

# LOCAL NEWS

Mr. T. R. Anthony and family were moved from the Roaring River community to Ronda.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wright, of Greensboro, were guests this week at Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Tait.

Miss Joanna Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norris Jones, is ill with an attack of flu.

Friends are glad to learn that Mr. J. B. McCoy has recovered from an attack of flu and is able to be out again.

Mr. R. L. Proffitt, prominent citizen of the Goshen community, was a business visitor in this city Tuesday.

Mr. W. F. Alexander, well known Hays community citizen, was in this city Tuesday looking after business matters.

Mr. H. P. Eller, proprietor of the Central Service Station, was a business visitor to Charlotte yesterday.

Mr. A. M. Holbrook, prominent citizen of the Abshers community, was in this city Wednesday looking after business matters.

Mr. W. M. Church, a well known resident of Jobs Cabin township, was a business visitor to this city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brame and little daughter, Virginia, have moved into their attractive new brick home on "F" street.

Mr. I. D. Anderson has returned to the city after a few days' visit in Baltimore with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Anderson. Miss Vanie Anderson, his daughter, went with him to Baltimore but remained for a two weeks' visit.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE**  
Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Mrs. W. V. Williams, late of Wilkes county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned, whose address is North Wilkesboro, N. C., duly verified, on or before the 11th day of January, 1941, or this notice will be plead in bar of their right to recover. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This 11th day of January, 1940.  
J. B. WILLIAMS,  
Administrator of the estate of Mrs. W. V. Williams, dec'd.  
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**RAFT** JANE BRYAN WILLIAM HOLDEN  
BRANDED BY  
**Invisible Stripes**  
Memphrey BOGART - Flora ROBSON  
PAUL KELLY - HENRY O'NEILL - LEE PATRICK  
Directed by LLOYD BACON!  
A WARNER BROS. First National Picture  
Screenplay by Warren Dull - From an Original Story by  
Dorothy Ferebee - Directed and Staged by Lewis & Clark  
**TODAY FRIDAY**

**A bandit-besieged American consulate in the seething Orient! These two... fighting, hating, loving... as they face death!**  
**ALICE FAYE - BAXTER BARRICADE**  
CHARLES WINNINGER ARTHUR TREACHER KEYE LUKE WILLIE FUNG  
Directed by Gregory La Cava  
A 20th Century-Fox Picture  
**MONDAY TUESDAY**  
"Your Entertainment Center"  
**ORPHEUM**

Mr. W. G. Gabriel and Mr. Grady Church, of Belk's Department Store, were business visitors to Charlotte the first of the week.

Mr. J. T. Irvin, well known local livestock dealer, left yesterday morning for Columbia, S. C., to purchase livestock for his business here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Tait returned several days ago from a visit with relatives of Mr. Tait at Wilmington, Delaware, Baltimore, Md., and Norfolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Lake Messick and Children have returned to their home at Purlar, after spending the Christmas holidays in Bel Air, Md., with Mrs. Messick's father, Mr. A. L. Barnette.

Mr. S. Q. Myers, of Lenoir, was here the latter part of the week on a brief visit with his brother, Mr. J. I. Myers, and nephew, Mr. I. M. Myers. Mr. Myers recently recovered from a serious illness.

Mr. N. O. Smoak, of the Forest Furniture Company, Messrs. Jack Quinn, Ivey and Heary Moore, of the Home Chair company, Messrs. J. R. Hix and A. B. Johnston, of the American Furniture company, Mr. John E. Justice, of the Oak Furniture company, are attending the furniture exposition in Chicago this week.

### STORK BRINGS 10-POUND BOY TO WILKES SHERIFF

Sheriff Claude T. Doughton of this county became the father of a 10-pound boy Monday and Congressman R. L. (Farmer Bob) Doughton, chairman of the Ways and Means committee, has a grandson. Mrs. Doughton and son are patients of a Winston-Salem hospital and are reported tonight as getting along fine. Sheriff and Mrs. Doughton are the parents of three girls, and the arrival of a son into their home today naturally was the occasion of many congratulations from their many friends.

