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Kiwanians Ask Construction 18 Miles Road 268

Resolution Passed Friday And Sent To Highway Commissioner.

North Wilkesboro Kiwanis Club in meeting Friday noon passed a resolution asking that highway 268 be constructed from Wilkesboro westward a distance of about 18 miles to the Caldwell county line.

Three Generations Baptised Together

Rev. S. I. Watts, a well-known Baptist minister of the Boomer community, baptized members of three generations in a baptismal service Sunday for the New Davis Memorial Baptist church.

Native of Wilkes Mediator In Oil Strike Situation

James O. Hubbard, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hubbard, of Moravian Falls, is in the national spotlight as one of three mediators in the far-flung oil strikes now threatening the security of the nation.

Four Boys Held For Thefts Here

Two Of Juvenile Age Taken For Breaking And Entering In This City.

Four boys, two of whom are in juvenile age, have been arrested here for breaking and entering and larceny.

Sgt. Harrold Gets Decoration; Saves Three Naval Men

Combat Staging Center, Iwo Jima.—Sgt. Walter B. Harrold has recently been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for his participation in the rescue of three naval pilots downed in Tokyo Bay.

Gets Bronze Star



Pfc. Jennings Is Given Medal For Heroism In Action

Pfc. James E. Jennings, son of Mrs. D. L. Jennings, of State Road, and husband of the former Miss Valma Kennedy, of Elkin, has been awarded the bronze star for heroic achievement.

In New Company

Midway Pontiac Company, Inc., organized by R. R. Church and M. B. McNeill, is the newest addition to the business life of the Wilkesboros.

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Youth Center To ReOpen In City

The Youth Center sponsored and operated in North Wilkesboro by the local Junior Order Council will reopen on the top floor of the Frank Crow store building on C street this week.

George H. McNeill Lieutenant Colonel

Lt. Col. George H. McNeill, son of Attorney and Mrs. R. H. McNeill, of Washington, D. C., was recently promoted to his present rank.

St. Paul Mission Is Now In Progress

Freedom to live made possible through Christ was brought out in the opening sermon at the mission at St. Paul's church Wednesday night.

S. Iredell Minton Claimed By Death

Funeral service was held Wednesday at Mount Zion church for S. Iredell Minton, 59-year-old citizen of the Mount Zion community, who died Tuesday.

Sheets Child Dies

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Returns Home

Pvt. Luther (Pat) Morrison, who has been in service since January, 1944, was honorably discharged from the army September 20, at Stewart Field, N. Y.

All Veterans Asked To Attend Meeting Of Legion Friday

All veterans of World War I and II are cordially invited to the meeting of the Wilkes Post of the American Legion, to be held Friday night, 8 o'clock, at the Legion and Auxiliary club house.

U. S. E. S. Placing Handicapped On Available Jobs

The week of October 7-13 has been proclaimed by the President as "National Employ the Physically Handicapped Week."

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Major Bumgarner Now On Way Home From Jap Prison

Medical Corps Officer Was Busily Engaged During Stay In Prison Camp.

Major John R. Bumgarner, army medical corps officer, who was recently released from a Japanese prison camp after being a prisoner since the fall of Bataan, is now on the way home, according to the following letter received by his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. L. A. Bumgarner, of Millers Creek.

Presbyterian Church Will Have a Rally

The North Wilkesboro Presbyterian Sunday school will observe Rally Day Sunday morning, October 7, at 9:45, with a special program in the church auditorium.

OUR BOYS

T-5 RUSSELL WATSON RECEIVES DISCHARGE

LT. (JG) EDNA ANDREWS GOES TO CAMP LEJEUNE

Lt. (Jg) Edna Andrews, who had been stationed at the navy yard at Charleston, S. C., recently received orders to transfer to Camp Lejeune for dispensary duty.

PVT. GWYN NICHOLS RECEIVES DISCHARGE

Pvt. Gwyn Nichols, who had been stationed at Fort Sill, Okla., for the past four months, has received his discharge from the army and arrived yesterday at his home at Millers Creek.

To Begin Revival At Shady Grove On 7th

Revival services will begin Sunday night at Shady Grove church and continue through the week with services at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

RATION NEWS

MEATS AND FATS - Red Stamps A1, B1, C1, D1, E1, now valid; expire October 31; F1, G1, H1, J1, K1, now valid; expire November 30; L1, M1, N1, P1, Q1, now valid; expire December 31; R1, S1, T1, U1, V1, now valid; expire January 31. SUGAR - Sugar stamp No. 38 now valid; expires December 31. SHOES - Airplane Stamps Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, now good.