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It's Getting Serious

Wandering around lo, these many years, with

our eyes closed to work, many of us are waking

up to the fact that we must go to work, that

we must do all in our power to aid the war ef-

fort. It's really getting serious when a situa-

tion presents itself requiring one to go to work.

We have been kidding ourselves about how

hard we have worked for so long a time that

we really believe we have been working. Fact

is, we have been working to keep from work-

It's no use to get personal. All of us, with

some few exceptions are guilty, more or less.

There's the farmer who demanded 25 gallons

of extra gas to look for labor to help him or act-

ually harvest five acres of peanuts. It's a sure

sign of laziness, and according to Farmer Noah

Rogerson of Bear Grass, it is costly and even

foolish. "Two of us are digging and stacking ten

acres of peanuts," the farmer said, explaining

that he could run here and there looking for

labor and end up with a lot of unnecessary ex-

pense when by his own efforts he could handle

the task. It takes real grit to do that, but it's go-

ing to take real grit and more grit before we

With the call to work being sounded often

and loud, it is really disheartening to see so

many who have not yet even learned to walk.

There are many things we haven't learned to

do. But we are going to learn to walk, to work

and do many things we, in our helpless way,

have looked to others to do for us. We just as

well make up our minds that there's a task for

everyone, that in addition to the regular duties

there are other tasks such as gathering in ev-

ery piece of scrap iron, holding a watch at the

observation post, lending a hand at the Red Cross room, helping a friend to save his crop,

boosting the morale among our fellow man and

working for the common cause in every way

possible during every possible minute in the

for them to understand why we idle along here,

enjoying without let up endless pleasures and

a lion's share of the comforts. We must learn

to sacrifice and voluntarily accept sacrifices.

Then we can tell the boys "over there" that we

are back of them, that we, in our humble way,

When men are suffering and dying, it is hard

day.

fight our way out of the mess we are in.

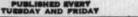
ing, and accomplishing little or nothing.

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"Free Enterprise" And Subsidies

Smithfield Herald.

It is intriguing to hear careless oracles boast about the initiative of American industry, which is given credit by these glib talkers for every development that occurs in practically any field of human endeavor.

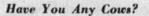
The fact is that there is no worthwhile American industry in existence that does not owe its preeminence and its existence to the favors of a beneficent government which, through legislation, tariffs, subsidies, bonuses and grants has fostered and supported these so-called products of "free enterprise."

The airplane industry is often cited as an example of what "free enterprise" can accomplish in this country, as compared with what governmental operation accomplished in other nations. As a matter of fact, before the war began, the civil operation of airplanes in the United States was possible only because the nation spent vast sums of money to promote the development of aviation.

Moreover, the airlines that were established in the United States, and to foreign countries were liberally subsidized through mail routes. This is amply demonstrated by the recent decision of the Civil Aeronautics Board, which fixed mail routes on Pan-American Pacific routes to the Orient and New Zealand.

Service was begun on a route from San Francisco to Auckland, New Zealand, on July 1, 1940. The rate, just established, gave the company a 7 per cent return on its "investments in operations" for four months. Thereafter, the rate on the New Zealand line and one to China and Singapore was fixed to provide an average net return of 11.7 per cent on a \$7,318,645 investment.

We make no objection whatever as to the establishment of these routes or of the contribution of the government which made them possible. We merely point out that the entire project is a result of government payments, with "free enterprise" doing the operating and the nation footing the bill. Under such a system, "free enterprise" takes no risks, the government makes no profit and "free enterprise" gets the industry that is erected upon the subsidy of the nation



By Guy A. Cardwell.

S. H. Hobbs, Jr., of the editorial board of the University of North Carolina News Letter, says the latest census shows there were 100,000 farms in North Carolina which did not produce a drop of milk in 1939. This means that a half-million farm population consumed no milk unless they bought it, and it is not customary for farmers to purchase fresh milk. Dr. Hobbs also said, "There are few farm areas in America where milk is as scarce as in the eastern part of the state, especially the tobacco and tidewater counties.

While we know that progress has been made during the past two decades in bringing about the placement of milk cows on North Carolina farms, it would appear that Eastern North Carolina is still far behind most other farming areas in having an adequate supply of milk for home consumption. This situation, to which our attention has been drawn by one of our own prominent men and not by some Northern economist, should shock our pride and spur us on in our efforts to increase the cow population in North Carolina's predominantly agricultural counties

It would seem that Dr. Hobbs has done the State a service in studying and reporting on the trends in dairying in North Carolina, for while eastern North Carolina farmers are credited with leading the nation in high-yields of fluecured tobacco per acre, and while this is intensely gratifying, it will not increase the health and wealth of the rural people as would accrue from a substantial spread of cows over the eastern part of the State to provide milk for home consumption and a surplus to supplement tobacco and other cash crops income.



Catching Step ... DR. W. R. BURRELL.

taught is to walk together- they

have to learn the art of catching

world is a big corporation in which

all of us hold stock, but dividends are

paid in proportion to the cooperative

to walk with his fellows in a pro

s largest dividends.

needed.

step.

