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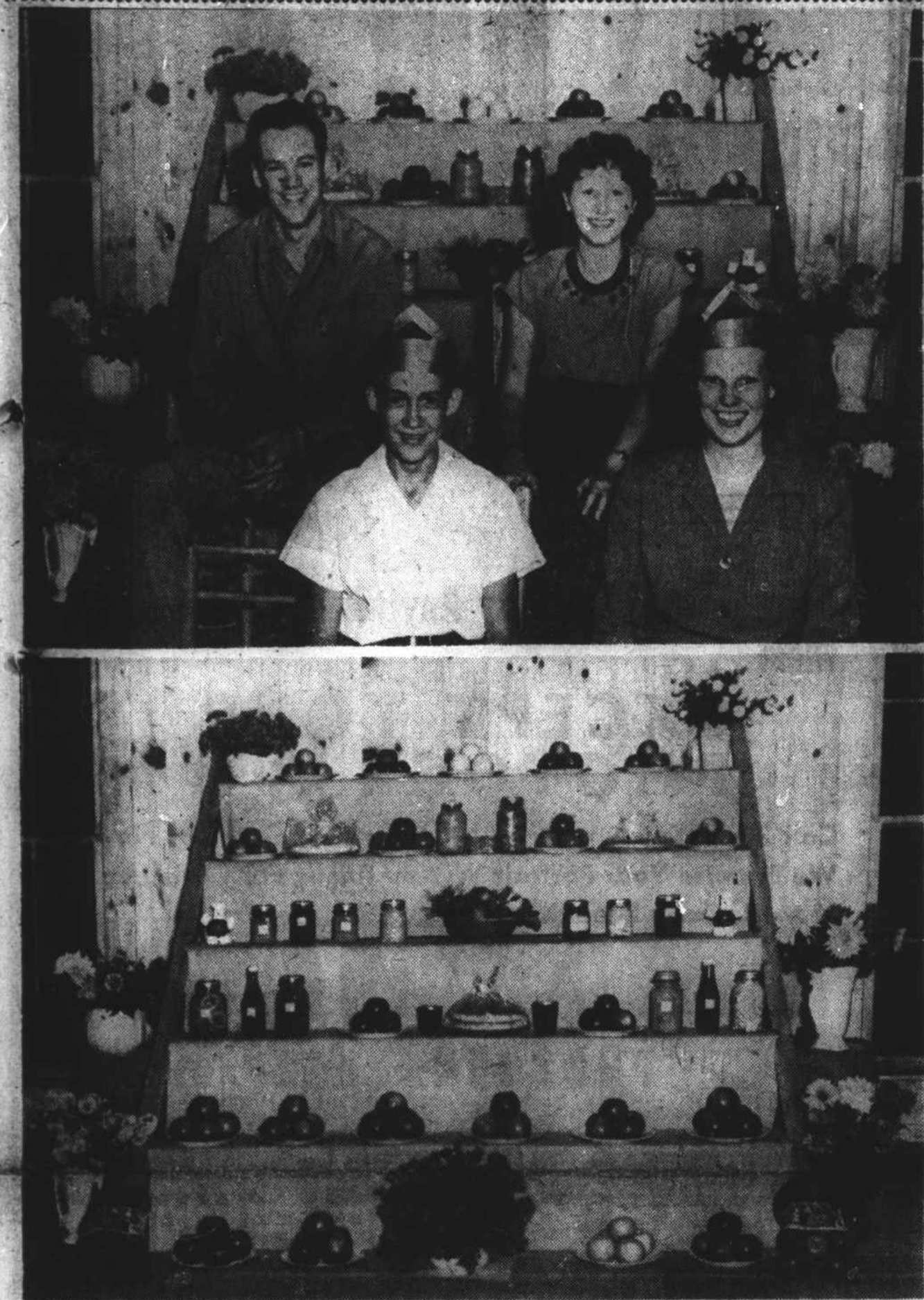
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Apple Festival At Pores Knob A Great Success



The top photo shows Mack Wiles, front left and Anne Broyhill, front right, who were crowned king and queen of the recent apple festival held at Pores Knob. Behind them are Worth Bentley and Betty Lowe, second place winners. The lower photo shows the elaborate apple display which was a feature of the festival. (Photos by Don Frazier).

