

KNOW YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY

Carl W. Trinkle, representative of the Social Security Administration, is in Edenton every Thursday at the North Carolina Employment Security Commission office in the Citizens Bank Building.

Over two hundred years ago an American farmer wrote in his diary: "My farm gave me and my family a good living on the produce of it, and left me, one year and another, one hundred fifty dollars, for I never spent more than ten dollars a year, which was for salt, nails, and the like. Nothing to eat, drink or wear was bought, as my farm produced it all."

Since that time dramatic changes have taken place in the American economy. And there have been changes in the meaning of security for the average American family. The colonial farmer was able to say "my farm produced it all." How strange it would seem for someone to make a similar statement today.

America has evolved from a group of small agricultural colonies into one of the strongest and most highly industrialized countries in the world. With the rapid expansion of industry in recent decades and the increased mechanization of farms, many Americans have moved from the farms into the cities. The urban breadwinner no longer "makes" his living with his own hands. Instead he earns wages and buys his living. He is dependent upon his wage for "security."

Industrialization, moreover, has brought greater comforts and conveniences to the American family. But it has also brought economic risks beyond the average family's control. Loss of income from wages brings insecurity. The risk of loss of earnings is ever present because of the hazards of unemployment, old-age, disability and death.

The great depression of the 1930's convinced the American people that only through cooperative effort can the individual be protected against these common hazards. The Social Security Act enables society to put its collective shoulder to the wheel in providing this protection. Through the cooperation of employers, employees, the self-employed, and government, social security replaces, at least partially the earnings that are lost because of unemployment, old-age, disability or death.

Through the social insurance principle, funds are built up in advance to meet the emergencies of the future. Yes, times do change—but remember social security benefits are the harvest of your working years.

and Sex Attraction: How to obtain what you will through the thought processes of the mind and the mystical element.

The appeal of all of these solicitations is to the so-called intelligent for they are the only ones able to comprehend and use the forces offered to them. Such mystical aberrations are beyond the ability of the ignorant to comprehend and to absorb. Of course, this is an appeal to your vanity as being one of the intelligent and when you are told you may learn how to get what you want you begin to think that the lessons may be worth the ten to fifty dollars.

When you reach this stage you might as well throw up the sponge and send the money for you have become a victim of your own vanity. You will receive a great mess of words and you will plough through them hoping to find that mystic power and psychic control to get what you want. Even the so-called books written by professional medical men and psychologists are full to the brim with just plain, undiluted and unadulterated boloney and compressed hot air. Any normal half intelligent person understands what they want and the rules of the game of life as to how to obtain what they seek without falling for the hypnotizing lingo of the charlatan. One of the best Greek axioms and which is in the Bible is "Know Thyself" and a corollary to this is, "Be Thyself." So forget all about these wonder magazines and do a little investigation of yourself and how you yourself can be more of

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yourself. Unless, however, the sucker in you is itching to find out what it is like to be a sucker. In which event send your ten or fifty dollars and write and tell me how it feels.

Dear Three P's:

I am somewhat disturbed about my sister. She is married and has a good husband and three fine children. About a year ago a new family moved next door to us. A man in the family introduced himself to my sister and ever since has been making love to her. My sister at first repelled his advances but I am afraid that she is now succumbing to his blandishments. What can I do?

—Dosa.

Dear Dosa: Propinquity and flattery are two forces that working together cause level headed people to stray from the beaten track. No doubt this man next door is single, afraid of the responsibilities of married life and is finding an outlet for his emotional feeling by trying to seduce a married woman. All he is looking for is one or two affairs de passionne and after this experience he will probably forget all about your sister. My advice to you is to have an out and out talk with your sister and explain to her where such an experience will lead her if she continues to fall for the flattery of this Casanova.

STATE'S TOBACCO ACREAGE IS UNCHANGED FROM 1959

According to reports as of March 1, North Carolina farmers intend to plant 461,000 acres of flue-cured tobacco in 1960, or the same acreage for all types as harvested last year, the North Carolina Crop Reporting Service has announced.

State acreage allotments are practically unchanged from those of a year ago.

