

### On The Tar Heel Front IN WASHINGTON

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Washington.—Curiosity killed a cat, as the old saying goes, and satisfaction brought it back.

On a tour of the great mountain country of Western North Carolina last May, the male member of this writing firm renewed a lot of old friendships and saw some of the Tar Heel scenic sights he loved so well. He also saw farm houses, barns, cows, horses and pigs on mountainsides, and he wondered how the livestock kept their footings on precarious elevations, often with little but space below them.

The other day, we spotted Representative Zebulon Weaver, the veteran Congressman from Asheville, in the House Democratic cloakroom, and put the question to him, how do farm animals keep from falling off the mountains.

"We have a special breed out there," explained Mr. Weaver, as he took a healthy puff on his pipe and smiled broadly. "We grow them with legs, front and back, longer on one side than on the other. In that way, they can round a mountain and never lose their footing."

All joking aside, he contended Haywood and other mountain counties had some of the best cattle in the world, thriving on natural blue grass.

Judge John H. Kerr, Second District Congressman, comes from the flatlands of Eastern Carolina, but he has a warm spot in his heart for the mountains.

"You mean that sweet, succulent blue grass," he exclaimed to Congressman Weaver.

As for the reader, he can take the mountains or the seashore, but

as far as North Carolina is concerned, we'll take it all, seashore, piedmont, sandhills and mountains, collectively the garden spot of the world.

Tar Heel traveling salesmen will be pleased to hear that their many trips to Washington this summer may not have been in vain for the Office of Defense Transportation is expected to decree more liberal gasoline rationing for business people some time after November 15, when nation-wide gasoline rationing is slated to go into effect.

The source for this information is an authoritative North Carolinian who maintains close touch with the entire gasoline and tire rationing situation and who has made several recommendations to the government for a more fair and well-defined system of rationing.

North Carolina traveling salesmen have waged a concerted, bitter fight against present maximum restrictions of 470 miles a month of business driving.

"What about tires, if this restriction is liberalized?" the aforementioned source was asked.

"Recaps for those who can prove their case," he replied. "The ODT will set the policy. OPA will carry it out. Jeffers already has said our automobiles and trucks must be kept rolling or we might lose the war for lack of transportation at home."

If traveling salesmen and other business consumers of gasoline are given a better break, it will be largely at the expense of "A" book holders who are now allotted somewhat less than four gallons a week for any sort of driving.

No more civilians will be granted commissions in the administrative division of the army air corps. Hereafter all such appointments will be made among graduates of

the officers candidate schools.

When you start figuring what you'll have to live on next year, it's a good idea not to count on your entire income. As a matter of fact, it wouldn't be a bad idea to allow about one fourth of it, and then budget from there.

This is the recommendation of our own "Farmer Bob" Doughton, who as chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee, probably knows as much about what our 1942 taxes will be as anyone in these United States. And Mr. Doughton is serious when he says he believes with all taxes considered, including the 5 per cent Victory or withholding tax, the average person will have to turn back 25 per cent of his income to Uncle Sam.

Men with several dependent children will find their income taxes appreciable lower than the single person or the married man with no children. That is how it should be, of course. But when you consider that every person with no dependents who makes as high as \$10 a week will have to pay an income tax, and the higher the income goes, the higher bracket you'll find yourself in, it is understandable that the average of all will be about one-fourth of their income.

Those who are striving hard to keep up with the Joneses had better cut out some of their non-essential luxuries with an eye to the tax they'll have to pay come March, 1943, and start saving now for the big pay-off.

Mr. Doughton summed up the whole thing when he remarked, "The highest taxes in the world are better than being beaten by Hitler."

Members of the North Carolina delegation were almost unanimously in favor of the amendment to

### American Soldiers in Egypt



Steel-helmeted American troops carrying their duffel bags are shown arriving at a desert camp in Egypt. They are members of the reinforcement groups that have been pouring into Egypt from Britain and the U. S. They'll be standing in the way if General Rommel tries to start another pincer movement on the Middle East. This photo was radioed from Cairo to New York. (Central Press)

the anti-inflation bill passed last week to include farm labor in the computation of parity prices for farm commodities.

