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# Sales for Seventh Week Top Average of Seven Seasons

Prices on the local tobacco market, which have increased daily, set another record for weekly sales on the Farmville market when Thursday's offerings brought the poundage to 1,154,422, receipts to \$423,249.77 and the average to \$36.66, the highest in seven years, according to the report of R. A. Fields, sales supervisor. This despite the inferior grades and green leaf, which have been observed on the floors in large quantities.

The week's totals brought the season's record to 14,092,282 pounds, ish possessions were the principal side over the sessions, which will about twenty per cent above pre-wall receipts to \$4,348,130.91, and the average to \$30.35 per hundred weight.

Supervisor Fields states there is floors for Friday's sale, which is expected to send the season's total enable her to return to Japan. poundage near the 15 million mark.

## Good Attendance At Meeting Series Of Christian Church

Reports have been made of the steady increase in interest and attendance at the series of meetings being held at the Christian Church, of which the Rev. C. B. Mashburn is pastor. Rev. Harold Tyer, of Washington, N. C., is briniging strong and lease-lend appropriation the govern- of Roanoke Rapids. In the afterinspiring messages each evening and ment expects to spend \$51,700,000 noon Cale Burgess, state dry leader, the song service, under the direction for tobacco and \$47,000,000 for cot. M. A. Huggins, secretary of the Bapof Mrs. C. N. Bostic, is spirited and ton, Secretary Wickard disclosed to- tist State Convention, and Dr. Sankey on Henderson, head of the office of beautiful.

The meeting will be continued This would be out of a \$1,375,000,- Wilmington, will be heard. tire community is invited to attend and other commodities and articles" dent program will be presented under the Federal Reserve Board, have apall the remaining services. The vis- in the lease-lend bill approved today the direction of John Lawrence, Bap- peared before the House Banking and iting minister will speak Sunday by the House Appropriations Commorning on the subject, "Discovering mittee. Altogether, the measure assisted by student secretaries from Life's Purpose," and in the evening carries \$5,985,000,000 for lease-lend Eastern Carolina Teachers College, on "The Power of the Good Life."

## OPPOSE LINDBERGH TRIP TO TEXAS

of Representatives recently passed a figures to an appropriations sub- gram. The Farmville choir will sing resolution opposing the contemplated committee recently. His testimony on Tuesday morning. trip of Charles A. Lindbergh to Texas was made public today. where he planned to make several In addition to these two basic

# Institutions Sponsor

In a recent survey of sponsoring institutions in the East Carolina Council, it was discovered that churches sponsored more Packs, Troops and Senior groups than any other institution. Of the 130 units of the East Carolina Council, 52 are sponsored by churches, or 40 per cent. The following churches are sponsoring units: Presbyterian, Methodist, Christian, Church of Christ, Episcopal, Catholic, Baptist and Universal-

Civic Clubs were next in point of service to boyhood through this great movement, with the Rotary Club leading the way. Civic Clubs sponsor a total of 31 units. These clubs include: Retary, Kiwanis, American Legion, Civitan, Lions, Woman's cotton bags which once contained ed are Nash, Edgecombe, Wilson, Clubs, Ruritan. Sixteen Parent- fertilizer, flour or feed; cotton plow Balifax, Pitt, Martin, Beaufort and Lease Coordinator, was raported to take when they fit a school to the Teacher Associations sponsor Troops; rope, worn and discarded—these and Washington. thirteen schools, both elementary and other cottons easily available to any high schools, spensor Troops. Other farm household are being converted PRIZES OFFERED institutions doing their bit for youth into efficient and useful articles in at present are: Salvation Army, underprivileged homes in more than Masonic Lodges, Fire Departments, half the counties in Mississipple Manufacturing Mills, Orphanages, The transformation of these com-Training Schools, groups of citizens, monplace cottons into wearing ap- Carolina tobacco growers are going propriation made public today dis- tesing of horses and mules will be and one town.

of obtaining institutional support; we part of the work of What James P. Bullock of the obtaining institutional support; would sail to vituraday and Friday of Pair Week the Council realizes that there are House esping Aides project. hundreds of churches and civic clubs. Set up to provide jobs for and others who could spons a Troops ployed and needy women, the project or Packs if given an opportunity. The last the effect of teaching many

tional men on the Executive Staff

# OIL EMBARGO

Washington, Oct. 8.-The United States, Great Britain and the refus government of The Netherlands, it was learned authoritatively today have agreed to stop all oil ships to Japan.

