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LATE NEWS IN BRIEF

From the State and Nation

## STATE

**RALEIGH, April 30**—Because of soaring tax returns, North Carolina may not need to divert money from the highway to the general fund in the 1940-41 fiscal year, Governor Hoey said tonight. He commented on the April revenue report, showing receipts from all sources except one running ahead of returns by the same time last fiscal year. Income tax returns already have set a new all-time record, and sales tax collections are nearing the previous high. Collections swelled state revenues to \$66,038.88 for the 10 months of the fiscal year ending today, an increase of 10.89 per cent. over the \$59,525,799.90 realized during the same period in 1938-39.

**NEW BERN, April 30**—Former Senator Furnifold McLendon Simmons, 86, succumbed this afternoon shortly after 3 o'clock to an illness that grew critical Sunday following his return Friday from a month's stay at a Durham hospital. His health had been falling for some time. Death came at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Wade Meadows, near New Bern, with whom he had resided since the death of his second wife two years ago.

## Club-Sponsored Cancer Drive in Yadkin Nets \$24

The anti-cancer drive in Yadkin county which was sponsored by the Yadkinville Woman's club, and directed by Mrs. R. A. McLaughlan, of the club, was deemed a success by members as the drive closed here yesterday and Mrs. McLaughlan forwarded all remaining funds to headquarters.

These funds will be used for the prevention and cure of cancer and for cancer research. Medical authorities of this country have come to realize in the past few years that cancer is one of the largest fatal diseases, and this drive was to secure funds to combat its spread.

The report of Mrs. McLaughlan shows the following contributors to the cause:

Hurley Hinshaw, Wade Hampton, A. L. Inscore, J. P. Rhyne, Lawrence Hudspeth, Clinton Hall, Raymond Cleary, Perk Shore, W. E. Rutledge, Fred Hobson, Jack Alfred, T. E. Patterson, C. N. Baily, George Shugart, M. W. Mackie, E. A. Hutchens, Gilbert Hutchens, Thad Reese, Arvill Speer, E. H. Barnard, Dr. J. G. Marler, J. H. Dobbins, Charles H. Vestal, W. L. Mackie, Lloyd Dixon, Lettie Kiger, Carl Vestal, John Rutledge, R. A. McLaughlan, Troy Matthews, Mildred Logan, Mrs. N. R. Simmons, Bernice Bryant, Sarah Holcomb, Mrs. Mildred Marcusin, L. H. Koon, Caroline Pfohl, H. H. Soffley, J. G. Ferebee, H. L. Clingman, J. D. Forester, Lon West, W. W. Wagoner, D. A. Reynold, J. E. Shew, C. N. Dobbins, F. D. Poindexter, Emma Long, J. F. Miller, J. D. Howell, L. T. Robinson, Mrs. Laura Seats, T. H. Poindexter, C. G. Seats, E. E. Gross, J. M. Ervin, Mrs. George Cornelison, Mrs. Miles Shore, Mrs. Bob Dobbins, Mrs. Gurney Wagoner, Mrs. Clyde Wright, Mrs. Robey Boles, Mrs. Dave Woodruff, Happy Hour Sewing Club, Gerry Weaver, Rev. R. L. Melton, Miles F. Shore, Mary Melton, Ray Reavis, Mrs. Velva Weaver, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Zachary.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors who were so kind to us after the death of our husband and father, William N. Ireland. We also thank those who presented the beautiful floral tributes.

MRS. W. N. IRELAND AND CHILDREN

The flag of Venezuela has seven stars representing the seven provinces which gained independence from Spain in 1753.

## Health King and Queen



Pictured above are Miss Julia Williams and Fred Coram, seated, chosen by the county health department as being the healthiest boy and girl in Yadkin county 4-H clubs. Miss Williams, who lives in East Bend, was chosen for the second consecutive year. Coram is from Boonville. They will represent the county in the North-western district finals during May. Included in the picture are others who were in the 4-H club contest. Left to right, Charles Speer, East Bend; Lucy Dobbins, Boonville; Bertha Lee Miller, Cana; and Martha Bryant, Yadkinville.—(Ripple Photo by Bill Rutledge.)

