

Edward R. Wilson Claimed By Death

Funeral services were held at 8 o'clock on Friday afternoon at the Rocky Branch chapel, for Edward R. Wilson, 34, who died on Wednesday afternoon, December 4th, at 3:30 o'clock, at the Waywood County Hospital. The Rev. C. L. Allen and Rev. Mando Stephens officiated. Burial was in the Massey cemetery at Quinton.

Serving as pallbearers were: Ernest Estes, Tom Snyder, Jesse Jordan, Houston Jackson, Milford Breece, and Rube Jordan.

Mr. Wilson was a cabinet maker, and had been employed for the past sixteen years at the Unagusia Manufacturing Company.

Surviving are: his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will T. Wilson, of Waynesville, route 1; four brothers, Taylor, Virgil, Kay, and Bonner, all of route 1; four sisters, Mrs. Annie Massey, Mrs. Jesse Jordan, Miss Lola Wilson, and Miss Wilma Wilson, also of Waynesville route 1.

"Sister Kay"



"Sister Kay" the beautiful nurse at University College Hospital, in London, has been identified as the Duchess of Kent. She completed her 50-hour course and now is a qualified nursing auxiliary. On a recent visit to the hospital by the Duke, she was presented and curtsied like the other trainees.

A long range procurement program for the purchase of meats to meet demand of the 1,400,000 men who will soon be under arms or training is being developed by the National Defense Commission.

Students Making Honor Roll At Fines Creek School

The honor rolls for the fourth month of the Fines Creek school are as follows:

First grade, "A," Wilma Sanford, Doris Giance, Doris James, Margaret Noland, and Doris Sue Parks. "B," O'Neil Justice, Edna Best, Pansy Bryson, Boxie Ann Crawford, Juanishia Hill, Charles Ray Noland, Sara Lee Franklin, Bobbie Ann Kinsland, Susie Noland, and Vivian Haney.

Second grade, "A," Frank Chambers, Clarence Moore, Clayton Moore, Joe Morrow, Barbara Best, Mattie Mae Franklin, Sarah Stevenson, Lois McCracken, and Bobby Luther. "B," Martha Lee Ferguson, Roy Sutton, Dan Davis, Laura Mae Morrow.

Third grade, "A," Joan Medford. "B," Magdalene Packett, J. L. Haney, Carol Smith, Billie Haney, and Bobby Stevenson.

Fourth grade, "A," Helen June Bradshaw, and Betty Jo Kinsland. "B," Juanita Noland, Bobby Ruth James, Phyllis James, Hilda Parks, Peggy Medford, Joan McElroy, Guylene Caldwell, Thomas Noland, and Burdette McClure.

Fifth grade, "A," Edith Chambers. "B," Carol Brown, and Pauline Bishop.

Eighth grade, "A," Mary Ross. "B," Ray Ferguson, Glen Haney, Clara Dotson, Pauline Ledford, and Mable Medford.

Ninth grade, "A," Howard Chambers, Alpha Best, Blanche Green, Eva Parks. "B," Paul Clark, Lottie Noland and Sara Welch.

Tenth grade, "A," Sara Bryson, Jessie Bryson, Billie Bryson, Julius Ross, and Edith Tate. "B," Eula Dee Giance, Sara James, Letha Jolley, and Dorothea McElroy.

Eleventh grade, "A," Ethel Hogan, Taylor Rogers, Charles Ross, Charles Sutton, and Gertrude Haney. "B," Edith Lowe.

Number Attend Epworth League Meeting In Canton

Members of the Epworth League of the Hazelwood Methodist church who attended an Epworth League Union meeting at Central Methodist church in Canton on the evening of December 2, are: Miss Estelle Scates, Miss Dorothy McClure, Miss Esma Hembree, Miss Mildred Collins, Miss Mary Collins, Mrs. Amos Cagle, Mrs. Bryson Smith, Mrs. V. M. Truitt, Miss Mildred Campbell, Miss Hazel Davis, Miss Lula Davis, Miss Mildred Scruggs, Miss Glennie Johnson, and Miss Mary Johnson.

