

North Wilkesboro High School Band Making Progress

North Wilkesboro High School and, under direction of W. P. Mor, Jr., a member of the high school faculty, was organized slightly over a year ago, and has made splendid progress. In the beginning no member had ever received any musical instruction. The band is now composed of

18 members, as follows: Cornets—Charles Williams, Tommy Caudill, Ray Jennings, Andrew Johnson, Bill Gabriel, Bill Gardner; Clarinets—Mack Miller, Joe Clements, Tommy Eschelman, Ben Blakewood, Jimmy Moore; Trombones—Lomar Kilby, Tal Barnes, Bob McCoy; Alto—Tommy Gilreath; Base—Walter Jones; Drums—Malcolm Butner, M. W. Green, Bruce Dymson.

Others who are taking instrumental lessons and will soon be ready to join the band are Bobby Hubbard, Henry Waugh, Genko Koonce, Bob Day and Carl Coffey. Recent programs have been presented before the Kiwanis Club, High School Assembly, Grammar Grade Assembly, and Primary Assembly. The Band made its first appearance at the football games last fall, and has added much to the spirit of the spectators at the basketball games this winter.

The band presented a program at Millers Creek high school at 1:00 o'clock Tuesday, March 5th.

A movement is under way to purchase uniforms for the band. As quickly as funds can be raised, the order will be placed. Samples are now being examined and as quickly as colors and styles have been decided on, the drive for funds for the purchase of uniforms will begin.

PHILLIPS ANNOUNCES FOR SEAT IN CONGRESS

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been sufficiently punished with Congressional candidates, and you doubtless feel about half way between Lord help us and damn it. Perhaps you are wondering who has sinned, you or your parents, that such an affliction should be visited upon you through the years. And yet, in spite of the clear knowledge of this never dying scourge and my sincere sympathies for every citizen who has had to wait through a war of nerves for the hatching of a Congressional candidate, I am declaring to you in open meeting I am a candidate for Congressional Nomination on the Democratic wing. 'S a fact! But let me hasten to say that my purpose in doing so is not to add more fuel to your bewilderment, but after a fashion to simplify the going for you, and to give you an opportunity to pick a candidate from the non-belligerents.

Two years ago I had serious intentions of making the race, but at that time such a fine array of talent offered itself for this public service, that I tried to follow the biblical advice of not being forward in the presence of superiors and let the impulse pass. I thought it was going to be a short campaign, hot and sweet, with little difficulty in picking a star candidate with such a starry field to pick from, but as we all remember the picking was not done at a single picking. After two full feathered primaries the picking spread out over all the summer and then went on into frost, and barely got finished in time to make the mail in November.

In the meantime the contest shuffled back and forth from pillar to post till everybody got dizzy and nobody seemed to know for certain who was who or why, but they had to stop for the election and let one of the twain run. The "umps" called time out while the other warrior went to Washington and back. He's back now and from announcements in the newspapers, these hard fighting belligerents are mobilizing to carry the war on where frost caught them in '33; only they are going back to the beginning corner and start all over again.

Voters remember that terrible cat-fight, how the me-o-o-OWS reverberated from mountains to sea coast, and the stench of which was smelt, "down here and up there." They do not want such an awesome situation to arise again.

Good citizens—listen. If the armistice late in the fall of '33 had settled this vexing Congressional cat-fight and removed it from our hearing for awhile, you'd never have heard one whimper out of me. For be it from me to have broken the peace if peace could have been preserved. But now, inasmuch as the old war is going to break out again in spite of us, I too, am coming out and do what I modestly declined to do two years ago.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the Democratic Nomination for Congressman from the eighth district of North Carolina, subject to the action of the primary.

I am just a plain, blunt man, who is not a lawyer, but a salesman and former newspaper man. I don't pretend to have all the answers to all the questions, but I have my own answers to a few that nobody has answered yet. It may be because I am a salesman of laundry supplies, but there are many things in this country I'd like to see thoroughly cleansed, and I'd like to have a hand in the cleansing. Using the terminology of the laundry, I shall apply the soap to the eighth district.

"Brother Rat And A Baby"



Wayne Morris and Priscilla Lane in "Brother Rat and A Baby" at New Orpheum Theatre Monday-Tuesday.

"Brother Rat and A Baby," the comedy successor to last year's comedy success, "Brother Rat," will be the next big attraction at the New Orpheum Theatre, starting on Monday. Written by the same authors as the delightful original stage and screen play, John Monks, Jr., and Fred F. Finklehoffe, the film continues the adventures of a group of Virginia Military Institute cadets after their graduation.

In following up last season's comedy hit, Warner Bros. has combined calendar fact with film fiction by making the period between the two stories coincide with the time lapse between the pictures.

"Brother Rat" was filmed just a year ago. In the follow-up production, the same players are picking up the lives of the same movie characters after a lapse of just one year.

The first production, it will be recalled, saw Wayne Morris, Eddie Albert and Ronald Reagan safely graduated from military college. It also saw Albert and Miss Bryan the proud parents of a newly born baby boy. Morris and Reagan got no further than engagements to Priscilla Lane and Jane Wyman.

When "Brother Rat and a Baby" picks them up once more, Morris and Reagan are working in New York. Miss Lane and Miss Wyman are still in college. Albert and Miss Bryan are living in a small southern town, where he is the high school athletic coach. And their baby is a bouncing, mischief-making youngster just past his first birthday.

The baby role is played by Peter B. Good, the only member of the cast to fudge a trifle on the calendar. Peter was 14

months old the day he was signed for the part.

The characters are all brought together, and the new story starts on its way when Albert, Miss Bryan and the baby are brought to New York to see about a better job for the head of the family as varsity coach.

