State-Nation Told Briefly

Hames For Senate?

lish in 14. — Liberty water are reputed to be workto get Hanker Bob Hanes of United States senate.

3 Generations Jailed

Asheville, Jan. 14-Three generations of one family-a grandfather, his son and the latter's son were held in the same cell at the Asheville police station ton charges of drunkenness.

> Kidnaping Charge Je, Jan. 14.--A man Donald Deaver, 26, of

ras arrested here toter a school teacher besnspicious that he planned kidnap, the two young sons of V. Morton, local business man.

Seed Loans Approved

Washington, Jan. 14.-Legislation to provide \$40,000,000 for seed and feed loans to farmers in the 1936 crop year was approved today by the House agriculture

Held For Murder

Wilmington, Jan. 14.- A true charging Alec Buie with the of French Lewis, at the Jarolina Beach roadhouse the might of November 24, was returned by the grand jury in New Hanover Superior court to-

Five Burn To Death Poplar Bluff, Mo., Jan. 14

four children were burned to passage might increase to a \$11,death at their home near Taskee. Mo., today. A can of oil used by necessary treasury financing in the husband and father. Poney Willard, to start a stove fire exploded. He was critically injured.

Grateful Hitchhiker?

Bocky Mount, Jan. 14. Raymond Hunt, of Whitakers, operator of a casket firm, told police here tonight that one of two young men to whom he gave a ride knocked him on the head four times, took change in his might have to raise to meet its pocket and drove away in his aumobile late today near Battle-

S. C., Jan. 14—An Ameriblue eagle was killed on Dun-Took near here by Wayne 14-year-old local boy. the eagle measured six feet and three inches from tip to tip. The eagle was killed by young Hamer while bird hunting. The feet were sold for 25 cents each.

McDonald Raps "Machine" ner-Graham-Hoey machine. Ralph W. McDonald, seeking the

Gets Life Sentence Winston-Salem, Jan. 14. The first to receive maximum penalty under North Carolina's 1933 kidnaping law, William Barham and Fred Stevens, sentenced today to life imprisonment for the abduction of W. W. Pollock. Winston-Salem draftsman, were taken to state prison at Ruleigh

Held For Homicide

fere today in the hearing acted into law this month. or Grayson Bryant on a murder Superior court.

Dwight Beard Caught Beard, 25 escaped refunding operations. termer from North Carolina, was arrested here today, and officers said he was identified in two holdups tonight. He steadfastly denied an accusation that be kifled John R. Roberts, former Dallas detective, here on December 23, they added.

Funeral Rites For Mrs. J. B. Bullis

To Be Held This Afternoon At shady Grove Church; Passed Away Wednesday

Funeral rites will be held top. m., at Shady Grove Mrs. J. B. Bullis, who inesday morning, four ther home on Wilkes-

> survived by her hus-Bullis, and the fol-Walter, Mack, lichard Bullis, 1; Roby Bullis, I. C. Church, eton; Miss F. E. proporo route 1. Mrs. Mrs. J. P. Welch Welch, Gonhen.

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Savings In Insurance Costs To Instent Bob Hanes of No. Wilkesboro People Assured Several Robberies

Mayor Received Official Notice That Fire Department Has Been Raised To Second Class And That Rates Will Be Lowered Accordingly.

Mayor R. T. McNiel received official notice this week from the Southeastern Underwriters Association that fire insurance rates are to be revised downward in North Wilkesboro.

The city fire department has met all requirements for a second class fire department and as a result it is being raised from third to second, which will bring about the lowered insurance costs.

This was made possible by the improvement of the city water works, addition of a second fire truck to carry hose

Senate Bonus

and additional equipment. Another requirement that has been met was the appointment of a full time day fireman and a full time night fireman.

Local insurance men have estimated that the difference in fire insurance rates in North Wilkesboro will mean an annual saving of from \$15,000 to \$20,000 per year in fire insurance costs. In addition to the monetary saving, people can feel a greater sense of security in the knowledge that the city has a modern fire department ready to respond immediately to all calls.

Bill Approved By Committee

compromise "baby bond" bonus bill was swept toward a Senate vote today over testimony by Mrt. Vergie Willard, 26, and her Secretary Morgenthau that its 300.000.000 "minimum" the the next 17 1-2 months

Morgenthau privately told the Senate finance committee, just before it approved the proposed substitute for the House bill by a 15-to-2 vote, that the measure might require a \$2,000,000.000 money-raising operation

Senator Couzens (R), Mich., quoted him as listing these other amounts which the Treasury obligations before June 30, 1937. the end of the next fiscal year: \$5,800,000,000 to to refunding outstanding obligations; \$2,000,-000,000 possibly to be needed for relief (and not included in the new budget); and \$1,500,000.-000 which President Roosevelt estimated as next year's deficit.

