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Late News Of State-Nation Told Briefly

\$1,000,000 FUND
Davidson, June 4.—Trustees of Davidson College, on the eve of the 100th commencement, today laid plans for a drive for a \$1,000,000 centennial fund for expansion of the college plant and endowment.

BEARD EXECUTED
Dallas, Tex., June 4.—The body of Augustus Dwight Beard, who died in the electric chair in state prison at Huntsville, arrived here today. Funeral services will be held tomorrow. Beard was electrocuted for the slaying of John Roberts, former Dallas detective.

NO RESIGNATIONS
Washington, June 4.—No further resignations from the Supreme Court will be tendered during the summer, leaving President Roosevelt with only one vacancy appointment to be counted upon next fall unless part or all of his judiciary reorganization bill is enacted, it was learned tonight.

PROBE LIQUOR DEAL
Raleigh, June 4.—Cutler Moore, chairman of the state liquor commission, said today the liquor store at Lawrence, in Edgecombe county, had been placed on probation pending an investigation of "where its business is coming from." He declined to amplify the statement.

MORE LIQUOR
Washington, June 4.—Mrs. D. Leigh Colvin of New York told the Woman's Christian Temperance Union today that the nation's annual drink bill in 1935 exceeded the pre-prohibition maximum by one billion dollars. She said there are 422,000 legal liquor sellers today compared with 177,000 saloons in the old days.

SENTENCED TO PEN
Raleigh, June 4.—Wade Hanford, of Alamance county, drew a four-to-seven-year sentence in state superior court today on charges of aiding seven long-term convicts escape from the Caledonia Prison Farm on February 15. Hanford, who was accused of smuggling pistols to the prisoners, pleaded nolo contendere.

KIDNAPING TRIAL
Forest City, June 4.—Solicitor Clarence O. Ridings, of Forest City, said today he would call the case of Dr. Fay Blackwell, Rutherford county coroner, and C. A. Goggin, 21, of Avondale, charged with kidnaping and assaulting a young Marion girl, at the regular term of McDowell county superior court which begins Monday at Marion.

\$50,000 FOR NEEDY
Elkin, June 4.—Approximately \$50,000 will be required during the next fiscal year to meet the cost of old age pensions and assistance to needy children in Surry county who will be eligible for financial aid under the provisions of the state's social security program, according to W. M. Allen, local member of the board. It is estimated that around 586 residents of Surry will be eligible for assistance.

AUTO SALES INCREASE
Raleigh, June 4.—The State Motor Vehicle Bureau announced today the sale of new automobiles and trucks in North Carolina during May showed an increase over that of last year, but dropped below April, 1937. The month's sales were 5,374 cars and 1,370 trucks, compared with 4,321 cars and 1,274 trucks in May, 1936, and 5,995 cars and 1,951 trucks in April of this year.

MAKES RECORD
Lexington, June 4.—Victor Higgins, student of Lexington High School, appears to be on the way to an attendance record of records. At the close of the term last week he completed the ninth grade and then received his eleventh consecutive perfect attendance certificate. Down the line he had to repeat two grades, hence the surplus of certificates.

Court Of Honor To Meet On Tuesday

Scout Court of Honor will hold a meeting Tuesday evening, at Hotel Wilkes. Scout leaders and troop members are invited to the meeting.

Proven farmers sold \$2,131.63 worth of fat hogs on the five-county livestock market at New Bern last week.

Thousands Expected Here For Safety Day Parade On June 12

Driverless Auto To Be Attraction In Safety Parade

Mayor and Civic Organizations Lend Hand Toward Making Event Successful

LYNCH TO PILOT CAR

Over Eight Blocks of City By Means of Remote Control and Robot

All is ready for the big safety day parade at North Wilkesboro, Saturday, June 12th, at 3:00 p. m. and one of the largest crowds of recent years is expected to gather in the business section to witness this great safety event. The parade will form promptly at (Continued on page eight)

Sheriff Captures 2nd Jailbreaker

Charlie McGlamery Taken Friday Morning at Home Near Millers Creek

Charlie McGlamery, jailbreaker whose criminal record is fast becoming lengthy, was recaptured and placed back in jail at Wilkesboro Friday morning by Sheriff C. T. Doughton. McGlamery was located at the home of his parents near Millers Creek. He was sentenced during the March term of Wilkes court to the county home after conviction for forgery. He escaped from the county home and carried with him a quantity of meat, which he and his companion sold but which was later recovered.

While in jail following his escape from the county home and capture only a few days later he and two other prisoners beat bars from a cell window with a window weight and escaped by lowering themselves with blankets.

