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UNTIL NOVEMBER . . . Until Lake and Seawell announced for Murphy, N. C. Governor, we could see a mid-117 Hickory St. summer breathing spell for poli-

last.

July.

Raleigh Roundup

NOTES ON RACE . . . When match was struck by street-walk-you speak of 'race' in the current ers and sign-carriers in an elec-events sweeping like a late-win-tion year which found the two events sweeping like a late-win-tion year which found the two November and the General Electer snowstorm over all North principal candidates for high office tion. This should be a bellyful for Carolina, be sure you know where-of you speak and what you Carolina out of the pit of racial if hy t

prejudice. have in mind. The dictionary defines the word thusly:

"A contest of speed"

common descent."

If by that time you can count on the fingers of both hands your

swing his people to Larkins rather than to Seawell, the latest man

said to have Hodges' blessings.

We can't see a second primary

between Beverly Lake and Sea-

well, because by and large they

will be pulling water from the same well. Lake has been making

noises like a candidate for Gov-

ernor almost as long as Sanford . . and has made friends at

crossroads corners all over the State . . . so don't count him least just because he announced

tical bombast. At least there

Now here is the way she shapes

up: Primary latter part of May. Second primary latter part of

would be June-and a portion of

IN THE RUNOFF ... Until friends, count yourself lucky. a Beverly Lake announced for DREAD ... For this Governor's group of persons connected by Governor last week, it looked as race in North Carolina this year ommon descent." if there would be no second pri-Until about thirty days ago, the mary in the gubernatorial battle. may get hot enough, vitriolic enough, and demagogic enough not matter of race did not get into Now there is certain to be one. only to turn the best of friends the Governor's race. Then came Whose support will go to whom? into enemies, but members of the the sit-down situation. Now it In 1948, the last time we had an same family against each other. seems certain that an issue hard-important three-cornered race, R. Frankly, we rather dread it ly mentioned as 1960 came into Mayne Albright's supporters in the and have a hunch that you do view will become the main ques- first go-around flocked to Kerr too.

the first, was defeated in the sec- no second primary. In the first, the candidates were Luther H.

DIFFERENT . . . In the other ond. Hodges (401,082 votes): Tom Saw-Southern states, the racial ques- Now it is recognized here tion has been dragged into the pic- and elsewhere ... that Terry ver 29.248: H. P. Stokely, 24.416: ture by politicians wanting to cap- Sanford will make some whole and C. E. Earle, Jr., 11,908. In italize on the emotions and prej-sale changes in State offices here 1952, there was no runoff. In the udices of the voters. should he be elected Governor. In regular, the votes went this way: When John Larkins and Terry other words, soothsayers have tied W. B. Umstetd, 294,170; Hubert Sanford announced for Governor, the strong hand of Luther Hodges E. Olive, 265,675; and M. R. Dunthey dwelt on education, welfare, to various candidates and would- away. 4.660, O'la Ray Boyd did per capita income in their state be candidates . . . but never to not run either time.

In 1948, we only remember easments. Neither said anything to Terry Sanford. stir up racial hatred or trouble. So, if the runoff should be be- ily, Johnson, Scott, and Allbright They saw the need for better high-it ween Sanford and Larkins, it is Here is the list, and the votes reways and less centralization of felt Hodges would lean to Larkins ceived by each candidate in the one way or another, Seawell, first Primary: Johnson, 170,141: power in Raleigh. Scott. 161.293: Albright, 76.281: Os-In Virginia, in Alabama-and too. certainly in Arkansas and Geor- Now suppose the second pri- car Barker. 10.871: W. F. Stanley. gia-the matter of racial prejud- mary were bettween Larkins and Sr., 2.428; and Boyd, 2.111. In the ice was brought out as the Main Malcolm Seawell, where would go runoff, Kerr Scott received 217.826 Thing to be discussed by the can- the Lake strength and the San- to Charles Johnson's 182,684 didates for Governor. If it was not ford strength? But second pimaries are tricky! a question already, as in the case Well, since Seawell and Lake. We have just received from Arkansas, Orval Faubus would are apparently both in the racial Kenneth C. Beene the annual re-It takes real statesmanship to with Seawell and Sanford's to tion, soon to establish a research make it one. walk the high road, but as of Larkins. center at Research Triangle. It is