Not Bound to Secrecy Saying he would not be bound to secrecy which Morgenthau and Chairman Harrison (D), Miss., imposed upon themselves after the executive committee session, Leaksville, Jan. 14.—Crossing Couzens also quoted the cabinet praise for the policies of Presi- officer as saying the public debt dent Roosevelt with a bristling might reach \$35,500,000,000 by attack on "the Ehringhaus-Gard- the end of the next financial

Declining again to comment on Democratic gubernatorial nomi- the bonus question, President; nation, brought his campaign Roosevelt expressed surprise at his press conference when he was informed that Morgenthau's, statements had been made pub- to purchase them immediately. lie. Remarking that he had not Charge for city plates is one dolheard what the secretary said. Mr. Roosevelt asked who talked. He joined in the laughter when a newspaperman said that would be telling.

Only Couzens and Senator Gerry (D), R. I., voted against a favorable report on the bill which fore the Senate when it recon-Fir, Jan. 11. -- Probable venes Thursday. Administration as found by Judge A. R. leaders predicted it would be en-

Couzens was the only one of herse in connection with the eight committeemen who will be death of Walter Carlton on De- up for re-election next Novemcenter 31, after a fight with ber to oppose the report. After he Bryant was bound over had disclosed Morgenthau's tesander & bond of \$2,500, and will timony administration leaders be tried in the February term of were quick to explain that the \$11,300,000.000 figure Morgenthau mentioned did not involve all "new money" raising, since it Tex., Jan. 14.—Angus- included the \$5,800,000,000 in

Tax Penalty Will Be Added Feb. 1

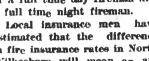
County and City Tax Collectors Urge Payment in January to Avoid Penalty

A penalty will be added to all unpaid county and city taxes after February 1, it was pointed out this week by W. P. Kelly, tax collector for North Wilkesboro, and W. B. Somers, sheriff and tax collector of Wilkes county. All who have not paid their

taxes are urgently requested to do so and avoid penalties. Taxes during January can be paid for the face amount of the tax statement but a penalty wil be added after February 1.

LICENSES ARE LOST BY 30 MORE DRIVERS

Raleigh, Jan. 13 .- Thirty revocations are announced by the license department.



Baseball President



BROOKLYN, N. Y. . . . Mrs. James Mulvey (above), daughter of W. McKeever, 84, president of the Brooklyn National League baseball team, succeeds her father in that office to actively manage the club's

City Auto Plates Must Be Displayed

Sales Good So Far, Reports Chief Anderson; Very Few Delinquent Motorists

James M. Anderson, North Wilkeshoro's chief of police, reported yesterday that sales of city auto plates for 1936 are ahead of last year and that practically all of the automobile owners in the city have purchased their city plates along with the state tags.

City plates are being sold by J. C. McDiarmid at the license bureau on the corner of Ninth and trip to get state and city tags.

There are still some few delinquents who have not purchased the city tags and they are asked lar for each vehicle.

Boomer Farmers Suffer Loss From

Approximately 1,000 Pounds Pork Taken From Home of Marvin Earp

OTHER PEOPLE ROBBED Chickens Taken From Sev-

eral Henhouses; Officers Seek Guilty Parties

Farmers of the Boomer community have been looted of several hundred dollars worth of grain, meat and poultry during the past few weeks, according to reports investigated by the sheriff's office.

About 1,000 pounds of pork were stolen from the home of Marvin Earp one night recently, while other thefts on a wholesale scale have also been reported. Mr. Parsons, a farmer in that community, lost 38' bushels of wheat, Dodson Watts and other farmers have reported heavy osses in poultry.

Sheriff W. B. Somers and deputies have been investigating the thefts and not altogether without results, it being believed that clues have been found that may lead to the apprehension of those who so wantonly steal from the farmers on a comparatively large scale.

Circumstances indicated that the robberies may have been committed by the same parties, who conveyed the produce by truck or automobile to distant

Name Sanitary Insector For Wilkes County

G. S. Odell Begins Work; to Make Inspection of Dairries and Eating Places

G. S. Odell, formerly an employe of the health department of Tennessee, has been named sanitary inspector for Wilkes county and has entered upon his duties.

The work carried on by Mr. Odell in Wilkes is in connection with the state and county health departments and he will maintain headquarters at the county health office in the courthouse in Wilkesboro.

His duties during the principally to inspection of dairies, cafes, restaurants and food handlers, he stated today.

Other phases of the work will consist of promoting school sanitation and cooperation with individuals who desire to erect sanitary privies.

LAWRENCE GRAY HELD UP; ROBBED OF CAR AND CASH

Harrison said he hoped to get be- Daring Daylight Robbery Tuesday Afternoon Near Moravian Falls; Officers Search For Man Giving Name As "Padgett".

