

### YADKIN BOARD DEFERS MANY

Largest Group Given Industrial Deferment, Others For Farming

#### LIST IS ANNOUNCED

The Yadkin county draft board in recent session classified a large number of persons, among them being a big group listed for industrial deferment. Second largest group was deferred for farming. The list as given by T. W. Martin, secretary to the board, follows:

1-A—(eligible for service)—Francis Henry Martin, route 2, Yadkinville; Harvey Lee Chappell, Jonesville.

1-C—(already in service)—Elbert Byron Huffman, Jonesville; Homer Holcomb Wagoner, Yadkinville; Avery Thurmond Watson, route 1, Boonville; J. M. Murphy, route 1, East Bend; Clinton Eugene Watkins, route 2, Yadkinville; Robert Sanford Cartwright, route 1, Yadkinville; Claude James Myers, route 1, Jonesville; William Howard Brown, route 1, Boonville; William Lee Johnson, Jonesville.

2-A—(industrial deferment)—Charlie Frank Myers, route 2, East Bend; Albert Jennings Martin, Boonville; Vestal George Prim, East Bend; Dwight George Whitaker, route 1, Boonville; Dwayne Myers Brown, route, Cycle; Will Williams, Boonville; Paul Hubert Sizemore, route 1, Boonville; Avery James Wall, route 1, Elkin; Quincy Elmer Johnson, Jonesville; Baltus Rowan Holbrook, Jonesville; Howard Blain Macy, Jonesville; Thomas Marvin Livengood, route 2, Yadkinville; Lawrence William Murphy, route 1, East Bend; Gilbert Lee Hutchens, Box 96, Yadkinville; John Henry Thomas, Boonville; Lester McKinley Cheek, route 1, Cycle; Johnson Howell Steelman, route 2, Yadkinville; Governor Bickett Holcomb, route 1, Boonville; John Evan Smitherman, route 1, East Bend; Early Louis Adams, route 2, Hamptonville; Coy Lee Calloway, Cycle; Ruffen Gaither Benton, route 1, Jonesville; Arlie Clay Robbins, route 1, Jonesville; Horace Wilborn Vestal, Jonesville; Clyde George Hicks, Clemmons; Johnny Claude Burchette, route 2, Elkin.

2-B—(war work deferment)—Nathaniel Dobson, Boonville. 2-C—(farming deferment)—Raymond Winford Lineberry, route 1, East Bend; Wiley Turner Johnson, Cycle. 3-C (agricultural deferment)—Charlie Allen Reavis, route 2, Harmony; James Adolphus Henderson, Hamptonville; Henry Jesse York, route 1, Mocksville; Oscar T. Hall, Hamptonville; Cletus Grover Wilmoth, route 1, Boonville; Harry Lee Helton, route 1, East Bend; George Daniel Long, route 2, Yadkinville; Grady Edward Nance, route 1, Hamptonville; Roy Guy Vanhoy, Hamptonville; David Sanders Pardue, route 1, Cycle; Claude Monroe Jester, route 1, Boonville; Vivian Leak Angell, route 1, East Bend; John Ellis Collins, Cycle; Herman Fletcher Bryant, route 1, Jonesville; Ora Edison Harris, route 1, Cycle; Thomas Walter Speer, East Bend; Sherman Santford Weatherman, route 1, Jonesville; Farmer Groce, Cycle; Troy Ford Sneed, route 1, Yadkinville; Willard Austin Harris, route 2, Yadkinville; Wade Garrell White, Jonesville; Berlin Jasper Joyner, route 2, Yadkinville; Jack Isom Lunsford, route 2, Yadkinville; Joseph William Hobson, route 1, Boonville; Isaac Curtis Reavis, route 2, Yadkinville; Graham McKinley Wall, route 1, East Bend.

Shirley Ann Vestal Dies Wednesday

Shirley Ann Vestal, 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vestal, who reside near Jonesville, on the Brooks Cross Roads highway, died in a Raleigh hospital Wednesday morning, following a serious illness of a year.

Developments Are Promised In Case

Acting Coroner W. E. Rutledge of Yadkin county indicated Wednesday that Friday's hearing in the alleged murder case of William Everett Dean will bring "some interesting developments."

The Alps mountains extend 1200 miles in length.

### WILL ENFORCE SCHOOL LAWS

Merlin Robertson, of White Plains, Is Named Surry Truant Officer

#### IN ELKIN 1 DAY WEEKLY

Merlin Robertson, of White Plains, has been appointed truant officer for Surry county and has already assumed his duties.

The appointment of Mr. Robertson to enforce the attendance laws in the county schools was ordered some weeks ago by the county school board.

Mr. Robertson will devote two days each week to the Mount Airy schools and the remainder of the time to the other schools of the county. He will be in Elkin one day out of each week.

Having served for six months as a deputy sheriff in Surry county and having extensive experience as a private investigator, law enforcement work is not new to Mr. Robertson, who says that the law, which makes compulsory the school attendance of all children from 7 years through 14 years of age, inclusive, will be enforced to the letter.

