

More Support For Christmas Decorations Needed!

All merchants interested in the Christmas decorations plan as outlined by the committee are requested to notify W. W. Earley, chairman, at once. More pledges are badly needed if the streets are to be completely decorated this year, the chairman said.

"The time for making definite plans for the coming season is fast running out, only about two weeks are left to decide what decorations will be purchased and to get our order in the mail," Mr. Earley warned.

The committee has several catalogs with very favorable prices and the members be-

lieve that an effective scheme of decorations can be worked out if the merchants will cooperate now. Although several pledges have been received, the cooperation of all business places is needed to make the program a success, otherwise the efforts will result in a job of which no one will be proud.

Those interested in decorating the town for the Christmas season should call the chairman or any member of the committee at once. The time is short, the need is urgent. Hurry! Don't let your town down. It never has you.

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PATRIOTS, INC. — C. L. Shuping, the Democratic warhorse of other years, hit the headlines again last week as one of the chief organizers of Patriots of North Carolina, Inc.

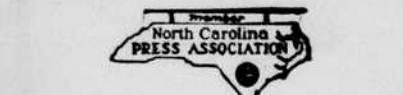
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Notice of Sale of Real Estate for Taxes

At 12:00 noon, Monday, September 12, 1955 at the City Hall in Black Mountain, N. C., I will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, pursuant to the laws of the State of North Carolina and the Town of Black Mountain all the land in the Town of Black Mountain whose owners are delinquent in the payment of their taxes for the year 1954. The list of lands to be sold and the amount of the taxes due by each delinquent owner with costs and expense of advertising and sale to be added as required by law, is as follows:

OWNER	LAND	SHEET	TAXES
Atkins, Ross and Iris	Lot 94	Sheet 15	30.40
Aycock, J. C. and Elizabeth	% Valley R. and Ins. Co., Lots 32, 33, 33 1/2, 43	Sheet 15	38.24
Begley, Marcus and F. E. Stepp	Lots 491, 494, 495, 496	Sheet 11	2.63
Betts, C. S., Lots 12, 12 1/2, 13		Sheet 15	84.26
Betts, Mary Elizabeth, Lot 377		Sheet 11	79.98
Biddix, F. W. and Mary A., Lot 47		Sheet 18	9.58
Blades, Mrs. Emma D. Estate	Lots 132, 133, 137, 138, 139, 140	Sheet 14	15.02
Brill, E. M. & Dorothy, Lots 184 1/2, 190		Sheet 11	9.54
Broadway Builders Supply, Lots 84, 85, 92 1/2		Sheet 18	206.89
Burgess, M. A. Estate, Lot 84		Sheet 15	9.10
Burke, Ed, Lot 236		Sheet 15	6.39
Byrd, C. E. & Lillie, Lot 2		Sheet 15	45.54
Carter, O. F., Lots 16, 142		Sheet 14	10.63
Clark, Winfred L., Lot 86		Sheet 15	1.93
Cook, A. T. & Ethel, Lots 363, 364, 365		Sheet 9	45.12
Cook, J. I. Sr., & Lennie, Lot 123 1/2		Sheet 14	.70
Cook, J. I. Sr., & Lonnie, Lot 123 1/2		Sheet 14	.70
Craig, Mrs. Mammie R., Lot 228		Sheet 9	13.43
Creasman, W. M. & Lena, Lot 145		Sheet 18	54.69
Dotson, J. M., Lots 344, 345		Sheet 11	14.96
Dougherty, Mrs. Janet, Lots 228, 229		Sheet 11	53.55
Fortune, C. M. Sr., Lots 97, 102		Sheet 15	24.85
Goodman, J. M. & Kathleen, Lot 387		Sheet 11	16.54
Gragg, W. B., Lots 180, 181		Sheet 18	76.21
Green, Guy & Nell, Lot 131		Sheet 18	49.88
Griffith, J. N., Lot 138		Sheet 18	73.85
H. & P. Realty & Invest. Co., Lot 211		Sheet 11	25.55
Howerton, C. C. Estate, Lot 102		Sheet 18	92.05
Hudgins, Mrs. Bertha Mae, Lot 92		Sheet 15	28.00
Hudgins, Bertha Mae & O. E., Lots 140, 141		Sheet 17	7.32
Hummer, Nora & William, Lot 335		Sheet 9	35.91
Hudson, W. F. & Kate, Lots 140 1/4, 141, 421, 422		Sheet 11	28.78
Jones, Carol T. & Evelyn, Lots 35 1/4, 45 1/4		Sheet 15	15.79
Kerlee, H. A., Lot 3		Sheet 14	6.74
Mackney, Joe C., Lot 204		Sheet 11	.44
Marett, Mrs. Mary C., Lots 337 1/4, 338		Sheet 15	72.80
Meyer, J. A. Estate, Lot 195		Sheet 18	13.13
Morgan, W. W., Lot 8		Sheet 18	88.50
Morris, Emory H., Lot 114		Sheet 14	6.65
Nanney, Mrs. Johnny Clark, Lot 442		Sheet 11	2.28
Parkinson, Edward L., Lot 269 1/2		Sheet 11	27.30
Reidern, R. Estate, Lots 322, 323		Sheet 9	45.24
Richardson, T. P. Jr., Lot 428		Sheet 11	32.20
Rogers, Mrs. Cora, Lot 421 1/4		Sheet 11	7.79
Simmons, Abraham L., Lot 3 1/4		Sheet 14	31.10
Simpson, J. T., Lot 406		Sheet 11	75.08
Smith, Christeen, Lot 16		Sheet 15	20.48
Smith, Mrs. W. C., Lot 119		Sheet 11	29.93
Sneed, J. H., Lots 346, 351		Sheet 11	31.59
Stepp, F. E. & Myrtle, Lot 148		Sheet 18	67.90
Stepp, G. W. Estate, Lots 105, 106		Sheet 17	1.45
Stevens, I. N., Lots 35, 45		Sheet 15	21.96
Taylor, Y. A. & Helen, Lots 34, 34 1/2, 44, 44 1/2		Sheet 15	23.89
Thomas, L. R. & Lillian, Lot 91		Sheet 11	28.44
Valley R. & Ins. Co., Lots 45 thru 51		Sheet 16	6.98
Valley R. & Ins. Co., Lots 92, 94		Sheet 11	2.91
Valley R. & Ins. Co., Lot 111		Sheet 11	1.45
Valley R. & Ins. Co., Lots 12 thru 15		Sheet 16	29.12
Valley R. & Ins. Co., Lots 18, 19, 20		Sheet 16	4.88
Valley R. & Ins. Co., Lots 52 thru 54		Sheet 16	41.83
Valley R. & Ins. Co., Lots 83, 84		Sheet 16	5.69
Watkins, J. Clyde, Lots 154, 155		Sheet 15	13.13

