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Last Sunday's Clothing Drive Is Disappointing

Due to the fact that not as much used clothing was collected as was anticipated in the Victory Clothing Drive for Overseas Relief last Sunday afternoon, a second town-wide canvass, which will also include Jonesville, will be staged this Sunday, beginning at 4:00 o'clock, C. N. Myers, chair- STATE man, said Wednesday.

Mr. Myers stated that last Sunday's collection was both disappointing and gratifying-disappointing because only a comparative few made contributions, but gratifying because those who did contribute did so in generous fashion. Many people, he said, donated 25, 50 and even as high as 100 or more garments.

Hundreds of homes have as yet failed to participate in the drive, it was said, although all could easily give something. And small donations of clothing will be wel-

Many communities throughout the nation are reporting contributions averaging from one to five garments for each of the town's population, Mr. Myers pointed out, iding that he is hoping that Elkin will give at least 5,000 gar-

Those who wish to donate to the drive next Sunday are asked to bundle up the bedding or gar-ments and place on the front porch. Due to bad roads, only the paved streets and roads in Elkin and Jonesville will be canvassed. However, it was urged that those who are not canvassed for this reason bring their contributions to town and leave at any one of the collecting stations, located at the postoffice and fur-

Mr. Myers also asked that Elkin ministers and school teachers announce the new canvass.

All clothing, shoes and bedding collected will be sent to suffering people of war ravaged countries overseas, many of whom will die of cold and exposure if immediate assistance is not forthcoming.

RAT CAMPAIGN **PROGRESSING**

Lot of Work Remains To Be Done Before Town Is Cleared of Rodents

COOPERATION IS ASKED

The long range program recently planned to control typhus fever in this city through the eradication of rats in the downtown business buildings, and which was launched here the first of the year, is progressing according to schedule, the officials of the program have announced.

However, it was said, there remains a lot of work to be done before the town will be considered cleared of rats, the chief typhus carriers, as most of the buildings were found to be in dire need of rat proofing.

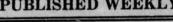
Lt. J. N. Farlow, of Winston-Salem, K. D. Green, of Elkin and a discharged veteran of World War II, and O. W. Brewer, of Mooresville, officials of the program, ask that occupants and owners of the business houses cooperate fully to make the program just as successful as possible.

The plan, sponsored and backed both by the town and local civic organizations, calls for a thorough inspection after which a complete form is made of the repairs and work to be done with estimated cost which is presented to the owner of the building. The owner, it was pointed out, is of course responsible for all costs of materials and labor involved. City can Legion for the benefit of the clerk, Dixie Graham, acts as

treasurer for the program. It is expected to take from six to seven months to complete the

Firemen Answer Alarm Wednesday

Firemen were called to the Auto Trim Shop, located on South Bridge street, Wednesday mornto have resulted in a small blaze. any Legion member.



Second Canvass Will Be Staged Sunday At 4:00

From the State and Nation

DURHAM, Jan. 29. - The 65-cent minimum, it was announced tonight by Dr. Frank T. DeVyver, personnel director of the mills. Present minimum in the Erwin mills is 55 cents. Dr. DeVyver said that imposition of the new 65-cent minimum would result in further adjustments being made in some wage levels above that figure. He stated that, as far as he knows, the Erwin mills is the offer, H. W. Payne, vice chairman. president of the textile workers union of America, one of the union negotiators, said tonight: The offer made by the company provides an excellent chance for settlement of the dispute."

NATIONAL

NEW YORK, Jan. 29. ness which his doctors described as "obscure." Even in death, there was a hint of mystery in public. the man who was so close to the late President that he lived for three and a half years at the White House. A champion of the common man who yet of the world, Hopkins had been of Elkin, or mail to Mr. Neaves.

the steel strike deadlock, the Infantile Paralysis. shock of the walkout tonight was reaching out to many small plants. United States Steel corporation President Benjamin F. Fairless denied that there has been any settlement reached in the nine-day strike. Irving S. Olds, United States Steel's board chairman, denied the considered any new proposal. The Pittsburgh press early today said that reports reaching labor circles, but unconfirmed by any other source, were that ON FANCY GAP ROAD threat for Pilot. "big steel" has agreed to grant the 181/2 cent wage demand of the C. I. O. united steelworkers.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29. The house today, in a direct re-

