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**AGGRESSIVE CAMPAIGN
SEEN BY J. S. DUNCAN**

(Greensboro Daily News)
"The Republican party in North Carolina is preparing to wage an aggressive campaign in the next election," said Republican State Chairman James S. Duncan yesterday, "and to present to the people a leadership and a program that will offer them relief from the present deplorable and intolerable conditions. In North Carolina even the Democrats, groaning under the burden of confiscatory taxation, do not regard their leaders as endowed with the flawless wisdom which they at present attribute to the national administration."

The state chairman was moved to public statement as he ruminated on his visit to Washington last week. While he is not unminded of the complexity of problems requiring attention in the national capital, he also is quite aware of the difficult situation prevailing here in North Carolina and of "the urgent need of remedial measures" in this state.

While in Washington, Chairman Duncan called at Republican national headquarters. "It is perfectly apparent that the 1934 campaign in this country is going to be a momentous one, a campaign fraught with tremendous possibilities," he observed.

Mr. Duncan is convinced that the generally prevailing Republican position is "that President Roosevelt should be given a free and unfettered hand in his efforts to solve the problems of this depression and that every American citizen should give the President loyal support in this stressful time. Every person should place the national welfare above excessively partisan considerations."

"However, clouds are appearing on the Democratic horizon and many Democratic chieftains are unsheathing their swords, Smith being a noteworthy example. If intra-party strife is to be assiduously waged in the Democracy, then the necessity of this country turning to the Republican party for deliverance from economic woe will be all the more readily recognized."

"Congress will meet next January and the President and the nation then will need a partiotic body of sound thinkers. The indebtedness of the United States increased about four million dollars during the month of November, making our total indebtedness now in excess of 23 billion dollars. Eventually someone in Congress must devise methods of coping with this immense debt. The Republicans are prepared to render every possible public service in a time of such vast need."

YOU OWE \$2,000

You, the average citizen, are in debt \$2,000. So is your wife. So are each of your children and all other relatives. So is everyone else in the country.

A part of this debt you know about. You contracted it as a personal obligation. It's entirely your responsibility. But another—and larger part—was contracted for you. The chances are that you don't even realize you owe it—no one is dunning you for payment, and you aren't so much as paying the interest directly.

This latter is the public debt, which composes a substantial proportion of a total national debt in excess of \$200,000,000,000. It's been growing at an accelerated rate during and since the war. You've permitted it to grow. You and your fellow citizens weren't sufficiently interested in government to work for policies standing for economy and efficiency. Or you voted for measures that increased the debt because it was easy to do, and didn't seem to affect you financially at all.

As a result we are paying one of the highest tax rates in history. Millions of our dollars go yearly to meet the interest on debt we permitted government to contract for us. Billions will be required to retire the public bonds we gave our debtors in exchange for their money. And every business, every individual, feels the burden.

Do your part, as a voter and taxpayer, to reduce the national debt, by opposing projects which would increase it.

Tanning hides at home will supply durable leather which may be used for all ordinary purposes and the methods of tanning are clearly explained in a recent extension circular prepared by the animal husbandry department at State College.

**Organizing Production
Credit Associations**

S. M. Garwood, Production Credit Commissioner, Farm Credit Administration, announced today (December 5) that the Production Credit Corporation of Columbia, S. C., is organizing production credit associations in most instances to cover two or more counties, rather than one for each county.

This is being done, he explained, not only to expedite organization, but to provide a volume of business sufficient to permit associations to operate efficiently, and to make them accessible to farmers seeking loans for financing crop and live stock production for the 1934 season, in all parts of the Columbia district. Preparations for the new season in this district, consisting of North and South Carolina, Georgia and Florida, commence in some areas as early as January, Mr. Garwood pointed out.

The Corporation allocated to each county a portion of its \$7,500,000 capital available for purchasing preferred stock of associations. The share of each county is the percentage of the \$7,500,000 which the value of the crop and livestock of the county bears to the value of the total crop and livestock of the district.