R. A. HARDWICK, Tax Collector
Town of Black Mountain, N. C.

Albert met Capt. L. R. Fisher, who now owns one of the most lucrative beer distributorships in North Carolina.

Fisher was one of the original charter members of the Highway Patrol who worked his way up to become captain of the Western Division of the Patrol and was the only member of the Patrol to become Commissioner of Motor Vehicles.

It might be noted here that in this time the Patrol increased from the original 19 members to over 500. The Patrol Training School was established under the cooperation of Capt. Fisher and Albert Coats. It is still conducted by the Institute of Government.

Now at the recent meeting of Fisher and Albert Coats, Albert shook Fisher's hand warmly and began with profuse compliments and words of friendship and praise.

He was abruptly interrupted by Fisher: "Well, I see you are still dishing out the same old salve. Albert, do you remember the many times through the years when you spoke to various groups—and especially when speaking to members of the Patrol—you used to put your arm around my shoulders and say, 'Yes—sirree, when the history of the Highway Patrol of North Carolina is written, here is the man who will get the lion's share of the credit for the wonderful work he has done.'"

"Well," Fisher said to Albert, "some time ago you came out with your talked-about book on the Patrol—and nowhere in your book was my name even mentioned—so don't hand me any more of your salve."

With that, Fisher strode away—leaving Albert standing there speechless—which is hard to believe, but true.

RECAPTURE WILKES? — For some little while now the Young Democrats of the Wilkes County area have been planning for the big rally in North Wilkesboro on Friday, September 2.

The Democrats took over Wilkes for a short spell about a generation ago, but couldn't keep their grasp. Now it is one of the real Republican strongholds of the nation again and the Democrats—young and old—are determined to do something about it.

As one of their representatives expressed it at the Winston-Salem rally last week-end—"We were successful in getting rid of bootleggers. Now we are going to get rid of Republicans."

