

ARE TO INDUCT VFW OFFICERS HERE FRIDAY

Prominent State Officials Are
To Be Present

BANQUET AT THE YMCA

To Present VFW Citizenship
Award To Mrs. Lila Wood-
ruff, Of Jonesville

BURCHAM COMMANDER

Prominent state officials of the
Veterans of Foreign Wars will be
on hand for the installation of of-
ficers of the William J. Jones
Post 7794, V. F. W., at a banquet
meeting at the Gilvin Roth Y. M.
C. A. Friday at 7 p. m., Russell
Burcham, post commander, an-
nounced this week.

A highlight of the meeting will
be the presentation of the V. F. W.
Citizenship Award to Mrs. Lila S.
Woodruff of Jonesville.

Auxiliary officials will install
new officers of the local auxiliary
following installation of post officers.

E. C. Sneed, state commander
of Wilmington, will present the
award to Mrs. Woodruff, who has
been an active worker in veterans
affairs during and since the recent
war. She corresponded and sent
packages to many soldiers during
the period when the United States
had large forces abroad. This is
the first time that the local post
has made this award.

The principal address of the evening
will be delivered by Hugh G.
Chatham, vice-president of the
Chatham Manufacturing Com-
pany.

A. C. Ingram, state adjutant and
quartermaster of High Point will
install the new officers. . . These
include Russell Burcham, who suc-
ceeds himself as commander; Carl
Hinson, senior vice-commander;
John Foster, junior vice-com-
mander; Roscoe Poplin, quar-
termaster; R. Lewis Alexander, suc-
ceeding himself as chaplain; and
Dr. J. Moir Hall, succeeding him-
self as surgeon.

Mrs. Alberta C. Varner, of
Greensboro, state president of the
V. F. W. Auxiliary, will install
new officers in that branch. These
include Mrs. Russell Burcham,
succeeding herself as president;
Mrs. Blair Morrison, senior vice-
president; Mrs. Doris Holcomb,
junior vice-president; Mrs. Daisy
K. Crouse, treasurer; Mrs. Mamie
Harris, chaplain; and Mrs. Mary
Hinson, conductress.

George Fulp of Leaksville, fifth
district commander, and Harry
VanderLinden of Hickory, state
senior vice-commander, are ex-
pected to attend.

Other Auxiliary leaders who
have indicated that they will at-
tend are Mrs. D. M. Swayngill of
Winston-Salem, fifth district
president, Mrs. Mae L. Cook of
Winston-Salem, state conductress,
and Mrs. Mary Alice Moody of
Greensboro, state secretary.

Commander Burcham will pre-
side.

TWO ROBBERIES IN YADKIN CO.

One Victim Taken For Ride
And The Other Winds
Up In County Jail

SUSPECTS ARRESTED

Two unlucky citizens lost a
total of around \$1,200.00 in Yad-
kin County in two different rob-
beries Sunday, Sheriff Bill Moxley
said yesterday.

The first one occurred when
Dale Winters, who lives near
Boonville, came up \$500 short af-
ter a ride with three men whom
he first thought were friends but
who turned out to be looking for
money.

The four of them rode around
Sunday in the Yadkin-Surry-
Wilkes section until Winters dis-
covered that his wallet, which
contained five bills of one hun-
dred dollars each was missing.

When he complained of the
loss to the others and mentioned
the matter of the law, the three
men refused to let him out of the
automobile, whereupon Winters
secured a tire-tool and started
working one of them over with it.
He then got out of the car and
contacted Sheriff Moxley at Yad-
kinville.

Sheriff Moxley, assisted by oth-
er officers, arrested Ernest Ash-
ley and Paul Flynn, and are
seeking Ernest Vestal.

Second Robbery

Curtis M. Fowler, roadhouse
owner of Winston-Salem, was the
second victim of robbery Sunday

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AUXILIARY OFFICIAL — Mrs.
Alberta C. Varner, president of the
state auxiliary of the Veter-
ans of Foreign Wars, will in-
stall the new officers of the lo-
cal organization at the V. F. W.
banquet to be held at the Y. M.
C. A. Friday night. Mrs. Varner
is from Greensboro.

Peace Rally Financed By Local Civic Clubs

The Community Peace Rally
which was scheduled for 8 o'clock
last night (Wednesday) at the
State Theatre was made possible
through the efforts of the Junior
Chamber of Commerce, Jonesville
and Elkin Lions Clubs, Kiwanis
Club and American Legion in co-
operation with four women's clubs,
the Professional Woman's Club,
Elkin Junior Woman's Club, the
Jonathan Hunt Chapter of the
daughters of the American Revolu-
tion and the American Legion
Auxiliary.

Harold A. Bosley, Dean of Duke
University Divinity School, Dur-
ham, recognized as an authority
on the European situation and
other world situations, was to
make the principal address. This
was his second speaking engage-
ment here.

