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Less Hasty Marriages

From now on there should be fewer and often ill advised, hasty marriages of North Carolina couples in South Caroina. A new law which went into effect Sunday, July 1, provides that those who have an overwhelming desire to obey that mpulse now shall have at least 24-hours o sit back and cool their heels.

written consent of parents.

udge and get married. It is now just as have to. necessary to ask the judge as it is to ask

A Vicious Weapon

The Japanese suicide plane is a vicious veapon in the hands of fanatics and the American people back here on the home ront should make no mistake about that. t has recently been termed the perfect nissile. With a fanatic or doped Japanse at its controls it is more deadly than he rocket bombs that created such detruction in England shortly before the European war closed.

In short, the Japanese suicide plane is tremendously lethal weapon. Loaded with a potent explosive and guided by a Japanese who is about to die and knows t, it is propelled at tremendous speed owards its target. The pilot is sealed in and nothing he can do will prevent the nissile from striking something and exbloding, blowing to atoms itself, the pilot ind everything they hit. Released from he carrying plane when near the target, he pilot of the deadly missile sees nothng and feels nothing but the fanatically inspired zeal to kill and take with him he enemies he is sent to destroy.

Takes Much Handling

A tobacco crop is almost entirely a andmade one. It takes many busy hands o make ready the many million pounds of tobacco that will shortly begin piling ip on the warehouse sales floors.

In many cases this years crop was stared even before the dawn of the year. By Christmas many tobacco beds in this belt had already been prepared. The rear had hardly come before these beds vere planted and thereafter there was nuch watchful waiting until the plants and time were ready for the transplantng to the fields.

It was then that some of the real work began. Transplanting the plants is in itelf a big and arduous job. The planting was not all finished before cultivating beran in many cases and the cultivating vas not all done before labor was reuired for cropping and curing. Before he curing was through came the work f grading, and this month of July, aleady finds many thousands of pounds of he weed in readiness for transportation o the sales floors and to be put up at

When they see those piles of tobacco eing auctioned off, beginning late this nonth, very few people will pause to onsider how much personal handling ach leaf received by itself. There was he cropping from the plant in the fields, when each leaf had to be pulled or jerkd off separately. Then again at the uring barns each leaf had to be handled eparately, stringing on the sticks on which it was to be cured. When it was ured and the sticks taken from the barn here was yet to come three more indivilual handlings of each leaf: grading, acking and tying. It takes a lot of work ind personal attention to each leaf of obacco when it comes to producing a Fop of the weed.

Don't Want To Talk

It is generally known that men who have passed through trying periods in the ship had a brandnew Eng. the war, the fellows who have seen death the war, the fellows who have seen death the war, the fellows who have seen death the ship had a brandnew Eng. the war, the fellows who have seen death all around them and often staring them any other part. It may be that the pipe has stood by us and has seen been assigned, Ensign Billy Branch are and with large families, have shorters of the pipe has stood by us and has seen been assigned, Ensign Billy Branch are and with large families, have shorters of the pipe has stood by us and has seen been assigned, Ensign Billy Branch are and with large families, have shorters of the pipe has stood by us and has seen been assigned. Editor in the face, are not inclined to talk about their adventures when they return home.

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many that will be no easy task, as their news matter that does ont now ing peace of mind, thinking we knife had been in the big drink men went down into their pockets very souls have been seared by experiences through which they passed. They The small grain crop in Bru- the hands of Chief of Police Otts terrible injuries and lost about through a boggy part of their at that time.

ber of returned soldiers, some of them out Bennett, of the Exum community. to us. of prisoner of war camps where hard- per acre, and that was fairly ships and cruelties inflicted upon helpless good for any year. George Danmen defy all description. For the most ford, of Bolivia, got 30 bushels part these boys talked, but only in an- of wheat per acre. swer to questions as they had no personal Cleaning out the channel at ings when four young Shallotte desire to review their experiences.

As a matter of fact their truthful an- every year or two. The San Pablo, a big dump type dredge, is now swer to inquiries revealed such things engaged in this undertaking, Prob. Billy Russ, son of Mrs. Ruth W. that we were a little less anxious to hear ably without the U. S. Army En-Russ and the late C. A. Russ; than they were to tell it. Naturally, the public want to know something of what icense 24-hours, or more before it will ally a newspaperman has to ask quespe issued to you. This application must tions. Often these questions bring an-In other words, you now have to make public want to know something of what very damaging to shrimp, the Bernard Bradshaw, a nephew of be a written one and it becomes a part swers that he does not like to hear as are moving out from the creeks them are on the same ship or in battle of the record of the marriage. The applifew people want their faith in manof the record of the marriage. The applicate people want their faith in mail-dredging operations scoop them up ants must be 18 years old or over. If kind shaken, to hear of all the principles by the millions. Naturally, they hey are under age they must have the of humanity forgotten and abused. That are killed as they pass through is what one is apt to hear when one in- the powerful suction pumps. If In still other words, you cannot just terviews a man returned from German dredge, once it is loaded, goes drive over into South Carolina from this prison camps. We hardly blame the boys out on the shrimp trawling groind other border counties, find a probate for not wishing to talk more than they unds and dumps hudreds of tons

