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## U. S. SUBMARINE BRINGS HOME GOLDEN BACON



This photograph, released in Washington, shows the actual delivery of the treasure snatched out of Corregidor (before the arrival of the Japs) by a U. S. submarine, whose commander and crew were honored by the army. Stealing into Manila bay under Jap batteries, the sub brought in a cargo of shells and loaded up with gold, silver and securities.

## SAME RATE TENTATIVELY ADOPTED—

# Wilkes Tax Rate To Remain \$1.38

Wilkes county's tax rate for 1942 has been tentatively set by the board of county commissioners at \$1.38 per \$100 assessed valuation of property. This is the same rate as was charged on 1941 taxes and is the rate at which prepayments of 1942 taxes is being accepted in the office of the county accountant, C. G. Poindexter, working out the tax rate

there will be few, if any, changes in the various levies, officials said.

At the present tax rate there will be little difficulty in meeting all expenses in the budget with the exception of the county general fund, which is limited by the state constitution to 15 cents per hundred dollars' valuation.

## LOCAL MARKETS—

### Plan Abattoir Structure Here

Markets Plan Structure To Replace Condemned Slaughter Houses

Preliminary plans are being made for the construction of an abattoir for local markets, Sam T. Hensley, Wilkes county sanitarian, said today.

Mr. Hensley said that he had condemned two slaughter houses in this vicinity a few days ago and that some of the leading markets are planning the erection of an abattoir on a cooperative basis. Blueprints for the structure have been received from the state health department, the sanitarian said.

### Mrs. P. J. Brame's Sister Succumbs

Mrs. George A. Follin, sister of Mrs. Peter J. Brame, died at her home in Jacksonville, Fla., on Saturday, June 13th, after an illness of several months. Mrs. Follin was the youngest daughter of the late Cyrus B. and Amelia Henley Watson, of Winston-Salem, but since her marriage had lived in Florida.

Besides Mrs. Brame, she is survived by her husband; two daughters, Mrs. Ralph E. Snyder and Mrs. Donald Robinson, all of Jacksonville; another sister, Mrs. J. Frank Morris, and a brother, Fred Watson, both of Winston-Salem.

### 2 Men Taken In Still Raid

Two men were placed under bonds of \$500 each in a hearing conducted before J. W. Dula, United States commissioner, in Wilkesboro.

## Use 1,000 Pennies To Buy War Stamps

"Here are 1,000 pennies for war stamps", Beulah and Aline Hayes, of this city, said Saturday as they walked up to the box office of Liberty Theatre.

Receiving the stamps, the two children left happily. "Two good Americans—we are proud of them", said Iva D. Anderson, theatre manager.

## City Park Is Assured

North Wilkesboro commissioners in session with Mayor R. T. McNeil this evening leased the former residential property of the International Shoe company for a city playground and park.

The company graciously donated use of the land, which is beautifully grassed, has shade trees, paved streets and walks, to the city to be used as a park and a lease was executed to make the transaction legal.

Plans for development will be announced later.

## Work Started On Ashe Mica Mines

Equipment for excavating mica on the property of A. G. Wither- spoon, near Jefferson, Ashe county, is now being installed and around 12 men are working there. Work will also soon be started on Fred Little's property and that of L. L. Little, representatives of the George A. Lear company said last week.

## Relief Warehouse Has Been Moved

The Surplus Commodities warehouse, which is operated in connection with the county welfare department and has been located on Main street in Wilkesboro opposite the courthouse, has been moved to the old prison camp building in Wilkesboro. Relief clients will go there to have their surplus commodities orders filled.

# Scrap Rubber Collection Drive Begins

## MAY RECALL SOME— Boards Question Fifty X Carders In Wilkes County

### Rationing Boards Notify 'Questionable' Applicants To Appear Thursday

Both Wilkes rationing boards this week are reviewing the list of gasoline X card holders with the intention of taking X cards from those not entitled to receive them. Each of the two boards is sending letters to about 25 X card holders deemed "questionable" and they are being asked to appear before their respective boards Thursday afternoon for questioning.

The percentage of X card holders in Wilkes is already low, but both boards have several listed which may be recalled, board members said.

New Gasoline Registration Meanwhile, plans are under way for registration for permanent gasoline rationing on July 1, 2 and 3 at the schools of the county. Under the coupon system, which will go into effect July 15, there will be no X cards but every vehicle, including trucks, must have coupons in order to receive gasoline.

## ON SUNDAY— Revival Begins At Church Here

### Rev. Paul Hardin, Jr., Guest Minister For Revival At First Methodist

The revival meeting at the First Methodist church had a good beginning Sunday with a capacity congregation at both the morning and evening services. The Rev. Paul Hardin, Jr. made a fine impression on his listeners at the evening service when he spoke for the first time. The revival will continue through June 24 with services each evening at eight o'clock.

