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EDITORIAL

Don't fail to go out and vote on the Crop Control bill Saturday.

The only reason we don't run the pictures of all suggested or possible candidates is we don't have their pictures in printable form.

Regardless of whether you are for or against the Crop Control Bill you should go out and vote Saturday. It's your duty to yourself and your neighbor.

Among those who have been suggested the past week other than as mentioned previously or elsewhere are W. E. Beddingfield for Sheriff, and Carey C. Perry for Coroner. Both of these are among Franklin's best citizens and would, no doubt, make splendid officials.

The TIMES has been requested to call attention to the necessity of a Ball Park for Louisburg. As it now is the smaller boys of the town have no place to play ball, and naturally the larger ones have no place. It seems this would be a splendid means to furnish good healthful amusement and exercise for our growing boys and our "grown" boys. This could easily be accomplished by converting the graded school grove into a park. In addition to this feature converting this grove into a park would furnish amusement to our entire population, it would assure its being kept clean, would build an interest and contact in the school, serve to protect the school property and be the means of eliminating a lot of immorality practiced on the grounds during the night hours. Let's make it a park, give the boys a place to play ball, furnish a wholesome place of amusement for others and improve our town.

HIGHWAY SAFETY

Assistant Director Ronald Hocutt, of the Highway Safety Division, who was in Louisburg this week in the interest of Highway Safety Week, stated that in 1937 there were 1,123 killed in highway accidents, a large percentage of this number being pedestrians, and 7,990 injuries. These figures are entirely too high and can be reduced, and almost eliminated by the proper precaution of both drivers and pedestrians. Let's make our highways safer.

RECKLESS

The editor saw, on Sunday afternoon at the intersection of Halifax road and Main Street, a roadster automobile pass at an exceedingly high rate of speed. This was especially dangerous and reckless at any point much less at a street intersection, as it would have been almost impossible for the two young men driving the car to have stopped it in an emergency. And it is usually an emergency when a wreck and a death or injury occurs. A slower speed and more regard for the safety of themselves and others would be much better.

IS THE CUSTOM MISPLACED ?

Recently we overheard a citizen preparing to pay a compliment to a friend who had done something well preface his compliment with the statement, "I don't like to compliment one to their face." In this instance the speaker was seriously sincere, but wasn't his position misplaced? It is a habit we all have fallen into and used too many times. The reason of this position in most cases is good, but doesn't it represent a misconception in life, isn't it bad policy. When one has done his best and has done well enough for others to take notice and make favorable comment, isn't it best to go to him, slap him on the shoulder and say "Good for you old boy, you have done so and so well, I congratulate you." Wouldn't it make him feel better and wouldn't it be an incentive to better efforts in the future. Life at best is only too strenuous and contains too many heartaches and blues. Isn't it better to put the flowers in one's pathway while he is living than to wait for his mound and then say "What a good fellow he was!"

THE NEW BUILDING BOOM

With the Government at Washington using all the means at its command to stimulate home building, it seems to be on the cards that the long-looked-for building boom will soon be under way. Indeed, it has started now in many parts of the nation.

Government stimulation of building takes four different forms. There is the construction of Federal buildings, which has been going on for several years at a tremendous pace. There is building by states and municipalities with the aid of P.W.A. loans. But those are public or semi-public structures, and in their entirety they cannot take up all the slack in building trade unemployment or production in the building supply indus-

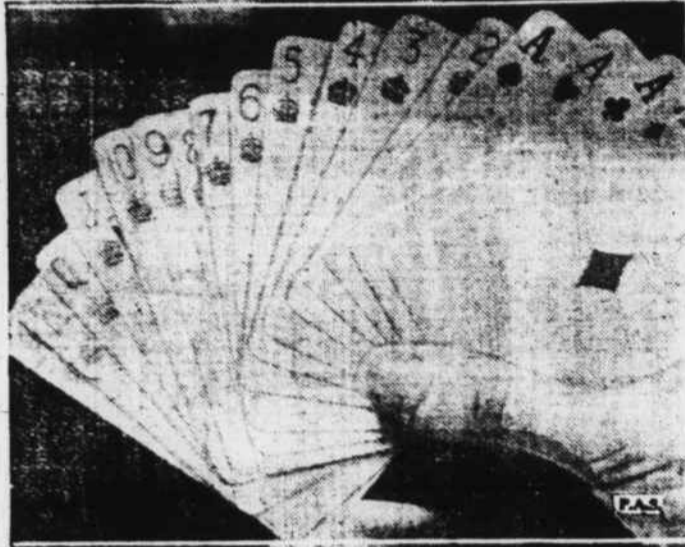
tries. Only building enough new homes to provide modern housing for everybody can do that.

