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Achievement Day Success; 800 Attend

MANY 4-H BOYS AND GIRLS GET FINE AWARDS

Over 800 4-H club boys and girls from all parts of Wilkes county gathered at the courthouse in Wilkesboro Friday for Achievement Day.

The event was especially arranged to honor the boys and girls who have done so much to put over the Food For Freedom campaign in Wilkes this year, which resulted in maximum production of food.

Numerous prizes were awarded at the session held in the courthouse and at the athletic field where the children spread lunch together and then enjoyed a field day of athletic events.

A highlight of the occasion was the awarding of \$200 in war bonds to eight boys and girls for the best victory garden records. The bonds were donated by Occidental Life Insurance company and were awarded following an address by H. A. Davis, claims manager of the home office of the company.

Another big feature was a corn show which was declared the equal of any ever seen at the state fair, both in quality and quantity. Fifty-seven boys and girls entered ten-ear exhibits, making a total of 570 ears of corn. Six prizes were donated by local business firms and were awarded the winners.

J. B. Snipes, county agent, was chairman at the Achievement Day program. Representatives of the extensive service present included L. R. Harrill, state 4-H leader, O. F. McCrary, district agent, and Dan Holler, all of the extension service headquarters at State College.

The program opened with singing of "America", followed by the 4-H club pledge and pledge to the flag. Devotional was conducted by Rev. A. C. Waggoner, pastor of the First Methodist church of North Wilkesboro, and Rev. Howard J. Ford, pastor of Wilkesboro Baptist church. C. B. Eller, county superintendent of schools, welcomed the 4-H club members to the event.

After the address by H. A. Davis, of Occidental Life Insurance company, Dr. F. C. Hubbard, chief of staff of the Wilkes hospital, delivered a most interesting health talk. Rex W. Wes, a local representative of the Occidental Life Insurance company, led the assembly in singing the national anthem. Attorney J. H. Whicker talked interestingly to the boys and girls and L. R. Harrill, state 4-H club leader, made an explanation of 4-H club records. J. Roby McNeil, local representative of Occidental Life Insurance company, also made an interesting talk.

Bronda Bumgarner made a summary of girls' work and Clyde Carpenter summarized work among the boys for the year. Prizes were awarded by Mrs. Annie H. Greene, home agent, H. C. Colvard and James E. Rollins, assistant county agents.

Boys and girls who received a \$25 war bond each in the victory garden contest were as follows: Hoyle McNeill, Champion; James Brooks, Fairplains; T. R. Bryan, Jr., Wilkesboro; Clyde Carpenter, Roaring River; Kathleen Robinson, Wilkesboro; Irene Pardue, Traphill; Maxine Yates, Mount Pleasant; and Cleo Walsh, Ferguson.

Sixteen girls entered exhibits of six quarts each in the canned foods contest. Those who entered were Kathleen Robinson, Bronda Bumgarner, Grace Dean Church, Mabel Kilby, Lottie Mc...

Home of Earl Parsons Is Destroyed By Fire

Fire, which originated from a cook stove fire, totally destroyed the house in Wilkesboro occupied by Earl Parsons and family Saturday morning between nine and ten o'clock. The family lost practically all household and kitchen furniture and clothes. The house was owned by Nella Vickers, colored.

Special Service At First Baptist

"Better Church Music" will be the topic for the midweek prayer service Wednesday evening, 7:30 at the First Baptist church. Mrs. A. F. Kilby, choir director, will lead a conference on the topic and there will also be hymn singing. Mrs. Kilby recently attended a week's conference at Ridgecrest, during which time church music was the topic for study and discussion.

Funeral For Mrs. Wright On Sunday

Widow of Late C. C. Wright, Head County Schools For Over 30 Years

Mrs. C. C. Wright, 75, died at the home of her son, Prof. J. T. C. Wright, at Boone, Friday, after an illness of one month. The funeral was conducted Sunday at 3 o'clock, at Edgewood Baptist church. The body lay in state at the church from 2 until 3 o'clock.

May Get Book 4 After Nov. 10th

Various Rationing Facts Are Given Out By Rationing Officials In County

Local rationing officials said here today that those who failed to get their books number 4 through the schools may get them from local rationing board offices after November 10.