Broughton Motorcade Visits Eight Counties

Numbers 103
Cars And 400
Supporters

A motorcade, which at its peak
numbered 103 cars and 400 sup-
porters, barnstormed through
eight Piedmont counties Monday,
proclaiming at every stop the
cause of Broughton-for-Senate.

The rolling display of campaign
strength started from the Surry
county courthouse at Dobson,
gaining in number as it visited
Yadkinville, Mocksville, Salisbury,
Statesville, Taylorsville and Le-
noir to be climaxed at North Wil-
kesboro, where 1,000 persons at-
tended a barbecue at Smoot Park
and heard an address by Candi-
date J. Melville Broughton.

A number of local men, includ-
ing R. Lewis Alexander, H. P.
Graham, J. Livingston Williams,
W. M. Allen, Fred Norman, Scott
Nixon, Grover Hanes and Luther
Collins, participated. Local man-
ager of the Broughton-for-Senate
movement, Garland Johnson, was
unable to attend due to a bank-
ers' convention at Pinehurst.

The caravan was arranged by H.
O. Woltz of Mount Airy, Surry
county manager of the Broughton
campaign.

Tuesday morning Broughton
addressed 150 farmers at Mount
Airy and moved on to Winston-
Salem, where he delivered a ra-
dio address later in the day.

At North Wilkesboro, Broughton
urged rural areas to take advan-
tage of the Hill-Burton Act, which
provides funds for hospital con-
struction. He cited the lack of
adequate hospital facilities in
many sections of the state, and
said this situation should be re-
medied as soon as possible. He
proposed action by the federal
government to aid states in school
building programs, as well as in a
program to boost teacher salar-
ies.

Speaking over station WSJS in

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Surry Baptists To Meet At Salem Fork

The Surry Baptist Sunday
School association will meet at
the Salem Fork Baptist Church,
located on the Dobson-Mountain
Park highway, Sunday, May 23, at
2:30 p. m.

Rev. Powers, pastor of the
Westfield Baptist Church, will be
in charge of the message, preced-
ed by a devotional exercise, busi-
ness session and special music.

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COMMISSIONERS REFUSE TO ACT IN BARBER ROW

Groups Told To Arbitrate Dis-
pute Over Hours

NO SIGN OF AGREEMENT

Randleman Scores Action Of
Commissioners In Declar-
ing Executive Session

WANT PEOPLE TO JUDGE

The question of opening and
closing hours of Elkin's barber
shops was back in the hands of
the barbers this week and that
group appeared to be no nearer a
solution than when they asked
the Elkin Board of Commissioners
to adopt regulatory measures two
weeks ago.

At a call meeting of the com-
mission last week, that was at-
tended by the full commission
and the mayor, representatives of
the barber shops involved, and
numerous spectators, the town's
governing body instructed the
barbers to arbitrate the matter
themselves.

The commission went into
executive session to discuss the
question after hearing represen-
tatives from both sides, and in so
doing brought a blast from James
Randleman, who represented the
group of barbers seeking to have
hours regulated.

"The only recourse for the re-
maining 95 per cent of the bar-
bers, after having failed to get
the Town Commission of Elkin to set
hours and with all forms of
agreement among themselves
having failed, is to carry the
matter to court."

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PRESS AND CIVIC LEADERS AT N. E. A. LUNCHEON HERE — Following the luncheon given to
members of the National Editorial Association by the Kiwanis Club at the Gilvin Roth Y. M. C. A. May
12, press and civic leaders posed for the picture above. Left to right, Linville Hendren, president of the
Kiwanis Club; Harvey F. Laffoon, publisher of the Elkin Tribune; Al Resch of Siler City, president
of the North Carolina Press Association; Miss Beatrice Cobb of Morganton, secretary-treasurer of the Buck-
eye at Archbold, Ohio, president of the N. E. A.; Charles P. Helfenstein, publisher of the Aroostook
Republican at Caribou, Maine, chairman of the board of directors of the N. E. A.; and Mayor Garland
Johnson, who welcomed the guests. (Additional pictures, page 1, section III) (TRIBUNE PHOTO BY BELL)

SCOUT PATROLS WIN RIBBONS

Sixteen Groups Attend Camp-
oree May 15 And 16
At Neaves Park

TOTAL OF 89 ATTEND

Sixteen patrols, the entire num-
ber participating, representing
five troops of the Elkin-Yadkin
Boy Scout District, won blue rib-
bons at the Camporee held May
15 and 16 at Neaves Park. Paul
Price, chairman of the camping
and activities committee, an-
nounced.

The units competed against
established standards and in win-
ning blue ribbons earned the right
to attend the Award Jamboree to
be held at the new Y. M. C. A.
camp June 5 and 6.