Whatever oil Japan may be getting responsible officials said, is coming from places other than the territories controlled by the three governments. The agreement was made shortly after the three governments on July 26 froze all Japanese assets in their in Farmville, on October 14-15. Rev. agreement as to the proper remedy.

territories. Before that, the United States, the church Dutch East Indies and various Britsources for oil for Japan.

ed States for Japan since July 26 was the afternoon of October 15. A only for the past several months. plenty of space on local warehouse \$25,000 worth allotted to the Japan- night session will be held on Tuesday. While the cost of living is up about ese passenger liner Tatuta Maru to A highlight of the program this neven per cent, the increase has been

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# Lend-Lease Bill To Aid Cotton and Tobacco

through Sunday evening and the en- 000 item for "agricultural, industrial,

\$7,000,000,000 appropriated for that program will embrace work of the purpose, virtually all of which has Baptist Training Union, the Baptist been spent or obligated, \$47,400,000 Student Union and the Christian Eduwas used for tobacco and \$50,150,000 cation unit of the Baptist church. for cotton.

crops, principally produced in southern states, Wickard pointed out the Enfield, Mrs. E. B. Beasley of Foun-South also would furnish naval stores, some rice, soybeans, and citrus of the Baptist Hospital at Winston-Boy Scout Troops products for shipment to Great Brit- Salem, and Dr. I. G. Greer, superin- Russia.

# Used Cotton Bags Be-Rope Turns Into Mor

commonplace in many rural homes

used in making pillows, mat-1 stuffed furniture, pads and

Nearly 1,000 Represent-Attend

tend the organization's 34th annual mands positive action by the Gov-B. B. Fordham is pastor of the host

year, in addition to the speakers, will be the special music, the moderator said. Excellent choirs will come from Scotland Neck and the host

ficers will occupy the first part of production costs. The process will a backdrop of widespread controver clude R. H. Satterfield of the Biblipastor of the First Baptist church of ian consumption. Washington, Oct. 8.-Of the new Rocky Mount, and Rev. G. L. Price L. Blanton, Baptist pastor from Price Administration, Henry Morgen-

tist student secretary, who will be Cur Wake Forest College, Meredith Col-There will be no services on Sat- Wickard said that of the original lege and N. C. State Gollege. The The Scotland Neck choir will be Austin, Texas.—The Texas House The secretary submitted these heard that night in a 20-minute pro-

Speakers for Wednesday morning will include Rev. F. W. Haney of tain, Smith Hagaman, superintendent tendent of Mills Home at Thomas-

There will be reports from the vari- ments. sion also on Wednesday afternoon.

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Raleigh, Oct. 9 -- Forty-eight North they received last year.

The Council is placing two add, the way to better their living could. Pair to be held at Raleigh October world." done without cash expenditures. 14 through 18. Old belt types, new Although Land said that 25, per ment of Agriculture, will be in the in preparation of loods, care of the some in for a share of the \$25,000 in "now in the Davy Jones' locker," he home and personal hydene, premiums offered for agriculture itation, care of children and how and educational displays at the 1941 and a useful konschold extidist emposition. Marriy, 100,000 Equary Ships in 1942 and 1948; and there termining the winner, will be used. commodities available in the fee of exhibit space will be devoted is no record of continuous losses

> o total chome of the his solion Title 100 Scotter The Richard STOATE A GNAW WEBSIND BENEFIT TO STORE



By HUGO S. SIMS (Washington Correspondent

THE PARTON APPROACHES PRICE-CONNTROL LAW FOUR EXPERT VIEWS

Rising retail prices throughout the country explains the sudden impera Nearly 1,000 representatives of tive demand for congressional action the 71 Baptist churches in the Roa- upon the price control. There is gennoke Association are expected to at eral agreement that the situation desions at the new Baptist church ernment although there is wide dis-

Wholesale prices have risen stead-Moderator John T. Coley will pre- lily since June, 1940, and are now open on Tuesday morning, October levels. Retail prices, however, have The only oil that has left the Unit- 14, and will be brought to a close on shown increases to a marked degree emphasized in the cost of food.

> If the cost of living continues to increase, there will inevitable arise renewed demands for increased wag-Organization and selections of of- es, which in turn will mean higher the program on Tuesday morning, continue throughout the entire price Mr. Coley said, while speakers to be structure. The threat of serious inheard at the morning session will in- flation is accentuated by heavy Government spending for defense and the cal Recorder, Dr. J. W. Kincheloe, looming shortage of goods for civil-

Recently, Bernard M. Baruch, financier and chairman of the War Industries Board in the last war, Lethau, Jr., Secretary of the Treasury, On Tuesday night a special stu- and Marriner S. Eccles, chairman of rency Committee, which is now (Continued on page six)

# Agamsi Nazis would be unleashed might of Hitler."

Roanoke Rapids, Rev. Ross Cadle of multiplied today that Britain is win- streams of machines that were and reminded the Turkish government ning the upper hand in the vital are being thrown against every dem- that as one of the nations whose de-"Battle of the Atlantic while Adolf ocratic country in Europe. We are femse is necessary to the defense of ing more than 500 tanks destroyed Hitler concentrates upon the war in in the last minute of our opportunity United States interests, Turkey could

measures have been taken against report recommending passage of the In the afternoon speakers will in- the German, submarines and air bill, asserted that Russia has offered, clude Rev. M. M. Johnson of Bethel, planes thwart the Atlantic supply surprising and heroic resistance to Mrs. R. L. Councilman, wife of the routes between the United States Axis conquest" and urgently opposed Baptist church at Dortches, and Dr. and the British Isles, but the result adoption of any amendments which George Heaton of Lynchburg, Va. is apparent from recent develop- would restrict aid to the Soviet.

