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#### FAIR CLOSES SUCCESSFUL **EXPOSITION**

Attendance Records Broken Ninth Annual Session Great Wilkes Fair

EXCELLENT EXHIBITS mands Thrilled By Profesional Auto Races Satur-

day Afternoon Minth annual exposition of The Great Wilkes Fair came to a close Saturday night after five days of gala activity for the peo-

ple of Northwestern North Car-Thile attendance was at a low afternoons with the Tuesday and Saturday, evening and night admissions swelled the crowds until it appears that new attendance rec-

ords were established. The fair began Tuesday with school children's day with thousands in attendance both afteroon and night.

The exhibit hall was practically filled with products of the farm and home. Cash premiums were given the winners by the fair association.

On the midway was the largest carnival ever to be engaged for a fair here. The Marks Greater Shows with a number of riding devices, shows and concessions. Favorable comment concerning the midway and the absence of the great amount of vice that has been prevalent as midway attractions is heard here.

to the fair. They came here for at noon. field and cross country practice and camped on the fairgrounds throughout the week. With them Anyway?" He listed the two they had a number of field ar- main purposes of the office as tillery guns, which attracted "Representative of The People" wide Interest. As far as can be and "Contact Man." learned here this was the first Wilkes county.

performed in a highly satisfac-(Continued on page eight)

#### **Associational Baptists Meet**

All Churches In Brushy Mountain Association Asked To Send Delegates

Brushy Mountain Baptist Associ- J. R. Finley. ation will be held at the First Baptist church here Wednesday evening of this week. according the various club offices and the to an announcement given The Australian Ballot system was Journal-Patriot this morning by used in the election. The ticket season and the growers plan an henceforth be aligned in pro-Rev. Eugene Olive, who is Pro- headed by J. B. McCoy for presi- enlarged acreage next spring. motional and Enlistment Com- dent was victorious. Other offimitte, chairman of the North cers named were: S. V. Tomlin-Carolina Baptist State Conven-1 son, vice president; J. H. Whick-

pastor and several representa- directors. The directors will lives from every church in the name the secretary. Association be present.

J. R. Johnson, pastor of the First vention to be held in Asheville Baptist church of Mount Airy, next month. They will not take and Perry Morgan, Sunday office, however, until January. school secretary of the Baptist State Convention.

expected that the churches will Finley, J. G. Hackett, guest of send large delegations.



**Juniors Will Gather At Windsor Cross** 

Business Session-in the

enth District of the Junior Order United American Mechanics will be held with Windsor Cross day, September 29th. The public fit card party Friday night, Sepernoon at 3 o'clock. A special program of interest will be car- ly. ried out. A group of children from the Junior Order Home at public to as many players as ty. Lexington, under the direction wish to participate in both rook of W. M. Shirford, Superinten and bridge. However, those ardent, will be present and render ranging their own table will be

an interesting program. State Councilor Charles F. to playing, as players will not coming in each day. Tankersley, Jr., of Henderson, progress, but pivot. The small tource Adams, of Statesville, charge of 25 cents per player for tate Vice Councilor; C. W. Sny- both rook and bridge will be the

Picnic supper will be served Windsor Cross Roads ladies' prizes in bridge and This will be followed by rook. med ou page eight)

\$1.00 IN THE STATE \$1.50 OUT OF THE STATE

# Sets Maine Record

Portland, Me. . . . A new photo of Governor Louis J. Brann, the first Democratic governor of Maine in 16 years, who was reelected to set a new state record of a Democrat winning a second

#### Lambeth Speaker Miss Cardwell Is At Kiwanis Club Meeting On Friday

Eighth District Representative Tells People Duties of Congressman

INTERESTING TALK

J. B. McCoy Chosen Club President: Other Officers Elected

Representative Walter Lambeth, of Thomasville, was honlar weekly luncheon meeting of from Fort Bragg added interest the local Kiwanis Club Friday of Warrenton, Va.

unique subject was: His "What Is a Congressman For,

He explained that representacompany of U. S. Troops to visit tives in the national congress are continually asked by their Wagner's band from Mt. Airy constituents to do something for them, so much so in many cases that they hardly had time to work out constructive measures for the people as a whole.

