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Easter Union Services Started **In The Churches** 

**Capacity Crowd Attends In**spiring Service On Sunday Evening

A capacity crowd attended the held Sunday evening at Wilkesboro Baptist church with Rev. Russell L. Young, pastor of the First Methodist church here, delivering an inspiring message.

The services will continue at 7:30 each evening with ministers of the Wilkesboros appearing in the various churches. The remainder of the schedule follows:

Monday, April 3 - Rev. B. M. Lackey, rector, at St. Paul's Espiopal church.

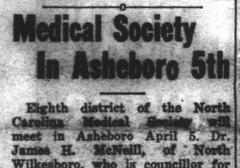
Tuesday, April 4 - Dr. John T. Wayland, First Baptist pastor, at Wilkesboro Methodist.

Wednesday, April 5 - Profesar Leo K. Pritchett, speaker for First · Presbyterian church, First Baptist.

Thursday, April 6 - Rev C. Jay Winslow, Wilkesboro Methodist pastor, at First Presbyterian church.

Friday, April 7 - Rev. W. N. Brookshire, Wilkesboro Baptist pastor, at First Methodist.

The community Pre-Easter services are held yearly among the terests being worked out satisfac- walk by himself, his face upturned churches of the Wilkesboros under auspices of the Ministerial Association.



Public Health committee of the Wilkes Chamber of Commerce, with Dr. J. H. McNeill, chairman, presiding, will meet Tuesday, five p. m., in the office of the cham-

**Meet This Week** 

Wilkes Chamber

**Committees Will** 

ber. Civic Activities committee, of which Dr. A. C. Chamberlain is first in a series of community chairman, will meet Thursday Pre-Easter services, which was evening 7:30 p. m., at the chamber of commerce office.



Featured by an excellent program, the North Wilkesboro Kiwanis club held an interesting meeting Friday noon at Hotel Wilkes with President E. N. Phillips presiding.

Inter Club Chairman, Dr. G. T. Mitchell announced an inter-Club Easter Seal looks like? meeting here for Friday evening Well, if you can't wait until you

of April 14. E. G. Finley, of the Agricultur- scription of the little stickers al Committee announced that the that mean health and help to committee is offering a resolu-tion to allow the Horse Show not This year's seal symbolizes the be sponsored by the Kiwanis club conquest of a handicap by a child but to accept sponsorship from the and shows a small boy tossing V. F. W. with the transfer of in- away his crutches and starting to

tory to all parties. The motion and smiling. The boy is wearing was approved. J. R. Hix read resolutions pre-

Kiwanian J. R. Finley. Program chairman J. E. Spainhour was on account of illness unhour was on account of illness un-able to be present and had asked an inch in height and a little more bis son, Jack Spainhour, of Hic- than 3-4 of an inch in width.

Mr. Spainhour introduced Dr. ing highlight of the month-long Walter Nau, of Lenoir-Rhyne campaign sponsored by the Ki-College, who in a very interesting wants Club, will be made today manner introduced and presented and tomorrow by volunteer work-James H. McNeill, of North Wilkesboro, who is councillor for who is a student at Lengir-Rhyne

Want to know what the 1950 get yours in the mail here's a de

EASTER SEALS AID CRIPPLED

shorts and turtle neck sweater against a foreground of medium pared on account of the death of magenta and a background of pastel green. It bears the slogan number of school construction "Help Crippled Children" and the projects in Wilkes county.

kory to introduce his program. The annual Easter Seal mailASK BIDS **ON SCHOOL** DINGS

#### **Plans Ready For Bidders On** Seven Construction Projects

Wilkes County Board of Education is advertising for bids on a C. B. Eller, county superintendent of schools, said today that plans are ready for letting contract for additions at Millers Creek, Roaring River, Ronda

Hospitality Co ttee of Chamber of Com nerce Maps 3 Projects

Hospitality committee of the Wilkes Chamber of Commerce is planning a Community Calendar, which, containing the dates of coming public events will be posted for the benefit and convenience of all organizations planning events to which the general public would be invited.

The advantages of such a cal-endar, Committee Chairman J. H. Sowder pointed out, would mean elimination of conflicts and a clearing house of information. The committee will write to all organizations, which includes 40 or more groups in the Wilkesboros, and ask their cooperation in furnishing information for such a calendar, which would be kept in the chamber of commerce office. The committee would act only in information capacity and would not dictate or suggest to

would enable organizations to plan for Dempsey Allen McNeill, 24, rooms and two toilet rooms, genfor events without conflicting with resident of the Obids community eral contract, Sidden Construction

