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Demonstration Agent Starts Work In County

Mrs. S. L. Homewood To Work During Summer In Wilkes County

AMONG RELIEF CASES Will Assist Them In Canning and Preserving Food For Winter

A home demonstration agent will work in Wilkes county among the relief cases during the summer months.

Mrs. S. L. Homewood, former teacher of Craven county, has been assigned to Wilkes by Mrs. Thomas O'Berry, state relief administrator, and the extension department. She has already begun her duties as home demonstration agent in the county.

Mrs. Homewood comes to the county well recommended and relief authorities expect that he will aid greatly in assisting many of the families on the relief list to go a long way toward caring for themselves during the coming year.

It has been pointed out that the work done by Mrs. Edna Reinhardt in the county last summer on a similar plan was a great help to the county and a movement is on foot to secure a full time home demonstration agent.

Mrs. Homewood is sent to Wilkes primarily for work among the families on the relief list but the general public is invited to all her canning demonstrations.

As it has been pointed out by relief authorities no further relief of any kind will be given to any family or person who does not strive to care for themselves by growing and preserving food. For this and other reasons those in the relief lists are asked to pay particular attention to the announcement of Mrs. Homewood's appointments and attend as many of her canning demonstrations as possible.

Following is a list of appointments within the next few days: Monday—8:30, Mountain View schoolhouse, Hays.

Tuesday—8:30 — Woodlawn-North Wilkesboro, Mrs. Matilda Shew's home.

2:30—Schoolhouse at Fairplains.

Wednesday—8:30 — Wilkesboro schoolhouse.

Meeting of Lay Leaders Planned

All-Day Service Will Be Held At Union Methodist Church Sunday

An all-day lay leaders service for the Wilkesboro church will be held at Union Methodist church three miles west of this city Sunday.

Announcement of the meeting was made today by Attorney F. J. McDuffie, charge lay leader, who has arranged the program for the day.

The morning session will begin at eleven o'clock, at which time W. H. Worth, of Jefferson, district lay leader, will deliver an address.

At noon there will be a fellowship basket dinner and all who attend are asked to provide for the dinner by carrying along baskets well filled with provisions.

The afternoon program will be featured by addresses by such well known leaders and speakers as B. G. Price, of Clifton, C. M. Cook, of Roaring River, and Attorney A. H. Casey, of this city.

Although the meeting is announced as a lay leaders gathering of the Methodist church, Attorney McDuffie states that he wishes it made known that the day's program is for everybody and that the general public, of all denominations, is invited to attend.

Places Watauga Men On PWA Projects

R. L. Wooten, director of the National Re-employment office here for five counties, was in Boone Monday placing about fifty men on two road projects now under way in Watauga.

One of the projects is widening and resurfacing a portion of the Boone-Blowing Rock highway and the other is widening and resurfacing the street through Blowing Rock.

Pal Of Ralph Davis Is Taken In Wilkes

"Well Earned" Vacation



New York . . . Miss Margaret LeHand (above), confidential secretary to President Roosevelt, as she sailed for Europe on vacation which the Chief Executive termed "well earned."

Wilkes Bad Man Escapes From Prison

Homer Wyatt, sentenced from Wilkes superior court for house-breaking and other serious offenses in the March, 1933 term, escaped from a prison camp near Siler City Sunday evening.

Wyatt was accompanied in his daring prison break by John Willis Smith, sent up from Charlotte, and Harry Baxter, from Kannapolis.

Smith, a prison camp trusty, grabbed a pistol from a guard with whom he was talking and forced him to lie down under the tower while the trio slipped through the gates. Immediate alarm was turned "in" but a thorough search of the nearby woods failed to result in their capture.

Sheriff W. B. Somers was notified by wire soon after the break to be on the lookout for Wyatt. It was thought probable that he would head back toward his old stamping grounds.

Lions Will Have Meeting Tonight

President Of Club Will Have Charge Of Program; Attendance Urged

First July meeting of the North Wilkesboro Lions Club will be held at Hotel Wilkes this evening at seven o'clock.

The new president, Ivey Moore, will preside over the meeting and will also have charge of the program.

Since the contest among the members for the directors' trophy will begin at this meeting each member is insistently urged to be present. Important business pertaining to the club and its activities will be taken up and an interesting program is promised.

In connection with the meeting tonight and the membership and achievement drive, President Ivey Moore has released for publication the following letter on the subject of Lionism, written by Mrs. John B. Scholderer, of Montclair, N. J.:

I am proud that my husband is a Lion. The ideals and objectives of the club are so much a living part of the organization that its members have adopted them unconsciously in their private lives. These high standards tend to develop finer men—men more useful to their city, more (Continued on page eight)

Wilkesboro Street Work Progressing

Work of Pouring Asphalt Expected To Start Sometime This Week

With the work of building concrete curbs on the street in Wilkesboro completed, it is expected workmen will start pouring the asphalt pavement this week.

widening the street through Wilkesboro from the Midway Service Contract for resurfacing and Station to the postoffice was awarded several weeks ago to the Atlantic Bitulnic Company. The street is being widened by placing concrete curbs on each side. The surface will be of high grade asphalt construction.

