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## Final Reports To Decide Big Winners

### Cash Offer Campaign Will Close Saturday Night At 8 o'Clock; Few Hours Left

End Of Vote Gathering Near And Members Who Fail To Work At Top Speed Will Quickly Slip To Small Prize Positions.

**GRIT WILL SURELY ASSERT ITSELF NOW**

With So Many Having A Chance To Win, Those Failing To Produce Results Will Regret It, As There Is So Much Difference In The Value Of Low Awards; It's Up To The Members Entirely, So Finish High And Get Big Pay Or Fall Down And Get Paid Accordingly.

Calls for additional receipt books this week indicate real action among leaders. A big finish is predicted. If you have planned to win be sure your competitor does not nose you out in the last few hours.

They're now on the home stretch. After weeks of strenuous efforts on the part of ambitious workers, who have been striving zealously in quest of subscriptions and votes, they see victory just ahead of them. With closing time a few hours off, the curtains will have to come down upon one of the most far-reaching cash offer subscription campaigns ever conducted in this part of North Carolina.

Hundreds and hundreds of NEW subscriptions have been added to The Tribune list—come to stay, we hope, permanently.

**It Won't Be Long**  
All is anxiety as the candidates pound down the home stretch, vying with each other to reach the wire in The Tribune Cash Offer Campaign, which means the highest honor to the winners.

Nothing in life worth while is ever gained without effort, and while all cannot win a big award in The Tribune campaign, the business experience gained, the friends made, will be of inestimable value in later years.

**Plenty At Stake**  
With the rich awards hanging in the balance, all candidates are waging a furious battle of ballots which will end at 8 p. m., Saturday, January 19th.

If you are expecting to win one of the biggest awards in The Tribune campaign, it is up to you alone to have more votes than your

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### DEMAND PROBE OF SCHOOL BUS WRECK

#### Many Children Injured As Bus Crashes Over Embankment

An official investigation of the school bus accident which took place last Thursday afternoon near Pilot Mountain in which 33 children were injured, many seriously, has been demanded by parents and citizens of that section of the county.

Eighteen of the 33 injured were in serious condition when admitted to the hospital at Mount Airy. Nine suffered broken pelvis bones and may not be able to walk for several months. Several have broken arms or legs.

Warrants were issued for Dewey Chilton, driver of the wagon with which the school bus collided, and Archie Baker, 16, driver of the bus. Citizens of that section are said to be indignant over the warrant for Mr. Chilton, claiming that he was in no way to blame and performed valuable aid in helping extricate the injured from the wreckage.

The accident occurred at the foot of a long hill. It was said the bus was coasting and that the driver, attempting to go between the wagon driven by Chilton and a pedestrian, became blinded by the sun. The bus struck the wagon and turned over after leaving the embankment and hurtling through the air for about 50 feet, landing on its side in a ditch on the far side of a small creek.

### Campaign Judges In Tribune "Cash Offer" Campaign Are Named

The following men, representative of Surry, Wilkes and Yadkin, have kindly consented to act as judges at the close of The Elkin Tribune Cash Offer campaign Saturday night, January 19, at 8 o'clock:

E. C. James, attorney, Elkin, representing Surry county;  
D. B. Swearingen, chairman of the board of Wilkes county commissioners, representing Wilkes county, and;

A. L. Inscore, Sheriff of Yadkin county, representing Yadkin county.

### LATE NEWS from the State and Nation

#### WILKES SCHOOL BUS WRECKED

North Wilkesboro, Jan. 15.—A school bus carrying a cargo of 42 children to Wilkesboro high and elementary schools collided with an automobile in Wilkesboro this morning and turned completely over on the street. Eight occupants sustained minor injuries.

#### PLAN TO ELIMINATE GRADE CROSSINGS

Washington, Jan. 15.—A half-billion dollar grade crossing elimination program was advanced in official quarters today as a key plan in the administration's effort to remove 3,500,000 from the relief rolls.

Plans for elimination of 5,000 crossings with this sum have been worked out by railroad engineers.

#### TO RENEW INVESTIGATION

Washington, Jan. 15.—A renewed investigation of the war department, described as designed to "keep a check on vicious and improper practices", was proposed jointly today by the chairman and by a leading Democrat, a member of the house military affairs committee.

#### NEW DEAL LEADERS UNEASY

Washington, Jan. 15.—A decided feeling of uneasiness pervades new deal circles as they await the decision of the Supreme court in the five gold clause cases now under advisement. This is true with respect to lawyers of high and low degree.

