

# PERSONALS & SOCIETY

Pfc. Cullen Mitchell of Fort Sill, Okla. is spending a furlough at home.

Miss Elizabeth Wyche spent last week in Greenville with her sister.

Mrs. Roscoe Hamill visited in Raleigh last week.

Bobbie Oakes has returned from Wilson.

Mrs. Joe Estridge and daughter of Florence, S. C., are visiting relatives here.

Lanarr Sledge of New Bern is spending some time with his grandparents here.

Mrs. E. S. Jones has returned from Florence, S. C.

Mrs. S. B. Turner and Mrs. Hoyle Hartsoe and children spent several days lastweek in Petersburg with their parents.

C. E. Willis, A. R. T. 1 and Mrs. Willis of Willow Grove, Pa. spent several days here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Sledge and Mrs. W. J. Edwards attended the funeral of Mr. J. T. Potter in Richmond Friday.

Miss Martha Rodwell of Raleigh is spending her vacation with her mother here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Bounds spent the week end in Wilmington and Wrightsville Beach.

Mr. C. B. Thomas spent several days last week in Durham.

Miss Annie Lou Rowe is visiting relatives in Norfolk and Craddock, Va.

Mrs. G. T. Melvin is spending sometime with relatives in Newport News, Va.

Mr. Harry Pope has returned from a visit to his brother in Baltimore.

Mrs. M. H. Mitchell spent Friday and Sunday in Richmond.

Sgt. Harold Mann of Panama City, Fla., spent several days this week here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Seifert

spent Friday and Saturday in Richmond.

Mrs. M. J. Canipe and family have returned from a visit to relatives in Western North Carolina.

Walter Merritt of Delaware is spending some time here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Murgrove are spending some time at Virginia Beach.

Forest Rowe, Jr. is visiting in Washington, D. C. and North Beach, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Draper have returned from Jacksonville, Fla.

The Rev. R. E. Cox spent last week at Virginia Beach.

Mrs. Esmond Carter and daughter have returned from a visit to relatives in Baltimore.

Misses Edith Mae Alston of Raleigh and Christine Alston of Richmond are guests of their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rightmyer and daughters and Pat Carter spent Friday in Richmond.

Misses Jean Parker and Ernestine Turner are spending several days at Virginia Beach.

Pfc. Dixon Riddle and Miss Lena Ann Riddle visited relatives in Jonesboro last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Joyner and sons spent last week at Virginia Beach.

Mrs. E. L. Brazelle and daughter have returned to Clayton after spending some time with Mrs. W. B. Joyner.

Miss Katherine Manning and Mrs. Barbara Rogers are visiting Miss Manning's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Croom and her aunt Mrs. Caley Goodwin in Wilmington and Carolina Beach.

Mrs. Albert Lassiter and daughter are making their home with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Williams while Mr. Lassiter is in service.

Mrs. W. W. Finlator is spending some time with her parents in Salisbury.

W. J. Boseman A. M. M. 2 who has been stationed in Puerto Rico for twelve months has arrived to spend a leave with his parents before reporting for duty in Norfolk.

Mrs. Leslie Seaver and son have returned to Richmond after visiting Miss Nettie Cuthrell.

served to the following in addition to the guests of the club, Mesdames R. T. Daniel, C. E. King, F. J. Bounds, R. C. Cornwall, J. S. Selden, Chas. R. Daniel, T. H. Holmes, C. S. Vinson, W. J. Edwards and G. H. Nash.

**Mrs. Daniel Hostess To Club**

The members of her bridge club and several additional guests enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. R. T. Daniel when she entertained on Wednesday afternoon.

Lovely arrangements of colorful flowers were used as decorations.

After several progressions prizes were presented Mrs. F. J. Bounds and Mrs. Blackwell Pierce.

During the games delicious food drinks were served and at the conclusion an ice course with nuts and mints.