Putting A Bang In School

Things have changed, brother, since the days of manual training a couple of decades ago. Remember how we planed, mortised, glued and stained all Winter, to come up in the Spring with a somewhat uncertain taboret for mother? Now look:

Thirty thousand schools and other educational institutions will be eligible in a few weeks to receive surplus aircraft, engines and parts for nonflight use from the Reconstruction Finance Corp. Kids studying aviation may handle stuff that has been in the airmaybe in combat-Boy-oh-boy! Imagine the vim a fellow could put into such a course ,especially if he could 'My big brother flew in one of these."-New York World Telegram.

Let's Reverse Scarcity Philosophy

After reading the statistics and arguments relating to various phases of rationing and price control in the United States, one comes to the inevitable conclusion that the job of telling each family what it can eat and wear, and each farmer and manufacturer what he can produce, involves over-all planning of interlocking details that would stagger even the creater of all things.

The effort to make all phases of production and retailing a matter of statistics, has become a job beyond the conception of man. The factors that went into past production and selling costs, may have little or no bearing today because of entirely changed conditions that face producers and retailers. The confusion and shortages which the consumer faces on every hand do not mean that the idea of rationing is unsound, but they do mean that the incentive to produce and sell in too many cases has been stifled by red

Quoting statistics alone will not fill the bread basket. There must be developed in this country a friendly governmental attitude toward producers and retailers. Cooperation must be a twosided affair. It is all right to hold down prices, but when necessary there must be a quicker adjustment in the cost of production and selling.

Instead of perfecting plans for more rationing of scarcities, why not put more emphasis on adopting policies which will produce plenty?

An Unsavory Term

Tokyo radio's reiterated declaration that Japan has not and never will make peace overtures to the United States and Great Britain suggests that Japan not only has invited the friendly service of neutral powers to present peace feelers but is itself feeling out the conditions on which it may surrender.

The more Tokyo says it does not seek peace the more reason to think peace terms are weighing heavily upon

its military mind. They know they cannot win. Outfought at every turn, with their Navy impotent, their air force dwindling, their industrial centers being ground to powder, the outcome of the conflict is obvious even to their fanatical understanding.-The Wilmington News.

reach us?

Recently we have interviewed a num- bout was made by Henry C. him to identify it and return it her in his damaged plane and He averaged 70 bushels of oats

the Cape Fear Bar is a necessity men met each other on Leyte. that was not bad enough, the of mud, killing still more shrimp, caught underneath the load. As a final phrase of destruction the soft mountains of mud on the bottom of the trawling ground is destructive to shrimp trawls. Let a big trawl and its net pass over one of these dumping spots and it is good bye to the net. The leaded bottom of the net cuts right through the mud, filling the net, breaking the tow line and losing the net before the boatman is aware he has become hung GUAR up. The dredging on the bar should be done some other time than June or July.

Pearl Harbor was bombed on December 7th; two island on which the Japanese have recently suffered disasters each have their names spelled with seven letters; this is the 7th month of the year and we are now having the 7th war loan, which comes to an end on Saturday, July 7th. We did not think up all these ourself. Our Friend, Ikey Reynolds of Shallotte, called the matter to our attention.

Over three years ago a begrimed English trawler, which had been engaged in minesweeping duties somewhere off this coast, put in at Southport for a few days. Having been at sea for a long time and their visit here coinciding with the worst days in England, the crew was as much begrimed as the vessel. Having at the time a surplus of pipes and smoking tobacco, which had come ac Christmas presents from sportsmen all over

time being. We are jusa as in the ship had a brandnew Eng- the far away island. Perhaps it is better so. They should some more attention. We hope but only for short periods. Only G. I. knife for us. We did not crops of every description. the Post Office at Southport, N. C., under the be allowed to forget, if they can. For that will be the case. How about this last Sunday it became miss-know it at the time and neither that of Manual and the sunday it became miss-know it at the time and neither that of Manual and the sunday it became miss-know it at the time and neither that of Manual and the sunday it became miss-know it at the time and neither that the sunday it became miss-know it at the time and neither that the sunday it became miss-know it at the time and neither that the sunday it became miss-know it at the time and neither that the sunday it became miss-know it at the time and neither that the sunday it became miss-know it at the time and neither that the sunday it became miss-know it at the sunday it bea your helping us by sending us ing and while we were still enjoy- did his mother or wife, that the conservation program, the three URGES ACTION harvesting time. The best report some well earned rest on the about having been stationed on RETURNS FROM on a crop that we have heard a- sidewalk. It was no trouble for the "Sara" or taking off from 6 YEARS SERVICE

> In these days it is not unusual brother to meet brother in far parts, Recently there was an elaboration of such meetof Mr. and Mrs. R. D. White;



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being forced down by a broken other members of the family arwing at the height of the fire rived to welcome the returned and explosions on the ship. The soldier. for friend to meet friend or for information has since come to us by a roundabout way. Ensign FARM COMMITTEE is now fighting from another flattop and the famed vice. Naturally, we prize the knife

> tack on the "Sara". PARTICIPATED IN BATTLES

From Tage One) air action off northern Okinawa.

