

WALTONIANS AND KIWANIS MEET AT HOTEL ELKIN

Brief Kiwanis Program, Time Given Over To Waltonians

HEAR RESOLUTIONS

The regular weekly meeting of the Kiwanis club was held at Hotel Elkin last Friday evening, with a "conservative" number present.

The meeting was opened by the president, who singled out Dr. R. B. Harrell, to lead in the song "America." In the absence of Mrs. J. H. Beeson, Miss Norma Church was at the piano and played during the musical numbers.

When the invocation was said by Rev. L. B. Abernethy, the members with their visiting Waltonians were seated to be confronted by a tempting chicken dinner. Judging from the empty plates, the attendants evidently voiced the old expression (even though used in an advertisement) "Good to the last bite."

When the dinner course had been finished, two songs were sung by the clubs, the latter being "Ham and Eggs," which of course would not be so interesting after the hearty indulgence of the chicken and accessories that still held its memory through "taste." After the songs, the Kiwanians closed their part of the program and turned the meeting over to the Izaak Walton League, which was presided over by Mr. Guy C. Wallace, who is in charge of the State Fish Hatchery at Roaring Gap.

Mr. Wallace presented to the body a lengthy resolution, in which many suggestions and changes in the present game laws were to be threshed out. The resolution was sent out by the State officials and a copy was furnished to each Izaak Walton League for consideration with the purpose in view of having the game laws made to meet the demands of the people of the State, in the meantime keeping an eye on preservation.

The resolutions were read paragraph by paragraph and adopted or revised as they were read, a copy of which will appear in The Tribune either this week or next.

The League favors the separation

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OFFICER CHASES NIGHT RAMBLERS

One Found With Pint Bottle and the Other With 5-Gallon Can; Chase Ensues.

Night policeman Crawford Hurt, who is substituting for Mr. W. C. Lewis while he is recuperating from wounds received recently when he was run over by a truck on Main street, had something to break the quietness of his nightly patrol on early Tuesday morning. "Smelling a mouse," officer Hurt located Earl Ingool on the edge of the Elkin creek, secreted in a cluster of honey-suckles. When approached, Ingool was found to be drinking rather heavily and for a time stated that he was so unwell that he didn't know his name. However, he later divulged it, and told what he knew was going on. At the time of his arrest, Ingool is said to have had about three-fourths of a pint in his possession.

While enroute to the city bastille the officer heard a noise and discovered a man walking down the railroad tracks in the direction of the depot. Officer Hurt flashed his powerful light and to his surprise discovered that a man was approaching with what turned out to be a five-gallon can of whiskey. Chase was given, and the pursued, whose name was William Whitaker, ran around behind the stores on the south side of Main street, where he was overtaken and arrested.

Upon arrival at the lock-up, Whitaker took advantage of the officer who was securing the keys from his pocket, and ran for the second time. Policeman Hurt had assistance and left Ingool in his charge while chase number two was being given due consideration. The officer stated that much if not all the bottom land along the river was covered, but being swift on foot the officer captured Whitaker, and returned him to the town's emergency "boarding house."

Unable to make bond, both men are being held. Ingool claims to have no interest in the seized whiskey.

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YADKIN MAN AND WIFE ARE FIRED UPON BY PARTY

Shores Is Recognized As One Of Those In Car

SHOOT NEAR FEET

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Adams, of the Fall Creek community, had a narrow escape and thrilling experience last Saturday night as a result of pistol bullets which stirred the dust near the feet of the couple as they stood in the front yard of their home.

Mr. Adams can assign no reason for the action of the party, which consisted of three men one of whom Mr. Adams says he recognized as Blum Shores. It seems that the trio were out for a merry time, roaming the roads at leisure, and it so happened that the party stopped near the home of Mr. Adams and soon afterward shots were heard, whereupon an investigation was made and the trio was located. As an explanation of their presence there, one of the men stated that they were hunting for some lost cartridges. At the invitation of Mr. Adams, who requested them to leave, it is said that some hot language was exchanged, and Mr. Adams returned to his home and he and his wife waited in the yard to see if they would comply with his demands.

Shortly afterward the small car containing the three men was seen to approach the home of the couple, and four shots were fired into the dust near them. If the shots were intended to do bodily injury, then Mr. and Mrs. Adams had a close call, and to say the least it was dangerous "playing." The would-be victim, if such was the case, hurried into his home and secured a shotgun. Upon returning to get a view of the party he fired twice, but the distance was then too great for an accurate shot, and no apparent damage was done other than perhaps an incentive to increase the speed of the get-away car.

