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Late News Of State - Nation Told Briefly

**Cash Investigation**  
St. Paul, Jan. 7.—The Minnesota state legislature moved to spur investigation of the slaying of Walter Lippett, crusading Minneapolis publisher, today by providing \$7,500 in rewards, and funds for investigation.

**Lot Office of \$2,000**  
Asheboro, Jan. 7.—A search was pressed tonight for three burglars who held up the Leward Cotton Mills office at Worthville, here, this morning and es- with a little more than

**Victims of Wreck**  
Roanoke, Va., Jan. 7.—With death yesterday of H. A. Roanoke, contractor, the toll in Saturday's automobile accident north of Chatham was raised to two. Vernon Freeze, driver of a bread truck which was in collision with Marshall's car, died instantly.

**J. P. Morgan Testifies**  
Washington, Jan. 7.—With J. P. Morgan seated placidly before the senate munitions committee, filled an important gap in world war history today with a disclosure that Woodrow Wilson himself removed obstacles to the flow of many American loans to allied nations.

**Bonus Bill To Pass**  
Washington, Jan. 7.—A veterans organization bonus bill, slightly amended as to its financing features, tonight was steered toward a house vote on Friday which Democratic leaders conceded would approve it by "an overwhelming majority."

**New Judge Speaks**  
New Bern, Jan. 7.—Sounding an earnest appeal for stricter observance of traffic laws and warning that if the alarming highway death rate in North Carolina is continued it would soon not be safe for any motorists on the roads, Judge Marshall T. Spears, of Durham, new Superior court jurist, made his first charge to a Craven grand jury here Monday in opening a week's criminal term of court.

**Store Profits**  
Kinston, Jan. 7.—Lenoir county profits were well in the liquor store last year. The first of its liquor stores opened July 24. From the opening of Kingston and LaGrange stores until the close of business New Year's eve the control board collected \$134,900.30. The country's profit approximated \$31,700. The Pink Hill store did not open until some weeks after the others.

**Washington Tuesday**  
Washington, Jan. 7.—Following the decision of the Supreme court yesterday that the new deal, in the field of agriculture, as well as of industry, had been operating outside the limits prescribed by the constitution, Washington continued today in a state of confusion worse confounded. President Roosevelt maintained an unbroken silence. At the same time it was perceived that a number of men had set about task of salvaging something from the debris in a spirit not altogether lacking in hope, as Secretary Wallace issued a call for a conference of farm leaders.

## Automobile Accidents Leading Cause Of Death in North Wilkesboro in 1935

Deaths From Auto Accidents Total 13; All Natural Causes Take 62

Automobile accidents led all other causes of death in North Wilkesboro during 1935, there being 13 who died from that specific cause in the city last year. W. A. Bullis, registrar of vital statistics, released figures on the number of births and deaths yesterday. During the year there were 177 births (including 11 still births) and the sex classifications were 99 males and 78 females. Births were 87 in excess of deaths, there being 90 deaths, including the 11 still births, from all causes.

It is interesting to note that accidental deaths totaled 23 and that four homicides and one suicide boosted the number of deaths by violent and accidental means to 28, as compared with 62 deaths from disease. The accidental deaths were classified as follows: Automobile accidents, 13; airplane accidents, 1; boiler explosion, 1; bullet wound, 1; burns, 3; carbon monoxide poisoning, 1; dynamite explosion, 1; fractured skull in fall from porch, 1; gunshot wound, 1. The year 1935 was the second in succession that automobile accidents led any other cause of death in North Wilkesboro.

## Branch of C. C. Camp Assured at James Camp Site

Part of Morganton Camp Will Be Transferred to Wilkes to Complete Work  
**FINLEY BE IN CHARGE**  
Efforts Made by Congressmen to Have Camp Retained Indefinitely

Word was received here last night from Congressman Walter Lambeth advising that the Civilian Conservation camp near Purlear, which is being disbanded this week, will be again occupied within a few weeks and will be operated as a branch from the camp at Morganton. Fifty men will be sent from the Morganton camp, it is understood, to occupy the Wilkes camp and to complete some unfinished projects which were under way when the camp was disbanded as an individual unit of the CCC.

The branch camp will be under the supervision of the Morganton company and T. A. Finley, of North Wilkesboro, who for the past two years was connected with the James camp, will have charge of the men and direct the work. Congressman Lambeth stated that efforts were made to retain the original company but to no avail. Realizing the need for the camp and the amount of work that can be done in forest conservation and soil erosion control, interested citizens are still hopeful that the camp can be re-established with a full enrollment.