In explaining the purpose of a representative as a "Contact Man" he told of how the people of a district would use their representative in order to gain an audience with the other officials of the national government.

His address was well received with rapt attention by the club A promotional and enlistment members and guests present. churches of the The program was in charge of

Officers Named

Kiwanians had two tickets for er, J. D. Moore, C. T. Doughton, It is earnestly desired that the D. J. Carter and W. E. Jones.

On the program will be Rev. the delegates to the district con-

Guests Friday included Representative Lambeth; J. R. Rous-The meeting as planned should seau, guest of J. R. Finley; Rev. be highly inspirational and it is M. Robertson, guest of A. A. J. C. Reins.

#### Fublic Meeting in Afternoon; Benefit Card Party Friday Night, 8:00

Evening Will Be Held At Legion And The fall meeting of the Sev-Auxiliary Clubhouse; Sponsored by Woman's Club

The North Wilkesboro Wo-Roads Council No. 475 on Satur- man's Club is sponsoring a bene- desks and, according to informameeting will be held in the aft- tember 28, at the Legion Hut, ler, the schools are well organizstarting at eight o'clock prompt-

This party will be open to the scene of playing with those play-Among the visitors will be ers with whom he is accustomed of Winston-Salem, Field only admission. Refreshments will be served by the finance committee of the Woman's Club.

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#### State Republican Chairman Assails ARREST MADE Precinct Boundaries Are Set Up New Deal in Address Before G. O. P. IN LINDBERGH Leaders In Wilkesboro Friday Night

School Children Are Hauled Free

In order to quite a rumor that has caused considerable anxiety, C. B. Eller, county superintendent of schools, stated today that he wishes it made known that there is no charge to school children for transporting them to the schools of the county.

For some reason or no reason at all it was circulated in several communities last week that all children who rode the busses would be charged a transportation fee. This rumor is false and without foun-

### Taken By Death

Genio Cardwell Succumbéd Sunday Afternoon

Mrs. Genio Cardwell, died at the pendence." home of her parents here Sunday afternoon at 5:30.

the residence this afternoon, the coming campaign. 3:30, by Dr. W. A. Jenkins, pastor of the Methodist church.

Dr. F. C. Hubbard, R. M. Brame, chairman. and W. G. Gabriel. Interment Cemetery.

#### NO IMPROVEMENT IN

The condition of Edwin B. Jeffress, a patient in Memorial cause the "Republican party hospital. Richmond, Va., who would be the instrumentality of has not been so well during the last few days, showed no improvement last night. His condition is regarded as serious.

Mr. Jeffress, who is chairman vesterday.

## Representative Crowd Hears Receiver of Ransom Money

W. C. Meekins Denounces Democrats

CITES HEAVY COSTS

For Congress and State Senate Deliver Brief Addresses

With a scathing denunciation of a "paternal government that plays politics with human misery and makes political footballs out of relief work from taxpayers' money." W. C. Meekins, Republican chairman in North Carolina, addressed a gathering of Republican leaders at the courthouse in Wilkesboro Friday

The G. O. P. chairman, who spoke in an informal manner to the gathering, representative of Republican leadership in practically every township in the tioning. Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. county, assailed the Democratic party from every angle and called upon Republicans in Wilkes to fight this fall as never before Miss Mildred Clements Card- as Patriots to "save American well, invalid daughter of Mr. and Freedom and individual. inde-

