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Dollar Days Excellent Opportunity To Save

Dollar Days will be staged here Friday and Saturday of this week.

This special event is planned and arranged by the Trade Promotion committee of the Wilkes Chamber of Commerce.

Dollar Days were held here for the first time under auspices of the committee last August, and many fine values were offered by merchants. Customers found that their dollars were buying more than at any time in ten years.

This year the event is better organized and more attractive values will be offered than ever before.

The event is designed to expand the trading area by attracting new customers to the Wilkesboros, but every customer will share in the savings.

Dollar Days advertisements in this newspaper give an indication of the values offered. Many of them will represent the best values in many years. Quality of merchandise offered during this event is very definitely higher, and prices are lower, all of which means it will be well worth while to shop extensively in the Wilkesboros Friday and Saturday.

Peaceful Peoples Must Penetrate Iron Curtain

Russia has grown to a gigantic threat to the entire civilized world.

Little doubt remains of the fact that Russia has the atomic bomb, and may be well on toward construction of the hydrogen bomb, which would be far more devastating than any atomic bombs which have been exploded.

The hydrogen bomb, we are told, may be so powerful as to contaminate and poison the atmosphere for hundreds or perhaps thousands of miles from the scene of explosion. If made according to beliefs of some scientists, the hydrogen bomb might well be the instrument of destruction of the human race and all life.

The millions of Russians are ruled by a small group headed by Stalin. They are given only such information as the rulers want them to have, and no opposition to the government is tolerated. The Russian people will never learn from their own sources that hydrogen bomb warfare could wipe them out.

Some way the other people of the world must penetrate the iron curtain with information and the Russian people must be informed that their leaders are carrying them, and perhaps the rest of the world, to eventual devastation or destruction.

While in the interest of self defense we build the hydrogen bomb, and while we strive through the United Nations for peaceful settlement of international differences, we cannot afford to forget that the Russian people must be informed of true facts. That is the most important and most difficult task facing the peace loving peoples of the world today.

Russia's power must be destroyed from within. And in the meantime every effort should be put forth by every free nation to safeguard their own position and see that communist do not destroy them from within.

The business man who depends on luck usually finds that when he needs it most, he hasn't got much of it.

Maze Of Government Moves Is Puzzling

Anyone who tries to keep informed on the doings of the United States Government's maze of bureaus and agencies is apt to take with a grain of salt the government's claim that higher taxes are needed.

The Press Telegram, a big newspaper published at Long Beach, California, has had much to say regarding a government proposal to irrigate land in central Arizona with waters from the Colorado river.

The newspaper's opposition to the project hinges on the following three items:

- (1) The taxpayers of America are asked to subsidize irrigation works costing \$1,858 an acre in order to put water on land worth less than \$300 an acre.
- (2) The Federal treasury would pay out benefits averaging \$550,000 to each one of a favored 420 private land holders.
- (3) \$738,000,000 or more would be spent to put water on land that will be used to grow more surplus crops that will require more Federal subsidies.

At the same time that such projects as outlined above are brought to the front and often carried out at enormous costs, the government appropriates nothing for flood control in the Yadkin valley.

But for a small group in central Arizona the government would, if the bills pass, spend one hundred times as much as flood control would cost in the upper Yadkin valley.

- THE - EVERYDAY COUNSELOR

By Rev. Herbert Spough, D. D.



"Thank you" is a short sentence which brings long results.

The editor of NOW magazine tells of seeing a newsstand in the lobby of a hotel, over which was suspended the following slogan, "Your Purchase Free If We Ever Forget To Thank You." Being curious, he explored the origin and made an interesting discovery.

"Back in the nineties, two brothers named Hickey, one 12 years old and the other 17, sold newspapers in Davenport, Iowa. They never failed to thank their customers and became noted for their politeness.

"When they had saved \$745 they decided to open a newspaper stand of their own, and to use as their slogan, 'Your Purchase Free If We Ever Forget To Thank You.' They prospered to such an extent that today they have 100 establishments in 54 cities throughout the United States and one in Havana, Cuba. This slogan is faithfully lived up to by all their employees."

The editor comments, "This business built on courtesy is a standing rebuke to the prevalent spirit of unthankfulness."

