



By Eula Nixon Greenwood
BIG CHANGE . . . Although
nothing formal about it for
publication has yet been
announced, the Federal en-

The strictly Federal positions
now housed in the N. C. Labor
Building here—an 1890-looking
thing and a disgrace to the State

Mrs. Pauline Horton and Julian
E. Parker, both veterans in the
field of Federal wages, hours,
etc., are expected to be the
top-rung administrators in the
new setup.

PEARSALL PLAN . . . A lot of
the members of the Legisla-
ture who will come traipsing
back to Raleigh in September
for the special session have par-

We generally stumble on to
one about every ten years.
The last one came in 1956. It
was called by Gov. Luther Hod-

The special session of the Leg-

islature went right down the
line on the Pearsall Plan, vary-
ing not a comma, as we recall
on constitutional changes, etc.

But heavy, heavy hangs the
sword over its head.

OFF-AGAIN-ON . . . Well,
they say a survey has been
taken . . . and that this survey
shows that Commerce Secretary
Luther Hodges stands a good
chance to win the Democratic
nomination for Governor in
1964. Ho hum.

Now away out there on that
big white cloud Luther Hodges
says in Washington that it is all
news to him . . . or words to that
effect. So it is likely to be off-

Our only comment on this
little morsel is as follows:

If it takes Luther Hodges as
long to decide whether to run
for Governor next year as it
did for him to decide whom he
wanted to succeed him in 1960,

It will be a long time, too, be-
fore as many wishers think they
have the official nod: Addison
Hewlett, Luther Barnhardt, Ed-

FLOWERS? . . . With tobacco
prices dragging and the entire
industry fearful of the future,
there is renewed interest in the
Reynolds Tobacco Co. experi-

Bertie County Farm Agent
George Jennings swears that
something besides tobacco . . .
as we know tobacco . . . is be-

"Flowers are being harvested",
we heard recently while through
Edenton. This could be an exper-

That's like no tobacco we ever
heard of in this country. Only
kudzu is deadlier than a stalk of
tobacco in mid-winter.

COSTS MONEY . . . Billy
Arthur, lively writer for the
award-winning Chapel Hill
Weekly, reports that he heard of
this man who was complain-

NORTHWEST . . . The center
of Raleigh, population wise, used
to be on New Bern Avenue, not
too far from the State Capitol.

We heard last week that the
official center of Raleigh . . . as
far as its 100,000 people are
concerned . . . is now just a
block north of St. Mary's Junior
College. This is nearly a mile

Although we sometimes ob-
serve cities spreading eastward
and southward, this is not gener-
ally true in this section of the
country . . . where the prevail-

KINFOLK . . . An interesting
sidelight on the death of Tay-
lorsville Attorney J. Hayden
Burke (in court last week on his
95th birthday): A ranking, rock-
ribbed Democrat, he lived to
see . . . at 85 . . . his son-in-law,
Ray Jennings, become secretary
of GOP in N. Carolina! But they
hit it off nicely and meant a lot
to each other through FDR,
Harry, Ike, and JFK.

Quinn Kendrick
Dies Thursday

Quinn J. (Pop) Kendrick, 78,
retired Southern Railway brake-
man, died unexpectedly at his
home in the Jackson Line com-
munity Thursday.

He is survived by the widow,
Mrs. Geneva Hall Kendrick;
two sons, Harvey of Greensboro
and Billy Kendrick of Burling-
ton; three stepsons, Fred and
Donald Hall of Bryson City and
Robert Hall, U.S. Air Force,
Thailand; two stepdaughters,
Mrs. Jim Tuck and Mrs. Annis
Tuck, both of Bryson City, and
two grandchildren.

Services were held at 3 p. m.
Saturday at Jackson Line Bapt-
ist Church.

The Rev. Berlin Aldridge and
the Rev. Wayne Slayton officiated
and burial was in Bryson
City Cemetery. Pallbearers were
Melvin Lequire, Victor Whobrey,
Lloyd Chambers, Jack Hicks,
O'Neal Muse, and Carroll Wright
Jr. The body was at Bill Moody
Funeral Home until 30 minutes
prior to the service.



Posey Thomas
Dies Monday

Posey Edmond Thomas, 71,
died unexpectedly Monday at
the home of a brother, Ashe
Thomas.

Services were held at 3 p. m.
Tuesday at East Alarka Church
of God.