Accuses Axis of Sabotage



Representative Martin Dies, of Texas, chairman of the House committee investigating un-American activities, displays "exhibits" in his sensational "white paper" accusing Axis agents of attempting to sabotage national defense industries. He is shown in his Washington office. (Central Press)

Letters To The Editor

Editor The Mountaineer:— I don't know who wrote the fine editorial, "Jack Rogers, Manager," but I want to register my sincere appreciation as your action signifies real, practical co-operation and all of us who are a part of Waynesville can be justly proud of the helpful policies that come from the editors of our "Mountaineer". You set a high standard—and attempting to live up to that standard, makes for progress.

Thanks again, and more power to your newspaper.

Sincerely,
JOE EMERSON ROSE
Chicago, December, 8, 1940.

Great He Bible
The first edition of the King James Bible, printed in 1611, is sometimes called the Great He Bible because a passage of the Book of Ruth is rendered, "And he went into the city," instead of "And she went into the city."

Mrs. Queen Returns From National Welfare Meet In Washington

Mrs. Sam L. Queen, county superintendent of public welfare, has returned from the National Welfare conference which was held last week in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Queen reports that the discussions relative to the merit systems of welfare workers, now in operation in several of the states, took a major part of the program.

The merit system, which requires that all workers stand an examination and be placed under civil service has been approved for North Carolina by the Federal Social Security Board.

The examinations, according to Mrs. Queen are now being assembled and will be given the North Carolina social workers the latter part of January.

Ancient Woman Ruler
A woman ruled the Byzantine empire for 10 years, beginning in 780 A. D. Her name was Irene and she was originally a poor Greek orphan. She married the emperor Leo IV.

Half Million Soon To Be Engaged In Airplane Factories

NEW YORK—American factories turning out aviation equipment will have about 500,000 employees on their payrolls when the current

pleted next June, a spokesman for the industry reported.

Other sources estimated that factory forces of that size could make possible the production of more than 350 warplanes a week, or in excess of 18,000 a year.

Brownwood, Texas, has changed the name of its Lindbergh street plant expansion programs are com-to Corrigan street.

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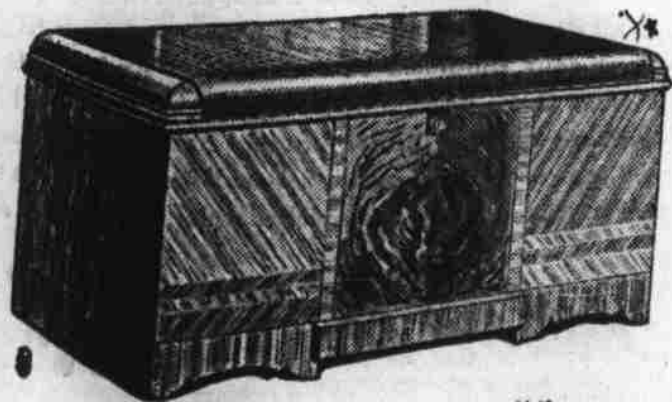
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The Weather Report

Q. M. Kipp, Official Observer

Week Ending Tuesday, Dec. 10

Dec.	Max.	Min	7:30 p. m.	Prec.
4	40	12	38	
5	38	32	33	
6	52	18	46	
7	46	29	45	trace
8	45	28	35	
9	49	18	38	
10	62	20	42	

Mean maximum	47
Mean minimum	22
Mean for week	35
High for week	62
Low for week	12
Mean for 7 p. m.	40
Below Dec. normal	4
Precipitation for week	0.00
Precipitation for December	0.20
Below December normal	1.29
Precipitation since Jan. 1st	41.14
Deficit for year	2.07

Popular Literary Character
The most popular current literary character is Tarzan, created by Edgar Rice Burroughs. These books have been translated into every European language, and have attained a sale of 25,000,000.

Live Stock Winner



Posing proudly with her prize-winning steer, Sargo, is Evelyn Asay, 18, of Mt. Carroll, Ill. Sargo was named junior champion steer in the 4-H junior feeding contest at Chicago's International Live Stock Exposition.

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