

EXTENDED MAIL SERVICE PENDS TOWN'S ACTION

Postal Delivery For Elkin Would Be Expanded

TOWN TO ACT, JUNE 6

Naming Streets, Placards, Numbers Needed To Put Plan Into Effect

LIST AREAS INCLUDED

Plans have been completed by local Postoffice officials to extend Elkin's postal service, pending action by the Town Commissioners which would provide for naming of streets and placarding them, numbering houses and providing a map of the town with these changes recorded.

As soon as the council provides such action, mail service will expand to cover 25 houses in North Elkin, about 25 houses on West Spring Street by the water works through Schoolhouse Hill; West Elkin, from Sunset Park, running west up to Elmore's Grocery, which would include about 40 houses and eight or 10 business houses; Masonic Drive and Victoria Avenue, about 25 homes.

The service extension has already been approved by the Postoffice Department and Postoffice inspectors and will be in effect as soon as proper action is taken by the council.

Mayor Richard T. Atkinson said yesterday that the matter would be brought before the council at the next regular meeting, June 6.

JULY 23 DATE FOR LEAF VOTE

Tobacco Growers To Ballot On Production Controls Beyond This Year

TO HAVE THREE CHOICES

Growers of flue-cured tobacco will vote July 23 on a government proposal to keep production controls beyond this year.

The proposal was made by Secretary of Agriculture Brannan today in a move aimed at keeping supplies from getting out of hand. Quotas on this type tobacco have been in effect since 1938, with the exception of 1939 when growers voted them down.

Specifically, growers will have three choices of their referendum ballots: 1—Marketing quotas for the 1949 crops; 2—Quotas for the 1950, 1951 and 1952 crops and 3—A "no" vote on all quotas.

A grower may vote for only one of the three choices. Either quota proposal must receive a two-thirds majority to become effective.

In the last referendum, held in 1946, growers voted 97.1 per cent in favor of quotas for the 1947, 1948 and 1949 crops.

If growers approve quotas for next year, the national marketing quota will be announced in the Fall. The quota will be divided among growers on the basis of a formula in crop control legislation.

Sales from acreages in excess of allotments would be subject to a penalty tax equal to half the market value of the tobacco.

The department has set the 1949 national marketing quota at 1,030,000 pounds and the national planting allotment at 960,000 acres.

Fire Destroys Home In West Jonesville

Fire destroyed a frame bungalow Saturday night in West Jonesville while the occupants were away.

Will Anderson, owner of the house, this week reported that he had only a small amount of insurance on the dwelling which was occupied by Mrs. Pannic Couch with her grandchildren at the time.

All the furniture and clothing were destroyed in the house which had recently been remodeled.

Loss was estimated at about \$5,000.

McKinney Assigned To Take Instruction

Corporal J. S. McKinney of Elkin has been assigned by Commander C. R. Tolar of the State Highway Patrol to attend a special two-weeks course in traffic instruction to be held in Baton Rouge, La.

Only two members of the State Highway Patrol's 413 were assigned to attend.



A CHAT WITH THE GOVERNOR — Gov. W. Kerr Scott, left foreground, chats informally with a group of Elkinites during his visit here Saturday night. Talking with the governor, reading clockwise, are Miss Mattie Mae Powell, Mrs. Garland Johnson, Mrs. Seth Beale, Mrs. Livingston Williams and Major Edmund Robinson.

'Loosen Bottleneck,' Scott Tells Audience

Governor Speaks To Open Meeting Of Voters Here

Gov. Kerr Scott told a three-county audience here Saturday night that the voters in North Carolina must "loosen the bottleneck to progress" in this state by voting for his Better Roads and Schools proposal June 4.

In outlining the advantages of the program both industrially and agriculturally, the governor chided Northern oil interests for their part against the roads program, adding that some in the furniture industry in the State had voiced disapproval. He said the latter owed the presence of the furniture industry in North Carolina to the road building advancement made in this state in the early twenties. Such industries as textile and furniture were taken away from the North and placed here because of the program, he said.

Reiterating a familiar campaign cry, Governor Scott said, "I want to help you get out of the mud." He emphasized again that Better Roads and Schools, Inc., is intended to pave the dirt roads of the rural sections where the farmer and the school student will fare better. "The money will not be spent for boulevards to be used in luxury, but in the rural sections wherein the progress and advancement of both farming and industry lie," he added.

"We were greatly alarmed and concerned with the polio epidemic of last year and other years in this State," he continued, "but we

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SURRY COURT BEGINS JUNE 6

Judge Peyton McSwain To Preside Over One-Week Session At Dobson

JURORS ARE ANNOUNCED

Surry County Superior Court will open at Dobson for one week beginning June 6, and will be held under Judge Peyton McSwain, it was announced yesterday by Kermit W. Lawrence, clerk of court.

