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We Still Have A War To Win!

The 4th War Loan Drive was launched Tuesday and both those who failed to buy war bonds and those who did buy them in the preceding drives should remind themselves that we still have a war to win.

Don't make the mistake of thinking you are giving when you buy war bonds. You are simply loaning. The bonds you buy this year increase in value as the years go by.

You can buy bonds from your bank or your postmaster will get them for you. Buy your bonds today and keep on buying.

We'd Rather Take Home Newspapers

From Dr. M. M. Rosenbaum, formerly of Charlotte, now a Captain in the Medical Corps, stationed in England, we have received late copies of The Times of London, long regarded as England's biggest and best newspaper.

Allowing for the several years of war and present limitations which must have resulted therefrom, we still feel, after reading the Daily Express and The Times of London, we'd rather take the home newspapers, back here in the United States.

The Daily Express is a seven column, four page paper, selling for one penny, which would be two cents in our money. Supporting the general claims that it is England's most progressive newspaper, it follows very much the American style of news heads and make up. It boasts a sale of 2,825,138 copies. It contains a total of only a quarter of a page of advertising.

The Times of London, on the other hand, has a fair run of advertising. If we include the fact that its whole front page is given over to legal and paid personal notices, if you want to read the news you have to look inside.

Both papers, as would be expected during these times, are printed on a very light and cheap grade of paper.

We haven't the least doubt that both papers are very highly regarded and interesting to the people in England, but we still cling to the personal view that we like the home newspapers best.

SHEARS & PASTE

LET'S GO TO CHURCH

(Sampson Independent) There is something fascinating about turning over a new leaf, and seeing the pure white, clean surface of a book, and there is something equally as intriguing, about the beginning of a new year.

Among our new year's resolutions this year, let us add one to go to church every Sunday. People who do not attend the services of the church regularly, do not realize what they miss and how their lives are impoverished by their absence from the house of worship.

The churches are not filled these Sundays, especially if the weather is inclement, and the life of the community is impoverished, too, by the failure of many to attend church services.

The quietude and solemnity of

Service and all other agricultural agencies have cooperated in this work in each county, to make up the activities of the County War Board, and are all joining together in arranging plans for the "A" Award celebration.

Not only is the county honored but also each farm family in the county. "These families are gratefully honored for services nobly rendered to our war effort and it is expected that they will all take part in the 'Award Day' ceremonies to be held in February in connection with the presentation of the 'A' banner," Scott said.

SAVE JUST AS MANY LAMBS AS POSSIBLE

It is as important to save lambs after they arrive as it is to make careful plans for lambing time, says Dr. John E. Foster, in charge of research with beef cattle and sheep at the Agricultural Experiment Station of State College.

"Assuming that the ewes are in proper condition for lambing, the next step is to save as many of these lambs as practical, and then grow them out satisfactorily," Foster points out.

He suggests that the flock should be looked at first thing in the morning during the lambing season, about twice during the day, and the last thing at night before retiring. It may even be necessary to spend some time during the night with the flock.

For the first day after lambing, the ewe should be given only fresh water and hay. She should then be gradually put on a feed of about one and a half pounds of grain mixture per head daily and all the good legume hay she will clean up. A green winter pasture should be provided, wherever practical.

The lambs will start to graze and eat grain and hay when a few weeks old. If they are not getting enough milk, they should be given a grain mixture in a creep. A mixture of two parts of corn, two of oats, and one of cottonseed meal is satisfactory.

To grow the lamb properly, it should be fed indirectly through its mother by providing an abundant supply of milk, and directly by giving it access to green pasture, good legume hay, and a grain mixture," Foster says.

Timely Hints To Home-Makers

By RUTH CURRENT If candle wax dripped on the holiday tablecloth, use a dull knife, a warm iron and cleansing issues to help remove it. First scrape off as much of the hard wax as possible.

They pointed out that some hybrids which did well in the Mountain and Piedmont sections were wholly unsuited for production in the Coastal Plain areas. On the other hand, a certain hybrid gave good yields in the Coastal Plain and was relatively resistant to weevil damage and lodging, or wind damage, but was not suited to production in other areas.

