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## Boys and Girls Helping To Purchase Food

County Agent J. B. Snipes reports that as a result of visits to 30 schools in Wilkes over 2,000 boys and girls have pledged to carry out food production projects this year.

With young men in the armed service of our country, and many other men and some women away at work in war industries, the burden of food production is going to fall on boys and girls and older people.

Aside from the benefit production of food will be in the war program, there are other virtues to production of food by boys and girls. It will give them practical training in an important phase of life and will mean that they come in contact with work, which is essential for every person who intends to live a successful life.

There are no short cuts around work. Regardless of the vocation or profession a young person selects, there will be plenty of work if any measure of success is to be obtained.

The quicker boys and girls learn that truth, the better they will get along in the world. Those who find it really hard are those who are not introduced to work until they have reached an age of maturity. Then it is almost impossible for them to learn the great lesson of necessity of work.

## War News Better

News from the many fighting fronts during the past week was definitely better.

One of the major developments was the total destruction of a Japanese convoy of 22 ships off the northeast coast of New Guinea. In addition to sending 22 ships to the bottom, our planes destroyed 15,000 Japanese troops.

Destruction of the convoy does not mean that the Japs are licked, but it does mean that our forces are equal to the situation and have given Tojo a setback long to be remembered by the military leaders of Japan.

Tojo announced that Japanese ships had retired to previously prepared positions. Our reply is that they retired to positions at the bottom of the Pacific.

In Russia the news was a little gloomy ten days ago with the Germans throwing the weight of their reserve strength into counterattacks on the southern front.

The Russians were equal to the situation and on the central front west of Moscow countered with one of the greatest offensives.

In Africa allied forces recaptured all positions which Rommel's forces took over in mid-February.

It was a week of very good news for the Allies.

## Patriotism of Hosiery Mill Employes

We noted with interest that employes of Wilkes Hosiery Mills company last week contributed \$1,500 to the Red Cross War Fund.

This instance adds to the already impressive record of contributions by the company's employes, who have responded liberally to every call with contributions and support to worthy causes.

And we learn from the management of the company that the employes did it themselves and without any pressure of any kind from company officials. They did it willingly and gladly.

There are other groups who make good records in support of the Red Cross and other activities. But when a large group consistently meets every call with liberal response, it is time that their achievements be publicly commended.

## Borrowed Comment

### LET'S TAKE IT CHEERFULLY

(State Magazine)

New rules in food rationing were promulgated last week and are now in effect. Drastic curtailment in the use of some foods—especially canned goods—has been put into effect. The Government is asking that everybody cooperate in obeying the regulations and in pointing out that this cooperation will play an important part in our war effort.

We can follow two courses in this connection. We can grumble, complain and find fault, or we can take it in our stride and inform the Government that we're willing to respond cheerfully.

To our way of thinking, the American people are going to do their best to live up to the provisions of the new regulations. In the past, we have been able to buy anything we want, and as much of it as we want. But we're now at war. It is necessary that we send vast supplies to our Allies, who are helping fight our battle for us. It is also necessary that we keep the men and women in our armed forces well supplied with everything they need. They come first. We who are left at home come last. The sacrifices we make are trivial when compared with the sacrifices they are making.

What the shoe store man would like better than anything else would be for the government to ration the number of pairs the gals try on before they make up their minds to buy.—Statesville Daily.

Out with Hitler and his ilk will go the whole philosophy of the international touch: that a ten-ton truck moving the wrong way in a one-way street is right.—Charlotte News.

Thousands of British-made Lend-Lease barrage balloons now protect the West Coast of the United States.

## LIFE'S BETTER WAY

WALTER E. ISENHOUR,  
Hiddenite, N. C.

### THE DANGER OF OPPOSING GOD'S PEOPLE

"No weapon that is formed against thee shall prosper; and every tongue that shall rise against thee in judgment thou shalt condemn. This is the heritage of the servants of the Lord, and their righteousness is of me, saith the Lord."—Isaiah 54:17.

It is a dangerous thing to take a stand against a man of God. This has been tried across the ages of time with fearful consequences. When a man is living in close touch and blessed fellowship with God, it is a known fact that God will protect him. If, however, he permits him to suffer, or even die, yet the truth and the right for which he stood shall continue to stand. It will live on and on, while those who take their stand against the man of God and that for which he stood, and gave his life, die in defeat and is soon forgotten.

"No weapon that is formed against thee shall prosper." This promise is made to men of godliness and righteousness by God Almighty. If we are living godly and righteously, and find strong opposition to the truth and the right for which we stand, and the good things of life for which we are living, why fret and worry? We are told, "Fret not thyself because of evil-doers, neither be thou envious against the workers of iniquity. For they shall soon be cut down like the grass, and wither as the green herb." (Psalm 37:1, 2). God will certainly take care of His own, His truth and His blessed cause. To know we are right, and that God is with us, is sufficient. "And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to his purpose." (Rom. 8:28). Hallelujah! If we love God supremely, and pray to Him continually, and realize that we are called into His service by His divine Spirit, and have the consciousness that we are measuring up to His call and purpose for our lives, then the most adverse and trying circumstances of life can't defeat us. They only work out for our good and God's glory. God will bring things out just right.

It is better to be with the small crowd on any issue, or along any line, and be right, than be with the large crowd, or the majority, and be wrong. Men and devils may form their weapons against God's people, but they shall not prosper. When they are dead, gone and forgotten, and have left this world "unwept, unhonored and unsung," men shall rise up and call God's people blessed. Praise our God.

