

way patrol, said that a car driven by William J. Burchett was with a pickup truck driven by Hubert T. French, of Winston-Salem, who was traveling west.

and lost a number of teeth. French had chest injuries and head cuts. Richard Gentry and Fred Smith, Winston-Salem men with French, were also injured. Gentry had broken ribs and a neck injury. Smith had one leg broken. Both vehicles, apparently in good condition, were badly damaged.

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completed. In the meantime

equipment will be set up and

drills held in approved tempor-

Naval Reserve armories are be-

Forty-Five Men In Company

Eleven Men In Platoon

men and one officer, whose qual-

the companies. The warfare pla-

toons will normally be organiz-

Companies and Platoons

Sgt. Clark said that Mr. Burchett informed him that the brakes on his car failed as he ed personnel can be found. tried to slow down after pulling out to pass another car.



Under sponsorship of the North Wilkesboro Lions Club, an all day and evening bingo party will be held Saturday this week for the infantile paralysis fund. The Northwestern Paint and Wall Paper company, which recently leased the building adjaent to the Town Hall on Main treet, very generously donated se of the building for the Bingo party, which will get under way Saturday night about nine o'elock.

Dorman Payne and Bill Lee compose the committee in charge of arranging the Bingo Party. They have secured numerous prizes to be used. Everybody is invited to play and thus aid in raising Wilkes county's quota of learning the electronic field. \$4,500 in the current polio campaign.

## **R. G. Finley Named** Vice President Of Bank N. Wilkesboro

In the January meeting of the ed in localities where sufficient board of directors of the Bank personnel is not available for the of North Wilkesboro R. G. Fin- organization of a company. ley was elected vice president of the bank, succeeding S. V. Tomlinson, who died recently. Mr. Finley, a prominent local toons are members of the Volunoard of directors of the bank. weeks training cruise or two Wilkesboro gymnasium.

organized throughout the Sixth may be authorized, and there Naval District and at present will be opportunities for advance- W. Posts are participating in this Lee have been employed to di- center without too many transtraveling east when it collided companies in Columbia, S. C. and ment in rating. These units will birthday tribute to the Com- rect the activities of the Wilkes portation problems. Charlotte, N. C. have been acti- replace the pre-war organization mander-in-Chief. vated. Weekly drills are now be- known as the Naval Communicaing conducted every Thursday tion Service. Burchett sustained broken ribs |evening at eight o'clock, with Each locality where platoons

Headquarters Sixth Naval District (NAO-7) acting as master control station. The primary fre- tion, which will be manned durquency for these drills is 2792 ing drill periods by reservists. KC's and 2656 KC's is the sec-Get Amateur Call Sign

The Federal commiunications Lieutenant Commander H. M. commission will assign amateur Kennickell, of Winston-Salem, radio call signs to all Navy Re-Naval Reserve Representative serve radio stations, for the purfor this area announced today pose of establishing emergency that North Wilkesboro may get communication service in the a local unit if sufficient interestevent of local emergencies or disaster.

The units will be primarily for Non Veterans Eligible For V-6 those reservists who have had Enlistments in the Postwar communication, radar and teach-Volunteer Naval Reserve are now nical electronic experience, howopen to non veterans 17 to 18 1-2 ever there will be openings for those interested in learning the

The Electronic Warfare Companies and Platoons will participate in drills with each other and with the organized Reserves when the Reserve Armories are Ex-Army men and Marines may school buildings.

also retain their ratings in certain instances. Navy Recruiters Here

ary places. Equipment for all A Navy recruiter will visit ginning at 7:30 p. m. units will be available in the here each Wednesday to furnish information and accept enlistments into the inactive reserve 27, Traphill; January 28, Fergu- sentative of the congregation of ing established in Winston-Salas well as the regular Navy. The son; January 29, Roaring Riv- the First Presbyterian church em. Greensboro, Charlotte, Ashe-

ville, Raleigh, Durham and Wil-Wilkesboro Post Office 10 a. m. January 31, Ronda. to 5 p. m. on Wednesdays.