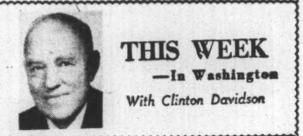
March 1 Sanford and Larkins were: However, it best be noted that beautiful, comprehensive, and . downright still on it. The racial firecracker when Lake said he would not be believe it or not . . in North Carolina was not touched a candidate for Governor . . . interesting Con off by political candidates. The about a month ago . . . he took Beene and crew. interesting Congratulations

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The nation's top farm economists agree that if production controls were removed and price supports lowered to the free market level over the next 5 years farmers would be out of the frying pan and into the fire.

That is the conclusion reached by The U. S. Department of Agriculture and Land Grant College economists in separate surveys made in response to a request by Sen. Allen Ellender, chairman of the Senate Agriculture Committee.

Results of the studies are published in a 30-page report entitled Senate Document No. 77, free copies of which are available through the U. S. Printing Office, Washington, D. C.

Both reports emphasize that the studies are the independent conclusions reached by the economists, and not necessarily the view of policy officials, in response to this question:

What would the effect be on farm production, prices and income if povernment production controls were eliminated and price supports lowered to the free market level over the next five years? Production Up, Prices Down

Both surveys are in agreement that removal of production controls and lowering of price supports, as advocated by Agriculture Secretary Ezra Taft Benson, would result in an increase in production along with lower prices and reduced income for farmers.

Department of Agriculture econemists think total farm production would increase at an average of 2% a year, somewhere near the average of the past 10 years. They think that by 1956 farm prices would decline another 14% but that cash income would drop only

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THE PROBLEM OF SUFFERING By R. T. HOUTS

Such a world would be a dull place in which to live. We may often wish that God would wipe The problem of suffering is a out all slums, prevent immoral-

difficult question to discuss. There is no possibility that we could discuss it at all adequately within the limits of this column, but let us at least look at the question beneatly. There and the question discuss it at all adequately within the limits of this column, but let us at least look at the question discuss it at all adequately within the limits of this column. But let us at least look at the question discuss it at all adequately within the limits of this column. But let us at least look at the question discuss it at all adequately within the limits of this column. But let us at least look at the question discuss it at all adequately within the limits of this column. But let discuss it at all adequately within the limits of this column. But let discuss it at all adequately within the limits of this column. But let discuss it at all adequately within the limits of this column. But let discuss it at all adequately within discuss it at all adequately within the limits of this column. But let discuss it at all adequately within discuss it at all adequately within the limits of this column. But let discuss reminds us too, that God honestly. There are not any of us who will reach middle age with out being seriously concerned with or what ye shall drink, or what this question. Our concern may ye shall put on. Your heavenly come out of some personal ex- father knows that you have need perience when we are enguited by of these things." Jesus was not sickness, accident or tragedy, or counseling the housewife to be it may come as we become aware unconcerned about what she is of the suffering around us and going to cook for her family, or begin to ask why a God who loves the father to disregard his reus would allow suffering to exist If we are going to make an children. The deeper meaning honest effort to answer the ques- here is that we can trust God to tion of why we live in a world in which there is suffering, we depends upon us to act as brothwould do well to begin with what ers in order that his goodness our reason tells us. The first thing may be mediated to all men.