The Rev. M. R. Snyder officiated
and burial was in Cochran
Cemetery. Grandsons were pall-
bearers. The body was at Bill
Moody Funeral Home until 30
minutes prior to the service.

Surviving are three sons, Carl
and William of Swannanoa, and
Garfield Thomas of Gastonia;
four daughters, Mrs. Vina Mil-
ler of Gastonia, Mrs. Ruby Smith
and Mrs. Hazel Smith, both of
Bryson City, and Mrs. Violet
Pitman of Henderson; five bro-
thers, Ashe, Stroube, Theodore,
and Lawton, all of Bryson City,
and Stanley Thomas of Lake
Junaluska; 30 grandchildren and
10 great-grandchildren.

Charles R. Sneed
In Naval Basic

Great Lakes, Ill. (PHINC) —
Claude R. Sneed, 19, son of Mrs.
Pokie Sneed of Cherokee is
undergoing nine weeks basic
training at the Naval Training
Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

The intensive training includes
naval orientation, organization
and history, basic military regu-
lations, ordnance and gunnery,
seamanship, shipboard routine,
damage control, sentry duty and
military drill, physical fitness,
swimming, first aid and sur-

During the training period
recruits receive tests and inter-
views which determine their
future assignments in the Navy.
Upon completing the program
they are assigned to service
schools for technical instruction
or to ships or shore stations for
on-the-job training in a Navy
rating specialty.

With Farm Women

By MAIDRED MORRIS
(Items this week from Union,
Currituck, Richmond, Randolph,
Rockingham and Watauga Coun-
ties.)

Make Your Own Bedspreads
The home economics agent,
Mrs. Rebecca Mooney, used a
miniature bed to show Home
Demonstration Club members in
Union County the different types
of custom-made bedspreads.

The homemakers discussed dif-
ferent types of bedspreads, sel-
ection of fabrics, general con-
struction and yardage estima-
tion. Some of the members are
planning an all-day workshop to
make bedspreads for their
homes.

Prepares Salad Recipe Book
Currituck County Home Dem-
onstration Club members have
done it again. This time they
have compiled a book of around
200 favorite salad recipes.

Mrs. Elizabeth Sanderlin, home
economics agent, says that ap-
petizing salads are right for al-
most any occasion and the homemak-
ers decided this was a good way
to share their favorite recipes
with each other. It also served
as a money making project for
the county council.

A No. 4 manila bag is about
the right size. Place the bag over
the bunch and close as tightly as
you can at the top. A heavy pin
or a small finishing nail may be
used for this purpose. The tighter
the better in order to exclude
water. In case water does get in
the bag, cut a small hole in one
corner at the bottom of the bag
for drainage. Use scissors for a
clean cut.

The rhododendron variety,
Brandy Green, a Dexter hybrid,
won first prize in its class at the
annual show of the New York
Chapter of the American Rhodo-
dendron Society. If you would
like to try this variety, see your
local nurseryman for a source of
plants. If he can not help you,
let me know, and I will try to
locate a source of supply for you.

Appreciates Old Furniture
Mrs. Bill Usery of Richmond
County has found that she ap-
preciates old pieces of furniture
which she has refinished more
than her new pieces. She enjoys
seeing the old furniture take on
new life.

According to Mrs. Martha B.
Adams, home economics agent,
Mrs. Usery learned to refinish
furniture two years ago and re-
finished an old clock and table.
Since then, she has refinished a
rocking chair, high headboard
bed, and a walnut drop-leaf
table.

Efficiency In Planning
Mrs. W. B. Chandler of Ran-
dolph County plans to convert
an unfinished garage into a rec-
reation room for the teen-age
children and also for more stor-
age area.

Mrs. Dorothy Herndon, assist-
ant home economics agent, says
that Mrs. Chandler is also plan-
ning for a convenient sewing

center. By doing this, she will
not have to spend so much time
assembling sewing supplies.

Educational Tour
Seventy-eight people recently
returned to Rockingham Coun-
ty after an annual county farm
tour. The group traveled more
than 1,400 miles through six
states.

Miss Anna Fitzgerald, assistant
home economics agent, says that
the group visited the Agricul-
ture Research Center at Belts-
ville, Maryland. Here they stud-
ied the usefulness and economy
of fabrics, foods, and other goods.
They were taken on a tour of the
energy-saving kitchen.

When putting a suit on a han-
ger to go in a suitcase or gar-
ment bag, do not button the
coat. Instead, lap the button-
hole side of the coat well over
the other side and it will wrin-
kle less.

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