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## Bomb Nazi's Bases

### Allied Bombing For Past Week Sets New Record

R. A. F. and American bombers during the past week dropped a record number of bombs on German war industries and military bases in Germany and occupied countries.

Last raid reported was last night, when a large fleet laid waste to Wuppertal in the Ruhr valley industrial section of Germany.

At the same time U. S. and other allied bombers based in Tunisia have heaped destruction on enemy bases in Sardinia, Sicily and ports of the Italian mainland.

### REDS DOWN PLANES—

Biggest news out of Russia is the Soviet claims that they destroyed 456 German planes last week to bring the month's total to more than 2,000 while losing only 518 of their own planes.

Spasmodic activity on many sectors of the Russian front were reported yesterday but no major action was claimed by either side.

### ATTU IS TAKEN—

Jap resistance on Attu Island in the Aleutians was broken yesterday as the U. S. flag waved triumphantly over the island. Twenty days of fighting were required to exterminate the Japanese there, but American casualties were described as light by the navy department, which directed the campaign.

### CHINESE WIN BATTLE—

War news from China, where Japs last week launched a fierce drive toward Chungking, took a turn for the better yesterday when Chinese recaptured a town which the Japanese had described as the gateway to the Chinese capital. Chinese reports claimed 2,000 Jap casualties in a decisive victory.

### FRENCH TO UNITE—

Good news for the Allied cause came today from Africa, where General DeGaulle and General Giraud were reported meeting to bring about unity between all French forces fighting against the axis.

## Memorial Service Held

Those who died in wars that America might be free were honored Sunday evening in a memorial service held at the marker on Memorial Avenue.

Rev. Louis J. Yelanjian delivered the principal address, in which he pointed out the priceless privileges which Americans enjoy.

The speaker suggested that as a memorial to those who died in the American Revolution, War Between the States, Spanish American War, World War number 1 and World War number 2 were placed on the marker by representative organizations.

William Clawson, farmer at Murtaugh, got an immediate replacement for his missing gasoline ration book. He told the board he was plowing and, presto. The book was gone. "Must have plowed it under", he said.

### THREE REYNOLDS BROTHERS IN SERVICE



Here are pictured the three sons of Mr. and Mrs. S. U. Reynolds, of this city, in the service. At left is Pfc. Phil Reynolds, who is stationed at the army air base at Moody Field, Ga.; middle, Pvt. Benjamin H. Reynolds, stationed at New

Orleans, La.; and Pvt. Eugene Reynolds, who at present is on desert maneuvers in California. Pvt. Benjamin H. Reynolds was confined to a hospital in New Orleans for several weeks but has greatly improved.

### Now In Africa



Pvt. Charles W. Jones, son of Mrs. G. C. Hamby, of Clunmpton, is o.k. in North Africa. He says he likes the country alright but longs to be back in the states. Pvt. Jones received his basic training at Camp Lee, Va., and Fort Riley, Kan. He has been in service since Dec. 1, 1941.

### Big News About the City—Picked Up By a Journal-Patriot Reporter

Thursday afternoon, for the first time since establishing the route, we made the rounds with one of The Journal-Patriot's carrier boys—Dwight Wiles—now in Detroit working in a war plant.

We saw much—big and little things—worthy of mention in print.

Starting out in the business section, we delivered papers to our near neighbors, and then on down the street. Everywhere in the business section, folks were busy with the day's work, and soon getting ready to close up shop.

Soon we finished our job in the business section and began operations in the residential. We noted the attractive conditions in which lawns were kept—hardly a yard that needed mowing—the new flowers of the spring coming up out of the ground to soon add to the attractiveness of North Wilkesboro's many beautiful homes.

Going from E street over to D, it was necessary that we take a short cut through the yard of Robert S. Gibbs, Jr., our Duke Power man, and naturally we stopped to look over his excellent garden, and believe us, he had the finest tomato plants we've seen this season. They were at least two feet high, and some higher. Robert has a fine garden and enjoys making things in his work shop after office hours.

Soon we came to the beautiful new homes that have recently been erected on the street leading off from Trogdon Avenue near the Woman's Club building. The attractive home of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Church, erected not so long ago, and the newly remodeled residence of Dr. and Mrs. John Morris. (By the way, Rufus Church had spent the entire day chopping the weeds from his garden—a good one, too.)