James Wesley Hall, negro with a long criminal record, was recaptured about two weeks ago at the home of a colored man in east Wilkesboro. Koonce Pevette, who was in jail for shooting his father and who was the third member of the jailbreaking party, has not been recaptured.

Federal Revenue Agents Cut Still

Federal revenue agents working in the Roaring River section of Wilkes county Thursday raided a large still and arrested Roy Caudill, who filled bond for appearance in federal court following a hearing before J. W. Dula, United States commissioner, in Wilkesboro. Included in the illicit outfit was a comparatively large quantity of sugar and other materials for liquor manufacture.

Cannot Make Applications For Old Age Assistance Until After July 1st

Colvard Appointed Mayor By Aldermen

West Jefferson, June 3.—R. W. Colvard, popular young business man of this city, was appointed by the town board of aldermen to fill out the unexpired term of Mayor James Allen at a meeting held the latter part of last week. Mr. Allen, who is employed by the Nello Teer Construction Company, has been transferred from this county to a construction project in Pennsylvania, and of necessity will be out of the city for some time. Mr. Colvard assumed his official duties this week. He is modern and progressive and an excellent business man. It is expected that the town will continue to grow and prosper under his guidance.

However, the law provides that applications be accepted after July 1 and it will be needless for any person to go to the welfare office before that date to apply, Mr. McNeill said.

Parade Promoter



Wally Y. Hosier, who is promoting the Safety Parade to be held in this city Saturday, June 12. The parade will be featured by a "driverless" car.

WPA Recreation Project To Use Fairgrounds as Playground; All Children of the City Are Invited

Farmers To Meet At Six Central Points

Farmers of Wilkes County who have signed work sheets in preparation for taking part on the Soil Conservation program, will meet for the purpose of electing Committeemen for the 1937 program.

County Agent A. G. Hendren, has written each signer and has urged that he be present at the meeting scheduled for his community. It is also requested that tenants attend these meetings, as they are entitled to vote. The landlords, of course, are responsible for notifying the tenants of the time and place.

The meetings will be held at the following places and dates: Wilkesboro, June 15, 9 a. m. Mt. Pleasant, June 16, 9 a. m. Millers Creek, June 17, 9 a. m. Mountain View, June 17, 2 p. m. Benham, June 18, 9 a. m. Dennyville, June 18, 2 p. m.

Funeral On Tuesday For Mr. McCarter

Granville McCarter, citizen of the Wilkesboro route 2 community, died Sunday morning and funeral services will be held at Antioch church on Tuesday afternoon, two o'clock.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Cynthia McCarter, two children, J. W. and Mable Lucile, and the following brothers and sisters: Tom McCarter, of Kansas; J. M. McCarter, of Dover; Mrs. Silas Johnson, Mrs. John Johnson and Mrs. C. T. Anderson, of Wilkesboro; Mrs. Florence Post, of Kansas.

Work Sheets Must Be Prepared By June 12

"Don't forget that June 12 is the last day to sign a work sheet for the 1937 soil conservation program," warns E. Y. Floyd, of State College.

All growers who have not signed up either last year or this year must deliver their work sheets to their county soil conservation offices by Saturday to become eligible for payments, he added.

Work sheets are necessary in helping plan a farm's program of soil conservation and in determining how much diversion and soil building payments are earned, Floyd explained.

"If you operated under a work sheet last year, but have made a change in your farm since then, notify your county agent at once," he pointed out.

Northwestern Bank Will Open On July 1st

Few Short of Goal Of 2,000 Signers For Soil Program In Wilkes County

Expect 2,000 Wilkes Farmers to Share In Benefits Of the Soil Program

925 NEW SIGNERS

Others Have Until June 12 to Get In On Improvements and Cash

Number of work sheets signed in Wilkes county for the soil conservation program is 1,968, only 34 short of the goal of 2,000 set by A. G. Hendren, Wilkes farm agent.

In 1936, first year of the soil conservation program replacing the invalidated triple A, there were 1,041 work sheets signed but the program paying cash benefits for growing soil improving crops proved to be so popular that the number was almost doubled this year and it is expected that that goal of 2,000 (Continued on page eight)

Concord Concern Is Interested In the Establishment of a Hose Plant Here

Merchants and City Commissioners Hold a Joint Meeting Here Thursday

ISSUE INVITATION

Officials of Penn-Carol Mills to Visit This City at an Early Date

Wilkes County Retail Merchants' Association, and other interested business men met on Thursday night with the city board of commissioners to consider extending an invitation to a corporation interested in establishing a full fashioned hosiery mill here.