### Plan Safety Course For Truck Drivers

Raleigh.—Methods for increasing safety on the highways will be emphasized at N. C. State College Jan. 17-18 when truck operators from every section of the State gather for a short course in safety.

Details of the program were announced today by Director Edward W. Ruggles of the College Extension Division. The course is open to operators, drivers, safety supervisors, dispatchers and anyone else interested in highway transportation. Registration will occur between 8:30 and 11 a. m. Wednesday, Jan. 17, and the safety school will begin immediately after a short welcoming address by Col. J. W. Harrelson, State College dean of administration. Experts in various phases of highway transportation will lead discussions designed to acquaint truck operators with the latest

### NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND

**NORTH CAROLINA, WILKES COUNTY**  
By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Deed of Trust executed to me on the 27th day of April, 1936, by Ida Lue and S. F. Mastin, and the same being unpaid and past due and demand having been made on me by the holders of said note and Deed of Trust, I shall, therefore, on the 13th day of February, 1940, at 12 o'clock noon, sell to the highest bidder for cash at public auction at the Court House door in Wilkesboro, North Carolina, the following described land:  
Lying and being in Wilkes County, State aforesaid, in Edwards Township, and described and defined as follows:  
Being lots Nos. 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, and 38, in Sec. A map of the R. L. Hickerson Development, as surveyed and plotted by H. C. Landon, Surveyor, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office in Wilkes County, State of North Carolina, in Book 123 at page 331.  
Said land is being sold to satisfy a note and Deed of Trust executed by the above-named parties. This the 11th day of January, 1940.  
F. J. McDUFFIE, Trustee.  
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developments and accepted practices in safety. Harry Tucker of State College, professor of highway engineering and nationally known authority on highway safety, will preside over the discussions.

### Six Are Killed In Accidents In N.C.

#### Traffic Wrecks Responsible For Deaths In North Carolina

Charlotte, Jan. 8.—Highway accidents were responsible for at least six deaths in North Carolina over the week-end.

Joseph Moore, 32, of Baltimore, Md., was fatally injured near Greensboro when his automobile overturned.

An automobile-truck collision near Lexington took the life of Wade D. Beck, 25-year-old textile worker.

At Winston-Salem an automobile hit Miss Margaret Carter Hobbs, 49, and killed her. It was Winston-Salem's first 1940 traffic fatality.

Job Holland, an employe of the Conecote creek project, was killed when his automobile was wrecked on the Tarboro-Bethel highway.

C. L. Williams of Matthews was killed in a collision of automobiles about six miles from Charlotte. Two other men were injured seriously.

Near Albemarle, Jonah Almond, 35, of Mt. Pleasant was killed instantly when struck by a car.

Use the advertising columns of this paper as your shopping guide.

### Statement Burial Association Shows Progress In 1939

Statement of the financial condition of Reins-survivant Burial Association, Inc., one of the outstanding burial insurance associations in the nation, is published in this newspaper today on page six.

The statement shows the association to be in exceedingly strong financial condition, notwithstanding the fact that 225 claims were paid during the past year. The association's surplus increased during the year by about \$11,000 and the statement as of December 31 showed a cash balance of \$28,941.19.

The net paid membership in the association was 45,644, representing a big increase during the year. Death benefits paid by the association totaled \$21,200 in 1939.

The statement as published lists all persons for whom benefits were paid during the year, contains detailed financial information and carries explanatory paragraphs by the association's secretary, W. K. Sturdivant.

### Merchants Of City Staging Big Sales

Belk's Department Store started their big January Clearance sale today with large numbers of customers visiting the store for the opening day. The store has hundreds and hundreds of bargains in every department for the thrifty shopper, with many out-

### Dark Victory



Blind since birth, Miss Lillian Hillman of New York saw a lifetime ambition realized recently when she was given a specially written part in a new Guild Theater play, "The World We Make."

standing specials listed for Friday and Saturday of this week.

Spainhour-Sydnor Department Store started their big January Sale last week and the firm reports good business. Hundreds of people throughout this section visited the store over the week-end and continue to take advantage of the many values offered both on the main floor and in the basement department.