All Navy Recruiting offices in North Carolina now remain open strumental numbers and comedy, Each Reserve Electronic Warthe rank of Lieutenant com- date those people who work dur- public know what the National themselves a large place in the mander and below with com- ing the day time and may desire Foundation is doing to combat munication and electronic classi- to enlist in the Reserve at night. Infantile Paralysis, the great munity. fications, and enlisted men with All Veterans must present their and deadly crippler of children discharge papers and Navy and and adults. The public is invited Radioman, radarman, Electronic rated men who have an electronic present their "Notice of Separa- to be ready to make contributions Mrs. Alexander, technicians mate rates, and non

vice," (form No. 553). The Reserve Electronic War- Square Dance 30th fare Platoon will consist of ten

ifications will be the same as for Another enjoyable square Lincoln Heights chairman. dance will be held Thursday



North Wilkesboro Basketball mufacturer, has for many teer Reserve, and will be given B team will play Roaring River rs been a member of the the opportunity to request a two Friday night, 7:30, in the North Support T. M. C. A.

Teen-Age Center.

Contact any member of local will have its own Navy radio sta- you an "on the spot" member. Don't Wait-Join Now!

> **Polio Shows Are Being Shown At** Blue Ridge Ramblers And

**Movie Provide Interest**ing Program

World war II veterans who were Ridge Ramblers, popular Wilkes ity will join in a service of aphonorably discharged and are 17 string band composed of Mack preciation and God-speed to Dr. to 64 years old are eligible and Wood, Glenn Canter, Percy Bil- and Mrs. David E. Browning and Company is now open at its new all qualified ex-Navy and Coast lings, Jones Wood and Roy Tay- their sons, David and Phillip, Guard men may retain the rate lor, are putting on free shows in who will leave next week for in which they were discharged. a number of Wilkes county Richmond, Virginia, where Dr. Church Hardware Co. N. S. For-

The schedule of these shows for the remainder of this month church. are as fellows with the show be-

January 23, Mount Pleasant;

band show with vocal and in-Coast Guard veterans must also to all the shows, and are asked background or are interested in tion from the U. S. Naval Ser- to the polio fund if they so desire.

Larry Moore, county polio chairman, said today that Colan Pardue has accepted chairman-At Morayian Falls ship of the campaign at Ronda day at Double Creek church in and that Mrs. L. H. Anderson is

A Bingo party on Saturday, all night, January 30, at Moravian day and up to nine at night, will who died Saturday. Falls. All are invited to make be held in the building next to and the annual infantile paralysis dance will be held on the night

of January 31 at the American Legion and Auxiliary clubhouse.



Everyone of the 10.000 V. F. Kerbaugh and Mr. and Mrs. Bill immediate area to attend the

Two new ping pong tables with Kerbaugh and Lee also an- complete equipment have been post 1142, Veterans of Foreign nounced that the center would added to the equipment of the Wars, and he has enough infor- be open this Friday and Saturday Teen-Age Center, and the chiland companies are established mation and authority to make nights at the V. F. W. Hall. It dren have been enjoying the use was originally planned to have of these tables for several weeks.

The children of Wilkes are inthe center open one week in Wilkesboro and the next week in vited to attend the center and North Wilkesboro, but the prob- join in all the activities. More lem of moving the equipment detailed plans of the activities from one meeting place to the will be announced in the near other has necessitated holding future.

Wilkes Schools APPRECIATION SERVICE FOR DR. AND MRS. D. E. BROWNING SUNDAY On Sunday evening at seven- North Wilkesboro

merchants.

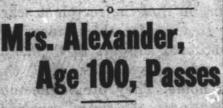
pany in the past.

