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Board 2 \$850 Fund Calls Men To Report Campaign

Men Included Are In Age Group of 18 To 20 Years

Wilkes Selective Service board number 2, which has office in North Wilkesboro, has notified men to report for army induction early in February.

Board officials said the call was made without including men who married before December 5, 1941, and is composed mainly of young men 18 to 20 years of age.

The list of those notified to report for induction follows:

- Norman Montgomery Sprinkle, volunteer.
- Robert Lee Mastin, volunteer.
- Edward Paul Pardoe, volunteer.
- Albert Colonel Cardwell.
- Harlow Yates Bates.
- Frank James Goss, Jr.
- Edward Walter Holbrook.
- James Curtis Durham.
- Fred Johnson.
- William Howard Hall.
- James Ray Linger.
- John Guy Lister.
- Harold Brown Collins.
- Edwin John Billings.
- John John Wilkes.

- Emmett Stewart, Jr.
- Clay Clark.
- John Bauguss.
- Linda Wilson Lyons.
- Paul Paul Hayes.
- James Harold Luffman.
- Gene Jesse Simpson.
- Justice Aldean Gentry.
- John Quincy Higgins.
- Tom Vestal Holloway.
- William Kenneth Queen.
- Harley Samuel Miller.
- Barney Lee Blackburn.
- Thomas Shepherd Marsh.
- Robert Garvey Burchette.
- Alton Glenn Miner.
- Wiley Bert Cleary.
- Carl Baldwin.
- Reece McKinley Alexander.
- Ernest Miller.
- Leo Joshua Darnell.
- Paul William Blevins.
- Glen Carl Bauguss.
- Yvonne Reece Byrd.
- Wayne Hill Gentry.
- John Calvin Dameron.
- John Sherman Harrold, Jr.
- Robert Cole.
- Black William Queen.
- Thomas Paul Waddell.
- Howard Glenn Neely.
- Stamie Odell Bowers.
- James Robert Bauguss.
- Joe Henry Soots.
- James Eugene Tilley.
- Left McLean Holloway.
- James William Bengo.
- Sam Blackburn.
- Allie Paw.
- Reese Freeman Absher.
- Adney Marshall Anderson, Jr.
- Spencer Coleman Shumate.
- Junior Vaughn Byrd.
- James Walter Billings.
- Julian Cleary Roberts.
- Washington Van Wyatt.
- Fred Stamper.
- Clay Shumate.
- Kemp Edward Eledge.
- Earl Edward Brooks.
- Lacy Leas Bowers.
- Clyde Quincy Brown.
- Robert Watson Check, Jr.
- Clay Wilkes.
- Ernest Glenn Porter.
- Franklin Devon Mathis.
- Clyde Mitchell Settle.
- Theo Taylor.
- Clay Graham Blackburn.
- Clyde Andrew Parker.
- Sam William Soets.

American Legion Will Meet Friday

Wilkes post of the American Legion will meet on Friday night, February 5, seven o'clock, in the new rooms of Yadkin Valley Motor company on Ninth street.

Drive For Funds To Fight Paralysis Is A Big Success

Wilkes goal of \$750 for the infantile paralysis fund was exceeded by \$100, a total of \$850 having been raised.

This splendid report was given today by William F. Absher and Phillip Brame, co-chairmen for the campaign in Wilkes county.

The drive was climaxed by two birthday balls, which were held on Friday night for adults and Saturday night for juniors at the American Legion Auxiliary clubhouse. Both balls were well attended and were enjoyed by large crowds who made contributions to the polo fund.

In addition, the co-chairmen were successful in canvassing business firms, industries and many individuals here.

Today Messrs. Absher and Brame said they wished to express appreciation to the many who helped by their contributions to make the campaign a success. It was one of the most successful infantile paralysis fund campaigns ever held in Wilkes county and numerous people made contributions to the cause.

Wilkes Men In Service

Pfc. H. D. Caudill, Jr., Visits Home
Pfc. H. D. Caudill, Jr., returned to Camp LeJune, New River, N. C., after spending an eight-day furlough with his parents, friends and relatives at Millers Creek and North Wilkesboro. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Caudill, of Millers Creek.

Lt. Thomas G. Brown At Tinker Field

Oklahoma City Air Depot, Tinker Field, Okla.—Among the officers on duty at Tinker Field, Okla., is Second Lieut. Thomas G. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Brown, 1201 E. Street, North Wilkesboro, N. C. He is assigned as an engineering officer at this newest establishment of the Air Service Command for the maintenance and repair of aircraft and the training of air depot groups.