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LEGION DANCE **AT GYM FRIDAY**

Of George Gray Post **Hut Fund**

HAVE GOOD ORCHESTRA

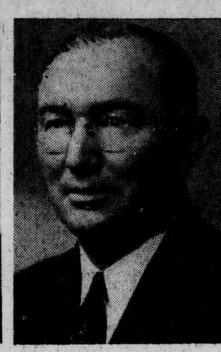
Harold Gale and his orchestra, of Winston-Salem, will play for the dance that is to be held here gymnasium, sponsored by the George Gray Post of the Ameri-Legion Hut Fund, it has been announced by the officials of the

The orchestra, well known throughout this section, has played in leading hotels, country clubs, colleges, etc., in this area and promises to offer good dancing music, as well as good listening pleasure to the large crowd that is expected to attend.

Tickets can be purchased from Turner Drug Co., The Music Box, ing, when a short circuit was said Prevette's Men's Shop, or from

truck reached the scene the fire p. m. and continue until 1:00 a. on the Fancy Gap highway since last Sunday night in June to contract truck reached the scene the fire p. m. and continue until 1:00 a. on the Fancy Gap highway since last Sunday night in June to continue until 1:00 a.





RECOGNITION DINNER SPEAKERS - Charles A. Cannon, left, of Kannapolis, president of the Cannon Mills Company, will be principal speaker at the Recognition Dinner for Thurmond Chatham to be held at the Gilvin Roth YMCA here this evening. Carl Goerch, right, editor and publisher of The State Magazine, Raleigh, will act as master of ceremonies.

March Of Dimes Drive County, Surry farm leaders are urging a heavy turn-out on the wage offer to striking workers of the Erwin plant based on a Nets \$1,088 To Date Those attending will have an opportunity to hear and meet outstanding leaders in the State

Local Quota In **Polio Drive Is** Not Yet Reached

With a local quota of \$2,000, a total of \$1,088.27 has been conthe first cetton mill in the tributed to date in the March of south to offer its workers a 65- Dimes campaign, it was reported cent minimum. Commenting on Wednesday by Sam Neaves, local

> Mr. Neaves said that a total of \$483 has been contributed by Elkin merchants and other citizens following a canvass, and that Chatham employees have contributed \$605.27. No report has been received as yet from the local theatres and schools, but will be announced later.

Mr. Neaves also pointed out that Harry Hopkins, who played a no check on the March of Dimes containers placed in local store of American politics, died today and business houses has yet been in Memorial hospital of an ill- made. He urged that managers of all stores place the jars so that they may be easily seen by the

In event anyone wishes to make a substantial contribution in the battle against infantile paralysis, they are urged to mail or hand Girls Lose To Pilot While moved freely among prime min- check to Miss Ophelia Paul. isters, dietators and presidents treasurer of the drive, at the Bank

The drive is scheduled to end as critical. He was 56 years old. will reach and oversubscribe its quota, inasmuch as half of the ed reports of an early break in to the National Foundation for

TRAGIC CRASH

Cars Crash Head-On Near Mount Airy Friday

The death toll of a head-on aumorial hospital in Mount Airy.

Four were instantly killed when the two cars crashed head-on on Highway 52 when the car driven by Ray Flippin, 24, of Pilot Mountain, the sheriff said, rounded a curve, swerved to the left and Proceeds To Go For Benefit crashed into a car driven by Wade L. Greenwood, 27, of Ararat, Va. The four that died instantly in addition to both drivers were Miss to make this issue of The Tribune. Pearlie Macie Money, 28, of Mount Airy, and Pfc. Joseph D. Flippin, 20, of Pilot Mountain, cousin of Hodges Is Elected

Ray Flippin. Curtis Owens, 17, of Staley, died Saturday morning in the Mount Airy hospital, and James Franklin Chappell, 28, of Mount Airy, died

State highway patrolman W. L. McKenzie and Sheriff Sam C. Patterson said Miss Money, Miss Hiatt and Chappell were riding in the car with Greenwood. Joseph Flippin, Owens, and Edsil Johnson, 21, of Pilot Mountain, sole survivors of the crash, were in the car with Ray Flippin.

