

# The North Wilkesboro Hustler.

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## TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS LOCAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

The shuttle mill will be in operation at the end of the week. See page 8, "Look."

Automobile wreck occurred in or near these towns. Call for Mark's Shop bread. You will be helped in a house industry.

The person holding the number is to get the cream separator from the Henry-Miller Shoe Co. being given away. Who is it?

Spray for bean beetle:—three fourth pound calcium arsenate and one-and-a-half of hydrated lime to 50 gallons of water. Spray from bottom of vine with crooked nosel.

Mrs. J. M. Bumgarner, of Wilkesboro, went to the Dr. Davis hospital in Statesville last Thursday for treatment or operation for appendicitis. Mr. Bumgarner and little daughter returned Friday.

Mrs. Martha Walker, of Boomer township, is extremely feeble and not expected to live. Her son who lives on the J. M. Wellborn farm west of Wilkesboro, visited her Sunday. She is attended by Dr. A. J. Eller.

A match game of ball between Dobson and Wilkes Twins Saturday afternoon at 4 p. m. at the fair grounds. Admission 25 cents for everyone except ladies who will be admitted free. The funds are to be used to pay for suits.

Mr. Ed. Turner and a negro named Millard Kelly, son of "Uncle" Louis, collided in automobiles near Mr. Dick Reins' on the Taylorsville road. Kelly is said by some to have had his skull fractured, others that he was not hurt much.

Messrs. B. G. and Harvey Pennell, of Moravian Falls township, and perhaps the most successful and experienced tobacco growers in this county, were in North Wilkesboro Saturday and said that this year they had failed with their crop of tobacco this season on account of the drought, the first time in forty-five years.

D. W. Wooten, deputy sheriff of Watauga county, is at liberty under bond of \$10,000, granted by Judge W. E. Harding, upon agreement of Solicitor J. J. Hayes and counsel for defense, in the case growing out of the killing Saturday night of Leonard Triplett on a mountain road about two miles northwest of Blowing Rock.

The Foster Construction Company last week began work of clearing off the right-of-way for the grading later in the summer of the State highway out of a mile or two east. The hands are at work facing or tarvia will be done next fall. The J. construction company to do this sum-

McNeill and Vettie Gusten-City, Mo., Mrs. W. L. Yates, of North Wilkesboro, Rev. and Mrs. Finley Watts of Purlear, Wilkes county, were guests Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Watts. Mesdames McNeill and Yates are aunts of Mr. Watts and he had not seen Mrs. McNeill in more than thirty years. Mrs. McNeill returned Friday morning to the home of her sister, Mrs. Alice Watts, in Wilkes county, where she is visiting. — Taylorsville June 25th.

## COUNTY SUMMER SCHOOL IN WILKESBORO BEGINS WITH 80

The county summer school Monday morning in the school building with an attendance of about 75— to be more accurate 74.

County Superintendent Wright, Professor Story, Professor Sisk, of the two Wilkesboros' schools, and Mrs. Johnson, of Raleigh and director of State teachers' training, made talks. Prof. T. E. Story, of the Wilkesboro and the county high school, is director, and the other directors are Mrs. Minnie Kelly, of Kinston who has been teaching in Washington, N. C.; Miss Hattie Aiken, of Mount Airy.

There are six teacher-students from Alexander county; one each from Alleghany and Yadkin, two each from Iredell and Surry, and the other 70 are from various parts of the county. Since first of the week the number attending has reached 80. About 15 or 18 cars were in front of the building yesterday afternoon and most of the attendance—or nearly all—board out of town or go home and return each day perhaps.

The beginning hour in the mornings is 8:15, noon recess from 12:10 to 1:10 and close at 2:25 p. m.

This may be the last summer school that will ever be held in the county because of the change which will hereafter require all teachers to be graduates of some college or high school and will therefore go to some State teachers' training school.

## BOOST BAKE SHOP BREAD BY BUYING IT ONLY

There has been much said about buying at home here of late not only by our merchants in North Wilkesboro, but by people all over the State, which we believe is the right spirit. "Let the horse that pulls the plow have the fodder." It is our duty to patronize home industries. They help pay the town and county taxes. Why not patronize them?