This is a great attainment. The

CHRISTIAN

Bible school, 9:45 a.m. Morning worship, 11 a. m. Sub-ect, "Religion Without God." Young People's meeting, 7 p. m. ubject, "When Christians Partake subject, f the Lord's Supper."

spirit. The man who learns the art of catching step with the onward going spirit of God; who knows how Evening service, 8 p. m. Subject, Living One Day at a Time." Tuesday, 8 p. m. Choir rehearsal. Wednesday, 8 p. m. Midweek servgressive, optimistic, onward-looking,

ice conducted by Mrs. G. G. Wool-ard and Mrs. John L. Goff. Subject, soul - absorbing, world-redeeming program, is the man who receives "The 'Musts' of Jesus: They Must." Friday, 8 p. m. Senior Philathea Bible Class meets with Mrs. Ralph Men do not like a croaker. Pessimism is pernicious. The pimple-picker is a nuisance. The chronic Parker, with Mrs. Myrtle Brown s joint hostess. fault-finder is a hinderer. The man

Sunday morning at the Christian Church Bible' School will be held who can always see some defect, and find some fault, and make some crit-Rally Day. Many of our young men cism, if he sees nothing else, is an and women have gone to defense obstructor in a world where helpers vork, the army, teaching school and

to school. Their places on the rolls Catching step is idealistic. There must be taken by others. With the s the true pace, and he who catches great program of education advancstep with it has caught the ideal and ed by forty of the leading Protestant sets a model for men in his walk. communions of America, and our lo-cal church and school entered in this Moses caught step with the Infinte and led a nation into the promeffort, we are very desirous that a ised land. Paul caught step with the program of God and rooted Christgreat many old students and new faces may be seen from now on. Let anity in the life of the world. Luus make this a great Rally Day for

All around our war torn world or unday the Christian people wherever possible will gather in a great world communion service. Every

> the 11 o'clock service, "What My Church Means to Me." This will be amesville community are urged to our first service in the associational

year. Let's begin the year right by being present in this service, and helping to make this the best year's

work we have had yet. The public is invited.

First Sale Monday, Oct. 5

At the Roanoke-Dixie Warehouse

Up — Up Go Prices

It may not seem possible but the Old Reliable, under the capable

leadership of Claude Griffin and Jimmy Taylor, is selling tobac-

co higher each day as the season goes on. We except no warehouse

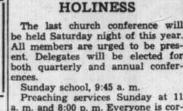
or market when we say we sell tobacco just as high if not higher

than any organization in the Bright Belt. If this statement arouses

a question in your mind just bring us a load next Monday or Fri-

day and we'll show you just what we mean. You'll hit the jackpot

when you sell with us and that applies to every customer on every



Bible school, 9:45 a. m. Lesson top "Faith in Christ as Our Person

Morning worship, 11 a. m. Sermon Training Union, 7 p. m.

Evening worship, 8 p. m. Sermo ubject, "On the Alert."

the church, 8:30 p.m. The pastor will teach a book concerning State Mis-"Kingdom Building in North sions.

Wednesday: Prayer and praise

Church school, 9:45 a. m. This being the first Sunday in the new church school year, let's make a special effort to start the year off ith a good enrollment.

Morning worship and communon, 11 a.m. We will observe World Communion Sunday, and an offer-ing will be taken for Oversea's Relief and for the Chaplains Commit-

Evening worship and sermon, 8:00

The W. S. C. S. will meet at the parsonage Monday, 8 p. m., with Mrs. B. T. Hurley and Mrs. Clyde Maning, joint hostesses

Mid-week prayer service, Wednesday, 8 p. m. Choir rehearsal after prayer meeting.

HOLLY SPRINGS METHODIST

The pastor will fill his regular ap-

ointment at Holly Springs Sunday afternoon at 4 p. m. At this service the doors of the church will be open

or the reception of new members. All the community is cordially in-

CEDAR BRANCH **Regular** services at Cedar Branch



ooperate shall walk in the forward-going paths of progress, speak the uplift-ing words of optimism, and do the constructive deads of low and othe constructive deeds of love and char- Anonymous.

Preaching services Sunday at 11 m. and 8:00 p. m. Everyone is cordially invited. BAPTIST

al Saviour.'

ubject, "The Immortal Sermon."

Monday: All circles will meet

Carolina.

service, 8 p. m.

METHODIST

prayed. This September 24th, 1942. L. B. WYNNE, Clerk Superior Court Martin County. P. H. Bell, Atty for Plaintiff. s25-4t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having this day qualified as ad-ninistrator of the estate of the late William E. Robertson, deceased of Martin County, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the said estate to present them for pay-ment on or before Sept. 21, 1943, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make im-

mediate payment. This September 21, 1942. CHARLIE A. ROBERTSON,

Administrator. Greenville, N. C.

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WILLIAMSTON

Friday; October 2, 1942.

CHURCH OF THE ADVENT

18th Sunday after Trinity Church school, 9:45 a.m. Celebration of the Holy Commun-

ion and sermon, 11 a. m. Sunday be-ing "Family Sunday" it is hoped that a large number of the families will attend the service as a group. The Woman's Auxiliary will meet at 4 p. m. Monday, with Mrs. L. T.

