

Depot Report

by Belle Mordell

The rains came and we had to cancel our Homer Brooks Sunday program. We hope no one was put out. We plan to re-schedule the program soon. Bridge anyone? We plan our bridge classes to start this week. Tuesdays and Thursdays at 1:30 p.m. We have one table but can take one more.

Dont forget our School District scheduled for November 18. This will stay through Thanksgiving. Meet you at the Depot. Interim class schedules planned to end before Christmas: quilting, crocheting, papier mache, enamel, photography. Please register by phone or in person at the depot. 669-6583.

Happy Hearts Club

by Eunice Seaborn

A Halloween party was a great way to start the week. Gay decorations were all around the room. Fun games were played and prizes won. Fancy cup cakes were a delightful addition. The men were pretty good at making faces on the pumpkins, too. There were some rather "far-out" costumes. Merry hearts were quite evident. Williamsburg, Va., was the subject of the beautiful slide program with sound which was presented by Ms. Laetsch who very ably represents Southern Bell Telephone Company. Her visit with the group afterwards was most enjoyable. The Rev. D.B. Martin, pastor of the Oteen-Azalea United Methodist Church Circuit was

the leader of the Bible Study on Wednesday. He plans to continue each week during November. Continued study of Paul's writings brought out more wonderful lessons in the way to live for Christ. He admonished the brethren and sisters in Christ to love one another. I Cor. 13 is a beautiful expression of the Christian's way of life. We are to follow Christ alone and not other is to detract from Him. Hannah played the piano for the enthusiastic group singing.

Physical fitness was emphasized with suitable exercises for our various needs. Many very good ideas were presented by Marie Logerquist concerning the Low Sodium Modified Diet. Considerable discussion followed. The monthly blood pressure check was done. Many show quite a lot of improvement.

Peggy guided the nimble and not-so-nimble fingers in the art of basketry. Many of the group are really quite artistic. There has been considerable numbers of beautiful items made this year. Oh yes, and mention must be of Mary Riggs birthday celebration with the lovely cake that Viola made for her. The group greatly appreciates the untiring effort of Mary and Anson Riggs in guiding this program. The Friday bazaar continues each week from 10 a.m. until 12 noon. There are lots of goodies each week.



Present at The Depot with the resident scarecrow for presentation of a check for \$100 from the American Association of Retired Persons, local chapter, were Thomas Eugene West, AARP president; Chester Deuel, AARP assistant treasurer; Belle Mordell, representing the Depot; and Carl Persson, AARP director. The money was used to buy a blackboard for the Depot. (Dan Ward)

Sourwood Update

by Perry Stone

Progress in promoting the fall planting of sourwood trees for the beautifying and distinguishing of Black Mountain and its environs was reported today by a member of the project committee spearheading the effort.

Volunteers are soliciting orders from householders, institutions and industries for sourwoods in three grades. Balled and burlapped, pruned transplants and bare root specimens are priced at \$4.00, \$3.00 and \$1.25 each. Orders should be picked up and paid for on the parking lot between Ingles and the Bank of Asheville on Montreat Road in Black Mountain. The delivery date is Friday, December 2 between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. When prior orders have been filled, the surplus of sourwoods will be offered to the public. The sale will continue on Saturday, December 3, at the same hours or as long as the supply lasts.

The Black Mountain News has been carrying weekly articles about the sourwood project. Carol Tyson is arranging spot announcements on WFGW and WBMS. Elmore Turner is preparing posters. Order

cards for present and future use have been mimeographed. Both grammar and primary school children will take home letters about the beautification effort. Harriet Styles, committee chairman, has sent an appeal to civic-minded organizations to get all their members to acquire and plant a sourwood or to donate one to be set out on public property. The Black Mountain-Swannanoa Kiwanis Club is the first

organization to reply that it has done so.

Since the program began last fall 700 sourwoods have been distributed in the area. The committee hopes that 300 more may be sold for planting December 2 when the shipment arrives. As of Monday, orders had been received for 197 trees. Sites should be selected and holes prepared promptly so that the trees may be planted as soon as possible after they are received.

Rotary News

by John Abernethy

On November 1 Black Mountain Rotarians gave a standing ovation to their president, Ted Cooper, for his outstanding leadership during the four months since his induction. Earlier in the meeting he had told the club of being transferred to Nashville, N.C., effective immediately. A letter of appreciation and good wishes, signed by club members, was presented to President Cooper, along with a Rotary Club banner. The Rev. Neal Wyndham,

vice-president, was elected president by the club's Board of Directors in a special meeting that preceded the Rotary luncheon. The board also named Dr. Larry Wilson as a club director for the remainder of the Rotary year. Both of these men will assume their duties immediately. Cooper and his family came to Black Mountain five years ago when Carolina Power and Light Company transferred him to its local office to be in charge of customer relations. His responsibilities in Nashville will be similar to those he

carried here, but the move places him near the community in which he was reared. An active member of the Rotary Club, Cooper had previously served as its secretary and vice-president. The Rev. Wyndham is pastor of Black Mountain's First Christian Church Disciples of Christ on Conally Street. Before being elected vice-president, he had served on the club's Board of Directors in charge of Vocational Service. His term as president of the club will conclude the end of June, 1978.

**SINGING SET**  
The First Freewill Baptist Church on McCoy Cove Rd., Black Mountain, will hold a special singing Saturday night November 12 at 7 p.m. All singers and listeners are invited. The Rev. Bill Smith is pastor.