Soon we reached the residence of our good friend, Mr. M. J. Beardslee, a most congenial fellow. Mr. Beardslee was anxious for his neighbor, Charlie Higgins, to enter his garden in the Lion's Club Victory Garden Contest. (We learned later from Lonnie Carpenter that Mrs. Higgins signed up.)

Then we found several new homes had recently been built on the street running west via Ed Long's house, and Mrs. J. E. Deans working in her garden. But the surprise of the entire trip came when we caught Rogan Rousseau mowing his lawn, and you could have knocked us over with a feather when he told us he had a garden, and wanted us to see it. We kinda got over our sinking spell, though, when he told us that his nephew and nieces, children of his brother, Judge Rousseau, had been doing practically all the work in the garden, which was in excellent condition and a fine showing for the children. Rogan, incidentally, told us that his good friend, C. A. (Buck) Hayworth, assistant state highway engineer located at Boone, who lived here for several years, recently got married. Miss Agnes Greer, daughter of Mrs. J. B. Greer, Sr., of Moravian Falls, is now Mrs. Hayworth.

But we didn't catch Carl Steele working in his garden or mowing his lawn. Carl, with Mrs. Steele, was enjoying the cool breeze of the afternoon on his front porch, and entertaining his neighbor and former employee, Merrill Wiles.

Well, as we said in the outset, we visited many attractive homes and found many splendid gardens, (that Lions Club Victory Garden contest is going over with a bang, and the judges have a tough job ahead of them—competition is going to be so keen). We noted that many of our fine citizens were away from home for the evening attending the annual commencement of their fine school, and paying a worthy tribute to the many fine boys and girls who were ending their high school career to do their part tomorrow to keep America the land of the free.

Yes, sir, North Wilkesboro is really a thriving little city, and you find out lots of things going on if you just stir about a bit.

## Poppy Sale Is \$212

Sale of memorial poppies here Saturday by the American Legion Auxiliary and volunteer workers amounted to \$212. Auxiliary officials reported today.

Veterans of Foreign Wars organization here also sold poppies and the sale by both organizations

was very successful. The little memorial flowers, which are sold to commemorate the sacrifice of those who gave their lives for their country, represents a means of raising funds to care for families of disabled or deceased veterans.

## Complete Plans For Food Conservation Course June 8, 9, 10

### City School Finals Held Thursday

#### School Received Coveted United States Valued Award

North Wilkesboro schools closed a very successful year Thursday night with graduation exercises when diplomas of high school graduation were presented to a class of 47 seniors.

It was a patriotic program with the students carrying it out on the theme of the "Four Freedoms".

Jack Anderson, class president, presided and the seniors were seated on the stage. Invocation was led by Peggy Nichols and the salutatory address was by Kern Smith. During the program vocal solos were delightfully rendered by Annie Ruth Blankenship and Lucille Casey.

Jack Anderson spoke briefly of the commencement topic, "Our Schools at War", and presented Virginia Adams, Jimmie Moore, Frances Kennedy and Lewis Hill Jenkins, who, respectively, gave readings on Freedom of Fear, Freedom of Speech, Freedom From Want and Freedom of Worship.

A "Schools at War" flag, awarded by the government for carrying out war activities and (Continued on page eight)

### Recognizes Brother In News Film Here

Mr. Lowrance, a resident of Winston-Salem, was among the patrons of The Allen Theatre Wednesday during the showing of a news film showing the activity of U. S. submarines. Mr. Lowrance recognized his brother—a submarine commander—in the picture.

### Dr. Joe H. Carter Fills Pulpit Here

#### Heard By Large Congregation At The Presbyterian Church Yesterday

Dr. Joe H. Carter preached to a capacity congregation at the North Wilkesboro Presbyterian church yesterday morning, this being the second occasion since the departure of the pastor, Rev. Watt M. Cooper, who is now a naval chaplain in Australia.

Dr. Carter, who is well known throughout this section of the state, and especially in Wilkes county where he served as pastor of both the North Wilkesboro and Wilkesboro Presbyterian churches for sometime, preached, as usual, a strong sermon, and was heard by a large number of people.