St. Elizabeth's Auxiliary will meet

at 4 p. m. Monday. There will be a meeting of the Ves-

try at the rectory on Tuesday night at 8:00 o'clock.

ST. MARTIN'S, Hamilton

Evening prayer and sermon. It is hoped that the families will attend as a group since this is "Family Sun-

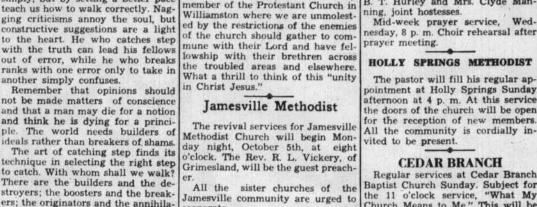
day.

Former Norwegian floating whale actories are now Allied gasoline

tankers.

NOTICE North Carolina. Martin County. Su-

North Carolina. Martin County. Su-perior Court. Vertie M. Taper vs. Johnie Taper. The defendant, Johnie Taper, will take notice that an action, as above entitled, has been instituted in the Superior Court of Martin County, the purpose of which is to procure an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony. Further that the de-fendant will take notice that he is required to be and appear before at the Clerk of Superior Court at his office on or before November 16, 1942, and answer or demur to the complaint which has been filed or the plaintiff will be granted the relief prayed.



ther caught step with the Holy Spir-it and broke the papal power and gave religious freedom to men. God and righteousness The art of catching step is con

structive. Do not tell us our faults simply, but by setting a better pace member of the Protestant Church in

pile and basket.

teach us how to walk correctly. Nagging criticisms annoy the soul, but constructive suggestions are a light to the heart. He who catches step

with the truth can lead his fellows out of error, while he who breaks ranks with one error only to take in another simply confuses. Remember that opinions should not be made matters of conscience and that a man may die for a notion

tors. God is a builder. Shall we not catch step with Him? If we do we

shall

walk in the forward-going

recognize fully their hardships and that it is our desire to accept hardships ourselves that theirs might be lessened. It'll take a lot of twisting and turning and real hard work to prove to them that we are ready and willing to support the fighting men, but we can do it if we get out and work.

A Well-Balanced Program

There has been much said about a balanced economy, including a balanced agriculture, but Frank Graham, president of the University of North Carolina, comes forward with a plea for a balanced program for people themselves. Strange as it may seem, the noted educator says little about education for selfish gain or even for profit. His plea is for a higher ideal, an ideal that will carry profit, yes, and the things we cherish, within itself.

Mr. Graham says:

". . . Universities at all times have the responsibility of preparing for the life and work of their times men and women with robustness and efficiency of body and mind, moral stamina for hard work, regular study, clear thinking, and spiritual resources for personal sacrifices, public service, and heroism for a cause.

"... The present war for the things in which we believe, should search us through and strip us of any physical flabbiness, intellectual laziness, and moral wastes, so that for the sake of ourselves, our country, and our great human heritage, we can do well our individual part in the studies and life of the University, in the defense of freedom, in the advance of democracy, in the reconstruction of broken nations, and in the reorganization of the peace of the world.

"... These desperate human needs, these pur-poses, both small and great, constitute a call to the idealism and heroism of our students and to the youth of our time to make the most of elves, to give the best of themselves . . ."

Salvage; It Takes Work

The Durham Herald.

"Speeches won't do it. Flowery pieces in the paper won't get it. There's only one way to support our munitions industry through scrap collection and that is to put in hours of toil."

That is George Grimes, managing editor of the Omaha World-Herald, speaking. He had a top-flight part in putting across the scrap collection campaign in Nebraska that yielded the extraordinary results of 104 pounds of scrap per capita within a three weeks period.

Hard work does it, Mr. Grimes insists, and adds that collecting iron, steel and other metal scrap is hard work, be the person involved city dweller, farmer or WPA enrollee.

Well, that's the verdict of one who showed how it can be done and also the verdict of many of us who gladly fall in with every conceivable publicity technique and contribute as flowery pieces in the paper as we are capable of.

Only other thing we can think of to add is that the scrap is to be found and there are muscles aplenty to put out the required work. All that remains is to bring the two together and that can and must be done, else we'll have idle blast furnaces, slowed down tank plants, shipyards, gun factories and lots of other stomachturning sights.

Scrap is where you find it and finding and snaking it to depots is as wholesome exercise as playing golf, shouting from football stands, doing the jive and dozens of other popular pastimes that hold no monetary reward but attract swarms of participants.

First Sale Friday, Oct. 9th At the Roanoke-Dixie Warehouse

Sell With Us Any Day

If you can't sell with us Monday or Friday of next week, come to see us Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday. We can get you a sale any day in the week. Due to the rush usually experienced by farmers during the peanut digging and cotton picking season, no blocks are anticipated next week. For the highest and most satisfactory sale of the year, sell with the Roanoke-Dixie Warehouse next week. We guarantee to please you on each basket sold with us.

Claude Griffin — Jimmy Taylor

Roanoke-Dixie Warehouse - Williamston, N. C.