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THURSDAY, MAY 11, 1944 (One Day Nearer Victory)

Seventeen Years Of Service

In December of this year the Haywood County Hospital will mark its seventeenth anniversary.

It has ministered to those who could pay for hospitalization and to those who did not have the money for medical treatment.

The Haywood County Hospital has made history in North Carolina. It was the first hospital in the state to be built by special taxation voted by the people of the county for this specific purpose.

The Haywood County Hospital was the first hospital in the state to receive aid from the hospital section of the Duke Endowment Fund, which was in the process of organization at the time of the proposed construction of the building.

The citizens of Haywood County have been fortunate in the membership of the board of trustees, who have served so faithfully and efficiently. They should and do appreciate the care with which the board has at all times selected the operation personnel of the institution.

It would be hard to estimate the part that the Haywood County Hospital has played in the great crusade of health and in its contribution to the comfort and happiness of the people of this county.

Mother's Day

One can neither think nor approach the day without a wealth of sentiment. A person could write a million words about love, devotion and service.

Mothers of the world today are being tried as never before. Regardless of race or creed, country or continent, mother love stands out as a survival and symbol of righteousness and faith.

Mother is one person who devotes a lifetime to lovable service and lifelong devotion. Wars may change living conditions and boundary lines, but mothers will continue to be the greatest reality of our existence.

Mothers live forever whether they are here on earth or beyond—they are always present to serve. A person is said to be dead only when forgotten. That is way mothers are always with us.

If your mother is here for you to enjoy, serve her well by recognizing her greatness and your own obligations. Make every day of her life Mother's Day. If you think this way, make it a legal holiday for mother by your acts of kindness and consideration.

Count each day a blessed one that is shared with your mother. To those less fortunate, who count on memories for comfort are also blessed. The best part of our characters show us the eternal plant of love which memories of mother keep ever green.

It's all right with us if the weather man decides right now to go crazy with the heat.

And those that live by the sword shall perish by the pensions.—Shreveport Journal.

A Prayer For Victory

We noticed during the week that the churches of Drexel are sponsoring a prayer period daily. The church bells are being rung for five minutes each day at six o'clock.

The story further stated that the custom of ringing the church bells might become county wide in Burke.

The idea is worthy of following, for with the men in our armed forces on duty twenty-four hours of the day, certainly five minutes out of the twenty-four hours should not be too much to ask of those on the home front to concentrate in one mighty prayerful effort.

On the Home Front

The National Safety Council reports that accidents have reduced 350,000 war time workers to industrial 4-F's with permanent disabilities. In addition 102,000 workers have been killed and 9,500,000 injured.

This shows how dangerous life is at all times even in the ranks of the civilian. While many of the accidents were no doubt avoidable, the great majority of them could have been avoided by intelligent action on the part of those killed and injured.

Other figures released by the Council show that 61,000 persons have been killed in traffic accidents since Pearl Harbor and that some 2,100,000 have been injured. When one considers that at that rate there are 2,000 persons killed or hurt on the highways during each month, one is bound to put the blame on carelessness.

Summer Necessities

There is something to stir the enthusiasm of the Victory gardener in announcement by the OPA that the price of snap beans will be a cent a pound more this year and that cucumbers will be raised nearly two cents.

That might be true—provided a person always had the money with which to buy them. Have you ever figured just how many things cost more money now—taxes, clothes, groceries, coal, purses, cigarettes—everything.

And what would summer be without snap beans and cucumbers? Just something on the calendar. The answer plainly is to plant your garden, enjoy the summer and save money.—Charlotte Observer.

Change Of Heart

At their 1940 general conference the Methodist Churches of America voted "not to officially endorse, support or participate in war."

The resolution adopted in part after a long debate said in part: "God Himself has a stake in this struggle."

We repudiate the theory that a state, even though imperfect in itself, must not fight against intolerable wrongs. The church must speak unequivocally regarding the attack upon civilization which has been made by the forces of aggression."

The resolution further pointed out that "We are well within the Christian position when we assert the necessity of the use of military forces to resist an aggression which would overthrow every right which is held sacred by civilized man."

One group wanted to avoid "blessing war" and insisted that the church should not "give moral or spiritual sanction to war."