A committee composed of Robert Gibbs, J. Floyd Woodward dent. and Mrs. Doris Brown was named to formulate a plan for maintaining the calendar, and another committee composed of Mrs. D. J. Carter, I. L. Grogan and Dr. J. Wilkes county one mile south of Tomlinson, of Lenoir, \$3,844; elec-H. Sowder was appointed to con- the Wilkes-Ashe line. He was in- trical, Anderson Electric Co.; \$1,tact clubs and ask their cooper- stantly killed and the body was 527.26. ation in furnishing information. The committee also made plans

for welcoming new comers to the community. A file will be established and kept up-to-date on famits and this information will in- Obids, Miss Mary McNeill of Win- \$1,384.84; heating, Miller and

# Court To Re-Open Judge J. C. Rudisill in Mocks. ville Thursday signed an order which will permit the Modern

Judge Signs Order

To Allow Tourist

of Wilkes county. The tourist court was closed by order of Judge Rudisill at the January term of Wilkes superior court. Modern Tourist court is located two miles suotheast of this city on highway 421 and 115 and consists of many tourist cabins and other tourist accomodations.



Ashe County Youth Dies When Auto Goes Off Road Near Ashe Line

any organizations dates for pub- Funeral service was held this \$211.04. lic events. However, the calendar afternoon at Obids Baptist church Mountain Crest - two class of Ashe county who was killed

Wilkes Coroner I. M. Myers, who investigated the accident, taken to a West Jefferson fun-

eral home.

**Members** Chamber

The Wilkes Chamber of Com-

Christmas holidays.

**Drivers Slow** To

aminer Warren pointed out.

Monday, N. Wilkesboro.

Tuesday, N. Wilkesboro. Wednesday, Taylorsville. Thursday, Taylorsville. Friday, N. Wilkesboro.

ience to their nearest examining

station, Examiner Warren stated.

Secure License

Are Now Available

clude former place of residence, ston-Salem, Miss Kay McNeill of Smythe, \$6,077.

Tourist Court, owned by Otha Johnson, to be leased by him to some party meeting the approval of the sheriff and clerk of court

Wilkes county board of education has approved low bids on seven school contsruction projects totaling \$218,508,47, C. B. Eller, county school superintendent, said today.

The bids have been forwarded to the state school commission for approval. The work is to be carried out with state aid funds Supt. Eller listed the low bids on the various projects as follows:

Boomer - boiler room and two toilet rooms, general contract, Eisele Construction company of North Wilkesboro \$7,900; plumbing, Hickory Plumbing Co., \$1,000; electrical, Ralph Duncan. North Wilkesbore, \$230.

Moravian Falls - boiler room and one class room, general contract, J. H. Kiziah, \$11,438; electrical. Anderson Electric Co.,

Co., \$14,088; plumbing, Hickory Saturday evening in an auto acci- Plumbing Co., \$1,295; electrical, Anderson Electric Co., of Wilkesboro, \$327.33.

Mountain View - eight class said that McNeill's can ran off rooms, Sidden Construction Co., highway 16 on the Blue Ridge in \$39,036; heating, Parlier and

Mount Pleasant - four class rooms, two toilet rooms and boiler Surviving Mr. McNeill are his room, general contract, Cline Lumfather and mother, Allen and ber Co., \$34,500; plumbing, Hic-Netta Brown McNeill, of Obids; kory Plumbing Co., \$2,088; elec-

the district, said that a number of members of the Wilkes Medical Society are planning to attend.

The scientific session will be held at Sunset theatre, beginning at 1:30 p. m., with many prominent men of the profession on the program.

From 5:30 until seven will be a social hour at the residence of Dr. J. L. Fritz.

Eighth district women's auxiliary will meet at Asheboro country club on highway 64 west of Asheboro.

interesting habits of his people The dinner meeting will be in that torid clime. He expressed held at 7:30 at Kiwanis 'Teengreat appreciation for the priviage building. Dr. McNeill will be on that program for introduction of distinguished guests. The feaduring his stay here. He plans to ture address of the evening will go back to his country as a teabe by Senator Frank Graham. cher.

Carl Johnson Is **Claimed By Death** 

Funeral service was held Sunday at Nebo church in Alexander Shuford, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bacounty for Carl Johnson, 52, former Wilkes resident who died Friday in Statesville.

Surviving Mr. Johnson are his wife, Mrs. Irene Johnson; one son and one daughter, Homer and Irene Johnson, of North Wilkesboro; one brother Edgar Johnson, of Statesville; three sisters, Mrs. Kansa Mayberry of Statesville, Mrs. Rosa Souther and Mrs. Ronie Mitchell of Black Mountain.

**Coon Hunters Club** Will Meet Friday

Wilkes Coon Hunters club will meet Friday, April 7, eight p. m., at Ray Minton's garage one mile west of this city. All members are asked to attend.