Not all people are unthankful, but too many are. Much of it reflects home training. Recently we have had several good examples of good home training. My son, a college student, brought into our home several of his fellow students as dinner and over-night guests. Each time there came promptly to my wife a carefully penned note of appreciation. As they were away from home at college, the parents couldn't have told them to do it. It reflected good home training.

Sometime ago I read a survey made in a large city as to the number of people who took time to offer table grace. The results were depressing — not more than 10 per cent.

How rarely do we thank God for health, strength, soundness of mind, food, clothing, shelter, freedom, crops and harvest, prosperity, and for all good things, even for trials and troubles which lead us closer to Him?

Too many of us are "too busy" to even say "Thank you" to those about us, to those who serve us, the paper boy, the postman, the delivery boy. Stop and think about those that you should thank. Perhaps you should write a letter. Do it now! Then when you sit down to your next meal, don't forget to bow your head and thank God. When you lie down to sleep tonight, don't close your eyes until you have thanked God for His goodness.

Editor's Note: The third edition of Dr. Spough's little book on successful living, "The Pathway to Contentment", is now available. Orders may be sent to The Everyday Counselor, Box 6036, Charlotte, 7, N. C. The price is \$1 postpaid. It may also be secured from your bookstore.

Macedonia News

(By Mrs. W. F. Tharpe, Reporter)

We had a good attendance at church and Sunday school last Sunday; also for B. T. U. and church Sunday night.

Our pastor, Rev. J. F. Woodruff, delivered an enjoyable and inspiring sermon at each service. Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Woodruff and little daughter, of Mt. Airy, were the dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Byrd.

Mrs. W. H. Church is spending some time visiting in the homes of her sisters, Mrs. W. W. Holland and Mrs. John Rickett, at Statesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Marsh and two sons, of Winston-Salem, and Mrs. Warren Darnell and little daughters, of Elkin, were the week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Key at day, February 19, at Pentecostal Holiness church in this city. Rev. club rally held in Greensboro J. H. Rogers, of Mocksville, will

Saturday night.

Mrs. W. E. Key spent Saturday evening visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. S. Parlier, of Winston-Salem.

Mr. Irvin Key and Mr. Don Poplin left for Raleigh Sunday afternoon to attend The Farm Bureau convention this week.

We have on our sick list Mrs. L. G. Hurt and little granddaughter, Myrtle Hurt. We hope for them a speedy recovery.

Mr. Cecil Key has been discharged from the Army and is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Key, who have just moved into their new home, which was purchased from Mr. Key's father, Mr. G. A. Key.

Revival Services Pentecostal Church Will Begin Sunday

Revival services will begin Sunday, February 19, at Pentecostal Holiness church in this city. Rev. J. H. Rogers, of Mocksville, will

be guest minister and do the preaching. Rev. A. J. Adkins, pastor, invites all to attend the service, which will be held each evening at 7 o'clock.

A young men and women club has been organized in the New Hope community of Wilson county. Enrollment is open to young people ages 16 to 35.

