

# West Jefferson Bean Markets To Open On Tuesday July 1

### Demand Expected To Be Good On Quality Beans; Cool Weather Delays Crop

West Jefferson — (Special) — The 1947 bean season will officially get underway in this section on Tuesday, July 1, as both of the local auction markets open. Indications point to a successful season as the crop, which was delayed by cool weather, appears to show promise of full production, after recent rains.

Last year, according to reports from the county agent's office more than 400,000 bushels of beans were sold on the local markets for an average of over \$2.00 per bushel, bringing an income of around \$800,000. This year the initial outlook reveals a good demand and equally good prices on the best quality beans.

According to farm surveys there is a slight increase in acreage this season and with favorable weather, the crop should exceed last year's.

West Jefferson has two markets, the Farmers' Bean and Vegetable market that is now beginning its fifth season, and the Ashe Bean Market, that is a year and a half younger.

Both markets have been unusually successful. The Farmers' Bean and Vegetable Market is owned and operated by W. G. Vannoy, Burl Vannoy and E. Roland.

Owners and operators of the Ashe Bean Market are Fred G. Graybeal, Henry E. George

Yates and R. W. Colvard. According to announcements, both markets will have plenty of buyers and will be well prepared to handle all beans in this area. Sales will start early in the afternoon and farmers are urged to bring their beans in early when possible instead of waiting until night.

They are also requested to pick beans while they are young and tender instead of waiting until they are too mature.

Sales on quality beans are expected to be good, but low grade beans are not in demand at the present, according to market surveys.

### ROY R. TEDDER SUCCUMBS SUDDENLY

Mrs. Arza L. Caudell, of Galax, Virginia, received a telegram recently, stating that her nephew, Roy R. Tedder had passed away suddenly at his home near Washington, D. C., due to a heart attack.

He is survived by his wife, one aunt, Mrs. Kate Tedder Caudell, the only living relative of his father's immediate family. Also three uncles and five aunts of his mother's family, survive.

He had served five years in the armed forces and received his discharge about a year ago. He has many friends in Alleghany and Grayson county who will regret to learn of his passing.

# Floods Ruin Towns And Farms In Des Moines River Valley



The town shown above, Red Rock, Ia., is in the Des Moines river valley, the center of Iowa's worst flood in history, in which many lost their lives and untold damage resulted to farm land and towns. The same story held in other states where high water flooded valuable farm land.

## Man Seriously Hurt In Wreck Near Va. Line

### R. R. Dutton Sustains Skull Fracture When Car And Truck Collide

Ralph R. Dutton, of Seven Mile Ford, Va., sustained serious skull and brain injuries in an automobile-truck collision on U. S. Highway 221 near the Virginia line Saturday afternoon around five o'clock. Dutton was accompanied by an unidentified woman who was not injured, officers stated. Dutton's two-door Buick sedan was damaged approximately \$500.00.

Chief C. B. Taylor, investigating officer, reported that Dutton first ran off the highway striking the bank and swerved back into the road colliding with the truck driven by George A. Adams, of Ohio. The truck was damaged only slightly and Adams was reported to have sustained no injuries.

Dutton is now a patient in the hospital at Marion, Va., where he was taken immediately following the accident. No charges have been preferred Chief Taylor stated.

## Sparta Team To Meet Sat. Night

### All Members And Prospective Members Urged To Be Present

There will be a special meeting of the members of the Sparta Baseball club at the community building, Saturday night at 7:30 o'clock, Elgin Edwards, manager, announced this week.

The public is invited but an urgent request is made by Mr. Edwards that all club officers, players now on the team and players desiring to become members of the team be present.

This meeting concerns the future success of the team, the manager stated and requested that all that could, be present.

## Revival To Begin At Shiloh, Sun.

A revival and Bible school will begin at the Shiloh Methodist church Sunday, Rev. W. H. Yoakey, pastor, announced this week. Rev. L. E. Strader, a former pastor, will assist the pastor with the services. The revival service will begin Sunday evening at eight o'clock.

The Bible school will open on Monday morning with classes beginning at nine o'clock and continuing until noon. All children from the ages of three to sixteen are cordially invited to attend.

## Summer Arrives Cool And Damp

Summer officially arrived here on Saturday with some of the coolest weather that had been felt here in some weeks. The rains accentuated the coolness of the atmosphere and coats and fires were brought into use.

Friday night the thermometer dropped slightly below 40 degrees according to some unofficial reports.

The temperature remained unusually cool this week. Many summer visitors shivered even with their coats on.

