

Highway Fund Distribution To Be Based On Road Mileage

Raleigh.—A \$5,000,000 allocation for road improvements, made Thursday by Governor Hooper, will be divided among the state's highway districts on a basis of area, road mileage, population, the state highway and public works commission decided Friday.

Of the sum, \$500,000 will be set for bridges, \$2,250,000 will be for improvement of secondary roads and \$2,500,000 will be to "standardize" primary roads. Frank L. Dunlap, commission chairman, defined "standardizing" as the elimination of curves, widening, and improvement of surfacing.

The specific amount which each district will receive had not been computed tonight by highway department statisticians.

The commission requested the budget bureau to allot \$500,000, from a surplus in the highway appropriations account, for the purchase of machinery to conduct the \$5,000,000 road improvement program.

62 Beer License Revoked In State

Raleigh, April 1.—Sixty-two retail beer licenses in 26 North Carolina counties have been revoked at the behest of the Brewers and N. C. Beer Distributors Committee.

This means that 62 proprietors of anti-social beer outlets have been forced by local authorities to get out of the beer business as a part of the industry's "clean up or close up" campaign in this state.

During the month of March, 14 licenses were revoked by boards of commissioners in Buncombe, Craven, Martin, Pasquotank, Edgecombe, Davie, Transylvania and Cleveland counties. One dealer in Surry county was placed on probation by the town board of Elkin.

The 14 licenses were revoked on petition of Edgar H. Bain of Goldsboro, State Director in charge of the industry's "clean up or close up" campaign in this state. The charges ranged from illegal sale of whiskey to disorder and public nuisance which prompted neighborhood complaints.

Colonel Bain announced today that during the seven-month period ended March 31, the committee secured the revocation of 62 licenses in 26 counties, and warned 92 dealers in 56 counties to "clean up" or face more drastic action. In addition, two dealers were placed on probation.

Revocation petitions are pending against 25 dealers in 8 counties. Colonel Bain, acting for the committee, filed petitions with city and county authorities of these counties requesting that their licenses to sell beer at retail be revoked on grounds that dealers violated the law and public decency.

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All-American Color Schemes



LOS ANGELES—Sun-repelling: White on the body of this home in warm, sunny southern California, helps keep the interior cool. Shutters are Fiesta Yellow, roof is Sienna Brown.



GREAT NECK, L. I.—Sedate and clear of line, the body of this house is White to brighten and enlarge apparent size. Contrasting Green shutters complete this refreshing color scheme.



CLEVELAND HOME—Colonial Yellow gives a gay note to this typical midwest home with shutters in French Crown Green Medium and trim in White. Roof is Silver Gray.



FLORIDA—With definite Spanish influences evident, this typical Florida home is styled with cool White body. Upper floor window and door frames are Castilian Blue. Lower, are Golden Yellow.

"It's a simple matter to color-style your home to bring out all its architectural beauty when you paint it," according to local Paint and Color Headquarters, Carlton's Hardware. The

"All American Color Schemes" shown above are but four of the hundreds and forty-three modern color styles recommended by Sherwin-Williams Decorative Studios and illustrated in their

new Paint and Color Style Guide on display at Carlton's Hardware. Interior and exterior treatments for all periods and styles are requested.

War May Be Going Into Crucial Stage

From every discernible indicator, the eighth month, now opening of the war in Europe will be one of crucial significance for belligerents and neutrals alike despite lessening prospects of an immediate break in the west front stalemate.

Events have set a world-stage for Prime Minister Chamberlain's impending speech to Parliament in London, reconvening after its Easter recess. It may provide some more definite clue to the processes by which Allied strategy has been reshaped for more intensive and aggressive economic action against Germany.

Judged by the implications of a week-end broadcast by Winston Churchill, British First Lord of Admiralty, it is intensified economic attack on Germany that has been planned by England and France, not military assault.

Churchill reiterated that the Allies are waging war on Hitlerism alone, but failed to indicate how the Allied economic net could be pulled together.

Presumably that exposition will come from Chamberlain in revealing to Parliament what prompted the new "peace-and-war-together" pact with France.

Determined to Carry On Premier Reynaud, France's new war leader, is already on record as determined to press the war on Germany in "all domains" but without waste of life. That pronouncement on his assumption of the Premiership was read as closing the door to a west front attack on Germany by land or air, so far as Reynaud's government is concerned. It left wide open, however, the possibility of an Allied-Turkish thrust at Germany via the Black sea.