Most of us have difficulty in we can say is that pain has played an important part in man's strug- believing in a God who cares. gle up from the mud and the Somehow God seems so remote muck of pre-historic existence. that it is difficult to believe that The evidence is overwhelming he has anything to do with our that our remote ancesiors lived suffering. We often ask the queslife on a level little above that tion "How can God know about of the animals. Life in the dawn me and about my problems?" of time offered little in the way The power and wisdom of God of comfort or security. Pain was concerned about each child of his. the great teacher. In his efforts ability to set the planets in orbit to secure enough to eat, to find but in his ability to be actively shelter from the biting cold and concerned abou teach child of his. security from his enemies. man There may well be times when learned to cooperate and to work we must trust where we cannot together with other men. The same story is repeated in life of the beat many see. Job wrestled with this prob-lem. Finally, he was moved to the life of the bady who comes say. "Though he slay me, yet into the world with no knowledge I trust him."

of danger or pain. It doesn't take The story is told of two mission a child with a superior intelli- aries who went to a foreign land gence to soon learn that fire to serve, taking with them their burns, that cold is unpleasant, or beautiful little girl, the object of that automobile traffic is danger- all their love. One day she was ous suddenly stricken with a tropical

No child would even survive if illness about which the doctors he did not learn through his ex- knew little. When it became eviperience and often that experience dent that she was going to die. painful. The lessons that are the father said to the mother, taught by pain are usually learned "If God is going to take her, let's more quickly and last longer. kneel now and offer her back is Whether we like it or no', we him." Together they knelt and live in a world in which men must offered back to God the dearest cooperate together to bring about girl he had given them, because the greatest happiness for all. they had faith in a God whose Everything we do in life is blessed by the love and the labor of someone else. When you sit talism. It was the only kind of down to breakfast your colice is faith which can help us to meet served by a South American and the problems of suffering. Your served by a South American and your cereal comes from a mid-western wheat farmer. The clothes you wear may come from half-way around the world. The see God.



bility of suffering. If a pilot A program for the purchase of makes a mistake thousands of fect in the air, a plane may fall sweet potatoes for distribution to on a crowded city street and the School Lunch Program and bring death and suffering to other eligible outlets was anscores of people. The misiakes nounced today by H. D. Godfrey, of man cannot be localized. All of us must bear our share of the Administrative Officer for the suffering for the mistakes and North Carolina ASC State Office. the ignorance of men. But the Sweet potatoes must be of the good far outweighs the bad. Life "Puerto Rican" variety, or varieon an individual basis is unthink- ties of similar varietal characable. The deepest satisfactions in life are found in our ability to teristics and packed in new tub love others, and the ability to bushel baskets, containing not less love others would not be possible than 50 pounds net weight. The unless we're bound together as sweet potatoes must be of U.S. one human family. No. 1 Grade or better, with not

Let us remember, too, tha, our more than 1% tolerance for soft world is not yet complete. icsus rot or wet breakdown, and must said, "My father worketh hither- be inspected by the Federal-State The meaning inspection Service. to, and I work."

is that God is still at work in his The price will be \$2.30 per bushworld to perfect it according to el, loaded on cars or trucks at his plan. St. Paul has said, "We the option of U.S.D.A. at the point see not yet all things subjected of purchase, for sweet potatoes

ing.

They estimate that by 1965 beef cattle would average \$15 (down 25%), hogs \$11.50 (down 20%), corn 80c a bu. (down 25%), wheat 90c a bu. (down 50%), cotton 25c down 30°c), eggs 29c (down 20%), broilers 15c (down 10%), and solybeans \$1.60 (down 25%).

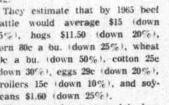
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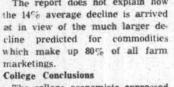
The college economists expressed come were "somewhat higher" than justified by the expected increase in volume of farm market-

They estimated net farm income would drop from about \$11.5 billion last year to about \$7 billion in 1965, a decline of about 40%, including both cash marketing receipts and government payments. Other estimates include a 60% to 75% drop by 1965 in net cash receipts by wheat growers, 35% lower for cotton producers, 37% lower for corn-hog producers, 13% lower for dairymen, but not much change for beef cattle ranchers.

income (40%) would be borne largely by the 2.1 million farms which market 90% of all farm products," the economists figure. The college study groupe included

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