

Hendersonville Mayor Elected Pres. W. N. C. Communities Associated

Joe McCoy, of North Wilkesboro, is Vice-President and Heads District

Hickory, July 13.—Mayor A. V. Edwards of Hendersonville will direct the activities of Western North Carolina Communities Associated for the coming year following his election as president of this organization which comprises 30 western North Carolina counties, at the annual meeting of the officers, directors and members in Marion the afternoon of July 13. Mayor Edwards had been vice president of District Four during the past year and one of the most active members of the organization, which is dedicated to the better advertising and advancement of Western North Carolina.

Five vice presidents were also elected, one to represent each of five districts and to be in charge of the educational and promotional work in his particular district. Heretofore the 30 counties included within the borders of Western North Carolina Communities Associated had been divided into four districts. Some of these districts were regarded as being too large, however, with the result that it was decided to create an additional district, bringing the total to five. These five districts, the vice president of each, together with the counties in each district, are as follows:

- District One, Joe McCoy, North Wilkesboro, vice president. Composed of Ashe, Alleghany, Wilkes and Alexander counties.
- District Two, Mayor W. H. Gragg of Boone, vice president. Composed of Avery, Burke, Caldwell, Mitchell and Watauga counties.
- District Three, Clarence O. Kuster of Charlotte, vice president. Composed of Catawba, Cleveland, Gaston, Iredell, Lincoln and Mecklenburg counties.
- District Four, Mayor L. Lyons Lee of Asheville, vice president. Composed of Buncombe, Henderson, Madison, McDowell, Polk, Rutherford, Transylvania and

Yancey counties. District Five, J. Dale Stentz of Waynesville, vice president. Composed of Cherokee, Clay, Graham, Haywood, Jackson, Macon and Swain counties.

James E. Coad, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce in Hickory, was re-elected secretary of Western North Carolina Communities Associated and J. C. Baskerville, secretary of the Lenoir Chamber of Commerce, was elected assistant secretary and director of publicity for the organization. This new office of assistant secretary was created at the request of Secretary Coad, who pointed out that if he were to continue as secretary, he must have some assistance.

Dr. James Murray Washburn of Chimney Rock and Lake Lure, retiring president of Western North Carolina Associated, was given a unanimous vote of thanks and appreciation for the work accomplished under his administration, upon motion of Robert F. Phillips of Asheville.

The executive committee, composed of the new officers of the organization, is now in process of preparing a booklet that will briefly outline the purposes and objectives of Western North Carolina Associated and this booklet will be distributed to Chambers of Commerce, civic clubs and individuals throughout the 30 counties included within the organization. It was felt that one of the greatest obstacles that must be overcome was lack of information concerning and understanding of the real objectives of Western North Carolina Associated. As a result, the organization will soon undertake an intensive educational campaign throughout western North Carolina, so that the people may understand that Western North Carolina Associated is designed solely to advertise Western North Carolina to better advantage with a view to attracting more tourists, more new industries, more home and farm owners and to bring about better development of the entire region.

Wine Dealers Must Obey Regulations

Greensboro, July 17.—The North Carolina Association for Wine Control, through its State Director, John W. Caffey, today called upon all retail wine dealers in North Carolina to strictly obey the Wine Law which became effective July 1st, and to observe the industry's self-imposed regulations designed to curb indiscriminate abuses in the sale of wine. Director Caffey stated that he was mailing a letter to each of the more than 1700 wine licensees admonishing them to get their business in order. In the same communication, he outlined the industry's self-imposed regulations, which were adopted at the recent state-wide meeting held in Raleigh, the more important of which are as follows:

- No wine sales to minors, habitual drunkards or any person believed to be under the influence of an intoxicant at the time of attempting to purchase wine.
- No wine sales between midnight and 7 a. m. week days or between midnight Saturdays and 12:30 p. m. Sundays (no sales of 20 per cent wines at any time on Sunday).
- Distributors not permitted to sell less than full case lots to retailers (cases may be mixed).

Director Caffey stated that failure to observe these regulations, or any provision of the new Wine Law would result in his petitioning local authorities to revoke licenses on the grounds that the respective violators were creating a nuisance.

The Wine Industry's regulatory program thus far is meeting with popular approval and much progress has been noted in the elimination of some of the heretofore existing evils.

German Trooper's Brother Is Glad To Join U.S. Army

Los Angeles.—A tall, 27-year-old blond youth, inducted into the army yesterday, said he has a brother, Eberhard Goertz, who is a dispatch rider in the German army, but added: "The privilege of living in the United States is worth a year of your life, no matter how you serve. "I only hope my brother and I never meet on the battlefield." The youth was inducted as Albert Foertz, but said his real name is Count Albrecht Von Goertz-Reisberg. He said he left Germany, studied in England and, in 1937, came to this country where he took out citizenship papers. "She turned off all the lamps except one funny little green table light." "Then what happened?" "Well... I've driven automobiles too long not to know what a green light means."