The jury for the June term were listed as follows:

Elkin—W. E. Eldridge, S. C. Bohannon, Bob Douglas, Clinton White and O. C. Nance.

Dobson—Ellis Moncus, John Wright, J. R. Hutchens and John W. Hardy.

State Road—Ike R. Cummings and Mrs. Mamie Beane.

Mountain Park—W. F. Thompson, Will R. Stanley, Charles Wallace and J. F. Thompson.

Pilot Mountain—Aldie Jessup, Edgar D. Simmons, Paul S. Swanson and Lester D. Hill.

Crutchfield—Thurmond W. Cockerham.

Mount Airy—Levie Starr, Wade H. Davis, Willie McHone, Edmond S. Burke, R. L. Arrington, Grover Holder and L. J. Badgett.

Pinnacle—Dallas F. Dezern.

FARMERS PLAN THURSDAY MEET AT COURT HOUSE

Dobson Farmers To Discuss Roads, Federal Proposals

BENHAM MEET FRIDAY

R. Flake Shaw Will Address Surry Farm Bureau Members and Others

INVITE GENERAL PUBLIC

Dobson farmers will meet tonight (Thursday) at the courthouse in Dobson to hear a discussion on the proposed school and road bond issue in North Carolina and various proposals for farmers now before Congress.

R. Flake Shaw, executive secretary of the North Carolina Farm Bureau and a director of the American Bureau of Farm Programs now being considered in Washington and will discuss the road and school issue.

In connection with the promotion of Better Schools and Roads, Inc., in Wilkes County, another rally will be held at Benham school, 8 p. m., Friday.

Co-managers of Better Schools and Roads, Inc., of Elkin, Garland Johnson and Claude Parrell, will attend the Dobson meeting.

In the bulletin sent out this week by J. Lee Thompson, president, and H. C. Lawrence, director of the Dobson Community Farm Bureau, urged all farmers of that section to attend. The meeting will begin at 8 p. m. Not only farmers, but the general public has been invited, the bulletin read.

At the Benham rally, ex-Sheriff Pressley Brown of North Wilkesboro will be the speaker. Also attending will be C. C. Paw of North Wilkesboro and Mark G. G. Forth of Lenor, district highway commissioner. The public has been invited to attend this meeting, also.

Two Face Trial After Shooting

Harley Davis and Earl Ward, Negroes of West Jonesville, will be tried by Magistrate Z. B. Martin Saturday as a result of an altercation Sunday morning.

Davis is alleged to have shot Ward with a 12 gauge shotgun Sunday afternoon in West Jonesville. Ward is reported to have hit Davis with a bottle. Neither were seriously injured. Davis suffered cuts about the head and Ward was slightly wounded about the neck and shoulder.

Both men were arrested and are now out on \$300 bond each.

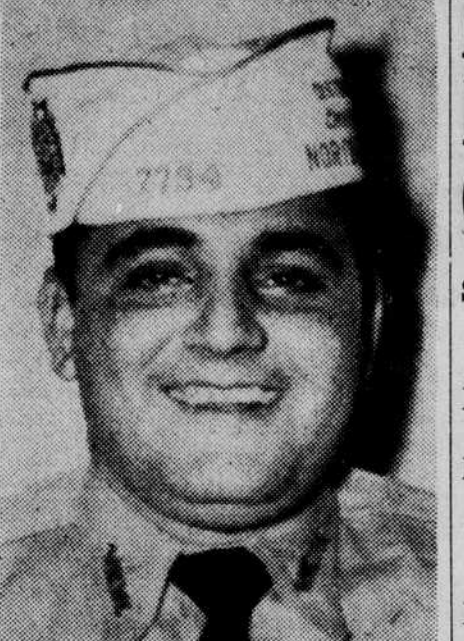
Trophy To Be Given At Yadkin Exercise

David F. Gough of this city, will present the A. J. Martin trophy at the Commencement exercise at West Yadkin High School tonight (Thursday).

The trophy is given each year by Leroy Martin, Raleigh banker, in memory of his father, to the Senior who shows the most outstanding ability.



TO RECEIVE DIPLOMAS — Members of the Jonesville High School graduating class are, first row, left to right, Helen Blackburn, Mary Ellen Holleman, Claudine Vestal, Alta Chappell, Janet Myers, Betty Price. Second row, Edith Johnson, Betty Lou Felts, Frances Dowell, Mary Blevins. Third row, Fat Boles, Sarah Lou Beese, Ellen Weatherman, Sarah Nell Mathis, Pearl Fisher. Fourth row, June Miller, Leonard Lineberry, Joe Stroud, Bob Hughes, James Rose. Fifth row, Ralph Check, Delos Martin, D. R. Gilliam, Charles Martin, Jimmy Everidge. Sixth row, Wade Swain, Wesley Wright, David Mann, Bill Rhyme and Dexter Rose. Mascots are Johnnie Kay Myers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Myers, and Stanley Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin. Rev. Howard J. Ford will make the Jonesville commencement address tonight (Thursday) at 8 p. m.



