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"If the choice were left to me whether to have a free press or a free government, I would choose a free press."—Thomas Jefferson.

Paper Supply

Fifty years ago this week, the first business of "top-industrialists" was held at the White House, and President Theodore Roosevelt was given definite notice that there would be a timber famine in this country before 1950. Emphasis at that time was laid upon forest fires. But that seemed to have turned out to be only the "half of it."

Now comes statements from the United States Tariff Commission showing that our newsprint paper is coming almost entirely from Canada and that our neighbor to the North, "is the world's largest newsprint producer—that country having made about two-thirds or more of the world's total of newsprint in 1946."

In 1905, every one believed that the supplies of United States lumber, paper and other products of the forest were "inex-

haustable."

Federal reports show that the newsprint industry in the United States has been badly flattened-out by the diminishing supply of available pulp timber and that domestic costs are sky-high.

Our own Southern States are still producing pulp timber, but the rising costs of labor, competition by other wood consuming industries, and the ability of Canada to compete in the most important seaboard market have created a crisis in paper.

The total capacity of the 13 paper mills in the United States in 1927 is estimated at about 850,000 tons. In comparison, the capacity of the 34 Canada mills is nearly 4,350,000 tons. The Canadian industry is now supplying the United States market with newsprint with about 75% of Canada's total output.

Highway Unity

The most casual reading and comparison of highway regulatory measures of the various States discloses their inefficiency and offer their ineptness: For highways in adjoining States, often a part of a continuous Federal road, such as U. S. 1, or U. S. 20, were constructed under specifications approved by the United States Public Roads Administration. Nevertheless, in operation—for allowable uses, they vary as much as 65 percent.

To illustrate: The length of a single vehicle in Virginia is 33 feet, in Maryland it is 55 feet; Ohio permits a combination of vehicles of tractor, semi-trailer and full-trailer with a total of nine axles and a length of 60 feet; while in the adjoining state of Kentucky no combinations with more than four axles or a length of more than 33 feet is permitted. The approximate allowable gross in Ohio is 76,000 pounds; that in Kentucky is 42,000 pounds.

This, in effect, is restraint in trade to the detriment of the public. There exists a total of 301 of these interstate highway trade barriers. Some may have justification. Most do not. These same restraints effect the full use and enjoyment by the public of interstate highway traffic.

LAMB SHOW SET FOR NEXT MONDAY

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was announced.
It was explained that all lambs not sold on that day could be sold on Tuesday in the lamb pool.
It was explained that there will be four classes as follows: Pen of three lambs; set of twin lambs; individual lambs; and county group of five.
Buck lambs must be docked and castrated and ewe lambs must be docked in order to show.
Personnel will be available the morning before the show to help any boy to trim around the dock of his lamb, it was pointed out.

FIVE GUERNSEY ANIMALS PURCHASED

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Bailey, of Mocksville.
The sale, which was sponsored by the N. C. Guernsey Breeders' Association and the N. C. Extension Service, was attended by more than 200 interested farmers and agricultural leaders.

3,000 EXPECTED TO VOTE HERE SATURDAY

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ships are: Cherry Lane—Walter Spicer, C. C. Gentry, Sam McKnight, Dewitt Bryan, Raymond Miles.
Glade Creek—Mrs. Joe Combs, W. C. Evans, D. C. Wyatt, W. C. Higgins and Gwyn Truitt.
Piney Creek—V. B. Phipps, Clinton Busic, Bob Landreth, Dean Halsey, Herbert Osborne.

Prather's Creek—George Finney, Dan Jones, Frank Rouse, A. O. Joines and Bruce Finney.
Cranberry—T. C. Osborne, Jones Tilley, Posey Pruitt, Mrs. Tom Moxley, Charlie Roberts.

Whitehead—Bert Edwards, W. E. Hoppers, Robert Rector, Clease Joines and M. L. Richardson.
Gap Civil officials had not been named in time for publication.

\$1640.30 RAISED FOR VFW BUILDING

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Paul Higgins, Carlisle Edison Joines and Coy E. Mash.
Members to renew membership were Grant Harless, Troy D. Sanders, James F. Settle and Cleve W. Stoker.

LOCAL HORSES ARE WINNERS IN SHOW

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Judging the events was W. O. Bowie, of High Point, H. G. York served as ringmaster, and Harold Craven, of High Point, was master of ceremonies.

