

# HALIFAX COUNTY WILL GET FOREST LOOKOUT TOWER

Raleigh, Oct. 26.—Erection of eight forest fire lookout towers furnished by the federal government as part of its Emergency Conservation Work program will be started in North Carolina this week, State Forester J. S. Holmes said today. One will be located in Halifax County.

All of the structures are of steel construction, and they will be installed in eight scattered locations throughout the State, according to Mr. Holmes. They will be placed so as to tie-in with the existing look-out stations as a part of the Department of Conservation and Development primary fire detection system.

Locations selected for the towers, as announced by the State Forester, are as follows: High Peak, South Mountains, Burke County; Pinnacle Mountain, on the Rutherford-McDowell County line; northeastern Richmond County; near Cedar Creek, Cumberland County; five miles north of Snow Hill, Greene County; between Jackson and Conway, Northampton County; four miles west of Scotland Neck, Halifax County.

Height of the towers range from 45 feet to 100 feet, with the taller structures being placed at the lower elevations in the eastern part of the State. They will be erected by crews from the Civilian Conservation Corps camps nearest to selected location.

The average range of visibility of lookout stations atop the towers will be approximately 10 miles. More than 1,000,000 acres of forest land will be brought under observation from the eight towers, which according to Mr. Holmes, should increase materially the effectiveness of the State's forest fire protection program. The new structures, furnished by the federal government, he continued, will fill a need that could not likely have been provided in some time by the State.

The eight new towers, Mr. Holmes said, will bring the total in the State to 35 or almost one-third of the number, 125, contemplated as the primary State detection system. Twenty-seven towers, three of which are of wood construction and 24 of steel, have already been erected.

## Negro Pupils Strike

Students of St. Augustine College, co-educational institution for negroes in Raleigh, and operated by the Episcopal Church, were on "strike" intermittently last week against the dietician at the college and in part against the food served. The principal kick was that the dietician has herself become so thin that they fear eating food prepared under her direction may be dangerous. A truce was signed for a day, but the strike continued later, students refusing to go to chapel or to attend classes. Hope was expressed that the trouble could be adjusted by the first of this week.

The first bird conservation law known was enacted by Moses nearly 1500 years before Christ.

New Mexico Senator



Above is Senator Carl A. Hatch of New Mexico, newly appointed by Governor Hockenbush to serve the term of Sam G. Bratton, who resigned to accept a federal judgeship.

A new trench mortar for the U. S. Army is so light that the parts can be carried by three men, and yet the firing is accurate in a two-mile range.

## JOINT HOSTESSES

A lovely party was given on Saturday afternoon at the Womans Club Building when Mrs. Cranford Hoyle, Mrs. William Batten and Miss Virginia Blount were joint hostesses.

Autumn leaves were used throughout the club and a beautiful effect was obtained. There were ten tables of progressive contract players and places for playing were found by attractive tally cards.

At the close of an interesting game the scores were collected and Mrs. George Hayes was found to hold high. Mrs. Frank Wilson held second high and in the cut for visitor's prize Mrs. Hugh Bradley was given a prize, each of the high score winners were given lovely gifts.

An attractive salad course was served with Miss Susan Womble and Mrs. Eugene Kimble assisting the hostesses.

The following guests came in for refreshments: Mesdames Geo. Taylor, Hugh Bradley, B. J. Dunning, Wade Marks, Frank Joyner, J. N. Bynum, Edward Brenner and Leslie Towe.

Those making up the tables: Mesdames W. A. China, Pendleton Grizzard, W. S. Dean, Cooper Grizzard, W. J. Hoggard, Lawrence Clements, Frank Nash, Alfred

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Practical demonstrations in Union County have proven the value of growing vetch seed at home and the plan is meeting a favorable reception over the county.

The Brizilian government is calling for bids on the opening of a new weekly air service between Belem, and Manaus, Amazonas, a distance of 900 miles.

## BEARSWAMP

Miss Carrie Bowers, who is a student at Meredith College, spent the week-end at home.

Rev. E. R. Nelson, who is pastor at Bear Swamp church, and has been ill for several months, preached at his regular time, which is on the 4th Sunday of every month.

Mr. Paul Simpson, of California, wrecked a new Oldsmobile near Mr. John Robinson's house. There was no one seriously hurt.

Miss Dorothea Matthews visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Wilson the past week-end.

## HEATHSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Ward, of Whitakers, N. C., visited their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Parker Sunday.

Miss Ethel Mooney, who is teaching at Darlington, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Mooney.

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Away back last summer when manufacturers and jobbers began predicting higher prices, we began studying the needs of our customers for the coming Christmas Holidays and made some very fortunate purchases, now we have in stock such cherished and life-long gifts as the new Elgin baguette watches, Empire baguette watches set with blue white evenly matched diamonds, at prices no higher than they were last summer when everything was at such a low ebb.

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