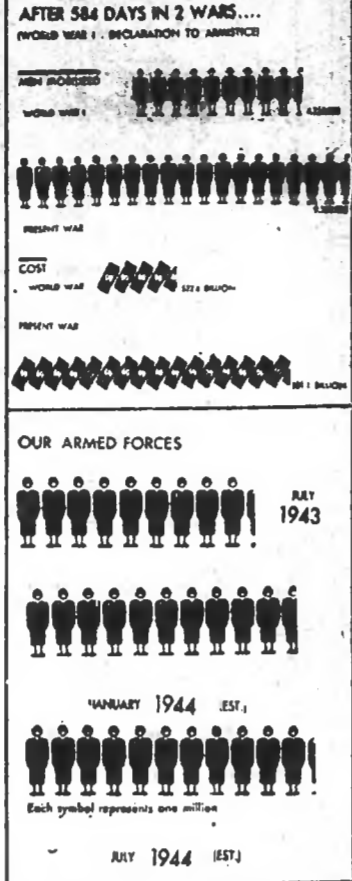
Gasoline Rules

Rationing regulations state that war workers who have their cars with them must procure their gasoline for trips home from the Ration Boards, serving the area where they are using their cars. This means that workers must obtain gasoline for the complete round trip before they start home.

No person will be granted more than 25 gallons of gasoline for a six month period for sawing wood unless he produces evidence to show that he is sawing wood commercially.

For the duration of the war, no matter how much food America produces, we will always need more. The ever-increasing demands for food will continue to exceed the supply.

TELEFACT



ONE SCOUT ADVANCED TO EAGLE RANK

Thomas Austin Whicker Is Eagle Scout; Many Merit Badges Are Awarded

Thomas Austin Whicker, son of Attorney and Mrs. J. H. Whicker, Sr., was advanced to rank of Eagle Scout at the October Court of Honor meeting.

L. M. Nelson, chairman of the court of honor, said the Eagle badge will be presented to young Whicker at the November meeting.

In the October meeting Gene McNeill and Dudley Moore were advanced to rank of second class scouts.

Merit badges were awarded as follows: Pat M. Hunt, carpentry; Paul McGhinnis, cooking and woodwork; Julius Rousseau, Jr., and George Forester, Jr., personal health and safety; Dick McNeil, poultry keeping.

Members of the court of honor present were Chairman Nelson, Mrs. Sidney Crane, Cyrus McNeill, J. B. McCoy and Scout Commissioner Gordon Finley.

Members of the court said that a number of new troops will be organized in the near future.

"This Is the Army" Nets Fund \$490.81

Showing of "This Is the Army" recently at the Allen Theatre netted \$490.81 for Army Emergency Relief. L. M. Nelson, county chairman for the organization, reported today.

All profits from the Sunday premiere and 50 per cent of the profits from the Monday and Tuesday shows went into the fund.

Chairman Nelson said that he wished to thank Allen Theatre and all members of its personnel for their services and cooperation, the public for generous support of the show, and The Journal-Patriot for publicity given the benefit showing.

Money can fight, buy bonds

DADS GO TO ARMY

First Pre-War Fathers From Wilkes Sent For Induction

Wilkes Selective Service board number 1 today sent the first pre-Pearl Harbor fathers to the induction center.

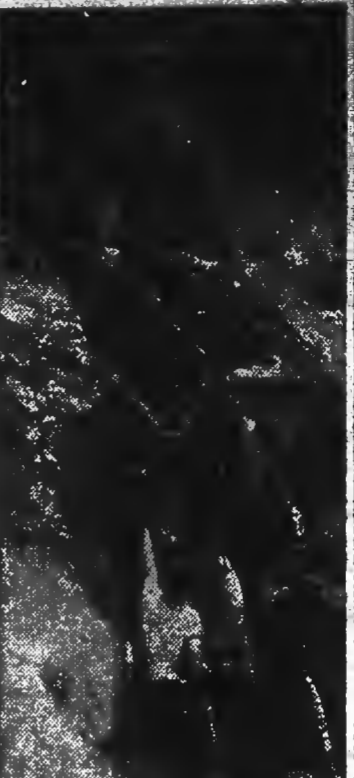
However, the list of men contained only a small number of pre-war fathers and was composed mainly of men who previously had received deferments and 18-year-olds who recently became of draft age.

