

WHAT'S WHAT ABOUT SOCIAL SECURITY

Question: I will soon be 65 years old. I do not intend to quit working, and would like to know if I will be able to accrue additional old-age insurance on my wages after that time.

Question: I am 35 years old and have just quit working on a job covered by the old-age insurance provisions of the Social Security Act. I am now in business for myself. Can I draw out what is due me under the old-age insurance provisions of the Social Security Act?

Answer: No. The benefits under the old-age insurance provisions of the Social Security Act which have accrued to your credit on wages earned in covered employment will not be payable to you until you reach age 65.

Question: I have lost my job which was covered by the old-age insurance provisions of the Social Security Act. I am unable to obtain other employment. Would it be possible for me to collect what is due me under these provisions of the Social Security Act?

Answer: Unless you have reached the age of 65, you are not eligible for a lump-sum payment under the old-age benefit provisions of the Social Security Act. It may be that you are eligible for unemployment compensation benefits under your State law.

SMALL GROWER AIDED UNDER NEW FARM ACT

Giving the small farmer a "break" is one of the purposes of the new farm act, according to E. Y. Floyd, AAA executive officer at State College.

Provisions for larger payments to operators of small farms who cooperate in the Agricultural Conservation program, a part of the act, have been provided. Growers who would earn less than \$200 under the former rates will have their payments increased this year.

The following scale will be used when conservation payments are being made:

If payment is not more than \$20, the total payment will be increased 40 per cent; payments of \$20 to \$40 will be increased \$8 plus 20 per cent of the amount over \$20; payment of \$40 to \$60 will be increased \$12 plus 10 per cent of the amount over \$40; payments of \$60 to \$186 will be increased \$14; and payments of \$186 to \$200 will be increased to \$200.

This scaling upward of the smaller payments will be a first charge against funds available for payments, Floyd declared.

Farmers who take part in the AAA program this year will qualify for payments by staying within their soil-depleting crop acreage allotments and by measuring up to their soil-building goals.

The new act, in the main, merely adds to the present Agricultural Conservation program by providing for acreage allotments, marketing quotas when producers desire them, and crop loans.

If the cotton-tobacco referendum passes March 12, larger growers will receive steeper acreage cuts than will the smaller farmers, Floyd pointed out.

"How many acres can I plant?" is the question thousands of North Carolina cotton and tobacco growers are asking their county agents at this time. The answer can be given only after the referendum on March 12 and after county quotas have been subdivided.

If cotton and tobacco farmers want control of their two crops, they can impose this control upon themselves by their own secret votes. Control will not be imposed from without. Every farmer should study the new farm bill and vote as he thinks best.

Nothing can stop a man who has faith in the final success of his plan.



The North Carolina Division of the Standard Oil Company, of New Jersey, in the promotion of Highway Safety, recently awarded certificates of merit to all employees who had completed one year or more of safe driving without an accident.

'WAY BACK WHEN by Jeanne



SENATOR PITTMAN RUSHED TO ALASKA

SO OFTEN gold buried far away in some inaccessible part of the world looks easier to get than fortunes awaiting us right at home.

Senator Key Pittman of Nevada started his career on a wild goose chase for gold, but came back to make his success in the occupation for which his schooling fitted him.

Key Pittman, who was born in 1872, attended law college in Tennessee. His career at that time looked as though it might consist of practicing law, obtaining an appointment as district attorney, and forging ahead in politics with the United States senate as a goal.

In 1913, Key Pittman, in his first political contest, was elected to the United States senate, where he has given a good account of himself for 21 years.

The true greatness of nations is in those qualities which constitute the greatness of the individual.

ORPHAN CONCERT MARCH 19

The Singing Class of Oxford Orphanage will give a concert in Youngville School Auditorium at 7:45 o'clock, p. m., Saturday, March 19, 1938.

You, no doubt, know something of the good that has heretofore resulted from the visits made by these children, and we are confident that the effort to make the forthcoming visit a success, as well as a blessing to our community, will enlist your hearty cooperation and support.

W. C. Perry, J. R. Pearce, S. E. Winston, Committee.

Why do some men work only when someone is looking?

M. G. Broadwell, of Holly Springs, Route 1, Wake County, has installed a complete water system in his farm home at a cost of \$365.

The local price of poultry for market in Martin County was boosted by two to three cents a pound through a recent cooperative shipment of 22,000 pounds of live poultry.

Whatever happens in the referendum on March 12, the Agricultural Conservation program continues to be in operation and the wise farmer will this year provide all the food and feed he will need for his family and livestock.

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FOR CONSTABLE I herewith announce myself a candidate for the office of Constable of Franklinton Township, subject to the Democratic primary to be held in June, and will appreciate the votes and support of my friends. 3-11-38 J. A. HUFF.

North Carolina tobacco growers have a "franchise" for about 70 per cent of the flue-cured tobacco to be produced in the Nation. Whether they will retain this franchise will depend on ballots cast on March 12.

W. R. Rodgers, of Stantonsburg, Greene County, installed 950 feet of drainage tile on his farm this past winter.

It is well to remember that a flower will grow in the same soil that will produce a thistle. North Carolina farmers spend \$25,000,000 annually for fertilizers.

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WHAT HAPPENED TO THE OLD CRACKER BARREL Jim Perkins ran a grocery store many years ago on Main Street. Jim was well liked by his customers because he exchanged the news of the day and settled the affairs of the nation. Over in one corner of the store, stood a big barrel of crackers. Minnie the cat used to sleep on the crackers when the customers were not helping themselves to a little lunch. All of this has changed today due to national advertising. Improvements in manufacturing and modern packaging has made it possible to put better crackers in an airtight package, wrapped in wax paper, thus insuring cleanliness and freshness from oven to you. National advertising in newspapers built a volume of business for Jim so that these crackers sell for five cents and the quality is consistent with the manufacturer's name which appears on each box. There is a reasonable profit for the local grocer in the sale as well as for the manufacturer. Nationally advertised crackers or any other nationally advertised products are the best your dollar will buy and are more consistent in quality because of national brand advertising in this newspaper and others throughout the country. You, the consumer, have purchased these national brands of gasoline, foods, household appliances, automobiles, drugs and beverages advertised in this newspaper and thus made possible lower prices to you due to the tremendous volume. Buy nationally advertised brands from your local dealer featured in this newspaper. THE FRANKLIN TIMES MEMBER OF CONSOLIDATED DRIVE FOR COUNTRY NEWSPAPER NATIONAL ADVERTISING National Representative, American Press Assn. : 225 W. 39th St., New York, N. Y.

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