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Reinforcements of Safety Campaign Are Given Here

Civic Leaders, Industrialists, Back Legion in Current Safety Drive

Will the Safety Week sponsored by the Wilkes County Post No. 135, American Legion, produce any results? North Wilkesboro and Wilkes county. That is the question being asked by those interested in this worthy project. It will only produce those desired results when every auto driver and every pedestrian will acquire the "Safety" habit and really value their own life and the lives of others. Let everyone co-operate this "Safety Week" and make every one of the fifty-two weeks of the coming year safe for everyone.

The police department of this city has heartily endorsed the Legion Safety program in a letter from Chief Walker to Commander Frank E. Johnson, which reads: "I consider it a privilege and duty to endorse the Safety Campaign and think it is a very worthy program. I think it will mean much to the people of Wilkes County and North Wilkesboro. And I want to pledge the full cooperation of the Police Department of the Town of North Wilkesboro and we will be glad to cooperate with you in carrying out any of your proposed plans."

The industrial heads have also added their endorsement, knowing the full value of Safety Programs in their plants. A letter from P. W. Eshelman, President of the Wilkes Hosiery Mills states:

"As head of the Wilkes Hosiery Mills Company, I am pleased to endorse the safety campaign sponsored by the American Legion in this vicinity. As support to my approval of this campaign I believe a brief description of what the Wilkes Hosiery Mill is doing in respect to safety will be more convincing than anything else I might say. In our mill— "We maintain a completely equipped first aid room. Three thoroughly trained first aid nurses are in constant attendance to give first aid at any hour of the day or night. "A safety council consisting of members of the various departments of the mill, and other members of our organization strive constantly to devise ways and means to prevent accidents and, in the event an accident has happened, to analyze the cause so that it will not occur again.

"A constant, never ending campaign is carried on under the direction of the council by means of bulletins, circulars and personal contact to prevent accidents not only in our mill but in homes of our employees and on the (Continued on page eight)

Annual Red Cross Drive Will Begin On November 11th In Wilkes County

City Will Be Canvassed Thursday and Friday; Large Membership

HALF FUNDS USED HERE

Greater Response Expected From Industries and From Country People

Other industries have met the challenge of the Wilkes Hosiery Mills, 100 per cent in Red Cross membership during the past seven years, and will respond liberally to the Red Cross roll call beginning Thursday, November 11.

At a meeting of industrialists with Red Cross chapter officials at Hotel Wilkes Thursday evening a very optimistic spirit was shown and it was indicated that several industries will try for 100 per cent membership among the office personnel and employees of the factories.

Today Red Cross chapter officials were informed that one industry had already subscribed 100 per cent and the roll call is yet to officially begin. The Carolina Mirror Corporation, with 28 employees, has already joined 100 per cent, Edd F. Gardner, manager, said this morning.

The Wilkes Hosiery Mills has about 600 employees and for seven years has reported 100 per cent membership in the Red Cross, more than half the total membership of the Wilkes county chapter.

The roll call in North Wilkesboro will get under way Thursday and it is hoped that the canvass of the business and residential sections of the city can be completed by Friday.

C. B. Eller, county superintendent of schools, will direct the drive for Red Cross members among the teachers and parents of the county and the chapter is hoping for a 100 per cent membership among the teachers. W. D. Halfacre, superintendent, will direct the roll call in the city schools.

Back to Work



Washington... Arrival in the Capitol for Congressional Sessions is pretty much of an old story to Vice President John N. Garner, who swings the Senatorial gavel over what already promises to be one of the most turbulent gatherings that body has ever known.

Expect To Begin School Building At Early Date

Last Obstacle in Way of Wilkesboro WPA Project Reported Removed

A Works Progress administration project calling for erection of a ten-room addition to the Wilkesboro school plant has been given approval and all estimates have been submitted to the state office, it was learned here today from the WPA branch engineer's office.

The order to start work on the project is expected some time this week.

The addition will be in the form of a ten-room building, which is designed to relieve the crowded condition of the present building, in which students are literally packed and jammed into every nook of available space, including auditorium, hallways, library and ill-lighted basement rooms.