Representatives Zebulon Weaver, John H. Folger and A. L. Bulwinkle voted against this provision after previously having balloted for an amendment leaving the farm labor reckoning to the President's discretion.

#### DON'T QUIT

When things go wrong, as they sometimes will, When the road you're trudging seems all up hill, When the funds are low and the debts are high, And you want to smile, but you have to sigh, When care is pressing you down a bit, Rest, if you must—but don't quit. —Anon.

Self admiration often indicates there is no accounting for tastes.

### HOSPITAL NEWS

Kelly Wright, of Waynesville, medical case, is resting fairly well.

Mrs. Glenn Parker, of Canton, route 1, operative case, is better.

Mrs. Wilda Guy, of Waynesville, route 1, operative case, is improving.

Billy Moore, of Canton, route 1, operative case, is resting satisfactorily.

Mrs. James Plemmons, of Waynesville, operative case, is better.

The condition of Mrs. Richard Packett, of Cove Creek, medical case, is fairly good.

Pay Warren, of Canton, operative case, is resting fairly well.

Baby Annie McMahan, of Canton, medical case, is fairly comfortable.

Betty McClure, of Waynesville, operative case, is improving.

Miss Madeline Mills, of Waynesville, operative case, is better.

Ransom Sheehan, of Dellwood, operative case, is more comfortable.

Mrs. Harry Stark, of Waynesville, medical case, is improving.

Cecil Collitt, of Canton, operative case, is better.

Conley Trantham, of Clyde, route 1, operative case, is resting more comfortably.

Miss Willa Mae Bramlett, of Cove Creek, medical case, is better.

Mrs. Wade Lewis, of Canton, operative case, is improving.

#### DISCHARGED

Among those discharged from the Haywood County Hospital during the past week were the following: Miss Blanche Mann, Mrs. Harold Massie and baby, Mrs. Joe Mashburn, J. A. Rudolph, Mrs. M. E. Morris, Frank Bolden, Miss

### MARRIAGES

Eugene Moody to Mrs. Mary Allison, both of Waynesville, route 2, a daughter on September 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wood, of Waynesville, announce the birth of a son on September 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Mull, of Waynesville, route 1, announce the birth of a son on September 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sumner, of Canton, announce the birth of a son on September 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Robinson, of Hazelwood, announce the birth of a son on September 27th.

As president of the Union Pacific, William Jeffers keeps rolling, and as U. S. rubber czar he hopes to stop 'em.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Edwards, of Waynesville, announce the birth of

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That certain tract or parcel of land particularly described in a deed bearing date of January 10, 1918, from R. M. Ferguson, et ux, to C. R. Francis, recorded in Book 49, at page 519, Haywood County Registry, and containing 48 1/2 acres, more or less, to which deed and record reference is hereby made for a more particular description.

EXCEPTING, however, from said tract that certain tract containing 7 1/2 acres, more or less, described in deed from C. R. Francis, et ux to Grover C. Noland, dated January —, 1923, and recorded in Book, 59, at page 349, Haywood County Registry, and,

EXCEPTING, therefrom that portion of the tract conveyed by the parties of the first part to S. H. Green et ux, and to Jack Messer by deeds dated August 9, 1938, and recorded in office of Register of Deeds of Haywood County, which lies on the north side of Crabtree Creek, reference being made to said deeds for a more particular description of said exceptions.

Sale made pursuant to power and authority vested in me by that certain deed of trust dated August 15, 1938, executed by Ellen Francis, and recorded in Book 47, at page 163, Haywood County Registry, to which instrument and record reference is hereby made for all the terms and conditions thereof, and pursuant to order and resale this day signed by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Haywood County.

This September 22nd, 1942. A. T. WARD, Trustee.

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