Washington Snapshots

"Cont'd from front page) mail and Britain to show that free man always put up a harder fight der ideals than they do for a dicta

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Sugardless of what kind of gov monment finally, is . selected, the na That's welfare for years to come will depend upon its ability to produce und compete. No matter what they night think about partisan politics senariy 100 percent of those in Wash ington who think at all have that opinion.

The question now about to be de rided therefore is how the nation tas produce the most and best.

The feeling is strong in some pla tes that the answer is to turn ev mything over to the government. So far, advocates of this idea seem to be in a numerical minority, but they do make the most noise.

This minority urges, for example that the federal government force people to do certain things and, fail usg, that, that is do those things itself. That is exactly the philosophy which has been followed in the dicmorship nations.

Pleaders for this idea are all tied ap in knots over the conscription bill. They say that since the nation may have to conscript man-power through a selective service plan it should conscript savings aiso Prealth." they call it) and indus-Ser.

That sounds fine. Translated inte plain language, however, it means that everyman and woman who waxs anything not only would be re saired to pay ordinary taxes, which siready have been increased, but to contribute to the government a per sentage of whatever they own. It also means that the millions of peopie who have bought insurance or insurance or put money into savings screants, and whose money has Seen invested in industry, would fied their savings taken over by the an ernment."

er totalitarianism or whatnot,



amounts to the same thing: every thing that everybody had would be controlled by the government. ------

What the would-be conscriptors of wealth and industry overlook is that there already are selective service laws which make money verve the nation. The income tax is one. It se lects the incomes of those who have the incomes and makes their money serve to the extent that it is able. The pending excess profits tax

bill is another dollar selective ser- experience in the grocery business. vice plan. It would select dollars which get into certain hands and and a start and a second to an and

serve. It is not, however, jhst a bill to tax war profits, for it would even take dollars produced by normal peace time efforts and make them serve too-the same dollars which already are having to serve through ordinary income taxes.

So far as industry is concerned, h already is serving. And there is in existence a law under which industry, if it held back on yovernment national defense work, could be forc Unless Americans learn all thess

Central Methodist Church Monday officers of the new society, and the the election of an alternate delesociety, succeeding Mrs. W. A. Wil

THE KINGS MOUNTAIN HERALD

Mr. Frank Stroupe, who is a na-

agership of the Home Stores, suc- Announced

oleasing personality. He extends a tonia. Friday afternoon, Sept,

tive of Gastonia, arrived in Kings

Mountain last week to assume man-

ceeding Mr. J. W. Milam who re-

signed to accept a position | with

Plonk Brothers and Company. Mr.

Stronpe was transferred from the

Forest City Store. The new mana-

ger, about six months ago was con-

nected with the Homes, Stores on

Mr. Stroupe has had considerable

on Mountain Street, for good eats

Local Pastor Will Be Dean

Rev. H. C. Sprinkle, Jr., will be

Dean of the Epworth Training Con-

ference to be held in Central Metho-

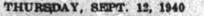
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team faces as hard a schedule _____

asy team its size in the state. Nine

which is not a conference game.

sistant A. E. Smart, bave had the

boys hard at work for the past sev-

eral weeks, and the team is now

High Football

Schedule

territory.

Local Fishermen Make Good Catch

Mr. and Mrs. George Lattimore and son, George, Jr., have returned from a fishing trip to Morehead City where they really caught the fish. The party fished only four hours and caught over 100 fine spec The 1940 Mountaineer Football imen. To prove to doubting fishermen of Kings Monhfalli, "that" the "big ones' did not get away the Latgames will be played by the local timores brought home a copy of the pig skin carriers, with five games "Twin City Daily Times' with a at home and four games on foreign front page article telling of the big catch.

For the first game the locals will Since the Lattimores' return, sev-He is a young business man of meet the big Gastonia team in Gaseral local fishermen, are juest itching to take off for the seaport, city to try their luck, so if P. D. Hernwhit mention to the nodsuwives last year when these two met, the or Kings Mountain to visit his store locals held the visitors to a lone don, Grady King, Byron Keeter; score, which ended 7 to 0. This is Mayor J. B. Thomasson or Haywood E. Lynch is hard to find for the the only game on the schedule. next few days a good place to try and locate them would be Morehead Coach Cline Farthing, and his as-

City. The item from the Morehead City paper follows: KINGS MOUNTAIN PARTY HAVE

beginning to take shape. Pro'spect tor a winning team this year is good GOOD DAY FISHING as smiling Coach Rarthing had 10 "Mr. and Mrs. George Lattimore and son, George Lattimore, Jr., of



Kings Mountain, and Mrs. Lattimore's brother of Raleigh, are reported as having had a fine day Thursday fishing near Cape Lookout The four are said to have caught 100 mackerel, blue fish, and bonitas. The trip was made aboard the "Squeaky,' owned and piloted by Capt. George Lewis."

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