DISTRICT COMMANDER — Carl Hinson of Elkin was elected commander of the 11th District Veterans of Foreign Wars at a meeting here over the past week-end. Two other Elkin veterans, Lewis Alexander and Livingston Williams, were named to district posts also. Hinson is the retiring adjutant of the William J. Jones post, Elkin.

HINSON NAMED DISTRICT HEAD

Local Man Elected Commander of Veterans of Foreign Wars At Meet Here

BURCHAM IS INSTALLED

Carl Hinson of Elkin, was elected commander of the 11th district Veterans of Foreign Wars at a district meeting here during the past week-end. Livingston Williams and Lewis Alexander, Elkin attorneys, were also elected to district posts.

Russell Burcham, commander of the William J. Jones post of Elkin, who was recently re-elected head of the Elkin veterans, was installed Sunday morning along with other newly-elected officers by William Humphreys, senior

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DEANE HOPEFUL EARLY ACTION

Believes Chances Good For "Springing" Soil Conservation Report

DURING THIS SESSION

Immediately following the last of a series of conferences with Agriculture Secretary Charles F. Brannon, Representative C. B. Deane of Rockingham said this week in Washington that he believed chances were greatly improved for "springing" a long surpassed soil conservation report affecting the Yadkin River Valley in time for congressional action at this session.

Deane said that he was still

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DAIRYMEN HEAR BUYERS' POINT ON PRICE DROP

Surry Farmers Told Constant Expansion Is Sought

NO SURPLUS OF C MILK

Methods of Increasing Milk Profits Discussed At Gathering

DAIRY PRODUCTION UP

Explanation for reasons in the recent drop in milk prices and methods of increasing milk profits were discussed by buyers and dairymen at a meeting Tuesday night in Dobson.

Dairymen were told that milk buyers are constantly seeking to expand the milk market and were told that there is no surplus of "C" milk, particularly in the manufacturing field.

Improvements in milk production for this year as compared to others were cited and discussion was made on ways to continue higher production on sales.

Neill M. Smith, county agent, reviewed other conclusions at the meeting as follows: That it is important that the distribution of milk be regulated so to meet the demand during fall, winter and early spring, and that it is important that breeding of dairy cows be done in December and January so calves will be foaled in the early fall.

Mr. Smith said it was pointed out that production for 1949 has been running 12 to 20 percent higher than one year ago, even though the number of dairy cows is actually lower.

The production per cow per day, he said, is up about 1.1 pounds per day per cow, according to figures from the North Carolina Milk Producers Federation. This likely will mean that we will reach the peak of production this year much earlier, he said.

A committee was named to meet in Dobson Saturday at 11 a. m. to work out plans to help Surry dairymen to work out solutions to their dairying problems.

Boonville's Stinson Hurls No-Hit Game

Bobby Stinson, right-handed ace of the Boonville staff, missed a perfect seven-inning game by virtue of Woodruff's error Tuesday when he blanked Yadkin County's Champion Yadkinville hitless while his mates were pounding away for 10 hits and a 12-0 victory.

Stinson fanned eight men and walked none while Jim Stinson homered with a man aboard in the fifth to lead the attack to defeat the champs who had not lost a county battle all season.

Reported cases of rabies last year totaled 9,475 in 38 states. Infected dogs accounted for 7,331 cases, with 628 in cattle, 38 in horses, 45 in swine, 16 in sheep, 538 in cats, 5 in goats, 857 in wild species—plus 17 reported rabies cases in man.

Railway Plans To Stop Mail, Coach Service

3,725 Registered By Surry Board Under New Draft

The Surry County Draft Board has registered 3,725 men in the new draft. Of these, 3,285 have been classified, it was reported yesterday.

Those yet to be classified are youths who have not yet turned 19 years old and the delinquents who have yet to return their questionnaires.

Mrs. A. D. Folger, board secretary, explained that names of all delinquents will be released next week. Within 10 days from the date of the release of the names all those listed must have reported to the board or proceedings will begin to draft them.

Road Delivery May Replace Rail Medium

Plans for the discontinuance of Southern Railway passenger service and the transfer of express and mail service to a highway medium were made public to a representative group of Elkin citizens at a meeting here yesterday (Wednesday).

Herbert W. Bondurant of Atlanta, vice-president of the Southern Railway System, C. W. Adams of Charlotte, general manager of lines east, and B. L. Stanfield of Winston-Salem, superintendent of the Winston-Salem division, appeared before the Elkin group to indicate their intentions. No opposition was voiced by the group.