Minister of food, told the House of eral George C. Marshall, Army Chief More than 16,000 members are Lords in London today in so many of Staff, who urged during secret enrolled in the 71 churches of the words that "we have been getting hearings on the bill that every pos-Roanoke Association, which embraces the better of the enemy in the At- sible assistance be made available to Baptist work in eight counties. It lentic a task in which we are now keep the ked Army in the battle. is the largest association, from the receiving most valuable American Testimony of Marshall and other come Curtains: Plow standpoint of area, and next to the aid." This was demonstrated, he high officials was revealed in cenlargest from the standpoint of mem- said, by the fact that the British new sored transcripts made public by the bership, in the state, Moderator hold reserves of bulky commodities committee as a corollary to its re-Coley said. Mr. Coley will preside such as wheat and sugar which make port.

Cotton lint straight from the gin; over the session. Counties represent the heavies demands on shipping. Likewise, Harry L. Hopkins, Lendhave told the conference of Congress opinions of their students. sional leaders at the White Hous considering revision of the Neutrali- DAIR WILL OFFICE ty Act that on the whole supplie from this country now were reaching Britain safely. And hearings on the lend-lease ap-

Test Parm at Oxford, amounced to block delivery of lend-lease supplies will be horse-and-mule pulling conthey that it individual gramiums will unless sinkings were increased to a test days with a total or \$800 being a swarded in the "Topicco Growers" point "greater than they have ever offered for price winners. Contest, department of the State been before in the history of the Paul L. Fletcher, livestock

# I miniment

Washington, Oct. 8.—House debate land-lease hill began today with contier the comber pilots we Chairman Clarence Cannon, D., Mo., credited with sending one of of the appropriations committee newest type of Messerschmitt 109's warning of the vital need for speedy down in flames and damaging another action occasioned by an emminent so badly that it probably never reach-

are in the last minute of our opportunity to help." Some thought he referred to the current Nazi all-out indicate the source of his information, but as head of the committee he has access to confidential War and Navy Department information.

The huge appropriation, bearing the 26 to 5 approval of Cannon's committee, came before the House against sy over possible use of the funds to aid embattled Russia. Behind the controversy is the explosive issue of religious freedom in the Soviet.

In that connection, Myron C. Taylor, President Roosevelt's special emissary who has just returned from of his objectives of his recent talks matic sources said today." with Pope Pius XII repartedly has been to sound out the possibility of to begin immediately delivery of a reapproachment between Russia and about \$15,000,900 worth of military The Vatican.

Passage Assured The passage of the giant appropri-The G. O. P. move was expected to lomats. fail.

turn in the war is emminent. We and Washington. Washington, Oct. 8.—Indications must equal and surpass the vast MacMurray was reported to have to help."

Secrecy shrouds whatever naval The appropriations committee, in a Its strong recommendations in this

ous committees and a business ses- In fact, Lord Woolton, British respect reflected testimony from Gen-

Educational experts make a mis-

Raleigh, Oct. 9 .- Champion pull pared and household articles not so to get more money for their less than closed that Chairman Emory S. Land crowned at the 1941 State Pair , at of the Maritime Commission had tes- Raleigh, October 14 through 18.

20th through rates on British and Ather cargoes chess game .

# UNSCATEFUL

Cairo, Oct. S .- South African pilot flying American-made Glenn Martin Din Time in Domber were a Porcel Solar to have Save Vituralin the War Care of the aner in time by the newest German fighters in the first contest of the two types of

In a 10-minute engagement over Capuzzo, on the Libyan-Egyptian

Cannon did not say what the turn | The South Africans were returning might be, but he asserted that we from a raid when the German tight ers attacked.