It is said that Shores was seen in Elkin earlier in the day, and at that time was in company with two Pardue boys, one of whom, Ladue Pardue, accompanied Shores to a local barber shop. It is not known whether any of the party had been indulging in joy-water at the time of their visit to Elkin, or later when the attack was made upon Mr. and Mrs. Adams.

It will be recalled by Tribune readers that Shores was the driver of the car which attempted to run down night policeman W. C. Lewis here some time ago, and at which time the officer fired in an attempt to halt the car, but unsuccessfully. He was later apprehended and fined in Recorder's Court for the offense.

SELECTS SURGEON FOR NEW HOSPITAL

Dr. Vernon C. Lassiter Chosen As Superintendent and Surgeon Of Local Institution

Much speculation has been going the rounds as to who would be selected to head the new Hugh Chatham Memorial Hospital in the capacity of superintendent and chief surgeon, and the announcement of the selection will be read with interest by our citizens.

Dr. Vernon C. Lassiter, of Winston-Salem, has been chosen to fill the office, and will arrive in this city in ample time to take up the work when the hospital building is completed.

Dr. Lassiter is a graduate of Emory University, Atlanta, Ga., having finished the course there in 1925. He served as physician in the Old Soldier's Home Hospital of Atlanta during his third year of medicine, as junior interne at Grady Hospital during his senior year, and as senior interne at the same hospital for the period of 1925-26.

The newly chosen head of the local hospital was a resident physician and surgeon, and director of clinics, of City Memorial Hospital, Winston-Salem, from 1926 to 1929, and has done surgical practice in that city since last year.

Dr. Lassiter is a member of the Forsyth county, North Carolina State and American Medical Societies, also a member of the City Memorial and North Carolina Bap-

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Attempt To Dynamite Home of Colored Man

FAMILY UNHARMED

Iron Bed Wrecked In Explosion In Early Morning Hours

HOLE IN FLOOR

While there is nothing definitely known which would give a clue as to the reason for attempting to dynamite the home of Will Hunt, colored, who lives near Ronda, in all probability the motive of the would-be assassins and dynamiters was vengeance upon the negro.

At about 1 o'clock Sunday morning a terrific explosion was heard by the Hunt family, who were sleeping in another room from that which was picked as the target of the dynamite or whatever was used. Upon investigation by the family, it was found that a hole large enough to let a full-size bed go through had been blasted by the explosion, and the bed, which was of metal, was wrecked, being bent, warped and otherwise damaged. The impact of the force lasted until it had done considerable damage to the ceiling.

Hunt came to Elkin early Sunday morning and went to the home of Chief of police W. G. Church and sought aid in the matter.

The occurrence being in Wilkes county, it was out of the jurisdiction of the Elkin chief, and Hunt was advised to take the matter up with the Sheriff of that county.

The negro is of the opinion that blockaders or bootleggers of that section had suspicion of him of reporting them, and took the "high-pressure" method of settling their grievance, with the intention, doubtless, of blowing up the home and killing its occupants who slept peacefully in the dark hours of the night.

Hunt is unable to place any direct suspicion upon his assailants, but his communication with the Wilkes sheriff may shed more light upon the matter at an early date, after a thorough investigation has been made.

Bloodhounds were suggested as a method of running down the culprits, but when Hunt was advised that he would be required to guarantee the expense of bringing the dogs to the scene of the attempted ruin of his home, the idea was temporarily abandoned, due to the financial circumstances of the near-victim of death.

Fortunately for the family, the enemy evidently misjudged the room in which they slept, which doubtless accounts for escaping with their lives.

IMPROVING STREETS ACROSS THE RIVER

County Machinery Secured By Town Of Jonesville To Improve Main Thoroughfares

Mayor Gurney Wagoner informs The Tribune that the town of Jonesville has recently secured from the county some of its road machinery with which to improve the principal streets of the town. Realizing that travel is especially difficult during the winter months, the town decided to use the money derived from the sale of automobile tags and put the most prominent streets in good condition.

While no paving or topsoiling has been done, grading and leveling in addition to packing will aid materially in helping motorists and other vehicles to travel in comfort and safety. Numerous trunks were replaced and some added new.

At the completion of the Jonesville work, the county started its road machinery on the stretch from that town to Pea Ridge, by way of Swan Creek. This is a badly needed piece of work, and shortened the distance six or eight miles, as compared to the route via Brooks Cross Roads.

