

### Narrow Escape Saturday A. M. On Highway 74

James Edward Baker Of Wilmington Narrowly Escapes Being Burned To Death When Tanker Hit

James Edward Baker of Wilmington narrowly escaped being burned to death early Saturday morning when his 1942 White truck laden with kerosene was crashed into head-on by a truck said to be owned by the Carolina Chemical company of Wilmington and operated by Spurgeon Strickland of Navassa in Brunswick county but formerly of Whiteville. Strickland escaped with minor injuries.

Baker was possibly saved from death by the quick thinking of a Negro, Jim Mitchell, who saw the accident from a tobacco barn nearby and rushed to the scene where he pulled Baker from the burning tanker. Only Mr. Baker's hair was singed.

The accident occurred one mile east of Hallsboro on Highway 74 at 5:30 o'clock Saturday morning.

According to Sgt. J. R. Pridden of the State Highway Department, the tanker was travelling west when the truck driven by Strickland and headed east cut to the left side of the road and



PFC. John Soule of St. Albans, Vt., will tell you to buy all the War Bonds possible if only to repair physical damage of war. He's been through tough days as a result of a strafing by a Nazi plane in Europe.



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Dean Blatchley, 28, Lebanon, Ore., dropped safely behind enemy lines in Europe but an "88" bowled him over. He came back to tell Americans everywhere to buy War Bonds to rebuild shattered bodies of the lads still fighting Japan.



Pvt. Patrick A. O'Connor, Cleveland, O., recovering in Hawaiian hospital from wounds suffered in action with 11th Airborne Division, says dig deep for War Bonds because the men over there will need the best care doctors can give to the fighters who are being struck by Nip ammunition every day. More money is needed for the ships and supplies to support the millions who will be blasting at Japan for months. O'Connor will tell you how tough it is.

U. S. Treasury Department

### Supervisor For Mullins Market

MULLINS, S. C.—O. Frank Thornton has been named public relations counsel and supervisor of the Mullins tobacco market for this season. J. K. Williams, president of the Mullins tobacco board of trade said.

Mr. Thornton is a native of Mullins, but for the past 15 years has been publishing a newspaper and practicing law at Clover, S. C.

Mr. Thornton will maintain his home and office in Clover, but will be in Mullins for the tobacco season.

Manganese, a material used in small quantities to toughen steel, may be needed in the human diet, so tests with rabbits indicate.

When pasture grasses become tough in summer, "winter butter" is produced unless the cows are put on a good grazing crop like soybeans or kudzu.

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Extension Specialists Suggest Four Major Points In Working For Better Pasture Management

Good management of permanent pastures increases the amount of grazing on a given area of land and increases the protein content of the feed, resulting in larger total gains of beef or milk per acre.

Extension specialists at State College suggest four major points in working for better pasture management. First, the pasture should not be grazed too early in the spring, not until the grasses have made a growth of about 6 to 8 inches and firmly established themselves.

Second, overgrazing of the pas-

tures, especially during long dry periods in summer, reduces the total amount of grazing. Such temporary grazing crops as soybeans, cowpeas, and Sudan grass can be used to bridge over the dry periods when grasses become tough and low in grazing value. Kudzu is another good crop for this period.

Third, keep down weeds by two or three mowings of the pasture during the summer months. Weeds reduce the yields of grasses and compete with them for water during the dry periods.

Fourth, fertilize the pastures so as to stimulate the growth of legumes and grasses and increase the total amount of grazing. When legumes are included in the permanent pasture seeding mixtures, they help to produce more grass.

Permanent pastures and temporary grazing crops, where the animals themselves gather their own feed, are furnishing much cheaper feed than ordinary feed

crops and should be included on even the smallest farm, the Extension specialists say. Two series of temporary grazing crops are needed; one seeded about September 1 for fall and winter grazing crops are needed; one seeded about September 1 for fall and winter grazing, and one for summer grazing, round out the program.

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