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**Anniversary Celebration**

Advertising Bureau of North Wilkesboro's Commerce Bureaus is busily engaged laying plans for a 50th anniversary celebration for North Wilkesboro and should have the fullest cooperation possible from every civic group and public spirited individual who is interested in the progress of the city and community.

Citizens of North Wilkesboro have multiple reasons to be proud of the record of their city during its half century of existence and this pride should be incentive to do their part toward making the celebration the outstanding success it deserves.

A meeting is to be held on Thursday night to hear more about plans for the celebration. All civic clubs are asked to be well represented and an open invitation is extended all who are interested to be present.

To make the celebration the success it deserves to be will be a big task and, in our opinion, the public spirited people of the city will unite in their efforts to put the celebration over in such a manner that North Wilkesboro will receive much favorable publicity.

**Thursday**

The newest piece of journalism to reach our desk was a copy of "Thursday", a weekly publication started in Winston-Salem by Bill Sharpe, former news editor of the Twin-City Sentinel and more recently publicity director for the advertising division of the North Carolina Department Of Conservation and Development.

"Thursday" is a unique publication in tabloid size and the first issue had 40 pages filled with news matter very interestingly told and advertisements attractively constructed.

Bill is known throughout the state for his ability as a newspaperman and many will watch his publication with much interest and with every wish for its success.

**The Head Counters**

Within a few weeks the head counters will be around asking a lot of questions. In taking the census the enumerators are going to ask a lot of questions, and the first impression relative to some of them will be "It is none of your business."

But there should be no fear on the part of the persons questioned because the information will be kept confidential and when all is put together the government will have a basis of information upon which to base its policies.

Commenting on the 1940 census, the Morganton News-Herald carried the following editorial:

"April 1st has been set as the date for beginning of the rounds of the census takers and the questions that will be asked in compiling population facts and figures in the decennial count have come in for a lot of discussion, pro and con.

"There may be two sides to the question—there usually is—but citizens in general should remember that there are good reasons behind every query on the census sheet.

"Critics of the setup as established by the census bureau point out that the canvassers are straying a long way from the simple constitutional provision which provides for nothing more complicated than counting heads. They wouldn't mind a few of the questions that census takers intend to ask citizens, but they think Uncle Sam is going a little too far when he sets out to discover intimate details about family life.

"On the other hand, from the viewpoint of the census bureau, the questions to be asked are not designed to embarrass heads of households, nor to snoop purposelessly into private matters. All that's wanted is more data on American life than has ever been collected before with a view toward establishing a rich fund of statistics on resources. Theoretically, every scrap of information gathered will be held as strictly confidential.

"We have no doubt but that the canvassers selected for Burke county will be considerate and courteous and will hold the facts they gather as private and confidential—for purposes of record only.

"How can social and economic advances be brought about, it should be remembered unless the people interested know to what extent change is needed? How can

America know what America needs unless exhaustive and authoritative figures are on file? And what opportunity is there to collect such data outside the census?"

**The Neighbor**

Life is made up, not of great sacrifices or duties, but of little things, in which smiles and kindnesses and small obligations, given habitually, are what win and preserve the heart and secure comfort.—Sir Humphrey Davy, English chemist.

Who is thy neighbor? He whom thou hast power to aid or bless; Whose aching heart or burning brow thy soothing hand may press.

Thy neighbor? 'Tis the fainting poor whose eye with want is dim. Oh, enter thou his humble door, with aid and peace for him.

Thy neighbor? He who drinks the cup when sorrow drowns the brim, With words of high sustaining hope, go thou and comfort him.

Thy neighbor? 'Tis the weary slave, fattered in mind and limb; He hath no hope this side the grave; go thou and ransom him.

Thy neighbor? Pass no mourner by; perhaps thou canst redeem A breaking heart from misery; go share thy lot with him.

—Author Unidentified.

**Borrowed Comment**

**FINLAND**  
(Baltimore News-Post)

There should be no let-down now in Finnish relief from private sources in this country.

Never did the people of Finland need the help of all humane persons more than at present.

There are hundreds of thousands of Finns homeless—many of them fleeing from Russian-acquired territories.

Herbert Hoover, chairman of the Finnish relief fund, has cabled to President Kallio of Finland that his organization "will continue to do its utmost in service to the Finnish people."

Mr. Hoover's appeal to the American people to continue to meet "the civilian emergencies" which the war and the surrender have brought about should spur to redoubled efforts all who are engaged in this noble work.

The war is over (temporarily at least) in Finland, but the misery has just begun. There are hundreds of thousands of wounded and 600,000 civilians, including 150,000 children, from the evacuated areas that require instant attention.

To this heroic people let us "give till it hurts", as we used to say during the World War.

A dollar for Finland is a dollar for a child or a woman in a land that has done no harm to any but which has, by common consent, been outraged by a brutal and ruthless power without the shadow of a legitimate excuse.

**THE ALLIES AND THE SIT DOWN WAR**  
(Charlotte Observer)

Manifestly, the people of France are not satisfied with the way Daladier has been shaping the policies of the war.

After failing to receive more than half the votes in the French Chamber in a test of confidence, the Premier has resigned in order that a new cabinet may be formed that will be more aggressive and militant.

The same dissent is to be observed with the leadership of Chamberlain in Great Britain.

He has either been miffing so many easy ones or, if not that, Hitler has been sending him out so many that were too hot for him to handle, that the umbrella man finds himself the target of increasing dissidence.