Firm's Anniversary



Ray Landsberger, manager of The Jewel Box in North Wilkesboro, has laid plans for the firm's second anniversary event in North Wilkesboro for this month, which coincides with The Jewel Box's 26th anniversary in this state.

Funerals For 2 Service Men To Be Oct. 15, 16

Funeral service for Pvt. Leonard H. Smith, who lost his life in World War II, will be held on Saturday at 11 a. m. at Antioch Baptist church, and burial will be in the church cemetery. Pvt. Smithey was a son of Monroe Smithey, of Roaring River route two.

Body of Pfc. Elmer J. Coffey has arrived and funeral date has been set for Sunday at two p. m. at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James F. Coffey, in the Haymeadow community. Pfc. Coffey died of wounds on Anguar Island in the Pacific September 19, 1944.

Mrs. Martha Church is very ill at the home of her son, Mr. Turner Church, at Boomer.

Pores Knob Has A Picnic and Festival

The Picnic and Apple Festival sponsored by the Pores Knob Home Demonstration Club held Saturday evening, Oct. 2, at the community house, was a very enjoyable and successful occasion. At 6 p. m., a long table was spread in the yard with all the good things to eat that good cooks know how to prepare and the majority of the community's families enjoyed eating together, along with friendly conversations.

The "Wishing Well" proved to be the center of attraction after supper as everybody wanted to fish from the lovely well while Miss Anne Broyhill played piano selections.

At 7:30 p. m., small apple favors were handed to the guests by Ralph and Charlie Bentley, after which the president of the club, Mrs. J. M. Bentley, gave a few words of welcome, and then conducted an apple contest with first and second winners being Keith Bentley and J. B. Parlier. Mrs. Bentley introduced Mr. Carl VanDeman, horticulturist for Alexander and Wilkes counties, who made some announcements about the horticulture school to be held at the Pores Knob community house on December 2 and 3, and delivered the address of the evening.

The apple growers were called on for brief talks to which some responded, followed by a brief report from the chairman of the community house building committee, Mr. J. B. Parlier.

Joel Bentley was asked to conduct the election for the Apple King and Queen for 1949, who, with Mrs. J. B. Parlier acting as secretary, and Kenneth Broyhill as treasurer, made this a very successful event. Those entering the race were Mack Wiles, Worth and Jimmy Bentley, Marvin Ashley, Jr., Edwin Marlow, Herbert Broyhill, and Billy Anderson; Misses Ruth Marlowe, Betty, Alida, and Anne Broyhill, Betty Lowe, Mary Nell Ashley, Wanda Smith, Ruth Ann Lackey, and Nancy Blevins. The winners were Mack Wiles, king, and Anne

Broyhill, queen, and they were crowned by Kenneth Broyhill, who also presented each a nice gift from the Pores Knob Home Club. The runner-ups, with close second place, were Worth Bentley and Betty Lowe.

The community house was beautifully decorated in fall colors, using yellow ruffles at the windows and shades of orange for the tables and well. The beautiful and interesting apple product booth was also covered in those colors, and was the center of attraction for the stage, while many beautiful flowers were attractively used.

The net proceeds of the evening amounted to \$196.26, and will be used toward paying for the completion of the community house.

Don Frazier, from Frazier's Studio, Lincolnton, was present and made pictures of the apple booth, and the King and Queen as they were crowned.

The club expresses its appreciation to everyone who helped to make this program a success. —Reported by Mrs. J. M. Bentley.

Jayvees Defeat Concord 19 To 0

North Wilkesboro football B team defeated the Oxford Jayvees here Saturday night in a well played football game 19 to 0.