## Germany Would Get Most of Chromium mighty Nazi columns in much more **After 1942**

Ankara, Turkey, Oct. 8.-A German diplomatic offensive aimed at breaking the British-American hold on Turkey's chromium supply has resulted in virtual agreement on a The Vatican, lunched with the Chief deal whereby Germany will get at Executive today. He spent an hour least half of Turkey's export of this was raging about Melitopol, on the with the President last night. One war-vital product after 1942, diplo-In return, Germany has promised

equipment to Turkey, these sources Reports that an agreement to this

effect was about to be sign cans will make an attempt to slash haps today, produced a flurry of \$300,000,000 from the fund proposed activity yesterday on the parts of crisis was at hand. for food and industrial commodities, both British and United States dip-

"clouds of sirplanes, acres of tanks American ambassadors, hastened to and an avalanche of munitions" the Turkish foreign office where they forces were slowly extending their would be unleashed to "crush the were said to have warned that such a move by Turkey would cause the "Time is short," he asserted. "A worst possible reaction in London

rely upon American aid under the lease-lend act.

# Vay: Vare Vove Post Nationales sible: May Be Sliced by charging heedlessly with flaming One-Fourth

products bringing the highest prices have been smashed by Soviet artil since 1930 and still advancing, Agri- lery fire and Soviet hombers alone culture Department officials said to- with uncounted armored cars, trucks day that the administration should be and troop transports. in a position to make a sizeable cut. Russian engineering companie

Indications were that the cut might exceed \$200,000,000, or more than tank traps. one-fourth of the cost of the present. Before them division upon division

percent higher than a year ago. De-smash back the lengthening projec partment, economists, predict, further tion from the Nazi line. advances this winter and next spring. In one sector a Russian intann prospects for the largest food the repulsing a Naci stinck and indicamand in history, the department fore- ing heavy losses, a Russian cor east that farm income may approach munique said.

2212,000,000 for parity payments. The tone of crisis was strong an

Russians Admit Withdrawal from Orel, Important Rail Town; Nazi Pressure in Sea of Azov Region Also Serious: Nazi Claim Success

Moscow, Oct. 8,-The Soviet armies below Moscow withdrew today from the important railway town of Orcl after furious fighting, the Red army high command announced tonight in a terse confession of mighty German pressure on two central sectors and just above the Sea of Azov, on the extreme south.

Orel, on the Moscow-Kharkov-Rostov railway, some 220 miles south of Moscow and 68 miles east of Bryansk, was squarely in the path of the southern arm of a week-long German enveloping movement intended to trap and destroy the Russian armies defending the Soviet capital. Its fall put the second of two menacing positions below the capital, while to the west the other supreme thrust was operating from the vicinity of Vyazma, only 125 miles short of Moscow.

In the far south German advances were acknowledged by the Soviet command's admission that fighting Rostov on the River Don and to the Caucasus beyond. (The Germans already had claimed to be well beyond Melitopol with the seizure of the Azov ports of Ossipenko and Mariup-

Hour of Crisis But it was on the Moscow ap-

There, in the greatest mechanized battle ever fought, the central Rus-Sir Hugh Knatchbull-Hugessen and sian armies beat back desperately Cannon urged quick action so that J. V. A. MacMurray, the British and at a series of mighty concentric

In a terrible chaos on two ill-defined and shifting fronts, German advances were acknowledged here and there. But they were achieved, said Soviet military dispatches, at immenue cost, to the invaders-includbodies of armored troops and infantry and fresh squadrons of divebombers for the supreme test of the war in the East.

No Break-Through No major break-through, said the Russians, had been achieved.

Marshal Semeon Timoshenko, the defender of this capital against supreme Nazi thrusts operating from the vicinities of Vyama, about 125 miles to the west, and Bryansk, about 220 miles to the southwest, appeared to be fighting now to hold, if pos-Price of Products sible, but, at all costs, to destroy the

A single Red infantry division bottles of gasoline was credited with exploding more than 300 German Washington, Oct. 8.—With farm sanks; hundreds more were said to

in its budget for 1942 crop pay sweating under unending German fire, broke the bitter terrain with hundreds of miles of trenches and of other Red combat troops counte

Agricultural prices are nearly to attacked coaselessly in efforts to

An income of this size would be his activity was not so extensive the largest since 1920 and \$2,000, the communique intimated, listing 20,000 above the estimate for this only cen. German planes downed on

000,000 for farm benefit payments In the south however, it credit for 1900 crops, including \$800,000 000 Russian bombers in one day with de-ter conversation with oil conserva stroying 81 German tanks, 180 trucks tion programs, \$48,000,000 For to laden with ammunition, four cannons, operation with the sugar projection four fuel tanks and many motorcy-

One Examination and a second or children and organization amounced B. Excelsi Portugal and Chiralest, ordered was the higgest monty gate? Telery, Sr., General Chairman, of zervey by the American Mayine In. 4. What is the proper and of the to drop parity payments for this for British section in the west room.

decarded plea the of the control of

For the point of t bringing parity or more and conse- mon for of manking the Hitter Fas-

> prices, these grain erons would see you have eve in this of soll-land eligible for parity payments. Rick, or from the hattleships that maine