thirty the members of the three In conjunction with the March churches of North Wilkesboro years old and 30 to 40 years old. of Dimes program, the Blue and the citizens of the commun-Browning is to become the min-

ister of the River Road Baptist panded facilities of the whole-

Dr. Gilbert R. Combs, minister of the First Methodist Church. will preside over the service and January 24, Mulberry; January talks will be made by a reprerecruiter will be at the North er; January 30, Millers Creek; and by Dr. Combs, with a re-

sponse by Dr. Browning. Special known to the merchants in this In addition to a splendid string music will feature the service. Dr. Browning has been the now connected with the North popular minister of the North Wilkesboro Candy Company and fare company will consist of forty from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m. Monday a sound movie, "The Miracle of Wilkesboro First Baptist church will represent the firm on the men and five officers. The quali- through Fridays, and 8 a. m. to Hickory," is being shown. This for two and a half years and he road. He stands ready to extend at ten a. m. and continue until fications for officers will be in 4 p. m. on Saturdays, to accomo- picture is designed to let the and his family have made for esteem and affections of the com-



the state. Funeral service was held Mon-Walnut Grove township for Wilkes county's oldest resident, Mrs. Nancy Catherine Alexander,

Mrs. Alexander, 100 years old. the town hall for the polio fund, is survived by three sons, W. F. and Joe Alexander, of Hays, and Sam Alexander, of Abshers. She had been in normal health until recently.

thur Gambill and Rev. Wirt

facilities, and central heat. This does not include anything for libraries, laboratories, cafeterias, or auditoriums except at schools

where there is no auditoriums at present. This list does not include any room for expected increase in enrollment but is listed to give an accurate picture of the conditions that exist today. (Total cost under the second survey, which is not published here, was estimated at \$1,032,-700)

Buildings needed to bring all schools up to a satisfactory standard.

Schools listed by districts. Wilkesboro: A new unit with

12 class rooms, library, science laboratory, home economics, and agriculture departments, cafeteria, and auditorium, heating and plumbing, \$192,000.00.

Boomer: Two toilet rooms, boiler room, heating, plumbing, and sewage disposal system, \$10,-500.00.

Brushy Mountain: A new unit with 4 class rooms, library, lunch room, and auditorium with watsystem, \$63,640.00.

Ferguson: 3 class rooms, library, science laboratory, cafeteria, with heat, plumbing, and sewage system, \$52,800.00.

Moravian Falls: 2 class rooms, confectioners, and notions and will sell only to bona fide retail auditorium, lunch room, and boiler room. Heat, plumbing and

R. C. Morrow, who is better Somers: A new unit consisting of 9 class rooms, library, cafeteria, and auditorium. Water, heat, plumbing, and sewage system, \$131,000.00.

Mt. Pleasant: A new unit consisting of 10 class rooms, library, home economics; and agriculture departments and auditorium, water, heat, plumbing, and sew-North Wilkesboro Candy Comage system, \$147,000.00.

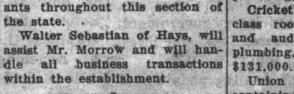
Mr. Forester wishes to express 12 class rooms, library, science his sincere appreciation for the laboratory, home economics, and business given the Company in vocational agriculture departthe past years and solicits the ments, and cafeteria, heat and future patronage of the merchplumbing, \$114,900.00.

Cricket: A new unit with nine class rooms, library, cafeteria, and auditorium. Water, heat, plumbing, and sewage system,

Union Township: A new unit containing 10 class rooms. Ilbrary, cafeteria, and auditorium. water, heat, plumbing, and sew-

age system, \$136,800.00. Mulberry: Three class rooms, library, and cafeteria, \$35,000. Fairplains: A new complete unit consisting of 8 class rooms, library, cafeteria, and auditorium with water, heat, plumbing, See - SCHOOLS - Page 5

dle all business transactions \$131,000.00. 80



## Pie Supper

The Wilkesboro Senior Service Scouts are sponsoring a pie supper Friday night, January 31st, at 7:30. All ladies please bring a pie. There will be entertain-

Rev. L. E. Sparks, Rev. Ar- ment following the auction.

Walker conducted the service. SUPPORT THE Y. M. C. A.

**Candy Company In New Location Here** The North Wilkesboro Candy

location on Tenth street in the building formerly occupied by

ester stated that he feels the ex- er, heat, plumbing and sewage sale business now made available to the merchants of Wilkes

and surrounding counties, will deal in candies, tobaccos, hosiery,

sewage system, \$46,250.00.

territory as the "Camel Man", is the same courteous service to the buying public that has characterized the policies of the

Miller's Creek: A new unit with