Gillian scored two with quarterback sneaks and McNeill one on an end-around. Ward made the extra point through the line. The North Wilkesboro team outclassed the visitors all the way. Here Saturday night the local Jayvees will play Glen Alpine.

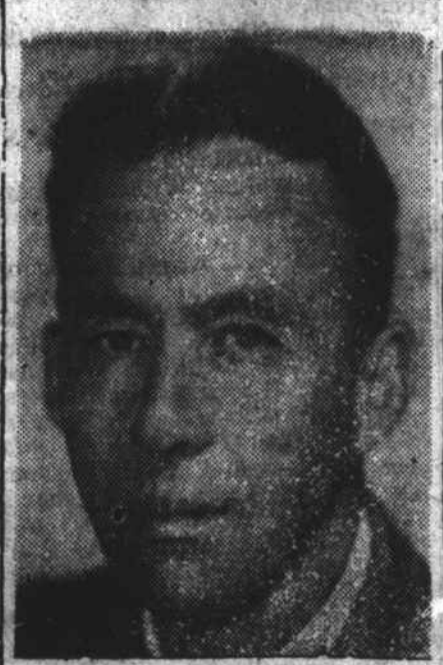
Wilkesboro Jayvees Win Tuesday 31 To 0

Wilkesboro football B team won easily Tuesday afternoon 31 to 0 over Granite Falls B team on Wilkesboro field.

In the touchdown parade, Dancy scored two, Byrd two, and Glass 1. Dancy kicked one extra point. The visitors never seriously threatened and were completely outclassed throughout.

HOSPITAL TRUSTEES ARE APPOINTED

Will Speak Here



United States Senator Harry P. Cain, of the state of Washington, will be the feature speaker at the northwest North Carolina Republican rally to be held Saturday, 2:30 p. m., in Memorial Park in this city.

Republican Rally Many Counties Here Saturday

Senator Harry P. Cain, Of Washington, Will Be Feature Speaker

United States Senator Harry P. Cain, of the state of Washington, will address a rally of northwest North Carolina Republicans to be held Saturday at 2:30 at Memorial Park in this city. Republican executive committee of ten counties is sponsoring the rally, which is expected to be a highlight of the Republican campaign in North Carolina this fall.

Candidates and party leaders who will participate include Geo. Pritchard, candidate for governor; Kyle Hayes, candidate for lieutenant governor; Watt H. Gragg, candidate for commissioner of agriculture; Lafayette Williams, eighth district congressional nominee; Clyde Greene, ninth district congressional nominee; T. E. Story, candidate for the legislature; Troy C. Foster, candidate for register of deeds; M. F. Absher, C. C. Sidden, and I. J. Broyhill, candidates for county commissioners; Sim A. DeLapp, state chairman.

Democrats Plan Township Rallies During Campaign

Watson Brame, county chairman of the Democratic party, announces that interest is running high in the various townships concerning the coming election, and that the Democratic township chairmen in the various townships plan big rallies, to which the public is invited on the following dates:

- Reddies River, Friday, October 15, at Millers Creek high school.
- Lewis Fork, Saturday, October 16, at Mt. Pleasant school.
- Rock Creek, Saturday, October 16, at Mtn. View schoolhouse.
- Traphill No. 3, Friday, October 22, at Austin school.
- Edwards No. 3, Saturday, October 23, at Benham school.
- Union, Friday, October 29th, at Whittington school.
- Boomer, Saturday, October 30, at Boomer school.

All of these meetings will be held at the hour of 7:30 p. m. As an added attraction to the public hearing the Democratic candidates for county commissioner, register of deeds, and house of representatives, will be recognized. There will also be several good string bands at some of these meetings.

Mr. Brame announces further that there will be other meetings in the other townships, but that definite date has not as yet been decided upon. Those desiring further information, may contact their local township chairman or Mr. Brame.

Mr. R. L. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. John Jones attended the Forsyth county fair in Winston-Salem last week.