It is by no means unthinkable that he, too, may be forced out of the commandship unless he agrees to do some shaking up of his own cabinet and infuses a little more daring and initiative into his own bones.

The major criticism to be offered, of course, to the policies of the Allies has to do with the lack of aggressive warfare on land and to the reliance of their governments on the ultimate effectiveness of the blockade.

This not only is a policy of vacuity insofar as producing dramatic and tangible results, but there may be a growing fear in these countries of the Allies, rather reasonably based we should think, that their enemies are getting all the better of the argument on this score and that Germany may, as a matter of fact, be able to outlast Great Britain and France in this economic attritional game.

When a man and woman are made one it doesn't take the party of the first part long to discover that the party of the second part is the one.—Pittsburg Gazette.

Oslo, we read, threatens to take the Altmak case to the league; and the league we understand, threatens to take to the woods.—Norfolk-Virginian-Pilot.

Eight Singalese who sold charms "guaranteed to protect the owners from all forms of ill-luck and hardships," at the empire exhibition in Glasgow, Scotland, have applied for relief.—Baltimore Sun.

**Youths Accepted For C. M. T. Camp**

The Camp Area Commander, Third C. M. T. Camp Area, announces that the procurement of enrollees for the C. M. T. Camp at Fort Bragg is progressing satisfactorily. However, there are some backward counties. Each county is given a quota based upon its population. Applications from some counties are already well over the allotted quotas; whereas, some counties are much under the quotas. It is desirable that each county quota be filled, in order that this service of our Government be of equal benefit to all. Should any county fail to fill its quota by April 15, 1940, other counties so desiring will be allowed to over-subscribe and thus fill the camp area's allotment. In the past, some counties have been allowed to enroll as many as three times their allotted quotas.

For the information of eligible young men and their parents, note that the Citizens Military Training Camps are not operated on a basis of financial gain to individuals, but as a service of the United States Government to train future leaders of our great nation. The young men attending these camps are taught the principles of fair play, value of teamwork, fundamentals of patriotism, and the obligations and responsibilities of true Americans. The primary object of these camps is not to turn out soldiers, but to create substantial citizens into whose hands the reins of democracy will eventually fall.

Requirements for attendance are simple. The applicant must be physically fit, of good character, and an American citizen. He must have reached his seventeenth birthday by June 12, 1940 and not have passed his twenty-ninth birthday.

All interested persons are invited to apply to the C. M. T. Camp Area Commander, Fort Bragg, N. C., and an Information Booklet regarding this truly American activity will be forwarded immediately.

Young men, let's go! Special efforts are being made to make this year's camp the most instructive and enjoyable camp ever held.

Wilkes County has 8 vacancies. Let's fill them and thereby reap the benefit of funds allotted our county by the Government for this worthy purpose.

**G. O. P. IS ACTIVE**

Greensboro.—Plans to set up state headquarters in Greensboro immediately and to invite Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg of Michigan, to speak to the North Carolina Young Republicans in Raleigh between May 15 and June 15, were made by officers of that body in session here last night. Edwin M. Stanley, Greensboro attorney, president, was in the chair. Plans were made to launch immediately an intensive campaign drive in every county in North Carolina, and to get into the hands of every young Republican a copy of the booklet, "So You Want to Be a Politician," which is endorsed and distributed by the national unit of Young Republicans.

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**Harvard 'Girls Win Polish Relief Show**

Boston.—The prize in the "battle of glamour" between debutante and professional models was won by a "sneak entry" of female impersonators from Harvard's Hasty Pudding Club.

The team of four begowned models "muscle" into the contest staged for the Polish relief fund and carried off the "honors." The judges fled.

Miss Leslie Blake, who quit the debutante team at the eleventh hour, won a cup for physical perfection, and led the professional team to second place in the "glamour" modeling contest, out-coming of a challenge by the professionals who protested that the society girls were taking their "bread-and-butter jobs" by modeling for nothing.

The four judges, including Cartoonist Peter Arno and Princess Gourielli-Tchkonla (Helena Rubenstein), unanimously favored Miss Blake's team of 12 until intermission.

Then, while the audience exclaimed, four Harvard "girls" stalked to the stage. Before startled attendants could act, it was announced that the Hasty Pudding team had won.

**Woman Hangs Self On 66th Birthday**

Pittsburg, March 18.—Deputy Coroner Stanley Guzanski said Mrs. Charles Bryant hanged herself in her Knoxville home on her sixty-sixth birthday yesterday after leaving a note expressing love for her husband and adding: "Your supper is in the oven, dear."

**SERVICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION**

North Carolina  
Wilkes County.  
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT  
Lena Morgan, Plaintiff  
vs.  
Charlie Morgan, Defendant  
To Charlie Morgan, the defendant:

You are hereby notified that Lena Morgan has begun an action in the Superior Court of Wilkes County, North Carolina against you for an absolute divorce on the grounds of two years separation as permitted by statute and that a copy of said complaint is on file in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Wilkes County, North Carolina.

You are further required to be and appear in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Wilkes County, North Carolina on or before 30 days after 5th day of April, 1940 and answer or demur to the complaint in this cause filed or the relief, therein demanded will be granted.

This 4th day of March, 1940.  
C. C. HAYES, Clerk  
Superior Court, Wilkes County, North Carolina

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**Nazis Renew Drive For Rumanian Oil**

Baghdad, March 18.—Germany's renewed drive for more Rumanian oil and other products opened today with the arrival of Dr. Karl Doehring, top Nazi trade negotiator.

Twenty-eight children under 100 years of age were run over and killed in this state last year.

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