

Dedication Service At Kadesh Church

Dr. F. C. Cook, one of the great sons of Edenton, will deliver the dedication sermon to all of the officials and members of the Kadesh A.M.E. Zion Church Sunday night, January 17, at 7 o'clock.

Dr. Cook is the son of the late Presiding Elder Cook of the Albemarle Conference. The public is invited to attend the service.

Pocahontas Officers Installed Tonight

Chowanoke Council No. 54, Degree of Pocahontas, will meet tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock in the Red Men hall. At this meeting new officers will be elected and installed, so that Mrs. Essie Perry, retiring Pocahontas, especially urges all members to be present.

J. R. BYRUM WILL ATTEND HIGH POINT EXPOSITION

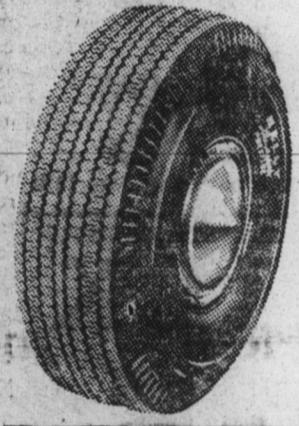
J. R. Byrum of the Quinn Furniture Company plans to attend the Southern Furniture and Rug Market to be held in High Point January 18-22.

While there he will shop the numerous lines shown in the huge 14-acre Southern Exposition Building to select the best home furnishing styles and values for the store.

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SENATOR SAM ERVIN SAYS

Washington — In common with virtually all other Americans, I am glad that the controversy which has been raging for many months between the big steel companies and the big steel union has been settled. I regret, however, that I have misgivings concerning what effect this settlement will have upon the inflationary spiral which threatens so much disaster to our economy. Moreover, I have misgivings in respect to the manner in which the settlement was reached and its possible effect upon the future of free bargaining between management and labor.

The Public's Stake In Steel. It is impossible to overmagnify the importance of steel to the American economy. Every American utilizes each day many products of the steel industry. Furthermore, the production of an adequate amount of steel is absolutely necessary to our national defense.

All of us who believe in the free enterprise system have these basic convictions regarding the steel industry:

1. The big steel companies are entitled to a fair return on their investment.

2. Those who labor in the steel industry are entitled to a fair share of the fruits of their labor.

3. The public is entitled to purchase the products of the steel industry at a fair price and cannot do so unless the profits of the companies and the wages of those who labor in the industry are fixed by economic factors instead of political considerations.

Steel Settlement Made in Secret. The steel settlement was made in secret. We have no knowledge of what transpired in the meetings which resulted in the settlement.

We must leave the answers to these questions to present speculation and future events. But, one thing can be inferred with certainty. The settlement was not reached by free bargaining. It was dictated by the Executive Branch of the Federal Government acting through two of its most politically-minded members.

Present speculation leaves one with the disconcerting thought that the assurance that the steel companies will not raise the prices of steel products "at this time" means that the steel companies have merely obligated

Edenton Speaker



Dr. Luther M. Talbert of the University of North Carolina School of Medicine will present postgraduate medical lectures in Edenton on Wednesday, January 20.

themselves to maintain present prices until after the general election in November. And present speculation also leaves one with the disconsoling apprehension that the public interest has been ignored in this matter, and that when election day has come and gone the settlement will add new fuel to the fire of inflation, which has consumed more than one-half of the value of each American's dollar during the past few years.

This past 1959 season should have convinced most growers

Time Arrives To Plan Planting Of Peanuts For 1960

Seed and Fields Pointed Out as Very Important Factors For Good Yield

Christmas having passed and 1959 coming to an end, most farmers are turning their attention to a New Year, to new activities and responsibilities. This applies to all the activities on the farm and with most people it is time to plan for the 1960 peanut crop even though planting season is still four months away.

It is assumed that the seed saved for planting the 1960 crop are stored in a good, safe place so that they will maintain their quality until planting time. The most important problem which should require the attention of the peanut grower at the present time is selecting the fields on which the 1960 crop will be planted, testing the soils to determine whether or not lime and potash will be needed. Soil tests should be made immediately so that potash and lime can be applied if found necessary at the earliest possible moment. Through the concentrated soil testing program in many counties last year, many of the peanut growers know the soil analysis and also know that they should have already applied lime and potash. Most growers apply 100 to 200 pounds of potash per acre, broadcast prior to planting their peanuts, whether the soil test reveals the need for potash or not. If potash is going to be applied, it should be done at the very first opportunity and dissolved in and allowed time to dissolve and penetrate the soil prior to planting, as potash is taken up deep in the soil and not on the surface of the ground.

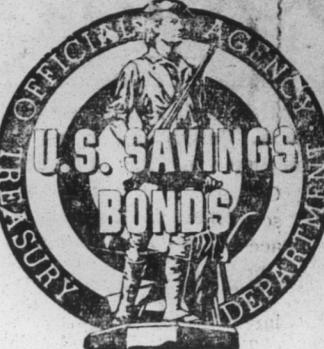
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in the field and plant corn, soybeans or some other crop there rather than to have peanuts in these spots and have little or no yield at digging time.

Plan carefully on the rotation now and act quickly with respect to lime and potash.

Progress in every age results only from the fact that there are some men and women who refuse to believe that what they knew to be right cannot be done.

—Russell W. Davenport



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