In addition to serving the public, is a piece of roadbed indispensable to the citizens along that route, and the county is to be commended for its realization of the needs of its citizens, and the fact that the work has been started in time to make the improvements before the winter months set in in earnest, and before the roadbed is cut to pieces and routed so as to make travel practically an impossibility.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Stevens left Saturday for Pinehurst, where they will spend some time.

World War Veterans Want Your Support

On Tuesday, November 4, the voters will be faced with ballots printed "To" and "Against" World War Veterans Loan Bonds, and the local post of the American Legion urges the voters to support their cause and cast a vote for the bonds. Five reasons set forth below will throw a little light on the subject:

1. This fund will help hundreds of ex-service men acquire homes, who could not otherwise obtain them.
2. To issue these bonds will not cost the tax payers of the State one cent. The money is loaned on first mortgages at 6 percent. The State should not have to pay more than 4 1-4 percent on its bonds.
3. The State owes a large debt to its ex-service men. It has given them nothing. Home owners make better citizens. The people should vote for these bonds to aid veterans in acquiring homes.
4. The veterans do not ask the State to give them anything. They will repay the money loaned them through this fund.
5. This proposition is not a Constitutional Amendment.

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MANY HONORS ARE WON BY KLONDIKE HERD GUERNSEYS

Exhibited At Show In Salisbury and Win Numerous Prizes

STRING OF RIBBONS

Salisbury may justly boast the fact that it holds the largest dairy show in the South, but Elkin and Klondike Farm now share in the honors bestowed upon the herds exhibited there, according to information obtained from Mr. Ruohs Pyron, manager of the farm.

The show, which was held recently, drew leading herds from North and South Carolina and Virginia, and offered strong competition. Nevertheless, the Klondike herd was conspicuously in the forefront when the awards were made, and not only did it capture the largest number of cash prizes, but also drew an array of blue ribbons, the ribbons now being on display in the window of the Elkin National Bank.

The herd won ten first prizes, three seconds and three thirds, and Grand Champion Female on Klondike's Gay Countess, which was more than twice as many firsts as any other herd exhibiting.

The exhibits at the South Carolina fair were not so numerous, and not so many classes were made as at the show at Salisbury, however the herd won seven firsts, two seconds, two thirds and Junior Champion Female and Senior and Grand Champion Female, which totaled more firsts than any other exhibitions. At both the Salisbury and South Carolina show, Klondike Farm was the leading money winner.

With the exception of two cows in the aged class, every animal exhibited by Klondike Farm was bred and developed at the farm, and Elkin justly boasts the fact that this winning herd is claimed as a part of our progressiveness in Surry County since Klondike Farm was established here on a commercial basis a few years ago.

Mr. Pyron, the manager, is to be congratulated upon his ability in managing the farm, which has produced an enviable record among breeders of several states in competing for honors and cash awards.

Postoffice Robbed At Laurel Springs

Meagre details reached here late Wednesday evening of the robbery of the Postoffice at Laurel Springs, N. C., on Tuesday night. It is not known just how much money was taken or if there has been any arrests made in connection with the robbery.

HEART TROUBLE IS CAUSE OF DEATH OF MOSES G. WILKINS

Prominent Yadkin Man Succumbs to Fatal Attack Tuesday

55 YEARS OF AGE

Moses G. Wilkins, aged about 55 years, and well known to many Elkin citizens, suffered a severe heart attack Tuesday afternoon late, and a physician was summoned. After working faithfully for two hours or more, hope was abandoned of bringing relief, and it was decided to rush him to a Statesville hospital. Mr. Wilkins died while on the way.

The deceased had made a business trip to Elkin Tuesday afternoon, coming here after a load of sand. He had complained of feeling bad, but did not seem alarmed over his condition. About one week ago he suffered a severe attack, but physicians were able to relieve him temporarily. It is said that in addition to heart trouble, Mr. Wilkins was a sufferer of high blood pressure, and that in all probability a stroke of apoplexy befell him during the heart trouble, hastening his death, which occurred at about 10 P. M.

Mr. Wilkins was one of Yadkin county's most substantial and respected citizens, and resided in the vicinity of Brooks Cross Roads. About 10 years ago Mr. Wilkins professed faith in Christ, and joined the Holiness church at Longtown, and since that time had lived an upright, Christian life, faithful to the duties of his church and regular at its meetings. His life since profession of faith was above reproach, and his friends were numbered by the hundreds—not confined to his own neighborhood, but wherever he met and mixed among his fellowmen.

The deceased is survived by his wife and seven children, in addition to numerous other relatives and friends.