Mrs. Daniel's guests included Mesdames C. J. Sawyer of Windsor, P. J. Bounds, Black Pierce, Mercer Bruce, W. D. Norman, G. H. Nash, C. E. King, C. S. Vinson, C. R. Turner, Chas. R. Daniel, J. S. Selden and R. C. Cornwall.

**Branch - Collins**

The marriage of Miss Dugal Jane Collins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Collins of Garysburg and William M. Branch of Franklin, Va., took place Wednesday, June 28th at the Methodist parsonage in Weldon. The Rev. Dwight L. Fouts performed the ceremony in the presence of the immediate families and a few intimate friends.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a costume suit of delicate pink tropical cloth. Her accessories were brown and white and at her shoulder she wore a corsage of roses.

The bridegroom had as his best man Galaspa C. Duck of Franklin, Va.

After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Branch are making their home in Franklin, Va.

## Expand Program To Harvest Legume

Announcing details of a newly expanded program to encourage the harvesting of legume and grass seeds this year, N. E. Dodd, Chief of the Agricultural Adjustment Agency, Washington, warns farmers that there is critical shortage of these seeds.

"Our domestic hay and pasture supply and soil conservation program cannot be maintained unless we harvest more seed" the AAA Chief said.

Recognizing the need for emergency action, Congress has provided a special fund of \$12,500,000 to the Triple-A to stimulate harvesting legume and grass seeds. Under the expanded program.

1. Harvesting seeds from a good stand of certified Abruzzi rye, Italian ryegrass, orchard grass, crimson clover, red clover, alsike clover or vetch, or a mixture of vetch and small grain consisting of at least 25 per cent by weight of vetch seed becomes an "unlimited practice" in the AAA conservation program which means that cooperating farmers can obtain the regular AAA payment ranging up to \$8.50 an acre for this practice on any number of acres harvested.

2. Additional special payments will be made by AAA of 3 1-2c a pound on red clover seed (cleaned basis) and 2 1-2 cents a pound on alfalfa and alsike clover seed (cleaned basis) for harvesting of these seed varieties.

There will be no restrictions on the total payments which can be earned by a farmer for harvesting legume and grass seed, Dodd explained. In the past, such payments could be earned only up to 25 acres. The AAA also has exempted such payments from the so called "farm allowance" established by the county committee for each farm.

Red clover, alfalfa and alsike clover have been chosen for the special poundage payments because of their extreme scarcity relative to our needs, Dodd stated.

"Every farmer who can harvest some of the seeds included in this special program should do so in his own interest and in that of the nation," the AAA Chief added.

"Unfavorable weather plus the greatly increased demands for hay, pasture and food crops during the war have reduced our harvest of legume and grass seed during the past two years. We need seed to grow soil enriching legume and grass crops in this country. If at all possible, we also want to share some seeds with the farmers of countries being liberated by our armed forces. By giving them seed, we can help them get their farming operation back to normal and thus reduce their dependence upon this country for food."

satellites in this country, to destroy our freedom by destroying the union upon which it depends. Our enemies seek to divide us by pitting Protestants against Catholics, Gentiles against Jews, native born against foreign born.

But above all else, we can never forget that just as it has taken men of many races and creeds to make America, it is now taking men of many races and creeds to preserve America during this war. Our heroes and defenders are not men of one race. They are men of many races - but all Americans. Remember that.

Remember Frank O'Brien, of Sugar Grove, Illinois. He was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for his heroic conduct in rescuing an Air Corps officer marooned in the waters of Turnagain Arm, Alaska.

Remember Mayer Levin, of Brooklyn, New York. He was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross. As Colin Kelly's bombardier, he sank the Japanese battleship Haruna, and received a second citation for action in the Coral Sea.

Remember Harry Torgerson, of Lynbrook, Long Island. This Marine is credited with having blasted fifty Japanese emplacement and machine gun nests with TNT in the conquest of Henderson Field.