The Goodwill Store's annual

January sale will start tomorrow morning. The large department store has many worthwhile values waiting for the thrifty buyers of this northwest section of the state. The sale will continue for 15 days, the management announces, and many people are expected to buy their winter merchandise while it is in progress.

This is the last week of the annual White Goods Sale at the J. C. Penney company store. The white goods event started last week and many people have taken advantage of the many fine values offered by the store. The white goods event will come to an end Saturday, Manager Jim McCartney states, and those who have not as yet visited the store are cordially invited to buy their needs in white goods before the event ends Saturday evening.

### Man Is Killed In Road Crash

Taylorsville, Jan. 9.—James Harold Willet, Jr., 21, Hiddenite, was instantly killed at 4 o'clock this afternoon at Stony Point while driving home from his work in Statesville.

His car failed to make a curve and ran into a truck owned and driven by Bill Milstead of Taylorsville. The truck was crowded off the highway and turned over. The car was demolished.

Reading the ads, gets you more for less money. Try it.

### City Schools Will Have Exams Soon

North Wilkesboro city schools will reach the half term mark on Friday, January 19, Paul S. Cragan, superintendent, said today.

Mid-term exams will begin on Wednesday, January 17, and continue through Friday of that week.

The schools have operated smoothly and efficiently this year and average attendance has been high for the first four months.

**Eller's Flowers**  
  
POTTED PLANTS  
CUT FLOWERS  
FUNERAL DESIGNS  
—FINLEY PARK—  
Telephone 398  
North Wilkesboro, N. C.

# January SALE

## RECONDITIONED Used Cars and Trucks

Buy At Low January Clearance Sale Prices

1936 Chevrolet Truck, Heavy Duty	\$265	1935 Ford Coach, Smooth V-8	\$195
SALE PRICE		SALE PRICE	
1937 Chevrolet Truck, Heavy Duty	\$335	1935 Chevrolet Standard Coach, Hard To Beat	\$245
SALE PRICE		SALE PRICE	
1937 Ford Stake Pickup 1/2-Ton	\$295		
SALE PRICE			
1936 Dodge Pickup, 1/2-Ton, Extra Clean	\$345		
SALE PRICE			
1938 Chevrolet Pickup, 1/2-Ton, Like New	\$435		
SALE PRICE			
1939 Dodge Pickup, 1/2-Ton, Only 3,000 Miles	\$545		
SALE PRICE			
1938 Chevrolet Pickup, 3/4-Ton	\$435		
SALE PRICE			
1934 Plymouth Sedan—Clean as pin	\$245		
SALE PRICE			
1936 Ford Coupe, Spick and Span	\$295		
SALE PRICE			
1930 Ford Coupe, Famous A Model	\$135		
SALE PRICE			
1930 Ford Cabriolet, Famous A Model	\$95		
SALE PRICE			

**EXTRA SPECIALS**  
1936 Chevrolet Sport Sedan \$295.00  
1937 Ford V-8 Sedan \$295.00

Easy, Convenient G. M. A. C. Payment Terms

# Gaddy Motor Company

—USED CAR DEPARTMENT—  
TENTH STREET — NORTH WILKESBORO, N. C.

### THE HOUSE OF HAZARDS

OH, BOY—ALL I HAVE TO DO IS RETURN THESE BOTTLES, AN' MOM SAYS I CAN KEEP THE DEPOSIT ON 'EM... I DON'T THINK SHE REALIZES HOW MUCH MONEY THAT IS.

THERE YOU ARE, MR. JONES—12 BOTTLES AT 3¢ DEPOSIT A PIECE, COMES TO EXACTLY 36¢—PLEASE.

BUT NONE OF THESE WERE BOUGHT HERE— TRY SOME OTHER STORE

JUST ONE OF 'EM MINE, TRYING FELLAH—BETTER TRY DOWN THE STREET AWAYS

LET'S SEE—Y-E-S I GUESS THIS ONE IS MY BOTTLE

PHIEW! I'LL BET MOM NOT ONLY REALIZED NOW MUCH MONEY IT AMOUNTED TO BUT ALSO HOW TO EARN IT BEFORE I FINISHED.

### By Mac Arthur

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