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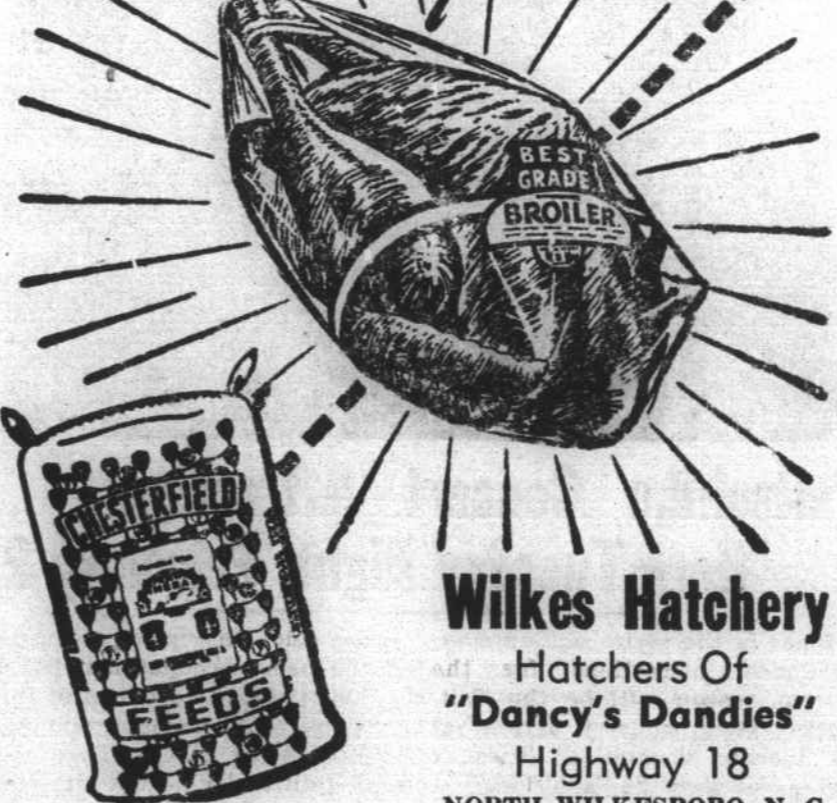
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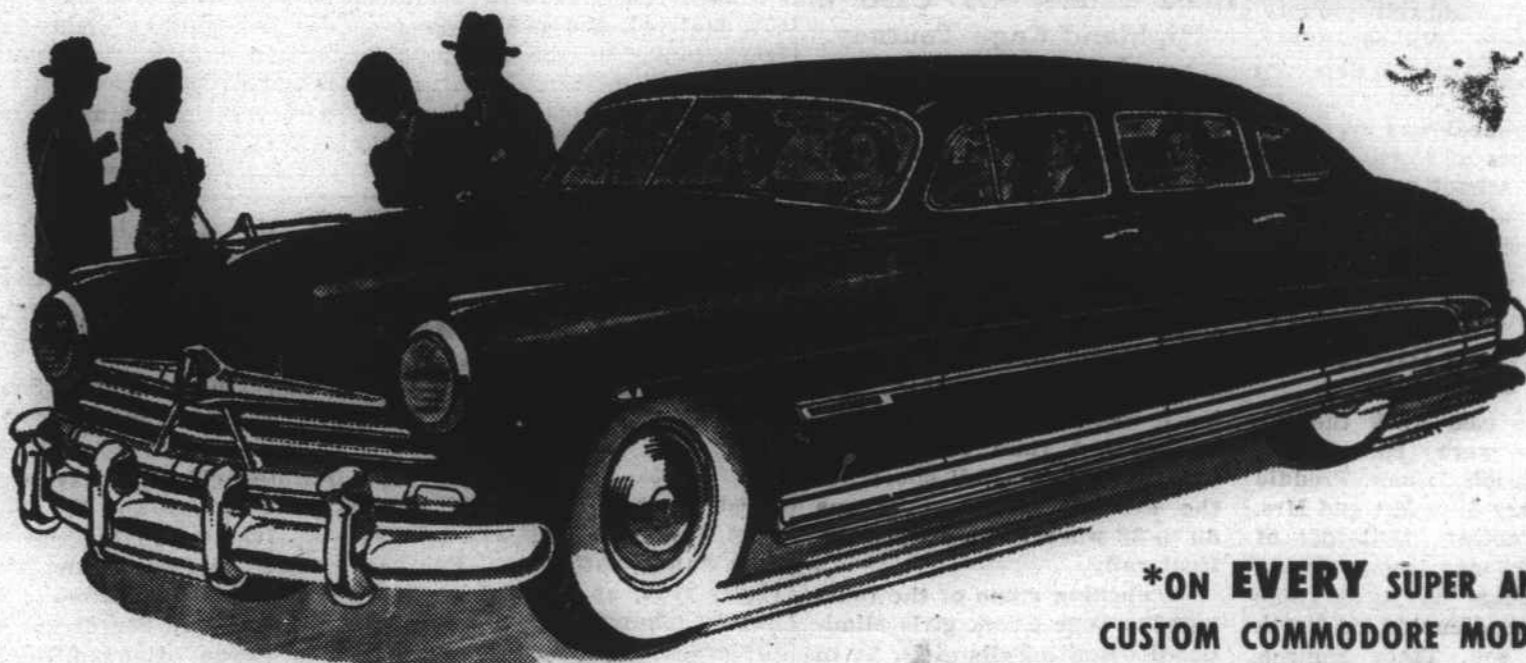


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clearance and more head room than in any mass-produced car built today—thanks to "step-down" design with its recessed floor!

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