## REVIVAL TO BEGIN AT MT. CARMEL, SUN.

A revival service will be held at the Mt. Carmel Baptist church next week, beginning June 29, at 7:30 p. m. Rev. Hillary Blevins will assist the pastor, Rev. Fred Blevins, in the work. A

## Arrest Woman; Man For Theft

Two members of the Gate City carnival troop were arrested Sunday on charges of larceny, Chief C. B. Taylor said yesterday. John Duncan, of Atlanta, Ga., was reported to have stolen a handbag containing \$14.25 belonging to Virginia Truitt, of Sparta at the Rockhouse, on Sunday.

Pleading guilty to the charge, Duncan was turned over to Superior court, following a hearing held Tuesday. Duncan was fined \$50 and costs, and ordered to pay \$16.75 to Virginia Truitt.

Jackie Boutill, of Eastman, Ga., also charged with larceny, was released following the hearing and trial when the case against her was not pressed. Arrests were made by Wayne Hoppers.

## Eisenhower To Go To Columbia

### Accepts Presidency Of One Of Nations Largest Universities

Washington, — Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, the man who led victorious allied armies in Europe during World War II, disclosed Tuesday that he has accepted the presidency of Columbia university in New York effective next year.

He succeeds Nicholas Murray Butler, who retired in 1945 and is now Columbia's president emeritus.

Speculation over Eisenhower's successor as army chief of staff centered prominently on Gen. Omar N. Bradley, 54, one of the nation's top soldiers, who has been veterans administrator since Aug. 9, 1945.

Bradley served under Eisenhower as commander of American ground forces in the European campaign that brought the downfall of Hitler and Nazi Germany.

Eisenhower's decision to quit military life for an academic role at one of the nation's biggest universities was announced in a statement by Maj. Gen. Floyd L. Parks, chief of the war department's public relations division.

The statement said the five-star general of the army accepted the Columbia post today "with the approval of the president of the United States and secretary cordial invitation is extended to everyone."

of war" to become effective "at such time as his superiors may release him from active duty in the army."

The statement said that while the exact date could not be accurately foreseen, "with no radi-

cal change in the current outlook it should be sometime during the first of 1948."

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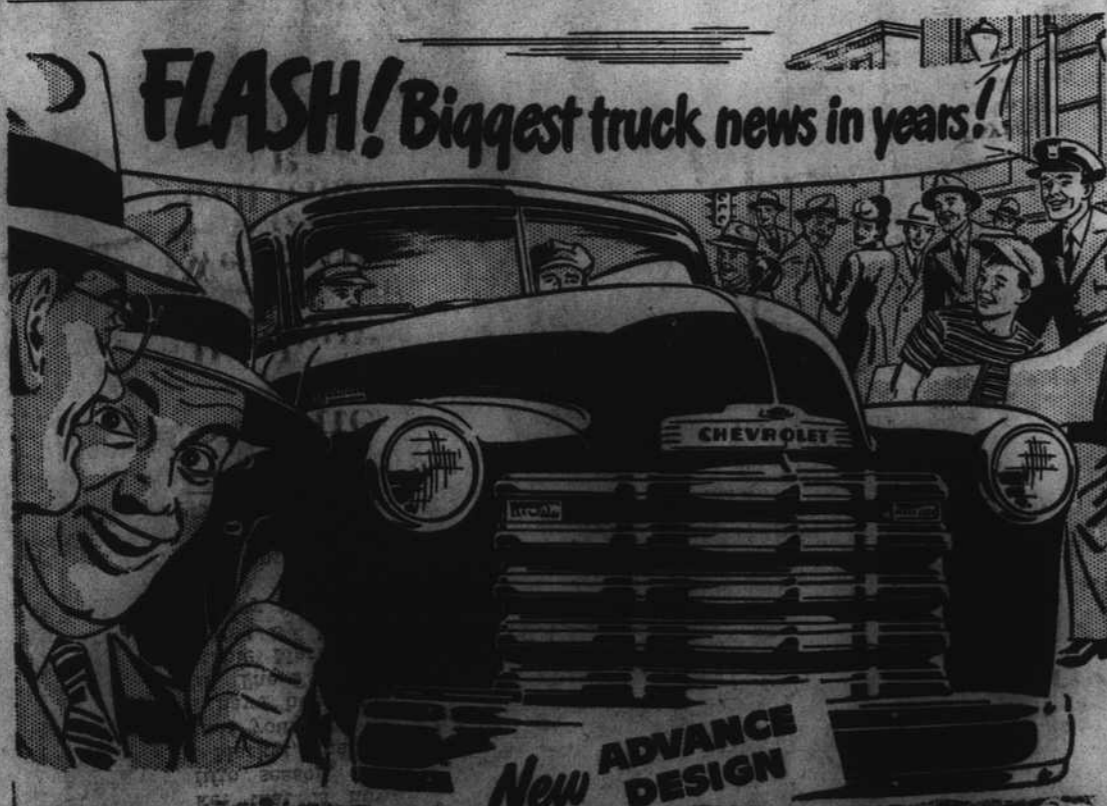
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