

Honor Mention Given Students For Good Work

The first six-weeks period of the current school term of the North Wilkesboro high school closed last Friday. Reports released yesterday show a good percentage of attendance and a corresponding good percentage of pupils successfully carrying their load of studies.

The figures released yesterday show 295 pupils in average daily attendance in the high school, for a percentage of slightly more than 97. The Journal-Patriot wishes to join with the school in extending congratulations to the entire student body. Particularly commendable have been the activities of the following persons: For excellence in scholarship: Alice Wells, Paul Haigwood, Dorothy Jennings, Henry Landon, Betty Halfacre, Helen Phillips, Betty Rhodes, Hill Carlton, Carl Coffey, Ward Eshelman, Josephine Martin, Bill Halfacre, Mary Moore Hix, Sammy Black.

For valuable assistance in the conduct of the library, James Hinton, Billie Wade Estes, Robert Bowers, Annie Ruth Blankenship, Billy Moore, Elsie Faye Foster, Nell Hall.

For decided improvement in attitude and accomplishment over previous records, Elsie Butner, Thomas Caudill, Robert Johnson, Wayne Hall, Charles Kelly, Charles Shatley, Walter Call, John Tugman, Bob Day.

For carrying an extra heavy load of studies and being successful in all of them, we recognize Mable Johnson, Sibyl Deal, Sibyl Hinchey, Frances Bowman, Marie Hall, Wanda Kerley, Estelle Reynolds, Sherwin Turner, Catherine Brewer, Grant Stewart, Jeanne Moore, Frances Finley, Martha Lou Frazier, Joyce Kirby, Frances Rousseau, Hope Allen, Peggy Nichols, Clarice Snelson.

Autumn Season Painting Time

Wood Is Thoroughly Dried Out In Fall

Spring remains the most popular season for exterior and interior painting, but many painters believe the reasons for this are psychological rather than practical.

If practical conditions, such as weather, temperature, and humidity, were the only factors involved, painters say, it would probably be found that in most sections there are more days of favorable painting weather in the Autumn season than in Spring.

Home owners who wish to paint their homes before Winter weather starts should launch their work immediately. Funds for the work may be obtained from qualified lending institutions under the Modernization Credit Plan of the Federal Housing Administration.

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The Week's News Of Millers Creek

Archie Thomas is the name of a son born to Mr. and Mrs. Parks Nichols on October 7. He is the first and only grandson of Mr. Tommy Nichols, aged 75, who is the son of "Aunt Beryl" Nichols, who died last May at the age of 93.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Gilreath and daughters, Bertha and Margie, also Mr. Fred Harrington and Miss Eugenia Harrington, all of Taylorsville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bumgarner on last Sunday.

Rev. J. M. Wall and Revs. J. L. A. and S. W. Bumgarner are attending the annual conference at Greensboro from Wednesday till Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Haggie Faw and Mrs. Monroe Faw recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Gus Kirby in Augusta, Georgia.

Friendship church is receiving a new coat of paint. Considerable inside work is being done, also, to make the classwork of the church more efficient.

A large crowd of people attended the funeral of Mrs. R. T. Lovette at Arbor Grove Tuesday. Taking part in the funeral were Revs. Dan Dennis, of Asheville; A. W. Eller, J. L. A. and S. W. Bumgarner, and Pastor J. M. Wall.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Bumgarner, their daughter, Iris Carroll, and sons, M. F. Junior, and George, visited relatives in Ronda last Sunday afternoon.

On last Sunday night Rev. Raymond Templeton, of Mooresville, preached at Friendship church to a large congregation.

Advices Selection Trees To Be Cut For Fuel Supply

Farmers in this section find that it pays to begin making plans for fall and winter cutting of fuelwood, poles, and saw logs from their woodlands as soon as the harvesting of crops is completed, according to P. W. Edwards, of the Soil Conservation District Work Unit at Wilkesboro.

Care to utilize crooked and diseased trees for fuelwood needs, it is pointed out, will release the better and stronger trees for future woodland income for the farmer.