The gathering was called to order by J. Mack Brown, county In addition to her father and chairman, who introduced A. E. mother, prominent and well Hall, of Yadkinville, candidate known residents of the city, the for national congress, and Joe other surviving members of her Williams, also of Yadkinville, immediate family are two sis- candidate for state senator from ters, Mrs. Lane Atkinson, of the 24th district. They brought this city, and Mrs. J. B. Farmer, words of greeting from the sister Republican county on the Funeral service was held at east and spoke optimistically of

P. Ward Eshelman, prominent business man and Republican Pall bearers were R. W. Gwyn, leader here, introduced the state

Mr. Meekins said he had come was made in the Presbyterian to Wilkes to meet the Republicans who are known all over the state for their leadership and courage and would speak brief-JEFFRESS' CONDITION ly in the hope that he would further arouse them to a sense of duty to work solidly this fall besaving American institutions."

He referred to the Liberty League recently organized by prominent Democratic statesmen. He declared that the same of the state highway and public objects are being sought by the works commission and president Liberty League that Patriots of the Greensboro News com- fought and died for in 1776 in pany, has been critically ill since the American Revolution. "If he was stricken four weeks ago the Liberty League is to serve mann, of 1279 East 222nd the nation effectively it must do so through the Republican Party," he said in answer to the one to three tons of cured hay dominant suggestion in recent an acre in Caldwell county this weeks that the country would (Continued on page eight)

#### Workmen Engaged In Excavating For New Postoffice Building Here

#### The newly elected officers are Schools Open With Bright Prospects For Good Year

Over 10,000 School Children March Back To Classroom Duties

got off to a good start notwith- contractor in charge of this standing the delay of several weeks in beginning, due to transportation difficulties.

Many of the elementary schools started a month ago and building site on C Street to the which made up a part of the er bridge just west of the city transportation system

Thursday. the county are now at their structed in the very near future. tion gained from Supt. C. B. Elfrom many sections of the coun-

largest outside of the North Wil- dation. kesboro City Administrative Unit, began with an enrollment of around 350 with new students

#### Ashe County Nominees

Ashe county Democrats have nominated Tam Bowie for the legislature! J. D. Stansberry. clerk of the court; L. P. Colvard, the grounds by the families There will be both men's and register of deeds; Dr. B. E. Reeves, coroner; H. M. Miller, p. m. sheriff; E. C. Eller and E. B. Shepherd, commissioners.

Contractors Hope To Begin Laying Foundation Sometime This Week

Barring unforeseen difficulties excavation for North Wilkes boro's government-owned postoffice building will be completed by Wednesday of this week, it Schools of Wilkes County have was learned today from the sub-

Gilbert Engineering Company of Statesville, holds the sub contract for making the excavation of the lot for the building. They schools in the outlying district have leased S. V. Tomlinson's where there was no interlocking steam shovel and the dirt is betransportation with the central ing moved rapidly from the the high and central schools survey for the new Reddies Rivstarted The dirt, it is presumed, will be used toward making the fill for Over 10,000 school children in the bridge, which is to be con-

Members of the firm of Lundberg-Rich'er, who hold contract for the erection of the postoffice ed and progressing nicely with for the sum of \$45,600, were increased attendance reported here a few days ago and let sub contract to the Statesville firm. They will return this week to begin work on the postoffice foun-

> Labor for the project is being furnished through the National Re-employment Office, of, which R. L. Wooten is director.

#### **EVANGELISTIC CLUB** TO HOLD SERVICES

The Wilkes Evangelistic Club will conduct services at the home of Mrs. B. V. Lowman at Congo on Sunday, September 30th, at 3

The public is cordially invited to attend this service.

## KIDNAP CASE

Caught; Part of Money Is Found In His Garage

EVIDENCE GATHERED

Authorities Hope To Show Alien Was Actual Kidnaper of Lindbergh Child New York, Sept. 20 .- The

Lindbergh baby kidnaping case the most sensational crime of modern times-neared a solution with spectacular swiftness tonight after the arrest of a German fugitive and the recovery of part of the \$50,000 ransom. The prisoner is Bruno Rich-

ard Hauptmann, 35, an allen and a carpenter by trade, who entered the United States in 1923 as a stowaway while on parole from a German prison.