Lawrence Gray, Wilkesboro furniture dealer, was held up and robbed of his automobile, watch and about \$75 in money by a man giving his name as Charles Padgett near Moravian Falls Tuesday afternoon.

Padgett was in Wilkesboro Tuesday, according to reports, and was supposed to be making arrangements to go into the trucking business when Mr. Gray oblidging gave him a lift toward Lenoir.

A short distance from Moravian Falls on highway 18 the two men stepped out of the automobile and Padgett sud-

A fire that was thought to

High Point, Jan. 13.—Sam

Arrested with four others in a

ways of justice today.

court today.

denly threw a gun on Mr. Gray, telling him he wanted his car, his money and his watch. The holdup took place about

three o'clock. After looting Mr. Gray's

pockets Padgett stepped into the automobile and raced toward Lenoir, leaving the car's owner by the roadside. Officers were immediately notified and on Wednesday a description of the automobile, a 1935 model Ford coach, and an account of the robbery were broadcast over radio from Charlotte. Officers throughout the state have been asked to watch for

FIRE MONDAY NIGHT Woodie Seeking **New Bus Route**

have started in the boiler room beneath did small damage to the E. (). Woodie, local bus line Western Union Telegraph office operator, appeared Tuesday behere Monday night about eleven fore the Utilities Commission in o'clock. The fire was quickly ex-Raleigh to seek a franchise to tinguished by the fire departoperate a bus passenger service between West Jefferson and Charlotte, by way of North Wil-BLIND MAN IS SURE

kesboro and Taylorsville. JUSTICE IS BLIND The petition was opposed by the Queen City Lines of Winston-Moon, blind, couldn't see the Salem and the East Tennessee and Carolina-Lines.

raid by police on an alleged gam- it was indicated by members of turned but J. M. Quinn remained bling game, he was the only one counsel for the contesting groups for a more extended stay. J. R. when arraigned in municipal without action of the commis- American Furniture company, at- boro high school. The mid-term five miles out. Many acres of low

Texas Boasts Only Boy Quadruplets in the U.S.

BEAUMONT, Tex. . . . Here are the ABCD Perricone quadruplets at six years of age. They are Anthony, Bruno, Carlo and Donald. Their mother, Mrs. Philip Perrisons says as babies, Bruno was the slightest and is the brightest. She thinks the slightest of the Dionne quintuplets will also

SHRUBBERY PLANTED ABOUT TORY OAK NEAR COURTHOUSE

Clinging Vines Will Beautify Plot Where Tree On Which Ben Cleveland Hanged Tories Now Stands; Life of Historic Oak Apparently Near End

The plot on which stands the Tory Oak, for a century and a half a landmark on the courthouse square in Wilkesboro, has been beautified by planting shrubbery and vines.

This work is being sponsored by the Rendezvous Mountain chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, who several years ago took measures to preserve the life of the historic tree by filling the hollow trunk with concrete.

Yesterday workmen from Valley View Nurseries, of Pores knob, were engaged in plant-

ing English ivey and periwinkle about the tree trunk. This is to add materially to the appearance of the plot on which the tree stands on a mound in the center of the street that makes up the courthouse square.

The Tory Oak has an interesting history dating back to the time Col. Ben Cleveland hanged a number of tories from its limbs during the Revolution. There are still a number of live branches on the tree, which has decayed on one side, but it is evident hat its

Carrier Serves Route 30 Years

F. L. Parks Retires at Roaring River After 30 Years of Service

ROARING RIVER, Jan. 14.-F. L. Parks, veteran rural car-1935. He began on this route association. Sept. 1, 1905. For twenty years the route was 23 miles long, but the city hall and will begin at ered before much damage is became 45 miles long after being 7:30 consolidated ten years ago.

For twenty years Mr. Parks used horses to carry the mail, and a report of the year's busi-He used 5 buggies, one cart and one mail wagon, drawn by several different horses, during that time. Since 1925, he distributed it in an automobile and used five cars. He traveled over 254. \$44 miles.

Mr. Parks is 64 years and 9 ant of one of Wilkes county's best and oldest families, a son of the late Col. Lindolph Parks and Lucy Petty Parks, and he married Mrs. Davie Wellborn Greene. His brother, H. E. Parks, rural carrier on Route 2, is also a veteran distributor of letters, but has considerably shorter record than the older brother, F. L. Parks. Both are also farmers.

Hotel Company Stockholders To Meet On Jan. 23

Annual meeting of stockholders of the North Wilkesboro Hotel company, owner of Hotel Wilkes, will be held at Hotel Wilkes on Thursday, January 23, Finley, secretary of the company, has mailed out notices of the

The meeting will be for the purpose of electing a board of lirectors for the coming year, hearing reports of officers and struction is completed by way of transacting such other business as may come before the stockholders.