Now In Army

Pvt. Richard L. Whitley is now serving in the U. S. Army and is stationed at Camp Pickett, Va.

Sgt. Vickers Promoted

Sgt. Lester Vickers has just been promoted to his present rank and is now stationed in San Francisco, California, having recently been transferred from Camp Crowder, Mo.

Pvt. Baxter D. Mastin In California

Pvt. Baxter D. Mastin, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Mastin, of Wilkesboro route two, is now stationed at Camp San Luis Obispo, California. He is in the regular army.

Cpl. Rockford Bauguss At Fort Knox, Ky.

Fort Knox, Ky.—Plunging into the study of how to keep an army tank in battle trim, Cpl. Rockford G. Bauguss, of Lomax, N. C., today had reported to the Armored Force School Tank department, upon orders of Lt. Gen. Jacob L. Devers, Chief of the Armored Force.

The Armored Force school, headed by Brig. Gen. Stephen G. (Continued on page eight)

THREE HUDSON BROTHERS IN U. S. ARMY SERVICE



Three sons of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Hudson are in service in the army. At left is Sgt. Owen Hudson, who entered service with the National Guard here in September, 1941, and is now at Camp Needles, Calif. In the middle is William Ross Hudson, who was recently inducted and who is in the medical corps at Fort Jackson, S. C. On the right is Charles S. Hudson, Jr., 14th Infantry, who volunteered early in 1941 and is now somewhere overseas.

Advisory Committee Is Named

Members Will Give Public Data On Rationing

The appointment of a Consumers Advisory Committee for Wilkes County War Price and Rationing Boards was announced today by Paul S. Cogan, Commanding Officer, War Price and Rationing Boards.

This committee will work to coordinate the activities of the Rationing Boards, the Office of Civilian Defense, the Home and Farm Demonstration Offices, the Public Schools and the Local Press in giving information to the public concerning O. P. A. Rationing Programs.

Members appointed to serve on the advisory committee as suggested and approved by the State Office of O. P. A. are Mrs. Edd F. Gardner, Mrs. Annie Laurie H. Green, J. B. Snipes, C. B. Eller, Dwight Nichols and Ray Erwin.

From time to time information from O. P. A. headquarters will be distributed through the various channels to consumers. It is believed better understanding and less confusion will result from the activities of this committee in future ration programs.

Calendar Of Ration Coupons

SUGAR—Stamp No. 11 in War Ration Book 1 is good for three pounds of sugar through March 15.

COFFEE—Stamp No. 28 good for one pound until Feb. 7.

FUEL OIL—Number 4 coupon became valid January 30. Period 3 coupons good for 9 gallons and valid through Feb. 19.

GASOLINE—Coupon No. 4 in A book good for three gallons. Temporary "T" coupons will be issued directly by ration boards for a period of not more than 30 days. Boards will use original ODT certificates only for checking the inspection.

TIRES—Holders of Ration A coupons must have tires inspected by OPA on or before March 31.

WAR RATION BOOKS—Ration Book 1 is being currently used for purchase of sugar and coffee. No announcement has been made as to when War Ration Book No. 2 will be available.

Infant Dies

Infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cashion, born Saturday at the Wilkes hospital, died early Sunday morning. Burial service was conducted at four o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Baptist cemetery with Rev. A. C. Waggoner conducting the service.

AT FORT BENNING

Pfc. Archie W. Laws returned to Fort Benning, Ga., Wednesday after spending an eight-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Laws, of Parsonville. Pfc. Laws entered the service in January, 1941.

War News Is Favorable On Many Fronts

Moscow.—The Red Army captured one of the last two German pockets of resistance yesterday capturing 10,000 prisoners and 100 tanks.

London.—The British fleet today announced today. Allied Headquarters, North Africa.—A powerful Allied striking force has counterattacked a German spearhead which thrust six to seven miles through French positions in Central Tunisia and front reports last night said a violent battle was raging on the dusty plains west of Faid.

Story Puts In Two More Wilkes Bills

Representative T. E. Story has introduced two more bills in the legislature in addition to the four listed in Thursday's edition of The Journal-Patriot.

The numbers and titles of the new bills, one of which would repeal the commissioner redistricting act of 1939, and the committees to which they were referred are as follows:

HB 213—Introduced January 28. "To amend section 65 (a) of the Consolidated Statutes of 1924, as amended, providing for payment to clerk of sums not exceeding \$300.00 due intestate, to include in counties therein provided for the County of Wilkes." (As title indicates.) Sent to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, Jan. 28.

