

Society

WINE PARTY HELD

"Live Wines" Group of the Training Union entertained "Busy Bees" Group at a party on the church lawn Friday night. The "gypsies" around the camp fire of "Tom's" tribe. Gypsy Tom's palms and then the gypsies engaged in lively trading of articles. Tom and his assistant the guest tribe some fine magic that had been conjured by his tribe and a little girl read their fortunes. Symbols found in the magic sand. The gypsies of both camps gathered close by the camp fire and gave a lovely gypsy party with the different competing for honors. Refreshments of ice cream were served.

CREAM PARTY

Bess Miller Plaxco entertained a number of her friends on evening at an ice cream party on the lawn on her home. The guests enjoyed the cream and the delicious fruit punch and the following:

Mrs. Ann McCracken, Betty Corlette, Jean Denbo, Jane Marie Moore, Sarah Elizabeth and Vernon Garrett, Mrs. Moore, Lewis Newton, and Mitchell.

PIENIC

Suzanna Wesley Circle and Circle Dasher Circle of Trinity Methodist church, held a picnic Monday evening at Long Beach. A bus was chartered to take the members and their guests to the picnic. The picnic was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hol-

liday. Those who went on the trip were: Mesdames H. C. Corlette, E. S. George, Elizabeth R. E. Mintz, R. S. Harrison, C. G. Butler, George Y. C. G. Ruark, Margaret Mary Cramer, Minnie Robet Willis, T. H. Rob Thompson, Richard George Charles Newton, Mrs. W. E. Dasher, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Holden, Misses Eloise George, Martha Esley, Iris Mary Mintz, Jeanette Hope Harrison, Lottie Newton, Annie M. Newton.

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Accepting their responsibilities as citizens, telephone men and women have purchased millions of dollars of War Bonds and are continuing to invest more than ten per cent of their regular wages every month in bonds. You will find them doing Red Cross work—nurse's aid work—donating their blood—in fact you'll find telephone folks in nearly every civic movement designed to aid in our war effort and the betterment of the communities in which they live.

Telephone workers have accepted their wartime responsibilities, appreciating the vital part they have in the successful prosecution of the war—shouldering their tasks cheerfully and unselfishly as the men in arms shoulder their guns.

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ATTENTION! ALL HOME CANNERS!

Before you begin your 1944 canning, Good Housekeeping Magazine advises you: use the boiling-water bath method for tomatoes and fruits, only. Can all vegetables except tomatoes by the correct use of a pressure cooker to be sure of killing botulinus germs. In the last few years, cases of botulinus food poisoning have cropped up in widely different parts of the country. Buy, borrow, share a pressure cooker—but don't can low acid vegetables any other way. If you want further information, write Good Housekeeping Magazine, 959 Eighth Avenue, New York 19, N. Y.

Charlene Newton, and Rudy Mintz.

News From The Dasher Memorial Hospital

Mr. and Mrs. James Hewett, of Shallotte, announce the birth of a son on June 30th.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Marlowe announce the birth of a son on June 28. The mother and baby returned to their home on Saturday.

William E. Benton, of Supply, received treatment in the hospital from June 29th until last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams, of Shallotte, announce the birth of a daughter on June 29th. They returned home on July 3rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Pigott announce the birth of a daughter on July 1st. The mother and baby returned to their home on Thursday.

Mrs. A. G. Murrell, of Bolivia, entered the hospital on July 1st for treatment and is still a patient.

Mrs. L. M. Clemmons, of Supply, was a patient for a week, entering on the 1st and leaving Friday.

Mrs. G. C. Kilpatrick, of Wilmington, was a patient from the 1st until last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Perez announce the birth of a son on July 3rd. They are still in the hospital.

Russell St. George is a medical patient, having entered on last Wednesday.

Herbert Simmons entered on the 4th as a medical patient and left on Sunday.

Charlotte Ann Spencer had her tonsils removed on Wednesday.

Marion Mercer and Tally Mercer, children of R. G. Mercer, of Bolivia, had their tonsils removed on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd W. Hewett of Supply, announce the birth of a daughter on Thursday.

Mrs. Francis Corrello was in the hospital for treatment from Wednesday until Tuesday.

Miss Deleno Reynolds, of Supply, became a medical patient on Thursday.

