

# Society

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## Mr. and Mrs. Sturdivant Hosts At Bridge Saturday

Mrs. W. K. Sturdivant entertained at a lovely bridge party Saturday morning at the Legion clubhouse honoring her sister, Mrs. H. C. Wall, of Charlotte, who before her marriage in the early fall was Miss Pauline Lindsey, of Wilkesboro. Beautiful yellow and white chrysanthemums and autumn leaves were used most effectively throughout the huge room where eight tables were placed for the game.

The count of scores showed Mrs. Henry Moore to be winner of the top score prize with the traveling honor prize going to Miss Frank Somers. Honor gift for Mrs. Wall was a maderia luncheon set.

When cards were laid aside the hostess had the assistance of her sister, Mrs. Helen Cashion, and niece, Miss Ruth Wingate, in serving a tempting luncheon.

In the evening at eight o'clock again at the hut Mr. and Mrs. Sturdivant honored Mr. and Mrs. Wall with eight tables being made up for bridge. Those receiving high score awards at this time were Miss Mable Topping for the ladies and Julian Boule for the men. Mr. and Mrs. Wall were presented with white Japanese pottery.

The hostess in serving a salad course was aided again by Mrs. Cashion and Miss Wingate. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Julian Boule, of Charlotte, and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Deal, of Taylorsville.

## Legion Auxiliary In Meeting Monday Night

The members of the American Legion and the Legion Auxiliary enjoyed an oyster supper and appropriate talk Monday evening, Armistice Day, at the Legion clubhouse beginning at 7:30. Miss Toby Turner, president of the Legion Auxiliary, and J. B. McCoy, past commander of the American Legion, both addressed the meeting. A number of war time songs engaged in by the group completed the program.

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ALSO LATEST NEWS AND COMEDY

## Social Calendar

The November meeting of the North Wilkesboro Woman's club will be held Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with Mrs. E. E. Eller, Mrs. A. L. Griffing, Mrs. Eugene Olive, Mrs. J. R. Hix and Mrs. A. B. Johnston as hostesses at the home of Mrs. Eller on F street.

Later in the evening the members of the auxiliary assembled for their regular monthly meeting with Miss Turner presiding. Mrs. W. G. Gabriel, Mrs. Russell Hodges, Mrs. W. D. Halfacre and Mrs. A. F. Kilby were named as delegates to attend the district meeting in Mooresville Thursday of this week. Mrs. L. M. Nelson, Mrs. Gordon Finley, Mrs. O. K. Whittington and Mrs. W. C. Grier were welcomed back into the organization as old members.

## Miss Absher, Miss Stone Sewing Club Hostesses

Miss Inez Absher and Miss Lizette Stone combined hospitality to the members of their sewing club at Miss Stone's home on E Street Thursday night. Needle work and conversation occupied the guests for sometime after which the hostesses served dainty refreshments. Hostesses for the next meeting, which is to be this evening, are Miss Joyce Wellborn and Miss Grace Woodruff at Miss Wellborn's home.

## Y. W. A. Met With Mrs. Rufus Church

Members of the North Wilkesboro Y. W. A. of the First Baptist church met at the home of their counsellor, Mrs. Rufus Church, Monday evening for their regular monthly meeting. In the absence of the president, Miss Dovie Pardue, the business part of the meeting was in charge of Miss Elsie Nichols. Program leader was Miss Shirley Foster and those assisting her were Miss Nichols and Miss Jean Bare. For the devotionals each member present gave a Thanksgiving verse. The ten members attending enjoyed sandwiches and cakes with tea during the social hour.

## Betty Tuttle Feted At Birthday Party

Betty Tuttle, who is spending the winter here with her aunt, Mrs. Chal McNeil, had a birthday party Friday afternoon in honor of her seventh birthday anniversary, when Mrs. McNeil and sister, Miss Ruby Tuttle, entertained for her. The party was very unique in that the "wash-day" idea was carried out in detail in the decorations, games and contests, the color scheme being pink and green.

Emily Olive proved to be the most adept in blowing bubbles and Margaret Jones in filling the laundry bag, each were awarded prizes. In pinning clothes on the line, blindfolded, Patsy Waller and Mary Ann Casey tied and in cutting for prize Patsy was the winner.

Following the games the children were invited into the dining room where an ice course was served. A miniature wash woman hanging out clothes decorated the dining table where the huge white birthday cake topped with pink candles held place of honor. Place cards were tiny dolls dressed as wash women and wash baskets filled with mints were given as favors.