The project will cost approximately \$35,000, of which about three-fifths will be furnished by the federal government. The proportionate cost of materials and skilled labor made the cost to the county higher. The project was held up for (Continued on page eight)

Drys Stage Big Rally In County; Burgess Speaks

Active Head of Dry Forces Has Busy Day With Three Speaking Dates

Cale K. Burgess, active head of the United Dry Forces in North Carolina, spoke at three places in Wilkes county Sunday.

Rallies of dry forces were held at Harmony church, Mountain View church and Wilkesboro Baptist church, where Mr. Burgess was the principal speaker.

Other rallies were held at Mount Pleasant with Attorney A. H. Casey as speaker; Attorney J. H. Whicker at New Hope; J. F. Jordan at Moravian Falls; and T. E. Story at Goshen.

Mr. Burgess gave a scathing indictment of repeal and legalized liquor, offering convincing facts relative to the widespread increase in drinking.

School Children See Talkie Film Taken In France

Dedication of War Memorial By Representative Lambeth Shown Here

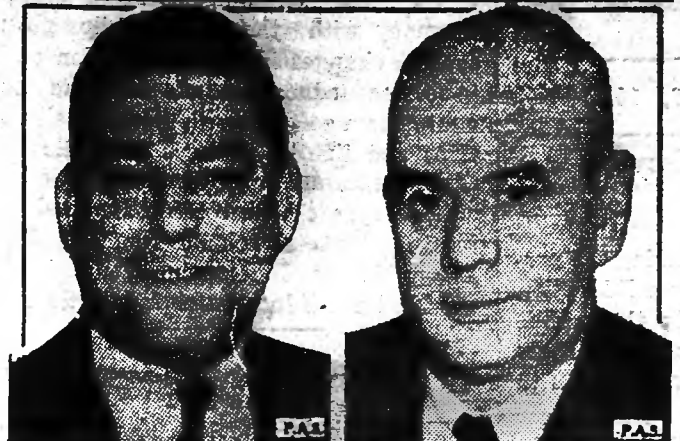
The student body of North Wilkesboro high school marched to the Orpheum theatre Friday morning to witness the showing of talking moving pictures of the dedication of a war memorial in France by Walter Lambeth, representative of this district in congress.

He and a party of other congressmen and high government officials recently returned from France, where they dedicated a number of war memorials.

Bellicourt, American soldiers of the division were a great factor in the Hindenburg line, where many (Continued on page eight)

Railway Crossing Proposed

Seek To End A.F.L. - C.I.O. Rift



WASHINGTON... The first attempt in two years to end the bitter hostility between the two rival labor movements nearly hit the rocks when the C.I.O. group, headed by Phillip Murray (right) flatly refused to dissolve their organization as a condition for peace. Now A. F. L. committee, led by Chairman George Harrison (left) counters with proposal to take back suspended unions under former rights and privileges.

Funds Available For Construction Of Bridge Here

Engineer Says Plans Made Several Years Ago Considered Feasible

TELLS OF CITY'S PART Structure Would Extend From Monument to Point Near Yadkin Bridge

A railway crossing elimination project has been proposed here for what highway engineers have described as one of the most hazardous crossings in the eighth highway division.

Engineers have made plans for a crossing elimination project where federal highway 421 and state highways 16 and 18 cross the Southern Railway tracks at the southern entrance to North Wilkesboro.

Engineers roughly estimate the cost at between \$50,000 and \$75,000.

W. S. Winslow, hydrographic engineer of the state highway and public works commission was here Friday and attended a call meeting of the board of city commissioners to give information concerning the city's part in the proposal.

He said that the project could be undertaken with funds supplied by the federal government for the specific purpose of eliminating hazardous crossings and that the city's obligation would be to secure the right of way.

Mr. Winslow was presented to the city fathers by J. Gordon Hackett, of this city, highway commissioner for the eighth division.

The engineer said that when the Yadkin bridge was built about five years ago that the crossing over the railroad was included in the plans but sufficient funds were not then available and the bridge fill was extended to a point in the old road just below the railroad crossing.

If the project now under advisement is constructed it would extend from the intersection of B and Tenth Streets to a point on the bridge fill about 200 feet from the north end of the bridge.

The city board asked that the engineers send plans for the project showing what right of way would be necessary.

It is understood that the bridge over the railroad would also span A street, which would be lowered at the intersection of Tenth and A streets in order to provide sufficient clearance.

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When people pay their dollar each to the Red Cross during the annual roll call beginning November 11 they are aiding needy people at home as well as helping to build up a national fund for use in time of disaster.