Group of Officers Arrest Bill Rumble

Found Sleeping In Russell Johnson's Garret On Sunday Night

Bill Rumble, bad-man pal of the notorious Ralph Davis, was arrested at midnight Sunday night at the home of Russell Johnson in the Windy Gap community. The arrest was made by Sheriff W. B. Somers.

Officers in several counties in which Davis and Rumble are badly wanted got the report that they were in the Windy Gap community.

Late Sunday night Sheriff Kimble, of Statesville, Sheriff Gryder, of Rowan county and Chief Rankin, of Salisbury, came to Sheriff Somers' home in Wilkesboro and asked him to accompany them on the hunt of Davis and Rumble.

Armed with machine guns, gas guns and automatic shotguns the officers proceeded to the home of Russell Johnson and surrounded the house quietly.

While the other officers stood guard Sheriff Somers entered the home and told Johnson his business. Johnson told him that two men were sleeping in his garret and that he could go up and get them if he wanted to but added that one of the men was keeping an automatic pistol very handy.

Sheriff Somers roused the two from the bed and arrested Rumble but there was quite a bit of disappointment among the officers when they found that his companion was not Davis. Rumble's companion at the Johnson home was not wanted by the officers. Although armed to the teeth, Rumble offered no resistance to the Wilkes sheriff.

Information was gained leading to the whereabouts of Davis, who was routed from a home near Lexington Monday night.

Large Pastures Needed For Cows

Relief Authorities Need Large Areas of Pasture For Number of Cattle

North Carolina Emergency Relief Administration is continuing its search for pasture for 75,000 cattle sent to the state from the drought areas of the west by the national relief administrator.

While a number of counties in the western part of the state have furnished pasture for several thousand, relief authorities in Wilkes have been requested to ask any people having large areas of pasture to lease to get in touch with Mrs. G. G. Foster, county relief administrator, who has the necessary blanks and detailed information.

The final disposition of the cattle has not yet been agreed upon by the state relief authorities and in the meantime it is expedient that sufficient pasture be leased for the cattle until the plans can be perfected.

The state will not lease a pasture unless it will care for at least a score of cattle.

Cuba Gets Fleet Armored Cars To Battle Crime

Pittsburgh, July 9.—An automobile that is as ordinary in appearance as the family car but in reality an assassination-proof arsenal on wheels is being pressed into the police war against crime and disorder in Cuba.

Its sides are made of bullet-proof steel, neatly covered by the shiny good looks of the everyday pleasure car.

Its windows and windshield are an inch thick and shatter proof.

Even the top is of armor and the upholstery between the front and rear seats conceals a large kit of sub-machine guns, rifles, ammunition, tear gas and gas masks.

Moley Claims Nazi Forces Gaining Ground In America

New York, July 9.—A warning by Raymond Moley, former assistant secretary of state, against the spread of Nazi influence in this country and testimony of "sales of propaganda" sent here from Germany, were heard today by the subcommittee of the special house committee on un-American activities.

Bed Yields Man Wanted By Sheriff

Sheriff W. B. Somers found it necessary to investigate a bed that looked too fat Saturday night in order to get his man, who was Cecil Barlow, Wilkes youth wanted in Spotsylvania County, Virginia, on charges of housebreaking.

Sheriff Somers learned that Barlow was staying in the Boomer community with his grandmother and an aunt. He and deputies H. C. Kilby and R. F. Eller investigated the reports and called at the woman's home.

Mr. Kilby went to the back door to stand guard while Sheriff Somers went in to flush the quarry. The officers were assured they were on the right track when someone tried the latch on the back door as Sheriff Somers announced his presence at the front.

The woman who answered the officer's call was reluctant to show him about the house and when he asked why the hump on the cover of a certain bed she first said a baby was sleeping there and that she did not want it disturbed. When Sheriff Somers did not swallow her story as easily as she might have expected and noticed that one baby was already in another bed he started to investigate further and she ordered him not to "pull the cover off that woman."

The woman's pleas availed nothing because a man's foot protruding from under the cover betrayed her, and young Barlow was disclosed.

He is now resting in the jail at Wilkesboro, awaiting the coming of officers from Virginia.

J. V. Jennings Buys Virginia Newspaper

Former Townsman Takes Over Management Of Hopewell News Today

J. V. Jennings, until recently president of the Statesville Printing Company and The Statesville Record, has purchased the Hopewell News in Hopewell, Va. Mr. Jennings left Statesville today to take immediate charge of his new business.