### PROMINENT WILKES MAN PASSES AWAY

#### Harvey S. Vanhoy, of Near Ronda, Dies at Age of 94

Harvey S. Vanhoy, who would have reached his 95th birthday on March 10, passed away at the home of his adopted daughter, Mrs. Worth Sale, near Ronda, Tuesday morning.

Mr. Vanhoy was born in Cherokee county, Virginia, a son of the late Joel Vanhoy, who worked for years among the Cherokee Indians. He came to North Carolina early in life

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#### New Buses For Yadkin

With the delivery of new school buses to Yadkin county this week, all of North Carolina's 750 new buses built with PWA funds were in operation, it was announced Tuesday by Claude Gaddy, acting secretary of the state school commission.

### Defendant and Judge In Sensational Trial



Around Bruno Richard Hauptmann, left, accused kidnaper and murderer of the Lindbergh baby, swings the most dramatic court scenes this nation has witnessed in years. Right is Supreme Court Justice Thomas W. Trenchard, 71, who is presiding over the sensational trial at Flemington, N. J.

### FISCH KINSMEN ARE SECRET WITNESSES

#### Will Be Used To Explode "Fisch Myth" In Hauptmann Trial

Flemington, N. J., Jan. 15.—Three German relatives and the nurse of Isador Fisch, Bruno Hauptmann's dead alibi man, were hidden as secret witnesses tonight as the carpenter's murder trial prosecutors announced themselves ready to explode "the Fisch myth."

The mysterious manner of their landing from the liner Le de France in New York harbor stole considerable interest from the little old Hunterdon county courtroom where the state of New Jersey seeks to send Hauptmann to the electric chair for the kidnap-killing of the Lindbergh baby.

It was Fisch, says Bruno, who went to Germany to die and left with him a shoe box containing more than \$14,000 in ransom notes

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### Ordinance Requires All Dogs In City Limits Be Vaccinated For Rabies

#### Fifteen People of Elkin and Vicinity Now Taking Pasteur Treatment. Numerous Mad Dogs Have Been Killed Within Past Week. Town Commissioners In Call Meeting Pass Ordinance and Set Fine of \$10 For Those Who Do Not Comply.

An epidemic of mad dogs has struck Elkin and vicinity!

Fifteen people of this immediate community, including Jonesville, are now taking the serum to prevent hydrophobia!

Numerous rabid dogs, which have probably infected many other dogs and animals, in addition to human beings, have been killed within the past week.

It is possible that dogs yet showing no sign of the dread disease may go mad at any moment. In an effort to wage an effective fight against rabies, an ordinance, making it mandatory that all pet

dogs be vaccinated against the disease at least once each year was passed by the board of town commissioners in a called meeting Tuesday afternoon. Dogs not vaccinated are threatened with extinction.

In addition, a warning was sounded for everyone to be on guard against stray dogs and dogs that show any appearance of being sick.

The action on the part of the town commissioners came at the suggestion of the local Kiwanis club which appointed a committee composed of A. O. Bryan, Dr. H. L. Johnson and Dr. R. B. Harrell to petition the commissioners to pass such an ordinance.

The ordinance passed by the commissioners was as follows:

Be it ordained by the board of commissioners of the Town of Elkin that on and after this date all dogs owned or kept by citizens of

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### PROMINENT CITIZEN CLAIMED BY DEATH

#### C. S. Reavis, 78, Widely Known Over County of Yadkin

Charles Santford Reavis, 78 passed away at his home near Hamptonville Sunday night at 8 o'clock, following a long illness, due largely to the infirmities of old age. Pneumonia developed last week, causing his death.

Mr. Reavis was a widely known and highly respected citizen of Yadkin county and had been active in political and civic affairs of the county for the past 50 years. In 1919 he was appointed Chairman of the Yadkin County Road Commission, which place he held for a number of years. He was a leading figure in the republican party of the county for many years and served as chairman of the executive committee for several years.

Mr. Reavis was born in Yadkin county, February 7, 1856, and spent most of his life in the county. He was married March 9, 1876, to Miss Esther Luvinnia Segaves, who survives him, together with the following children: Attorney Wade Reavis, of Yadkinville; Mrs. L. C. Fleming and Mrs. S. E. Burgess of Hamptonville and Miss Flora Reavis of the home. Six grandchildren also survive.

The funeral was conducted at the home Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock and was in charge of Rev. E. W. Turner of Mocksville and Prof. Z. H. Dixon of Elkin. Interment followed in the cemetery at Flat Rock Baptist church.