French dismissal of the Soviet ambassador to Paris heightened speculation as to whether the Allies were about to assume the military offensive on Germany's southeastern flank, regardless of the effect on Italian or Russian non-belligerency. With nearly a million troops mobilized in the Near East, the Allies could strike a formidable blow at vital German resources from that side; yet not without still uncertain repercussions on Rome and Moscow.

Against that is to be set

Churchill's apparent answer to a formal reiteration in Moscow that Russia intends to remain a non-belligerent.

"It is no part of our (Allied) policy to seek war with Russia," Churchill said, adding that the Allies had no quarrel either "with the Italian or Japanese people" and sought to confine the war "to Hitler and Nazi German power."

Yet the general purport of Churchill's speech, like the French moves that put a new strain on Franco-Russian relations, indicate that at least one item upon which the new Franco-British policy is based, is vigorous intensification of the economic strangulation campaign against Nazidom whatever it leads to. And it is in the southeastern Eur-

opean theater, where Germany finds oil, food and other supplies, that economic pressure could become decisive.

Churchill's assertion that intensification of the war "is to be expected, and we certainly will not shrink from it" stripped his disclaimer of any Allied war-making purpose against either Russia or Italy of much of its reassuring quality, so far as neutrals of the Balkan area are concerned. It virtually changed both Moscow and Rome to intervene if they dared in whatever steps to tighten the Allied economic squeeze on Germany are impending in the Southeast.

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The county commissioners in Avery county have appropriated \$1,000 to buy eight registered Hereford bulls to be placed on farms to encourage better livestock, reports J. E. Fenland, assistant farm agent.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

NORTH CAROLINA, WILKES COUNTY.
Under and by virtue of the authority contained in a certain deed of trust executed by C. R. Triplett to W. Bryan Booe, on the 14th day of Feb. 1931, to secure the payment of a note of even date therewith, the same being recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Wilkes County in Book 169 at page 176 and default having been made in the payment of said note on demand, NOW THEREFORE, I will on the 22nd day of April, 1940, at the Court House Door in Wilkesboro, North Carolina, offer for sale for cash, to the highest bidder, at the hour of 12:00 noon the following described lands to wit; Lying and being in Wilkes County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of F. J. Hartley, Virgil Mortz, Judd Green

and others and bounded as follows:
First Tract: Beginning on a line east near the head of Stony Fork creek running South 40 degrees East 140 poles to a chestnut oak stump; thence North 50 degrees East 110 poles to a stake; thence North 40 degrees West 145 poles to a stake in F. J. Hartley's land; thence South 50 degrees West with said line 110 poles to a stake in said line; thence South 40 degrees East five poles to the beginning. Containing 75 acres.

Second Tract adjoining the first tract: Beginning on a chestnut and chestnut-oak on a corner of the above described land, and running with the line of said tract North 50 degrees East 100 poles to a chestnut-oak and wood on the ridge above Chapman Greens; thence with Chapman Greens line South 40 degrees East 20 poles to a chestnut, containing the same course to all 167 poles; a stake in William J. Chapman's land, thence S. 50 degrees West 100 poles to a stake; thence N. 40 degrees West 107 poles to the beginning. Containing 80 acres more or less.
This the 19th day of March, 1940.
W. BRYAN BOOE, Trustee
By T. R. Bryan, Attorney
4-18-40. (t)

Notice of Change of Voting Places

At a meeting of the Wilkes County Board of Elections held in the City Hall, North Wilkesboro, N. C., on April 1, 1940, the Board ordered changes in voting places for the following townships:

- Antioch Township will vote at Tom Mathis Service Station on Highway 421.
- Edwards No. 2 Township at Roaring River School house.
- Lovelace Township at E. P. Inscore's Store on Highway No. 115.
- Reddies River Township at Millers Creek School house.
- Rock Creek Township at Mountain View School house.
- Stanton Township at New Hope School house.

E. P. INSCORE, Chairman.
J. C. GRAYSON, Secretary.

Wilkes County Board of Election

ABSOLUTE AUCTION SALE

Mrs. Carl Salmons Lambeth Lands
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