The service Tuesday evening will be sponsored by the Woman's Society of Christian Service; Wednesday by the Youth Fellowship; Thursday by the officers and teachers of the Church School; and Friday evening by the board of stewards and trustees of the church.

Rev. Mr. Hardin will speak to the Kiwanis club Friday at noon and to the Lions club Friday evening.

The Vacation Bible School opened Monday morning with a large representation of children in the Beginners, Primary and Junior departments. Miss Beatrice Pearson is general superintendent of the school.

Save gas—form a car-sharing shopping-group with your neighbors—make one car do the work of five!

## Guest Minister



Rev. Paul Hardin, Jr., pastor of the First Methodist church in Asheboro, is the guest minister for the series of revival services which opened Sunday night at the North Wilkesboro Methodist church and will continue through June 24.

## ONE VOLUNTEER— NYA Comes To Rescue Of The Ration Boards

Wilkes rationing boards called for volunteer workers to do the clerical work of registering people for canning sugar on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday afternoons for three weeks, beginning today.

It did not take long to get over the list of volunteers.

The only volunteer was Mrs. H. B. Smith, of North Wilkesboro.

The National Youth Administration came to the rescue of the rationing boards and assigned some clerical help.

## TO THIS CITY— Navy Recruiters Coming 2 Dates

Representatives of the Salisbury branch office of the naval recruiting service will be at the town hall in this city all day on Friday, June 19, and Monday, June 29, to interview men interested in enlisting in the U. S. Navy or naval reserve.

Many men here have expressed interest in enlisting in the navy and it is expected that they will interview a large number of applicants during their visits here.

Keep the wheels of your car properly aligned—if your wheels "drag", you are wasting gasoline.

## Service Stations To Receive Scrap Rubber Collected

### Drive Asked By President to Ascertain Amount of Rubber Available

#### PRICE 1c POUND

### Money For Rubber Donated Will Go To Red Cross, USO, Service Relief

To find out the truth about the amount of scrap rubber available, a scrap rubber collection campaign begins throughout the nation today and continues until July 1.

Upon the degree of success of the scrap rubber collection drive hinges the fate of many automobiles, whether they will have to be parked for the duration of the war or whether some scrap rubber will be available for recapping tires on cars which are really needed.

Service stations will be receiving places for scrap rubber, making it very convenient for every home, business house and farm to get rid of scrap rubber easily. The price will be one cent per pound.

However, if you wish to donate this rubber, the amount at one cent per pound, will be divided equally between the Red Cross, USO, army relief and navy relief, four very worthy causes. It is expected that a greater part of the scrap will be donated.

The service stations are handling the scrap as a patriotic service and will receive no compensation or profit.

The drive in Wilkes will be under the direction of J. B. Snipes, Wilkes county agent and chairman of the Wilkes Salvage committee. Mr. Snipes received the following telegram from James B. Volger, North Carolina Salvage chairman.

"The president has ordered an all-out drive beginning 12:01 a. m. Monday, June 15th. All gasoline filling stations are instructed to cooperate and act as depots to which citizens can bring scrap. Our Washington department urges all speed in giving publicity to the public by radio and by all newspapers. You are expected to immediately start to work your entire organization on the rubber drive which is to last from June 15th to June 30th, and arrange program to continue on a permanent basis thereafter. Be sure to advise public that all rubber articles: from water hose to automobile tires are accepted and expected in this drive."

Some of the articles made of rubber and containing rubber include the following: old tires and tubes, galoshes, raincoats, rubber shoe soles and heels, tires from old baby carriages and toy vehicles, rubber toys, door and bath mats, rubber drill spouts, insulating materials, garden hose and many other items which can be found about almost any home or farm.

—BUY WAR BONDS—

## GROUP OF NAZIS— SURRENDER TO THE RUSSIANS



This rare photo from Moscow shows an episode in the great war on the Eastern front. A group of German soldiers are raising their hands in surrender while the bodies of regiment mates are strewn around the trench.

## AT THREE POINTS— Registration for Canning Sugar Now Under Way

The registration for canning sugar will be on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday afternoons, one to five o'clock, for three consecutive weeks, beginning on Monday, June 15.

There will be only three registration points. For board number one area registration will be at Wilkesboro school for whites and at Lincoln Heights school for colored.

In board number two area all who wish to make application for

canning sugar will go to the North Wilkesboro town hall.

To make application the applicant must carry ration books for all members of the family, tell the number of quarts canned last season and the number to be canned this year. A reliable party, if given the proper information and authorized to do so, may make application for a neighbor. One member of a family may make the application for the entire family.