Five trophies were awarded entries in the championship classes. Sterling Chief, owned by C. L. Hashberger, of Norton, Va., and ridden by Corbett Williams, was the first place winner in the five-gaited championship and was awarded the trophy. Trophies were also presented Wilson Merry Boy, champion Walker, owned and ridden by Dr. M. S. Martin, of Mt. Airy; Little Greyhound, in the championship roadster class, ridden and owned by R. A. Covington, of Vinton, Va.; Heels Up, in the children's horsemanship class sponsored by D. F. Sturdivant, owned by Christy Peeler, of Salisbury and ridden by Spunky Fisher; and Dusty, in the three gaited championship class, owned by Florence Gildea, of Silver Pines Camp at Roaring Gap, and ridden by Mary Van Waldback.

The names of the winners, horses, riders and owners in the various classes are as follows:

Class 1- Open three gaited pony, 12 hands and under—First, Sugar Candy, ridden by owner Kitty Craynor; second, Tony, ridden by Franklin Sturdivant and owned by Grover Reeves, third, Kate, ridden by Jimmy Sturdivant and owned by W. C. Chambers; fourth, Champion, ridden by owner Wade Hampton.

Class 2- Open pleasure horses—First, Pat, ridden by owner Link Spainhour; second, Stormy Weather, ridden by owner Tom Greene; third, Natural Style Dan, ridden by Mrs. Paul Joines and owned by Mrs. Robert Joines; fourth, Flicker, ridden by Keith Caudill and owned by E. J. Richardson.

Class 3- Open jumpers—First, Starwood, ridden by Edd Daniels and owned by Chuck Haywood; second, Heels Up, ridden by June Fisher, Sr., and owned by Christy Peeler; third, True Heart, ridden by Spunky Fisher and owned by Betsy Murphy; fourth, Claim Agent, ridden by Chuck Haywood and owned by Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Hinkle.

Class 4- Local three-gaited—First, Starlight, ridden by Gay Pettit and owned by Nancy Thornton; second, Nellie, ridden by owner, Robert Joines; third, Melody, ridden by Barbara Fassett and owned by Florence Gildea; fourth, Lady Pegvine, ridden by James Craynor and owned by Tom Williams; fifth, Tiny Tim, ridden by Wylene Clark and owned by Florence Gildea.

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Class 5- Local five-gaited—First, Uncle Walter, ridden by owner, Mrs. Charles P. Waugh; second, Fair Acres Chieftan, ridden by Wayne Osborne and owned by Mrs. Clark Williams; third, Prince, ridden by owner Franklin Sturdivant; fourth, Natural Style Dan, ridden by Mrs. Paul Joines and owned by Mrs. Robert Joines; fifth, Stormy Weather, ridden by owner, Tom Greene.

Class 6- Junior Walkers, 3 years and under—First, King, ridden and owned by W. A. Woodruff.

Class 7- Open hunters—First, Starwood, ridden by Edd Daniels and owned by Chuck Haywood; second, Gold Star, ridden by Spunky Fisher and owned by Mrs. Thomas Zachery; third, Red Fox, ridden by June Fisher and owned by Billy Patterson; fourth, Claim Agent, ridden by Chuck Haywood and owned by Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Hinkle.

Class 8- Open roadsters—First, Little Greyhound, ridden and owned by R. A. Covington, Sr.; second, Volatile, ridden by H. E. Beatty and owned by H. J. Childress; third, Nellie, ridden by owner Robert Joines.

Class 9- Open fine harness—First, Roan King, ridden and owned by H. A. Johnson.

Class 10- Local Walkers—First, Pat, ridden by owner Link Spainhour; second, Lady Eleanor, ridden and owned by C. H. Todd; third, Shine Allen, ridden by James Craynor and owned by Tom Williams; fourth, Jim, ridden by owner Walter Newton; fifth, King, ridden by W. A. Woodruff and owned by Bill Musgrove.

Class 11- Open five-gaited—First, What A Surprise, ridden by Rex Watts and owned by John Francis; second, Sterling Chief, ridden by Corbett Williams and owned by Dr. C. L. Hashberger; third, Prince, ridden by owner Franklin Sturdivant; fourth, Natural Style Dan, ridden by Mrs. Paul Joines and owned by Mrs. Robert Joines; fifth, Lady Lucy, ridden and owned by G. L. Robertson, Jr.