The two Federal bureaus engaged in promoting home building operate on different lines, though they are often confused in the public mind. The U. S. Housing Administration is concerned with providing better homes for the very poor, on a semi-philanthropic basis, with states and municipalities cooperating with the Federal Government in supplying the funds. This is often referred to as the "slum-clearance" program.

The Federal Housing Administration, on the other hand, does not give or lend any Government money, but provides a means of insuring private capital against loss if it lends money on long and easy terms to individuals who want to buy or build new homes.

Under the enlarged F.H.A. plan, anyone with \$500 in cash or land can borrow from his bank or building association enough to pay for a \$5,000 home and lot, and have as long as 25 years to repay the loan at 5 per cent interest. This ought to start a new wave of home building and home owning.

England's Fifth Suit For Bridge Deck



NEW YORK CITY... "Royaals," the extra suit with the green crown symbol arrives from England where it has gained great popularity in the new 65-card game, 16 are dealt to each player, with one in the "kitty" which may be exchanged by the dealer for a card in the dummy hand. Above is a set of "Royaals" with aces of other suits.

MRS. GILLIE PEOPLES DEAD

Mrs. Gillie Paschall Peoples died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. E. Partin in Henderson, Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

She was a faithful member of Brassfield church in Warrenton. Mrs. Peoples joined this church at the age of 14 and up to the time she died she had been a devoted member of this church. Always willing to do her part and trying to get others to live as God wanted them to.

Mrs. Peoples was 79 years of age when death came. She is survived by 6 children, 5 boys and 1 girl, Mrs. M. E. Partin, Eddie and Tollie Peoples, of Henderson, Aljunice, Bobbie, and Robert Peoples, of Louisburg. The funeral services were conducted at Liberty church in Epsom, Monday at 2:30 with Rev. Wiggs officiating. Pallbearers were her grandsons and her granddaughters and great-granddaughters were flower girls.

The floral tribute was especially large and beautiful. — A Relative.

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Psalm 15 in which David describes a Citizen of Zion:

1. Lord, who shall abide in thy tabernacle? who shall dwell in thy holy hill?
2. He that walketh uprightly, and worketh righteousness, and speaketh the truth in his heart.
3. He that backbiteth not with his tongue, nor doeth evil to his neighbour, nor taketh up a reproach against his neighbour.
4. In whose eyes a vile person is condemned; but he honoureth them that fear the Lord. He that sweareth to his own hurt, and changeth not.
5. He that putteth not out his money to usury, nor taketh reward against the innocent. He that doeth these things shall never be moved.

MAKES GOOD SHOWING

The Franklin County Training School for colored boys and girls was represented in the North Carolina State Golden Gloves Tournament by Samuel Jones who fought very successfully in the middle-weight division going to the semi-final round and scoring two technical knockouts. He also fought in one of the feature bouts on the Dual State Collegiate Tourney between North Carolina College of Durham and Virginia State College, Petersburg, Va. He also won in this match a technical knockout. Thomas Williams and Clifford Hawkins have given much assistance in the development of the sport of boxing in the school.

The beauty doctors can make a woman feel young, but they can't make her look young.

Let us fail in trying to do something rather than sit still and fail by doing nothing.

DR. KENT WILL PREACH

This being the second Sunday in Lent, March 13, 1938, services in St. Matthias Episcopal Church will be as follows:

11:00 A. M. morning prayer and message; 2:45 P. M. Church School; 3:30 P. M. Sermon and celebration of the Holy Communion by Dr. Kent. He always brings a beautiful strong message. His sermons have been of much help to my congregation and friends. We extend a very cordial invitation to all of our people to hear Dr. Kent.

During the forty days of Lent we are having services each Wednesday at 4 P. M.

We are asking for a special offering for our local work. — George C. Pollard, Missionary in charge.

Our disposition in this country is to legislate first and to study afterward.

Greed which has once overstepped natural limits is certain to proceed to extremes.

From Ingleside

It may be well to take warning in time, have your meat secure and the shotgun ready for action. Meat thieves are at it again. The smoke house of Mr. J. L. Spencer was visited a few nights ago but the thieves were disappointed in their quest, as the meat had been removed the day before. Holes were bored through the weather boarding in the rear and the planks were removed sufficient to get a view of the inside to find it empty without entering.

Mr. Spencer also lost a hundred yards of plant bed cloth taken from one of his beds since the attempted meat theft.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lucas and little son, Ramon, Jr., of Richmond, Va., and Miss Mattie Leigh Dickerson, of Raleigh, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Dickerson. Miss Mattie Leigh left Raleigh Sunday evening for Wilmington to take up her stenography work with unemployment compensation commission.

