

U.N. Facts and Faces SIAM



The Kingdom of Siam, which reaches from Burma and French Indo-China far south on the Malay Peninsula, has a history that reaches back to the sixth century when the ancestors of the people who now inhabit the land came there from the north. One of the most lightly populated areas of southeast Asia, Siam has 18,200,000 people who live on more than 200,000 square miles. Agriculture is the main occupation of Siam, which each year exports huge lots of rice. Other important products are teak, from areas of dense tropical forests, and tin and rubber. Siam's Representative to the United Nations is Prince Wan Waithayakon. Her flag has two red, two white and a blue horizontal stripe.



CONTRIBUTES — Policeman Jock Young buys a flag for Life-Boat Service Appeal from Patricia Roc in London.



KASHMIR CELEBRATION — The Women's Defense Corps in Kashmir stands by for parade held during freedom week celebrations in Srinagar. The women, young and old, train with rifles to be ready to protect their homeland.



MILK FOR AN ADDAX — Helen Martin feeds a week-old addax, first of its kind to be born in the Bronx, N. Y. zoo. An addax comes from Africa and has twisted horns. The only other addax in the U.S. is in a zoo at Chicago.

Service Club to Meet At Taylor Community Hall

Members of the Carteret County Service club will meet Wednesday night, July 14, at 7:30 in the Taylor Community hall, Harlowe. It was decided Thursday night at the meeting at the home of Miss Bernice Tallman, Beaufort R.F.D. Those who attended Thursday's meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Taylor, Miss Eleanor Taylor, Miss Betty Thomas Ward, Bill Motes, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Campen, Mrs. Blanche Springle, Mrs. Lloyd Gillikin, Mrs. Hester Guthrie, R. M. Williams.

Mrs. Pearl Olund, Philip Taylor, Mr. Cummins, and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Tallman.

The hostess served sherbet punch, cake, mints, and hard candy. The guests fished paper hats out of a fish pond and danced the Virginia reel to music furnished on electric guitars by Mr. Taylor and Mr. Cummins.

Pitcairn Island's Teacher Has Trouble Moving School

AUCKLAND, New Zealand — (AP) — Pitcairn Island's first school teacher is having a headache getting his prefabricated schoolhouse to the island. Meanwhile descendants of the Bounty who waited 150 years will just have to be patient. New Zealander A. W. Moverley, under contract to the British Colonial Service, left New Zealand in March for Pitcairn, via Suva, Fiji, to set up the first school for the islanders. With him went his wife and daughter.

They are still in Fiji. He wrote a friend in Auckland: "The overhauling of the ship is causing delay. The loading of the buildings, furniture and equipment will take time. Then we have 3000 miles of difficult navigation, followed by the headache of landing everything on a dangerous beach, lifting it up a 300 ft. cliff, and finding a school site where the grade will not exceed one in six on this precipitous island."

Moverley has three Indian builders from Fiji with him and labor for building the school will be found on Pitcairn. The work is expected to occupy several months once the site is found.

Lemuel Mason Makes 'Penny' Tax Payment

Lemuel Mason, who owns and operates a repair shop on Cedar street, Beaufort, paid William Hartsell, town clerk, 1,780 pennies recently.

That's the way Mr. Mason makes tax-paying easy. He doesn't miss parting with the money when he saves it gradually that way all year, he says.

Beaufort tax notices, for the first time in many years, were promptly this month and already \$5,000 has been collected. There is a 2 per cent discount if they are paid by July 1.

Bid Accepted

The Maritime commission and Army engineers have accepted a Norfolk dredging company bid of \$29,784 to dredge a waterway connecting Pamlico Sound and Beaufort, for dredging Silver Lake harbor and Rollinson channel. Government estimate for the job was \$27,009.21.

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POST TIME First Race 8:15 P.M.

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LEGALIZED PARI-MUTUEL RULES

Every Member Of The Public Is Cordially Invited To Attend The

SCHOOLING RACES

FREE of CHARGE

On The Evenings Of June 25-26-28 and 29

NO BETS WILL BE ACCEPTED

On and After June 30th Minors Will Not Be Admitted To The Track

Whether Accompanied Or Unaccompanied By Parents Or Guardians.