There has been recently established in this town a bakery, and in order that it might succeed it will require the support of the community. Tell your merchant that you want the Elektrik Maid Bake Shop bread, that you believe in supporting home industries, and you may bet they will supply your demand. Its their business to supply their customers' wants. So tell 'em what you want.

## Serious Cutting Affair at Lomax—Paul Edwards Cuts Throat Snow Pevrette.

A serious cutting affair occurred in the Lomax section of the county Saturday, June 20th, late in the afternoon, at Shepherd's store, narrowly missed claiming the life of Snow Pevrette.

Paul Edwards, a young man said to be about 25 years of age, is alleged to have attacked Pevrette with a razor, inflicting a six inch gash on the side of the neck. According to a statement by Privette the attack was made without any warning, whatever, or any provocation on his part.

Pevrette is improving and is expected to recover. Edwards was arrested and placed in jail at Wilkesboro.

Mr. C. H. Cowles is having material placed on his lot opposite the postoffice in Wilkesboro for erection of a handsome bungalow with 11 rooms. Pardue Bros. of Moravian Falls are the contractors.

County Physician White is usually or always in Wilkesboro on Saturdays and at night and mornings till 8 a. m. these days. At other hours he is filling appointments for vaccination.

## SANDHILL PEACH CROP GOOD—GREAT DEMAND

Southern Pines, in the Sandhill section, June 21.—The dewberry crop is harvested and sold, and the returns have been satisfactory to the farmers. The amount of money that has come in has materially effected the finances of the sandhills, and farmers are preparing to cut the canes and get the dewberry fields started for another year. The canes on which the crop of one year is made, bear no further crops, so the method is to cut out at once all the old canes and stimulate a good crop of new canes from now until winter, for on that crop of canes will come the berries next year. Therefore next year's dewberry crop must be largely the result of handling the fields from now until killing frosts come in the fall. The dewberry men are taking hold in earnest for another year.

The peach crop outlook was never so good as this summer. The early stuff going into market is bringing top prices with the demand taking everything that is offered. Georgia Belles and Elbertas will begin to move in about three weeks, and they are shaping up in excellent style. Spraying and care in cultivation have kept insect pests down and peach men expect to forward a crop that will be in the pink of perfection. It will also be the biggest peach crop ever harvested in the North Carolina sandhills, which means the biggest peach crop ever marketed from North Carolina.

The demand for fruit this year has been better than for the last two or three years. The strawberry crop found a good market at good prices, and the early Georgia peaches, which are going in sooner this year than last year and in greater quantities, meet a strong market, indicating that fruit will be active long as anything in the south is to be moved. The sandhill growers are looking for a crop that will bring close to two million dollars.

The warm weather and the frequent rains have given cotton, corn and tobacco a decided lift.

Only fair crops of apples, peaches and pears are now expected in the United States this year, says the United States Department of Agriculture officials. The frosts in late May reduced prospects in many scattered sections, particularly in some of the central states Virginia, Michigan and parts of New York.

The northwest expect more apples than were picked last year, but for the country as a whole the crop seems likely to be lighter though much depends on rainfall during the next few months.

Peach shows a large increase in California where most of the crop is canned or dried, but in practically all other important states the crop is substantially smaller than last year. Even in Georgia where many young trees are coming into bearing, the crop is expected to be less than 7,000,000 bushels compared with 8,330,000 bushels last year.

The pear crop is reported only fair this year, California alone among the important producing states expecting a materially larger crop than in the preceding season.

What kind of stuff is the American Legion made of? Read The Hustler's new serial story and find out.

Mrs. Harold Riley, of Philadelphia, arrived on the train Monday and is visiting her mother, Mrs. George Reeves.

## 500 ATTEND RE-UNION AT MORAVIAN FALLS

The re-union of all former students and teachers of Moravian Falls Academy was held last Friday at Moravian Falls.

