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## 14,000,000 ANGELS ARRIVE IN STATE

Fourteen million Christmas Seals arrived in Frank Webster's North Carolina Tuberculosis Association's office in Winston-Salem for distribution over the state. Posters, combination window displays, book marks, Isotype booklets, and bangle pins have been ordered and will be ready for distribution the early part of September.

The Christmas seal for 1939 was designed by Rockwell Kent, the well known artist, author and lecturer. This seal was, as usual, selected by the Seal Sale Advisory Committee of the National Conference of Tuberculosis Secretaries. The only instructions that this committee gave Mr. Kent were that the design should incorporate as its major feature the double-barred red cross, the world-wide symbol of tuberculosis work. The colors used in this seal are red and blue. It has a background, with the red double-barred cross in the upper left hand corner, and the numbers 1939 in white in the upper right corner. The predominating feature of the seal is the face of a modern angel. This shows the face and shoulders in red outline with a halo. In place of the usual corner seals which for several years past have appeared in each sheet, a block of four specials is made the center group in this year's sheet, by contrast, emphasizing the beauty of the regular sheet.

Recently when Mr. Kent was asked why he drew an angel as appears in the seal, he retorted with the question, "Have you even seen an angel?" On being assured that his interrogator never had, he said, "Well, that's my idea of how an angel looks," and it is a thoroughly modern angel, just such an angel as Mr. Kent has been drawing and printing for the past 20 years, long before the World's Fair Art of today was conceived.

The Christmas Seal, as everyone knows, furnishes the money with which volunteer tuberculosis work is carried on throughout the United States, Puerto Rico, Alaska, and the Hawaiian Island by more than 2,000 local and state organizations under the leadership of the National Tuberculosis Association. Largely through their efforts the death rate from tuberculosis has been reduced to less than one-fourth of what it was in 1904 when the organized movement was started.

Without question, the Christmas Seal has played and will continue to play, a major part in the fight to control and eventually eradicate this scourge of all mankind.

## ENVIABLE OPTIMISM

You have to hand it to Henry Ford, 76 years young. When one can retain one's cheer and optimism through all the vicissitudes of this life, and meet the passing milestones apparently enjoying the trip, he is to be envied.

Mr. Ford is enthusiastic about the future and is convinced that there is "nothing seriously wrong with the world excepting to those who seek an easy way to success."

He emphatically does not believe that there is any new world war ahead.

He is making progress in his efforts to bring agriculture and industry into closer relationship and expects to continue that work for many years to come. He is a firm believer in the reincarnation of the soul, is convinc-

# THE POCKETBOOK of KNOWLEDGE



## GRAINS OF SAND

Wrightsville Beach is to have a coast guard station if a bill passed by the House and now before the Senate is passed and signed by the President.

Births in North Carolina during the first half of 1939 exceeded deaths in the state by 21,995. Born were 38,404 new citizens. Deaths totaled 16,409.

The Sandhills bid goodbye to another peach season this week. What there were of the luscious fruit were delicious, but the whole section felt the effect of the curtailed crop this year.

"New England is all burned up. No green grass hardly anywhere. Much better in the South."

So writes E. C. Stevens, Southern Pines commissioner from Chestnut Hill, Mass.

A good looking photograph of the interior of the franjean shop in Southern Pines appears in the current issue of the Carolina Power & Light Company's house organ, Prestige and Profit. Beneath the picture reads: "franjean's interior lighting installation gives another idea of the benefits of proper light in relation to selling."

Two fifty will be the price of all football games in the Duke Stadium this fall. You can see the Blue Devils play Colgate on October 7th, Syracuse on Homecoming Day October 21st, Wake Forest on October 28th, or Carolina on November 18th at this price.

Duke's out of town games will be with Davidson, Pittsburgh, Georgia Tech, V. M. I. and State College.

Listen to this wail from Upper Marlboro, in Maryland, via Associated Press:

Tobacco growers want the chanting auctioneer at the local market replaced by someone they can understand.

"We can't understand that North Carolina fellow," one-leaf grower declared. "Let's send him back home and get somebody who can speak English."

Members of the tobacco marketing committee of the Prince Georges County Farm Bureau who voted un-

animously to demand that the auctioneer be replaced said their tobacco had been sold at prices they would refuse to consider if they were able to understand what was going on between the chattering auctioneer and the buyers.

Death terminated the government grants of 19 North Carolinians 100 years old or more during the fiscal year ending in June, Nathan H. Yelton, State director of public assistance announced this week.

Figures compiled by J. S. Kirk, statistician for the State Board of Charities and Public Welfare, disclosed a total of 4,692 public assistance cases closed during the year with death being the reason assigned to the 1,827 men and 1,511 women marked off the lists.

Oldest of the 19 Tar Heel centenarians to die was Sarah Gudger, Negro woman of Asheville, who received a government grant for the last 16 months of 122 years of life. Majority of those dying were between the ages of 66 and 83, the figures showed.

