YEARLY PER PUPIL

COST IS LOWERED

North Carolina reduced her per

year per pupil cost for public schools 43.5 per cent, from the school year

1929-30 to 1933-34, while the United States as a whole reduced the cost

only 22.6 per cent, figures from the office of Education, Washington show. The cost for the United States

based on average daily attendance of pupils, was \$86.69 in 1929-30 and dropped to \$67.00 in 1933-34 In

North Carolina it was \$42.84 in 1929-

30 and dropped to \$24.18 in 1933 34

In 1929-30 North Carolina ranked 43rd from the top in cost per pupil

per year, with six states, Georgia, Arkansas, Mississippi, Alabama, South Carolina and Tennessee, rank-

ing lower. By 1933-34 this state had gone to 47th place, with only Arkan-sas and Mississippi lower (District

of Columbia included as a state.) New York's cost of \$137.55 per child

in 1929-30 dropped to \$124.13 in 1933.

34. The cost in Arkansas last year was only \$22.60, and in Mississippi

it was \$23.35, as against North Car olina's \$24.18.

The Eeech Creek Community wom-

Miss Cleata E. Jones, home dem-

onstration agent, then gave a very

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HOME DEMONSTRATION

ficers were elected:

freshments.

POTATO QUOTAS **ARE NOW READY**

Figures Are Guarded However; Three-Fourths Cent Tax in Effect Dec. 1.

Washington, Nov. 4 .- The farm administration had ready today fig-ures telling each state how many polatoes its firmers may grow next year without being taxed. The figures were closely guarded.

however A statement vesterday by Chestur C. Davis, AAA administrator, that state quotas under the Warren peta-to control law would be anneunced before the Novmeber 1 deadline gave credence to reports they would be

out today. Under the law, subject of sharp controversy, a tax of three-fourth a cent a pound goes into effect De

a center 1 on all potatoes marketed above quotas. After state quotas have been an-nounced here, they will be broken down by counties and then by individual farmers.

Announcement of the state quotas will come in the face of threats that imposition of the tax will cause poin postator of the text of ready formers in New Jersey and Pennsylvania have announced intentions to float the law. Constitutionality of the Warren act is before the Supreme Const instant of the text of the supreme Warren ant is before the Supreme Court incidentally in a suit field by state of Georgia to test the AAA's pow

Senator Rush D. Holt (D-W Va.) has served notice he would seek re-peal of the act at the next session of Congress. He termed it the most unpopular act before the last con gress.

Meanwhile, polato growers and handlers from eleven eastern states discussed operation of the control They wer act with AAA officials told that the act meant better prices for consumers through stabilization of production

E. Mercker, potato control sec tion chief, said growers were almost unanimous in supporting the act. A group from easetrn Virginia

where a successful potato strike was waged a few months ago, supported Waged a few months ago, supported the act and called for higher prices A spokesman said Virgina potatoes have averaged 70 to 60 cents a bar-rel for the farmer during the past

for years, and cost \$2 to grow. The extent to which the control act would be enforced remained in doubt, despite the fact the AAA had gone ahead with its quota allotiments. Istration fund for the current fiscal Louis McHenry Howe, Chief of the fore the people

1935 crop until the price level in-proved, the White House. He was lately re-moved to the Naval Hospital and is

MAN 94 FATHER OF CHILD Chicago — The journal of the Amer-lean Medical Association reported to-tioning a day the birth of a child to the wife as ever. of a 94 year old Confederate veter-an of the Civil War.



1935 Red Cross Poster •

"HE compelling appeal of the most | In submitting a design for the 1935 THE compelling appeal of the most famous of Red Cross world war posters has been adapted by the dis-ber of posters for the Red Cross, placed the shadowy heroic figure of mercy inguished artist Lawrence Wilhur in the 1935 Red Cross roll call poster, in the background, with the practical in the background, with the practical "The Greatest Mother in the World" Red Cross nurse succoring a sick and was the title given to the original creation wounded child in the foreground. "Still wounded child in the foreground. "Still the Greatest Mother" is his title. tion of Alanzo Envil Feringer, eminent

The posters are distributed through York. The poster gave the keynote of the Second war fund drive of the Red Data and William of area of the Red Cioss, and millions of copies were disand woman to join as a member during tributed throughout the nation. the annual roll cail.

