

Women's Church, Civic And Social Activities

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Mrs. C. B. Eller is Hostess To Her Club
The members of the Idlewild club and two additional guests, Mrs. Boyd Stout and Mrs. A. M. Church, Jr., were delightfully entertained Saturday evening by Mrs. C. B. Eller at her home of Fourth street. Supper was served in two courses at seven o'clock after which three tables were made up for bridge. High and low score awards, which were defense stamps, went to Mrs. Chal McNeil and Mrs. G. G. Folsdexter. For prize honors Mrs. Church received a potted plant.

Civic And Social Club Met Monday Afternoon

The March meeting of the Civic and Social club of North Wilkesboro was held at the Woman's clubhouse Monday afternoon with Mrs. E. C. Johnson, Mrs. Thomas McLaughlin, Mrs. Frank Eller, and Mrs. Cecil Adamson as associate hostesses. Rev. A. C. Waggoner, pastor of the North Wilkesboro Methodist church, was to be the speaker for the afternoon but due to the inclement weather he was asked to wait and speak to the club at its next meeting which will be the first Monday in April. Mrs. Hadley Hayes presided for the business session and at the close the hostesses served refreshments.

Happy Tuners Club Held Monthly Meetings

Both divisions of the Happy Tuners club, of which Mrs. A. F. Kilby is Counsellor, held interested meetings last week. The senior group met with Jane Carter on Thursday evening. Patsy McNeil presided for the business part of the meeting and the program was given by Miss Louise Younce, public school music teacher in the city school. Miss Younce gave a sketch of Chopin's life and the different types of music written by him after which she played several of his compositions. A

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Monday - Tuesday

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SEE THIS ONE TODAY THE ARMY DEMANDS MOVIES

Every camp and fort has one or more movie theatres... the recreational directors know that effortless relaxation is necessary to army health and morale... it is just as necessary to civilian welfare... Relax, see a movie tonight!

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WATCH SABOTAGE—Insects in Garden 'Fifth Columnists'

A Victory Garden has been classed as an important weapon in winning the war, but J. O. Howell, Extension entomologist of State College warns home gardeners to beware of "Fifth Columnists." He says insects are ready to sabotage the efforts of North Carolina farmers to produce "vegetables for ally, abundance and victory."

A pre-season garden clean-up will help reduce insect damage by insects, the entomologist said. "It is especially important in 1945 due to a possible shortage of some insecticides," Howell declared.

The State College specialist pointed out that certain types of insects live over winter in tree crop residue left on the land, in weeds, leaf litter, and under boards and trash piled on the ground. Others take refuge in ditches, waste places and in and around storage houses.

Continuing, Rowell said, "Garden sanitation is always a good practice, but it is more important than ever this year because of the increased need for vegetable crops as 'Victory Food.' The home gardener also needs to see that spraying and dusting equipment is in good shape. Preparedness is vital to the war effort. Armies of insects can do as much damage to gardens as hordes of bombing planes can do to our cities and industrial plants."

France Renews Neutral Pledge In U. S. Note

Washington.—Warned by President Roosevelt not to aid the axis, Vichy France has pledged itself to refrain from any violation of neutrality, particularly any violation involving "the use of French vessels for the purpose of war."

This was disclosed Friday by Sumner Welles, undersecretary of state, who added that "further clarifications with regard to other important questions are awaited before the status of relations with Vichy can be finally determined."

4-H Project Champ's Announced by Harrill

Names of six 4-H club champions for 1944, all winners of one-year scholarships to N. C. State College, were announced this week by L. R. Harrill, State 4-H Club leader.

They are: Henry Van Harmon of Bertie county, the best tobacco grower; Charles Cone of Nash county, corn champion; Franklin Batten of Johnston county, cotton; Tim Byrd of Sampson county, poultry; and Howard T. Blalock of Durham county, calf club champion.

Van Harmon, Cone, Batten, and Byrd will receive State College scholarships from the makers of Arcadian nitrate of Soda, through H. L. Meacham of Raleigh. Waller, the poultry champion, will be rewarded by the Farmers Cooperative Exchange (FCX), of which M. G. Mann, of Raleigh is general manager. Blalock's scholarship was donated by the N. C. Cottonseed Crushers Association.

Franklin Batten produced 2,371 pounds of seed cotton, and 889 pounds of lint. His profit was \$117.15. Tim Byrd grew 845 bushels of corn per acre, on three acres. He made a profit of \$61.75 per acre.

Allocate Funds For Road Work

Raleigh.—The State Highway and Public Works commission, meeting here Friday, decided to spend one-third of the \$3,000,000 special allocation made in January by Governor Broughton from the general fund for improving the state and county highway systems.

The fund will be programmed for expenditures in the ten highway divisions, but the commission decided that it will be advisable to spend the operating at this time, with the remainder being withheld for expenditure as conditions appear to justify it. Thus, each commissioner will submit projects covering his proportionate share of the one-third.

Then, when the Commission meets here again for its March meeting, on March 17th, further plans will be based on the outlook at that time.