The law says that children within those age limits must attend school and parents failing to comply with the law will be prosecuted. The first offenses are liable for fines from \$5 up to \$25; second offenses are liable for fines up to \$50 and third offenses are liable for road sentences.

### HONOR SCOUTS AT COURT HERE

At a meeting of the Boy Scout Court of Honor at the Gilvin Roth Y. M. C. A. here last Friday night, five scouts from the local district were honored through advancement or presentation of merit badges.

Jim Garland, of Troop 48, Elkin, was advanced to Star Scout, the award having been made by his father, C. O. Garland. Ranny Smith, of Troop 25, Jonesville, was awarded merit badges for Wood Carving and Plumbing.

George Hobson, of Troop 72, Boonville, received merit badges for Personal Health, Public Health, Reading, Farm Home and its Planning, and Handicraft. Billy Mathews, also of Troop 72, Boonville, was presented merit badges for Personal Health, Reading, Farm Home and its Planning, Handicraft and Woodwork. Edwin C. Hood, also of this troop, received merit badges for Reading and Handicraft. All merit badges were presented by J. Mark McAdams, Scout commissioner. J. L. Lillard presided over the meeting.

### CLUB OFFICERS ARE INSTALLED

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its activities have been geared to war.

The Elkin Club, the speaker pointed out, has done a fine job during the past year and has chalked up an excellent record.

Garland Johnson, in assuming office, made a brief talk in which he pledged his best as president of the club and called upon the members for full cooperation.

Attending the meeting were a number of out-of-town guests, including Dr. and Mrs. Charles Armstrong, the former an international trustee of Kiwanis, of Salisbury; Past Lieutenant Governor Dr. Rufus Sykes, and Mrs. Sykes, of Asheboro; Lieutenant Governor Sanford Martin, and Mrs. Martin, of Winston-Salem; and Past Governor Marion (Spike) Saunders, of Chapel Hill.

Prior to the installation ceremonies, an entertaining musical program was presented under the direction of C. C. Poindexter, featuring piano music by Charlie Wolfe; vocal solos by Miss Lena Sale, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Franklin Folger, and a comic song by Gene Hall, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Carlyle Summey. Attendance prizes were presented to Mrs. H. P. Graham, Mrs. Raymond Harris and Mrs. Charles Armstrong. At the conclusion of the program, a Chatham blanket was presented to Governor Bates.

At the meeting this evening (Thursday), C. J. Hyslop, chairman of the program committee, will have charge of the program, and will present Captain Walter Harrison, of the Office of Flying Safety, Winston-Salem, who will discuss the work of his department.

### LATE NEWS from the State and Nation

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force planes in enormous numbers spread ruin over north-west Germany yesterday against probably the most desperate enemy defense in air war history, a defense which according to a special German high command communique resulted in the destruction of 123 American planes. The German communique claimed that only two Nazi planes were shot down and that seven were missing — a loss so low in comparison to the claimed 123 American planes destroyed as to make the whole communique appear fantastic. There were indications in Stockholm reports that American heavy bombers operating not in formation may have made their first daylight assault on Berlin, which has been raided 104 times by the Royal air force.

### ELUDES POLICE AS SEARCH IS MADE MONDAY

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looking, she saw it was a negro man.

The negro asked her if she was resting, Mrs. Jones said, then wanted to know if that was where C. G. Ashby lived? He said he had some groceries to deliver to Mr. Ashby. Although thoroughly frightened, Mrs. Jones told him that Mr. Ashby didn't live there, and then asked him what he meant by walking into another person's house? She said he mumbled something she didn't understand and turning around, went down the stairs and out of the house.

Watching him through a window, she said he had no groceries with him as he walked slowly along the street. Nothing was missed from the home, she said.

It was later in the afternoon that the man was said to have entered the kitchen of the McAdams' home, taking \$3.00 from Mrs. McAdams' pocketbook. Mrs. McAdams, who was said to have been in the front part of the house at the time, discovered the theft and overtook the negro a short distance down the street, where she made him give back the money. He was said to have been going along Spring street, eastward, when she reached a phone and called police.

Chief of Police Corbett Wall said he happened to be standing beside the telephone when Mrs. McAdams called, and learning the man was proceeding along Spring street, immediately drove up North Bridge in an effort to cut him off. However, a thorough search of the neighborhood showed no trace of him.

The negro was said to have told Mrs. McAdams that he was delivering groceries for a downtown store, and sure enough he had left a paper bag containing canned goods in her kitchen. However, a check of local grocery stores showed that the canned goods had not been bought here. Contained in the sack were two cans of salmon, three large cans and one small can of sliced pineapple, 1 large can of cherries, 1 glass jar of apple jelly, 1 can of peaches, 1 can of apricots, and a can of tuna. The price of each can was plainly marked on it with grease crayon, but there was no ration point mark on any of it, as is customary with grocery stores here, leading police to believe that the goods had been bought before rationing of canned goods, and that the negro had stolen it from some home.