Experiment Station tests showed that the yields of some hybrids were no better, or even less, than the yields of some of the standard varieties of corn already being grown. In other cases, certain hybrids gave outstanding yields which were considerably above the best yields of the purebred varieties now being grown.

Hybrid corns do not carry names such as "Javis" but are specified by numbers such as U, S, or N. C. 1032. A "W" following the number means that it is a white corn and a "Y" shows that it is a yellow corn.

The Crop Improvement Association urges growers to consult Circular 134 before making purchases of hybrid seed corn. This publication gives the official performance records of the hybrids for 1942 and 1943. A free copy of these results may be obtained by writing the N. C. Improvement Association, State College, Raleigh.

COUNTIES HONORED WITH "A" AWARDS

Haywood, Northampton, Pitt, Chatham, and Wilson counties will receive Achievement "A" Awards for outstanding excellence in agriculture in 1943, according to G. T. Scott, chairman of the USDA War Board.

These counties were selected by the War Food Administration because of their splendid performance in increasing farm production. They not only met but also exceeded their Production Goals. They shifted peace-time production to meet war-time demands. They made full use of their land and labor resources. In fact, everything possible was done to cooperate in the "Food For Freedom" fight, not forgetting full support of War Bond purchases, rationing and price control measures, and cooperation in all the salvage drives.

Each of these counties will receive an "A" banner from the War Food Administration to be presented by the Army in appropriate ceremonies in February. Plans are now being made for the celebration in each county and full details will be announced at a later date, according to Scott.

The State College Extension

common. "These results would raise some question as to the advisability of seeding common or Tennessee 76 with either Korean or Kobe," Lovvorn says.

He suggests that growers purchase their supplies of lespepeza seed for planting this season as early as possible because there are shortages in certain areas and seed are hard to get.

He points out that the need for lime and fertilizer becomes greater the longer lespepeza is grown on a farm, due to the depletion of the soil's natural supply of plant nutrients by removal of the hay. For this reason it now pays to fertilize lespepeza on lands where formerly it did not.

WITH FIELD ARTILLERY

Dan Shannon, of Winnebaw, has been assigned to Battery D, 10 Battalion 4 F. A. for training at Fort Bragg and will be transferred to a field organization of the Artillery when he completes his initial training. He is married and is one of the four sons of Mrs. H. M. Shannon who are in the service. Mrs. Shannon also has a daughter in the WACS.

Pulpwood Meet Well Attended

Reports reaching this office are to the effect that the pulpwood caravan, at the Charlotte school Thursday night, was very interesting. Both in the exhibits and the several reels of moving sound pictures. The meeting was arranged for the purpose of acquainting the public better with the value of forest products. A good crowd is said to have been present.

Church Welcomes All Service Men

Rev. S. I. Mintz, pastor of Elah Baptist church, of Leland, states that he and his congregation are highly pleased to have service men to worship with them at all services. This past Sunday M's William H. Ganey, of Fort Bragg and Pvt. Charles T. Williams, of Fort Dix, N. J., attended services at Elah. Both are Brunswick county boys and have been at home on furloughs.

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NOT EXACTLY NEWS

Nearly all Brunswick families have members, or close relatives, in service. When the boys come back will these folks here at home be able to show with their war bonds that they backed the attacks? . . . As a result of all the big freezes this winter, there will be very few camellias in Brunswick county this year, azaleas and other later blooming flowers seem about all right, so far.

Home On Visit From New England

Thomas Stanaland, eldest son of the late Sheriff Stanaland, of Brunswick county, is spending several days here with his sister, Mrs. Edwin Dozier, and his brother, Herman Stanaland at Charlotte. He moved to New Britain, Conn., eighteen years ago and has since resided there. His younger brother, Edwin, also resides at New Britain, as does a married sister, who is remembered here as Miss Murty Stanaland. Chancy, another Stanaland brother, also has residence in New Britain. He has been in the Coast Guard for the past twelve years and has just returned to the States from a years overseas service in the Pacific.