His wife and nephew, Hans Mueller, also were held for ques-

Making public full details of the arrest, which occurred Tuesday. Police Commissioner O'Ryan said Hauptmann, a carpenter and cabinet maker, admitted he worked as a carpenter in the neighborhood of the Lindbergh home.

Detectives have established further, the commissioner said, that Hauptmann had access to a lumber yard in the neighborhood where timber was found bearing the same made mark as the lumber used to make the ladder-up which the kidnaper climbed about 10 o'clock the night of March 1, 1932. Police Commissioner John F.

O'Ryan, announcing \$13,750 of the \$50,000 ransom money paid for the baby, later found dead, was found in Hauptmann's cellar in the Bronx, was asked: "In your opinion, does this solve the Lindbergh kidnaping?" O'Ryan conferred for a few

minutes with J. Edgar Hoover, head of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice, and said:

"Yes, it will." After an afternoon filled with sensational rumors that the 'break" long awaited had come, O'Ryan emerged from secret conferences with Hoover and others at the Greenwich police station and issued this terse statement:

"We have in custody the man who received the ransom money. He is Bernard Richard Hauptstreet, the Bronx. He is an alien who came to this country as stowaway 11 years ago."

Positively Identified

Among those at the police station was the man of many missions in the long hunt-"Jafsie," Dr. John A. F. Condon, aged welfare worker drawn into the search by the noted aviator after other intermediaries had failed. It was "Jafsie" who paid the

\$50,000 to the supposed kidnapers-the night of April 2, 1932, at a cemetery in the Bronx, a month after the kidnaping. After the announcement of

the arrest, Commissioner O'Ryan said Hauptmann was identified positively as the recipient of the ransom money in the cemetery. Later Reports

Later reports indicate that authorities have more evidence against Hauptmann and will attempt to show that he not only received the ransom money but that he kidnaped the child. In the meantime he is being closely guarded and is being questioned in the hope that his explanations and alibis will be entirely brok-

#### Company A Back From Strike Duty

No Disturbances In Marion During 18-Day Stay of Local Guardsmen

After a stay of eighteen days on strike duty in Marion Company A of the North Carolina lic is cordially invited to attend. National Guard returned to North Wilkesboro yesterday.

Fifty-pine men and three officers comprised the company from North Wilkesboro. The officers were Captain Ralph R. Reins. First Lieutenant E. P. Robinson and Second Lieutenant W. G.

All was quite at Marion during. the textile strike and the state troops had nothing to do but guard the mills.

est trench sile in the state

#### In Townships Divided By County Election Board; New Registration

Weeping Bride

San Francisco . . . Colletta

Mulvibill Green (above) ran

away and got married while her

mother was in the far-East. She

wept as she boarded a liner here

for Honolulu, ordered sent there

to meet mother . . . and without

Jail On Charge of

Killing Aged Man

Tom Church Found Dead Near

Home of Mrs. Harrison

Walker September 13

INQUEST IS HELD

Walker and Wife Placed In

Jail; Wife Accuses Hus-

band of Killing

of Elk township, have been con-

fined in the Wilkes jail during

the past several days in connec-

tion with the death of Thomas

Church, 83, who was found dead

The aged man had been miss-

ing from his home from Septem-

ber 8 until the time his lifeless

his death "by unknown causes."

only a few yards from the house.

After making an examination

Mrs. Walker was placed in

jail but she denied having any

part in causing the man's death.

She later told that her husband

ever, are said to be very inco-

home in Ashe county.

she and her children bad

tember 13.

Harrison Walker and his wife,

Man and Wife In

North Wilkesboro, Wilkesboro and Mulberry Townships Are Divided VOTERS TO REGISTER

All Voters Must Register in Divided Townships and In Union

Wilkes county board of tions in special session Thurs day passed an order dividing North Wilkesboro, Wilkesbore and Mulberry townships - falls precincts each and set up cinct lines in the townships at fected.