Wilkes chapter of the American Cancer Society will meet Thursday, 4:30 p. m., at the office of the Wilkes Chamber of Commerce. W. C. Grier, commander, will preside over the meeting and all members of the committee of the chapter are urged to attend. -

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Handy and children. Lois Ellen and Tom, and Mr. Cyrus Wiles, of London, Ky., spent the week-end here with Mrs. Handy's and Mr. Wiles' mother, Mrs. D. G. Wiles, and with other relatives in the coun-

College. Mr. Lessa made a most inter-

ledge of being in this country and

for the fine reception he has had

several months.

North Wilkesboro.

ers.

settled as a pioneer 125 years

ago. Mr. Kilby had long been a

member of the Masonic ladge in

drive will continue to Easter Sunsting talk about himself and his day, April 9. country, Brazil. He stated that he is here under fellowship provided

design of a Michigan high school by the Rotarians of Western boy, Ardy Kazarosian, 17, of De-North Carolina and that their troit, and was selected in nationpurpose in giving the scholarship wide competition sponsored by the is to create good-will between National Society for Crippled this country and Brazil. He dis-Children and its 2,000 affiliated cussed the customs and manner of societies.

living in his country, their pro-Local drive officials expect to gress in agriculture and indusreach a goal of \$1300.00 during try, their great admiration for the Wilkes County campaign. the United States and many other

> **Doctors Extension Sessions Tuesday** In Elkin YMCA

Dr. Theodore E. Woodward, as-

sociate professor of medicine in Guests Friday were as follows: the University of Maryland Medi-Tommy Whicker and Miss Betty cal School, and Dr. Joseph E. Goulsby with J. H. Whicker; Warren of the Harvard School of Medicine, will be the two special-Jack Spainhour, Mrs. J. E. Spainhour, Mrs. P. W. Eshelman, Mrs. ists speaking on the current Post-H. H. Morehouse, Mrs. James graduate Courses in Medicine being sponsored in many sections

son, Mrs. Roy Spainhour, of the State by the University of all guests of J. E. Spainhour. and Extension Division. Dr. Woodward will discuss the Will Kilby Rites new antibiotics in Elkin Tuesday,

April 4, and in Salisbury Wednesday, April 5, and Dr. Warren will **Conducted** Today speak on ACTH therapy at Ra-Ahoskie Friday, April 7. William Uriah (Will) Kilby,

The Elkin sessions will be held at the YMCA building, beginning 79. for several decades a well known farmer and prominent citwith a clinic at 3 p. m., when Dr. izen of the Mulberry community Woodward will take "Treatment of Wilkes county, died at his home Sunday following an illness of

of Bacterial Infections with New-er Antibiotics" as his subject. That night he will speak on the A son of the late Jim. and treatment of rickettsial and viral Amanda Brown Kilby, he lived diseases with antibiotics followon the farm which his granding a dinner at 7:30. father, the late Prseley Brown,

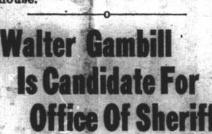
## Sgt. John Harrold **Dies At Fort Bragg**

Surviving Mr. Kilby are his Sgt. John Harrold, son of Mr. wife, Mrs. Lura Long Kilby; three and Mrs. Avery Harrold, of Hays sons, Granville of North Wilkesroute one, died Sunday morning boro, Claude of Charlotte; Sherat Fort Bragg, where he was staman of Reddies River; two tioned in service in the army. daughters, Mrs. Sina Walsh of The body of Sgt. Harrold will North Wilkesboro and Mrs. Cleo be returned home for funeral and Hayes of Reddies River. burial.

Funeral service was held Monday, three p. m., at the home and was conducted by Rev. Ed Mrs. J. A. White Hayes and Rev. Glenn Huffman. **Claimed By Death** Burial with Masonic honors was Funeral service was held today at Mt. Zion church for Mrs. Tiney in Mt. Zion church cometery. Ladles of the Eastern Star Chapter Camilla White, wife of J. A. here were in charge of the flow-

White, of the Mt. Zion com-munity. She died Saturday. Surviving Mrs. White are her asband, one brother and three

open with the visit of the post- tion, plumbing and heating and man Monday and Tuesday. The electrical work at all the above named schools and plans are available at the board of educa-This year's Easter Seal is the tion office in the Wilkes courthouse.



Walter W. Gambill, prominent merchant and farmer of the Dockery community and for many years active in the Republican

party in Wilkes county, has issued the following announcement of his candidacy for the Republican nomination for sheriff of Wilkes county:

"I Walter W. Gambill, wish to announce that I have filed with the county board of elections as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Wilkes county on the Republican ticket, subject to the primary North Carolina Medical School to be held May 27, 1950. I have been a lifelong Republican, and if nominated and elected, I promise to enforce the laws without fear or favor, in an honest, able and alert manner and will have no pets".