Letter From Washington

Washington, Oct. 22 Nothing evidence accumulates that he is setdoubt, despite the fact the AAA had gone ahead with its quota allotmenta. Secretary Wallace said the budget bureau approvel a \$3,000,000 admin-in Washington as the fact that Col. views on issues and candidates be-

Istration fund for the current fiscal year but that release of the funds year but that release of the funds year but that release of the funds to the AAA depended on Comptroit recovered from his long illness that he was able to give an extended in terview on politics at the Navai Hos, and the law could not be operated without funds. Davis said plans were being made for an early referendum among political nettor. Those who are most tantified to grovers to determine accurately sentiment on the control plan. First low grade to the House, give Col. Howe much the President's Time for an early referendum and the political rest the fore the propies. The AAA has in mind a dual political nettor to the political setting to the those ateps were achieved. The set as a ware achieved. The set as a ware to be control act. sumers market. Second, voluntary agreements would be effected to re-strict interstate shipments of the 1935 crop until the price level in-the White Hone. To stars the factor of the the second the

moved to the Navar Hospital and is tration to oring the Government into standard Coach, \$510; coupe, should politice the other day in a way establishment of a "Consumer's Divi-that indicates that his mind is func-that indicates that his mind is func-sion," the purpose of which is to aid sport scian, \$600; sedan delivery, \$535. that indicates that his mind is functioning along political lines as clearly the buying public to get more for as ever. Its money. Mrs. Emily Newell Blair

the Confederate army and had 16 childron by his first wife, whom he married in 1872. His mother died at the age of 103. The case was authen-ticated by New York physicians, the journal added. Heining Mothore

STATE BAPTISTS GATHER TUESDAY Annual Denominational Gather ing To Be Held at Asheville

Three Days.

(By Charles H. Dickey) Asheville, Nov. 4-The 105th an-mal session of the North Carolina Baptist State convention will convene in the First Baptist Church or Asheville on next Tuesday, November 12, for a 3 day session, the concluing acd on Thursday night, November 14.

As is this denomination's custom, the Baptist pastors of the state always meet in their annual session at the convention city a day earlier. Accordingly, the Baptist pastors of h state will meet in the same place m Monday afternoon, November 11, and will carry their sessions through that afternoon, that evening, and through Tuesday morning, adjourning noon Tuesday afternoon at two

The Baptist denomination is the largest in North Carolina, and each year when the Pastors' Conference nd Convention meet this constitutes he largest religious meeting of any denomination to be held anywhere in this state. It is expected that twelve hundred delega tors will be present at the Asheville neetings. Notable speakers will resent, among whom are Dr. Ellis fuller, pastor First Baptist Church, Milanta; Dr. Millard A. Jenkins, Tex. of

The Baptists number nearly one million in this state, and have 2400 churches with as many Sunday schools. All indications point toward great meeting in Asheville. This is a first time the annual sessions

e been held there in 15 years New Chevrolet Prices

Hit A Lowered Average

Detroit, Nov. 1.-The Chevrolet The sky was cloudy and dark, ofor Company today announced And I heard the call of the mcadow Motor Company today announced that, effective with the introduction of its new passenger car models tonorrow, prices of three of its six And shelter the little ones who were ister de luxe models will be reducd below the levels of the 1935 prices he other prices in this line remaining unchanged. Master de luxe models vill be available with either conventional spring suspension or with knee action at slight additional cost.

let Standard models, which introduce

Prices of the two lines are as fol-

Master de luxe-Coach, \$580; se dan, \$640; town sedan, \$605; sport sedan, \$665; business coupe, \$560; New Consumer Division The latest effort of the Adminis-tration to bring the Government into tration to bring the neople is the Standard Coach, Standard S75, t

First showing of the new models will be made with the opening of an of the Civil War Without giving the veteran's name, the journal said the man served in the Confederate army and had 16 than of personalities The real issue that of Politics Col. Howe's view is that the Presi-dential campaign of 1936 will be than of personalities The real issue that of policies rather the Confederate army and had 16 than of personalities The real issue clared that more than 66,000 of the the law directs. 1936 models were built and shipped This Novemb

STILL FIGHTING Army Career Said to Have

Been Stopped by Corruption



Carter, now 79 years old (above). got his first chance in 37 years to present his charge officially that he was unfairly railroaded out of an army career by a corrupt courtmartial. He calls it the American "Dreviuss" case.