**FLEA MARKET SET**  
The Women's Club Flea Market will be held at the Baptist Church on Montreat Road Saturday, November 12 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. There will also be a Country Store with home-made jams, jellies, cakes, and mouth-watering holiday goodies. William Bullock, Committee Chairman will welcome donations of yard art and basements of "trinkets, trash and treasures" at the church on Friday November 11. Proceeds from the sale on Saturday will go toward the club's Community Project of student scholarships.

**HANDICAPPED MEET**  
There will be a meeting of the Western North Carolina Association of Physically Handicapped Tuesday, November 15 at 7 p.m. at the Y.W.C.A. on South French Broad Avenue in Asheville.

All interested persons are invited to attend. For more information, contact Alan Bolick at 255-5526 or Mary Johnson at 254-1111.

**GOSPEL SING**  
The Gatesmen from Asheville will be the featured group of singers Sunday night, November 13, at 7:30 p.m.

**SAINT ANDREW SOCIETY**  
The regular bi-monthly meeting of the Saint Andrew Society of Western North Carolina will be held on Friday, November 11 at the First Presbyterian Church of Asheville (Aston Street entrance) at 7:30 p.m. All those of Scottish birth or descent, and their spouses, are invited to attend.

**PROGRAM DIRECTORS MEET**  
The November meeting of the Western North Carolina Association of Program Directors will be held on Monday, November 14 beginning at 11:30 in the S & W Cafeteria, Asheville. All Doreen Anderson of Health Care Center: Clayde, N.C. will be in charge of the program. All area Activity Directors and persons interested in programs for the elderly are invited to attend.

**QUILTING CLASS**  
A new quilting class will start Tuesday November 15 at 10 a.m. at the Depot.

**PTA AND OPEN HOUSE**  
On November 10 at 7:30 p.m. the Black Mountain Grammar School PTA will hold its monthly meeting. The meeting is for parents of children in grades K-8. An Open House will be held at the school for parents of children in grades 5-8. All parents are invited.

Bridge club

by Clarence Lundy  
The winners at the Black Mountain Duplicate Bridge Club on Tuesday, November 1 were N-S, First, Winston Jennings and Rhoda Riddle. Second, Ann Maddox and Clarence Lundy. Third, Helen Adair and Lou Lindsey. E-W, First, Mrs. S.D. Knight and Doss Kerlee. Second, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Baughman. Third, Katherine Ross and Eleanor Lundy.

by Gene West  
The weather! "Ah, there's the rub! What to do about it; how to prepare for it; handle it, control it, talk about it, accept it, use it! This and more will be discussed by weather experts, William Haggard and Ed Mattison on this Friday morning, November 11, at the monthly meeting of the American

Association of Retired Persons in the Black Mountain Library beginning at 10 a.m. with welcome and fellowship at 9:30. Officers for 1978 will be elected. Tickets for our December 9 Christmas noon luncheon party will be on sale at \$2.50 each. This will be President West's last meeting before he and Mrs. West leave on November 26 for teaching-lecture tour of Southeast Asia.

Pilot Club

by Idell Wilson

The annual joint meeting of the Pilot Club of Black Mountain, Asheville and Hendersonville was held at 7 p.m. October 29 at the Monte Vista Hotel.

Hosting this meeting was the Pilot Club of Black Mountain with Idell Wilson, president, presiding. Mr. Wilson introduced Alice Templeton, president of the Asheville club and Carolyn Hawkins, president, Hendersonville club.

Fifty members. Co-Pilots and guests enjoyed a delicious buffet dinner in the homey country atmosphere of the Monte Vista Hotel.

Guest speaker at the meeting was Mae Minnick of Black Mountain--former chairman of the Christian Business Women's Club of Asheville. Born in Korea to missionary parents, Mrs. Minnick lived there until she was 16. She came to the States and attended Queen's College. She is the wife of Lt. Col. Harold E. Minnick, USAF-Ret., and the mother of three children. Since their

retirement here, she has spoken all over the Southern states.

Mrs. Minnick's talk, titled "Women's Tools" thoroughly delighted and inspired the Pilots and their guests. She invited our attention to Pilot International's theme--"Communication - The Key to Good Leadership". In this respect, we should develop the art of listening for to be good communicators we need to be good listeners.

Women's tools consist of fellowship, involvement, communication and achievement. She cautioned us to be slow of criticism and that to be quick with praise was a prime requisite. All the good intentions, enthusiasm and knowledge we possess means little if we procrastinate. If we share our thoughts and experiences there is bound to be personal growth.

Mrs. Minnick's talk was very informative and interesting. She inspired the Pilots and they will attune their hearing and sharpen their wits for communication. Barbara Godfrey, program director, introduced the guest speaker.

An entertaining and delightful highlight of the evening was the vocal selections of country music by Jody Huskey, accompanying himself on the piano. Lou Decker, sister of Pilot Patsy Taylor, sang with Jody. Following the talk, a fellowship time was enjoyed by all Pilots.

Steak Sale

DELMONICO STEAKS \$1.79 lb.

CUBE STEAKS \$1.49 lb.

BEEF TOP ROUND STEAKS \$1.59 lb.

GROUND BEEF 69¢ lb.

GROUND CHUCK 99¢ lb.

Prices effective Nov. 9-12

**BIG BUY**  
**FOOD STORE**

RIBEYE STEAKS \$1.99 lb.  
SIRLOIN STEAKS \$1.59 lb.  
T-BONE STEAKS \$1.69 lb.

BEEF FOR STEW 99¢ lb.

Limit One With \$7.50 Order Or More

**SUGAR** 5 lb. bag **79¢**

**CRISCO SHORTENING** 3 lb. can **99¢**

**PRODUCE SPECIALS**

**TANGERINES** 20 For **1.00**

**POTATOES** 10 lb. **69¢**

**Yellow CORN** 8 ears **99¢**