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Make North Wilkesboro Your Shopping Cent

Dr. Blackwell Is Speaker Friday At Kiwanis Meet

Mars Hill College President Says Teaching Should Be Full Time Job

Featured by an address by Dr. Hoyt Blackwell, president of Mars Hill College, the North Wilkesboro Kiwanis Club held its Christmas program Friday noon at Hotel Wilkes.

Friday was the time set some time ago for the exchange of Christmas presents. It was a delightful occasion. Every member had brought a nice present for some other member and Presidnet Gardner called on a number of the members to assist in giving out the presents, which were piled high at the front table.

At each person's plate was a lovely booklet of Christmas Carols given by President Gardner to his fellow members.

The program was in charge of T. Mitchell, who had as Dr. G. his speaker, Dr. Hoyt Blackwell, President of Mars Hill College. Dr. Blackwell made a very forceful talk on the subject. "Education and Public Service." He indicated that education without the spirit of service would like-i ly not end up well. He said that the slogan sometimes heard, Education or Chaos, is a false conclusion; saying that sometimes that Education and Chaos get on the same side. He championed the cause of the teacher, but put his teaching above the salary check at the end of the month. He offered the suggestion that teachers be through their they collegiate training when begin the work of teaching and then be allowed to work on a full 12 months basis. That when they are not in the class rooms after the nine months term, that they be given other types of community work with the children and young people and thereby be employed full time is His talk was such as to challenge thought and consideration.

Dr. W. F. Jones, a former Kiwanian, was welcomed back into membership in the club. Watson Brame was taken into the club as a new member and was inducted by Rev. Watt M. Cooper. The attendance prize was given by W. G. Gabriel and won by J C. Reins.

Guests were as follows: R. E. Gibbs had Martin Thom-, of Mt. Airy, C. V. Rogers, of



Martinsville. Ben Adair, of Elkin, Mack Laughborn of Winston-Salem; R. G. Finley had C. A Jackson; F. C. Hubbard had Bob Hubbard: H. P. Eller had Bobby Eller: D. E. Elledge had John W. Nichols; J. H. McNeill had David W. Smith; E. F. Gardner had Bill Gardner; G. R. Combs had J. C. Allen. Jr.; G. T. Mitchell had Mrs. Mitchell, Ray Inscore, Mrs. Madge Sturdivant and Dr. Hoyt Blackwell.

Holiday Program Enjoyed Friday By Local Lions

Colored Minister and Quartet Heard; Lions Help **Needy Families**

North Wilkesboro Lions club held an enjoyable meeting Friday evening at Hotel Wilkes.

Blair Gwyn, Shoun Kerbaugh and Dorman Payne were program committee for the evening. Rev. C. H. Williams, pastor of

the colored Presbyterian church, delivered an interesting address, in which he talked of a number of colored characters who have figured prominently in the fields of science, art, music and medicine.

The B. and W. quartet, composed of local colored men, sang a number of songs and were enthusiastically applauded.

Prior to the program names of underprivileged families were distributed to Lions present and basket for one or more families. Poole and Rev. Mr. Thompson Mrs. W. C. Brown and Mrs. Sam driving, speeding and manslaugh-Guests Friday were: James

Mock and James Ford with Paul Cashion; Bob Day with Charles Day; Jimmie Allen with Blair following sons and daughters: Gwyn.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Mathis and Messrs. Don and R. G. Mathis, Mrs. Charles Johnson, Mrs. Jul-

Will Be Closed On December 25.26

According to a previously adopted plan, stores in North Wlikesboro win be closed two days for Christmas, Wednesday and Thursday, December 25 and 26.

Both banks and a number of other business houses will also be closed two days, Wednesday and Thursday.