## 23 To Finish At West Yadkin; Dr. Jordon Speaker

West Yadkin high school will close its term May 14th, with the high light of the exercises in the annual address by Dr. G. Ray Jordon, pastor of Centenary Methodist church, Winston-Salem, as the speaker. His address will be on Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock.

The commencement sermon will be by Rev. C. C. Holland of Taylorsville, on Sunday afternoon, May 12, at 2:30. Beginning the exercises, however, will be a grade play which will be presented Friday night, May 10, at 8 o'clock. Class day exercises will be Monday night, May 13, with the play "Southern Rosary."

Prof. W. N. Ireland, principal of West Yadkin since its operation begun, states that 23 seniors are in the class this year, who will be given diplomas following the address of Dr. Jordon Tuesday.

In the afternoon of the 14th there will be a ball game between West Yadkin and Yadkinville high schools. Tuesday night the play, "Aunt Susie Shoots the Works" will be given.

The senior class of the school is composed of the following:

Boys: Allen Barnard, Ralph Casstevens, Paul Cook, Walter E. Isenhour, Jr., Harold King, Bill Long, Mathew Long, Paul Windsor, and Hubert Wooten; Girls: Jessie Ruth and Suddie Brown, Fannie Hudspeth, Eva Ireland, Florence Mason, Grace Miller, Frances Pinnix, DeEtte Proctor, Doris Reavis, Vernell Sprinkle, Roseleen Totten, Bema West, Nell Williams and Hazel Windsor.

## Mrs. Wooten Is Buried Tuesday

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at Branon Friends church for Mrs. Martha Ann Ireland Wooten, who died Sunday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Miles G. Harris, near Lone Hickory, following a heart attack. She was 82 years, nine months and 29 days old. The pastor, Mrs. Milner A. Cox, had charge of the funeral.

She was the widow of the late T. J. Wooten, who died in 1936. She had been a member of Sandy Springs Baptist church for many years. Survivors, besides Mrs. Harris, include six sons, Ernest and Sam Wooten, of Mocksville; Amos and Jonath Wooten, of Winston-Salem; James Wooten, of Leaksville; Clarence Wooten, of Stoneville; two daughters, Mrs. Mattie Swaim, of Harmony; Mrs. Hayes Garner, of New Castle, Ind.

## Four May Enter Training Camp From Yadkin County

Fort Bragg, April 29—(Special to The Yadkin Ripple)—Only two young men of Yadkin county have applied for admission to the 1940 Citizens Military Training Camp, to be held here June 12-July 11, the camp area commander announced today. Yadkin county has a quota of six, so there is room for four more applications.

A candidate for admission to the camp must be an American citizen, physically fit for military service, and of good moral character. He must be 17 years old on the day camp opens, and, if attending for the first time, not over 24.

The Government furnishes free to the young men accepted transportation to and from the camp and money to buy food while traveling. Shelter, bed and bedding, excellent meals, uniforms, athletic equipment, medical attention if necessary, and laundry are also furnished free during the month at camp.

L. S. Weaver, of Jonesville, is the Yadkin county chairman for C. M. T. C. procurement. Prospective applicants should see Mr. Weaver at once, the camp area commander said, and obtain detailed information about the camp and an application blank. Or the candidate may write directly to the C. M. T. C. Procurement Officer at Fort Bragg.

"The purpose of a C. M. T. Camp," says Col. J. W. Harrelson of Raleigh, State Civilian Aide to the Secretary of War, "is to promote the moral and physical development of a large group of representative young Americans. The military training is incidental and no future military obligation after camp is assumed by enrollment. The trainees at a camp are taught the privileges, duties, and responsibilities of citizenship; and through sports and games, they learn the value of team work and self-discipline."

"Tell me, papa, what is a consulting physician?" "He is a doctor who is called in at the last minute to share the blame."

## ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of J. R. Spillman, late of Yadkin county, this is to notify all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned within one year from date of this notice or same will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons owing said estate are requested to settle at once. This April 18, 1940.