Patterson said the Greenwood car was moving south, headed in the direction of Mount Airy. The Flippin car was traveling north toward Hillsville, Va.

Hyslup General Chairman 1946 **Red Cross Drive**

C. J. Hyslup, of Elkin, has been named general chairman of the annual Red Cross drive which will get under way March 4, it was learned Tuesday from Mrs. J. O. Bivins, chairman of the Elkin Branch. A co-chairman and workers will be announced later.

The county quota for the 1946 drive has been set at \$10,-000, with a quota of \$4,000 having been assigned to the Elkin district. This district is made up of Elkin, State Road, Mountain Park, Zephyr, Devotion, Burch, Little Richmond, Crutchfield and Rockford.

DOUBLEHEADER

Boys Win Thriller In Photo-Finish 21-20

Elkin high school split a twin PITTSBURGH, Jan. 29. - funds contributed will remain here bill with Pilot Mountain cagesters Amid persistent but unconfirm- for local use, the other half to go here last Saturday night, with the Elkin girls losing 22-27, and the boys winning 21-20 in a game featured by a split-second finale that had the large crowd present on the edge of their seats.

The boys' game was close all the way through, the half seeing the score tied 11-11. In the final quarter, with only 25 seconds to play and the score standing 19 to corporation had received or considered any new proposal. Core Crack Head On Near goal to win. Harris led the attack for Elkin with 11 points, but each member of the team played fine ball. Simmons was the main

> It will be remembered that Pilot Mountain boys were winners of tomobile collision on "deadman's the Jaycee Invitational Basketball highway" four miles north of tournament held here last spring Mount Airy last Friday night and the 1946 edition would appear reached seven when Miss Hazel E. to be equally as good. Both teams TAYLOR IS TO SPEAK Hiatt, 18, succumbed Saturday on the floor Saturday night were night at 6:45 at the Martin Me- well matched. Pilot had previously defeated Elkin, in their only loss of the season to date, by two Mountain.

In the girls' game, Key was the big threat for Pilot, scoring 17

The Elks, both boys and girls, here in a double header Wednesday night, too late for the results

As Supply Pastor

Rev. D. D. Hodges, of Mount Airy, has recently been elected by at 5:30 at the hospital the same the Mountain Park Baptist church to succeed Rev. D. G. Reece, of

afternoon. W. B. Williams, church clerk, any other special guests that they group to dominate," he empha-

has announced that Dr. J. C. Can- think will be interested in the sized. ipe, of Boone, has accepted the in-

SURRY FARMERS Thurmond Chatham To ARE URGED TO Be Honored At Dinner

Vention At Winston PLAN FINE PROGRAM At YMCA This Evening

Local Farm Officials Point Out May Not Have Another Opportunity So Near

HUTSON IS TO SPEAK

The North Carolina Farm Bureau Federation will hold its tenth annual convention at the Robert E. Lee Hotel, in Winston-Salem, February 6, 7 and 8 with a full program outlined for the

Due to the fact the convention is being held so close to Surry County, Surry farm leaders are part of Surry members.

Those attending will have an Farm Bureau, as well as distinguished leaders in the state's agricultural life. Prominent national leaders in Congress will also be present, as will Hon. J. B. Hutson, under-secretary of agriculture.

All persons planning to attend who will not have a place to spend the night, are reminded to write now for a reservation to one of the Winston-Salem hotels.

The first day of the convention will feature registration and commodity conferences and committee meetings, with an Associated Women's program, to be staged at 8:30 p. m., to be addressed by Mrs. Charles W. Sewell, administrative director of the Associated Women of the American Farm Bureau Federation, Chicago, Ill.

Thursday, February 7 will see a continuation of conferences and committee meetings and other special events, which will occupy the attention of the delegates throughout the remainder of the convention. The event will close February 8, with a banquet at which Under-Secretary of Agriculture Hutson will be the speaker. The banquet will be followed by a dance.