The fear has been expressed in the Columbia district, Mr. Garwood said, that where an association is organized to cover more than one county, the county in which the association did not locate its office would lose its allocation. This is not the case, he stated, as ample capital will be furnished every county for production credit regardless of the location of the association serving the county.

There is no rule that a fixed number of counties shall comprise the original territory of a production credit association, he pointed out. In some cases two counties will make up the original boundary of an association, in others four or five may be included, while in a few cases, one county alone may suffice. If, and when, however, the volume of business warrants, the boundaries of the original association may be modified and new associations established. If the territory to be served by an association covers more than one county, each county will be represented on the board of directors.

The Production Credit Corporation of Columbia was established about the middle of September, to help farmers in the Southeast to organize their own cooperative, production credit associations. The Corporation sends representatives to assist farmers in organizing such associations, and to explain in detail their operating procedure.

The Corporation purchases the preferred capital stock of associations so as to provide them with initial capital. When organized, these associations become sources of loans for financing the production of crops and livestock. They make loans for general agricultural purposes, including the planting, cultivating or harvesting of crops, the breeding or feeding of livestock, and the production of poultry products.

Borrowers must own in stock of the association one \$5.00 share for each \$100 or part of \$100 they borrow through the organization, but the loan may include funds with which to purchase the stock. The stock of borrowers alone carries the voting privilege, and the borrower-members elect their own officers, subject to the approval of the Production Credit Corporation so long as the Corporation owns stock in the association.

Production credit associations in North and South Carolina, Florida and Georgia, discount the notes of farmer-borrowers with the Intermediate Credit Bank of Columbia, South Carolina. By this method of financing about \$500 or credit money is provided with every \$100 of capital.

The public demand for intermediate credit bank debentures results in a low interest rate, thus providing a low discount rate to the production credit associations and a corresponding low interest rate to their farmer-borrowers. The demand by farmers for low interest rates can be met, therefore, only if associations make sound loans so that the security behind the intermediate debentures will continue to make these short term bonds a popular purchase.

Twelve Person county farmers report an average yield of 29.52 bushels of corn an acre following lespedeza last year while that grown on silmar land without the lespedeza produced 18.02 bushels. Result with wheat were even greater.

**Sudden Death of
Geo. W. Mitchell**

George W. Mitchell, a farmer of the Yelvington Grove section, who was about 60 years of age, dropped dead on the street in Smithfield Wednesday night of last week about 6 o'clock near the residence of Miss Mattie Pou on South Third street Mrs. Charles Yelverton, who happened to pass along that way at the time, saw him holding to a tree in a precarious condition in front of Miss Pou's home, whereupon she summoned aid from the Shamrock filling station nearby, and Carl Godbold, J. W. Livingston and T. E. Dorman went immediately to the dying man and found him dead when they reached him.

The body was removed to Underwood & Company's funeral establishment where it was prepared for burial.

Surviving the deceased is his wife and a son and one daughter, Rosman Mitchell and Miss Roberta Mitchell.

Funeral services were conducted from the family home on Friday afternoon, by Rev. D. H. Tuttle, and interment was made in the New Oakland cemetery in Smithfield, where his body rests by the grave of a son who was killed a few years ago by a live electric wire in Raleigh where he was employed as a lineman.

**Vacancies For More Drummers
And Trumpeters In the Marines**

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 5.—A limited number of boys between the ages of 17 and 18 will be accepted at the Marine Corps Recruiting Station, Post Office Building, Savannah, Ga., during the month of December to learn the drum and trumpet, it is announced by Lieut. Colonel A. B. Drum, officer in charge.

Applicants for drum and trumpet must have at least an eighth grade education and be not less than 68 inches in height.

In addition to the vacancies for drum and trumpet, 35 graduates of high school between the ages of 18 and 30 will be accepted for general service.