Dr. Carter came to the city from Montreal, where he is attending the Presbyterian General Assembly.

Dr. and Mrs. Carter recently returned from Sacramento, California, where they attended the marriage of their son, Joe H. Jr., to Miss Mary Sadler Neely, of Rock Hill, S. C. Joe, Jr., is an instructor at the air base there. Dr. Carter performed the marriage ceremony.

While in the city Dr. Carter was entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gwyn.

### Will Conduct Demonstrations



Miss Addie Malone, home service specialist of Duke Power company, who will conduct the food conservation demonstrations in the Food Preservation Workshop at the Liberty Theatre on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 9:30 to 11:30 a. m., next week.

## 234 Cases Of Liquor On Truck

### Wilkes Man Is Loser Much Liquor At Reidsville

Reidsville. — Firm disbelievers in "carrying coal to Newcastle," Rockingham officers became suspicious when the driver of a lumber truck they had halted claimed he was enroute to North Wilkesboro, center of one of the largest lumber counties in the state.

They investigated, and under several thousand feet of carefully arranged planks they found plenty of room for 234 cases of Black Gold rye whisky.

The driver, listed as Junior Greer, was brought to Reidsville, where he is being held under \$2,000 bond. Officers said he refused to comment after his contention that he was hauling lumber to Wilkes county mislaid. A companion, who was riding with Greer managed to escape.

The truck driver was originally stopped on a charge of speeding and reckless driving. He reportedly was coming from Baltimore. The truck was said to be the property of Clarence Benton, of Purlear.

Sheriff L. W. Worsham was assisted in making the raid by State Patrolman Fred Fleagle and Reidsville police officers.

### Aviation Cadets Begin Training

Three young men from Wilkes reported Friday at Biloxi, Miss., to begin training as aviation cadets in the army air force.

They were Dwight Sebastian, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sebastian, of Halls Mills; Ralph Crawford, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Crawford, of North Wilkesboro; and E. D. Dancy, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Dancy, of North Wilkesboro.

Previously they had passed all examinations and were accepted for aviation cadet training.

## Methods to Keep Food To Be Told

### Food Canning, Drying To Be Taught For Three Days

Plans for the county-wide Food Preservation Workshop to be conducted at the Liberty Theatre on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, June 8, 9 and 10, are rapidly being made and all indications point to a most successful three-day event.

The event will be held under the auspices of the Civilian Service Corps of the office of OGD and its principal purpose is to teach people the best methods of canning and drying food from victory gardens for use after the growing season.

Miss Addie Malone, home service specialist of Duke Power company, will conduct the demonstrations, which will be from 9:30 to 11:30 each morning. Miss Malone has conducted many cooking school and other demonstrations here and is well known in this part of the state.

Sponsoring the Food Preservation Workshop are the Duke Power company, Liberty Theatre and The Journal-Patriot, in cooperation with Mrs. Annie H. Greene, Wilkes home demonstration agent.

Miss Malone in her demonstration will show the best, approved methods of canning with pressure cooker, hot water bath canning and food drying processes.

Efforts are being made to impress upon the people the urgent necessity of canning and otherwise keeping surplus garden food and fruits for use after the growing season, in order that greater amounts of commercially packed foods may be available for armed forces of the United States and allied nations.

## Large Crowd At First Service In Revival Sunday

### Services Began Sunday Night At First Methodist Church In North Wilkesboro

Revival services began Sunday evening at the First Methodist church in this city and will continue through June 9.

Rev. C. P. Bowles, pastor of the Wadesboro Methodist church here as guest minister, delivered an inspiring message on the subject of "I Believe in the Church," to a capacity audience. Rev. R. W. McCulley, of Lenoir, who is directing music during the revival, rendered a special number.

Rev. A. C. Waggoner, pastor, announced that services will be held each evening, eight o'clock except Saturday, at the church and that a brief morning service will be held at the town hall Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday this week, 8:00 to 8:35 a. m.

Principal points brought out in the message by Rev. Mr. Bowles in his message Sunday night on "I Believe in the Church" were as follows:

1.—Because of its historic tradition. The church has been in (Continued on page eight)