

WILKESBORO, N. C., THURSDAY, NOV. 25, 1937 \$1.50 IN THE STATE, 50 CENTS OUT OF THE STATE

Late News Of State-Nation Told Briefly

HOSPITALS HELPED

Charlotte, Nov. 23.—The 12th annual report of the hospital section of the Duke endowment, released today, showed assistance had been given during the year to 124 hospitals in the Carolinas.

HE WAS SUCCESSFUL

Wilmington, Nov. 23.—When Rudolph Poluzzi, 27-year-old butcher, committed suicide today, he swallowed poison, stabbed himself with a knife and then hung himself to a cellar beam.

NEEDS NO PARACHUTE

Boston, Nov. 23.—While working on the 12th floor of the new Suffolk county courthouse annex today, John Elio, a riveter, plunged to the ground. His fall broken by a seventh floor staging, Elio suffered only a leg fracture.

WOMAN IS BURNED

Wilmington, Nov. 23.—Mrs. Porter Nabbe, 59, of Tadmor county, was seriously burned this morning when her clothing ignited from flames in an open grate in her home. Her face and most of her body were deeply seared. She was brought by ambulance to the hospital here for emergency attention, and her condition is serious.

TAKES WHOLE OUTFIT

Houston, Nov. 23.—Rev. Robert Lee Grundy, 86-year-old negro, applied for a marriage license. "I'm taking over the pastorate of my late friend, Rev. William Gilliam, and I'm taking it over lock, stock and barrel," he explained. He got a license to wed Ella Gilliam, 70, his friend's widow.

A CLOSE SHAVE

Palm Springs, Calif., Nov. 23.—A knife slayer by Dorothy Le...

Four strikes closed the wound in Armbainbaud's right arm. Miss Lamour slipped as she started to hurl the knife at a tree trunk at the foot of which sat Actor Ra, Milland. The knife was supposed to strike near Milland's head in a "close-up" scene.

CLEAR UP MYSTERY

Washington, Nov. 23.—President Roosevelt cleared up a minor mystery tonight by announcing that his recently extracted tooth was located "in number three hole at on the starboard side." Previously it was not known which of the President's molars had been taken from his lower jaw. The President did not disclose what happened to the tooth. He said he might announce its whereabouts at the annual Gridiron Club dinner next month.

TWO FLIERS KILLED

San Diego, Calif., Nov. 23.—Two navy fliers were killed late today when their bombing plane crashed at Benson's dry lake, 59 miles east of here. United States fleet air headquarters at North Island reported. The dead were: Lieut. Vernon R. Hahn, pilot, Coronado, and G. M. Keller, seaman second class. The plane apparently lost a piece of cowling and went into a dive from about 3,500 feet, the report stated. A navy board of investigation will meet tomorrow.

NEW TAX FORMULA

Washington, Nov. 23.—A new tax formula, designed to help both big and little business, took firm outline today in response to the loud congressional clamor for legislation to improve economic conditions. While the house saw a renewed drive for enactment of wage and hour legislation and the senate began debate on the crop control bill, the house subcommittee on taxation reached its most important decision of the session to date. Tentatively, it agreed upon a plan which would all but abandon the much-debated tax on the profits which a corporation retains to put back into its business or to provide a cash dividend.

Box Supper At Mulberry School

The public is cordially invited to attend the box supper at Mulberry school, Friday night, December 3, at 6:30 o'clock. The proceeds will be given to Fairview Baptist church to complete payment for the rooms recently...

Large Number Of Cards Filled Out In Jobless Count During Past Week

Total Of 326 Classified As Acceptable Mailed At Post-office Here

175 ARE QUESTIONABLE

Farmers and Regular Workers Swell Total of Cards Mailed Here

A total of 326 returns of unemployment census cards classed as acceptable were mailed through the North Wilkesboro postoffice, it was learned today from Postmaster J. C. Reins. Cards to be filled out by unemployed and part time workers were delivered by the postal service to homes in the city and near-by communities on November 16. Mr. Reins said that extra help was used in order to deliver them to homes not on city carrier routes and to homes around the city.

