

FOUR ARE HURT IN AUTO CRASH

Vance Dunn Receives Broken
Back in Accident; Failed
to Take Curve

ALL ARE DOING WELL

Gilmer Wright and Lawrence, Vance and Leo Dunn, all of Advance, and employees of Chatham Manufacturing company here, were injured in an automobile accident on the Yadkinville-Boonville highway late Wednesday night of last week while en route to their work here. Vance Dunn was the most seriously injured of the young men, having sustained a broken back. Gilmer Wright was also badly hurt, his major injury being a severe scalp wound. Lawrence Dunn also sustained a scalp wound of lesser nature. Leo Dunn, who was only slightly injured, has been dismissed from the hospital. According to latest reports, all of the men are making satisfactory progress.

The car in which they were riding and which was driven by Gilmer Wright, failed to take a curve and overturned down an embankment, pinning all of the occupants under the car. Their groans were heard by a passing negro, who summoned aid.

Unsafe speed causes nine out of ten automobile accident deaths, records of the Highway Safety Division show.

Aid Is Needed in Filling Out Blanks

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become permanent records they must be made out carefully and legibly. This is important work, it was pointed out, and it is the duty of every good citizen to lend his aid in seeing that every man of required age is correctly registered.

A total of 700 men are expected to register in Elkin precinct, and it will require numerous assistants to properly register this many men in the prescribed time limits. Anyone who is willing to aid in this important work is asked to see J. L. Hall.

Under the Selective Service Act, stiff penalties are provided for those who fail to register. Those failing this duty are subject to five years imprisonment and \$10,000 fine. These penalties also apply to persons who aid or abet another to evade registration or service.

Following registration the registrant must keep in touch with his local board, reporting immediately any change of address. He will be given a registration certificate which must be carried at all times, as he may be required to show it from time to time.

Persons who are sick on registration day and unable to present themselves before the registration board, but are not in a hospital, shall have a competent person apply to the chief registrar for authority to act as registrar in the case. Persons who are quarantined or too sick to be registered on registration day

must present themselves before a local board, or notify the board, as soon as he can be registered. A physician's certificate or other competent evidence shall be necessary to prove valid cause for failing to register on the proper day.

Complete information covering other causes which may prevent a person from registering may be obtained from Chief Registrar Hall.

Surry county has two draft boards, which were appointed by a committee made up of F. T. Lewellyn, clerk of superior court; R. A. Freeman, chairman of the Surry board of elections, and John W. Comer, superintendent of Surry county schools. The board appointed to govern the district of Surry in which Elkin is located, is made up of Dr. C. L. Folger, of Dobson, C. A. McNeill, of Elkin, W. M. Matthews, of Pilot Mountain. R. A. Freeman, of Dobson, was named advising attorney, and Dr. M. A. Royall, of Elkin, advising physician.

The other board, with jurisdiction over Mount Airy townships, Stewarts Creek and Long Hill, is made up of R. W. Sparger, of Mt. Airy; Grover C. Lovill, of Mount Airy; and Sam D. Cook, of Stewarts Creek township, with John H. Folger, of Mount Airy, as advising attorney, and Dr. Robert E. Smith, also of Mount Airy, as advising physician.

Citizens officially appointed to conduct the registration in the various Surry precincts, have been announced by R. A. Freeman. These men are:

Bryan—W. F. Thompson, W. J. Nixon, Paul G. Lewis, Claude Harris.

Dobson—F. F. Riggs, C. G. Comer, C. L. Jarvis, Walter Blevins.

Eldora—R. G. Shackelford, Caleb Marsh, Robert Simpson, C. E. Hutchens.

Elkin—J. L. Hall, R. C. Freeman, Fred Neaves, W. M. Dickerson.

Franklin—Dixie Lowe, Charles Bryant, Guy Bartley, A. C. Lowe. Long Hill—C. E. Needham, D. B. Needham, J. W. Stewart, J. Frank Chilton.

Marsh—Windell Wilmoth, Zella Phillips, T. G. Marion, J. S. Hill. Mount Airy No. 1—Gilmer Wood, C. P. Creed, E. L. Patterson, F. S. Eldridge.

Mount Airy No. 2—Jesse M. Banner, A. B. Carter, Wilson Barber, Charlie Turpine.

Mount Airy No. 3—Phil Cranford, W. F. Carter, Jr., J. C. Hollingsworth, J. Monroe Hiatt.