Baptist Pastors To Meet Here Monday

The Wilkes Baptist Pastors' Conference will meet no Monday, October 18, at 10:00 a. m., at Reins-Sturdivant Chapel. The program will consist of a devotional message, and a period of business will take place. Reports from the pastors on Evangelistic work done during the summer will be given, and a closing message by one of the pastors will be heard. All members of the Conference are urged to be present. Visitors are welcome.

Revival Service At Gordon Church

Revival services will begin at Gordon Baptist church Sunday night, October 17, at 7:30 p. m. Rev. Finley Miller, of West Jefferson, will be the guest minister, assisting the pastor, Rev. Clate Brown, of Oakwoods.

Rev. Mr. Brown extends an invitation to all to attend this revival. Special singing by the choir and visiting quartets will be featured throughout the series of meetings.

Announce Revival At Mount Carmel

Revival services will begin on Sunday night at Mt. Carmel Baptist church and continue throughout the week with services each evening at 7:30. Rev. Ed O. Miller, pastor, will be in charge. The public is cordially invited to all the services.

Democrats To Meet Millers Creek 15th

Democrats of Reddies River and adjoining townships will meet Friday, October 15, at 7:30, at Millers Creek school. Democratic candidates for county offices will be present and a speaker will address the meeting. "Everyone interested in good government of Wilkes county is urged to attend," announcement of the meeting said.

Shady Grove Church Has A Good Revival

Shady Grove Baptist church in Somers township closed a very successful revival Sunday, October 10. Rev. L. T. Younger, pastor, was assisted by Rev. G. D. White, who brought messages which were received with much interest. There were 13 additions to the church, nine by baptism and four by letter. The services were well attended throughout the week.

Democrats Attend 8th District Rally

A good delegation of Democrats from Wilkes county attended the district rally of the eighth congressional district at Carthage, on the 11th day of October, where an enthusiastic crowd heard inspiring speeches delivered by Senator Umstead, Governor and Nominee W. Kerr Scott, and Congressman C. B. Deane.

It is expected that Senator Umstead, Scott, and Congressman Deane will be in North Wilkesboro October 21, and definite notice of this meeting will be given later.

Revival Services At Moravian Falls

Revival will begin Sunday night at 7:30, at the Moravian Baptist church and will continue throughout the week. The pastor, Rev. Roger Gwaltney, will be assisted by Rev. Homer Goode, of Stony Point. The public is cordially invited to all services.

Scout Leadership Training Course

Next session of the Boy Scout leadership training course will be held tonight, 7:30, at the North Wilkesboro school. A large attendance of Scouters is desired.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Miller and two daughters, Vivian and Gloria, all of High Point, and Mr. Miller's mother, Mrs. U. A. Miller, of North Wilkesboro route 3, were week-end visitors to Asheville. While there they secured tickets to visit the Biltmore Estate which is well worth anyone's time and money to see.

Singing Sunday At Millers Creek

The public is cordially invited to a singing to be held Sunday, October 17, at 1:30 p. m., at the Millers Creek tabernacle. Evangelist Harvey Phillips and his radio singers will take part and other singers are requested to participate. Rev. Mr. Phillips will deliver a short message following the singing.

Training Course For Adults Scouts

Duties of Adult Scouts will be the subject discussed at the Girl Scout Training Course next Monday night at 7:30 in the North Wilkesboro Little House.

All committee members should attend this session and it is hoped that all who registered for the course will come Monday night.

Orchardists Plan To Show Apples In Raleigh Soon

Brushy Mountain apple growers are especially interested in the horticulture products department, particularly the apple exhibits at the state fair next week in Raleigh. The cash prizes for all thirty classes of apple exhibits total over six hundred dollars, according to Carl E. VanDeman, specialist in horticulture for Wilkes and Alexander counties.

The first prize in the large commercial display class is one hundred dollars. This class consists of twenty trays as follows: five trays each of four different standard commercial varieties. Class 2 consists of three bushel baskets of only one of the following standard varieties: Bonum, Delicious, Golden Delicious, Grimes, Red Limbertwig, Stayman, Starking or Richard, Staymared or Blaxtayan, Winesap or any other one variety. The first prize in this class is \$30.00.