Mr. Jennings is a former townsman, being a son of Rev. and Mrs. S. S. Jennings. The Journal-Patriot joins with his many other friends here in wishing him the utmost of success in his new field.

Miss Ila Holman Case Worker In Alleghany

Miss Ila Holman, a talented daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Holman, has accepted a position as case worker for the relief administration in Alleghany county. She assumed her duties in that capacity Tuesday.

Mrs. Claude McGee Is Taken By Death

Well Known Resident of This City Passed Away at 3:40 This Morning

Mrs. Claude McGee died at her home here this morning at 3:40, following an illness of several months.

In the latter part of last year Mrs. McGee became ill and in January was taken to the University Hospital in Philadelphia for a brain operation, from which she never fully recovered.

Before her marriage to Mr. McGee nearly 19 years ago she was Miss Octavia Fairchild, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fairchild, of Purlear. There are two children, Misses Evelyn and Margaret McGee. Also surviving are her parents and two brothers, Theodore and Archie Fairchild.

Early in life she joined the Mt. Pleasant Baptist church, moving her membership to the First Baptist church here after establishing her residence in this city. She was active in church work and was highly respected by a host of friends.

The funeral service will be conducted at Mt. Pleasant church Friday afternoon at three o'clock. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

State Election Board To Canvass Vote Tomorrow

Burke Contest Will Be Heard

Rousseau Majority Vote Being Contested By Alexander Candidate

The state board of elections will meet in Raleigh tomorrow at noon to canvass the vote of the second primary held in the 17th judicial district on June 30th between J. A. Rousseau, of this city and J. H. Burke, of Taylorsville, candidates for the Democratic nomination for judge.

It is learned that the official vote of the six counties as sent in by the various county boards to the state board gives Rousseau a majority of 447.

Burke has contested the vote, alleging fraud in the second primary in Wilkes.

It is understood that his attorneys will present to the state board a petition contesting the vote, in which they allege hundreds of Republicans cast ballots for Rousseau, coercion of votes, fraudulent use of the absentee ballot and illegal voting.

The judgeship race has held the center of attention since the campaign for the first primary started. In the first primary no candidate received a majority and Burke, who was second high by virtue of the action of the state board of elections in throwing out several hundreds of votes in Alexander, called for a second primary.

The interest in the contest here is so intense that it is expected that a large number of Wilkes people will go to Raleigh tomorrow for the canvass of the vote and the Burke contest.

Attend B. Y. P. U. Camp This Week

Large Groups From Wilkesboro Attend State B. Y. P. U. Assembly

North Wilkesboro and Wilkesboro Baptist churches are well represented in the state B. Y. P. U. assembly being held at Ridgecrest this week. Reports from the assembly indicate that hundreds from all parts of the state are attending.

The North Wilkesboro group spending the greater part of this week at the camp include Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Sturdivant, Bill Dancy, Marie Halgwood, Agnes Elledge, Grace Dancy, Mabel Johnston, John I. Myers.

The Wilkesboro group includes Tom and Don Story, Arthur Lowe, Baxter Davis, Violet Erickson, Lillian Linney, Katharine Hendren and Mrs. Helen Linney Cashion.

Those who have spent one or more days at the camp during the week include Manie Brewer, Mary Ella McCredie, Lunda Hendren, John Kermit Blackburn, Clay Elledge, Bessie Clo Rhodes, Mickie Bryant.

Presbyterian Bible School In Progress

Commencement Exercises Will Be On Saturday Evening; Fifty Enroll

The commencement exercise of the Daily Vacation Bible School of the North Wilkesboro Presbyterian church will be held Saturday evening at eight o'clock at the church and the public is cordially invited to attend. The school, which began Monday morning and will continue through Saturday, has reached an enrollment of around fifty children.

A special feature of the program Saturday evening will be the two pageants, Joseph and his brothers, and Queen Esther, the first pageant is being directed by Misses Clara and Jeannie Ogilvie, and the second one by Misses Frances McNeil and Sue Moring Clements.

Quite a bit of handwork is being made at the school and at the close this will be sent to Korea, Glade Valley, and the Grace Hospital at Banner Elk. The offering taken Saturday night will be given to Mr. Luke, home mission worker in Ashe and Wilkes counties. He is expected to be present for the pro-

Seeks Governorship



Denver . . . Miss Josephine Roche (above), one of the best known woman industrialists of the U. S., has announced her candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Governor of Colorado.

Aged Man Badly Injured By Hog

Johnnie Bengie, resident of the Mt. Zion community, was seriously if not fatally wounded Tuesday by a hog.

According to reports of the affair current here, Mr. Bengie was carrying a bag of meal by a hog lot when he was attacked by a large boar, which threw him to the ground and tore his abdomen open with its tusks.

