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FOOD PRODUCTION WINNERS HONORED AT LUNCHEON



Here are pictured the 4-H club boys and girls whose food production and leadership in 1948 won for them cash prizes given by the North Wilkesboro Kiwanis club, which were presented at the luncheon meeting Friday noon. Seated in front of the food producers are County Agent Paul Choplin, Assistant Home Agent Margaret Morrison, and Assistant County Agent H. C. Colvard. Left to right, front row, are: Georgia Lou Sprinkle, Julia Felts, Polly Cornette, Carolina Ferguson, Walter Broyhill, Reba Cleary; back row: Kathleen Sebastian, Bobbie Brooks, Doris Miller, Rachel Scroggs, Buddy Mathis, Herbert Broyhill, Ray Huffman, Edwin McGee. Photo by Lane's Studio.

ACHIEVEMENT DAY IS GREAT EVENT FOR 4-H CLUB MEMBERS IN WILKES

By H. C. COLVARD (Assistant County Agent) Regular 4-H Club meetings were held recently in the Benham, Traphill and North Wilkesboro schools. With a total of 65 boys attending. Plans for our 4-H Club Achievement Day were discussed along with forestry timber stand improvement and tree planting.

Our annual 4-H Club Achievement Day was held in the City Hall of North Wilkesboro on January 14, beginning at 10:00 a. m. This program was in charge of Buddy Mathis, 4-H Club County Council President. The program was as follows:

Call to order, Buddy Mathis, President, 4-H Council; Invocation, Dr. John T. Wayland, pastor, First Baptist church, North Wilkesboro; 4-H Club Pledge, led by Buddy Mathis; 4-H Songs, Rachel Scroggs, Polly Cornette, George Lou Sprinkle, Doris Miller and Bobby Brooks.

Welcome and recognition of guests, Buddy Mathis; Recognition of officers, H. C. Colvard, Assistant County Agent; Song, "This Little 4-H Light of Mine," Group; Passing Parade Achievement 1948, County Winners; Awarding of Prizes, Margaret C. Morrison, H. C. Colvard; Food production prizes, W. K. Sturdivant, member of Kiwanis Club.

Following the Achievement Day Program our 4-H Club members were in charge of the Kiwanis Club program at their regular meeting. At this time our county winners in the Food Production Contest sponsored by the North Wilkesboro Kiwanis Club were recognized. These winners are as follows:

1st prize \$25.00, Toby Wellborn, 25,250 pounds corn and beef. 2nd Prize \$20.00, Edwin McGee—17,750 pounds food, including corn, small grain and beef. 3rd Prize \$10.00, Herbert and Walter Broyhill—7,920 pounds food in the form of fruit. 4th Prize \$5.00, Ray Huffman—1,745 pounds beef. 1st Prize \$30.00, Edith Marie Ferguson—2,160 pounds of beef. 2nd Prize \$20.00, Carolina Ferguson—1,980 pounds of beef. 3rd prize \$10.00, Reba Cleary—925 pounds of beef.

Miss Margaret Morrison, Assistant Home Agent gave the meaning of the 4-H's followed by the reading of the Passing Parade by Rachel Scroggs a 4-H Club member. Edwin McGee 4-H club member of Mt. Pleasant gave a short talk on his trip to the National 4-H Club Congress and the International Livestock and Seed Exposition. The program ended with a song by the 4-H Club members present.

All county winners were given a banquet by the Duke Power Company of North Wilkesboro at 6:30 p. m., at the Carolina Restaurant. These winners and their parents were recognized at this program. Mr. L. R. Harrill, 4-H Club Leader was at his best in rendering a very inspirational talk to these winners and their parents.

W. J. Earp requests the attendance of all Democrats of Boomer township at a meeting to be held at Boomer school house Tuesday night, January 25, at seven o'clock. It will be a business meeting and a large attendance is urged.

Jones Is Honored At Convention Of Poultry Processors

Forrest E. Jones, president of the Wilkes Mountain Poultry Products company, was elected a member of the executive committee of the processors division of Southeastern Poultry and Egg Association in annual convention January 15 through 17 in Atlanta, Ga.

The executive committee is composed of five members. The Association covers eleven southeastern states. Mr. Jones was accompanied to the convention by Harry Hettiger, secretary-treasurer of the Wilkes Mountain Poultry Products company. En route they visited a number of processing plants in South Carolina and Georgia.

Weed control through the use of 2,4-D is coming into increasing use in wheat, corn, and other grain fields.

