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## Court Term Will Open On Next Monday

### Calendar Made Out For the Term By Solicitor

December term of Wilkes superior court for trial of criminal cases will convene in Wilkesboro on Monday, December 13. Judge J. Will Pless, Jr., of Marlon, will preside over the term. Solicitor Avalon E. Hall, of Yadkinville, was in Wilkesboro last week and made out the calendar of cases to be tried during the term. About 95 cases are docketed for trial and it is expected that appeals and magistrates reports may increase that number by the time court convenes. The case of Phillip Yates, charged with possession of over 609 cases of whisky which were seized on his premises June 1, is calendared for trial on opening day of court. Yates has filled bond set by Judge R. Hunt Parker in the sum of \$25,000. The court calendar is published in full elsewhere in this newspaper.

## Public Urged To Mail All Packages By December 10

Postal authorities are urging that all gift packages, not already mailed, be mailed not later than Dec. 10. If the reader expect them to be delivered before Christmas. Due to the shortage of help and the heavy mails, more time must be allowed this year, it was pointed out. The extra mail to men in service is responsible for much of the increase in all mails, it was explained. Christmas cards should also be mailed early, it was explained. "There will be many disappointed people if the public does not rush up with gift mailing", an official said.

## Clinic In January

Next clinic for cripples will be held at the Wilkes hospital in January. The Wilkes county health department, co-sponsor with the North Wilkesboro Kiwanis club for the clinics, announced that no clinic will be held in December and that the date for the January clinic will be announced later.

## RATION NEWS

**CAR TRADES**—After January 1 every person who sells or trades an automobile must give with the vehicle duplicate copies of a receipt from the rationing board for gasoline coupons issued for the vehicle. In this connection dealers must inventory all cars on hand and report inventory before January 31.  
**COUPON CHANGED**—B and C gasoline ration coupons issued after December 1 and designated B and C and will be worth five gallons each. B1 and C1 coupons which have been issued will remain at two gallons each.  
**SUGAR**—Book A, stamp 29, good for five pounds, will expire January 15.  
**GASOLINE**—Coupons No. 8 in a book good for three gallons became effective Nov. 9 and will expire February 8.  
**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, Book 3, meats and fats, L, M, N, expire January 1. Green stamps Book 4, processed foods, A, B, C, expire December 20. D, E, and F valid December 1, expire January 20.  
**FUEL OIL**—New No. 1 coupon, Class 4 sheet, good for 10 gallons (1 unit), expires Jan. 2; new No. 1 coupon, Class 5 sheet, good for 50 gallons (5 units), expires January 3; new No. 1 coupon, Class 6 sheet, good for 150 gallons (25 units), expires January 3.

## SGT. CARRIGAN DEFEATS CHAMPION



Sgt. William Carrigan, former president of the North Carolina State Tennis Association and member of one of the state's championship teams, continues to enjoy tennis, and with much success, in the army. In the above picture Sgt. Carrigan is shown in the center. On the left is Governor C. A. Bottolfsen, of Idaho, giving one of the first balls used in an exhibition match to Miss Helen Martin, Sgt. Carrigan's opponent in the exhibition match dedicating the new Simplot tennis courts at the College of Idaho. Sgt. Carrigan, who is stationed with air forces at Gowen Field, Idaho, won the match 6-4, 6-1, and 6-3. Miss Martin for seven consecutive years has been women's tennis champion in the state of Idaho. Sgt. Carrigan, who before entering the army held a position with the probation office of the North Carolina Middle District Federal court, is a son of Mrs. J. H. Carrigan, of Wilkesboro. The above picture appeared in the Idaho Daily Statesman, of Boise, Idaho.

## KIWANIS CLUB SENDS RESOLUTION ASKING CONSTRUCTION OF YADKIN FLOOD CONTROL DAM AFTER WAR

North Wilkesboro Kiwanis Club is concerned in some planning for a flood control dam to be constructed on the Yadkin. Pointing out that this immediate section has not been directly benefited by war projects, the club is asking that the flood control dam be given immediate attention in the list of post-war projects. The resolution, which has been forwarded to all North Carolina representatives in congress and to Senators Bailey and Reynolds, was prepared by the Public Affairs committee, which has the following membership: John R. Prevette, sponsor, S. V. Tomlinson, chairman, E. G. Finley, A. F. Kilby, J. B. Snipes and John Leyshon. The resolution, as drawn by the committee and unanimously passed by the club, follows: "The matter of the Flood Control Dam to be erected on the Yadkin river above Wilkesboro, N. C., has been forcibly again brought to the attention of the Kiwanis Club in its regular meeting November 26, 1943. It was stated as the opinion of the entire citizenship of Northwestern North Carolina that the Government in its post war program will appropriate large sums of money in projects of this kind; and, in view of this fact, that North Wilkesboro and its entire surrounding communities have never been directly benefited by any of the defense projects during the war period; and, that after the war it will be called upon to take care of considerable surplus of labor which will be in excess of the labor that the present industry can take care of; and, that the Government project of this sort is essential to the great benefit, not only of Northwestern North Carolina, but the entire Piedmont Section as well, for the flood control protection it would render to this great section which has already suffered millions of dollars in property loss as well as large numbers of lives lost in the floods of 1916, 1940 and other previous floods; and, "Furthermore, in consideration of the fact that the government has already made appropriations and spent considerable sums of money in making surveys, which have already been completed and are now in the files of the War Department in Washington, D. C. Now, Therefore, We the members of the North Wilkesboro Kiwanis Club in regular meeting assembled, unanimously request that you, our Congressmen and Senators, and each of you do every thing in your power to secure the appropriation necessary for the consummation of this greatly needed project".