## Abnormal Absurdities

By DWIGHT NICHOLS, et al.

### ODE TO SELECTIVE SERVICE

Pvt. Dexter P. Wyatt, who is stationed in Rhode Island, sends us the following poetry:  
I remember 'twas only six months ago they classified me in 1-A; And a couple of wise guys came down for a laugh when a corporal marched the way.  
I had hardly been gone from my home town when a son-of-a-gun in 3-A

Took over my job at Cannon tower mills only he got just double my pay;  
And almost as soon as my troop train pulled out that flat-footed guy in 1-B

Started running around with my girl friend at home who had promised to stay true to me.  
But justice is justice, each dog has his day

And those guys in 3-A and 1-B were re-classified so that they now drill all day and cuss their sergeant—that's me.

### PLENTY OF MONEY

Some time ago we wrote in this column about a friend of ours receiving a large sum from the sale of a surplus tire to the government.

Now our ship has come in. Our tire was turned in November 18, 1942, a few weeks after we paid \$2 for it.

Our check was so long coming that we had decided that sale of war bonds had to pick up before the government could pay us.

No wonder we had been urging everybody to buy more war bonds. We wanted to get paid.

And did.  
When our check arrived Friday, March 3, we called officers to provide an armed guard to escort us to the bank.

We realized ten per cent on our investment—that is, we got back ten cents of each dollar invested, making a total of twenty cents.

We had a notion to send the check back with the remark that we have a conscience that works both ways.

And then we had another notion to frame the check.  
And last we had a better notion—to spend it.

### HOW SHE TRADED

Wife: "Goodness, George, this is not our baby. This is the wrong carriage."  
Hubby: "Shut up. This carriage has rubber tires on it."

### HE WAS FATHER

Proud parents on meeting the new first grade teacher: "I am very happy to know you, Miss Smith. I am the father of the twins you are going to have next September."

### SIRES REGISTERED

The next generation of youngsters is bound to be an improvement because they'll all be from registered fathers.

### HE DID SELL IT

A tourist stopped in front of a little country store, dumbfounded at the sight of an enormous display of salt piled on the premises. Stack after stack, boxes, barrels and bags. Tons of salt, inside the store and out.

"Ye gods, man, you must sell a lot of salt!" exclaimed the tourist.  
"No, I don't sell much," replied the storekeeper, "but you should have seen the guy that came here last week. He really COULD sell salt."

### A NATURAL QUESTION

Guest (to host in new home): "Hello, old pal, how do you find it here?"  
Host: "Walk right upstairs, and then two doors to the left."

### FOR OBSERVATION

Young Miss Brown had just been prepared for the operation room and placed on the stretcher to be wheeled in finally by the nurse. While she was left alone one doctor approached, lifted the sheet, peeked under and left. Still another approached, lifted the sheet and peeked under. This was entirely too much, so she asked the man: "What am I here for, Doc., observation or operation?" He replied: "I don't know; I'm not the Doc; I'm the painter down the hall."

Mexico expects to produce this year 55,000 tons more sugar than it can consume, and may ship the surplus to the United States.

### ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of Eula Alexander, late of Wilkes county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned, whose address is North Wilkesboro, N. C., duly verified, on or before the 8th day of February, 1944, or this notice will be filed in bar of their right to recover. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This 8th day of February 1943.  
MRS. M. A. WARREN,  
Administratrix of the estate of Eula Alexander, dec'd. 3-15-43

## News Of the Week Of Elk Township

Miss Edith Ferguson spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Carroll Small, of Boonville.

George Allen returned Sunday to the U. S. Navy after spending a few days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Dula spent the week-end with Mrs. Dula's parents' Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Triplette.

Mr. Sidney Walsh returned Wednesday to Virginia, where he is holding a job in a war plant.

Op. Richard Pearson is home on a fourteen-day furlough.

We are very sorry to hear of the illness of Mr. Frank McNeill's baby. We hope it will recover soon.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Mr. Turner Marley to Miss Clara West, of Boomer. Mr. Marley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don West. Exact date of marriage is unknown. We extend our sincere hopes of happiness for them.

Little Dale Dula is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Noonday Rock, of the Farallon Islands, visible in the Pacific Ocean from San Francisco, is a submerged peak named after the skipper Noonday, which struck it and sank there in 1863.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Emma Jane Henderson, late of Wilkes county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned, whose address is North Wilkesboro, N. C., duly verified, on or before the 22nd day of February, 1944, or this notice will be filed in bar of their right to recover. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This 22nd day of February, 1943.

JOHNSON SANDERS,  
Administrator of the estate of Emma Jane Henderson. 3-29-M

## PRELIMINARY CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION

State of North Carolina  
Department of State

To All to Whom These Presents May Come—Greeting:

Whereas, it appears to my satisfaction to duly authenticated records of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution of the United Supply Company, Incorporated, a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated at No. 8 and 8 1/2 streets in the Town of North Wilkesboro, county of Wilkes, State of North Carolina, C. D. Corry, Jr., being assigned trustee and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served, has complied with the requirements of Chapter 22, Consolidated Statutes, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution:

Now Therefore, I, Thad Eure, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 5th day of February, 1943, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my

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said office as provided by law. In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at Raleigh, this 5th day of February, A. D. 1943.  
THAD EURE,  
Secretary of State



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