About 10 o'clock Friday morning the old students and teachers began to gather at the old school house where they once attended school, some of them, many years ago, and spent the day shaking hands and talking over the many pleasant memories of their school days at Moravian Falls.

Speeches were made by the following teachers and students of once widely known academy of learning: Hon. Joe F. Spainhour, of Morganton; Mr. James Linney, of Alexander county; Daniel Washington, of Texas; Vance McGinnis, of Boomer township; Rufus Hendren, of Wilkesboro township. Attorney F. B. Hendren, of Wilkesboro, was master of ceremonies.

At the noon hour a bountiful dinner was spread by the ladies which was enjoyed by all. It is said that after the entire crowd had eaten as many more could have been served, the dinner being so plentiful. The table was 120 long.

It is estimate by one present that five hundred people attended the re-union.

The regular meeting of the American Legion for July will be held Friday night at 8 o'clock in the Commercial Club Rooms. The night of the regular monthly meeting has been changed from Saturday night to Friday night. A full attendance is desired at the meeting this week. T. A. FINLEY, Commander.

## "THE TEN COMMANDMENTS" AT ORPHEUM JULY 6TH, 7TH

Mr. J. W. Allen, manager of the Orpheum theatre, is to be congratulated upon securing this wonderful picture at this time. It is being shown in Greensboro all this week. North Wilkesboro is the second town in North Carolina to see this marvelous picture. Mr. Allen says they will have only one show in the evening and one at night. Doors open for matinee promptly at 3 o'clock, picture starts at 3:30. Night: Doors open at 7:30, picture starts at 8:00 o'clock. Prices, matinee: Adults 50c, children 25c. Night: adults 75c, children 50c.

## Woodside Captures New Hudson Sedan and 85 Gallons Liquor.

Statesville Landmark: Mr. O. L. Woodside, chief of police of Mooresville, captured 85 gallons of liquor and a new Hudson sedan in Mooresville, Thursday morning. Thursday morning. There were two men in charge, one of them, Ransom Staley, being arrested, but the other made his escape. Staley is to have a hearing in the Mooresville recorder's court. His car was brought to Statesville Friday.

Mrs. Mary Jane Le Queux, of Taylorsville, step-mother of Miss Irene Le Queux who has, almost regularly, been court stenographer at Wilkes courts for several years, died Tuesday, June 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker have been in Wilkesboro several days. The latter before marriage was Miss Colie Harris.

## Christian Chautauqua in the Two Towns Here Begins Tomorrow, Thursday

Beginning to-morrow (Thursday) July 2, and continuing fifteen days, a Christian Chautauqua will be conducted for the people of the Wilkesboros. The Chautauqua includes many features which have proven both instructive and interesting. The trained faculty, every one of them experts in their line, will conduct a graded daily vacation Bible school for all the young people of the two communities who may wish to attend. Each department will be graded for young people of all ages and where requested there will be conducted adult Bible study classes. In addition to this feature, there will be held teacher training schools and young people's leadership classes. Another feature is the supervised play. The leaders are expert play directors. Other features include short courses in sewing and manual training. One of the most popular features of the chautauqua being held is the community singing. Each evening there is held a community singing where the old and young engage in singing the patriotic, popular and sacred songs and hymns. Each evening stereopticon lectures and local addresses are given. The movement is under the direction of the home mission committee of Winston-Presbytery and both Presbyterian churches of the Wilkesboros and others wishing to attend and co-operate are expected and cordially invited. No charge will be made.

## B. Y. P. U. at Liberty Grove.

The Baptist Young People's Union at Liberty Grove is doing fine. Last Sunday was mission day. Two young people from here attended the meeting at Salisbury a few days ago. Argyle Elliott and Miss Lola Church. Upon their return they went from Liberty Grove Sunday to Pleasant Grove at Clingman and gave a demonstration program and organized a Baptist Young People's Union there. The subject at Liberty Grove Sunday was "Missions." The collection was \$10.80 by the young people, with Group Three—Ruth Hanes captain—leading in the collection. —Reported.