Old Auto Tags Sing Swan Song Tonight

At midnight tonight (Thursday), those yellow 1945 automobile His illness was never reported Saturday. It is hoped that Elkin PLAY BOONVILLE HERE license tags will end their usefulwant to get in trouble with high-

> Highway Patrol Corporal Sam McKinney said Wednesday that all cars must display new tags February 1 or their owners will face citation. The old tags expired at the end of the year, but a month's grace was extended motorists in which to buy new

Alumni of State College Will Hold Session At YMCA FORD SPEAKER February 5th

points in a game played at Pilot State College Agricultural Foundwere scheduled to meet Boonville Y.M.C.A. according to an an-Surry County Agent and President of the local organization.

> can help returning veterans under the G. I. Bill.

Beam is expected to explain the nation and we should continue the creasing the membership and raispected to bring their fathers or South rather than for either

The death toll in this crash church to conduct the annual re- only requirement is that each Hoke Henderson presided. Dur- appear in next week's paper. However, by the time the fire The dance will begin at 9:00 brought to 47 the number killed vival meeting which will begin the member return his card indicating ing the meeting, two new mem-

In Recognition Of Benefactions To Community

Hundreds of citizens of Elkin and neighboring communities, including members of Elkin civic clubs and local business men, will attend the recognition dinner for Thurmond Chatham which will be staged at the Gilvin Roth YMCA this evening (Thursday), beginning at 6:30 o'clock.

Sponsored by the civic clubs of this city, the dinner will honor Mr. Chatham as first citizen, patriot, industrialist, philanthropist and regular fellow, in recognition of his interest, and that of the Chatham Manufacturing Company, in the welfare of the town and of this section.

A comprehensive program, 30 minutes of which will be broadcast over WSJS. Winston-Salem. beginning at 7:30 o'clock, has been arranged, with Charles A. Cannon, of Kannapolis, president of Cannon Mills Company, as speaker who will deliver the recognition address. Carl Goerch, of Raleigh, editor and publisher of The State Magazine, will act as master of ceremonies. Mayor Garland Johnson will extend greetings. Following the response to Mr.

Cannon's address by Mr. Chatham, presidents of the three sponsoring civic clubs will be recognized. They are Hoke Henderson, president of the Kiwanis Club; W. J. (Bill) Graham, president of the Lions Club, and Alex G. Biggs, president of the Elkin Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Special music has been arranged for the event, which will be held in the gymnasium, capable of seating hundreds of guests.

The dinner will be attended not only by members of the various civic clubs and other business men, but by other citizens, including both men and women, and large number of out-of-town guests have been especially invited, including many close friends of Mr. Chatham.

It is considered quite appropriate that the dinner should be held in the YMCA inasmuch as this modern building was a gift to the town by Mr. Chatham and the Chatham Manufacturing

BLANKETEERS BEAT CHAMPS

Chatham Girls Bring To An End Goldblumes Record Of 69 Straight Wins

WERE NEVER HEADED

Displaying an exhibition of skill seldom seen on a local court, the Chatham Blanketeers last Friday night defeated the powerful Cook's Goldblumes, national girls' champions of Nashville, Tenn., to bring to an end an unbroken record of games won during the past three years. The score was 16 to

The Nashville team was admittedly the favorite before the starting whistle. And living up to expectations, they gave an impressive account of themselves in warm-up practice, shooting goal after goal with seldom a miss from practically all angles of the court. The remark, "it looks bad for Chatham" could be heard from all

But goals scored in practice don't count in the score, and the Goldblumes seemed to have lost their talent for ringers when faced with blanket-like coverage by the Blanketeers. Toss after toss went wild as the Chatham girls gave their opponents no chance to display the skill for which they were famed, and as the half end-At Pilot Mountain ed the score showed Chatham 9, Goldblumes 0. An airtight de-

fense had permitted no scoring. As the second half got under way, the same six Chatham girls who started the contest were in the lineup, and fought it out all the way without substitution. And although the visitors at last found the goal, they were never able to head the local girls who continued to smother their attack.

Marshall and Banks, a pair of All-Americans, were stars of the Goldblumes attack, Banks scoring eight of her team's points and Referees for the tournament will Marshall the other four. As for

Local Hospital Included In **Approved List**

black 1946 tags if one doesn't

H. W. (Pop) Taylor, Alumni D. Beam, Executive Secretary of ation, Inc., both of Raleigh, will be speakers for the Northwest State College Club which will meet in Elkin on Tuesday evening, February 5, at 6:30 P. M. in the nouncement by Neill M. Smith.