Mrs. McAdams said the man was dressed in a greenish-grey overcoat and wore a black felt hat.

### HONOR ELKIN SCOUT LEADER

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West Jefferson, were named council vice-presidents.

Executive board members elected included A. O. Bryan, of Elkin, while R. W. Harris was named as a district chairman. Mr. McAdams was named district commissioner.

Tom Roth, also of Elkin, was a member of the nominating committee.

Winners of Acorn Awards were announced as follows: Elkin-Yadkin, H. C. Hatch, of Elkin; J. T. Reece, of Yadkinville, and Rev. O. V. Caudill, of Elkin.

Secretary Morgenthau munches raisins between interviews.

### DRAFT SYSTEM TO BE CHANGED

Selective Service "Screen Test" Is Abolished Under New Order

#### ONLY ONE EXAMINATION

Surry County Selective Service officials are awaiting arrival from state headquarters at Raleigh of formal instructions on the marked change in the manner of examining and inducting men for military service, following the announcement from national Selective Service headquarters that screening examinations now in effect, are to be abolished.

Hereafter all men placed in Class 1-A will be sent in groups to nearby army-navy examining stations, and those who pass for general or limited service will be sent to camps for immediate induction on future calls. It is stated, however, that none of these are to be called to service within less than three weeks after they have passed the physical examinations. Some will naturally have longer periods at home before being called. At present those accepted for army service are given furloughs of twenty-one days at home, those for the Marines two weeks and those for the navy only one week before beginning active service. The new plan will put all on the same basis.

The new system, it is pointed out, will build up a pool of acceptable selectees, who will be called in their regular order to fill future calls. The Washington announcement said that the plan is effective immediately so as to prepare men for February calls.

Whether the present system of giving serological blood tests at the local board will be continued will be determined when the new orders are received from state headquarters. It was stated in the Washington announcement that any man who believes he has an obvious physical defect may request and be given an examination by a local board physician. It is not expected that this alternative will be followed in many cases. Likewise it is stated that a person who passes the tests at an examining center may be im-

### LABOR DRAFT IS SOUGHT BY FDR

Seeks National Service Law To Provide Workers For War Industries

#### HAS 5-POINT PROGRAM

Washington, Jan. 12.—President Roosevelt stunned Congress Tuesday with a request for legislation allowing the drafting of men and women for war work — key point in a broad program laid down in his annual message for winning the war and winning the peace.

Saying such a measure would prevent strikes, Mr. Roosevelt expressed conviction that the American people would welcome it and said it would give our enemies "demoralizing assurance that we mean business — that we 130,000,000 Americans, are on the march to Rome, Berlin and Tokyo."

The message set forth a five-point program of wartime legislation, asked also for laws assuring that those in the armed services can vote in next year's election, gave assurance that no secret treaties or political commitments were made at the Teheran and Cairo conferences, and outlined a postwar "bill of economic rights," asking that Congress explore means for implementing it.

The five-point program: 1. A tax law which will tax all unreasonable profits both individual and corporate. He said the pending revenue bill, which would raise about \$2,000,000,000 instead of the \$10,500,000,000 asked by the treasury, "does not begin to meet this test."

2. Continuation of war law for renegotiation of war contracts. (The tax bill proposes amendments to this law which opponents contend would virtually scuttle it.)

3. A "cost of food law" placing

mediately inducted into service if he so desires. From time to time now it is expected that the local board will get calls to send specified numbers of men to examining centers, probably to Fort Bragg or Camp Croft. Since this plan is expected to be used in preparing for the February calls, early action is expected so as to provide the three weeks minimum before induction.

a "reasonable floor" under farm prices and a ceiling on retail prices. He made clear this means continuing subsidies, saying it will "require public funds to carry out."

4. Early re-enactment of the stabilization statute (price and wage fixing law) which expires next June 30. Otherwise, he said,

"the country might just as well expect price chaos by summer."

5. "A national service law — which, for the duration of the war, will prevent strikes, and, with certain appropriate exceptions, will make available for war production on or for any other essential services every able-bodied adult in this nation."

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**2:30 P. M.** We will sell 22 acres, located on Deep Creek road, adjoining French Shore and J. R. Gough land. We have cut this into two tracts.

**3:00 P. M.** We will sell 81 acres, home place of J. H. P. Shore, upon which is situated one six-room home in good condition, running water in home and barn, electricity, two tenant houses, 54 acres tobacco allotment, two tobacco barns, pack house, concrete basement, brick foundation, two feed barns, large sheds, woodhouse, chicken house, three wells, one at each house, granary and hog houses, etc. 25 acres under pasture, iron posts, about 150,000 feet timber, about 40 acres under cultivation. It's a good farm located six miles southeast of Yadkinville, N. C. Go down Mocksville highway from Yadkinville, 3 1-2 miles to Deep Creek road, turn left and go 2 1-2 miles to this farm.

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