Van Church Dies In Navy In California

Van Church, 30, of the Moxley community, of Wilkes county, who died Monday night at the naval hospital in Oakland, Calif., will be brought back to Wilkes for funeral and burial.

Church, a chief petty officer in the navy, had been seriously ill for the past month. Funeral arrangements are incomplete pending arrival of the body here.

Mr. Church was born February 25, 1918, son of the late J. P. and Clemma Church, of Moxley. He enlisted in the navy in 1940 and at the time of his death was stationed at the naval supply base at Oakland, California.

Survivors are his wife, his mother, one brother and six sisters.

Leonard Turley Is Author of New Book

Leonard Turley, formerly of North Wilkesboro and now residing in Louisville, Ky., is author of a new and popular book entitled, "That Barton Boy."

The story, especially adaptable to boys and interesting to all readers, revolves around the activities of two boys and in their colored pal in camping, fishing, travels and other activities for the outdoor boys. The book was published by K. L. Lindquist Publications, 2 West 46th street, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Turley resided in North Wilkesboro for several years while he was representative in this area for a large hardware firm in Louisville.

Rug Demonstration Thursday, Jan. 27

(By Mrs. Annie H. Greene, Home Demonstration Agent)

If you are interested in learning to make beautiful hooked rugs, begin now to make your plans to attend the rug making demonstration which will be held in the Town Hall of North Wilkesboro on Thursday, January 27. This demonstration will last from 2 to 4 p. m.

Miss Rose Ellwood Bryan from State College will conduct this demonstration. Many of you had the happy privilege of attending demonstrations given by Miss Bryan and I am sure that you will wish to be present and see the rug making demonstration. Please invite your friends and let's have a large group present.

Teen Age Center On Saturday Night

Wilkes Teen Age Center will operate Saturday night, eight until eleven o'clock, in the North Wilkesboro school gymnasium. Features of recreation to be provided will include a bingo party and a minstrel play.

The Youth Center is operated for all teen age boys and girls in Wilkes county and all are invited to take advantage of the recreational opportunities afforded.

Tar Heel Republicans To Hear Senator Cain

Lexington, Jan. 18.—Senator Harry P. Cain, of Washington state, will be principal speaker at the annual Lincoln Day Dinner to be held by North Carolina Republicans in Winston-Salem on February 12th.

Sister Kenny Show At Millers Creek For Polio Benefit

The Millers Creek Theatre on Friday night will present "Sister Kenny", a splendid movie, for benefit of the polio campaign, and all proceeds will go into the polio fund. Admission will not be charged, but all who see the picture are asked to contribute liberally as they can.

"Sister Kenny" is the story of an Australian nurse who developed the Kenny method of treating infantile paralysis patients and is most appropriate for the occasion.

Of especial interest in the show is the part played by Little Miss Bobby Nell Cooper, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Cooper, of Furber, and who is well remembered here where she made an appearance in the Farmers' Day program in 1947. Bobby Nell plays the part of one of the stricken children in "Sister Kenny".

Re-Burials Announced For Wilkes Soldiers



The body of Technical Sergeant James Raleigh Church, husband of Mrs. Mamie Church, of North Wilkesboro, arrived today at Reins-Sturdivant Funeral home, and will be taken Saturday afternoon to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah C. Church, of Wilkesboro route one.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 at Mt. Pleasant Baptist church with Dr. John T. Wayland and Rev. A. W. Eller officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

T. Sgt. Church was killed in action in France on February 6, 1945.

Surviving are his wife, his father and mother and the following brothers and sisters: Dr. Avery M. Church, Winston-Salem Mrs. J. D. Wellborn, North Wilkesboro; L. H. Church, Daytona Beach, Florida; Mrs. O. B. Tadlock, Charlotte; Mrs. Sam Rushton, Greer, S. C.; Wayne and Carl Church, of Wilkesboro route one.

Howard Deal Rites Sunday Mt. Olive

Funeral service will be held Sunday, January 23, 2:30 p. m., at Mt. Olive Baptist church for Seaman Howard Deal, who was killed in the Pacific area during World War II. Rev. C. C. Holland and Rev. E. V. Bumgarner will conduct the last rites.

Seaman Deal was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar J. Deal, of Pores Knob route two.

THROUGH EXPECTED TO VIEW 1949 CHEVROLETS HERE SATURDAY

The eagerly-awaited showing of the 1949 model Chevrolets will be held Saturday, January 22, at Gaddy Motor Company, local Chevrolet and Buick dealer.