Earlier proposals had been made to combine passenger and freight service, leaving off the passenger service alone. However, the company has not indicated plans to discontinue all rail passenger and mail service and will apply to the State Utilities Commission for such permission.

Opposition has not been expressed in the Elkin area, but a group at North Wilkesboro passed a resolution opposed to the combining of the freight and passenger service.

Those represented at yesterday's meeting were, J. F. Moseley, J. S. Atkinson, C. H. Leary, H. B. Cranford, Richard Atkinson, Hugh Royall, R. C. Freeman, George Isehour, David Brendle and Dixie Graham.

MANY PATROLS AT CAMPOREE

Eighty-Eight Youngsters Attend Annual Event At Neaves Park Here

AWARD BLUE RIBBONS

Seventeen patrols consisting of 88 Scouts attended the Elkin-Yadkin Camporee held at Neaves Park Saturday and Sunday. Eleven blue ribbons and four red ribbons were awarded.

Paul Price, district commissioner, reported this week that an increase in the number of tenderfoot class scouts was evidenced, thus making partly responsible the decrease in the number of blue ribbons won as compared to last year.

Last year, the Camporee had 100 per cent blue ribbons in competing against attainable standards.

Visitors attended the event throughout the week-end. Saturday night's program included a campfire, songs and skits by the seven units represented.

Mr. Price said that out of a possible 820 points which could be attained, the group averaged 747.

Two patrols missed blue ribbons by one point.

Troop patrols and their leaders were:

Troop 25, Flying Eagle, Johnny Davis; 25, Bob White, K. Freeman; Explorer Post 25, Explorer number one, D. Temple; Explorer Post 25, Flaming Arrow, David Dickson; 46, Bob White, J. H. Steele; 46, Panther, Sam Marshall; 47, Mohawk, Jimmy Darnell; 46, Apache, Paul Gwyn, Jr.; 48, Fox, Fred Eidson, Jr.; 48, Tiger, David Causey; 54, Crow, B. Reinhardt; 54, Eagle, A. P. Alexander; Outfit 54, B. Welborn; Troop 85, Bob White, Ralph Williams; 85, Beaver, E. Nixon; 91, Bob White, D. Jones; Outfit 11, provisional, Sam Marshall.

CAMP FUND IS NOW AT \$150

Fund Is Created To Enable Deserving Boys and Girls To Attend Camp

MORE MONEY IS NEEDED

Contributions to the Kiwanis-Tribune Camp Fund mounted to \$150 in the first week of the drive, it was announced yesterday by T. C. McKnight, general secretary of the Gilvin Roth Y. M. C. A.

The fund was created to enable deserving boys and girls who could not afford any or part of the cost of attending Camp Albert Butler which is directed by the Y.M.C.A. Camp Butler, located four miles above Roaring Gap, will open June 18.

Contributions received thus far are as follows:

A friend, \$125.
Dr. Olivia Abernethy, \$10.
Harry Hensel, \$5.
T. C. McKnight, \$10.

Mr. McKnight has indicated that far more funds are needed to take care of a number of campers deserving the vacation. Donations may be turned in either by mail or by person to The Tribune or to the Y.M.C.A. Names of all contributors will be published in the Tribune.

POPPIES GO ON SALE SATURDAY

Sponsored By The American Legion and Legion Auxiliary

PROCLAMATION ISSUED

Saturday will be set aside as Poppy Day in Elkin in a proclamation issued today by Mayor R. J. Atkinson. The proclamation urged all citizens to observe the day in honor of those who gave their lives in the two World Wars. It stated:

"Whereas, men of Elkin gave their lives in defense of the United States of America in World War I and World War II; and "Whereas, Memory of their service and sacrifice is a source of great inspiration to all citizens as our nation faces new difficulties and dangers; and

"Whereas, This memory is kept bright by the annual wearing of memorial poppies in their honor and in honor of all other Americans who died in world war service;

"Now, therefore, I, R. J. Atkinson, Mayor of the Town of Elkin, N. C., do hereby proclaim Saturday, May 28, to be Poppy Day in the Town of Elkin, and urge that all citizens observe the day by wearing the memorial poppy of The American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary."

Blanketeers Win, Evacuate 2-Week Tenure In Cellar

Elkin capitalized on Mount Airy's errors Tuesday night to wrest their way from a two-week stay in the Blue Ridge League cellar and to break the Blanketeers' streak of nine straight home victories. Score: 4 to 3.

Shortstop M. A. Davis of Mt. Airy, contributed heavily to the Blanketeer cause when he committed five errors, two in each of the innings that Elkin scored.

Marquis was credited with the Elkin victory. He relieved Bademacher in the fifth inning. Shorty Brown paced the Blanketeers with a double and single in four trips.

In other Blue Ridge games, Wytheville took Galax, 5-3, and Radford downed North Wilkesboro, 4-2.