In entertaining the children the hostesses were assisted by Mrs. C. B. Eller. The little honoree was the recipient of a number of useful and attractive gifts as souvenirs of the happy occasion.

## James L. Lovette Claimed By Death

Resident of North Wilkesboro Succumbs At Age Of 57; Funeral Held Monday

James Leander Lovette, age 57, resident of this city, died Sunday morning.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Belle Brown, four sons and five daughters as follows: Austin, Vaughn, Fletcher and Parks Lovette, Mrs. Dossie Queen, Mrs. Lear Anderson, Faye, Adasue and Syble Lovette; also three brothers and one sister, John, Will and Sam Lovette and Mrs. Clarence Davis.

Last rites were held at Mt. Zion church Monday with Revs. Lee Minton and Landreth Blevins in charge.

**Girl Scout Meeting**  
We opened with games. We tied knots. We talked about selling Christmas cards.  
ROSA LEE ABSHER.

## Mrs. Bessie Triplette Claimed By Death

Mrs. Bessie Triplette, of the Boomer community, died November 3, at 3:15 p. m. from cancer. Mrs. Triplette was born in Wilkes county April 14, 1888. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Brock, of Pores Knob. Twenty-eight years ago she was united in marriage to Mr. C. L. Triplette, of Boomer. To this union were born 6 children, 4 are still living, two having preceded her in death. The living are Mrs. Bonnie Scott, of Purlhear, Mrs. Ruby Lackey and Mrs. Lena Foster, of North Wilkesboro, Mr. W. L. Triplette, of Boomer, One grandchild, Correnia Scott, of Purlhear. She is also survived by the following brothers and sisters: Mr. T. J. C. P., J. E. and I. C. Brock, of Pores Knob; Mr. J. F. Brock, of Huntington, W. Va., and Mr. R. W. Brock, of Moline, Ill.; Mrs. J. W. Joiner, Mrs. N. C. Craven and Mrs. W. R. Lane, of Pores Knob.

The funeral services were held at Walnut Grove church near Pores Knob, with the pastor, Rev. C. C. Hollands, and Rev. Isaac Watts in charge. She had been a member of this church since early childhood. She was beloved by all who knew her. Her home is left sad and desolate at her passing, yet we all believe she is at rest now in the arms of her Savior she chose several years ago.

There was a beautiful floral offering. The flower girls were nieces of the deceased: Mrs. Nell Ashley, Mrs. Eula Bentley, Misses Bessie, Edna, and Pauline Brock, Dorothy, Lucy and Grace Lane, Marie Joiner, of Pores Knob; Misses Gray and Annie Ruth Triplette and Marnelle Earp, of Boomer.

After the services she was laid to rest in the cemetery nearby. Reported.

## Traphill-Austin News

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hawkins and son and daughter, Quentin and Merl, of Austin, spent Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Steve Swaim, at Statesville.

Mrs. Roy Clark, of Boonville, spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Barker, at Austin.

Mr. Nymphus Hawkins, of Lomax, spent a while Sunday evening with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hawkins, at Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Snow and children, of Boonville, spent the week-end with Mrs. Snow's mother, Mrs. Eunice Scott, near Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hawkins and son, Quentin, and Mrs. Ryler Crabb and Mrs. Ida Billings spent Monday in Winston-Salem.

Mrs. Ryler Crabb spent a while Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hawkins, at Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewie Cheek, of Boonville, spent the week-end with Mrs. Cheek's mother, Mrs. Eunice Scott, at Austin.

Mr. Percy Barker, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Barker, was taken to the Wilkes Hospital Monday where he will undergo an operation.

Miss Virginia Harris, of Elkin, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Harris, at Austin.

Mr. Marcus Harris is erecting a new home near Austin schoolhouse.

## Mrs. Ed Anderson Succumbs Sunday

Last Rites Conducted For Resident Of Wilkesboro Route 2 At Fishing Creek

Funeral service for Mrs. Gertrude Anderson, age 23, wife of Edwin Anderson, of Wilkesboro route 2, were held Monday at Fishing Creek with Rev. N. T. Jarvis in charge. She died Sunday morning.

She leaves her father and mother, Judson and Louisa Johnson Neaves, husband, two brothers and one sister as follows: Morgan and Jones Neaves and Miss Mary Belle Neaves, of North Wilkesboro.