Announcement that the new and highly modern Chevrolets will be shown has created much interest and a record crowd to see a new automobile model is expected.

Gaddy Motor company has prepared to welcome the many people expected, and doors will be open for the showing from seven a. m. until ten p. m. Saturday.

Valuable Door Prizes Each person who goes to Gaddy Motor company Saturday to view the new Chevrolet will have equal chance at the valuable door prizes to be given away. These prizes include an automobile radio, a set of tailored seat covers, and ten lubrication jobs. Drawing will be at six p. m. and winners do not have to be present at that time.

Refreshments, including coffee and doughnuts, and flowers for the ladies will be given all those attending the showing.

Chevrolet's Greatest Changes The 1949 model Chevrolets, three of which will be shown on Saturday, incorporate the greatest changes in Chevrolet for any one year of the long and highly successful record of Chevrolet, which has led in number of sales for 18 consecutive years, a company official said today, and expressed confidence that the 1949 models will be the most popular Chevrolets ever built.

Community Singing At Pine View Church

On Sunday night, January 23, at 7:30, there will be a community singing at Pine View church, 9 miles north of North Wilkesboro, on highway No. 18. Reece Mastin is chairman and will be present. The public is most cordially welcome. Singers are urged to attend and take part.

Three Cases Tried In Superior Court

Wilkes superior court recessed early this week after convening Monday and will resume work on Wednesday.

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K. of P. Lodge To Meet Monday Night

The Knights of Pythias lodge will meet Monday night at 7:30 for work in the second degree, and a large attendance of members is requested.

Pvt. Simmons Rites At Wilkesboro 22nd

Funeral service for Pvt. Anbra Clinton Simmons, who lost his life during World War II in Holland March 1, 1945, will be held Saturday, 10 p. m., at Wilkesboro Baptist church with the pastor, Rev. W. N. Brookshire, conducting the service.

Surviving Pvt. Simmons are his father and mother, Calvin C. and Annie Hall Simmons; one brother and four sisters, James Simmons, of Wilkesboro, Mrs. L. L. Probst, of Chase City, Va., Mrs. J. P. Price, of Boomer, Mrs. Outher Dean and Mrs. Essa Grissom, of Oxford.

Carmon Steelman Is New Policeman

Carmon Steelman is now serving on the North Wilkesboro police force, which has been short-handed since the recent resignation of L. L. Parsons and Keller Elyer. Chief J. E. Walker said today.

OUTSTANDING YOUNG MAN OF 1948 TO BE HONORED FRIDAY AT JOINT MEET CIVIC CLUBS

Civic clubs in North Wilkesboro will meet jointly in a banquet at Hotel Wilkes Friday evening at 6:45, to honor "The Outstanding Young Man of 1948".

The banquet of Kiwanis, Optimist, and Lions clubs and the Wilkes Junior Chamber of Commerce will have as feature speaker Harry J. Krusz, manager of the Winston-Salem Chamber of Commerce, and there will be other entertainment features on the program. Richard Johnston is chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements.

Selection of the outstanding young man of the year will be the culmination of "National Jaycees Week" in this community. The Jaycees are sponsoring the event, and the young man to receive the distinguished service award will be chosen by a committee of judges over 36 years of age. The judges will pick the most outstanding young man from the standpoint of community service, from nominations which were received during the nomination period. The man to receive the honor must be under 36 years of age.

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Relative to deliveries, Gaddy Motor company is anticipating some increase in the number of cars over the number received during the past year.

W. F. Gaddy, president of the Gaddy Motor company, and O. K. Pope, the company's general sales manager, both extend a hearty invitation to the public to view the new 1949 model Chevrolets on Saturday.

Banquet Speaker



Harry J. Krusz, manager of the Winston-Salem Chamber of Commerce, will be the speaker at the banquet of Jaycees, Optimists, Lions, and Kiwanians, to be held Friday evening at 6:45, at Hotel Wilkes to honor the young man selected as the "Young Man Of The Year" in Wilkes county.

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Square Dance For Polio Moravian Falls community will have a square dance at the Moravian Falls community house on Friday night for the polio fund, with all proceeds going for that purpose.

Polio Hospital In Barracks In North Carolina

North Carolina's record polio epidemic last summer so overtaxed hospital facilities there that it was necessary to convert army buildings in Greensboro and Monroe into polio treatment centers. March of Dimes funds were used in equipping and staffing the centers. Shown above are two polio patients being admitted to the center at Camp Sutton near Monroe, N. C.