Miss Lillie W. Sermons, of Supply, is a patient, having entered

Winnabow News

Pvt. Graham Robinson, of Camp Jackson, S. C., spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Smith, of Wilmington, visited Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Gore Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Zibelin and Mrs. D. M. Smith, of Wilmington, spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Zibelin.

Tyler Potter, of the U. S. Navy, stationed at Great Lakes, Ill., is at home on a furlough with his family.

Mrs. D. R. Johnson and Mrs. John Whitaker attended the funeral of Mrs. Ora Bennett Wells at Delco Monday afternoon. Mrs. Wells was a former resident of the New Hope community.

Mrs. W. A. Kopp and children were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Johnson Sunday.

S. L. Purvis, Jr, who is in camp in Virginia, Mrs. Purvis and her mother, of Wilmington, visited his father and other relatives here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schnibben and two daughters, of Wilmington, were callers here Thursday morning.

Roy Gore and Lee Kye, Jr. spent the week-end in Charlotte on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Lewis, of Birmingham, Ala., and Mrs. Nat Stallings and two daughters, of Warsaw, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. W. D. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Lewis, of Wilmington, also visited Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Monday.

His friends will regret to learn that Mr. W. D. Lewis was carried to the Dasher Memorial hospital Monday, where he is quite ill.

PERSONALS

Miss Annie St. George has returned home from a visit to friends and relatives in Baltimore and Goldsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Register of Tennessee, are visiting their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ripley.

Mrs. Fred Ashburn has returned home after spending a month with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hood at New Port, Va. Her husband is in service at Camp Perry, near there.

D. M. Davis, of the Fisheries Commission at Morehead City, spent the week-end here with his family.

Mrs. Lawrence Fulwood and children spent the week-end with relatives at Supply.

Mrs. Nell Niernsee returned home Monday from a two weeks visit with relatives in Charleston, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Ludlum and little daughter, of Wilmington, spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Honie Aldridge, parents of Mrs. Ludlum.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Green, of Wadesboro, spent part of the past week here with Mrs. J. H. Russ. Mrs. Green is the former Miss Jessie Russ.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Carr and children, of Charlotte, spent part of the past week here with Mrs. Susie Carr.

Mrs. W. E. Bell was called to Whiteville last week by the illness of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ben Pierce.

Jack Hickman, of the Naval Reserves, now stationed in New York, spent part of the week here with relatives.

Homer McKeithan, with the W. B. & S. Bus lines for the past several months, has resigned his position to return to fishing.

Mrs. Virgil Harris and daughter, of Marshallburg, are visiting Capt. and Mrs. C. N. Swan.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bater Arm-x strong, of New Bern, have been spending several days here with Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Ruark.

Mrs. Harry Phelps and daughter, Miss May Phelps, of Washington, D. C., are spending the summer at their home here.

Ernest Cavanaugh, of Atlanta, formerly of Southport, spent part of the past week here at the home of Mrs. Harry Phelps.

Attorney and Mrs. Tom Gold and little daughter, Caroline, of

High Point, are spending two weeks here and at Long Beach, they have a cottage. Mrs. Gold is the former Miss Dorothy Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Robinson and children, of Carolina Beach, spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Robinson.

Mrs. H. C. Corlette and daughters, Betty Todd, and Harriet, are visiting relatives in Wendell.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wolfe are spending this week with relatives in Cherry Point and Beaufort.

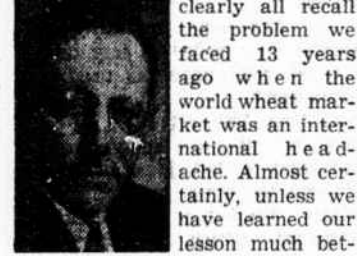
Miss Nancy Watts, of Baltimore, Md., is visiting her father, H. C. Watts.

Let's Face Facts

A Bit of Wheat History May Prevent Mistakes In Postwar Planning

By BARROW LYONS
WNU Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, D. C. — We might save ourselves a deal of misery if we could think back clearly all recall the problem we faced 13 years ago when the world wheat market was an international headache. Almost certainly, unless we have learned our lesson much better than mere humans usually do, we shall be faced again with similar situations. Perhaps the memory of what once was so disheartening will help us to avoid making the same kind of mistakes again.