## Owner Recovers Borrowed Auto

R. L. Wooten's Car Found Friday on "Dead Man's Curve" Near Cycle

R. L. Wooten, manager of the reemployment office here, has his automobile again. It was stolen from a garage on B street on Thursday night, January 2, and was found wrecked on "dead man's curve" near Cycle in Yadkin county Friday by the sheriff of Yadkin county. The sheriff at that time was searching for a car believed to have been used to transport \$600 worth of cigarettes stolen from a Yadkinville firm about that time. The automobile, a 1934 model Ford, has suffered the loss of one door and the fenders were badly damaged.

## You Might Add 'Insincere'

Miami, Fla., Jan. 6. To Republican criticism of President Roosevelt's message to Congress, Secretary Ickes today retorted "Captious, trivial, pettifogging, faultfinding and querulous. You might add insincere to those," he remarked.

## County Boards In January Sessions

Wilkes county board of commissions and the county board of education held their regular sessions this week with little of public attention before either of the two bodies. The commissioners met on Monday for transaction of routine business and again today to take up additional items of business. The board of education was also in session today.

## Dr. John Foster Will Preach Here

Dr. John S. Foster, former pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Winston-Salem, will preach at the 11 o'clock service at the North Wilkesboro Presbyterian church Sunday, it was learned here yesterday. In this service the quarterly communion will be celebrated. Friends are glad to know the condition of Rev. C. W. Robinson, venerable pastor, continues to improve. He has been quite ill for several weeks.

## Work Going Forward On 30 Miles Of Scenic Parkway In North Carolina

Right of Way Is Beging Cleared On Third Sector



KNOXVILLE, Tenn. ... Charles G. Armstrong (above), merchant, made a Christmas present of \$38,000 to 7,000 charge customers. He "wiped the slate clean" on all accounts. "You don't owe me a cent," he said.

## J. C. Henry Dies At His Home In No. Wilkesboro

Widely Known Citizen of This Part of State Passes; Funeral Wednesday

John Chappell Henry, a widely known citizen in this part of the state, died at his home on 6th street in this city Tuesday afternoon. He was 63 years of age, a son of the late Captain Benjamin C. Henry and Sarah Dawkins Henry. When he was a child the family moved to Charlotte and later to Iredell county, near Davidson, where he lived until his father's death in 1892. He attended school at Rutherford College, later coming to North Wilkesboro where he resided the remainder of his life except for some time spent in West Virginia.

For many years Mr. Henry was a prominent merchant in North Wilkesboro, retiring from business life when his health failed and during the last several years of his life he was an invalid, confined to his home here. Mr. Henry was a citizen with high ideals and was always interested in the betterment and progress of his community. He held positions of public trust, being at one time a member of the town board and also served his community as president of the Retail Merchants Association. Mr. Henry was reared in a Christian home and this influence was shown throughout his life. He was a member of the North Wilkesboro Methodist church, for which he served as a member of the board of stewards and as treasurer.

In 1901 he married Miss Ada Sue McNeill, of Millers Creek. Surviving are his wife and three children: Dawkins Henry, manager of the Duke Power company branch at Marlon; Miss Ruth Henry, who holds a position in the offices of the state department of education at Raleigh; and Miss Sara Henry, who has a position with Woman's College of the University of North Carolina in Greensboro. Also surviving are one brother, Wm. B. Henry, of Tarboro, and one sister, Mrs. P. (Continued on page eight)

## Right of Way Is Beging Cleared On Third Sector

Contract Let for Construction Southward as Far as Horse Shoe Gap

EMPLOYMENT BOOSTED  
Many Jobless Along Route on Blue Ridge Are Being Assigned to Jobs

Construction of over 30 miles of the Great Scenic Parkway to connect the Shenandoah and Smoky Mountains national parks is now under way in northwestern North Carolina. J. B. Hash, director of the five county re-employment office here which furnishes labor for all public works projects in the territory served by the office, reported today that work has been going forward for the past few weeks on construction of the second North Carolina link extending from the intersection with highway 26 in Alleghany county to Airbells Gap on the Blue Ridge. He also stated that men have been placed to work at clearing the right of way for the third link extending southward to the intersection with highway 18 at Mulberry Gap and that the contractor is expecting to begin work soon on the fourth link extending southward along the summit of the Blue Ridge to what is known as Horse Gap. Meanwhile plans are under way for letting of the fifth link, which will complete the North Carolina section of the parkway as far southward as Deep Gap and the intersection of the Boone Trail highway between North Wilkesboro and Boone.

Albert Brothers, of Salem, Va., have the contract for the second link and grading has begun in earnest. Nello Teer, Durham contractor, has about three miles of the first link in Alleghany county graded. Perry McGlome, of Kansas City, Mo., is contractor on the third link and Nello Teer for the fourth sector.