## Episcopal Service

Vesper service will be held at St. Paul's Episcopal church Sunday afternoon, November 17, at four o'clock, Rev. B. M. Lackey, rector, in charge.

Procurement Division, Public Works Branch, Washington, D. C., Nov. 12, 1935. Sealed bids, in duplicate, will be publicly opened in this office at 10 a. m., Dec. 9, 1935, for furnishing all labor and materials and performing all work for a Vault, Passage and Driveway Extension at the U. S. P. O. at North Wilkesboro, N. C. Drawings and specifications, not exceeding one set, may be obtained from the custodian of the building or at this office in the discretion of the Assistant Director of Procurement, Public Works Branch, W. E. Reynolds, Assistant Director of Procurement, Public Works Branch. 11-21-35

Read Journal-Patriot ads.

## Red Cross Has Busy Year; Statistics Impressive; Services Varied

Figures gathered at random from the year's report of the American Red Cross reveal the magnitude of the work being carried on by that organization. Red Cross workers assisted 54,305 veterans; 587 Red Cross Public Health nurses paid 931,455 visits to 186,326 patients; 98,441 first aid certificates were issued while 46,693 persons were trained in life saving. Volunteer workers produced 3,102,843 surgical dressings, with 89,901 volunteers being on active duty throughout the year.

## First Aid Treatment Taught Thousands By Red Cross

More than 187,000 certificates showing completion of first aid course were issued last year by the Red Cross. This shows a gain of 56,000 certificates over the previous year. Approximately 64,200 boys in C.C.C. camps throughout the country passed first aid tests. Since the Red Cross first entered the field of first aid teaching, being one of the first organizations in the world to do so, almost one million persons have been trained in handling emergency treatment.

The annual report of the Red Cross further reveals that more than 327,000 copies of the Red Cross First Aid Handbook have been sold at home and abroad.

Junior Red Cross members increased by 402,000 enrollments during the year which has just passed. Junior members carried on an exchange of correspondence with junior members in 62 other countries having Red Cross Societies.

Last year 3,837,941 persons became members of the Red Cross. The annual roll call takes place each year between Armistice Day and Thanksgiving Day.

## Eight Children Burn To Death In Farm House

Alexis, Nov. 13.—Two flame-blackened chimneys, the cast-iron frame of a sewing machine, and several iron beds were all that remained this afternoon of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Cunningham, from whose ruins this morning they helped to drag the charred bodies of their eight children, who had perished in its flames.

Seven of the children were sleeping in a single downstairs room when the flames struck the two-story dwelling this morning at 1:15 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham and their youngest child, Ruth, were asleep in an adjoining room at the rear. Aroused by the heat, the crackling flames and smoke they rushed outside, hoping to be able to awaken the other members of the family.

They left the one-year-old baby in bed. The entire structure was in flames. Driven back time after time, the mother and father finally reached a window of the room in which the other seven were sleeping. The father broke it. Flames leaping out of the window burned his face and hands. The parents rushed back to their bedroom in hope of saving the youngest child, but the room was a mass of flames.

After daybreak, with a few neighbors, they helped to remove their children from the ruins. From the front room the bodies of Robert, 19, Thomas, 15, Nellie, 12, Grace, 10, Louise, 7, Juanita, 4, and Jack, 2, were taken.

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## Hauptmann Case To High Tribunal

### Defense Attorneys In Noted Case Will Try To Get Case Reviewed

Washington, Nov. 13.—Attorneys for Bruno Richard Hauptmann branded his New Jersey court trial a "circus" today in appealing to the Supreme court to set aside his conviction of kidnaping and murdering the Lindbergh baby.

Battling to escape the electric chair, the former German machine-gunner charged deprivation of constitutional rights at the celebrated Flemington trial. Whether the nine justices of the land's highest tribunal will review the world-famous case may be announced December 23, just in time to give the present occupant of the New Jersey "death house" a welcome or unwanted Christmas present.

Hauptmann was convicted by unanimous vote of 12 jurors. Later, the 13 judges, of New Jersey's court of errors and appeals—the highest state tribunal—unanimously affirmed the verdict.

In asking the Supreme court to pass on the conviction, and, if possible, to grant a new trial, Hauptmann's attorneys contended in a 32-page petition that "an hysterical mob spirit" prevailed at Flemington and that the jury was presented with "a picture of a circus" which made a "mockery of justice."