In addition to the 326 classed as acceptable 175 cards were mailed and classed as questionable. It developed that many people who are employed filled out the cards, evidently thinking that filling out the cards would aid in helping to find a better job.

Others among the questionable class included farmers who have never worked regularly except at home and who have the "biggest job in the world." The local postoffice offered every cooperation and postal employees assisted many in filling out their cards. Cards were filled out by 53 WPA workers and by 25 members of Civilian Conservation camps.

Sheriff Doughton Committee Here

Governor Appoints Chairman For Each County; Will Name Members

The Governor's Hospitality Committee has been expanded to include every county in North Carolina as a result of the appointment by Governor Clyde R. Hoey of 100 county chairmen, who in turn will appoint the members of the county hospitality committees. Sheriff Claude T. Doughton was appointed chairman of the Wilkes county committee.

Each county hospitality committee will cooperate with the Governor's Hospitality Committee, which is composed of all the members of the State Board of Conservation and Development, in attempting to arouse a greater degree of interest among the people of the state in showing real North Carolina hospitality to all who come here from other states, either as tourists or permanent residents.

Governor Hoey and those who have been cooperating with him in the state advertising campaign, are convinced that the state should do everything possible to induce visitors to return to the state again and again and that they will not become "repeaters" unless the people they come in contact with while here the first time show a spirit of hospitality and friendliness. He feels that that while the advertising program now being pushed by the Department of Conservation and Development will bring tens of thousands to North Carolina who have never visited the state before, it will be dependent upon the people with whom these visitors come in contact while here, as to whether they return or eventually become North Carolina residents.

As soon as the county chairmen name their hospitality committees, a comprehensive program will be presented to these committees by the state committee which is expected to bring about cooperation from every section of the state. Each county committee will be urged to work with all organizations and persons who in any way come in contact with the traveling public and to enlist their interest and support in making North Carolina the "friendly state."

The Unicorn fish carries a single horn on its head.

Helps Conquer Measles



Broadhurst Professor of Bacteriology, Columbia, announces the location of the virus causing measles, one of the most common communicable diseases. Doctors may now identify and isolate cases several days earlier than before, thus detecting carriers and opening way to control and prevention of the disease by vaccines.

Begin Work On Excavation For School Building

Work Started Monday On WPA Project In Wilkesboro; 20 On Job

Ground was broken Monday for the ten-room addition to the Wilkesboro school plant. It was a happy occasion for the many patrons of the school who had been asking that additional building facilities be provided to alleviate the crowded condition in the school. However, it is not expected that the new building will be ready for occupancy during the present term.

The building is being erected about two-thirds of the total cost and the remainder by the county, which has some funds on hand. The total cost of the building will be approximately \$35,000, according to WPA estimates.

A crew of about 20 laborers were put to work digging the excavation and T. D. Heffner, WPA district engineer, said that a full crew of men will be worked each work day.

North Wilkesboro Team Wins Over Wilkesboro By Decisive Score 20-0

With both teams playing their best game of the season North Wilkesboro high school's Mountain Lions won over Wilkesboro's Ramblers by the decisive score of 20 to 0 Wednesday afternoon.

It was Wilkes county's annual football classic and the boys on the north side of the Yadkin really went to town with that ball, although the game was a far better contest than the score would indicate.

The boys played fast and several times the Ramblers staged attacks that were flashy and good for first downs but never for a touchdown. North Wilkesboro held the edge in both offense and defensive play, although both teams worked the air attack to much advantage and both were somewhat weak on aerial defense.

"Open House" At Coca-Cola Plant

Will be Friday and Saturday Afternoons at Company's Enlarged Plant

The North Wilkesboro Coca-Cola Bottling company will be host at an "Open House Party" at the company's newly enlarged and remodeled plant on the corner of Tenth and C streets on Friday afternoon two to eight p. m. and on Saturday afternoon one to five p. m.