The sectors now under construction are furnishing employment to many along the route who would be otherwise be jobless and the laborers furnished so far have proven quite satisfactory to the contractors.

The parkway enters North Carolina from Virginia at a point near Low Gap, crosses Alleghany county in a southwestwardly direction, regains the summit of the Blue Ridge at Airbells Gap on the line between Alleghany and Wilkes county and proceeds on and near the main ridge in Wilkes, Alleghany, Ashe and Watauga counties.

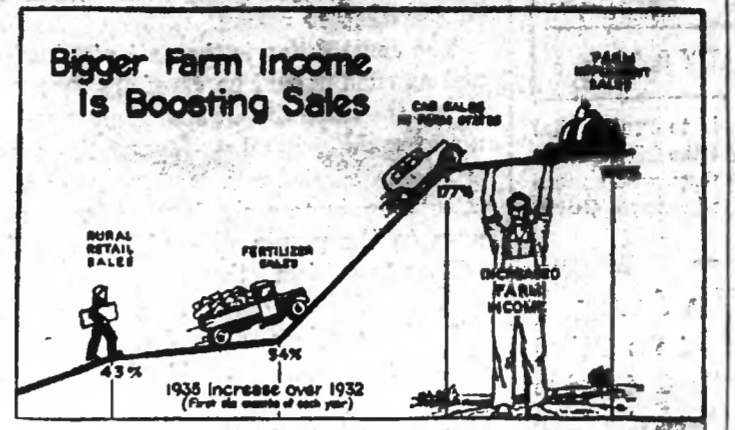
## Wilkes Post Of Legion To Meet Friday Night

Wilkes post of the American Legion will hold its first meeting of the new year on Friday night, 7:30, at the Legion and Auxiliary clubhouse. Members are requested to bring their dues to the meeting. Several matters of interest are to be taken up and a full attendance of members is urged.

## JUDGE BOWIE DELIVERS DYNAMIC SPEECH BEFORE LARGE JACKSON DAY DINNER CROWD

In a Jackson Day dinner meeting before an enthusiastic gathering of 150 Democrats at Hotel Wilkes last night, Judge Tam C. Bowie, of West Jefferson, charged the depression to the Republican party, asserted that the chaotic condition of this country in 1930-33 was a "direct result of control by the Republicans" in enactment of what he termed "inequitable laws that allowed 90 per cent of the wealth of the nation to be controlled by two per cent of the people." The dinner, one of many held all over the country to open the 1936 campaign, was a success from every standpoint. C. T. Doughton, president of the Young Democratic club in Wilkes, who was in charge of arrangements for the dinner, presided. He read greetings from Besie B. Phoenix, state chairman of the Young Democrats. Senator Josiah W. Bailey and Congressman Walter Lam-

beth. Then followed a program of hilarious entertainment by a vaudeville troupe. Short but enthusiastic talks were made by F. G. Hackett, Judge T. B. Finley, J. C. Reins, S. V. Tomlinson, A. A. Cashion, D. F. Shepherd, H. G. Minton, Attorney J. Milton Cooper, Thomas Bowie, C. B. Eller, Attorney R. C. Jennings, C. C. Faw, T. S. Kenerly, D. J. Brookshire, C. O. McNeil, J. R. Rousseau, N. S. Forester, P. E. Dancy and James Piperis. Attorney H. A. Cranor introduced Judge Bowie. Judge Bowie opened his address by stating that for centuries before the United States government was founded an individual had no rights in government and that the greatest achievement in the history of civilization was the founding of the United States government in which every the humblest citizen had a right as an indi-



THE above chart shows a substantial increase in sales to farmers for the first six months of 1935 as compared with the first half of 1932. This stimulation of business has resulted in an increase in employment and payrolls in many industries. In the farm implement industry, for example, employment in the first 10 months of 1935 was more than 2 1/2 times as great, and payrolls were more than 2 1/2 times as great as in the first 10 months of 1932. For industry as a whole, it is estimated that at least 40% of the increase in factory employment from 1932 to date is due to the improvement of rural purchasing power. In 1932 the farm cash income was \$4,328,000,000, as compared with an estimated farm cash income of \$6,800,000,000 for 1935.