The Southern Planter: Would you give one cent a day to have milk and butter for your family? That's what it cost C. T. Webb, Durham, North Carolina, per day to produce 150 gallons of sweet milk, 200 gallons of buttermilk and 100 pounds of butter for his family from one cow last year. These products had a total market value of \$175. In addition, he sold \$45.31 worth of milk and butter, a grand total of \$223.31 from the one animal. The expense in keeping the cow was \$51.99, just \$5.95 more than the value of milk and butter sold. Thus the actual cost of the cow to the family for 365 days was \$3.63.

This is concrete proof that more Southern farm families can afford to keep milk cows. Just as soon as one-crop farmers learn to produce homegrown feeds and care for cattle, there will be less land and labor for overproducing cash crops—cotton, tobacco, peanuts and potatoes—and more well-nourished children and fertile soil in the South. The last Census showed 99,426 cowless farms in North Carolina; 59,979

Signs of Spring

by A. B. CHAPIN



In South Carolina: 42,992 in Virginia: 12,897 in West Virginia: 11,171 in Maryland, and 3,118 in Delaware. The overwhelming majority of these farms should have milk cows, and the South will never have a balanced agriculture until they get them. The Rev. O. P. FitzGerald, former pastor of the Louisburg Methodist Church, says in the N. C. Christian Advocate: "Whiteville Methodists are coming to the front. We have recently purchased the latest model Hammond electric organ. The choir will adorn themselves with vestments within the next few weeks. Last year the pastor's salary was increased another 25 per cent. Whiteville now rates among the second-best class appointments monthly. Plans are under way for many improvements on church and parsonage. Yes, all the stewards are not only subscribers but appreciative readers of Methodism's best church paper, the North Carolina Christian Advocate." — O. P. FitzGerald. "Turkey raising in the United States is a 50-million dollar industry. Scientific findings about proper feeding and control of disease have been largely responsible for the growth of the turkey industry." Mr. Roy Inscow and Miss Nellie Dunn were married in Louisburg on Sunday, March 6, at the home of Mr. J. L. Falmer, who performed the ceremony. The groom is a brother of Mr. I. M. Inscow, of Ingleside. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dunn, of Vance County, former residents of near Ingleside. Mr. and Mrs. Inscow will reside at the home of the groom on Route 2. — Mr. William Hilliard, of Cary, returning from a brief visit with his son, Rev. Henry Hilliard, at Suffolk, Va., last week, called to see his daughter, Mrs. J. B. Willeson. Mrs. V. V. Wheeler, Mrs. J. L. Spencer and Misses Ella and Annie Waite Hunt visited friends in Kittrell Tuesday afternoon.

THRIFTY DAYS for you!

GET YOUR SHARE OF THESE SAVINGS

Fancy Hands BANANAS, lb. 15c | 1 - Lb. Pkg. F.F.V. VA. WAFERS 5c

3 - 20 Oz. Cans "Campbells" Tomato Juice 25c | TOMATOES 20c 3 No. 2 Cans | Picnic Can All Green ASPARAGUS 15c

RED SOUR PITTED CHERRIES, For Pies, No. 2 Can 15c

2 - 15 oz. Pkgs. Seedless RAISINS 15c | CONCENTRATED SUPER SUDS 1 - 10c Pkg. and 1 - 5c Cake OCTAGON TOILET SOAP 10c

PINEAPPLE SPECIAL 15c "PRODUCT OF BRITISH MALAYA" CRUSHED, SLICED, or CUBES, No. 2 Can

2 Lb. Jar PEANUT BUTTER 22c | Thick White FAT BACK, lb. 9c Pound | KARO SYRUP 5 lbs. 35c - 10 lbs. 65c | SALAD DRESSING or RELISH, qt. 23c | PRUNES, lb. 5c | Evap. Peaches, lb. 12 1/2c

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES No. 1 Florida Oranges, doz. 15c - 25c No. 1 Florida Grape Fruit, ea. 4c Good York Apples, 10 lbs. 25c Strawberries, Snap Beans, New Potatoes, Eng. Peas, Squash, Beets, Spring Onions, Spinach, Turnip Salad, Green Pepper, Cabbage and Celery. --- MEAT VALUES --- PORK LOIN CHOPS, lb. 21c SLICED PORK LIVER, lb. 12 1/2c FRESH PORK BRAINS, lb. 12 1/2c LAMB SHOULDER, lb. 30c SLICED CURED HAM, lb. 30c - 35c

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