A very small percentage of the total is allotted to farms which have been or will be retired on the Acreage Reserve program, but total plantings in relation to allotments are expected to be fully as large as for 1959.

Last year's acreage and the proposed acreage for this year are, with the exception of the crops produced in 1957 and 1958 under Soil Bank operations, the smallest for the state since 1922. This year's expected acreage would fall short of the 1949-1958 ten-year average of 619,500 acres by about 26 percent.

Joseph M. Daniels Takes Own Life

Joseph Merle Daniels, 39, died Sunday morning at 9 o'clock as the result of a self-inflicted gunshot wound. He was a native of Bertie County but lived in Edenton for about five years as operator of a service station.

He was a veteran of World War II and a member of the Colerain Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Margaret Norvell Daniels; two sons, Joseph, Jr., and Michael Daniels, at home; a daughter, Mrs. Mary L. Curry of Portsmouth; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Daniels of Bertie County; a brother, Meredith Daniels of Colerain, and two sisters, Mrs. Mattie D. Perry of Colerain and Mrs. Hallie D. Perry of Merry Hill.

Funeral services were held at the Colerain Baptist Church on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with the pastor, the Rev. P. T. Worrell, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Maloney, pastor of the Wakeland Baptist Church. Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery at Colerain.

The very circumstance, which your suffering sense deems wrathful and afflictive, Love can make an angel entertained unawares.

—Mary Baker Eddy.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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But Paul is but one of an endless chain of persons who have proved to the world that the human spirit can witness to its highest commitments under the greatest difficulties.

Imprisonment and danger do not always destroy our power to speak out for the highest if

we have courage. Certainly Paul was not silenced; indeed, he never had been. Paul stands in the same line with many men who have found imprisonment itself a form of effective speech. Even when Paul was not speaking for Christ in prison, he was living for him. In the same way, many a German Christian may have kept silent while Hitler was persecuting the Jews, but many of them quietly sheltered these mistreated souls in their homes at the risk of their lives. They made no speeches; they only quietly put into practice the basic ideals of the Gospel.

Even silence can be speech. Did Jesus ever speak more eloquently for the dignity of the human spirit than when he stood silently before Pilate? And what of his broken body on the cross? He was crucified but not silenced.

Paul and a host of others have demonstrated that the Spirit of God in the spirit of man has an irreplaceable power that will always seek new channels of expression when the customary channels are blocked. God's Spirit in man can be chained, but it cannot be silenced.

And what of the power of God in us? What are the chains that are laid upon us as Christian disciples? Are we strong enough to speak for Christ in spite of hardships?

It is frequently demonstrated that the measure of one's belief is to be found in the extent of his opposition. An act of friendship, a stand on conscience in contradiction of popular conduct, expressions of love in the face of bitterness and hatred—all are illustrative of quiet witness. It is impossible to avoid all confinement. Some limitations are bestowed upon us by birth; what we can or cannot do is often determined by our sex, our physical and mental endowment, and so on. Other limitations may be imposed by illness, restricted opportunities for

education, such things as social and cultural pressures, and other similar factors beyond our control. Therefore, confinement is a universal experience, arising certainly out of circumstance and sometimes 'cut of moral choice.'

But, if we are determined to dedicate our lives to Christian witnessing, despite what handicaps we are laboring under, we will find a way to circumvent them—indeed, not only that, we will find a way to put those same restricting influences to work on our own behalf and on behalf of our Lord Jesus Christ.

(These comments are based on outlines of the International Sunday School Lesson, copyrighted by the International Council of Religious Education, and used by permission.)

Legal Notices

NOTICE

I, Paul L. Partin, have purchased from Mrs. Irene S. Dunbar (widow), the entire contents including merchandise, fixtures, supplies and equipment of the Western Auto Associate Store, 214 South Broad Street, Edenton, North Carolina, formerly owned and operated by Mrs. Irene S. Dunbar (widow).

The Bulk Sales Law of the State of North Carolina has been complied with in connection with this purchase.

All creditors have been notified by registered mail. This transaction dated March 3, 1960.

I will assume no responsibility for any indebtedness of the said Mrs. Irene S. Dunbar (widow), other than those declared on the Bulk Sales Law Affidavit dated March 3, 1960.

