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business to the real hardship of many communities, simply because the operators cannot stand the strain involved.

Chairman Patman of the House committee on small business, has ordered an investigation into all phases of the issuance or orders and regulations by the OPA. He says: "Conditions are forced upon retailers and wholesalers which do not comply with the provisions of the Emergency Price Control Act."

Borrowed Comment

A HIGH ACHIEVEMENT
 (Winston-Salem Journal)

The publication of a 72-page special edition of any kind by a small city North Carolina weekly or semi-weekly is a remarkable achievement from the purely mechanical standpoint. When an edition of this size is also replete with accurate, well-illustrated and interesting news and special articles relating to a timely and vitally important topic, the achievement becomes truly distinctive.

The Journal-Patriot, of North Wilkesboro, has accomplished such a feat in its "Food-For-Freedom" edition for Thursday, May 6. This edition, of which 5,100 copies have been printed and circulated, touches upon every phase of the war food campaign in "the State of Wilkes," giving many striking facts pertaining to the progress of apple growing, dairying, poultry raising and other progressive food farming movements in the county which have received new impetus under war pressures. The advice and suggestions of acknowledged authorities in the fields of agriculture and home-making appear alongside the records of Wilkes' achievements to round out one of the most invaluable special editions from the practical standpoint to be published by a North Carolina newspaper.

One of the best feature stories of the entire edition is Dwight Nichols' article on the Champion Poultry Farm which has a chicken population of over 60,000, produces 16,000 eggs a day, and is the largest poultry farm in the South. Wilkes is the leading poultry producing county in North Carolina.

LIFE'S BETTER WAY
 WALTER E. ISENHOUR,
 Hiddenite, N. C.

AN ILL WILL

No man can be right in heart who harbors an ill will toward another. Such is unfit to live by and dangerous to die by. It will rob one of his God-given peace and joy on earth and keep him out of heaven when he leaves this world. O that we might impress this solemn truth upon the minds and hearts of our readers! Perhaps you have never thought of the seriousness of it. Think of it now. An ill will toward someone else means that you do not love him; that you have hatred in your heart toward him, or to some degree at least; that you would like to get revenge, or would be pleased to see vengeance dealt out to him; that there is a hateful feeling in your heart toward him and you had rather see him sink than swim, fall than rise.

Well, this is dangerous. You may never do your fellowman any harm whatsoever, but if you carry an ill will toward him in your breast it will keep you out of the kingdom of heaven, and that is enough to prove the seriousness of it. He may get to heaven while you will be shut out.

No doubt an ill will in the heart toward another has caused much trouble. It has caused murder. Certainly. In fact when a man willfully plans, aims and purposes in his heart to kill someone, that means he has an ill will toward him. How wicked! Such an ill will is to be repented of and given up, or life will be unhappy, and will be a failure. No man can enjoy the good things of God in his heart and soul if he carries an ill will toward another. Surely it will cast a shadow over his life. It will becloud his conscience. It will keep him from rising and climbing along life's better way.

What if you have been mistreated by someone else? If you have been lied upon, or have suffered injustice at the hands of another! What if someone else has done you a great wrong, and has caused you much trouble and heartache? Will it help you to carry in your inmost life an ill will toward him? Would you be satisfied, and receive a blessing, if you could get vengeance? Never. What God wants you to do is to have so much of His marvelous love and grace in your heart, and soul that you will love everybody, do good for evil, and keep the sweetness of heaven filling and thrilling your inmost and outer life. Amen. This is life's better way. Hallelujah!

The War and the Press

Throughout the country newspapers have placed the cause of victory first and foremost in their business.

And it has been our policy since the beginning of the national emergency to put the nation's cause first in little things as well as the most important parts of publishing a newspaper.

And it is gratifying to find that some persons are willing to recognize services of newspapers to the country.

The recent War Finance Campaign was an instance of newspapers rendering important service. We notice that every newspaper which has reached our desk, and they have been numerous, has contributed space to the urge to put the campaign over.