MRS. PEARL SPILLMAN, Admrx. J. R. Spillman Estate. J. T. REECE, Atty. 5-30

## Boys and Girls Are Winners in Yadkin Contests

Three boys and three girls won out in the annual county-wide speaking contests at Boonville and Yadkinville Friday night and Thursday night, respectively. Previously these boys and girls had won in the preliminary contests that were staged at Jonesville and East Bend in the Northern division of the county, and at West Yadkin and Courtney in the southern division.

In the primary girls' division Betty Price, of Jonesville, won the championship. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mag Price, of Jonesville. In the grammar grade girls' division, Olivia Martin, of East Bend, was selected. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Martin. In the high school girls' division, Marie Long, of Yadkinville, was the winner.

In the boys' division Jimmie Irvin, of Jonesville school, won the primary contest. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James F. Irvin. Wade Hobson, of Boonville, son of Mrs. A. B. Hobson, was the grammar grade winner, and Bill Wood, of West Yadkin, won in the high school department.

The 1940 contests were among the best ever held in the county. Competition all the way through was very keen.

At the end of the final contests held at Boonville and Yadkinville, Fred C. Hobson, county superintendent, presented each winner with a silver trophy.

## New Store Coming To Yadkinville

The building which has been used by the Wells Furniture Co. for the past several years, located on the North side of the court house square, has been leased for a term of years to the Western Auto Associate Stores and they plan to open another of their many stores in this building June 1, according to Mr. R. M. Wells, owner of the building, in which he and Mrs. Wells have served this section many years.

Mr. Weldon Pinnix, of Cycle, will be the operator of the new store which specializes in auto parts, radios, bicycles, and a full line of auto accessories. This will be the 124th store for this company in North and South Carolina, and they have about 1,800 in the United States.

Mr. Wells states that he will make extensive repairs on the building, beginning on May 19, by which time he expects to close out his furniture and paint business. His ad on another page tells the story.

## Funeral Held for Mrs. Aldora Smith

Mrs. Aldora Smith, 41, died at a Winston-Salem hospital Thursday afternoon, following an illness of two weeks, which begun with pneumonia. A heart attack was the cause of her death. She was the wife of Lane Smith of Shugartown, Yadkinville, route 2.

Mrs. Smith was born six miles east of Yadkinville, a daughter of the late David Hutchens and Curl Shore Hutchens, and had spent her life in that section. She was married to Lane Smith.

Mr. Smith survives her, together with six children, Paul, Richard, Albert Lee, Lucy, Ella Mae and Edna Ann Smith all of the home except Paul who holds a position in Bassett, Va. All were present at the death of their mother. Only other relative is an uncle, Eli Shore, of Summitville, Ind.

She was a member of Forbush Baptist church, where the funeral was held Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Henry Hutchens. Burial was in the church cemetery.

## NOTICE OF SALE

Frank Blevins and wife, Flora Blevins, Yadkin county; H. H. Barker, Trustee; Payable to C. E. Mathis. Dated Sept. 12, 1933, for Fifty-Five Dollars.

Being lots No. 83 and 84 in Block B, as shown in the map of the Peoples Realty and Development Company, recorded in the Register of Deeds' office in Yadkin county, to which reference is made.

To be sold on May 14, 1940, at 10 o'clock, a. m., at the door of the Yadkin Courthouse, Yadkinville, N. C.

H. H. BARKER, Trustee

## Prof. W. D. Martin Is Critically Ill In Winston Hospital

Prof. W. D. Martin, 86, Yadkinville's grand old man, is critically ill in City hospital, Winston-Salem, where he was carried yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Martin has been ill for several weeks at his home here, and suffered a heart attack Monday. His condition has not improved since that time.

All his children were called to Yadkinville Tuesday afternoon and they remain with him.

Prof. Martin is one of the oldest and foremost educators of Yadkin county and has lived to see the county grow from the little one-room school where he once taught to a modern system conducted in the most modern buildings.