Southport fighter during the at-

Thomas was employed by the North Carolina Shipbuilding Co.,

BIG DOCKET UP IN COURT MONDAY (Continued from page one)

tinued to July 16th. Mrs. Sidney Holden, cursing in public place, continued to July

Willie Fullwood, failing to stop at stop sign, \$10.00 and costs. John Small, speeding and no license, \$15.00 and costs. Mrs. George Gregory, Jr., as-

sault, judgment suspended on payment of costs. Bill Thorns, breaking and entering and robbery, bound over

to superior court under bond of \$1000. Charles Ballard. improper brakes, judgment suspended

payment of costs. Luther Stanley, improper brakes, judgment suspended on payment of costs.

STANLEY BROTHERS DOING FINE WORK (Continued From Page One)

There are six of the Stanley prothers, three of the youngest being in the sevice. Two are in France and the third in Texas. The three at home, forming the Stanley brothers combination for farming are H. C., M. C. and L. H. Stanley. They are colored and for hard work, honesty and good farming they are said to be hard to beat.

About 1929 they bought a tract of farming land some four miles out from Shallotte. There they began farming, the tract being divided into three separate farms. All three of the men now have nice painted homes and good outbuildings. Each works his own farm, but they, as well as their families, get together to help each other during any farm work crisis.

The tractor, grain combine and other farm machinery were purchased as a joint enterprise, each of the three brothers paying his share and each using the tractor, comvine and other joint farm machinery, as needed. In addition they ayso use the combine for much work among neighboring

The Rovin' Reporter the country, we took about 30 of the same branch of their relation from Page One) the pipes and a quantity of the specific service. Needless to say ment.

(Continued From Page One) matters beyond our control for the same branch of their relation from Page One) the pipes and a quantity of the same branch of their relation from Page One) it was an interesting occasion when the four got together on the pipes are just to account to the pipes and a quantity of the same branch of their relation from Page One) when the four got together on the pipes are just to account the pipes and a quantity of the same branch of their relation from Page One) when the four got together on the pipes are just to account the pipes and a quantity of the same branch of their relation from Page One) when the pipes are a quantity of the same branch of their relation from Page One) when the pipes are a quantity of the same branch of their relation from Page One) when the pipes are a quantity of the same branch of their relation from Page One) when the pipes are a quantity of the same branch of their relation from Page One) when the pipes are a quantity of the same branch of their relation from Page One) when the pipes are a quantity of the same branch of their relation from Page One) when the pipes are a quantity of the same branch of their relation from Page One) when the pipes are a quantity of the same branch of the pipes are a quantity of the same branch of the pipes are a quantity of the same branch of their relation from Page One) when the pipes are a quantity of the same branch of their relation from Page One) when the pipes are a quantity of the same branch of the pipes are a quantity of the same branch of the pipes are a quantity of the same branch of the pipes are a quantity of the same branch of the pipes are a quantity of the same branch of the pipes are a quantity of the same branch of the pipes are a quantity of the pipes ar ley families. Most of the children and their little three and a hal are large enough to work on the year old son have When he left to begin duty on farms and do work. The Stanley with Mrs. Redwine's parents

> This year, inspired by the soil COUNTY NURSE had left it at some of the places for three hours when the famed for dynamite with which to blow 18th and 20th if there are an where we work, it showed up in flat top Saratoga received her out a 400 yard drainage canal children wishing to be vaccinate

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"Sara" will soon be back in ser- C. O. Bennett, Chmn., G. F. Kirby, Starling H. Hewett and R. that stayed with the young G. Maultsby

SGT. REDWINE HAD 2 HORRIBLE YEARS IN PRISON CAMP

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ing which he was held a prisoner of war, Sgt. Redwine has been in time she will be of age of Wilmington, before entering the service six years. He was the Navy in August, 1943. He overseas three years. He has ATHLETES FOOT GERMS is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ar- 107 points which more than en-107 points which more than entitle him to ask for and receive an honorable discharge, but he is uncertain what course he will reconstruct the second state of the second state of the second se thur H. Thomas of Route 2, title him to ask for and receive follow. He is now at home on a germs far STRENGTH 60 days furlough. Following that he will have two weeks at 35c ba Miami Beach and then 16 days

parents see their family dector and have the vacciantion done so that the children will be well be fore time to enter school

WIFE PLANS TO RETURN TO WAC

(Continued from page 1) then he has been in several dif ferent hospitals and at the present time he is on leave from the Kennedy General Hospital a Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. Bellamy, the former M Magadalene Goff, enlisted in the band entered the Army, After several months of service it was discovered that she was under Including the two years dur- age. She plans to apply for reing which he was held a prisoner enlistment with the WAC in Nov-

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