In addition to the serious wound on his body there were severe lacerations on his arms and legs.

Mr. Bengie was brought to the hospital here Tuesday night, where an operation was performed and his wounds were given surgical attention. Reports from the hospital today indicate that he will recover.

Mr. Bengie is 83 years of age.

Revival To Start At Adley Church

A series of revival services will begin at Adley Methodist church on Sunday, July 15. Services will be held each evening at eight o'clock.

The services will be held by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Benfield, who extends a cordial invitation to the public to attend.

Return From A Week's Outing At Globe Camp

Mrs. H. V. Overcash and Misses Mary Gwyn Williams and Elizabeth and Margaret Faw have returned to the city after spending a week at the Lenoir Kiwanis girls' camp near Globe, N. C.

Vesper Service

Vesper service at St. Paul's Episcopal church Sunday, July 15th, at four o'clock. Rev. B. M. Lackey, Rector, in charge.

Five Die From Poison Liquor

Denatured Alcohol Believed To Be Cause of Five Men's Deaths

Two other persons died in a hospital in Winston-Salem late yesterday from the effects of a deadly poison, believed to have been denatured alcohol, which was served as a beverage at a drinking party Tuesday. Their deaths brought the total to five, three others having succumbed earlier in the day.

James Grady Jones, 32, of 1030 White street, and Royal Lawrence Kiger, 36, of 1312 Ogburn street, died at 5:35 p. m. at City Hospital. Both had been unconscious since noon yesterday.

The death of Royal Kiger brought the toll in the Kiger family alone to four, three other brothers having died during the morning. They were Claude, Clarence Kiger, 44, of 506 East Eleventh street; Garrell L. Kiger, 48, of 1022 White street, and Herbert Bryant Kiger, 36, of 221 Northwest Boulevard.

Reddies River Youth Dies of Gunshot Wound

Wint Kilby Reported To Have Killed Self Tuesday Afternoon

FOUND NEAR HOME

Borrowed Shell From Neighbor; Sister Heard Shot In Woods

Wint Kilby, age 23, resident of the Reddies River community, died at the hospital here Tuesday night from a shotgun wound, reported to have been self-inflicted.

He made his home with brothers and sisters at his father's old home place. About five o'clock Tuesday evening he is reported to have visited a neighbor's home and asked to borrow a shotgun shell with which to kill a dog. He procured the shell and returned home, where he took his own gun from the house and walked off into the woods.

A short while later his sister heard a shot and after waiting some time she went to look for her brother. Neighbors aided in the search and they found him in an unconscious condition with the right side of his skull almost torn from his brain.

He was brought to The Wilkes Hospital here about eight o'clock, dying an hour and a half later.

The general opinion among his relatives bears out the theory that he committed suicide, although they can attribute no reason for the rash act on the part of the young man, who was apparently in good health. He had been an employee of the Forest Furniture company here for about five years.

He was a son of the late Uriah Kilby, of Reddies River, and Mrs. Maggie Kilby Wyatt, of Halls Mills. He leaves his mother and five brothers and sisters as follows: Walter Kilby, Reddies River; Mrs. Belva Haynes, Mertie; Mrs. Hester Burgess, Miss Daisy Kilby and Willard Kilby, of Reddies River.

The funeral service will be held today at Mt. Zion.

Yadkin Must Vote On School Bonds

Supreme Court Rules School Bonds Must Be Submitted To Vote

Raleigh, July 11.—The supreme court of North Carolina today ruled that the proposed \$140,000 issue of PWA school bonds for Yadkin county must be submitted to a vote of the people, upholding a previous decision made by Judge T. B. Finley in superior court.

Members of the board of county commissioners had voted by a vote of two to one not to hold an election on the matter maintaining that the schools were a necessary expense and an election for this purpose was unnecessary. The objection was filed by a number of Yadkin county citizens including C. J. Hemric, Sant Mandlin, W. L. Mackie, and others.

The bonds were to have been given to the public works administration as security for a cheap loan to build new school buildings for the county. Yadkin county was awarded \$199,000 on December 16. Thirty per cent of the amount was in the form of a grant while the other 70 per cent was to be secured by the bonds.

DILLINGER'S TRAIL MAY LEAD TO CALIF.

Los Angeles, July 11.—The possibility that John Dillinger's dim trail was leading to Southern California was seen late today in word to the local Department of Justice office that a sedan carrying four people, one resembling Dillinger, had been sighted in Northwest Texas.

YOUTH CONFESSES KILLING BROTHER

Concord, July 11.—James Burgess, 18, shot and killed his brother, Parvin, 27, at the home of their mother, Mrs. N. J. Silgrath, off the Concord-Kannapolis highway near Parkwood Country Club early today. The fratricide occurred following an argument about Mrs. Silgrath's cow which had gotten loose a patch of corn belonging to Parvin.