A total of 89 scouts, represent-
ing Ronda, Pleasant Hill, Jones-
ville, and two Elkin troops, at-
tended. This number gave full
troop participation.

Price, labeling this camp as
one of the best ever sponsored in
the district, praised the work of
the patrol leaders and gave them
the lion's share of the credit. He
pointed out that of the total at-
tendance, 43 of the boys were
tenderfoot scouts, who lacked ex-
perience in scout craft and camp
craft.

The campfire service on Satur-
day night featured skits by vari-
ous patrols and singing led by
Rev. Marvin Boggs, pastor of the
Jonesville Methodist Church. A
religious service on Sunday after-
noon, led by Rev. R. V. C. Ritch-
ie, pastor of the Elkin Presby-
terian Church, closed the two-day
program.

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Chatham Asks Press To Fight For Peace

*Final Rites For
R. L. Harris, 87,
Are Held Friday*



RICHARD L. HARRIS

Funeral service for Richard La-
fayette (Uncle Dick) Harris, al-
most 87, was held at 11 a. m. Fri-
day at the home on West Main
Street, with Dr. J. S. Hiatt, super-
intendent of Hugh Chatham Mem-
orial Hospital, officiating.
Mr. Harris died unexpectedly of

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NEA Members Visit Elkin During Tour

Seven bus loads of members of
the National Editorial Association
visited Elkin last week for a few
hours to tour the Chatham Man-
ufacturing Company plant and to
attend a luncheon given by the
local Kiwanis Club and, after
labeling the stop-over as the high-
light of the state-wide tour, left
for Asheville and two additional
days of sight-seeing.

Thurmond Chatham, in the
principal luncheon address, called
for the support of the small press
of America in the movement for
world government as a means to
permanent world peace.

At the conclusion of his address,
Chatham presented Chatham
blankets to Orrin R. Taylor, editor
of the Buckeye at Archbold, Ohio,
N. E. A. president, and to Charles
P. Helfenstein, publisher of the
Aroostook Republican at Caribou,
Maine, who is chairman of the
board of directors of the press
group and retiring president. He
announced at that time that
blankets were being mailed to all
N. E. A. members on tour who had
registered at the Pinehurst con-
vention.

Chatham declared that progress
demands peace and offered the
world government as the best
means of obtaining a permanent

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Two First Place State Awards Won By J-C's

American Legion To Name Officers At Meeting Friday

The American Legion will
meet at the Legion Hut Friday
at 6:30 P. M. for the election
of officers for the coming year.
Kemp Reece, post adjutant,
in making the announcement,
urged a full attendance and
promised a short meeting.

APPLICANTS INTERVIEWED

Check On Those Seeking Job
Here As Postmaster
To Fill Vacancy

FOR U. S. CIVIL SERVICE

Interview and investigation of
all applicants for the position of
postmaster at Elkin are being
conducted in behalf of the U. S.
Civil Service Commission by
Woodrow W. Bowman and Charles
Gardner, investigators for the
fourth regional office, it was an-
nounced this week.

Procedure being followed is in
accordance with an act of Con-
gress, effective June 25, 1938, re-
lating to the method to be used in
filling vacancies at first, second
and third class post offices.

The matters which the Civil
Service Commission chiefly con-
siders in grading applicants are:
kind, extent and success of experi-
ence; extent of public contacts
and success in meeting and deal-
ing with the public; industry, re-
sourcefulness and initiative; per-
sonal attributes and the absence
of disqualifying defects in char-
acter and physical condition.

The Civil Service Commission
gives careful and impartial con-
sideration to all applicants, and
certifies the names of the three
highest eligibles for appointment
in the classified civil service by
the President, subject to confirma-
tion by the Senate.

The investigator is limited to
ascertaining and reporting the
facts, makes no recommendation
as to who shall be found the high-
est eligibles. That decision rests
exclusively with the Civil Service
Commission in Washington, D. C.

KIWANIS PLANS SPECIAL EVENT

Ladies' Night Meeting Will
Celebrate 25th Anniver-
sary Of Club Here

SAUNDERS WILL SPEAK

The Elkin Kiwanis Club will
celebrate its 25th anniversary this
evening (Thursday), at 7:00
o'clock with a ladies' night meet-
ing at the Gilvin Roth YMCA.

Past District Governor J. Mar-
yon (Spike) Saunders, of Chapel
Hill, will make the principal ad-
dress, following which he will
award 25-year certificates to char-
ter members of the club. Mr.
Saunders will be accompanied by
his wife.

A musical program has also been
arranged, with Mr. and Mrs. Du
Pre Rhame, both talented musi-
cians, of Furman University,
Greenville, S. C., as featured ar-
tists. Mr. Rhame is past gov-
ernor of the Carolinas district.