## HIATT SPEAKER AT FRIDAY MEET OF KIWANIS CLUB

Rev. J. S. Hiatt, of Statesville, entertained the North Wilkesboro Kiwanis Club Friday with a most entertaining address on the subject of "Salesmanship". W. F. Gaddy was in charge of the program and he presented Rev. A. C. Waggoner, who presented Rev. Mr. Hiatt, who is superintendent of the Statesville district of the Methodist church. The speaker said that all are salesmen, and peddle wares constantly. He said this was no time for grumblers, complainers or pessimists. Rev. Mr. Hiatt offered certain points to aid in salesmanship as follows: aim high and steer wisely, advertise by tactfulness and generosity as well as by words, have great faith, work hard. The address was highly appreciated by the club members and guests. Guests Friday were as follows: S. T. Taylor, of Charlotte with Dr. John W. Kincheloe, Jr.; Captain N. M. Dalrymple and C. H. Walker with C. B. Eller; John Faison with Paul Church; R. R. Church, O. K. Pops, Rev. A. C. Waggoner and Rev. J. S. Hiatt with W. F. Gaddy.

## In Alabama

Pvt. John Wiley Minton, who entered the army September 27, is now stationed at Fort Meade, Alabama. Pvt. Minton is a son of W. T. Minton, of Congo.

## Notice To All Subscribers Of This Paper

After January 1 the name of every subscriber not paid in advance will be removed from the subscription list of The Journal-Patriot. These notices are given in advance in order that every subscriber may have ample warning and will have time to get the subscriptions on a paid-in-advance basis, which is now required. With the paper shortage so acute, the War Production board is asking that every newspaper save all paper possible. Meanwhile, the circulation of The Journal-Patriot has been increasing daily. This makes it mandatory that all subscriptions be paid in advance, and that names of subscribers who do not renew before expiration date be discontinued from the list. All subscribers are asked to note the label on the paper, and if the subscription expiration date is not later than January, 1944, (1-44) to bring in or send remittance for paying the subscription in advance. Early action is urged in order to avoid a rush at the end of the year.

## Christmas Cheer Donations Being Accepted In City

Mrs. J. L. Clements and J. E. Walker Handling Christmas Cheer For Needy North Wilkesboro welfare department is accepting Christmas Cheer contributions. Mrs. J. L. Clements, city welfare officer, said that efforts will be made to supply Christmas cheer to every needy and destitute family in North Wilkesboro. The welfare department will accept cash donations in any amount to be used for Christmas cheer work and will assure the donors that the funds are spent to provide maximum benefit for the needy families. Donations in the form of checks or money to the Christmas cheer fund of the welfare department may be sent to Mrs. Clements or to Chief J. E. Walker.

## Darlington Poultry Co. Is Established

Darlington Poultry company is the newest addition to North Wilkesboro's business district. The new firm is owned and operated by Mr. Joe Darlington, and his poultry processing plant is located in the basement of Hayes Hardware company warehouse on Forester Avenue. New equipment has been installed and is now in operation for processing poultry, which can be dressed or drawn. Mr. Darlington is in the market for poultry, especially broilers, and will pay top prices. Farmers and poultrymen are asked to get in touch with him when they have poultry to market. The processing plant has a capacity of 5,000 pounds of poultry daily. Mr. Darlington is in position to furnish retailers and wholesalers with any quantity of dressed or drawn poultry. Mr. Darlington is a son of Mrs. M. M. Darlington, of this city, but for many years has made his home in Petersburg, Va., before coming here several weeks ago to establish his present poultry business. Mr. Darlington has moved his family to North Wilkesboro and is living at 711 Kensington Heights.

# ROOSEVELT, CHURCHILL AND STALIN AGREE ON WAR PLANS

## TRIPLETT BROTHERS IN ARMY



Cpl. Arvil Triplett, left, is now with an army engineers company in Sicily. He entered service with the National Guard company here in September, 1940, and has been overseas since November, 1942. He writes that he is getting along all right and to give his regards to his friends. Pfc. Earl Triplett, right, is stationed with air corps troops at Napier Field, Alabama. He entered the army in October, 1942. They are sons of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Triplett, of North Wilkesboro.