Class 3 is a single bushel basket of any one variety listed above. \$10.00 is offered as the first prize. Other classes consist of five trays, three trays, and one tray of one variety. Two dollars will be given for the best single plate of five apples in each variety. No apple grower should think that he does not have apples enough to enter the competition at the state fair. All it takes is five perfect apples of any one variety. The last class in the apple exhibits is the best plate collection of not less than ten named varieties. First place in this class will win some grower the sum of \$20.00.

Steak Supper At Mulberry Saturday

A steak supper will be served Saturday, October 16, six until eight p. m., at the Mulberry community house for benefit of the Baptist Home building fund. A charge of \$1.00 per plate will be made, and everybody is invited.

"Coon On The Log"

"Coon On The Log" will be held at Burt Brown's lake near Traphill school Sunday, October 17, for the benefit of the Traphill gymnasium fund. The public is cordially invited to the event which will begin at one p. m.

Big Increase In Boy Scouts Reported for Wilkes In Year

The Wilkes district of the Old Hickory Council of the Boy Scouts of America is completing a very successful year and it really is a big and vital business in the county, states L. M. Nelson, chairman of the Wilkes district. "Last year this district won the silver cup for having the largest increase in new Cubs and Boy Scouts over the entire council, with a gain of 23 per cent. Naturally we were very proud for this honor to come to Wilkes county, and we hope to continue this healthy growth. Next to our churches, the Boy and Girl Scout organizations are two of the greatest assets we have for building character and good citizenship into our young people. These same young people will be our leaders and citizens of the near future."

Hix Is Chairman Group Appointed By Mayor Of City

Application Will Be Made This Month For Large Sum For Hospital

Board of nine trustees have been appointed for the 100-bed hospital to be erected by North Wilkesboro with the aid of funds provided under the Hill-Burton act and the North Carolina Medical Care Commission.

The trustees were appointed by Mayor T. S. Kenerly and approved by the city board of commissioners following the special election in which the voters approved by a big majority the proposal to issue \$275,000 in bonds as the city's part of the hospital cost of about \$1,200,000.

The trustees, with term of office for each, were named as follows: J. R. Hix, five years; W. K. Sturdivant and R. G. Finley, four; Edd F. Gardner and J. B. Carter, three; A. F. Kilby and P. W. Eshelman, two; G. G. Foster and H. L. Moore, one.

All of those appointed accepted membership and have been sworn in. At a meeting of the trustees held Friday, J. R. Hix was named chairman, P. W. Eshelman as vice chairman, and R. G. Finley, secretary.

The trustees voted to name the new institution the Wilkes General Hospital.

Preliminary details were completed for formal application of funds from state and federal governments before November 1, when applications will close for the present calendar year.

Mayor Kenerly explained that four members of the board of trustees, J. R. Hix, R. G. Finley, J. B. Carter, and P. W. Eshelman, are members of the board of the present Wilkes Hospital and are experienced in dealing with problems of hospital operation.

Football Teams Away This Week

Local Jayvees And Glen Alpine Varsity To Play Here Saturday Nite

Only football game in the Wilkesboro this week-end will be the North Wilkesboro B team versus the Glen Alpine varsity Saturday night at 7:30 in Memorial Park.

The North Wilkesboro Mountain Lions will face what may be their toughest foe this season when they play Barium Springs there Friday afternoon, three o'clock. It will be home coming at Barium and the orphanage boys will be trying to redeem themselves for letting the Spencer eleven tie them last week. Coach Jack Sparks has his boys ready here, although it appears that Rousseau and Hudson, backs, may be out for the season with injuries.

The Wilkesboro Ramblers will try to make it 14 victories in a row when they play Mills Home at Thomasville Friday. Last year Wilkesboro defeated Mills Home without too much trouble but the Baptist orphanage is reported to have a vastly improved team this year. Coach Hoffman reports the Wilkesboro squad in good condition for the contest, which will begin at three o'clock.