LOCAL MANUFACTURERS RETURN FROM CHICAGO

Representatives of local furniture manufacturing plants have been attending the furniture exposition in Chicago.

N. O. Smoak, representing Forest Furniture company, is expected to return some time this week. J. D. and H. L. Moore, of the At conclusion of the hearing, Home Chair company, have retonded the exposition last week. Itests are now nodes war.

B. & L. Meet On Monday, Jan. 27

Stockholders of North Wilkesboro Association to Have Annual Meeting

rier and prominent citizen of kesboro Building and Loan asso-Roaring River, had distributed ciation will be held on Monday operation and permission to exthe mail on Roaring River, Route night, January 27, according to amine suspects, it was pointed 1. for 30 years and 4 months a notice mailed out by J. B. Wil- out that childhood tuberculosis when he retired December 31, liams, secretary-treasurer of the is different to that in adults in

The meeting will be held in treatment if the disease is discov-

The year 1935 was a very successful one for the association ness is being prepared by the secretary. It is expected that the stockholders' meeting will be well attended.

The meeting on January 27 will be for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transacting of such othmonths of age. He is a descend- er business as may come before the meeting.

The 48th series is now open for sale of installment stock.

4 Miles Graded On Highway 16

Making Rapid Progress On Grading Highway Across The Blue Ridge

Workmen engaged in the construction of highway 16 between state councilor will have the re-Wilbar and the Ashe-Wilkes line have completed rough grading on classes and for a speaker who about four miles of the 7 1-27 mile project.

T. M. Strider and company, Nashville, Tenn., contracting at 7:30 in the evening. E. G. firm, has been using about 100 men in two shifts daily in the work. However, inclement weather has delayed the work to a great extent during the past several weeks.

When the project under con-

what is commonly called the "jumping off place" the new highway from Millers Creek will lack about four miles of reaching the connecting point with the old highway 16 near Glendale Springs. The new highway will be one of the most picturesque routes across the Blue Ridge in western North Carolina and will connect with the route of the Scenic Parkway near the Ashe-Wilkes line on the summit of the Blue Ridge.

Examinations Going On

Co-operation Is Being Given To Schools' Clinic

Many Children Given Preliminary Tests in Schools of Wilkesboros

MAY EXTEND CLINIC

To Include Several Larger Schools in Rural Section. Need is Urged

The tuberculosis clinic which started in the schools of Wilkes county Monday is meeting with good cooperation from school patrons, it was learned today from Mrs. Bertha Bell, county nurse who is aiding the clinician in conducting the clinic.

Preliminary tests have been given children in the North Wilkesboro city schools, white and colored, and Wilkesboro school. Dr. H. L. Seay, clinician from the state sanitorium, will give the examinations.

Present plans of the county health department call for conducting the clinic in the central schools of the rural communities but the extent of the clinic will depend to a great extent on funds available for that purpose. The school clinic for Wilkes was not scheduled until 1937 but authorities were able to move up the date one year on account of the fact that in some counties where clinics were to be held this year preparations had not been

In the schools where the clinic is to be held preliminary tests by an injection into the arm, which is quite harmless, are given and the number to be examined is reduced to suspects while those that are known to be definitely free from the disease Minated. X-ray pictures will when necessary

parents are advised to consult their family physician. Before the clinic began Dr. A.

J. Eller, other health authorities and practicing physicians issued a public plea for cooperation and so far the clinic has been accord-Regular annual meeting of the ed almost 100 per cent support stockholders of the North Wil- from children and their parents. In continuing the plea for co-

that it responds more readily to

District Junior Order Gathering

Will Be Held In North Wilkesboro On Night of Friday, February 21

Winston-Salem. Jan. 13 .- Monroe Adams, of Statesville, state councilor of the Junior Order United American Mechanics, has issued a call for district-wide class initiations throughout North Carolina to be held Friday night, February 21, and to be known as the George Washington birthday

At least one class initiation will be held in every district in the state and some of the larger districts have arranged for two or three classes. Each district deputy sponsibility of arranging for these will deliver a brief message at each place.

C. W. Snyder, field secretary for the western division of the state, announces the following places in this section where class initiations will be held in his district:

District 7 with North Wilkesboro council No. 51 at North Wilkesboro and with Copeland council No. 101, at Copeland; district No. 3 with Elk Park council No. 85 at Elk Park; district 6 with Statesville council No . 399 at Statesville and with Newton council No. 24 at Newton.

Neuse River Overflows At Happersville, Floods Land

Kinston, Jan. 13.—The Neuse river overflowed into Happersville, opposite this city, today but residents believed there would be little damage from the flood and that the stream would start falling in a few hours.

The Kinston-Wilmington read This week is examination week was blocked. However, a connect of the five who was found guilty an agreement might be reached Hix and A. B. Johnston, of the for students of the North Wilkes- ing road runs into the highest