Division of the townships was made pursuant to an order by the state board of elections on September 1st

In addition to dividing the townships other business of treme interest was transacted. Registration books for the entire county were ordered transcribed and new registration was called for in North Wilkesboro, kesboro, Mulberry and Union townships. This means that all people who expect to vote in the three above named townships in the election this fall must register regardless of whether or not they have been registered in the

The first day for registration for the November election will be Saturday, October 13.

Before the order of the election hoard was passed Thursday an open meeting was held on Wednesday, at which time many interested citizens in the townships to be divided discussed the matter of setting up precinct

#### Bible Classes In Union Service

near the Walker home on Sep- Dr. W. A. Jenkins Talks To Classes On Subject of Bible Interpretation

Bible classes of the First Bapbody was found near Walker's tist Church, Methodist and Preshome hy neighbors. Coroner S. byterian churches assembled in a A. Rash was summoned to hold union service in the auditorium an inquest and the verdict was of the Baptist church Sunday that the aged man had come to morning to hear a lecture on Bible Study, delivered by Dr. W. The Walker home is far back A. Jenkins, pastor of the Methoin the coves of the mountains dist church.

and Church's body was found Each class assembled at their respective churches for a short According to reports given the session and proceeded to the union service at the First Bap been living there and her es- tist church. They were welcomed tranged husband was making his by the teacher of the Berean Class, A. H. Casey and the baryice was turned over to Dr. Jenof the body the coroner came to kins. the conclusion that the aged man

He did not teach the regular had been dead about four or five lesson but delivered a very fine days but there were no marks lecture on study and interpretathat would indicate that he had tion of the Bible. His address been killed. He and members of was enjoyed very much.

the coroner's jury carried the The union service marked the body for a distance of three end of a program of teacher exmiles to the nearest road that change for the month of Sepcould be traveled with an auto- tember.

Lutheran Services

Lutheran Services will be held at 729 Kensington Drive tomorhad killed Church with a chair. row evening, eight o'clock. Rev. R. E. Mennens, pastor, will be in Her accounts of the affair, howcharge and the public has a cordial invitation to attend.

#### Federal Officers Get Two Men At Large Still; Quantity Sugar Taken

Singing At Walnut Grove First Sunday

Deal Family Of Radio Artist Will Appear On Program For The Day

An all-day program of sacred singing will be given at Walnut Grove Baptist church near Pores Knob on the First Sunday in October.

All singers from anywhere are asked to take part and the pub-As a special feature of the program the Deal Family, of Valdese and Connelly Springs, noted radio artists who have frequently broadcasted over WBT

and other stations, will sing dur-

ing the day: .. B. Murray To Preach At Goshen Baptist Church Rev. L. B. Murray, well known J. C. Fortner, W. A. Jose Baptist minister of State Road, T. Jones, accompanied by church on Saturday night; Sep- 250-gallon capacity. About the

Leonard Pennell and Frank Dyson Fill Bonds For Appearance At Court

A raid by federal officers into the Boomer section of Wilkes Friday netted one of the biggest stills destroyed in the county in recent years, two men and a bountiful supply of materials for

whiskey manufacture. Leonard Pennell and Frank Dyson were the two men who found themselves in toils of the federal law for alleged violation of the revenue act. in a preliminary hearing before U. S. Commissioner J. W. Ifila bond for Pennell was set at \$1,000 and Dyson \$500. Both filled their bonds for appearance at the next term of federal court in Novem-

The raid was made by officers will preach at Goshen Baptist and Johnson. The still was of a W. N. Wood, assistant county tember 29, at 7:30; The public place were 17 bags of surgic and agent in Wilkes, claims the large has a cordici invitation to at an abundance of materials for illicit manufact