

STATE-WIDE CHILD CANVASS AROUSES PUBLIC INTEREST

Canvassers In Each County Report Fine Spirit Of Co-operation

J. B. Zollicoffer, Weldon, N. C., and J. F. Boseman, Spring Hill, N. C., are canvassers for Halifax County in a State-wide Child Welfare Survey of North Carolina. Sponsored by the North Carolina Department of American Legion Auxiliary, started Friday, May 25, under the direction of Mrs. W. R. Absher, State Department President of the American Legion Auxiliary. The Survey is being conducted from the office of the State Supervisor, Miss Rachel Payne Sugg, in North Wilkesboro, North Carolina.

Workers' wages in each county are being paid by the E. R. A. funds. The Survey has a four-fold purpose and is expected to result in the recording of the status of every needy, blind, deaf, or crippled child in the State; the listing of every World War veteran and World War orphan. The needy children of veterans will be recorded so that those eligible to receive help from the Legion's National Child Welfare Endowment fund of more than \$5,000.00 may be determined. "There are many North Carolina children entitled to relief from this source, and a few are receiving it," Mrs.

Absher states. Next, the Survey will list every needy orphan and any other child in need so the cases may be brought to the attention of relief agencies.

Every blind and deaf child now not receiving adequate care will be listed, as will adult blind persons, and all crippled children and other persons who need industrial rehabilitation will be noted.

The results of the Survey will be studied and followed up by State and National Agencies, Joint Welfare Committee of the Legion and Auxiliary Child Welfare Committee of local Units and Posts, and other Welfare Agencies. To secure the necessary help for your County, the Survey must be complete as possible.

Today J. B. Zollicoffer and J. F. Boseman made the following statement: "In the Child Welfare Survey, we desire that every one who knows of any Child that should be included in the census of veterans' orphans, physically handicapped, or other under-privileged children, please notify J. B. Zollicoffer, Weldon, N. C., or J. F. Boseman, Spring Hill, N. C., personally or by mail. It is very essential that we have the whole-hearted co-operation of all civic organizations, if the survey is to be a success in your County."

Funeral For Mrs. Emma Van Will Be Held Here Friday

Mrs. Emma Van, 54-year old city woman, died at her home on Monroe St., Wednesday night, June 13th. Funeral services are to be conducted tomorrow, Friday, by Rev. Gordon Price. The funeral will be held at the house at 2 o'clock P. M. Burial will be at the family plot in Conway.

Mrs. Vann is survived by her husband and four children, Mrs. Mary Hary, Cheston Van, Helen Van and Charlie Van. Also surviving are nine sisters and two brothers.

John Lewis Welch spent Saturday in Richmond, Va.

Was Marcus Polo a monumental liar or a truthful historian? Read what recent investigations reveal about him in the American Weekly, the big magazine which comes on June 17 with the BALTIMORE SUNDAY AMERICAN. Buy your copy from your favorite newsboy or newsdealer.

George Clark of Little Rock, Ark., who saw the advertisement of the Clark Lumber Company in Sheldon, Ia., visited the office and found his brother, whom he had not seen for 28 years.

A car stolen from in front of the home of Harry Lycott of Buffalo, was found parked a mile away, with its tank containing 10 more gallons of gasoline than when it was stolen.

JUNE 17 Sunday Is Father's Day

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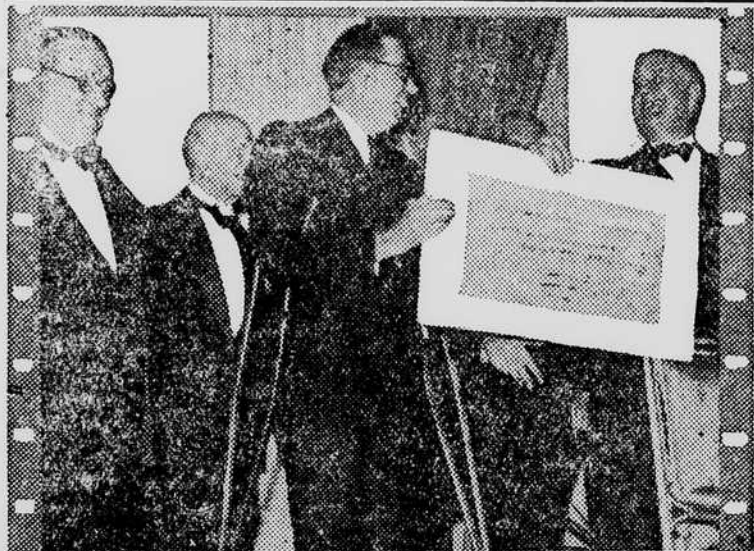
- "Swank" tie chains (yellow or white) .50
- "Evans" full pack cigarette cases75
- "Monel" belt and buckle sets 1.00
- "Meeker" pocket books 1.50
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Parade of Events Before the News Cameras



WASHINGTON . . . (Top), President Roosevelt passes along his birthday present from the nation, a check for \$1,003,036.08, to Arthur Carpenter, Resident Trustee of the Georgia Warm Springs Foundation. . . . NEW YORK . . . (Center) Youthful C. H. Johnson, of Cranberry Lake, N. J., crossing the line a winner of the annual Albany-New York City Outboard Motorboat race in the time of 2 hrs., 59 mins., for the 132 miles . . . FORT HUNT, Va., . . . (Bottom), A general scene of the camp here where the Bonus Army of 1934 is congregating to make its annual demands upon Congress.

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