Penn Carol Hosiery Mills, of Concord, had written city authorities relative to locating a mill here and in the letter, which was read before the gathering Thursday night, officials of that company offered to come to North Wilkesboro to look over the city and to discuss the matter with the board.

In the meeting, which was attended by a large number of the business men of the city, the decision was unanimous that the company be invited to place a mill here and the assembly was of the opinion that every reasonable inducement should be offered.

Many of those present spoke in a very public spirited manner relative to the establishment of industries here and Mayor R. T. McNeil said that he would answer the letter and propose that officials of the interested company set a day to visit North Wilkesboro. A committee appointed by the mayor, including members of the city board, merchants' association, Kiwanis club, and others interested, will meet the company representatives, show them the city and tell of its advantages as a location for a hosiery mill.

Mayor McNeil and four members of the board, S. V. Tomlinson, Ralph Duncan, Dr. R. P. Casey and T. S. Kenerly, were present. The meeting was attended by representatives of a majority of the retail stores in the city.

Five Million Received

Raleigh, June 5.—More than \$5,000,000 had been received as contributions from employers of eight or more workers in the classifications included under the act by the N. C. Unemployment Compensation Commission through last week. Chairman Charles G. Powell announced. Of this \$2,980,000 was on 1936 payrolls and slightly more than \$2,000,000 on 1937 payrolls for the first four months. Every penny of this is due to go to workers who become unemployed through no fault of their own. Payments start early next year.

Dr. R. E. Hardaway Assisting In 10-Day Revival Wilkesboro Baptist

Dr. Richard E. Hardaway,

pastor of the First Baptist church at Lenoir, is assisting in a revival at Wilkesboro Baptist church, of which Rev. Avery Church is pastor.

The revival began Sunday night and will continue for ten days with services in the afternoon at 2:30 and in the evening at 7:45. Everybody is invited to any and all the services.

Dr. Hardaway has just closed eight years as pastor of the First Baptist church at Lenoir, where he is held in highest esteem by his congregation and the people of the town. Prior to going to Lenoir he was pastor of South Main Street church in Greenwood, S. C. Before that he served four years at Shandon Baptist church in Columbia, S. C., and three years at Allendale. He is a graduate of Mercer and the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville, Ky.

DR. R. E. HARDAWAY

On Dime Tour



Los Angeles . . . Sir Harry Lauder, now 67, arrived here from New Zealand on a round-the-world cruise which he is financing with dimes saved during his long stage career.

American Legion Junior Baseball To Begin June 11

Formal Opening at the Fairgrounds Saturday, Moravian Falls vs. Clingman

With auspicious ceremonies and with the fanfare similar to the opening of major league play each year, American Legion Junior baseball will be ushered in for the first time in Wilkes county on Saturday, June 12, at the fairgrounds in this city.

However, the actual opening of the season for the eight junior teams at North Wilkesboro, Wilkesboro, Moravian Falls, Clingman, Traphill, Cricket, Champion and Beamer will be on Friday, June 11, but the formal opening will be at the fairgrounds here on Saturday afternoon.

Clingman and Moravian Falls requested to play the formal opener here and it is understood that these two teams are able to put on a very creditable game for the first effort. The other six teams in the junior league, who (Continued on page eight)

New Building Is Started In City

Wilkes Auto Sales Erecting Building on Forester Avenue In City

Wilkes Auto Sales company, Plymouth and Dodge automobile dealer, has let contract for the erection of a modern building to C. H. Smithey, local contractor, and work began last week.

The new building, which will be 73 to 72 feet, will be located on Forester Avenue at the intersection with B street and will be adequate to house all departments of the company, including show room, offices, and service department.

It will be modern in every respect and will be of brick and concrete construction.

Judges Are Named On Picture Contest

Standard Oil Representative Makes Good Talk Before Local Kiwanis Club

E. G. Finley, D. J. Carter, Genio Cardwell and J. B. McCoy were appointed Friday as judges in the contest sponsored by the Kiwanis club to secure suitable photos for postcard pictures to publicize this section.

J. B. McCoy reported to the club that many excellent pictures had been submitted in competition for the three cash prizes totaling ten dollars. The results will be announced in a few days.

The program Friday was furnished by S. V. Tomlinson, who presented R. T. Hammett, a representative of the Standard Oil company. Mr. Hammett spoke on "History of the Oil Industry," giving many interesting facts about the phenomenal growth of the industry.

A committee composed of J. E. Williams, D. J. Carter and A. E. Casey was appointed to represent the club in observance of "Safety Day" on June 13.

C. H. Colvard was a guest of Genio Cardwell at the meeting. Randolph farmers report an excellent small grain crop though quite a bit of rust has appeared in low and fields.