

Brief Local News Items About People You Know

Mrs. T. S. Myers, of Dockery, was a visitor in this city Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson have moved into their new home in the northern part of this city.

Mr. C. B. Grayson, of this city, has accepted a job at the Glenn L. Martin aircraft plant in Baltimore, Maryland.

Mr. E. R. Sturdivant, of West Jefferson, was a business visitor in North Wilkesboro today. He is connected with Reins-Sturdivant funeral home there.

Mrs. Pearl Benton, of Blackstone, Va., and Mrs. Carrie Capano, of Long Island, N. Y., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Brookshire.

DRAMA...overpowering sea tropical hurricane!...
THRILLS...hot-blooded...lusty as life itself!

JACK LONDON'S ADVENTURES OF MARTIN EDEN

with **Glenn FORD** as **CLAUDE TREVOR** and **Evelyn KEYES** as **STUART ERWIN**

Screen play by W. L. Rorer
A SAMUEL GOLDWIN PRODUCTION
Produced by R. F. SCHULBERG
Directed by SIDNEY SALLOW
A COLUMBIA PICTURE

— PLUS —
Latest Issue "March of Time"
"The Argentine Question"

Monday-Tuesday

HOWL!

HENRY FONDA with **DeHAVILLAND** and **JOAN LESLIE** in **"THE MAGE AND THE ANIMAL"**

Warner Bros. hilarious new hit
with **JACK CARSON** - **EUGENE PALLETTE** - **HERBERT ANDERSON** - **ELLIOTT NUGENT**

Today and Friday ALLEN

Notice To TAXPAYERS

Those who have not paid their town taxes for the year 1941 are hereby reminded that **ADDITIONAL PENALTY WILL ATTACH TO SAID TAXES AFTER MAY 1st, 1942.** Pay now and save this additional charge. The penalty increases each month, so the earlier you pay the more you save.

J. F. JORDAN, Tax Collector
TOWN OF WILKESBORO

BY OFFICERS—Nuisance Law Is Cited Here

Police Chief J. E. Walker and Sam T. Hensley, Wilkes county sanitarian, today said complaints had been received of nuisances which endanger health and called attention to state laws on that subject.

The statutes to which they have called attention are as follows:

State Law For Abatement Of Nuisances
(Chapter 62, Sections 12-13, Public Laws 1911)

Sec. 12. Abatement of nuisances.
Whenever and wherever a nuisance shall exist which in the opinion of the county physician or county health officer is dangerous to the public health, it shall be his duty to notify in writing the parties responsible for its continuance, of the character of the nuisance and the means of abating it. Upon this notification, the parties shall proceed to abate the nuisance: Provided, however, that if the party notified shall make oath or affirmation before a justice of the peace of his or her inability to carry out the directions of the county physician or county health officer, it shall be done at the expense of the town, city, or county in which the offender lives. In the latter case the limit of the expense chargeable to the city, town, or county shall not be more than one thousand dollars in any case: Provided further, that nothing in this section shall be construed to give the county physician or county health officer the power to destroy or injure property without a due process of law as now exists for the abatement of nuisances.

Sec. 13. Nuisance: failure to abate.
If any person, firm, corporation, or municipality responsible for the existence and continuance of a nuisance, after being duly notified in writing by the county physician or county health officer to abate said nuisance, shall fail to abate the same for twenty-four hours after such notice prescribed, he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be fined two dollars a day as long as said nuisance remains.

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IN "MARTIN EDEN"



Clare Trevor, left, and Evelyn Keyes are the lovely rivals, who try to tame the adventure-seeking heart of Glenn Ford in Columbia's "Adventures of Martin Eden," which opens Monday at the Allen Theatre with Stuart Erwin. The new romantic drama is based upon Jack London's dynamic, brooding masterpiece. Sidney Salkow directed. The new film was produced by Samuel Bronston and B. P. Schulberg.

WITH THE CHURCHES

Wilkesboro Methodist Church
On Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, the pastor will preach from the subject "A Foolish Exchange," using as his text Genesis 25:33. There will be no evening worship service at the Wilkesboro Methodist church. Church school convenes at 10 a. m. and the Youth Fellowship meets at 7 p. m.

Union Methodist Church
There will be a preaching service at Union Methodist church at 8 p. m., Sunday night. All are urged to attend; visitors welcomed.