With dry weather usually occurring at this time and the trees shedding their leaves, the danger of fires damaging farm woodlands is increased, according to Edwards, who further points out that landowners and tenants should exercise care to prevent fires and suppress any that might occur during this danger period.

Now is a good time, farmers find, to begin making plans also on farms having a shortage of wood for actual needs. Although it is too early actually to begin tree planting, areas may be selected where seedling trees can be planted as soon as the dormant tree season arrives.

The quality of the Wayne county hay crop has been described as the best in recent years by Farm Agent C. S. Mintz of the State College Extension Service.

Prelate Succumbs



George Cardinal Mundelein, head of the Roman Catholic archdiocese of Chicago, strenuous foe of Hitlerism and the only cardinal ever appointed in this country west of the Atlantic seaboard, pictured in Chicago shortly before his recent death.

Electric Lights Must Be Properly Located

Electricity is a blessing to farm people when properly used, but bright lights improperly located and shaded can cause as much damage to eyesight as the dim lighting of the oil lamps says D. E. Jones, rural electrification specialist of the State College Extension Service. It is especially important that proper lighting be had for reading, sewing, and other activities that require close seeing, he said.

One of the chief enemies of good lighting is glare. It injures the eye, increases fatigue, affects the nervous system, distracts attention, and lowers speed at which the eye operates, the specialist declared.

He lists four types of glare most prevalent in homes: (1) Direct glare which comes from unshaded or insufficiently shaded lamps which shine directly in the eyes. The common practice of using bare lamps is bad. Light from a bare lamp is never an aid to vision, as well as being ugly.

(2) Reflected glare occurs when an undiffused light falls on a bright and glossy surface and is reflected into the eyes. The reaction is identical with that of direct glare.

(3) Glare by contrast, which is caused by high intensity against dark backgrounds.

(4) Glare by volume. An unshaded electric lamp is too brilliant to look at comfortably. All light fixtures and portable lamps should be well shaded to eliminate glare and shadows. Lamps of sufficient wattage should be used so that there is enough light for one to see clearly without eye strain.

"According to its use, electric lighting may be helpful or harmful," Jones emphasized.

Grange County 4-H Club work for the new year got underway with the reorganization of the Murphy Club, reports Assistant Farm Agent Joe N. Howard, Jr.

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FOR PREPARATION

Washington, Oct. 17.—President Roosevelt is expected to send to Congress early in the regular session, or as soon as possible after the neutrality bill is out of the way, recommendations for the biggest military preparedness program in the nation's peacetime history. Inking of the administration's plans came to light in President Roosevelt's press conference this afternoon. In response to questions, the President declared himself in favor of a completely adequate navy and revealed that a program of recommendations for naval expansion is being worked out inside the administration.

Foliage of velvet and soybeans has been damaged severely this fall in Bladen county by the army worm, reports Assistant Farm Agent R. M. Williams.

SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN THE SUPERIOR COURT BEFORE THE CLERK

Docie Whitley
H. L. Whitley, Gilbert Whitley, L. E. Whitley, R. C. Whitley, Mrs. S. N. Adams, Mrs. S. F. Johnson, Mrs. Ethel Rothrock, Mrs. V. Whitley, widow, Mabel Cheek and Robert Cheek and Mrs. V. Whitley, by their Guardian Ad Litem, J. F. Jordan.

By virtue of authority contained in a certain judgment of the Superior Court of Wilkes County, in a certain matter entitled "Docie Whitley against H. L. Whitley, Gilbert Whitley et als," conferred upon the undersigned commissioner, authorizing and directing said commissioner to re-advertise and sell the lands hereafter described to satisfy the judgment in this cause, the undersigned commissioner will on the 8th day of November, 1939, at 12 o'clock Noon, at the courthouse door in Wilkesboro, North Carolina, offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate:

FIRST TRACT: Beginning on a whiteoak, M. D. Jordan's North-west corner, running North 57 degrees 10 poles to a stone in Z. T. Higgins line, thence South 25 degrees West 31 poles to W. V. Brewer's Northeast corner a spanish oak; thence South 41 poles to a stone, W. V. Brewer's corner, thence West with Shumate's old line 56 poles to Richmond Sparks corner; thence South 57 poles to a black-gum, I. N. Bauguess corner; thence East with I. N. Bauguess line 78 poles to a spanish oak; thence North 57 poles to the beginning, containing 38 acres, more or less.