Applications will be mailed upon request to young men of this section who have the above requirements.

**Johnston Fifth In
Garden Vegetables**

According to an announcement released from the Federal Bureau of Census, Johnston county in 1930 ranked fifth among the counties of the United States in the value of vegetables grown in farm gardens.

North Carolina was represented by four of its counties in the list of 50 leading counties in the nation in the value of farm garden vegetables. These counties were Johnston, Wake, Nash, and Forsyth. Johnston had the highest ranking of any of these counties. Wake ranked seventh, Nash nineteenth and Forsyth forty-second.

Forty-six of the 50 counties were in Southern states and the remaining four in Pennsylvania. Leading the entire country was Pike County, Ky., with 94.2 percent of its farms reporting. Then in order came Lancaster County, Pa., Floyd County, Ky., Pittsylvania County, Va., and Johnston.

In Johnston county, 6,834 farms or 91 percent of the total were included in the report upon which the Census Bureau based its figures. The value of vegetables grown on these Johnston County farms amounted to \$415,016 making the average per farm reporting \$60.73. The large number of Southern counties in the list was perhaps due to the long growing season in this section of the country.

**Soviet Denounced
By Bullitt's Uncle**

Pastor Calls Recognition 'National Disgrace'

Philadelphia, Nov. 18.—The Rev. James F. Bullitt, uncle of the new American Ambassador to Russia, William C. Bullitt, tonight termed United States recognition of the Soviet as a "national disgrace."

The Rev. Bullitt characterized Russia as a "pariah among nations." He contended it was not only the Soviet religious program to which he objected but "their entire idea of government is wrong."

"Russia did not keep its promise not to spread Soviet propaganda in England and France and I see no reason to believe it will make an exception of us," he said.

**MRS. W. V. BATTEN IS
LAID TO FINAL REST**

Mrs. W. V. Batten, of Smithfield, died at her home Monday morning, November 27, at five o'clock, following only a few hours illness, death being caused by a serious heart trouble from which she had been suffering for several months. Her condition became critical only a few hours before death. Despite her declining health, death came as a complete shock to her family, relatives and friends.

Mrs. Batten, who before her marriage, was Miss Alice Sullivan daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Sullivan of Selma, was a member of the Missionary Baptist Church of Bethany. Her sterling character and kindly disposition had endeared her to a wide circle of friends.

Funeral services were conducted from the Fair View Presbyterian Church by her former pastor, Rev. V. D. Stanclil, of Bethany, assisted by Rev. D. F. Waddell, of Selma. The body was tenderly laid to rest beneath a beautiful mound of flowers in the family burying ground at the home of her parents.

The large assemblage of friends and relatives attested to the love and esteem in which she was held. Besides her husband, she is survived by five small children, as follows: Ruby, Nadine, James Lee, Keith, and W. V., Jr.; also her grief-stricken parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Sullivan of Selma, and five brothers and sisters: G. J. Sullivan of Mount Olive; Leon Sullivan of Selma; Miss Alma and Essie Mae Sullivan and Mrs. W. M. Blackman of Selma.

A precious one from them has gone
A voice they loved is still
A place is vacant in their home,
Which ne'er can be filled.

God in his wisdom has recalled,
The boon his love has given,
And though the body moulds here,
Her soul is safe in heaven.

Mrs. G. J. Sullivan,
Mount Olive, N. C.

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APPLICATION FOR PARDON.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Governor of North Carolina for a parole for Willis Raines who was tried at the August Term of Superior Court of Johnston County.

This the 22nd day of Nov., 1933.
WILLIS RAINES.
E. G. HOBBS, Atty. 11-23.

MEN WANTED FOR RAWLEIGH

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NOTICE!

North Carolina,
Johnston County.