The most recent example of local help by the Red Cross was only a few weeks ago when several families along the Yadkin were forced out of their homes by flood waters.

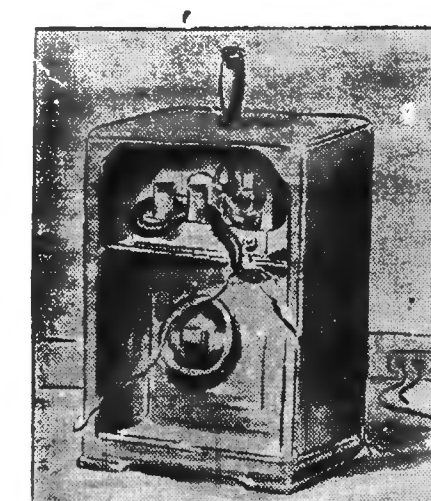
The Wilkes chapter of the Red Cross helped to rehabilitate these families and helped them to replace provisions and furnishings which were destroyed.

During the drought years a few years ago the Red Cross furnished large quantities of flour and other provisions to needy people in the county.

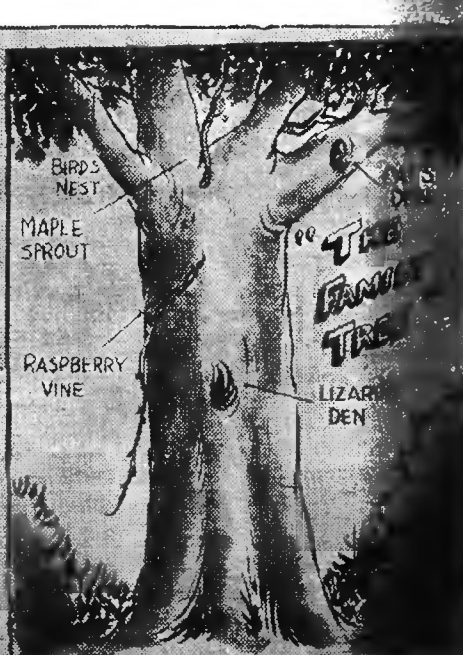
Thus local citizens are encouraged to join the Red Cross and have a part in financially backing the "World's Greatest Mother."

The annual roll call will begin on Thursday, November 11, and continue until Thanksgiving Day, November 25, two weeks in which to make the membership contribution of one dollar or as much additional as anyone may wish to give.

ODD FACTS IN CAROLINA



MRS ROY MORHORN, ROANOKE RAPIDS, FOUND A BLACK SNAKE, SEVERAL FEET IN LENGTH, COILED AROUND THE TUBES OF A CABINET RADIO IN HER BEDROOM.



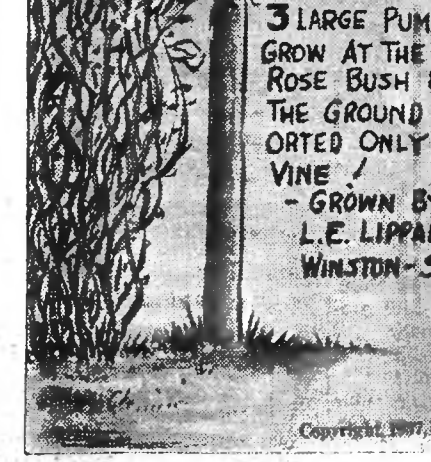
A MULBERRY TREE WHICH IN THE YARD OF E. W. PERRY, KINCHELOE, CONTAINS THE FOLLOWING: A MAPLE SPROUT FROM THE TREE 12 FEET ABOVE GROUND, A RASPBERRY VINE FROM THE SIDE OF A CAT WITH 3 KITTENS IN A LIMB, A BIRD'S NEST WITH AN EGG AND A LIZARD'S DEN IN THE GROUND.



ELWOOD, ELTON, ELVA, ELBERT, ELNORA, EBERT, ELOISE, EZETA, EZEKIEL, JR., ERB AND EARLIE ARE CHILDREN OF MR EZEKIEL AND MRS ELEANOR GALLOP, WANCHESE, ALL MEMBERS OF THE FAMILY, INCLUDING THE HUSBANDS AND WIVES OF THE 6 MARRIED CHILDREN, AND THE 8 GRANDCHILDREN HAVE BLUE EYES EXCEPT ONE SON IN-LAW AND HIS CHILD.