FIRST BAPTIST MEETING TO CLOSE FRIDAY NIGHT
Two-weeks series of evangelistic services at the First Baptist church here will close with the services on Friday night, the pastor, Dr. John W. Kancheloe, Jr., said today.

Rev. H. F. Jones, of Appomattox, Virginia, has been preaching inspiring sermons to large congregations throughout the meeting and much interest has been shown. The pastor will preach at morning and evening services at the Church Sunday.

Roy L. McMillan, state Legion commander, and R. Magne Albright, Employment Service director for the state, call on employers to give jobs open to older workers, especially war veterans, in a radio broadcast.

Mr. J. B. Church, of Roaring River, was a business visitor to North Wilkesboro yesterday.

Huge U. S. Force Lands In Australia

The Japanese invader was rapidly cutting Burma apart last night, imminently threatening the isolation of China from all existing effective supply communication with the Allies, and the general gloom of the Allied position in the Pacific-Indian oceans was relieved only by the fact that powerful new American forces had arrived in Australia.

A Chinese communique disclosed that the enemy's spearhead had thrust into the suburbs of Lashio, the railroad of the Burma supply road, and that his flanking movements were at the same time imperiling the Mandalay-Lashio railway further to the southeast about the town of Hsipaw.

This advance to the Lashio area represented a 50-mile movement for the invader from his last reported positions to the south, and it was plain that disaster stood at the very shoulders of the exhausted and vastly outnumbered Chinese and British defenders of all Burma—the bridge between India and China.

Much was lost, terribly more was prospectively lost, but yet not all. For amid the rising crisis for China's corridor, the declaration of President Roosevelt on Tuesday night was recalled with fresh significance.

Excellent opportunities to fill important positions, exist at Panama Canal, the Fourth U. S. Civil Service District announced today. Naval Architects, Engineers, Draftsmen, and Marine Engineers have the chance to earn salaries ranging from \$187.50 to \$333.33 per month. Healthful living quarters at exceptionally reasonable prices and meals are inexpensively obtained at Government operated restaurants. Libraries, motion picture theatres, concerts, civic meetings and club houses provide a diversified means of leisure time activities. In addition, employees are offered transportation from the point of residence to the Canal.

Those qualified who can meet the physical requirements may apply or write for further information to the Secretary, Board of Civil Service Examiners at North Wilkesboro, N. C., or the Manager, Fourth U. S. Civil Service District, 930 F Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

GARLAND DURHAM—50-Year-Old Man Wants To Enlist

Farmer With Family Says He Is Willing To Do Anything Nation Desires

Garland Durham, 50-year-old farmer of the Hays community of Wilkes county, says he is ready for the nation to use him anyway it seems best in the war and that all other men should have the same attitude.

Durham didn't stop Monday at registering in the registration of men from 44 to 65. After registering he went directly to the draft board office here and offered himself for enlistment.

Asked if he wanted to enlist in the armed forces, he said: "Yes, or anywhere else the nation needs me. I'll fight or work. It doesn't make any difference to me". The draft board officials explained that they could not enlist a man of his age and referred him to the army recruiting station in Charlotte.

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NO DIFFERENCE
The only difference between a soldier and an old maid is that the soldier has a uniform and the old maid has a home with the old man.

THIS IS Straw Hat Week

A good collection of straws in various styles and colors . . .

\$1.49 and \$1.98

HARRIS BROS. DEPARTMENT STORE

—BUY WAR BONDS—

.. and now! for those **TWO Great DAYS In her Life Give Her A LANE Cedar HOPE CHEST**

Spring Special
The Girl Graduate and the Spring Bride

This graceful modern Chest in richly matched American Black Walnut will be her cherished gift always!

29.75

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"ONE PIECE OR A HOUSEFULL"
Ninth Street North Wilkesboro, N. C.

• A Small Payment Will Deliver Your Lane Chest •

An Important Message To Our Patrons

Beginning on Wednesday, May 6th, the undersigned beauty parlors and shoppes will close at 12 o'clock noon each Wednesday during the months of . . .

May, June, July and August

All Patrons are Requested to Note Our Closing Period So That They Will Not Be Inconvenienced By This Weekly Half-Holiday.

VOGUE BEAUTY SALON
WISTERIA BEAUTY SALON
GRACE'S BEAUTY SHOPPE
IDEAL BEAUTY PARLOR
HINSHAW SCHOOL OF BEAUTY CULTURE

EMILY BEAUTY SALON
WILKES BEAUTY SHOP
FRAZIER'S BEAUTY SHOPPE
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