Complications immediately ensue. Before they even arrive in New York, Commencement, the baby gets them into trouble by swallowing a diamond ring belonging to one of the passengers on the bus. Jane and the baby are forced to stay as security while Eddie goes on the New York to try to get the money needed to get them out of hock.

In order to get it, Eddie has to appropriate some funds entrusted to him by the people they are to visit in New York. Finally the whole clan are together in the big city, but the other two couples aren't having too easy a time of it either. The two girls are supposed to be going on a vacation trip to Honolulu, but they cash in their tickets to help the boys out of financial difficulties. Baby Commencement further complicates matters by causing his daddy to lose the job he came to New York to get, and finally by setting fire to the apartment.

But he squares matters for everybody in the surprise finish.

Ray Enright directed the film, which is played with emphasis on the comedy side, and advance preview critics have pronounced it even more fresh and delightful than the earlier "Brother Rat."

Besides the seven principals already mentioned, the cast includes Arthur Treacher, Moroni Olsen, Jessie Busley, Larry Williams, Bertie Churchill, Nana Bryant and several others.

When anything becomes badly soiled the only remedy is to apply the soap and thoroughly wash.

I might make a monkey out of myself, but there'll be other monkeys made in the meantime. Besides how much worse is a live monkey than two dead lions? I'm not going to burden you with a story of how good I am or what a noble Congressman I'll make, but I will say that if you nominate and elect me, I believe you'll be glad of it. It's a safe bet I'll be no worse than many who have trod the journey before me.

I have no fantastic dreams or pet schemes to push over, but if I am elected to this high office I will devote my full time and ability to serving the interests of all the people. I am not the candidate of any faction or clique, and no individual, corporation or group will hold a whip lash over my back. I'll be free to serve the people and to follow the guidance of Almighty God.

I am a firm believer in the Gospel of old fashioned honesty, man to man—even in politics and believe we must return to it if we are to save this country from all the isms which now seem to threaten the Citadel of our Democracy. The average man now thinks for himself, and realizes that he has always had to fight the battles of this country. Everyone should become interested in politics, and should fight with his sacred vote before it is too late.

There has not been a Congressman nominated by the rank and file voters of the Eighth District in a regular primary in a dozen years. Every average person is going to see to it that God is not outlawed in this country by the encroaching influences of materialism, Athelism and Communism. This is going to be one time when the Eighth Congressional seat will not be for sale.

Our first Congress was in the main composed of plain, blunt men from various vocations, and never since has that one been excelled. The world today even marvels at its accomplishments. For the welfare of the country, we should have representatives from

Asking Funds To Buy War Materials For Finland's Use

Chairman "Fighting Funds For Finland" Gives Price List War Equipment

J. B. Williams, chairman for Wilkes county for Fighting Funds for Finland, Inc., reports that he had four contributions from Pat M. Williams and Mr. J. Beardline, of North Wilkesboro, N. C., Walter S. Reavi, of Moravian Falls, N. C., and Lewis Williams, of Goshen, N. C. He is somewhat disappointed that more contributions have not come in. He feels that this is a worthy cause and one that all should cooperate in.

Mr. Williams has furnished this paper with a price list of finished war equipment and as can be seen, it takes a lot of money to conduct a war. Since Finland is one of the democracies of Europe fighting for its very existence, and the only one who paid its debts to the United States Government after the war, the American people have a friendly feeling to this small nation, who is battling one of the largest nations on earth and is still holding its own. Help is greatly needed, and contributions will be gladly received. Anyone desiring to contribute can take their money to either of the local banks here in North Wilkesboro, where it will be transmitted to the State Headquarters in Durham.

The price list of Fighting Finnish Equipment referred to above is as follows:

- 1 pair socks50
- 20 cartridges 1.00
- 1 pair shoes 2.00
- 1 pair skis 3.00
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- 1 155 mm Howitzer 25,000.00
- 1 motor torpedo boat 50,000.00
- 1 pursuit airplane 60,000.00
- 1 attack airplane 75,000.00
- 1 bombing airplane 125,000.00

CALL OF THANKS
We wish to take this means to thank our friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and sympathy shown us during the sickness and death of our dear mother, Mrs. America Welch. Also for the many floral offerings. We especially want to thank Judge Hayes, C. C. Hayes, Tip McNeill and Patrolman Carlyle Jordan.

THE CHILDREN.

L. J. Burgess Dies At Taylorsville

Taylorsville, March 6.—L. J. Jackson Burgess, 76, prominent citizen of Taylorsville, died this morning at his home after a long illness. Mr. Burgess, son of the county, lived in Taylorsville 25 years. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Burgess. His wife, the former Miss Mary Deal of Alexander county, died eight years ago.

Four sons and three daughters survive: Messrs. Fred and George Burgess of North Wilkesboro; Messrs. Graydon and Charles Burgess of Taylorsville, Mrs. C. Gwaltney, of Atlanta, Ga., Mr. W. H. Moore, of Canton, Ohio, and Mrs. L. O. Hawkins, of Statesville. There are four grand children and one sister, Mrs. John Reese, of Alexander county. Mr. Burgess was a member of the Junior Order and of the Taylorsville Lutheran church. Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Taylorsville Lutheran church with Rev. R. L. Lall and Rev. J. L. Summers in charge. Interment will be in Fairview cemetery.

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Portrait Exhibit At Harvel's Studio

Harvel's Studio, located in the Eller Cafe building on Main street, has an interesting picture and portrait exhibit, which will be shown until March 15.

This exhibit contains beautiful water colors, photographs, tone sketches and miniatures. Harvel's studio also announces that the same type of work as shown in the exhibit may be secured at the studio. The public is cordially invited to visit and inspect the exhibit.

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