Grover C. Transou **Funeral Saturday**

Last rites were held Saturday at Edgewood Baptist church for Grover C. Transou, 53, well known citizen of Lovelace township who died Friday. Rev. Parls Robinson and Rev. Joe Parker

conducted the service. Mr. Transou is survived by his the following sons and daughters: Johnnie, Jennie and Ada Transou, Mrs. William Benge, Mrs. Della Call and Homer Tran-

8011.



Funeral service was held Sunthe Wilkesboro route two community who died Friday in a

conducted the last rites. Mr. Holland is survived by his wife, Mrs. Dora Holland, and the mate, North Wilkesboro.

Mrs. Carl Miller and R. N. Holland, Wilkesboro route two; Mrs. L. G. Harrold, Granite Falls;

Following an established pracice which gives the newspaper force a brief holiday period, The Journal-Patriot will not be issued on Thursday, December 25. The next issue of this news-Logan R. Church paper will appear on Monday, December 30. Readers are asked to call or send by mail news notes of their visitors and other news happenings.

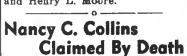


Funeral service was held today at the Advent Christian church at Boone for Mrs. H. C. Hodges, 82, who died Saturday

evening at her home near Boone. Mrs. Hodges, wife of the late H. C. Hodges, was the mother of Russell G. Hodges, of this city. He and two daughters. Mrs. J. C. Norris and Mrs. J. A. Hodges, ship, of North Wilkesboro, crash-

wife, Mrs. Lou Transou, and of near Boone, are the surviving ed. members of the immediate fam-According

ily. Those from here attending the Sidney Carter, the 1940 Ford funeral included Mr. and Mrs. coach driven by Blankenship left Russell Hodges, Mrs. J. D. Moore, Sr., Mrs. Mary Moore Hix traveled in the ditch line 100 and Henry L. Moore.



Funeral service will be held Tuesday at Roaring Gap church day afternoon. 2:30, at Fishing for Mrs. Nancy C. Collins, 64, Creek Baptist church for George who died Sunday. Rev. Grant skull was crushed, his neck was Paul Greene, and Holland, 66, prominent citizen of Cothren, Rev. Bd Hayes and Rev. broken and there were numerous Newton. Levi McCann will conduct the

service. Surviving Mrs. Collnis are each will provide a Christmas Statesville hospital. Rev. C. J. three daughters and one son:

> Osborne. • Thurmond: Charlie Collins and Mrs. Connie Shu-

Wilkes Transportation parents he is survived by the professions.

ter.

bruises about his body.

Patrolman Carter said

Blankenship is charged

In Auto Accident

Victim Of Crash

Was In Car Saturday Night

Driven By Verlin Blan-

kenship, Charges Filed

a car driven by Verlin Blanken-

learned by Highway Patrolman

On Highway 421

day, 2:30, at the home and bur- day. Dinner will be spread picnic ial was in the family cemetery, style at noon. All singers are Rev. Levi Greene conducted the cordially invited to take part. last rites.

Col. Ray Landsberger **Received Promotion** Col. Raymond Robert Landsberger, manager of the Jewel Box in this city, has received his promotion in the army air corps reserve from the rank of Lt. Colonel to rank of Colonel.

Logan R. Church, 22, was Col. Landsberger served for a crushed and instantly killed Saturday night, 9:30, 20 miles west army air corps officer in North Africa, Sicily and Italy. of this city on highway 421 when

Local Lodge Gives

Masonic Lodge Number 407 Makes Generous Gift To the pavement on the right side. Institution Through the generosity of the feet, struck a concrete culvert members of North Wilkesboro ment and skid on its side 87 Lodge No. 407 A. F. and A. M.

to the Oxford Orphanage on Blankenship and Miss Ruth December 15th. The Orphanage Committee of the Lodge is com-

only minor injuries. Ohurch's man. Ira D. Payne, W. W. Starr, L. Shumaker, Junior Warden; Walter R.