Royalty in Exile—in England and Egypt



King Peter of Yugoslavia (extreme left) who lost his throne when the Nazis steamrollered through the Balkans, shown in London. At the right, King George of Greece and members of his family rejoice. Left to right: Princess Cathrine, Princess Mary, Prince George, Prince Peter and King George. The king and his party took to the hills when Nazi parachutists invaded Crete, finally boarding a ship for journey to Egypt.

WORLD FAMOUS MENTALIST TO APPEAR AT THE LIBERTY SOON



Starting on Monday, July 23, and continuing for one week Richard E. Sylvers, world famous psychic and termed by thousands as the "Mental Marvel" will appear on the stage of the Liberty Theatre to bring entertainment and amusement to the theatre going public. Never before in the history of the Liberty theatre has such an outstanding stage attraction been booked. Too much cannot be said about him, for in the many successful years of public appearances, Richard E. Sylvers has left audience after audience spellbound when giving answers to most difficult questions and problems. Born in Toronto, Canada, at the age of five, it was noticed by his parents that the youth possessed a most unusual mind, for even at that early age he predicted outcome after outcome to family undertakings and events and then later foresaw the perfect outcome of international affairs long before their happenings. This much talked about youth was the idol of scientists and psychologists for in him they too saw that he was the possessor of a most unusual mind, a gift that very few actually possess. Since that time he has traveled and appeared in every major city and theatre in the United States and Canada baffling audience after audience with his uncanny mental ability and answering questions of health, business, love, travel, marriage and domestic problems that many in his profession would avoid, yet the outcome of his statements became realities just as he said they would. In a next newspaper installment of this "Mental Marvel" we will relate how he accurately called the outcome of the Lindbergh Baby Kidnapping Case, the Repleve and the execution of Bruno Richard Hauptmann, long before the newspapers and State of New Jersey officials knew what would take place. Don't fail to read the detailed account of this in this newspaper in the next few days.

Soldiers Are Struck By Lightning Bolt, But Will Recover

Fort Bliss, Texas.—Six members of the 124th cavalry regiment, seeking shelter from a rainstorm under a scout car, were knocked unconscious by lightning yesterday while on a command post exercise near Newman. They were taken to station hospital, Fort Bliss. Doctors said they would recover. The 124th cavalry is a National Guard regiment from Houston, Texas. Let the advertising columns of this paper be your shopping guide.

Hard Times Ahead Henderson Says

Price Chief Foresees Harsh Sacrifices and Industrial Dislocation

Atlantic City, N. J., July 14.—The American public was warned today by Federal Price Administrator Leon Henderson to brace itself for a tomorrow of industrial dislocation and harsh sacrifice. "It is a dark picture I paint," Henderson told 1,200 attending the New York Housewares Manufacturing association convention as he predicted an end shortly of the recent boom in sales of automobiles, refrigerators, vacuum cleaners, radios, electric stoves, furniture and other hard goods. "It becomes my disagreeable duty," said Henderson, "to tell you that the party is over. . . . Before long now, there will be more purchasing power running around hunting something to buy than there are goods available. . . . "I wish I could tell you that we had an easy solution, that everything is going to be all right. I can't promise you any such hope. All I can tell you is that only by sweating blood and tears can the dislocations be held to a minimum.

Something New

"No exactly similar paradox ever confronted American business. Customers eager and able to buy will be crowding the market places and stores, but manufacturers will be unable to get enough raw materials to satisfy demands. . . . "Thus, it is a dark picture I paint. It is a picture of factories made idle by lack of raw materials to turn out civilian goods, of men made idle by lack of materials to work with, of single industry towns blighted by spurious prosperity based on production of goods which we can't wear, or eat, or live in."

Henderson asserted no power on earth could prevent inflation unless the government succeeded in controlling prices, purchasing power and instalment buying. He said it must stiffen control of prices, "no matter how ornery and belligerent the outcries become."

Resolutions of Respect

In as much as the great unconquered enemy, Death has again entered our ranks and has taken from our midst a dearly beloved and most valuable member, Sister Leota Greene Grubb, Be it Resolved:

- First, That we humbly bow in submission to the will of Almighty God.
- Second, That we take this means of conveying to the family of the deceased sister our deepest sympathy.
- Third, Be it further resolved that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of the deceased and a copy be spread upon records of the church and that the copies be sent to each of the following papers: Present Truth Messenger, Assembly News, Lenoir News-Topic and The Wilkes Journal-Patriot.

P. G. TRIPLETT, MRS. P. D. ANNAS, MRS. J. O. STOKES, Committee.

Fort Bragg Finance Office Disbursed \$74,074,478 in Year

Fort Bragg, July 14.—The finance office at Fort Bragg paid out funds at the rate of \$140. per minute for the past twelve months, ending June 30th, according to an announcement made today by Lt. Colonel Louis W. Mattox, Post Finance Officer. \$140. is approximately the same as a month's pay for an Army second lieutenant. During the twelve months period a total of \$74,074,478 was disbursed and of this sum nearly \$45,000,000 was spent for 2900 new buildings and utilities built at Fort Bragg since last September, while another ten million went for the cost of construction at Camp Davis and C. Villian Conservation Corps disbursements for North Carolina amounted to \$3,741,979. The cost of operating North Carolina Selective Service Boards was also included in the seventy-four million dollar total.