Anyway, a large crowd is expected at North Wilkesboro, one of which we hope to be whom...

LANDS. — These Young Democrats about the State are exceptionally busy these days. Another turnout crowd is expected for the rally being planned for Landis.

This will be held on Saturday afternoon, September 3. While it will not be as big a to-do as the one held in Winston-Salem last week, the Democrats in the Morganton-Hickory-Newton area can be exceptionally vigorous at times.

PARK DEDICATION. — Raleigh, which has never been exactly satisfied with the name of the big, beautiful State park which lies just outside its city limits toward Durham, should be happier now that it is officially the William B. Umstead, a good substitute for Crabtree, the name of a creek which cuts a section of the park and serves in general as the northern and northwestern boundary of Raleigh.

We went out to the dedication Sunday afternoon. One of the most impressive features of the dedication was the fine little, modest statement made by the Governor's widow. The State is now spending approximately \$50,000 in improving the roads in the park.

Amos Kearns of High Point, chairman of the Parks Committee on the Dept. of Conservation and Development and the man who supervised plans for the dedicatory exercises, was master of ceremonies. Did a good job, too. It was a fine occasion, well attended by people from Raleigh, Durham, and other sections of the State.

WOOD AND SPENCER. — This fellow W. Z. Wood of Winston-Salem should be complimented for the fine rally put on there by the Young Democrats last Saturday. As chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee of Forsyth County, he was in the forefront of the planning, and had good assistance from the vice chairman, Mrs. W. O. Spencer.

Aside from the planned program, the main activity was concerned with handshaking and jockeying for position on the part of candidates, prospective candidates, and their prospective supporters. It was fun. A nice affair. Well planned. But nothing concrete and definite materialized.

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Beverly Hills News

Mrs. Fred Watson
Box 9194, Asheville, N. C.

The Rev. Ollie G. Matthews has been conducting a Christian revival at Beverly Hills Baptist church. The meeting lasted for one week and as our pastor said after the revival, "Those who did not come, lost an opportunity to draw closer to the Lord and that opportunity, like all the ones that have gone by is now gone." The attendance was not what we had expected but those who were there certainly got great blessings that will help them to carry on. The sermons were wonderful and we had some beautiful music, both from our church choir and from visiting singers.

The men's class of the Sunday school held a meeting on Friday night with a fellowship hour in the log building. Meetings for this week will include a finance meeting Monday night 7:30; deacon's meeting Monday night 8:00; Fidelity class Tuesday night 7:30; Bible study Wednesday night 8:00; and a planning meeting of the intermediate B.T.U. Tuesday night at 7:00.

Mrs. Roy Thompson of Violet Hills visited Mrs. Fred Watson on Monday and together they visited Mrs. Verna Stephenson and Mrs. Lucille Sherin of Middle Grassy Branch road and Mrs. Jackson on Riceville road.

Mrs. Fred Watson and children have returned to their home on Lower Craig circle after visiting Dr. and Mrs. L. J. Jindra and children in Oak Hills, Ohio. They also had the pleasure of going on into West Virginia while away.

Mrs. Lester Oliver and daughter Carolyn of Atlanta, Ga., have been visiting Mrs. Oliver's mother, Mrs. Verna Scott at her home on Huntington road, Beverly Hills.

Mrs. Fred Watson of Lower Craig circle visited her cousin, Miss Annie Laurie Sheppard of Alexander at St. Joseph's hospital on Sunday afternoon. Miss Sheppard underwent surgery last Friday morning and expects to return to her home on Wednesday but will be in bed for awhile and not able to do any work for about six weeks. Also visiting her Sunday were some of the ladies from her home church and other relatives.

Mrs. Bill Boatman of Morris-town, Tenn., who has been with her brother J. M. Long and family on Tunnel road has returned to her home.

Little Mike Donnelly of Lower Craig circle will enter the hospital on Thursday of this week for an operation on his finger.

Anyone wishing to see a beautiful small bed of Tinniar should see the dwarf ones in the yard of Mrs. Myrtle C. Keating at 11 Lower Craig circle.

Miss Sandra Watson and her mother Mrs. Fred Watson of Lower Craig circle tried their hands one day last week at rock masonry. They built a fairly nice looking rock wall inside what used to be their fish pond to plant flowers in. Well, it's still standing anyway and the flowers are already planted and it looks very nice.

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