Mount Airy No. 4—Bryan Ashby, W. I. Monday, Frank Martin, J. A. Sparger.

Mount Airy No. 5—Joe Hall, C. E. Cox, J. H. Gwyn, Ben Edwards.

Pilot—O. J. Johnson, Arthur Fulk, R. C. Boaz, Boyd Nelson.

Rockford—S. E. Banner, J. G. Wood, F. E. Layne, Lee Perkins.

Shoals—Oliver Hauser, Oscar Scott, P. A. Marion, A. L. Ashburn.

Siloam—J. S. Patterson, W. H. Hardy, Hugh Atkinson, J. A. Whitaker.

Stewarts Creek—Claude Ramsey, Guy Sparger, Sam Cook, Joe A. Gentry.

Westfield—Robert Flippin, W. B. Blair, John R. Tilley, Joe H. Hall.

Based upon the fact that the state is expected to register around 430,000, it is estimated that Surry county will register 4,500. Surry, it is said, will be fortunate in the first call, since credit for those now enlisted in service and voluntary enlistments will about fill the quota of the first call.

METHODIST CHURCH SERVICES ANNOUNCED

Sunday at the morning hour of worship at the Methodist church at 11 o'clock. Rev. L. B. Abernethy, a former pastor of the church, will preach, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Herman F. Duncan.

At the evening hour of worship at 7:30. Rev. Duncan will preach and special music will be rendered by the senior church choir.

The church extends a cordial invitation to the public to attend. Monday evening at 7:30 Rev. J. S. Hiatt, superintendent of the Elkin district of the Methodist church, will hold the fourth quarterly conference at the church. This is an important meeting and all church members are invited to be present.

SIX MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED

Six marriage license were issued during the past week by the Surry register of deeds to the following couples: John T. Conrad to Miss Katherine Safrut, both of Elkin; Roby Ephriam Tuttle to Miss Minnie Mae Calloway, both of King; Rufus Bledsoe to Miss Gladys Corder, both of Dobson; Dewey Scott to Miss Iva Simpson, both of Ararat; Maxwell Jackson Davis, Mount Airy, to Miss Cloyce Key, of Ararat; Wrenn McKinney, Pinnacle, to Miss Hazel Donley, Mount Airy.

HOLD RITES FOR MRS. D. F. GOUGH

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love and esteem in which she was held was attested by the floral tribute, which blanketed the plot in Flat Rock cemetery in Yadkin county, where she was buried. She was a native of Rockingham county, and moved with her husband to Elkin about 25 years ago. She was a member of the Methodist church and the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the church.

She is survived by her husband, David F. Gough; four sisters, Mrs. I. D. Green, of Charlotte; Mrs. R. L. Cloer, of Lenoir; Mrs. H. C. Lomax, of Jackson, Miss., and Mrs. J. S. Boggan, of Rockingham, and several nieces and nephews.

Out-of-town friends and relatives attending the funeral here Tuesday were: Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Cloer and Mrs. Elsworth Hartsfield, of Lenoir; Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Cloer, of Hickory; Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Green, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Lomax, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Faulkner, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ingle, Mrs. Gaffney, Mrs. C. W. Ingle, Mrs. Goodwin and Glenn Ingle, of Charlotte; Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Gillis, of Mount Holly; Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes, of Danville, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Boggan, of Rockingham; Mrs. John Holcomb, Mrs. Gough Miller and Sid Gough, of Winston-Salem; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Bell and Frank and Billy Johnson, of Hamptonville; Woodrow Miller, Mrs. W. C. Miller, Mrs. L. D. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Kelley, Miss Mary Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Labon Hauser, Mrs. F. Harding, Mrs. A. Kilgore and Mrs. J. W. Miller, of Yadkinville.

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CLUB COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING HELD OCT. 2

The County Council meeting of Surry County Home Demonstration clubs was held in Mrs. Grace P. Brown's office at Dobson October 2, at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Paul Brown, of Devotion, president, presided over the meeting. The club collect was repeated by the members. Mrs. Frank Folger read the minutes and called the roll, and Mrs. Howard Hardy, of Siloam, gave the treasurer's report.

Plans were made for the Federation meeting and Achievement Day which will be held at Beulah school building November 2 at 10:30 o'clock. The various clubs of the county will take part on the program and display exhibits. Demonstrations of Home Demonstration club work will be given.

The men have a special invitation to come with their wives to this meeting, therefore it promises to be one of the best Federation meetings to be held in Surry county. At the conclusion of the program lunch will be served.

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