Taylor is scheduled to discuss as his subject, "The New South." the work of State College General Alumni Association and What and club, discussed the opportunities Miss Nancy Myers, Winston-Sal-How former State College students to be found in the South, saying:

work of the Agricultural Founda- struggle for educational oppor- Plan Cage Tourney as supply pastor for that church tions of the College and assist in tunities comparable to other secdeveloping an organization for in- tions. "We should continue to strive Rev. Hodges will conduct the ing funds in Northwestern North for equalized freight rates," he usual monthly church services at Carolina. Before becoming Exe- continued, "and for improvement the Mountain Park church on ev- cutive Secretary for the Founda- of our roads in the rural areas, ery first Sunday; however, due to tion, Beam was in the Trust De- condition of which is retarding his pastoral work in the Surry partment of the Raleigh Branch the progress of our schools and Baptist association, the hour of of Wachovia Bank and Trust Co. other important activities. worship has been changed from Smith stated that members of "Management and labor should 11 o'clock a, m. to 2 o'clock in the local State College Club are ex- learn to co-operate in our New

Alumni Association and the Ag- The speaker was presented by vitation from the Mountain Park ricultural Foundations, Inc. The Kiwanian C. N. Myers. President bers, Linville Hendren and Wil-

YADKIN SOLDIER

Photo by Redmon's Studio.

TO BE HONORED - Thurmond Chatham, chairman of the board

of the Chatham Manufacturing Company, will be honored at a rec-

ognition dinner to be staged at the Gilvin Roth YMCA here this

evening, under the sponsorship of Elkin civic clubs. The dinner will

be attended by hundreds of Elkin citizens and citizens of neighbor-

ing communities, in addition to numerous out-of-town guests.

meeting of the Board of Re-

gents of the American College

The listing indicates hospi-

tals of 25 beds or over which

have complied satisfactorily

with minimum requirements

assuring the best care of sick

and injured. The group's an-

nual survey was concluded in

December. The college repre-

sents approximately 14,000 sur-

geons in this country and Can-

ada who are interested in im-

AT CLUB MEE

Discusses New South

At Kiwanis Dinner

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

meeting of the Elkin Kiwanis Club

at the Gilvin Roth YMCA, using

becoming the envied section of the

proving hospital service.

of Surgeons,

The Hugh Chatham Me-John Woodrow Myers Killed morial Hospital here has been Instantly In Accident On included in the list of approv-Reynolda Road ed hospitals in the United States and Canada which was officially released at the annual

OTHERS ARE INJURED

John Woodrow Myers, 25, of Yadkinville, Route 2, a discharged veteran from the army a few weeks ago, was killed instantly early Sunday morning on Reynolda Road near the Reynolda blacksmith shop when the car he was driving, carrying three other passengers, overturned several times when the driver lost control

The deputy sheriff said Myers was driving a coupe toward Yadkinville, carrying James C. Henning 17, East Bend, Route 2, who was also injured, Donald Plowman, 18, East Bend, Route 2, and Billy Stewart, Yadkinville.

After the accident occurred the three occupants, only slightly injured, were sitting on the side of the highway awaiting help when 12. Secretary of State College, and R. Pastor Elkin Baptist Church a car driven by Charles W. Rasmussen, a Camp Lejeune marine, according to the investigating sheriff, struck Henning and Myers. Henning suffered internal injuries and was removed to the Baptist hospital in Winston-Salem Rev. Howard J. Ford, pastor of where his condition was described the Elkin First Baptist Church, as "satisfactory."

> Myers, who had just opened up filling station in Yadkinville, is sides. survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Myers, and three sisters, Rev. Mr. Ford, a member of the Miss Margaret Myers, Honolulu; em; and Mrs. Gray Howell, Yad-"We have the opportunity of kinville.

Principals and basketball coaches of Surry county met Wednesday night in Superintendent John W. Comer's office, in Dobson, to make definite plans for the county-wide basketball tournament which is to begin next Wednesday night and will last through February 12, at Pilot Mountain. At this meeting pairings, schedules, time of play, etc., were de-

cided upon. This information will

be Albert Martin and "Speedy"