"The daily presence of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh at the trial," the petition added, "unduly influenced the jury to view him as the real prosecutor and constantly presented to the jury the picture of a bereaved father for whose sorrow the world demanded a sacrifice."

Justice Thomas W. Trenchard, in his charge to the jury, was said to have "portrayed emphatic approval of the state's theories and witnesses and thereby impaired a free and unbiased verdict."

Attorney General David T. Wilentz was accused of "appeals to prejudice by inflammatory argument" and with having "bullied" Hauptmann and other witnesses on cross-examinations.

These arguments were advanced unsuccessfully before the court of errors and appeals.

## Z. P. Baity, Age 77, Claimed By Death

Z. P. Baity, age 77, resident of North Wilkesboro, died at 5:30 a. m. on November 8. Funeral service was held at Edgewood church on Sunday with Rev. Marshal Wright in charge. Surviving are four children: Claude, Frank and Robert Baity and Mrs. Luther Moore.

## REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE BANK OF NORTH WILKESBORO

At North Wilkesboro, N. C., to the Comptroller of Banks at the close of business on the 1st day of November, 1935:

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts	\$ 624,724.87
Overdrafts	423.10
United States Government obligations	122,645.26
Other bonds, stocks and securities	232,408.69
<b>Total Loans and Investments</b>	<b>\$880,201.92</b>
Banking House, \$50,000.00; Furniture and fixtures	5,000.00
Real estate owned other than banking house	55,000.00
Cash in vault, exchanges, cash items, and balances with other banks	13,343.40
Acceptances of other banks and bills of exchange or drafts sold with endorsement of this bank	323,745.30
Securities borrowed	NONE
Other assets	NONE
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$1,377,483.71</b>

LIABILITIES	
Deposits of individuals, partnerships or corporations payable on demand or within 90 days	\$ 453,420.35
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships or corporations payable after 90 days or subject to more than 90 days' notice	547,585.70
Public funds of States, counties, school districts, municipalities or other political subdivisions	79,343.03
United States Government and postal savings deposits	1,202.79
Deposits of other banks, cash letters of credit, certified, officers' and travelers' checks outstanding	73,657.83
Summary of Items 12 to 16, inclusive:	
(a) Secured by pledge of loans or investments	\$ 103,485.61
(b) Not secured by pledge of loans or investments	1,051,724.09
(c) Total Deposits	\$1,155,209.70

Mortgage Bonds and participation certificates outstanding	NONE
Agreements to repurchase U. S. Government obligations or other securities sold	NONE
Bills payable	NONE
Rediscouunts	NONE
Acceptances of other banks and bills of exchange or drafts sold with endorsement of this bank	NONE
Acceptances executed by this bank for customers and to furnish dollar exchange (exclusive of acceptances of this bank purchased or discounted, and of anticipations by customers)	NONE
Acceptances executed by other banks for account of this bank	NONE
Securities borrowed	NONE
Interest, taxes, and other expenses accrued and unpaid	12,400.59
Dividends declared but not yet payable	NONE
Other liabilities	NONE
Capital account:	

(a) Capital Notes and debentures:	
(1) Trip to Reconstruction Finance Corporation	NONE
(2) Sold to others	NONE
(b) First preferred stock sold to R.F.C. 750 shares, par \$100 per share, retirable at \$100 per share	\$125,000.00
(c) Common stock, 500 shares, par \$100 per share	20,000.00
(f) Surplus	26,544.08
(g) Undivided profits—net	38,329.34
(h) Reserves for contingencies	
(i) Reserve for undeclared dividends on preferred stock, and for accrued interest on capital notes and debentures	NONE
(j) Reserve for dividends payable in common stock	NONE
(k) Retirement fund for preferred stock or capital notes and debentures	NONE 204,873.42

Total, including capital account \$1,377,483.71

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, County of Wilkes, ss:  
R. W. Gwyn, Cashier, Ralph Duncan, Director, and S. V. Tomlinson, Director of the Bank of North Wilkesboro, each personally appeared before me this 12th day of November, 1935, and being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing report is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.  
R. W. GWYN, Cashier  
RALPH DUNCAN, Director  
S. V. TOMLINSON, Director  
ROSE McNEILL JONES, Notary Public.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12th day of November, 1935. My commission expires Jan. 12, 1937.

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