Seventh Grade Poems

The following lines were written en met October 24, at the home of by the seventh grade pupils of the Mrs. Hugh Recce to organize a home Bethel School, from a subject given demonstration club. The following ofby one of the teachers. The Democrat gladly publishes them, as requested: President, Mrs. Hugh Reece; vice-president, Mrs. Geo. M. Harmon; sec-BEFORE THE RAIN I knew it would rain for all the day retary, Mrs. Carroll Younce

Foreign Mission Board, Rich- The clouds kept coming on their way; The leaves from the trees went whirl. ing by, The dust from the road was boiling on "Preparing and Packing an Ade-

The clouds were banking in the west, The men were working their very hest. best:

We knew it would rain for overhead O'er all the skies the clouds still

spread. HELEN SHERWOOD

BEFORE THE RAIN

law Calling its mate to come to the nesl,

at rest. Then I saw drops of rain on the win-

dow pane And I knew the rain was pouring at last;

saw the dust rising in the lane, past. JOSEPHINE FARTHING.

window pane; I lay very still for it gave me a thrill;

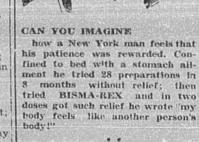
thought we were going to have a shower,

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All persons are forbidden under the penalty of the law to hunt, fish, trap, or trespass in any way upon the lands of the undersigned in Watauga county Violators will be punished as

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Prices for the new line of Chevro- And I was glad the dusty days were

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President believes that the mass of of the American standard of living. at the highest figures for any cor-responding month in the history of voters is taking a greater interest in Government than ever before, and that the issue of the next campaign will be determined by the people rath-er than by political leaders. He gave organization.

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it as his opinion that the opposition is a little too eager and somewhat premature in its efforts to determine the issues so far in advance of the campaign.

Boarh and Teddy

Of almost equal interest was the exchange of views between Senator Borah of Idaho and Col. Theodore Roosevelt of New York Senator Borah suggested that the main issue of an suggested that the main issue of the Republican campaign next year inight well be based upon the "Trust Busting" policy for which President Theodore Roosevelt stood so firmly. To this, "Young Teddy" took exception. Without questioning the importance of the anti-monopoly issue of his distinguished father, he did not agree that it would be the major

issue of the campaign. He thought the Republicans could get farther by attacking waste and extravagance under the present Administration.

Senator Borah is as always, a bit of an enigma Every poll of Republi-can voters that has been taken on

show the veteran statesman from Ida-

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TIMELY FARM QUESTIONS Question: What minerals do brood

sows need during the gestation per-

Answer: A satisfactory mineral mixture can be made by thoroughly mixing 10 pounds of acid phosphate, 10 pounds of hardwood ashes or ground limestone, and 2 pounds of common salt. The animals should have access to this mixture at all times. Proper care and feed for the the 24 years I've been here," he addnecessary for best results and this information is given in Extension Circular 151, copies of which may pe had free upon application to the Agricultural Editor at State College.

Question: How long does it take to cure sweet potatoes and what should be the average temperature of the house?

Answer: It usually takes about two can voters that has been taken on weeks for proper curing with the he doc Presidential preferences continues to degrees. Plenty of ventilation, how how the veteran statesman from ida-ho away in the lead, let there is a very decided belief in all political quarters that he will not be the Re-publican nominee. Whatever he has to say about the party platform, sprout and the skin feels "velvety" bulists. One of the illustrated articles however, will have a great deal of the curing is completed. After curing, in the American Weekly, the big

Chevrolet.

DEPRESSION FAILS TO LACITE. PEOPLE IN OHIO VILLAGE

Big Prairie, O.-The thrifty vil-lage of Big Prairie stood out yesterday as possibly the only town in America where the depression is just vague rumor.

Only one of the community's 200odd citizens is on government relief. "And he wouldn't work before they started relief," commented G. S. Star-ner, cashier of the town's bank. As for the rest, all adults are em-

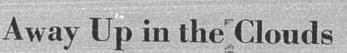
ployed, said Starner. "They have been, too, during all

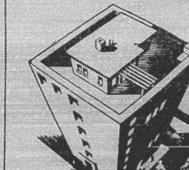
Lack of an employment problem is not Big Prairie's sole claim to promi-nence, however This bucolic haven has no city government to support, has no regular transportation facilities, hasn't even a town marshal, yet it possesses its own water sys-tem, has good roads, electricity, gas, telephones, and a school.

The town does boast a justice of the peace, but business is quict, and he doesn't feel the need of a tele-

QUEER THINGS THAT HAPPEN TO SLEEPWALKERS

An interesting article which dis-Induced influence. In the same is true of former Much the same is true of former President Hoover. Whether or not Mr. Hoover desires a renomination, the potatoes are kept in storage. Your newsboy or newsdealer has the potatoes are kept in storage.





But let's get down to earth. In the hectic days of 1929 we learned many lessons. Good hard experience is still the greatest teacher of them all. We are a banking institution with years of integrity behind us. . Ahead of us is a future that will see us and you safely through any period of financial stress and strain.

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