In the Superior Court
Lougenia Freeman
vs.
Willie Freeman

The defendant above named will take notice that an action has been commenced in the Superior Court of Johnston County, North Carolina, to obtain an absolute divorce and dissolve the bonds of matrimony existing between the plaintiff and the defendant; and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court in the said County at the Court House in Smithfield, North Carolina, on the 1 day of January, 1934 and answer or demur to the complaint in the said action or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.

This the 8 day of November, 1933
H. V. ROSE, Clerk Superior Court
W. I. GODWIN, Atty. for Plaintiff

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W. T. Woodard, Secretary

SALE BY COMMISSIONER

North Carolina,
Johnston County.
Under and by virtue and order of the Superior Court of Johnston County made in the Special Proceeding, entitled, C. W. Hocutt, Executor of the estate of R. L. Hocutt, deceased, vs. C. W. Hocutt, Blanch O'Neal et als, heirs-at-law of R. L. Hocutt, the undersigned Commissioner will on Monday, December 11, 1933, at 12 o'clock M., at the courthouse door in Smithfield, Johnston County, North Carolina, offer for sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described tracts of land, situate in O'Neals Township:

First Tract—Being Lot No. 10 in the division of the lands of Henderson Hocutt, deceased, and record of which is found in Land Book No. 4, Page 57 of the Clerk of the Superior Court and described as follows:
Beginning at a stake, corner of Lot No. 9 and runs thence N. 88.5 W. 32 poles to a stake; thence S. 15 W. 115 poles to a stake; thence S. 83.5 E. 32 poles to a stake, corner of Lot No. 9; thence with the line of Lot No. 9 N. 1.5 E. 115 poles to the beginning, containing 23 acres.

Second Tract—Situate in O'Neals Township, Johnston County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of John Hales et als and being the bare allotted to Samuel Hocutt in the land of his father, Henderson Hocutt, and containing 25 acres, more or less, and being the same lands conveyed to Robert Hocutt by Willie Narron by deed, dated Oct. 31, 1928 and recorded in O-5, page 59 of the Johnston County Registry.

Third Tract—Adjoining the lands of R. L. Hocutt, John Hales et als. Beginning at a stake in R. L. Hocutt's line and runs S with said R. L. Hocutt's line to a stake in John Hales line; thence W. with John Hales line to a stake in said Hales line; thence N. to a stake in the Polly May Holland line; thence with R. L. Holland's line to the beginning containing 25 acres, more or less.

Fourth Tract—Beginning at a stake in Harrison Johnson line, corner of Lot No. 1 and runs thence S 15 W. 13.56 chains to a stake in Edwin Richardson line; thence with his line N. 82.5 E. 11.63 chains to a stake in J. R. Creech's line; thence with said line N. 1.5 E. 13.56 chains to a stake, corner of Lot No. 1; thence S. 83.5 E. to the beginning, containing 15.7 acres, more or less.

Fifth Tract—Beginning at a pine in A. G. Bunn's line and runs W. 46 poles to an oak in Spring Branch; thence down said branch S. 26 poles to a stake; thence E. along agreed line 46 poles to a hickory in A. G. Bunn's line; thence N. 26 poles to the beginning, containing 6.5 acres more or less.

Sixth Tract—Beginning at a pine in A. G. Bunn's corner and runs S 33 poles to a pine; thence W. 34 poles to a pine; thence S. 20 poles to a stake; thence E. 110 poles to a pine; thence N. 42 poles to a stake; thence E. 58 poles to a stake; thence N. 15 poles to a stake, said Bunn's corner; thence with his line W. to the beginning, containing 35 acres, more or less.

There was conveyed to C. W. Hocutt by the said R. L. Hocutt, deceased, during his life time 10 acres off the East end of the above 35 acre tract and lying on the West side of the road and leaving 21 acres in said tract not covered by the dower.

Each one of the above described tracts will be offered for sale separately. The successful bidder will be required to make a deposit of 10 percent as an evidence of good faith.
This November 9, 1933.
JAMES D. PARKER, Com.

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