Year after year following the last war, we had been piling up a larger and larger surplus of wheat and the domestic price as well as the world market had declined to a point where you could almost count on one hand the number of wheat farmers operating at a profit. Still, we seemed to be unable to reduce our wheat acreage. It was much the same story in every important wheat-growing nation on earth, except China and Russia.

By 1931 Russia had made enough progress with its Five-Year plan to permit wheat export again. Once Russia had been the "bread basket of Europe." In 1931 Russia desperately needed foreign exchange with which to purchase machinery abroad. Our own government did all it could to discourage Russia's industrial development, although it was the nation's mighty effort then to grid for war that enabled it to drive back the Nazi armies 11 years later while we prepared to do our part.

INTERNATIONAL PROBLEM

In May, 1931, we sent to London a delegation of the federal farm board to meet representatives of other great wheat growing nations. It was hoped that they might work out an agreement to control the movement and price of wheat in international trade, and thereby take the first constructive step to lift the wheat farmers of the world from the very depths of despondency. At that time wheat was selling in Chicago at 83 cents per bushel and for much less on the farm. In Winnipeg wheat brought 49 cents and in Liverpool 72 cents. Samuel R. McWelvie headed our delegation. At that time I wrote in an article entitled "The Wheat Chaos—Pool or Ruin?" which appeared in the Nation:

"There are three courses the farm board might pursue. It could lock up its wheat holdings, as some of the western senators have demanded, but it has refused to accept this suggestion and has decided to unload as rapidly as it can. It could sell in an open market in competition with the huge carry-over stores of the Argentine, Canada and Australia and with the splendid crops that in a few months will be ready to flood world markets with even more unwanted grain; but to do that would inevitably depress prices still further. Finally, the farm board could cooperate with the rest of the world on the problem of wheat."

The London conference did not settle the matter. Argentine, which had introduced farming machinery on a considerable scale and probably was then the cheapest producer of wheat, felt that it was not necessary for it to limit its output, since it could undersell anyone—at least, anyone but Russia. Russia had been successful in forcing her wheat into any market where machinery was to be purchased.

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Robbins, of Leland, officiating. Interment was in the Long cemetery.

"Think Before You Talk!" — General George C. Marshall.

WANT ADS

LOST — Kerosene Ration book. Mrs. B. R. Bennett, Freeland, N. C.

LOST — Ration Book No. 4. Edgar A. Jackson, Southport, N. C.

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LOST — Ration Book No. 4. W. C. Gore and Ina Gore, Shallotte, N. C.

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Long Final Rites Held Friday P. M.

James, M. Long, of Ash, 73, died at his residence Thursday afternoon after an illness of several months. He is survived by his widow, two daughters, Mrs. Beatrice Smith and Magaline Long; three brothers, J. B., W. R., and J. C. Long, of Ash; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were held from the residence Friday afternoon at 6 o'clock with Rev. Woodrow W.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF ASSETS OF BRUNSWICK COUNTY
Under and by virtue of the authority vested in us as Commissioners, the undersigned will, on Monday, July 10, 1944, at twelve o'clock Noon, at the Court House Door at Southport, North Carolina, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder:

All of the notes and judgments now owned by the Peoples United Bank of Southport, North Carolina.

Any interested party may inspect a list of same now filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Brunswick County and also deposited in the office of J. W. Ruark, Attorney at Law, Southport, North Carolina.

The said notes and judgments will be first sold item by item and then sold as a whole and the bid or bids which, in the aggregate, are highest will be accepted.

Dated this 12th day of June, 1944.

J. W. RUARK,
W. C. MANSON,
Commissioners

6-25-2-Weds.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF BRUNSWICK
JACK ATKINS
VS.
MARY ELLEN ATKINS
The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the superior court of Brunswick County for divorce on the ground of adultery; and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the undersigned in Southport, N. C., on the 12th day of September, 1944, and answer or demur to the complaint filed in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for relief demanded in said complaint.

This 11th day of July, 1944.
B. J. HOLDEN,
Asst. Clerk of the Superior Court BRUNSWICK COUNTY

DAUGHTER MEWEN
Attorney for Plaintiff
7-12-4-Weds.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Having qualified as executor of the will of the late George T. Ruark, deceased, of Brunswick County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Shallotte, North Carolina on or before the 14th day of

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