Mr. Jernigan, manager of North Wilkesboro's shuttle block factory plant, is advertising for more shuttle blocks for a special car load to be shipped soon. Read his advertisement.

Big fourth of July barbecue picnic on the Brushy mountains next Saturday. A large crowd is expected to attend. A very interesting program has been arranged for the occasion.

Mr. J. L. Moore and wife and son and daughter, Mrs. Will Freeze, of Mooresville, spent Saturday to Sunday with L. L. Godfrey and family of Wilkesboro, returning to Mooresville Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hulcher, and children, of Wilkesboro, returned Monday from a brief trip to Boone. Mrs. Hulcher's sister, Mrs. Greer, who has been with them, went on to Mountain City, Tenn.

Mrs. Richard Parlier and three children, of Syracuse, N. Y., arrived on the train Saturday to spend some time with her father, Mr. J. I. Myers, and relatives. Mr. Parlier is expected later.

Something streamed over the phone which caused the narrow eyes of the thin faced attorney to blink rapidly. Then his eyes set, giving the face a ghastly expression. What was the mysterious message? Read the new serial in The Hustler.

## PERSONS COMING AND GOING LOCAL AND COUNTY ITEMS

Mrs. Mattie Holbrook, of Mt. View, was in N. Wilkesboro, Saturday.

Misses Laxton, of Knoxville, Tenn., are visiting their uncle Mr. Felix Parks at Roving Ridge.

Mrs. D. M. Greer, of Pittsburg, Pa., visited her sister, Mrs. C. H. Hulcher, in Wilkesboro last week.

Mrs. C. C. Powell and children, of Wilson, are visiting her sister Mrs. W. F. Miller in Wilkesboro. Mr. Miller, of Washington, D. C., has been visiting his brother and other relatives east of Wilkesboro several days.

Miss Ruby Pearson, of Wilkesboro, left last week for Pennsylvania where she is visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Tulbert, of Ashe, spent last Friday in the county with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. L. Wellborn, of Wilkesboro.

Mr. S. C. Webster, who travels for the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company in Texas, arrived last week to visit relatives in the county.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Phillips and children, of Americus, Ga., arrived last week to spend three or four weeks in the county with relatives.

Mrs. Griffith, of Hunting, W. Va., who has been spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Caudill, will return home this week.

Messrs. A. A. Cooke, and wife and W. H. Peeps and wife, of Mecklenburg, were here Saturday returning from a camping trip across the Blue Ridge.

Mrs. William Miller, (Miss Mildred Winkler) who has been spending two weeks at her parents' home in Wilkesboro, will return to Hickory this week.

Mr. R. Don Laws, editor of the Yellow Jacket at Moravian Falls, is making his plans so to attend the John T. Scopes' trial at Dayton, Tenn., for teaching evolution, which the state law prohibits.

Mr. J. P. McLean and sister, Mrs. Eva Looper, of Ronda, R. F. D., left Monday for Mt. Vernon and Moline, Ill., to visit his sons, Messrs. Vick and Birt McLean, and daughter, Mrs. Erkinson in East Moline, Ill. They expect to be gone thirty days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McEwen, of the state of Texas, arrived last week to visit his father, ex-sheriff J. E. McEwen, and other relatives in the county. Mr. McEwen will return to Texas this week. Mrs. McEwen will visit several weeks longer before returning.

Mrs. E. G. Settlemire, of Granite Falls, Mr. William and Mr. and Mrs. Gwite Miller, of Hickory, spent Sunday with their father, Mr. C. Y. Miller in Wilkesboro. They returned home Monday. Mrs. William Miller and little daughter, who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Winkler, accompanied them.

## WILKES POULTRY ASSO. TO MEET FRIDAY, JULY 3RD

This is to notify all members of the Wilkes County Poultry Association that its regular monthly meeting will be held at the Commercial Club Rooms on Friday, July 3rd, at 2 P. M. All members are urged to attend.

Attend this meeting and help make the association what it should mean to the county. —Wilkes Poultry Association. See page 2.