday from an important mission to Japan on behalf of the World Alliance of Y.M.C.A.s.

Dr. Limbert acted as chairman of an important worldwide consultation on health and physical education which was held in Tokyo last week. While in Japan, he also served as resource person to the Commission on Christian Emphasis and Economic Opportunity of the World Alliance which was also meeting in Tokyo.

Dr. Limbert's return flight from the Japanese capital made it possible for a brief stopover at Anchorage, Alaska.

### DR. H. R. MILLER CLOSES OFFICE HERE ON SEPT. 3

Dr. H. R. Miller, who has practiced here since 1948, announced Monday that he is closing his office on Friday, Sept. 3, and leave the following week for New York to begin a three months training period with the Olin-Matheson Chemical Company.

At the conclusion of his training Dr. Miller will move to Saltville, Va., to become the physician in charge of medical services for the more than 1500 employees in the O-M plant there.

### Dr. Miller Will Close Office Here On Sept. 3

Dr. Miller and the family will remain here until Jan. 1 or until such time as suitable housing is found in Saltville. Veteran of 26 months service in the U. S. Navy during World War II, Dr. Miller received his medical training at the University of Virginia and came to Swannanoa in August 1947. The following year in September 1948 he moved to Saltville, Va., to become the physician in charge of medical services for the more than 1500 employees in the O-M plant there.

Dr. Miller has been active in the Lions Club and has been a member of the official board of the Black Mountain Methodist Church for several years.

### Second Term For Hi-Tri Y In Session

Five hundred sixty high school boys and girls from the Y.M.C.A.s in the ten southeastern states will form the second contingent in the three weekly Congresses for Officers Training for Hi-Y and Tri Hi-Y Clubs now in session at Blue Ridge. They arrived Sunday en masse.

Elected in the home communities to positions of leadership, these selected young people will devote the week to learning the skill of effective leadership, sharing the concerns of youth, studying the basic purposes of Hi-Y and developing new ideas for club programs.

Carlton O. Parker, Associate Executive of the Southern Area Council of Y.M.C.A.s, is dean of the Congress. Speakers who will appear on the platform include Mr. Jeyoul Whang, General Secretary of the Korean Y.M.C.A. in Japan, and Dr. W. D. Weatherford, founder of Blue Ridge.

### To 4-H Camp

Key Willet, member of the Valley Ravens 4-H Club, has been selected as Buncombe County winner in the Wildlife project for which she was awarded a week at Camp Millstone, Ellerbe. Each county will send one delegate to this session for study of different phases of wildlife. Key will be at camp from August 9-14.

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