Mr. Gambill had three sons in service in World War II, One of whom was killed in battle fighting to preserve our liberty and free institutions", Mr. Gambill

### Important Notice **To Subscribers**

said.

Journal-Patriot subscribers whose subscriptions expire April 1 (with label bearing date of 4-50) may renew their subscriptions this week and be assured that their subcriptions will not be discontinued.

Notices have been mailed to those whose subscriptions expired April 1 and mailing of their renewal this week will reach this office in time to prevent their subscriptions being discontinued.

Miss Betsy Barber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Barber, was home the past week-end from WCUNC, Greensbero,

ber in family and church affiliation. Letters of welcome will go to new comers from the committee.

The committee also made plans John W. Luke. for bringing the file on local civic and fraternal organizations up to date. This file contains data, in-**Closing Cards For** cluding names of officers, meeting time and place, of 38 organizations in the Wilkesboros and is frequently used for reference. Members of the committee pre-

sent were Dr. J. H. Sowder, Mrs. D. J. Carter, J. Floyd Woodward, Frank Stafford, Robert Gibbs, Fred Henderson, L. G. Caldwell, Dorman T. Payne, I. L. Grogan, Mrs. Doris Brown and Tom Jenrette, chamber manager.

**Premeasurement For** Cotton and Tobacco of commerce office.

According to Maude S. Miller, secretary to the Wilkes county PMA committee, premeasurement services will be available for all cotton and flue-cured tobacco rowers. The cost of such services will be borne by the farmer at the rates established by the State office which are \$4.00 per farm

or 90 cents per acre, whichever is greater. Mrs. Miller also pointdriver's licenses," Driver's License lock. ed out that any producer desiring Examiner Marvin Warren of N. this service must file a request at Wilkesboro stated today. the county PMA office on or be-Although one-half of the period fore April 15th., as no request

will be accepted after that date,



North Wilkesboro city schools gan January 1 and will continue will have Easter holidays extendthrough June 30. ing from close of school Thurs-Examiner Warren stated that day afternoon, April 6, until Tuesat present he has time to give imday morning, April 11. Mulberry mediate attention to persons apschool will have the same holiplying for renewals but as the day schedule but other schools deadline nears he expects to be of the county system will operate rushed. He listed his daily schedule as follows:



The Silver Tone Quartet of Elkin will be at Arbor Grove Methodist Church, located above and who have not obtained re-Millers Creek Sunday night, April 9th at 7:30. The Public is invited. newal of their driver's lienses to report at their earliest conven-

## **Cemetery Working**

All persons interested in the cemetery at Friendship Methodist church near Millers Creek are Mr. Tom Eshelman, stadent at Princeton University at Princechurch near Millers Creek are ton, N. J., has arrived to spend urged to meet there on Friday, April 7, to work and plan im- ents, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Eshelman. ovements.

Lincoln Heights - four class the home; and one brother, Johnny McNeill of Obids. rooms and boiler room, general The last rites were conducted by Rev. S. S. Graybeal and Rev.

contract, Guy Fry and Sons, \$19,-875.50; electrical, Home Electric Co., \$1,015; heating, Miller and Smythe, \$6,825.

Union township - Nine-class room building, general contract. G. L. Wilson Building Co., \$54,-000; plumbing, Hickory Plumbing Co., \$2,507; electric, Ralph Duncan, \$2,650; Heating, Hickory Plumbing and Heating Co., \$5,845.



Members of the chamber who want these cards are requested Bold Robbery Occurred At to pick them up at the chamber Union Bus Terminal Here Early Today

> In a bold robbery in downtown North Wilkesboro in early morning hours today thieves entered the Union bus terminal and carried away a safe, Police Chief J. E. Walker said here.

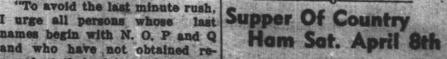
The station was entered by the "Motorists whose last names begin with N, O, P and Q have back door. The thieves had broken been slow in reporting for ex- a glass pane in the door and amination for renewal of their through the opening worked the

The small safe contained an undertermined amount of money, representing cash receipts of the has passed in which persons in station yesterday, along with some this category are to be examined papers of value.

Police reported that the doors only about one-fourth of these who must stand examination have were checked late at night and that the robbery must have ocreported to the local station, Excured well after midnight. Station attendants found the door The N through Q period beopened when they reported for work early, today.

**Easter Pageant** 

The young people of the Baptist, Methodist, and Presbyterian churches will present an Easter Pageant Saturday night, April 8, at 7:30 in the Presbyterian Educational Building. The public is extended a cordial invitation.



Country ham supper will be erved Saturday night, April 8, at fulberry community house. The upper will cost \$1 per plate for dults and 50 cents for children under 12, with proceeds going to the building fund of Baptist Home church. Everybody is in-vited to enjoy a good supper.