The Oxford Orphanage is owned, governed and operated by the that with Grand Lodge of Masons in North die Forester, Stewart; Claude K. Carolina, having been establishdriving while drunk, reckless ed in 1872. Six thousand North Canolina children have received

Logan Church was a son of Stony Fork. In addition to his life. Many are in the learned King; Troy Perry, Scribe; C. P. Forester will addist the conta Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Church, of

following brothers and sisters: Buses Take Two Days Mrs. I. A. Church and Mrs. G. ed and operated by the Masons Captain of Host; Frank H. Crow, him instructions for doing the Wilkes Transportation com- N. Green, North Wilkesboro; of North Carolina its services is Principal Sojourner; Ed Crysel, Jr., of Wilkesboro, Route 2, Mrs. ins Johnson, Mrs. E. L. Beshears, pany buses will not operate on Lonnia Church, Lenoir; Joseph not restricted to Children of Ma- Royal Arch Captain; Bruce Phil- the Extension Forester from the

will be held Sunday, December 29, at Little Rock Baptist church near Boomer. F. J. McDuffie,

Little Rock Church

Fifth Sunday singing of the

outhside Singing association

chairman, said the singing will begin immediately after Sunday school and continue through the



Liberty lodge number 45, North Wilkesboro lodge number long period during the war as an 407, and North Wilkesboro young stands of timber, especialchapter number 78, R. A. M., have named officers for the coming year as follows:

Liberty Lodge: Johnson Sanders, Master; Arlie R. Foster, Senior Warden; S. T. Anderson, Jun-\$350 to Orphans ior Warden; Carl Bullis, Treasurer; Charlie Lenderman, Secretary; Presley Joines, Senior Deacon; Page Choate, Junior Deacon; R. S. Godfrey, Senior Steward; Paul E. Soots, Junior Steward; F. F. Frazier, Tyler; Ed Crysel, Coach; W. N. Hayes, Chaplain.

Officers of the North Wilkesboro Lodge No. 407 A. F. and A. M. for the year 1947: Maurice E. Walsh, Master; Quincy B. cupants of the car, sustained posed of; Frank H. Crow, chair- Huffman, Senior Warden; Tam E. M. Blackburn, Treasurer; Frank H. Crow, Secretary; Haggie W. Faw, Senior Deacon; Cox Blevins, Junior Descon; Ed-

Key, Stewart; J. F. Shore, Tyler. North Wilkesboro Chapter No. its benefits and you will find and installation); Johnson Sandformer pupils in all walks of ers, High Priest; Maurice Walsh, the County Agent or the Far While the Orphanage is own- son, Secretary; Tam Shoemaker, his demonstration acre and give

In Wilkes County

Contest Planned

Chamber of Commerce And Extension Service Join In Forestry Work

"We are fortunate here in Wilkes County to have considerable areas of our woodlands in young trees. However, timber

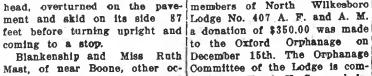
like any other crop needs a certain amount of cultural operations to obtain maximum returns. Many of our stands of young timber are full of inferior kinds of

trees hindering the growth and often crowding out the more valuable trees. Then often our ly young pine timber, are growing too thick and are thus becoming stunted and considerable valuable growth and time is thu being lost." R. D. Smith, county

agent, said here today. To encourage the boys of the county to work their timber, th Wilkes Chamber of Commerce and the Agrciultural Extensio service are spensoring a conte in timber thinning or Timbe Stand Improvement for Wilke County fram boys between th

ages of 14 to 18 years, inclusive, Between January 1, 1947 an April 1, 1947 the boys entering the contest will be required t thin or otherwise improve stand of young timber on on acre. The Wilkes Chamber' Commerce is offering substantia prizes for the best work don provided at least twenty boys in the county participate in contest.

To enter the contest appli tion should be made to R. I 78, Royal Arch Masons (election Smith, County Agent, of Wilks boro. Before any thinning is don Walter, Treasurer; J. C. Gray- ant in selecting and measuring job. At the close of the conic



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