Noted Organist To Play At FMC

RED SPRINGS, Jan. 13.—Carl Weinrich, organist, who will play at Flora MacDonald Monday evening, Jan. 17, at 8:15, occupies a unique place in the musical world, and has achieved wide renown for his brilliant performance on the organ.

Mr. Weinrich has made a hobby of discovering old organs. In his travels throughout the United States and Canada, he has found organs over a hundred years old which were in fine condition and giving excellent service. In Europe he has played organs which are over 400 years old, and on a recent trip to the continent he had many interesting experiences along this line, finding some of these valuable old instruments in out-of-the-way towns, villages, and monasteries. Few concert artists in any field, from the point of view of artistic ideals and achievement, can compare with Carl Weinrich. He has given concerts throughout America and Canada, and in

the best way you can help the boys who are doing the fighting . . . If this weather keeps up its present tempo much longer some of the early bird tobacco growers are going to be a bit late in getting their seed planted. Without waiting for the press relations office to say so, it is easy to see that soldiers, sailors and supplies are now moving fast for the 1944 assault on Hitler's legions. The folks who have been making big war time wages can well afford to invest some of that easily earned money in bonds

DIED IN MIAMI

Sgt. Charles McKeithan Cox, a native of Charleston but well known in Southport, where he frequently visited his uncle, Charlie Hewett and Mrs. Leinert, died in a government hospital at Miami Beach, Fla., last year's Day.

He was 25 years of age, survived by his widow and small son and daughter, in addition to other relatives who was at Charleston.

Last Year We Made Loans For The Following Purposes:— 1.—To—Finance auto purchases or trade 2.—To—Pay hospital expenses. 3.—To—Repair dwellings and farm buildings. 4.—To—Pay school expenses. 5.—To—Buy farms or additional land. 6.—To—Settle estate in case of death. 7.—To—Operate farm on and house crop. 8.—To—Repair automobiles including new tires. 9.—To—Finance business trips. 10.—To—Go into business with. 11.—To—Buy auto and truck license. 12.—To—Send to men in Service for trip home. 13.—To—Refinance car or truck. 14.—To—Pay scattering small bills. 15.—To—Buy merchandise and operate business on. When you need to borrow money why not let us serve you? You can borrow on your car quickly. Our service is friendly and confidential. Your car fully insured. Up to twelve months to pay! Up to thirty-six months on real estate loans. BRAXTON'S MRS. GORDON HINSON, In Charge of Loan Dept.

STATEMENT OF CONDITION SOUTHPORT BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION OF SOUTHPORT, N. C., AS OF DECEMBER 31st, 1943 — ASSETS — The Association Owns: Cash on Hand and in Banks \$ 13,081.91 State of North Carolina and U. S. Government Bonds 24,960.00 Stock in Federal Home Loan Bank 2,000.00 Mortgage Loans 105,929.45 Money loaned to shareholders for the purpose of enabling them to own their homes. Each loan secured by first mortgage on local improved real estate. 2,594.00 Share Loans Advances made to our shareholders against their shares. No loan exceeds 90% of amount actually paid in. 61.43 Accounts Receivable Temporary Advances for Insurance, Taxes, Etc. 450.00 Office Furniture and Fixtures 404.00 Other Assets TOTAL \$149,480.79 — LIABILITIES — The Association Owes: To Shareholders Funds entrusted to our care in the form of payments on shares as follows: Installment Shares \$78,938.00 Full-Paid Shares \$58,200.00 Running Shares \$ 4,850.47 Other Shares \$ 141,988.47 Undivided Profits \$ 4,986.93 Earnings held in trust for distribution to shareholders at maturity of their shares. Reserve for Contingencies \$ 2,000.00 To be used for the payment of any losses, if sustained. This reserve increases the safety and strength of the Association. Other Liabilities \$ 505.39 TOTAL \$149,480.79 State of North Carolina, County of Brunswick:—ss: J. E. Carr, Secretary-Treasurer of the above named Association personally appeared before me this day, and being duly sworn, says that the foregoing statement is true to the best of his knowledge and belief. Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 13th day of January, 1944. RACHEL TODD CORLETTE, Notary Public. (My Commission Expires April 5, 1944) J. E. CARR, Sec.-Treas.