And upon completion of the campaign, we were glad to receive from Hugh Leach, chairman, United States Treasury War Finance Committee for the Fifth Federal Reserve District, Richmond, Va., the following personal letter to this newspaper:

"As you know, the United States Treasury's Second War Loan campaign in April was a complete success. Final figures are not yet available, but it is now evident that the Fifth Federal Reserve District's quota of \$300 million for sales to investors other than commercial banks has already been exceeded by fifty per cent.

"These excellent results were due in large measure to the energetic support of the press. I wish, therefore, to convey to you my most sincere thanks for the splendid cooperation that you and your organization gave throughout the campaign.

"Your generous assistance was most helpful not only in selling an unprecedented amount of Government securities but also in securing that wide distribution which is so essential to the economic stability of the country. While the people of the entire district responded beyond our expectations in this Second Drive, and the number of sales was larger than in December, it is quite apparent that it will be necessary for us to reach an even larger number of individuals during the next campaign."

And no less appreciated was the following letter from our good friend, John Paul Lucas, Jr., of Charlotte, North Carolina director of Information for the Second War Loan Campaign:

"The splendid standing of North Carolina in the Second War Loan Drive is itself the best evidence of the wonderfully cooperative job accomplished by our newspapers and other news agencies. If anything, I believe newspaper backing of the campaign exceeded that given your wholly newspaper-sponsored and entirely successful Scrap Drive last year.

"It has been my privilege to thank a number of you personally for your splendid assistance in the campaign. Let me here express to all of you the appreciation of the War Finance Committee for your part in this important phase of the war.

"Congratulations on a job well done—an assignment which when it comes again is assured of success with your continued enthusiasm and support."

All In the Same Boat Today

The buyers of merchandise today have no conception of what the storekeeper has to comply with in order to supply their needs. Take the case of a typical country store. The people for miles around depend on that store for their daily necessities. The storekeeper works throughout the day, and then additional hours into the night keeping track of ration stamps, and endless rules and regulations. Almost every move he makes is under threat of fine or jail sentence for a mistake. Thousands of stores are actually going out of

Abnormal Absurdities
 BY DWIGHT NICHOLS, N. C.

BACK AGAIN

After an absence of more than a week, we are back in this column up to our necks.

It is not necessary to tell the 12 readers why this column did not appear in either issue last week. One glance at the Thursday edition should explain everything.

STRATEGY

In war time we hear much of the use of strategy against superior numbers, force, etc.

The story is told of two rabbits which were being chased by a pair of foxes.

Just in the nick of time, the rabbits dodged into a hollow log. One asked: "What will we do now?"

"We'll stay here until we outnumber them", the other said.

USE OF WORDS

The teacher asked the smart seventh grade student to make a sentence using the word "diadem."

One little boy's hand shot up and he offered this sentence.

"People who drive 80 miles per hour diadem sight quicker than those who travel at 85."

A COINCIDENCE

"Let's pick up these two girls," said one.

But as the girls drew near, the second man said, "Gosh—no—that's my wife and sweetheart."

"Funny!" said the first man. "You took the words right out of my mouth."

BRIGHT BOY

The prosecuting attorney had encountered a difficult witness. Finally he asked the man if he was acquainted with any of the men on the jury.

"Yes, sir, more than half of them."

"Are you willing to swear that you know more than half of them?" demanded the lawyer.

"Why, if it comes to that, I'm willing to swear that I know more than all of them."

In Memory of W. A. Bumgarner

As I look back upon the past,
 Upon the years gone by;
 I visualize the grand old man
 Who knew how to sigh.

His visage wore a constant smile,
 His eyes, a twinkle kind;
 And words of wisdom that he spoke
 Proved his a thoughtful mind.

He had vast strength of soul and body
 And used it well for good.
 He tilted his soul and lived his life
 As true as any man could.

He worked for hours before the dawn,
 Long past the sight of sun;
 He toiled and sweated year by year,
 To see his tasks well-done.

For years, he served this county well,
 And earned an honored report;
 A fitting place in the Justice Machine,
 A Grand Jury of our Court.