## George Ogilvie Vice President Of Young People

George Ogilvie, of Oakwoods, was elected vice president of the Young People's organization of the Presbyterian synod of North Carolina at the Young People's conference held last week at Davidson College.

Young Mr. Ogilvie was the retiring president of the Young People's organization of the Winston-Salem Presbytery.

Others from the North Wilkesboro Presbyterian church attending the conference at Davidson were Misses Peggy Finley, Mary Elmore Finley and Barga Ogilvie.

## BEGINS TUESDAY— Smith Inspector Southern Police

### Former Police Chief Here Gets Top Position In Railway Police Department

F. L. Smith, of Charlotte, a former chief of police of North Wilkesboro, has been promoted to inspector of police of the Southern Railway company and will have headquarters in Washington, D. C.

The promotion to the top position in the police department of Southern will become effective tomorrow, according to the announcement by L. A. Thomas, assistant to the vice president.

Mr. Smith's first police experience was with the Mount Airy police force in 1924 and 1925. During the latter part of 1935 he was appointed North Wilkesboro chief of police, which position he held for five years. From here he went to Forest City as police chief and in a short time joined the Southern Railway department as detective. Promotions were given rapidly and during the past several months he had been captain with headquarters in Charlotte.

Mrs. Smith is the former Miss Beulah Waugh, of this city.

## R. E. Nichols, 69, Claimed By Death

Funeral service was held at Pleasant Grove Baptist church near Buck postoffice for R. Emmet Nichols, age 69, well known citizen of that community who died Thursday. Rev. Ed Hayes and Rev. A. W. Eller conducted the last rites.

Mr. Nichols is survived by his widow, Mrs. Alice Nichols, three sons and two daughters: James Nichols, Wilkesboro; Ted Nichols, Statesville; Lundy Nichols, Wilkesboro; Mrs. Sam Bullis, Buck; Mrs. Fred Nichols, Wilkesboro.

## Late News From Fighting Fronts

### Darwin Balks Japs; Alaskan Danger Seen

Striking two nights in a row, at least eighteen Japanese planes raided the northern Australian city of Darwin yesterday. General MacArthur's headquarters reported today (Monday), while in Washington last night Alaskan delegate Anthony J. Dimond cautioned against a complacent view of the Japanese occupation of Attu.

### Four Shot Down

MacArthur's headquarters reported that the attacking Jap planes were intercepted by Allied fighters and four were destroyed. A force estimated at between 18 and 25 Japanese "Zero" planes was reported in a communique to have been approaching Darwin as an advance guard to a bomber formation. Allied fighters rose to intercept them, broke up their flight and shot down four. Only one Allied plane was lost, and the pilot of that was saved.

### Planes Seen Flying To Russian Crimea

Ankara. — A German bomber has landed in Turkey and its crew has been interned like those of four heavy U. S. Bombers which were forced down in this neutral country while reportedly returning to Syrian bases from a destructive raid in the Rumanian oil fields, it was learned last night.

### Fuel Detonations

A dispatch by the Turkish news agency, Anatolia, said detonations from the Crimea could be plainly felt at the town of Ineboli, closest point in Turkey to the Russian peninsula. Authoritative quarters said only four American bombers had been forced down in Turkey instead of six or seven as previously reported, the error being due to the fact that others flew over this country at a very low altitude but apparently crossed the border into Syria.

### Soviets Plug Only Breach In Defenses

Moscow, Monday.—Red troops defending Sevastopol assisted by a huge citizens' army including women snipers are counterattacking a German siege army from their original positions, and the Nazi push on the Kharkov front has been checked, the Red army reported today.

Front line reports said the Germans had lost 20,000 killed, more than 100 planes and scores of tanks in the 10-day assault on Sevastopol, and the only breach they had blasted in the Soviet defense line had been sealed.

—BUY WAR BONDS—

## BAPTIST— Revival Is On In Wilkesboro

Revival services began Sunday night at the Wilkesboro Baptist church.

Large crowds were present for the morning and evening services which were conducted by the pastor, Rev. T. Sloane Guy, Jr.

Dr. Bruce H. Price, pastor of the First Baptist church at Asheboro, will arrive today and will be guest minister to do the preaching throughout the revival at services each evening at 8:30.

The pastor will be in charge of the music for the revival and excellent song services will be carried out each evening. Children's services, featuring Bible study and memory work, will be held each morning at ten o'clock.

## FOOD

In his lifetime a human being consumes a tremendous amount of food, it being estimated that in 70 years he eats 1400 times his body weight, or 200,000 pounds of material.