It is understood that funeral services will be held at Longtown today, but the hour could not be learned.

HOUSE, CONTENTS BURNED TO GROUND

Home of Mr. D. Wagoner, Near Center, Yadkin County, Is Totally Destroyed

Fire last week totally destroyed the home of Mr. D. Wagoner, located near Center, Yadkin county.

The blaze was discovered about 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and had gained such headway that it was beyond control when observed. The house, although having a good many years of age to its credit, was a valuable piece of property, and this, together with the furniture, totaled a loss of approximately \$6,000.

The only household effects saved consisted of two beds, and \$35 in money which had been placed in a drawer of a dresser, the remainder of the property, together with the well house, being destroyed by the fire.

No insurance was carried on either the home or its contents.

GEORGE GRAY POST WINNER OF MEDAL

Commended By State Adjutant and State Commander For Various Activities.

The George Gray Post of the American Legion has gone "over the top" in the enrollment of old members and the addition of new members, and won the distinguished service medal offered by the State Commander. According to Post Commander Joe Bivins, the local post hopes to double the enrollment of last year.

Post Adjutant George Royall received a letter of commendation from the State Adjutant in regard to the activities of the local post, namely the cooperation between the post and the County Welfare officer in supplying school books for children whose parents were not financially able to give their children the necessary school supplies.

Rev. T. S. Clarkson, of Mount Airy, will conduct services at the Galloway Memorial church, Sunday afternoon, November 2, at 3:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

PARENT-TEACHERS HOLD INTERESTING MEETING TUESDAY

Held at Auditorium of School Building In Afternoon

GOOD ATTENDANCE

The regular monthly meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association was held in the school auditorium Tuesday afternoon, with an unusually large attendance.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs. S. O. Maguire, the president, who opened the meeting with a song. Following the devotional exercises by Miss Emma Cooke, which consisted of reading the 100th Psalm and repeating the Lord's Prayer in unison, a roll call of the membership was read, and a good percentage answered to their names. Eight new members were enrolled. Reading of the minutes next claimed the attention of the association, and at the conclusion were approved.

The report of treasurer, Mrs. H. P. Graham, was heard with interest. She reported that a check for \$17 from the Associated Charities had been received as a donation in the work, and also announced that the American Legion had volunteered to assist in any manner possible.

Discussion of the inconvenience in securing dishes for serving luncheon at the various meetings was solved to a considerable extent with the suggestion that each member donate a plain white cup and plate for future use, which was approved.

Prof. J. H. Allred, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, announced that a Halloween carnival would be held at the school building on Friday night, at which time booths will be arranged attractively for the sale of candy, sandwiches, etc. The attendance at this affair is expected to reach into the hundreds, and a general good time is promised all who participate in the event.

Following this, a discussion by Prof. Allred as to the units required

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JOHN H. FOLGER IN ADDRESS HERE

Speaks at School Auditorium On Tuesday Evening; Is An Enthusiastic Speech.

Elkin citizens were privileged to hear Hon. John H. Folger, of Mount Airy, on Tuesday evening at the school auditorium, where he discussed the issues of the day in an enthusiastic manner and to an appreciative audience, consisting of both Democrats and Republicans.

Mr. Folger, who is a candidate for the State Senate from Surry county, was introduced by Attorney E. C. James, after which the audience was well repaid for having gone out to hear the speaker.

Mr. Folger asked the question, "What is Wrong With the Country?" and then proceeded to answer clearly and in a forceful and constructive manner the question he had just asked, reciting numerous things that stood in the pathway of better citizenship and greater prosperity. He asserted that the great principles of Thomas Jefferson had been laid aside and had passed from memory by the party in power.

The speaker, in tracing the origin of the two parties of the country, cited Jefferson and Hamilton, stating that Hamilton was a man who believed that the masses of the people were worth nothing but to serve and follow the select few, and upon Hamilton's theory the Republican party was formed.

Opposed to the principles of Hamilton was a man named Jefferson, a man of more powerful understanding and gifted with the correct idea that all men were created equal with equal rights and special privileges to none, and upon this basis another party was formed, dedicated to State's rights and a government by the people.

Mr. Folger put emphasis upon the fact that monopolizing in industry is ruining the country, and added that it was largely responsible for the plight of the farmer in meeting his just and moral obligations. Referring further to the Hamiltonian belief and ideas of government, the speaker asserted that only a man with an iron nerve would dare venture into the business world to a greater extent than the establishment of a filling station, or in the

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