## Boonville Finals Saturday, May 11; Folger Is Speaker

The finals of the Boonville high school commencement exercises will be held Saturday night, May 11, with a play, "They'll Do It Every Time." Prof. Albert Martin, yesterday, furnished The Ripple with a complete program of the commencement exercises.

Beginning Sunday night, May 5th, at 8 o'clock, Rev. J. S. Hlatt, superintendent of the Elk district of the Methodist church, will deliver the commencement sermon. Next on the program will be Friday night, May 10, at 8 o'clock when the class day exercises will be held in the form of a play, "Southern Rosary." Miss Bernice Bangle will deliver the valedictory, and Miss Violet Wolfe will deliver the salutatory.

Saturday morning at 11 o'clock the annual address will be delivered by Attorney J. H. Folger, of Mt. Airy. Prof. Martin will then deliver the diplomas to the 35 graduates.

In the afternoon there will be a ball game between Boonville and Mocksville schools.

The graduating class has for its officers Bryce Poindexter, president; Violet Wolfe, vice-president; Nannie Woodruff, secretary.

The 35 who will receive diplomas are: Goldie Adams, Bernice Bangle, Opal Bray, Clarice Brown, Ruby Brown, J. Lee Campbell, Lorene Campbell, Fred Coram, Lucy Dobbins, Ralph Dobbins, Wenona Fleming, Lucille Fletcher, Nellie Frazier, Charlie Cline Hobson, Curtis Hobson, Mary Ruth Hobson, Ruth Kimmer, Hazel Martin, Ben Money, Ollie Mae Mosteller, Viola Norman, Ray Norman, Katheline Parker, Bryce Poindexter, Thelma Quisenberry, Thelma Renegar, Cam Shore, Graham Stinson, Harold Stinson, Opal Taylor, Louzetta Vestal, Dorothy Wagoner, Violet Wolfe and Nannie Woodruff.

## North Oak Ridge

Mr. and Mrs. Roby Calloway visited Mr. and Mrs. Green Moxley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Faxie Brown announce the birth of a daughter, Saturday, April 27, at Chatham Hospital, Elkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hinshaw and son, Billy, visited Mrs. Hinshaw's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Swaim, Sunday.

Rev. Everett Draughn, of Surry county, preached a very inspiring sermon Sunday at Oak Ridge church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brown and Rev. and Mrs. Everette Draughn were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arna Moxley.

Rev. Grant Cothorn, of Tomas, will preach at North Oak Ridge church Saturday, May 4, at 7 o'clock p. m. He will also preach Sunday at 11 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Brown and Misses Maude and Ruby Brown visited friends in Richmond Hill community Sunday afternoon.

There will be choir practice at North Oak Ridge church every Friday night at 7 o'clock. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Earlie Smith of Branon were the visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moxley Wednesday.

Miss Jennie Lind Brown is spending two weeks with her sister, Miss Mattie Sue Brown, of Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brendle of Boonville visited their daughter, Mrs. Wendell Hinshaw, Sunday.

## Nazis Win Smashing Victory In Norway; In Control Rail Line

### Opens D.A.R. Congress



WASHINGTON, D. C. . . . Mrs. Henry M. Robert, Jr., president general, as she opened the 49th Continental Congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Constitution Hall.

## HITLER PRAISES QUICK WORK OF NAZI SOLDIERS

Success Said to Have Exceeded Expectations

### ALLIES HARD PRESSED

Germans No Longer Are Dependent on Supplies from the Sea and Air

### DRIVE IS CONTINUED

Berlin, April 30.—The German high command tonight stamped the Nazi conquest of Norway as virtually won with the linking of Oslo and Trondheim by green-grey columns, the capture of strategic Dombas in between, and control of the main rail line from the Norwegian capital to the great west coast port.

Adolf Hitler, himself, sent a special order of the day to the German troops in Norway, praising them for their tremendous 20-day campaign and its result: The smashing of an allied pincers movement aimed at cutting off Trondheim by threats from south and north.