## Large Volume of Goods Made by Women in WPA Sewing Rooms Go To Five Counties in the District

Kills 10 Crows With One Shot  
240 WOMEN AT WORK

Although winter weather at its worst has kept practically all of the men on WPA payrolls in Wilkes county off their jobs during the past few weeks, more than 200 women kept constantly at work on a variety of projects, it was learned today from Miss Ila Holman, director of the women's division of the WPA in the territory served by the five-county office here. Men are placed at work on outdoor projects, a majority of them on roads, and when the weather is too bad for work they still draw their pay. However, the women work indoors but many of them have been wading snow and mud for miles to get to their jobs, officials stated. As a result of inclement weather very little progress has been made on road and other outdoor projects during the past three weeks but the women have turned over to the county commissioners of the five counties in the district, Wilkes, Alleghany, Ashe, Watauga and Alexander, a total of approximately 1,300 comforters, dresses and pieces of underwear to be distributed by the welfare departments to destitute families. There are a total of 240 women at work on WPA projects in Wilkes county at the present time. Of this number 226 are employed in sewing rooms and the remainder are on clerical and recreational projects. (Continued on page eight)

## Sales Tax Report Must Be Made By 15th Each Month

One Dollar is Minimum Penalty Added to Belated Returns, Rousseau Says

A penalty of 20 per cent with a minimum of one dollar must be added to sales tax for each merchant who does not file a report of the preceding month on or before the 15th of each month. It was pointed out here today by J. R. Rousseau, revenue collector for the state in this territory. This warning has been published before but it was pointed out that many engaged in retail trade are delinquent in filing sales tax reports and are penalized. The new law calls for reports to be made for each month and the penalties are prescribed for those who do not mail the returns on or before the 15th. The letter containing the returns must bear the 15th (or previous date) postmark if the penalty is to be avoided.

## Shortened Schedule On Rainy Days Will Conserve Health of Children

City Schools To Be Dismissed at One O'Clock on Rainy Day Schedule

In order to better conserve the health of children who have no means of conveyance to and from school, the North Wilkesboro city school is beginning today a shortened schedule for rainy days and when the shorter schedule is in effect no children will have to return to school in the afternoon. This plan has been under advisement for several weeks and it is believed that its operation will conserve the health of those who have no means of getting to and from school other than walking. At 11:20 on each rainy day if it is still raining and the sky gives the appearance of continued rain the office will notify the various rooms that school will operate through the lunch period. At 11:40 a recess of 15 minutes will be allowed for recreation inside the building and classes will resume work at 11:55. At one o'clock all grades in the school will be dismissed. This schedule will not cause the omission of any recitation in the high school but will not provide time for the supervised study part of each period as is carried out in the regular schedule. Practically the only inconvenience (Continued on page eight)

## Attends Jackson Day Dinner Meet In The Capital

W. A. McNeil, prominent local business man and a leader in the Democratic party in Wilkes, represented the county's Democracy at the national Jackson Day dinner held in Washington, D. C. last night. A central Jackson Day dinner was held at the Mayflower Hotel in the nation's capital and was addressed by President Roosevelt at ten o'clock. Mr. McNeil was one of the few from North Carolina who attended the dinner in Washington, D. C. Jay Anderson, son of Mrs. Annie Anderson, of this city, spent the holiday vacation with a schoolmate in Clanton, Alabama, and while in that state attended the south wide convention of the Baptist Training Union. In the convention he played on the new Hammond electric organ. Mr. Anderson is making quite a reputation as an organist.

## T. B. Clinic In Schools Starts In Wilkes 13th

All Tubercular Suspects in School May Be Examined Without Charge

CITY SCHOOLS FIRST  
Is Part of Health Program; Health Authorities Cite Opportunities

A clinic for tubercular suspects in the schools of Wilkes county will get under way on Monday, January 13, it was learned yesterday when word was received from Dr. P. P. McCain, superintendent of the state sanatorium, that a clinician would be available. The school clinic in Wilkes was scheduled for 1937 but due to the fact that some other counties were not ready for their clinics local authorities were successful in getting the date for Wilkes moved up one year. The clinic will begin in the North Wilkesboro city schools, where a similar one was held three years ago. The clinic will be a part of the health program in the city schools, a program which is gaining widespread attention because of attention given to students who are under weight and who show signs of ill health. Health authorities point out that childhood tuberculosis is different from that in adults in that it more readily responds to treatment and can be definitely cured if the disease is discovered and treatment started in its earlier stages. For this reason school (Continued on page eight)

Following completion of the clinic in the North Wilkesboro city schools, the clinician supplied by the state sanatorium will proceed with similar clinics in the other central schools in the county. The clinics are being offered free by the state and county health departments and there will be no charge for tests and examinations. Dr. A. J. Eller, county health officer, and school leaders stress the importance of people taking advantage of the opportunities afforded by the clinic. Dr. F. C. Hubbard, proprietor of the Wilkes Hospital, said in discussing the clinic that "I consider it a matter of major importance and the clinic should have the unqualified support and cooperation of all school patrons." Dr. J. H. McNeil, local physician (Continued on page eight)