The list of men sent to the induction center today follows:

- Glenn Edward Faw.
- Cecil James Whitt.
- William Paul Cannon.
- Thomas Foote Davis.
- Albert Sidney Garwood.
- Homer Woodrow Brookshire.
- Charles Ernest Johnson.
- Coy Lawrence Lankford.
- Henry Clay Frazier.
- Victor Bryant Hayes.
- James Deagan Harvey.
- Wilson Transon.
- Carter Gibson Triplett.
- Ollis Darling Crane.
- Burgin Boony Shell.
- Ford Baker.
- Raben Williams.
- Lonnie Alexander Wolfe.
- Marshal Luther Shumate.
- Courtney Sea Eller.
- Vaden Greenmore Eller.
- James Mansfield Souther.
- Hackett Dyson.
- Lacy Jewel Spears.
- Ernie Lester Brooks.
- Clifton Dewel Spears.
- Jacqob Daniel Moore.
- Classie J. Van Laws.
- John Wesley Weaver.
- Lloyd Phillips.
- James Albert Lenderman.
- John Cobb Carroll.
- Billy Harding Minton.
- Fred Hamilton Bentley.
- Joel Hamilton Faw.
- Roy Vanley Greene.
- Albert Jake Crabb.
- Thomas Eugene Faw.
- Willie Edsel Whittington.
- Ancl Faw.
- Lester Jones Johnson.
- William Henry Revis.
- Estel Charles Woodie.
- R. L. Combs.
- Fred Lee Broyhill.
- Walter Glenn Johnson.
- Ardlie Lee Glass.
- Douglas Blanford Henderson.
- Ell Lewis Hubbard.
- Herman Clyde Minton.
- Tohmy Eltha Laws.
- William Grady Johnson, Jr.
- Fare Arthur Foster.
- Hoyle Reeves.
- Junior Triplett.
- Paul James Minton.
- James Ross Caudill.

BUY MORE WAR BONDS

Falls Down Bluff



After she fell down a 350-foot bluff in Palo Verde, Calif., Mrs. Lee Gloria Shuck lay on a narrow cliff edge for a day and a night before these soldiers and coast guard rescuers reached her.

HOME CLUB FEDERATION WILL MEET

ANNUAL MEETING HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS HERE

Wilkes County Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs will meet in annual session at the Woman's Club home in North Wilkesboro, Friday, Nov. 5, at 7:30 o'clock.

The program will open with singing of "God Bless America", following by devotional led by Mrs. M. F. Bumgarner. Address of welcome will be by Mrs. T. W. Ferguson. Mrs. Troy Redding will give the roll call by clubs and will also give the treasurer's report.

A report of the year's work by clubs will be one outstanding feature of the program.

Mrs. W. H. Tevepaugh will give the nominating committee report and after election and installation of officers will be the club collect.

Mrs. J. T. Pardue will outline the work for 1944.

Mrs. Greene, the home agent, will award a number of prizes, after which will be a program of recreation led by Mrs. T. W. Ferguson and refreshments will be served.

The importance of a large attendance of members was urged in announcement of the annual federation meeting.

Three Powers Agree

A special broadcast from Moscow today said that the Russian, United States and British government have agreed on unconditional surrender of the axis powers as the only possible end of the war and have agreed fully on post war policies for the world. The United States is represented at the conference by Cordell Hull, Secretary of State.

BUY WAR BONDS

Reds Rapidly Advance; 5th Army Gaining

TWIN DRIVES OVER ISERNIA ROAD GAINING

Driving three miles along both sides of the Isernia Road in a bid to split the new German line in Italy, Allied troops have captured San Massino and San Elena but on the Adriatic sector our forces have fallen back slightly before sharp Nazi counterblows, it was announced yesterday.

Allied air and sea forces added new weight to the developing Italian land offensive. S. S. warships shelled roads and the railway tunnel entrance at Scauri in their second attack in three days on enemy communications along the Gulf of Gaeta. Flying Fortresses pounded three key rail points on the Italian Riviera for the first time and Liberators gave Genoa its second hammering in as many days.

Kiwanis Host Navy Day Speech By Judge Hayes

North Wilkesboro Kiwanis club thoroughly enjoyed a Navy Day program Friday noon.

Program Chairman Sidney Crane asked the club to sing the following songs as a part of his program in celebration of Navy Day: "Anchors Aweigh" and "Eternal Father, Strong to Save"

He then presented Judge Johnson Hayes, who made a very effective and interesting talk on "The Navy, Our Shield and Buckler". He said our navy now has more than 2,000,000 personnel, that we have more sea planes than ships, there being 15,000 ships and 18,000 planes. In addition there are submarines and other sea going equipment.

The speaker said we are proud of our Navy and justly so. It is our bulwark of freedom. The navy is and will continue to be a consideration in the peace to be written. It will be the navy, in the days ahead that will determine whether the peace that will be concluded will be enforced; therefore we owe great allegiance to our navy.