The achievements announced today by the high command here said in authorized quarters to have exceeded the fondest expectations of German military authorities in view of the difficulties of the campaign.

Now that Trondheim is secured and the German troops there no longer are dependent of supplies from sea and air, inspired sources say no time will be lost in starting a concentric attack to sweep the allied troops from their foothold on the stony midriff of Norway.

With the announced capture of Dombas, railway junction which connects with the allied landing point of Andalsnes, south of Trondheim, the allied-Norwegian forces in that sector are being "pursued," it was stated. For several days there has been heavy fighting between allies and Germans at the gates of Dombas.

First of all today the high command disclosed that a motorized German force which climbed over 3,000-foot mountain trails, northward from Tynset, had reached the Trondheim-Dombas-Hamar-Oslo railway, southwest of Stora, and there met a southbound force from Trondheim.

The officers of these two forces shook hands solemnly. Presumably the southbound force had fought its way through allied units at Stora, 35 miles south of Trondheim.

Then came word that the main German column, fighting its way through the Gubrand valley from the south, had occupied Dombas, which is 100 miles south of Trondheim.

## Mason Hardware Store Celebrating Birthday Sale

The Mason Hardware & Electric Co. are celebrating their fifth birthday in business with a big sale of up-to-date hardware and affiliate goods. This firm of young, progressive men entered the hardware field here five years ago and since that time have experienced a growth in business each year. They have increased their housing capacity from time to time until now their store occupies 4,400 feet of floor space.

This spring they have added a large line of farm equipment to their business which is equal to the hardware stores of the larger cities. The firm is owned by Loyd, Luke and Roy Mason, and is under the management of the last two named, Loyd Mason devoting his time to traveling for Yadkin Grocery Co. They are all likeable young men and deserve the wide patronage they are receiving.

A 14.1 in. cube of gold would weigh a ton.

## East Bend High Last To Close; 29 To Graduate

East Bend high school will be the last to close in Yadkin county, according to announcement of Principal L. H. Todd. The finals of the school will be on May 18.

The baccalaureate sermon will be preached on Sunday, May 12, at 2:30 p. m., by Rev. J. M. Hayes, of Winston-Salem. Senior class day exercises will be given on Friday evening, May 17, at 8:00 o'clock when the play, "Southern Rosary," will be presented.

Rev. Clyde A. Milner, president of Guilford College, will deliver the annual address on Saturday morning, May 18, at 11 o'clock, after which diplomas will be given the graduating class, which consists of 29 boys and girls.

The list of graduates is as follows:

Girls: Bessie Ruth Blakley, Pattie Ray Bowman, Bessie Lee Coram, Ernestine Doub, Dollie Mae Hutchens, Ellen Martin, Edith Martin, Pauline Martin, Ola Mae Poindexter, Anne Renegar, Jewelle Ring, Mozelle Shore, Irene Speer, Gail Stimpson, Maxine Taylor, Grace Welch, Betsy Ross Williams, Julia Williams.

Boys: Ellis Creed, Leake Choplin, James Davis, William C. Davis, Carl Douglas, Bruce Frye, Kedric Martin, Kenneth Martin, Billy Matthews, Dale Norman, Frank Webb.

## Children Benefitted By Eye Clinics

The State Commission for the blind, in cooperation with the county Welfare and Health Departments conducted an eye examination clinic for indigent school children Monday and Tuesday, with headquarters in the Baptist church.

Forty-two children were examined by the two doctors and a nurse from the commission. Of this group, examinations showed that 38 were in need of glasses; a few were in such bad condition that medical and surgical treatment were recommended before glasses could be used. It was found that one third of the children examined had too poor vision to continue normal school work. Out of 27 examined Monday, 14 were grade repeaters, and 3 had repeated more than one grade.

In cases where the children could not afford to pay for glasses, furnished at cost by the commission, some way must be found by the local welfare department to collect enough money from local clubs, private subscribers, etc., to enable the children to receive their glasses, as no funds are on hand for this purpose.

Superintendent of Schools Fred Hobson reports that students provided with glasses in the former clinic here have shown a marked improvement in their school work.