Remember Dorie Miller, of Waco, Texas. He was cited by the Navy Department for distinguished devotion to duty, extraordinary courage and disregard of personal safety in face of enemy strafing during attack on the fleet in Pearl Harbor.

Remember George Schaezel, of Denver, Colorado. He was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross for his courageous and skillful participation in bombing raids on Japanese shipping in the Indies waters.

Remember Theodore Boselli, of New York City. He was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross and Oak Leaf Cluster. He has flown more than 12,000 miles over the South Pacific, and safely carried nearly every British and U. S. General stationed in the Far East.

Remember these men - different in racial origin - different in religious persuasion - but free and united as Americans for the advancement of the great American ideals of freedom, equality and union.

**COW**

The cow produces many synthetic vitamins in the first stomach, or rumen. They are manufactured during the process of fermentation by very small organisms, says Dr. C. D. Grinnell, veterinarian for the Agricultural Experiment Station at State College.

**FOOD**

The British have increased food production from a pre war total of 40 per cent to a total of 70 per cent of their consumption. We supply about 10 per cent of their needs through lend-lease.

**Weldon Youth Tells**

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wouldn't go any farther than my throat, I had been praying in earnest all the while but now it was just a prayer for a quick ending. That is as much as I remember except that I only had a couple of seconds of suffering -- my prayers had been answered.

When I regained consciousness some hospital corpsmen had me on my feet, my head was pretty groggy and everything was all blurred. One of our Navy ships was sending us a blinker message but my head was spinning so fast I couldn't read it, all I got were two words "go" and "surrender" they evidently thought we were Nazis. All this happened around 1500, I was evacuated the next morning about 0030 to an L. S. T. that was still loaded with cargo and now it also was loaded with casualties. At 0200 I had some coffee which was my first food or drink since leaving the

transport, then I slept. I at 2000 that day with all wrapped in gauze and sore all over. The doc said I had scalp lacerations and ed by concussion and that been "off the beam" quite that day while I slept.

I was on the L. S. T. for days and a night before it was safe for it to beach and discharge its cargo. I was feeling good so I went topside to see things were going, everything working like mad and after ching awhile I had a good science like I never had. I could walk and one signalman had been killed and one other ed rest and there I was nothing. I talked to the Doctor and he talked to the doctor and they looked at me and finally said that they have the authority to let me back to my outfit but after the arguing they put me in a dressing and told me if I get a helmet I could get a sergeant but the water had too deep to wade ashore at time so I caught a L. C. that was loaded with gasoline went ashore. It was swell the fellows again, most of I hadn't seen since the time but they weren't all there were killed and more men. That L. S. T. loaded with things went back to England night.

The Beach had done up in its power to keep supplies to the men up from the fic had to be stopped during 19th, 20th and 21st of the cause of storms and rough that broke anchor chains dashed all kinds of ships and ruins many of them. Even ships as large as L. L. and Liberty ships are light dry but the water calmed today, June 22 and traffic again in full swing.

We hope to get away everyone's nerves are about we all seem to be very ju

**Attention! All Home Canners!**

Before you begin your 1944 canning, Good Housekeeping Magazine advises you use the boiling water bath method for tomatoes & fruits, only. Can all vegetables except tomatoes by the correct use of a pressure cooker to be sure of killing botulism germs. In the last few years, cases of botulism food poisoning have cropped up in widely different parts of the country. Buy, know, share a pressure cooker-but don't can poisonous vegetables any other way. If you want further information, write Good Housekeeping Magazine, 950 Eighth Avenue, New York 10, N. Y. (Adv.)

**Mrs. Seifert Entertains Club**

With Mrs. W. D. Norman and Mrs. Overton Sauter as special guests Mrs. D. W. Seifert was hostess to her club on Wednesday.

Contract was played at three tables arranged amid an attractive floral setting. When scores were totaled Mrs. R. T. Daniel was presented high score prize.