Grandfather died as he had lived:
 Ignoring his earthly pain,
 Because he knew his Home with God
 Would be his Heavenly gain.
 —Pauline Bumgarner Gambill

The family that plays together stays together.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
 North Carolina,
 Wilkes County.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of W. A. Bumgarner, deceased, late of Wilkes county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the said estate to exhibit them to the undersigned at his place of business in North Wilkesboro, N. C., duly verified on or before the 10th day of May, 1944, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 8th day of May, 1943.
 J. S. BUMGARNER,
 Administrator of the estate of W. A. Bumgarner, deceased.
 Ralph Davis, Atty. 6-14-61m

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of L. F. Smith, 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 May, 1944, or this notice will be plead in bar of their right to recover. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 8th day of May, 1943.
 JOHNSON SANDERS,
 Administrator of the estate of L. F. Smith, deceased. 6-14-61m

AMONG THE COLORED FOLKS
 Church - Society - Personal

(Deferred from last week)
 Miss Jeanie Mae Alexander, May Witherspoon, and Mary Lou Harris left Friday afternoon to attend the N. Y. A. Training School in Elizabeth City.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Grier has visitors from West Virginia over the week-end.

Rev. Donald Adams is visiting his family this week. Rev. Adams plans to return to Baltimore, Md., soon.

Mrs. Mary Farmer accompanied Rev. J. J. Alexander on his visit to Claremont and Newton Sunday. Rev. Alexander is pastor of the Claremont Baptist church and the First Baptist church in Newton.

Accompanying Rev. H. J. Patterson Sunday was Mr. Sylvester Foot, of 16-19 Claremont Ave., Winston-Salem.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stangle Turner and Mr. James Turner, Friday and Saturday from Winston-Salem were, Mrs. Opal Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kelly, of Washington.

The W. I. C. circle met with Miss Mary George Glenn Sunday afternoon. A large number of teenage girls were present at this meeting. Plans were made for the War Mothers Service Sunday, May 9th. Miss Coleen Harris is president.

Mission Circle No. 2 met with Miss Mabel Woods Monday evening at 7 o'clock. After 45 minutes of business, the hostess served a very tempting sweet course.

Miss Annie Bowen and brother, James Marshall Bowen, left Monday evening for Portsmouth, Va.

CHURCH NEWS

Sunday school at 9:45 at First Baptist church. Please come.

The morning service at the First Baptist church was rendered by Rev. H. J. Patterson of Winston-Salem, pastor of Bethany Baptist church. Rev. Patterson used for his subject "A Convent Season Found." Acts: 24th chapter, verse 25.

The evening service was also rendered by Rev. Patterson.

Rev. H. J. Patterson spoke very forcefully at the Pleasant Hill Baptist church, Fairplains, Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m. Rev. V. C. Burns is pastor.

Bible Printing Plates Yield Precious Scrap

New York.—The American Bible society will scrap plates for 10 English Bibles, one Old Testament, five New Testaments and 32 gospel portions and 33 foreign language religious books—a collection of war-scarce metal weighing over 20 tons—to help the war effort.

Bible society officials said the plates, copper halftones, metal type and slugs would help answer the call for copper, lead and zinc needed in specialized war manufacturing.

The foreign language books include Bulu, Bulgarian, Danish, French, Grebo, Muskogee, Neva ho, Norwegian, Ponape, Portuguese, Spanish, Swedish and Welsh.

The ALLEN Theatre

THURSDAY - FRIDAY

MIGHTY MONSTER RUNNING AMOK!
 INHUMAN BEAST RAGING WITH FURY!

FRANKENSTEIN
meets
THE WOLF MAN

starring
ILONA MASSEY PATRIC KNOWLES
 with
BELA LUGOSI LIONEL ATWILL
MARIA OUSPENSKAYA
 and
LON CHANEY
 in his most terrifying role!

Now Showing—

Rosalina
RUSSELL MACMURRAY
FLIGHT FOR FREEDOM
HERBERT MARSHALL

DID THESE TWO STRIKE THE FIRST BLOW AT THE AXIS?

LAST-MINUTE WAR NEWS DAILY

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