Corn Planting

County Agent A. S. Knowles

interested in the corn production program are already busy with their plans. Soil is one of the first considerations points out County listed in the armed service duragent A. S. Knowles and in the ing the month of February, accorn program a good, well drain- cording to a report from Comed soil should be selected and a mander Charles J. Markus of the owner of the business, has segood seed bed prepared.

should be applied per acre. Rows regular army. should be planted sixteen or ply. He voluntered for the Air-

only the N. C. 27 yellow hybrid Advice Given or the Dixie 17 white hybrid.
The N. C. 27 is prefered because it is more weevil resistant. Cultivate it very shallowly one or two times and side dress with 500 Gives Brunswick County pounds of nitrate of soda or Farmers Some Hints On equalivant when the corn is about How To Improve Corn two feet high, advises the County Agent.

Corn planting time is rapidly approaching and farmers who are

Six young Brunswick men encording to a report from Com-mander Charles J. Markus of the Wilmington Recruiting Station. The six split up; three preferr-son of the huge Butler Brothers

Brunswick county lettuce will be ready for marketing before the end of March and it will be the corn meal fed oysters he can

to an inquiry were John D. Frink of Shallotte

tion farmers are cautioned to buy Big Sales Event For Shallotte

Shallotte Trading Company Planning Sale This Week ago. Preparatory To Opening
Of New Store In Near Fu-

Preparing to move some items of their stock into their large Men Enter Army new anex and then remodel the present building, the Shallotte Trading Company is announcing

At planting time 400 to 600 The six split up; three preferr- son of the huge Butler Brothers a good product, according to E. eat. pounds of 6-8-6 or 7-7-7 fertilizers ing the air force and three the store in Baltimore. Mr. Hender- H. Sheppard of Southport and son, an experienced merchandis- Shiloh, N. J. should be laid off three and a Among the six was one Navy er, will give his personal attention

volunteering for the Air Service two large warehouses, one of vince anyone that the experi-In response to an inquiry were John D. Fink of Shahote lotte, Edwin W. Jarrell and his is needed for success. It aboard the Aircraft Carrier U. County Agent Knowles stated yes- and Max T. Edwards of Bolivia.

into a modern hardware store, tune that he did not know and is credited with being the biggest could not play, he would give Franklin D. Roosevelt merchandising organization in the \$1.00 to the fund. Those asking making county. The business has grown for tunes to be played had to steadily since it was purchased by accompany their request with a Mr. Kirby a number of years dollar. When they asked for a

ket Before The End Of out of Jerry's own pocket. This Month

Mr. Sheppard has two acres in half feet apart and the seed veteran, Paul Chestnut of Sup- to all phases of the sales event. the crop this year. He is grow-The Shallotte Trading Company ing it purely as an experiment seventeen inches apart in the borne unassigned. The other two with its large main building and a look at his field will conment is headed for success. It Causey of Shallotte, now serving terday that there are a large The three preferring the re- brother Daniel M. Jarrell, Jr., and list very probable that with the soil aboard the Aircraft Carrier U. and climate along the River Road S. S. Franklin D. Roosevelt number of hybrid varieties of gular army were all from Shal- Walter L. Smith. else in North Carolina.

And at that, about all sections lands are especially favored over the other very near the coast lands. In the first place there is less sand, as the soil is much heavier than that found along ight near the coast. Added to this fact the Cape Fear river contributes toward a regular breeze that prevents frost from settling to any great degree on the River Road area.

It is maintained that along with various other things, very early truck and plant crops can throughout easily be grown Brunswick county. The River Road farms bid fair to become an asset to all sections of the county as they are in an area where experiments and demonstrations will be made. It is inevitable that within a very few years many northern truckers will be attracted to Brunswick by the successful experiments on the River Road.

Letter Recalls **Outstanding Act**

Jerry Ball, Great Friend Of Southport And Brunswick County, Played Spectac-ular Roll In March Of Dimes Campaign

Writing a friend here last week Jerry Ball, special representative of the Esso Standard Oil Company, with headquarters in Charlotte, asked about the fishing. He also took occasion to make some inquiries as to whether they are still feeding oysters on corn meal at Howell's Point. Once or twice each year Jerry shows up at Southport with a fishing trip in mind. Last summer Jerry and W. B. Keziah went to Howell's Point and there Jerry was initiated into the mysteries of feeding corn meal to the oysters, a matter in which he expressed disbelief until he

was shown. Mr. Ball's letter recalls to mind a matter happening early in February and which attracted much attention in the newspapers. The versatile Jerry sparked the Mecklenburg March of Dimes drive, and in the Charlotte papers and elsewhere he was given the credit of turning the tide that resulted in Charlotte and Mecklenburg county putting up over a hundred thousand dollars for the polio fund.

A versatile piano player with wide knowledge of music. Jerry's polio fund raising stunt was to put \$500.00 of his own money on the line to say that if

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Wed., Thurs., 16 -17 "GALLANT LEGION Wm. Elliott - Bruce Cabott

tune that Jerry could not play one of his dollars went into the kitty, along with the dollar of the person asking for the tune.

Twice in one week Jerry sat Is In Prospect at his piano for ten hour stretches each day, playing tune after tune each day, playing tune after tune without a stop. The results were River Road Farm Will Have two thousand dollars for the polio This Crop Ready For Mar- fund, \$50.00 of this being paid

For this stunt when Jerry gets around to Southport again he is

Brunswick Youth Aboard Carrier

Douglas Leo Causey, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. K. L. ed, lettuce and some other crops vers down in the Carribbean Sea can be grown to maturity at least with one hundred and twenty ten days earlier than anywhere other ships including the battleship U. S. S. Missouri.

They have been experimenting of Brunswick can produce truck with the atomic bomb on the crops earlier than elsewhere in island of Vieques. The fleet will the state. The River Road farm return to their home ports the

which has just been converted anybody asked him to play a 21st of March. The U. S. S. cruises up to New York from largest ships that the University The U.S. Franklin D. States and Largest ships that the University The U.S. Franklin D. States and Largest ships that the University The U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the University The U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the University The U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the University The U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the University The U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the University The U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the University The U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the University The U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the University The U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the University The U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the University The U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the University The U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the University The U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the University The U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the U.S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the U.S. S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the U.S. S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the U.S. S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the U.S. S. S. Cruises up to New York from largest ships that the U.S. S. S. Cruises up will be Norfolk. The USS Franklin D. States Navy has today. It is n reserve Roosevelt is one of the three hundred and eighty feet long.

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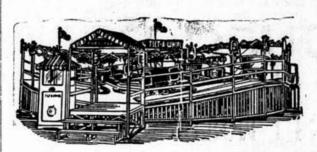
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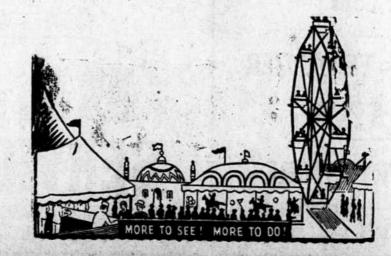
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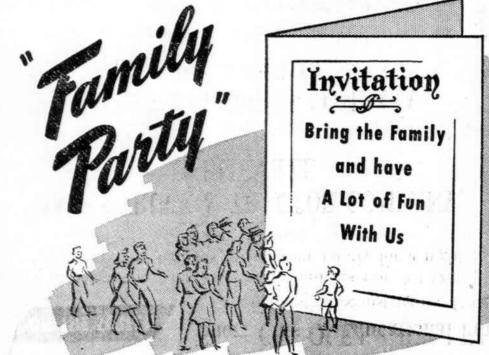
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