TOBACCO WAREHOUSES IN FAIRMONT NEED HELP

An urgent demand for tobacco warehouse and redrying plant workers at Fairmont has necessitated the opening of an outpost office there, said State Employment Service officials.

A minimum of 2000 workers will be needed August 3rd. Experienced redrying plant workers will be paid 30 cents an hour. Warehouse employees and inexperienced factory workers will receive 25 cents per hour. Both men and women will be needed.

The outpost office at Fairmont will be managed by C. B. Gilliam of the Employment Service.

Transportation to Fairmont from a wide surrounding territory will be furnished by employers where truck loads of workers are available.

Employment Service officials have suggested that interested workers call at their nearest Employment office for further information or apply directly to the Fairmont office for placement.

NIAGARA

J. P. Turnley visited his daughter, Mrs. Ben Gullledge, near Carthage Sunday.

Herman Seward lost his new tobacco barn filled with his first curing of tobacco last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Frank and daughter Anita of Lumberton visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Frank Monday. Anita stayed for a few days visit with her grandparents.

Mr. Quick and family of Laurinburg have moved into A. C. Woods' cottage.

Carol Covington, who had the misfortune of having his foot broken last week while working in Durham spent several days with his family here.

Mrs. D. S. Ray has gone to Chapel Hill for a visit with relatives.

## Greyhound Lines Sued For Collision with Auto

J. L. Pinkerton Asks \$2,500, Newman Slack \$2,000 For Injuries in Wreck Near Raeford

Two cases have been started in Moore County Superior Court against Atlantic Greyhound Lines and A. F. Miller as a result of an accident which occurred between Raeford and Fayetteville in June of this year.

One is by J. L. Pinkerton, who is asking for \$2,500 damages for injuries which he alleges that he sustained when his car was struck by a bus driven by Miller, and the other is by Newman Slack, who was riding with Pinkerton at the time of the accident. Slack is asking for \$2,000.

They allege that the bus, carrying 26 passengers, was recklessly driven around the car in which they were riding as two other cars were approaching from the opposite direction, and that the driver cut back onto the right side of the highway in front of Pinkerton's car as it was meeting the first approaching car and struck Pinkerton's car, causing both occupants to be painfully injured.

## ANOTHER INCREASE SHOWN BY STATE B. & L. ASS'NS.

For the fourth consecutive month the home loans made by the building, savings and loan associations of North Carolina showed an increase over the preceding month, according to Wheeler Martin of Williamston, president of the North Carolina Building and Loan League.

The June total of \$2,412,000 in loans made by these institutions is the largest amount of monthly loans made by the building, savings and loan associations during the past five years, it was stated by Martin. He said that of this total \$865,000 representing 480 loans was for construction of new homes. A total of 323 homes to the amount of \$577,000 were purchased through the building, savings and loan associations and 218 loans, to the amount of \$407,000 were refinanced through these institutions; while the balance of 532 loans, to the amount of \$383,000, were made for repairs, refinancing, reconditioning of homes and for miscellaneous purposes.

## CONTINUED INCREASE IN REVENUES OF SEABOARD

Total operating revenues for the Seaboard Railway for June amounted to \$3,162,044, an increase of \$383,518 or 13.80 percent over June of 1938, L. R. Powell, Jr., chief executive officer, announces.

Freight revenue amounted to \$2,486,528, an increase of \$242,332 or 10.80 percent over the same month last year. Passenger revenues for June, 1939 was \$385,412 as compared with \$278,765 for June, 1938, an increase of \$106,646, or 33.26 percent, and was higher than that for any corresponding month since 1929.

## MISS McDONALD AT HOME AGENTS MEETING IN RALEIGH

Miss Flora McDonald is attending a meeting of home agents in connection with Farm and Home Week in Raleigh. Miss McDonald is secretary of the agents' organization.

The tax bill of American corporations over a ten-year period exceeded their net earnings by about one-third. The earnings totaled \$20,687,000 as compared with \$29,735,000,000 in taxes.

Postage stamps were not used in the United States until 1847. Prior to that time, postage on mail was paid in cash by either the sender or receiver.

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## A MESSAGE TO NORTH CAROLINA BEER RETAILERS

THE abuses which sometimes are allowed to attach themselves to the beer business are as distasteful to the vast majority of you as they are to us. The activities of this Committee, therefore, are directed toward the elimination of these ills—and we feel strong in the knowledge that our efforts, so far, have been widely supported.

Already the work of the Committee is resulting in court cases against those who mistakenly think they can violate state law and common decency; and this work will be vigorously pressed as the campaign goes on.

Any breach of good business conduct . . . any law infraction . . . on the part of a licensed beer retailer endangers not only himself, but thousands who operate strictly within the law. Thus, it is your duty to look upon your license as a badge of responsibility and to operate your business on a reputable and praiseworthy basis.

See to it, then, that the permanence of YOUR business is not threatened by the handful who refuse to see the value of the above-board way!

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