HB 242—Introduced January 30. "To repeal chapter 417 of the Public-Local Laws of 1939 which is an act to district Wilkes County for the purpose of the nomination and election of members of the Board of County Commissioners, and to provide for election of county commissioners in Wilkes County under the provisions of section 1292 of the Consolidated Statutes of 1919." (As title indicates.) Sent to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, Jan. 30.

One of the bills which Representative Story introduced last week, which would fix custody and management of the jail of Wilkes county, and fee for the care of prisoners at a minimum of 60 cents per day, was passed in the house the latter part of the week and sent to the senate.

Side Degree Work For Junior Order

Side degree work will be carried out Tuesday night in the meeting of the North Wilkesboro council of the Junior Order and all members are asked to be present for a most enjoyable occasion.



John Peden Kills Copperhead Snake

John Peden, well known colored man, killed a large copperhead snake a few days ago as it was crossing the main street of Wilkesboro in front of J. E. Irwin's home. The snake, which seemed to have been baring well in the winter weather, was 29 inches long.

Poultry Specialist On Job In County

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Joe Foster Dead

Funeral service was held today at Edgewood Baptist church for Joe Foster, aged citizen of Brushy Mountain township who died Thursday.

Clubhouse For Women Employes Of The Wilkes Hosiery Mills Is Opened

Wilkes Hosiery Mills company today opened a club house for the exclusive use of women employes of the company.

The club, to be called the Ward Eshelman Club, is located on the opposite side of the street from the front entrance of the factory building, and was made by remodeling a residence building there.

The clubhouse consists of a spacious lounge and powder room, and is beautifully decorated. The club room is furnished with many comfortable sofas and chairs. There is a desk with stationary

bearing the club's name. Daily papers and magazines are available for those who use the club.

A radio with record player and many records is furnished, and provisions are made for playing a number of games.

Mrs. W. F. Blair will be hostess and Mrs. Gilbert Pardae assistant hostess. They will be on duty at alternate hours as the club house will be open practically all day and in the evenings.

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Gas Ration Books Taken

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Pleasure Ban Violators Are Given Trials

Wilkes ration boards in meeting during the past week penalized several motorists for violation of the pleasure driving ban and other regulations by revoking their gasoline rations entirely or in part as circumstances warranted.

Those whose rations were revoked were tried to appear before the board and were given opportunity to present their defense against the charges preferred.

The decisions of the boards were based on the facts as presented in the hearings.

The following cases were heard and disposed of according to the rationing order of the gasoline regulations:

Albert V. Worthington, violation of pleasure driving ban, all gasoline rations revoked for a period of 30 days.

Mrs. E. S. Pearson, violation of pleasure driving ban, all gasoline rations revoked for a period of 30 days.

Bruce Howell, violation of pleasure driving ban and misuse of supplementary ration, all gasoline ration for period of six months revoked.

Henry Reavis, violation of pleasure ban, had sold car and turned in all ration coupons, but was barred from receiving other coupons in 12 months.

Tim Yates, violation of pleasure ban, case carried over for further consideration.

Sewell Robinson, violation of pleasure ban, charge dismissed but was penalized one T coupon for soliciting business with empty truck.

Atwell A. Greer, violation of pleasure ban, all gasoline ration revoked for 30 days.

Jay C. Church, violation of pleasure ban, case dismissed.

Jack Grayden Russell, violation of pleasure ban, case dismissed due to fact that he was driving father's car and possessed no gasoline ration. Board ordered that car owner be called in for questioning.

R. V. Day, speeding, "A" book suspended for 60 days and allowed supplemental mileage reduced to maximum of 378 miles per month.

James Brown, violation of pleasure ban, case dismissed due to fact he was driving father's car and possessed no gasoline ration. Board ordered car owner be called in for questioning.

Hensley Loran Eller, violation of pleasure ban, case carried over for further consideration.

Carlie Royal, reckless driving, case dismissed due to fact that he is serving in U. S. Army.

Mrs. Grady S. Church, violation of pleasure ban, four coupons removed from B book.

Calvin Wells, violation of pleasure ban, all gasoline ration revoked for period of 60 days.

Seven who had been notified failed to appear. They were G. T. Chambers, Barney Pierce, James Carl Harris, Howard Church, D. Clate Brown, Bynum Kenyon Holcomb and Boyce Roy Chestwood.

Listing For Taxes at the Town Hall Here

Attention is called to the fact that county tax listing for North Wilkesboro township and tax listing for North Wilkesboro town is in progress at the town hall here. Many have neglected to list for taxes and they are urged to list as early as possible to avoid the rush later.