The meeting will open with the
invocation by Dr. E. G. Click. Fol-
lowing the dinner, Linville Hen-
dren, president of the local club,
will extend greetings, and turn the
meeting over to Carl C. Poindex-
ter, who will act as master of
ceremonies.

Copeland Alumni To Hold Meeting May 23

Alumni of Copeland School will
hold their annual meeting imme-
diately following the baccalau-
reate sermon on Sunday, May 23, at
3 o'clock.

The seniors and members of the
faculty are invited to be guests.
The alumni and former students
are requested to bring a picnic
supper.

Locals Make Good Record For The Year

Elkin's Junior Chamber of Com-
merce took first place awards at
the state convention held last
week at Winston-Salem, recog-
nition being received for activities
in agriculture and sports.

Approximately seven of the
state's 72 clubs competed in each
of the two fields.

In sports, the local club spon-
sored seven major projects during
the year, and in agriculture spon-
sored the Elkin Fat Stock Show
and entertained 4-H and F. F. A.
members prior to the show.

Competition included such proj-
ects as the Greater Greensboro
open golf tournament which
brought the Greensboro club sec-
ond place.

Hoyle Cranford served as pres-
ident of the Elkin Jaycees during
the past year.

The seven projects promoted by
the Elkin organization were: Con-
struction of tennis courts; Kneepants
Baseball League for 12-16-
year-old boys; Yadkin Valley Con-
ference high school basketball
tournament; Jaycee Football Bowl
game between the combined Jon-
esville-Elkin team and Granite
Falls; Swimming and Diving con-
test at Gilvin Roth Y. M. C. A.
pool; sale of season tickets to Jon-
esville and Elkin high school
sports events, netting each school
nearly \$1,000; and the North
State Conference basketball tour-
ney. Elkin officials said they plan
to promote the same things and
others during the coming year,
one being the forthcoming sec-
tional semipro baseball tourney.

ELKIN FINALS SET FOR JUNE 1

Thurmond Chatham To De-
liver Principal Address At
Local Commencement

TO AWARD 40 DIPLOMAS

Diplomas will be presented to
40 members of the senior class of
Elkin high school at graduation
exercises to be held in the audi-
torium of the elementary school
June 1 at 8 p. m.

Thurmond Chatham, chairman
of the board of the Chatham
Manufacturing Company, will
address the graduates.

Commencement activities will
start with class night to be held
May 28. On May 30, Rev. R. G.
Tuttle, pastor of the First Meth-
odist Church, will preach the bac-
calaureate sermon.

Exercises for the elementary
school will be conducted Monday
evening, May 31. The North El-
kin program is planned for the
morning of June 2.

R. W. Harris, chairman of the
school board, will introduce Mr.
Chatham. Diplomas will be pre-
sented to the high school gradu-
ates by N. H. Carpenter superin-
tendent.

Scholastic honors for this year's
class were won by Elizabeth Ann
Royall and Ruby Alexander.

Libby, daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. Hugh A. Royall, maintained
a four-year average of 98 to be
named valedictorian. Ruby,
daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Arvil
Alexander, has an average of 97.4
for four years and is salutatorian.

Senior class officers are John
Cockerham, president; Doswell
Gentry, vice-president; Peggy
Walters, secretary, and Gene
Nicks treasurer.

Miss Emma Cooke is class spon-
sor.

Death Claims Mother Of James A. Uldrich

Mrs. T. F. Uldrich, 72, mother
of James A. Uldrich of this city,
died Thursday of last week at
her home in Abbeville, South Car-
olina.

Surviving in addition to Mr.
Uldrich are the husband, four
other sons, and five daughters; 41
grandchildren and 11 great-
grandchildren.

Funeral service was conducted
Saturday in Abbeville.

Dedication Of Hospital Annex Planned

Bishop, Board Chairman To Be In Charge

The newly completed three-
story addition to Hugh Chatham
Hospital here will be formally
dedicated Thursday, May 27, at
2:30 p. m. with Bishop Clare Pur-
cell and Rev. L. B. Abernethy, both
of Charlotte, in charge of the
dedication ceremony. Dr. Aber-
nethy is chairman of the board of
directors of the hospital.

The new annex, completely
modern in every way, provides the
hospital with much needed space.
In addition to providing an addi-
tional 16 beds, it also houses of-
fices and treatment rooms, Doc-
tors' Library, in memory of the
late Dr. Charles Haywood, former
surgeon; office of medical records
librarian, and the ear, eye, nose
and throat department, which is
under the direction of Dr. Frank
Fleming.

Also housed in the new annex is
a new and modern heating system

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TO DEDICATE NEW ANNEX — Pictured above is the new addition to Hugh Chatham Memorial Hos-
pital, which will be dedicated on May 27. The new addition will provide room for 16 additional beds
as well as office and treatment rooms, and a new central heating plant which will serve the entire hos-
pital. (PHOTO BY REDMON)