But after five hours of oratory and 30 speeches the Methodists came out with their decision to officially support war.

Covering a house with a mortgage doesn't stop the leaks.

The scientific name for laziness is ergophobia. We hope this scares a lot of lazy people.

A boy who's the salt of the earth makes the gals thirsty for love.—U. S. Coast Guard Magazine.

A great many women are taking up the law, says a bulletin from an eastern college. And probably an even greater number are laying it down.—The Bay City Times.

THE FISHERMAN OF BERCHTESGADEN



HERE and THERE

By HILDA WAY GWYN

BORROWED TIME... Why is it so fascinating? Last week when the sugar registration was on and the teachers had the job, the closing hour of school was set up...

EVER SO often we happen to visit the post office just after the postmaster has had a grueling day of "cashing" bonds. We want to warn you right now that when he has been so occupied you will find him in a very disgusted mood.

Editor The Mountaineer: I still enjoy your paper very much and I think you are rendering a wonderful service to Haywood county and surrounding territory.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I am, Sincerely, Fred H. Yearout, Johnson City, Tenn.

General - Do you know what these mean? Rookie—Sure, you got two sons in service.

THRIFT I am peace of mind. I am stored-up contentment. I am freedom from worry and fear.

I am common sense applied to living. I am discipline in youth and rest in old age. I contribute to health, efficiency and confidence.

I am the enemy of the "rainy day" dread, the foe of want. I put people in a position to take advantage of their opportunities. I am better than a health resort and more soothing than a needed vacation.

I am a builder of civilization and I sustain and preserve the best interests of a nation. I increase the confidences of young men, and enable them to mount on the ladder of success.

I mean better opportunities for your children and a position of respect in your community. I am insurance against hardship and privation and an incentive to plain thinking.

I help a man lift his head above the crowd and gain a position of self-confidence and self-reliance. I am a better recommendation than a dozen references and a foundation of achievement in business.

I am the beginning of real success, for I put a foundation under air castles and I turn your dreams into realities. I am thrift.

WE HAVE heard the state of being drunk described in many words, but we did not realize how many names could be applied as a writer in the Chicago Tribune was recently credited by Miss Beatrice Cobb in the Morganton

News-Herald. Here they are: "Orey-eyed, barreled, beery, bedewed, befuddled, bibacious, bleary-eyed, blind blotto, boozy, Bunned, Cock-eyed, corned, crapulous, crooked, out, disgrised, drunkie, edged, elevated, exhilarated, fiddled, fished, fogged, fou, frazzled, fresh, fried, frozen, fuddled, full fuzy, glorious, groggy, half shot, het up, high, inoculated, insulated, jagged, jiggered, juggled, light headed, liquored up, lit, loaded, lubricated, lush, maudlin, mellow, merry, muzzy, obfuscated, oiled, ossified, out, overcome, overtaken, petrified, pickled, pin-eyed, pied, piffled, pifficated, pixilated, plastered, plotzed, polutted, potent, pot-valient, primed, saturated, schozzled, sewed up, slopped, snooted, soaked, soured, spoiled, squiffed, squify, stewed, stiff, stormy, stupefied, sway-backed, wet, whittled, whoozy.

"Of course," he added, "I would almost forget inebriated, intemperate and intoxicated."

Can you think of another one, if so, please add it to the above collection... and send it into us.

Letters To The Editor

LIKES PAPER

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MARRIAGES

Nelson Parks to Connie Mae Caldwell, both of Waynesville, R.F.D. No. 2.

A two-star general, returning to camp one evening, couldn't produce his identification. The rookie on guard duty, unimpressed, refused to let him pass through the gates. Finally, the exasperated general bent forward, pointed to the stars on his shoulder, and bellowed:

General - Do you know what these mean? Rookie—Sure, you got two sons in service.

THE OLD HOME TOWN



Inside WASHINGTON

Dixie Demos Seek Barkley For Vice Presidential Post Congress Faces Leg Jam Before July Deal

WASHINGTON—A definite movement now is in full swing among the scenes by certain "deep south" Democrats to replace Hargrove with Senate Majority Leader Alben Barkley as Presidential candidate.