### PROMINENT DOCTOR OF BROOKS CROSS ROADS IS PNEUMONIA VICTIM

#### Dr. Harold J. Weaver's Death Is Blow To Entire Section

#### RITES WEDNESDAY

Dr. Harold J. Weaver, 37, prominent physician of Brooks Cross Roads, passed away Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock in a Statesville hospital, from pneumonia. He had been ill one week.

Dr. Weaver was one of the leaders in the civic and cultural life of his community. Since going to Brooks Cross Roads ten years ago to practice his profession he had endeared himself to the entire population of this section.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Weaver, of Olin, Iredell county, a graduate of Harmony high school, the University of North Carolina, and Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia.

In 1925 he was married to Miss Thelma Melton, who survives him, with one daughter, Geraldine Weaver. His parents, six brothers, W. H., John A., and Earl Weaver, of Statesville; Carl Weaver, Lenoir; Wayne and Hugh Weaver, Olin, and two sisters, Misses Mary Belle and Doris Weaver of Olin, also survive.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence at Brooks Cross Roads, in charge of Rev. C. C. Washam, assisted by Rev. J. S. Hiatt, of Gastonia, and Rev. W. Q. Crigg, Statesville. Interment was at Olin, Iredell county.

### PIONEER WILKES CITIZEN IS DEAD

#### H. S. Holbrook, 100, Passes Away Saturday; Was Educator

H. S. Holbrook passed away Saturday afternoon at his home at Traphill. Had Mr. Holbrook lived until Monday he would have been 100 years old. The deceased was perhaps the oldest citizen of Wilkes county, and was the oldest of ten children born to his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Holbrook. Five of the children are still living, the youngest of whom is 75 years old.

Mr. Holbrook was a pioneer citizen in every sense of the word. In early manhood he was a leader in advocating education and was one of the founders of the old Fairview College at Traphill, which was established sixty years ago, but with the advent of public education, has been supplanted by a modern high school. Graduates of the old school filled many important places in the public and business life of the state and nation.

His public spirit was not confined to education. He was a leading farmer in his community and in church work he held a prominent and responsible place. Members of the family have been substantial farmers throughout the past century and their names are linked inseparably with the progress of Wilkes county.

He is survived by three children: Mrs. C. C. McCann, Traphill, with whom he made his home; C. D. Holbrook, Traphill and R. T. Holbrook, Winston-Salem. Three sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Alice Brown, Wilkesboro; Mrs. Betty Truitt, Traphill; Mrs. Fannie Holbrook, Stillwater, Oklahoma; Ralph Holbrook, Traphill and John Holbrook, Abshers. Several grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were held Monday, his 100th birthday anniversary, from the home, with Rev. J. L. A. Bumgarner, Methodist minister of Miller's Creek, in charge. Interment was in the Roaring River church cemetery.

#### PROPOSE INVESTIGATION

Washington, Jan. 14.—Investigation of the federal emergency relief administration, attacked by Republicans before the election as an administration Santa Claus doling out money to get votes, was proposed today by Representative Usher L. Burdick (R) North Dakota.

### VOTES LANDED LAST FEW HOURS WILL DECIDE WINNER OF \$600 AND \$400 IN CASH

#### THE BIGGEST WEEK

Interest has increased so rapidly that it is more in doubt now than ever as to who the \$600 and \$400 winner will be. Most all of the leading candidates are exerting extra effort this week. This indicates the biggest week in subscriptions turned in for prospective winners. Big winners always finish strong in any kind of a race. Are you a winner?

#### Here They Are—Names Only Are Listed

In fairness to all candidates the names only are listed this final week. Pick the one you would like to see win the \$600, and give your strongest support this last and final hour.

#### The Climax—The Finish—The End

### WHO? WILL BE THE WINNERS

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|-----------------------|---------------------|
| Miss Irene Brown      | Joe Williams        |
| Mrs. David Morrison   | Miss Lucile Cox     |
| Miss Beatrice Burcham | Miss Mattie Brendle |
| Mrs. Luther Stuart    | Mrs. Lula Weir      |
| Mrs. Paul Speer       | Miss Opal Smith     |
| Miss Mildred Holbrook | Mrs. Cora Cooper    |
|                       | Miss Vetra Haynes   |

#### What a Thrill To Be the Winner

All Prizes will be awarded Saturday night. All Commission Checks will be given; therefore all Candidates are requested to be present after the Judges finish their count.

#### Don't Be Defeated Now

Better be a few votes over than one under. It is easy to fall to the bottom with such real hustlers working for the big awards. Real Action is Necessary Now. A FEW MORE HOURS—WIN OR LOSE.

#### BIG WINNERS WILL FINISH STRONG