The military and Civil Service payroll at Fort Bragg now approximates \$1,200,000 per month. To disburse the huge amount of money handled by the finance office here in the past twelve months required 216,652 checks and disbursement was made at the rate of \$213,000 per day or \$8,455 per hour. Nearly 80 persons are now employed at the Fort Bragg Finance Office as compared to 20 a year ago. Both military and Civil Service personnel make up this group and about thirty of them are constantly engaged in the preparation of military payrolls.

P-T. A. Conference At Chapel Hill

P-T. A. Officers and Committee Chairman will prepare themselves for Association Leadership Responsibilities by attending the 14th Annual Parent Teacher Institute to be held at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill—August 4-8, 1941, says Mrs. J. S. Blair, Elizabethtown, president.

The theme of the Institute is "Childhood and Youth in a Democracy."

NOTICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

North Carolina, Wilkes County, IN THE SUPERIOR COURT BEFORE THE CLERK Gaither B. Crabb and Wife Emma Crabb, vs. Frank D. Ives and Mrs. Frank D. Ives, President and Secretary of American Mutual Agricultural Assurance Association and F. B. Hendren, Trustee.

The defendants above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the superior court of Wilkes county, North Carolina, for the purpose of getting a Deed of Trust canceled off of record that has been more than ten years since it was recorded and any payment made on it, and it appearing that the said Frank D. Ives, Mrs. Frank D. Ives, President and secretary of the American Mutual Agricultural Assurance Association, and F. B. Hendren, Trustee, are necessary parties, and the summons has been issued and returns made by the Sheriff of Wilkes county, "The defendant after due diligence and search, cannot be found in Wilkes county and that the defendant cannot after due diligence be found in the State. The defendant will further take notice that they are required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior court of Wilkes county within 30 days from this date and answer the said complaint as required by law or the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.

This 27th day of June 1941 C. C. HAYES, Clerk of Superior Court 7-17-41 (t)

Paul Younts And Five Others Ordered Fired At Charlotte

Washington, July 14.—The post office department notified Representative Bulwinkle, Democratic Postmaster Keeley A. Grice, North Carolina, today that Paul Younts, postmaster on leave, and five employees of the office. Acting First Assistant Postmaster General J. M. Donaldson informed Bulwinkle the action was the result of an investigation made of charges of political activity by Charlotte postal officials in violation of federal law.

In addition to the discharge of Younts and the five employees, Donaldson said the department had ordered the suspension of five other employees for 20 days; and for the suspension of four employees for 10 days. Donaldson said the "disciplinary action" was recommended by the civil service commission, which made an investigation of the Charlotte post office charges. Those to be discharged besides Younts, who is now on leave for duty as a colonel in the army, were named by Donaldson as Thomas L. Talbert, clerk; Michael N. Pelone, substitute clerk; William C. Alred, clerk; James E. Taylor, carrier, and Roy H. Watts, superintendent of vehicle service.

Ickes Asserts A. Lindbergh Is A Menace To U. S.

New York.—Secretary of the Interior Harold L. Ickes asserted last night that Charles A. Lindbergh's "passionate words are to encourage Hitler and to break down the will of his own fellow citizens to resist Hitler and nazism."

The cabinet member, addressing a Bastille day rally of "France forever," an American organization of Free French, asserted that the American people were determined to defeat Hitler at all costs and that their government was under a mandate to help bring about this defeat. A study of Hitler's methods of internal disorganization and demoralization of other nations, said Ickes, "helps one to understand Ex-Colonel Lindbergh." "It makes one realize," he went on, "what a menace he and those like him are to this country and its free institutions, whether they know what they are doing or whether they don't."

Diner—"Do you serve crabs here?" Waiter—"We serve anyone, sit down!" —Clipped

NOTICE OF SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

North Carolina, Wilkes County, IN THE SUPERIOR COURT vs. Pauline Blackburn Rhodes. The defendant Pauline Blackburn Rhodes will take notice that an action entitled as above has commenced in the superior court of Wilkes County, North Carolina for the purpose of an absolute divorce, and the said defendant further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of Superior Court, said county on the 7th day of August 1941 and answer or demur to complaint in said action, or plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in complaint. Dated this 23 day of June, 1941. C. C. HAYES, Clerk Superior Court of Wilkes County. 7-17-41 (t)

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of James F. Williams, deceased, this is to notify persons indebted to said estate make immediate payment to undersigned administratrix, all persons having claims against said estate will present same to the undersigned administratrix on or before the 11th day of July 1942, or this notice will be placed in the public press. This the 11th day of July, 1941. NETTIE L. WILLIAMS, Administratrix of the estate of James F. Williams, deceased. Whicker & Whicker, Attorneys 8-21-61

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