Judge Hayes said in order for us to have lasting peace, we must recognize the rights of others; we must leave off our own selfishness as such is not divine. We need not expect world peace to come cheap. Only God knows how much more we shall pay in means and blood itself for victory and then the peace; but we shall confidently look to that end.

The matter of sponsoring a Scout troop in the Woodlawn section was brought up from the directors meeting where it had been approved and was presented to the club by Kiwanis Bill Sturdivant and by motion the club voted to sponsor such a troop where Joe Johnson is to be the Scoutmaster and the president appointed the following troop committee: Carl Van Deman, A. F. Kilby and W. Elmer Jones.

President Hix announced that December 10 had been set as the date on which Ladies' Night will be held.

Guests Friday were as follows: Howard Traywick with B. W. Gwyn; Charles Williams with Pat Williams; Homer Blak of Fayetteville, with J. R. McCarty; and Mrs. Johnson J. Hayes with Rev. Sidney Crane, Secretary of the club, with J. R. Blak.

LARGE ENEMY FORCE CAUGHT IN NEW TRAP

Soviet forces racing thru 200 more towns and villages on the Nogaik Steppe, reached the Dnieper southwest of Nikopol yesterday, trapping a considerable German force with its back to the river, and smashed within 14 miles north of Perekop, gateway to the Crimea.

General Feodor I. Tolbukhin's Fourth Ukraine Army sent its northern wing to the southern bank of the lower Dnieper by taking Sergievka, 28 miles southwest of Nikopol, isolating a sizable German group that was faced with a hazardous crossing of the fast-flowing river as its only means of escape.

Tolbukhin's southern wing smashed into the town of Chaplinko, 14 miles north of Perekop, driving forward a wedge that threatened to close the trap on an estimated 90,000 Germans still in the peninsula.

Brame, Carrington Go Into Merchant Marine For Service

Phillip Brame and W. M. (Bill) Carrington last week enlisted in the merchant marine at the Raleigh recruiting station and are now awaiting call to report for duty.

Senior Class Play Will Be Presented

The Senior Class of North Wilkesboro high school will present to the public, on November 11 and 12, a three act play, "Bringing Up Mother" in the high school auditorium. Two performances will be given. The first at 3:00 on Thursday afternoon for all students. Admission will be 15c. The play will be presented Friday evening at 8:00 for adults with an admission of 35c. There will be no reserve seats, but ticket sales will begin Monday, November 8. Tickets may be obtained from any member of the senior class.

BUY MORE WAR BONDS

Rations

SUGAR—Book 4, stamp 29, good for five pounds, will expire January 5.

GASOLINE—Coupons No. 6 in A book good for three gallons became effective July 22 and will expire November 5.

SHOES—Coupon 18 in the sugar and coffee ration book valid for one pair of shoes has no expiration date. No. 1 airplane stamp in book three became valid November 1 for one pair shoes.

FOOD—Brown stamps C and H valid for purchase of meat; and fats until December 4. J will be valid November 7 until Dec. 4. Blue stamps X, Y and Z in book 2 good for purchase of processed foods until November 20.

FUEL OIL—New No. 1 coupon, Class 4 sheet, good for 12 gallons (1 unit), expires Jan. 5; new No. 1 coupon, Class 5 sheet, good for 12 gallons (1 unit), expires January 5; new No. 1 coupon, Class 6 sheet, good for 24 gallons (2 units), expires January 5.

War Fund Reaches \$5,000 But \$7,000 More Is Needed

Approximately \$5,000 of the \$12,000 goal for the National War Fund and Scout activities in Wilkes county has been raised to date, T. E. Story, chairman, said today.

Although this is recognized as a good start, \$7,000, more than half of the quota, yet remains to be raised and a big job lies ahead.

Much of the \$5,000 now collected came from the initial gifts committee's soliciting and but

few community workers have made final reports. The canvass is under way in local industries but all returns are not in.

Of the \$12,000 to be raised, \$2,500 will be allocated to Boy Scout and Girl Scout finances and \$9,500 will go into the National War Fund, which includes the USO for service men and many war relief causes to relieve suffering among peoples of the Allied Nations.

"Give Once For All" is emphasized in this campaign because so many organizations for the relief of war victims has been included. For this reason special

donations are asked from the people and they are given the assurance that there will not be multiple calls for money for various war relief agencies.

All workers are asked to complete the canvass of their respective communities as early as possible but in the meantime give an opportunity to all to contribute if possible.

It was also emphasized that thousands will need to give to the fund in the county in order that the quota can be raised without undue sacrifice on the part of a few people.

Make your dollars fight.