PAUL L. PARTIN, Owner Western Auto Associate Store, Edenton, North Carolina. Mar10.17.24

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of Percy M. Harrell, deceased, late of Chowan County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned within one year from date of this notice or same will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 18th day of February, 1960. ANNIE N. HARRELL, Administratrix of Percy M. Harrell Feb.18.25.Mch3.10.17.24

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of Oscar A. Overton, deceased, late of Chowan County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned within one year from date of this notice or same will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

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This 3rd day of March, 1960. RUTH ALICE C. SMITHWICK, Administratrix of Willie Lee Smithwick Mar3.10.17.24.31.Am7

NOTICE

North Carolina, Perquimans County. In The Superior Court Before the Clerk

Perquimans County Drainage District No. 4 (Burnt Mill Creek) Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Perquimans County Drainage District No. Four have levied an assessment in the amount of \$19,531.82 upon the lands within the boundaries of the said District. This assessment has been made in accordance with the classification sheet filed with the Board of Viewers of the said District, with their Final Report and as approved by the Clerk of the Superior Court and which is in accordance with a Certificate filed by the Board of Drainage Commissioners with the Clerk of the Superior Court of Perquimans County, on the 4th day of March, 1960.

All persons owning land or any interest in land within the boundaries of Perquimans County Drainage District No. Four (Burnt Mill Creek) are hereby notified that the Board of Drainage Commissioners for said District propose to issue bonds of said District for the purpose of raising money for the payment of the total cost of completing the organization of said District and the construction of the canals in said District according to plans and specifications as set out in the Final

Report of the Board of Viewers of Perquimans County Drainage District No. Four and as approved by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Perquimans County; said bonds to be issued in an amount not exceeding \$19,531.82, to bear interest at a rate not exceeding six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually. The principal of said bonds is to be paid in ten equal annual installments, the first installment of principal being due on the first day of July, 1964, and the remaining installments on the first day of each July thereafter for a period of ten years. The first payment of interest is to be due on the first day of July, 1960, and semi-annually thereafter on the first day of January and the first day of July of each year, through and including the year 1973. The first payment to be made by the land owners on their total assessment is to be due on the first Monday in September, 1960. The Board of Commissioners of Perquimans County Drainage District No. Four reserve the right, in their discretion, to issue in lieu of bonds, assessment anticipation notes as provided for by Article 8 of Chapter 156 of the General Statutes of North Carolina. Any landowner in said District not wanting to pay interest on the bond or the assessment anticipation notes, may, prior to the 29th day of March, 1960, pay to the Treasurer of Perquimans County or the Tax Collector of Perquimans County, the full amount for which his land is liable, to be ascertained from the classification sheet and the Certificate of the Board of Commissioners of Perquimans County Drainage District No. Four as filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Perquimans County, and such payment shall release the lands of the person so paying from the liability of said assessment. This 5th day of March, 1960. PERQUIMANS COUNTY DRAINAGE DISTRICT NO. 4 By: I. Stanley Blanchard, Secretary. Frank M. Wooten, Jr. Greenville, North Carolina. mar10.17.24

Three P's PERSONAL AND PRIVATE PROBLEMS

This column will attempt to answer personal and private problems of individuals who submit their questions to this column. These inquiries to include family and social problems and all cover questions that come up in planning oneself to a career; economic problems to include adjustment to business and careers. All inquiries correspondence and names will be held in the strictest confidence. All inquiries and questions should be addressed to "Three P's", care of The Chowan Herald, Edenton, N. C.

—Theodore H. Miller, Counselor

Dear Three P's:

My husband and I have received recently a number of simple magazines sent to us at the suggestion of close friends, so it is claimed, without mentioning the names of our friends who are so thoughtful of our welfare. All of these magazines promise to show us the way to a better life, to develop magnetism to attract friends, how to stay young although growing older. All of these offers request contributions, the minimum being ten dollars. In return we will receive the magazine for a year and ten to twenty lessons on how to be attractive. One of these magazines is called the Voice of the Turtle. Do you know about these magazines?

—Zenobia.

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