Delicious refreshments were

**Want Ads**

FOR SALE--Or exchange for Rocky Mount property. The Old Dixon two story home on W. Elm Street, Weldon, N. C. For further information write or phone Geo T. Burdette, Rocky Mount, N. C. Phones 1772-J or 2443. nf.

REFRIGERATOR REPAIR work. Call W-538-1 or see E. D. Shearin, South Weldon. nf.

FURNISHED APT. FOR RENT--Mrs. R. T. Daniel.

FOR SALE--Bicycle in perfect condition with pre-war tires. See Ralph Hamill.

FOR SALE -- 300 Barred Rock Pullets, 3 months old. Excellent for breeders. J. M. Cobb, Oak Grove Hatchery, 2t. pd.

**THE COMMON DEFENSE**

America remains a strong nation of free men only so long as America remains a nation of united men. Our enemies know this - know that they cannot conquer us while we are united - know that before they can subdue us they must divide us. It becomes plain and inescapably true, therefore, that the patriotic duty of every loyal American is to resist and overcome attempts of Axis propagandists and their

**Temporary Wage Ceilings April 1st.**

Raleigh, July 13th--All North Carolina employers are authorized to accept their employment figures as of April 1, 1944, as their temporary employment ceilings, in the new War Manpower Commission order establishing such ceilings, effective July 1, pending formal establishment of ceilings by the area manpower directors, announces Dr. J. S. Dorton, State manpower director for North Carolina.

Employers desiring further information or clarification should contact their local United States Employment Service or any of the area directors, as follows: Mason E. Swearingen, Caswell Building, Raleigh; P. W. Grandjean, Security Bank Building, High Point; R. B. Justice, Wachovia Bank Building, Asheville; Mrs. Fay D. Hanlon, 204 Coddington Building, Charlotte; Henry I. Shepherd, 407 Southern Building, Wilmington; P. B. Pollock, 119 North Market Street, Washington, N. C.

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PROGRAM WEEK OF JULY 23., 1944

Sunday  
Lucille Ball - Dick Powell

**Meet The People**  
News and Short

Monday and Tuesday  
John Garfield - Paul Henreid

**Between Two Worlds**  
Short Subjects

Wednesday and Thursday  
Kay Francis - Carole Landis and Martha Raye

**FOUR JILLS IN A JEEP**  
Selected Shorts

Friday and Saturday  
Dick Foran

**Guns Of The Pecos**  
Arthur Lake

**Sailor's Holiday**  
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**LITTLETON THEATRE**

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Admission Day or Night, 25 cents including Tax. Children under 12 years old 9c.

**Week of The 24th**

Monday and Tuesday  
Stan Laurel - Oliver Hardy  
**Jitterbugs**

WEDNESDAY  
Ken Maynard-Hoot Gibson - Bob Steele

**Westward Bound**

THURSDAY-FRIDAY  
Dick Powell-Linda Darnell - Jack Oakie

**It Happened Tomorrow**

SATURDAY  
Maria Montez - Jon Hall  
**Ali Baba And The Forty Thieves**

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**PEOPLES IMPERIAL**

SUN-MON-TUES  
Fredric March - Alexis Smith

**ADVENTURES OF MARK TWAIN**  
Added--Latest News

WED-THURS.  
Marjorie Reynolds-Dennis O'Keefe

**Up In Mabel's Room**  
Added--Selected Short Subjects

FRIDAY  
Richard Dix-Edith Barrett

**The Ghost Ship**  
Added--Selected Short Subjects

SAT.  
Gene Autry

**Oh, Susanna**  
Added--The Desert Hawk

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SUNDAY  
**HAT'S OFF**  
Added--Selected Short Subjects

MON.-TUES.  
Vera Ralston - Richard ...

**THE LADY AND THE MONSTER**  
Added--Latest News

WED.-THURS.  
Helen Vinson-Lyle ...

**ARE THESE OUR PARENTS**  
Added--Latest News

FRI.-SAT.  
Tex Ritter

**RIDERS OF THE ROCKIES**  
Added--The Tiger ...