A 15 FT LIMB, 1 FT IN DIAMETER, FELL ON A BABY WHO WAS SITTING IN THE YARD IN A HIGH CHAIR. THE CHAIR WAS BROKEN INTO 21 PIECES WHILE THE BABY WAS UNHURT - NOT EVEN A SCRATCH. (THE CHAIR WAS MADE OF OAK) AARON SPENCER, 7 MONTHS OLD SON OF CARL SPENCER.



3 LARGE PUMPKINS WHICH GROW AT THE TOP OF A ROSE BUSH 8 FT. FROM THE GROUND ARE SUPPORTED ONLY BY THE VINE! - GROWN BY MRS L. E. LIPPARD, WINSTON-SALEM.

WATER RUN DIRECTIONS ON THE RAILROAD SWANANOA A SHEVILLE

Dr. Kohl Ulrich Dies In Miami

Friends in North Wilkesboro will be saddened to learn of the death of Dr. T. Kohl Ulrich at the home of his parents in Fort Lauderdale, Florida, on October third, after a prolonged illness. He had been ill with endocarditis.

Dr. Ulrich, who spent his boyhood in North Wilkesboro, went to Miami twelve years ago and practiced dentistry in Florida since that time. He was buried in the family burial plot near East Bend, North Carolina last Thursday.

The pall bearers were his boyhood friends, Dr. Jule Deans, Messrs. William Absher, James Hauser and Jimmy Anderson, of North Wilkesboro and his cousins, Messrs. Plint Taylor, of East Bend, and Wayne Matthews, of Winston-Salem, N. C.

Besides his parents, Dr. Ulrich is survived by his wife, Gladys L. of Tampa, Fla., two sons, Teddy and Kenneth and two sisters, Mrs. Harry L. Warnke and Mrs. Robert T. Ross, all of Rutherford, New Jersey.

First Red Cross Member Resident Rural Community

To Edgar Miller, citizen of the Edgewood community of Wilkes county, goes the honor of being the first Wilkes county member of the American Red Cross during the 1937 annual roll call.

Although the roll call does not begin officially until Thursday of this week, Mr. Miller handed a dollar to a chapter official Saturday, November 5.

Wanting Laborers For Road Project

Employment Service Able to Place Many On Hunting Creek Road

James M. Anderson, head of the employment service office here, said today that the office is expecting a call for several laborers on the Hunting Creek highway project and urged registration of all persons who desire this type of work and who can reach the project.

He also announced that the employment service will be closed on Thursday, November 11, which is a state holiday.

Try Fertilizers On Tobacco Crop

Two Demonstrations Carried Out In Wilkes This Year By Extension Service

H. C. Monroe, extension tobacco specialist, spent a few days in Wilkes last week checking fertilizer demonstrations under tobacco crops on farms of H. C. Roberts and Coy Durham.

LOCAL BANKS WILL BE CLOSED THURSDAY

The Northwestern Bank and the Bank of North Wilkesboro will observe a holiday on Thursday, November 11.

Advance notice of the holiday is made in order that no one may be inconvenienced.

District Meeting Episcopal Women

Will Be Held at St. Jaul's Church on Friday; Good Program Planned

District meeting of Woman's Auxiliary of Diocese of Western North Carolina, will be held in St. Paul's Episcopal church in Wilkesboro Friday, November 12, beginning with a celebration of the Holy Communion at 10:30 a. m. The highlight of the program will be an address at 12:00 o'clock noon by Rt. Rev. Hiram Richard Hulise, of the Missionary district of Cuba. The public is invited to hear Bishop Hulise, who is an interesting speaker.

Many Diocesan Officers together with Bishop and Mrs. Gribbin from Asheville, will be present.

Lions Added To Menagerie Show At Forester's

Forester Nu-Way Service, known far and wide for its menagerie of strange, odd and curious animals, has a major addition in the form of three African Lions.

The Lions were purchased by Mr. Forester only a few days ago and already have been viewed by many people who stopped at the station.

Two males and one female, of the large man-eating type of jungle beasts, make up the trio. These "kings of beasts" are being kept secretly behind the barn in case and the public is invited to see them and the many other animals without cost or obligation.