There is little doubt that the Kentucky, facing a stiff re-election in his home state, would consent to be "drafted" as presidential candidate.

Wallace is extremely unpopular in the south. Nomination by southerners to run with the president would mean party leaders there happy.

Not that the solid south is in danger of Republican—for all the traditionally Democratic southern states seem certain to remain in the belt column.

But the border states are in doubt—and among them is Kentucky. Best bet is that Wallace will be named to a diplomatic post in Latin America—likely Mexico or Brazil—to clear the path for a southern nominee.

And Barkley—grown in legislative stature since his break with the New Deal over the tax veto message—appears able to run with the president.

ASIDE from the bill extending expiring price and wage controls nearly all the annual appropriation bills still have to be passed before July 1. Then there is the bill to extend the Land-Loan Act which also expires at midnight, June 30.

The score to date, in three months of the present session, as deadline bills are concerned, is one regular annual appropriation measure passed—the one billion, 240 million-dollar Treasury Office bill.

Still to be passed are Navy and Army supply bills, the Department Offices bill, war agencies appropriations, and the agricultural bill.

The first three months of the session were consumed for the most part in a feud with the administration. The soldiers' vote was the principal issue.

But the explosion over the president's veto message on the bill jolted the administration into an appeasement policy toward Congress, so that one source of friction has been removed.

The Senate probably will take up the Anti-Poll Tax bill next week. Southern senators, in the minority, intend to filibuster to death.

The Price and Wage Control Extension bill still is in the hot stage. Republicans have said they would revive the consumer price control act, so another fight is in prospect.

All this points to a legislative jam—with Republicans wanting to get out of Washington by June 15 for the Republican national convention in Chicago.

DONALD M. NELSON, War Production Board chairman, is on vacation in Florida, with plans virtually completed for transferring his agency to handle reconversion of industry to peacetime pursuits.

It appears that Charles E. Wilson, executive vice chairman of W.P.B., will be running the reconversion committee, but it is understood that Nelson is keeping a few of the strings in his own hands.

The plan calls for strengthening existing industry advisory committees, of which W.P.B. has several hundred, in line with recommendations of the Baruch reconversion report.

Each committee would play an important role in reconverting its own industry. The W.P.B. requirements committee, which divides raw materials among war programs would be abolished as unnecessary.

NOTICE

PROCEEDINGS FOR DISSOLUTION AND CERTIFICATION OF DIRECTORS

HAZELWAYNE COMPANY The location of the principal office in this State is at Waynesville in the County of Haywood.

The name of the agent appointed and in charge thereof upon process against this corporation may be served is E. J. Hyatt.

We, the undersigned, being a majority of the Board of Directors of Hazelwayne Company, do hereby certify that at a meeting of the Board held at the County of Haywood, North Carolina, on the 24th day of April, 1944, said Board by a majority of the whole Board, did adopt the following resolution.

RESOLVED, That in the event of this Board it is dissolved and most for the benefit of Hazelwayne Company, that same should be forthwith dissolved and to that end it is ordered that a meeting of the stockholders of Hazelwayne Company, shall be held at 8 o'clock, p. m., on the 22nd day of May, 1944, at the office of the Company in the County of Waynesville at the law office of Morgan & Ward, to take upon this resolution; and that the Secretary forthwith notice of said meeting and adoption of this resolution, within ten days from this date, by posting the said resolution, with a copy of adoption, in The Waynesville Mountaineer, a newspaper published in the Town of Waynesville for at least four weeks, a week, successively, and by giving a written or printed copy of the same to each and every holder of this Company in the State.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed the corporate seal of this Company, this 24th day of April, 1944.

L. M. Killian, E. J. Hyatt, C. N. Allen, C. M. Dicus.

ATTEST: E. J. Hyatt, Secretary. The stockholders of Hazelwayne Company will take notice of foregoing proceedings for dissolution of said corporation and of meeting of the stockholders to be held May 22, 1944 at 8 o'clock p. m. at the law offices of Morgan & Ward.

This April 24, 1944. E. J. Hyatt, Secretary. 1360—April 27 May 4-11-44

Back The Attack — Buy Bonds And Stamps.