Everybody is invited to visit the plant during the hours named above and Coca-Cola will be served free to all visitors both afternoons.

10 Sons And One Daughter Names Ending With 'O'

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith, of Gilreath, are parents of 11 children, 10 living and one dead. All the children's names end in "O".

Their names are Atto, Roscoe, Alphonse, Plato, Tedro, Brisco, Wisco, Gemio, Fesco, Leo and Cleo.

Another odd fact about the family is that there were ten sons, Cleo being the only girl in the family. The deceased was one of the sons.

Orchard Research Station Is Started On The Brushies

J. E. Pardue Has Contract For Construction Laboratory Building

Work was begun this week in preparation for the erection of a research station and laboratory at Kilby's Gap on the Brushies, it was learned today from Carl E. Van Deman, specialist who has been placed in charge of the station for orchard research work.

The station will be located in the heart of the thermal belt on the Brushies, now being recognized as one of the most suitable places in the nation for apple growing.

Mr. Van Deman's task will be to learn more of the problems that confront orchardists in this section and ways of profitably fighting the varied and sundry pests that continually plague apple producers.

The station will be a part of the State College experiment work and is under supervision of State College. Mr. Van Deman is a graduate of Cornell university and has many years of actual experience in orchard work.

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Surviving are the father and mother, one brother, Robert, and one sister, Ruth Johnson.

Funeral service was held Tuesday afternoon at Walnut Grove church near the home.

Miss Hartley Good Student At ASTC

At the close of the Fall Quarter the Senior Class of one hundred and fifty members of the Appalachian State Teachers College undertook to select by ballot the ten outstanding members of their class, six to be chosen from the young women and four from the young men. The distinguishing qualities were to be good classwork, thoughtfulness, and the exercise of good judgment. When the ballot was completed, two young women had tied for position, so the number was increased by taking both of these.

The following were selected: Dwayne Thompson, Lucille Hartley, Daisy Kay Williams, Roscoe Buckland, Lucy Little, Nell McSwain, Bernard Murdoch, Margaret Wray, Jack Gibbs, Nell Curtis and Cynthia Stiles.

Miss Lucille Hartley, of Wilkes county, is one of the honored members. She is a graduate of Wilkesboro high school and Mars Hill Junior College.

Thanksgiving

WE WHO LIVE IN A NATION THAT GIVES ITS PEOPLE FREEDOM, EQUALITY AND JUSTICE... WE WHO KNOW BUT LITTLE WANT—YET ENJOY MANY LUXURIES... WE TO WHOM EVERY DAY BRINGS NEW OPPORTUNITIES... WE WHO HAVE NOT BEEN VISITED BY CATASTROPHE... WE WHO HAVE THE OPPORTUNITIES TO MAKE OF OUR LIVES WHAT WE WILL... WHOSE LAND IS ONE OF PEACE NOT MARRED BY WARS AND NOT DISRUPTED BY VIOLENT INTERNAL CONFLICT... WE WHO HAVE BEEN PRIVILEGED TO LIVE ANOTHER YEAR IN THIS GREATEST COUNTRY OF ALL, JOIN OUR HEARTS IN GIVING THANKS ON THIS DAY, COMMEMORATING THE SPIRIT OF THANKFULNESS OUR FOREFATHERS EVINCED FOR THEIR NEW LAND IS SURELY AN OCCASION WELL WORTH OUR CELEBRATING.

100 Miles Of Parkway Now Open For Travel

Work of placing a hard surface on the 100 miles of Blue Ridge Parkway grade which has been completed in North Carolina and Virginia will be undertaken in the spring of 1938, according to information from the office of the national park service.