Governor Broughton, who met with the Commission, described conditions today as "much more acute" than they were a month ago, but he urged that a "too limited view" of the entire picture would be "fatal." He met with the Commission at 11 a. m. Monday meeting also, and at that time he stressed the importance of continuing the highway program as extensively and as rapidly as conditions and prospects would permit. This was the same position he took at Friday's meeting.

Whopping Ballot For Repeal of Pensions Voted By House

Washington.—In mood first angry, then boisterous, the House rolled up a whopping vote of 289 to 7 for repeal of pensions for congressmen, making virtually certain that the law which had plagued it for weeks soon would be wiped off the statute books.

Actually, the vote was on a technical motion which will lead to repeal, but they considered that the effect was the same as they eagerly called out a loud "aye" when the long-sought record vote—the first to be taken in the House on the question—began.

The handful of "no" votes included that of majority leader McCormack, of Massachusetts. The others were Representatives Boland, Democrat, Pennsylvania; Casey, Democrat, Massachusetts; Flaherty, Democrat, Massachusetts; Moses, Democrat, Pennsylvania; Mitchell, Democrat, Illinois; and Rogers, Democrat, Oklahoma.

The crowded chamber got off to one false start as Rep. Martin J. Kennedy, Democrat, New York, interposed an objection to the complicated parliamentary situation in which the pension repeal found itself. Influential members quickly waited upon him and within an hour he withdrew his objection and the stage was set.

Then Representative Vinson, Democrat, Georgia, proposed that House members of a joint Congressional committee on a minor naval bill be instructed to retain a Senate rider calling for the pension repeal. It was that suggestion that the House finally approved. The Senate took similar action last week by a vote of 75 to 5.

Philadelphia.—Counterfeiters here apparently have turned patriotic since the United States entered the war.

Strange Planes Attack Bataan

Washington.—The War Department reported today that General Douglas MacArthur's Philippine forces were bombed by enemy planes with unusual markings which may have been German built.

The raids, made against the defenders' lines on the Bataan Peninsula, were local and failed to inflict damage, a communique said.

Three two-engine planes were said to have been spotted marking lines, being painted black with white crosses on the wings.

Japan, the communique said, is believed to have had German-built planes in reserve.

Ground operations on the peninsula meanwhile dwindled to a virtual standstill in the past 24 hours, the War Department advised.

Text of Communique
The text of the communique, number 130, based on reports received here up to 9:30 a. m. e. s. t.

1. The Philippine theatre:
"There were practically no ground operations in Bataan during the past 24 hours.

Enemy air activities were confined to some local bombing raids behind our lines. No damage was inflicted. Among the enemy aircraft participating in the bombing were three two-engine planes with unusual markings. They were painted black, with white crosses on the wings. They may have been German-built planes, some of which Japan is believed to have had in reserve.

2. There is nothing to report from other areas"

Jock Whitney Weds The Divorced Wife Of James Roosevelt
New York.—With his chauffeur, valet and secretary among the guests, John Hay (Jock) Whitney, 37, one of the nation's wealthiest men, was married yesterday to Mrs. Betsy Cushing Roosevelt, 33, former wife of James' Roosevelt, eldest son of the President.

Wants To Take Tax Out Salary

Washington.—You'll be finding part of your Federal income tax deducted from your pay-check by your employer pretty soon, if Congress approves a suggestion made today by Secretary Morgenthau.

He said such collection probably would be necessary for the "convenience" of the taxpayer, and also to stop him from spending his money in some inflationary way before tax time rolls around.

How it would work at the 10 per cent rate:
Salaries and wages—Any employee paying more than \$16 a week to a single person or more than \$33 a week to a married person would check off 10 per cent of any wages in excess of those amounts and send the money to the Treasury every month. If the employee had children or other dependents, an additional \$8.50 a week would be exempt from the deduction for each dependent.

Needed—30 Machine Shop Inspectors in central North Carolina plant. Learn the details at your nearest United States Employment Service office.

Wanted—Workers, skilled and semi-skilled, for war production. Apply at your nearest United States employment office.

Rules Relaxed

Washington.—Tax war production board relaxed its regulations restricting the use of crude rubber and latex for civilian commodities yesterday again curtailing the amount which may go to such items.

It left unchanged, however, that of articles for which the use of crude rubber is forbidden. This list includes rubber boots, bathing suits and caps, toys, novelties and garden hose. These still may be made out of reclaimed rubber.

A WPA source said that even the use of reclaimed rubber probably would be restricted at some future date.

The board revised the list of articles for which rubber goods manufacturers may use only specified percentages of their normal use, adding some articles and reducing the amount of rubber permitted for other items. In some instances increases were allowed, principally for rubber-lined tanks and pipes.

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N. B. C. RITZ, 1-lb. pkg — 20c
KELLOGG'S OR POST TOASTIES—
CORN FLAKES, package — 5c
PRINCE ALBERT—
TOBACCO, 2-oz. tin — 10c
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