SECOND TRACT: Beginning on a hickory running a Southerly

direction 4 poles to the Mouth of the brook; then South with the brook to the head; then the same direction to H. H. Brewer's line a post oak 60 poles; then West 98 poles with the said Brewer's line to a red oak near a road; then East 80 poles to a pine; then South 78 poles to the beginning, containing 60 acres, more or less.

THIRD TRACT: Beginning on two double whiteoaks, North 15 degrees West 86 poles to a rock; then West 84 poles to a pine corner of Lot No. 2; South 61 poles to a persimmon tree on the bank of a small brook; then West 40 poles to a rock; South 15 degrees West 12 poles to a rock; then West 24 poles to a rock in Mary Rhodes line; South 6 poles to a stake; North 20 poles; East 84 poles to North Vert'n Whitley's own line; then North 87 degrees East 62 poles to a stake in his own line; then North 4 degrees East 25 poles to a rock in Calvin Combs line; North 17 poles to a hickory; East 25 poles with Calvin Combs line to the whiteoak corner, the beginning, containing 27 acres, more or less.

FOURTH TRACT: Beginning on said Blackburn's East corner in said Whitley's line; running North with said line 52 poles to a persimmon on the bank of the road; then Westwardly with the road 25 1-2 poles to a rock on the bank of said road; South 48 poles to a rock in said Whitley's line; East with said line 25 1-2 poles to the beginning, containing 8 1-2 acres, more or less.

FIFTH TRACT: Beginning on a whiteoak on the East side of a small branch 20 poles to two saw-woods; South 4 poles to a black-oak; South 70 degrees East 30 poles to a blackgum in Eli Brewer's line; North 20 poles to a red-oak; East 4 poles to a spanish oak; North 12 poles to a pine; West 54 poles to the beginning, containing 8 acres, more or less.

SIXTH TRACT: Beginning on a hickory running East 20 poles to a double cucumber; then North 12 poles to a red oak in the old line; then West 16 poles to a pine; then South 10 poles to the first station, containing 2 1-4 acres, more or less.

SEVENTH TRACT: Beginning on a white oak close to the Church Spring in Virlin Whitley's own line, running South 86 degrees West 10 poles to a bunch of sour-wood sprouts; North 10 degrees West 17 poles to a rock; North 45 degrees East 20 poles to a rock; North 80 degrees East 24 poles to a rock; North 87 degrees East 62 poles to a rock; North 48 degrees East 25 poles to a rock in Cal Combs line; then West with Combs line to S. S. Whitley's line; then West with Whitley's line 73 poles to the corner; then South to the beginning.

This October 16, 1939.
J. H. WHICKER, Jr.
Commissioner.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

State of North Carolina, County of Wilkes
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
Charles W. Darnold, Plaintiff,
vs.
James Latta, Defendant.
The defendant above named, will take notice that an action entitled as above, has been commenced in the Superior Court of Wilkes County, North Carolina, and will take notice that the plaintiff has taken notice that the defendant has caused a warrant of attachment to be issued against the defendant and the Sheriff of Wilkes County has attached under warrant all property of the defendant in this county and will take notice that the plaintiff is seeking to recover the defendant the sum of Two thousand dollars (\$2,000) as damages for personal injuries and the sum of Five hundred dollars (\$500) as damages to personal property. Plaintiff alleging that said damage was caused by the negligence of the defendant and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the Office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Wilkes County, at the County Courthouse at Wilkesboro, North Carolina, on the 8th day of November, 1939 and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 7th day of Oct., 1939.
C. C. HAYES,
Clerk of the Superior Court

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
Having qualified as Executor of the estate of Mrs. K. Finley, dec'd., late of Wilkes County and State of North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said Estate to present them to the undersigned at his office in North Wilkesboro, N. C., on or before the 12th day of October, A. D. 1940, or this notice will be plead in bar of their right to recover.
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