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Farmers Asked To Attend Meetings

Farmers who wish to plan their 1938 work so as to get the maximum in farm improvement and the maximum cash benefit payments from the government should attend one or more of the meetings to be held in the very near future, at which times and places County Agent Dan Holler and others interested will explain the 1938 farm program.

The schedule of meetings is as follows: Mt. Pleasant school house, Nov. 29th, 7:30 p. m.; Millers Creek school house, Nov. 30th, 7:30 p. m.; Mountain View school house, Dec. 1st, 7:30 p. m.; Traphill school house, Dec. 2nd, 7:30 p. m.; Ronda school house, Dec. 3rd, 7:30 p. m.

Monday, Dec. 6th, Boomer school house, Ferguson school house and Moravian Falls school house.

Tuesday, Dec. 7th: Parsonville school house, Wilbar school house and Vannoy school house.

Wednesday, Dec. 8th: Mulberry school house, Walnut Grove school house and Austin school house.

Thursday, Dec. 9th: Pleasant Ridge school house, Benham school house and Roaring River school house.

Friday, Dec. 10th: Chatham school house, Temple school house, and Mt. Sinai school house.

Probation Officer Faces Big Task In Checking Over 100 From Federal Term

Court Adjourned In Wilkesboro Wednesday Until Tuesday

SEVERAL SENTENCED Judge Hayes Presides Over Several Jury Trials; Many Liquor Cases

Federal court in Wilkesboro today completed trial of criminal cases and adjourned until Tuesday morning, November 30, at which time civil cases will be called for trial.

Judge Johnson J. Hayes presided over court since Thursday of the first week, having been ill prior to that time.

In his absence Judge Cecil Wyche, of Spartanburg, S. C., presided and disposed of a large number of cases. He meted out many suspended sentences and placed a large number under probation.

The lightest sentences meted out by Judge Wyche were to Paul Clark, W. H. Kay and J. E. Joines, liquor law offenders who were ordered into custody of the marshal for 30 minutes. A longer sentence was given Albert Jennings, he being placed in custody for a whole hour.

Several jury trials were heard since Judge Hayes resumed his duties and some offenders were sentenced to prison in Atlanta, some to the industrial reformatory in Chillicothe, Ohio, and others to jail for varying terms.

Judging by records of the court and information gained from Probation Officer Osteen it appears that many liquor law offenders have been given a chance, especially during the past week.

Based on information from the term was approximately 100, among which are several placed on temporary probation until the next term of court, which will be held in May, 1938.

Despite the large number and the magnitude of the Probation Officer Osteen said that he will check each case carefully with a view of finding out whether or not they live up to the conditions of probation.

The terms of probation are as follows: (a) Refrain from the violation of any State and Federal penal laws. (b) Live a clean, honest and temperate life. (c) Keep good company and good hours. (d) Keep away from all undesirable places. (e) Work regularly. When out of work, notify your Probation Officer at once. (f) Do not leave or remain away from the city or town where you reside without permission of the Probation Officer. Notify your Probation Officer at once if you intend to change your address.

(g) Contribute regularly to the support of those for whose support you are legally responsible. (h) Follow the Probation Officer's instructions and advice. The Probation Law gives him authority to instruct and advise you regarding your recreational and social activities. (i) Report promptly on the dates set forth. If for any unavoidable reason you are unable to do so, communicate with your Probation Officer without delay.

More complete news of court proceedings will appear in The Journal-Patriot Monday.

Thanksgiving Day Quietly Observed

Turkey Dinners, Football Games and Hunting Are Attractions

With employees of business houses enjoying one of their few holidays of the year, it is expected that Thanksgiving Day will be quietly observed here. Thanksgiving services will be held in some churches in the county.

The traditional turkey dinner will no doubt be enjoyed in many homes. Some have planned to attend football games at Chapel Hill, where Carolina and Virginia play, and in Charlotte, where Wake Forest and Davidson meet in their annual contest. Some ninnyards will take to the fields in search of game.