## PHILLIP YATES POSTS BOND FOR \$25,000 FOR APPEARANCE IN THE TERM OF COURT BEGINNING 13TH

Phillip Yates, who failed to show up for trial at the special jury indictment of Lt. W. B. Lentz, of the State Highway Patrol, and Guy Scott, investigator of the SBI. Governor J. M. Broughton called for a full investigation and ordered a special term of court to try the two officers and to try Yates for possession of the liquor. When court opened on September 13 Yates disappeared and was not at court for trial of his own case or as a witness against Lentz and Scott. Judge R. Hunt Parker, who presided, ordered bond set for Yates at \$25,000. Officers were unable to locate him until he voluntarily came in and filled the bond, which was one of the largest ever filled in Wilkes county. When the liquor was inventoried after it was brought to North Wilkesboro it was found that there were 609 cases, and there were reports that 75 or more cases of the most expensive liquor were missing.

## CUSTOMERS DUKE POWER CO. IN OUTLYING SECTIONS WILL READ OWN METERS TO SAVE FOR WAR

In order to conserve gasoline, tires, trucks and labor, the North Wilkesboro branch of the Duke Power company is going to let customers living in outlying districts read their own meters. Company employees will continue to read all meters in the Wilkesboro and in the thickly populated communities along the main highways leading out from the two towns. The company has arranged a very simple plan, and all customers are urged to cooperate in behalf of aiding the war effort by eliminating that much use of trucks, tires, gasoline and manpower. Postal cards which require no postage are being mailed to customers who live beyond Millers Creek, Mulberry school, Moravian Falls and Cabot. The card has dial representing a facsimile of the meter on the electric meter. The customer is asked to draw on the dial the exact position of the hands on the meter at the date of reading, and to place in the space provided the date of the reading. It is asked that the meters be read between the fifth and tenth of each month and reported on the cards which will be mailed. The card also contains a blank line for the customer to sign. While this plan will entail a great amount of office work for the company personnel, it is agreed that it will represent a big saving in critical materials and manpower and it is expected that the customers will cooperate fully. Company employees will make a check of meter readings at intervals of a few months. Coble Dairy Firm Buys Haynes Plant Newton, Nov. 27. — Announcement has been made here of the purchase of Haynes milk and ice cream business near Lincolnton by Coble Dairy products, incorporated, of Lexington and Wilkesboro. The firm has also purchased the Russell Creamery property at Lincolnton, it is understood. The new concern will operate milk routes in Lincoln and surrounding counties.

## Agree On Destruction German Army and Peace Terms

Text of the historic agreement reached by President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Churchill and Premier Stalin in the conference of the three powers in Iran were announced at one p. m. today. High spots in the document signed by the heads of the three great powers were: Agreement on the scope and timing of assaults on Germany to destroy the German armies and German war industry. Banish scourge of war for future generations by guaranteeing nations the right to govern themselves. Pledge relentless and increasing attacks on Germany by land, air and sea. The agreement did not mention unconditional surrender but the pledge to destroy the German armed forces was taken as a bid to the German people to accept the ultimatum. The document pledged assaults on Germany from the west, south and east.

## Bauguss to Have A Hearing Dec. 8th

Held in County Jail For The Alleged Murder Of Arnold Gilreath A preliminary hearing for Armfield Bauguss, now held in the county jail for the alleged murder of Arnold Gilreath, late of this city, will be held in the courthouse in Wilkesboro before Coroner I. M. Myers on Wednesday, December 8th, at 2 p. m. Bauguss is charged with fatally shooting Gilreath at Bauguss' home in the Traphill community on Sunday, November 28th, and he has been held in jail since sheriff's officers arrested him. It is expected that Bauguss will wave testimony until the December term of Wilkes superior court which convenes next Monday.

## Club Members Get Christmas Checks

Thousands of Dollars Sent Out Wednesday By Local Banking Houses Checks, totaling thousands of dollars, and representing the savings of 1943 Christmas Club members of both the Bank of North Wilkesboro and The Northwestern Bank, were mailed Wednesday, December 1st. A large number of people receiving these checks which will greatly increase the buying power for the holiday season, with extra dollars going into war bonds and stamps. Both banks now have their 1944 Christmas Savings Clubs open, and they invite the public to enroll in the several classes. By saving weekly on a systematic basis is a splendid way for club members to have sufficient money for 1944 Christmas shopping, to pay taxes, or to use for other necessary expenses.

## Juniors Raise Over \$300 For Children

North Wilkesboro Council Jr. O. U. A. M. No. 51 has recently contributed the sum of \$308.75 to the Children's Home at Lexington. During the 15th anniversary drive, local juniors raised \$350, and the recent Thanksgiving offering amounted to \$108.75. In addition to raising the fine sum of money for the children's home, thirty new members have recently been added to the lodge membership.

BUY MORE WAR BONDS