Class 12- Best draft team horses or mules—First, Duck and Tuck, ridden and owned by H. A. Johnson; second, Frank and Kate, ridden and owned by E. C. Truitt; third, Betty and Blue, ridden by Jess Todd and owned by Dr. P. L. Choate; fourth, Sam and Tom, ridden by Dean Bell and owned by Hardin Bell; fifth, Pearl and Black, ridden by Parley and Foster Truitt and owned by Foster Truitt.

Class 13- Best saddle horse colt—First, Tony, ridden by Tom Greene and owned by Roscoe Collins.

Class 14- Children's horsemanship—First, Heels Up, ridden by Spunky Fisher and owned by Christy Peeler; second, Prince, ridden by owner Franklin Sturdivant; third, Tiny Tim, ridden by Wylene Clark and owned by Florence Gildea; fourth, Dusty, ridden by Mary Van Waldback, owned by Florence Gildea.

Class 15- Knock down and out—First, Starwood, ridden by Edd Daniels and owned by Chuck

Haywood; second, Heels Up, ridden by June Fisher and owned by Christy Peeler; third, Claim Agent, ridden by Chuck Haywood and owned by Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Zachary; fourth, Gold Star, ridden by Spunky Fisher and owned by Mrs. T. M. Zachary.

Class 16- Five-gaited stallions and geldings—First, Genius Times, ridden by Rex Watts and owned by John Francis; second, Natural Style Dan, ridden by Mrs. Paul Joines and owned by Mrs. Robert Joines; third, Prince, ridden by owner Franklin Sturdivant; fourth, Fair Acres Chieftan, ridden by Wayne Osborne and owned by Mrs. Clark H. Williams; fifth, Fleet Foot, ridden and owned by John R. Smith.

Class 17- Hunter hack—First, Starwood, ridden by Edd Daniels and owned by Chuck Haywood; second, Gold Star, ridden by Spunky Fisher and owned by Mrs. Thomas Zachary; third, Claim Agent, ridden by Chuck Haywood and owned by Mrs. C. V. Hinkle; fourth, True Heart, ridden by June Fisher and owned by Mrs. Betsy Murphy.

Class 18- Open roadsters—First, Little Greyhound, ridden by owner R. A. Covington; second, Volatile, ridden and owned by H. J. Childress; third, Nellie, ridden by owner Robert Joines.

Class 19- Open three-gaited—First, Starlight, ridden by Gay Pettit and owned by Nancy Thornton; second, Tiny Tim, ridden by Wylene Clark, and owned by Florence Gildea.

Class 20- Open walkers—First, Wilson Merry Boy, ridden and owned by Dr. M. S. Martin; second, Carolina Pride, ridden by Rex Watts and owned by John Francis; third, Lady Eleanor, ridden by owner C. H. Todd; fourth, Shine Allen, ridden by James Craynor and owned by Tom Williams; fifth, King, ridden and owned by W. A. Woodruff.

Class 21- Open five-gaited—Anne Royal, ridden by D. F. Sturdivant, and owned by Mrs. D. F. Sturdivant; second, Lady Lucy, ridden and owned by G. L. Robertson; third, What A Surprise, ridden by Rex Watts and owned by John Francis; fourth, Gypsy Jean, ridden by owner Thaddeus Williams; fifth, Stormy Weather, ridden and owned by Tom Greene.

Class 22A- Alleghany pleasure shown in hand—First, Roan King, ridden by owner H. A. Johnson; second, Natural Style Dan, ridden by Robert Joines and owned by Mrs. Robert Joines. Class 22A- Alleghany pleasure horses—First, Sweet Susie, ridden by Owen Maines and owned by Mrs. Bill Musgrove; second, Stormy Weather, ridden by owner Tom Greene; third, Flicker Bill Burgin, ridden and owned by Bill Musgrove; fourth, King, ridden by owner W. A. Woodruff.

Class 23- Open pone race—First, Champion, ridden by owner Wade Hampton; second, Little Joe ridden by Carl Chambers and owned by W. C. Chambers; third, Tony, ridden by Franklin Sturdivant and owned by Grover Reeves.

Class 24- Open five-gaited mares—First, Stormy Weather, ridden by owner, Tom Greene. Class 25- Professional horse-

men trophy class—First, Red Fox, ridden by June Fisher and owned by Billy Patterson; second, Not Yet, ridden by Spunky Fisher and owned by Camp Arrowhead; third, Starwood, ridden by Edd Daniels and owned by Chuck Haywood; fourth, Claim Agent, ridden by Chuck Haywood and owned by Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Hinkle.

Class 26- Fine harness championship—First, Roan King, ridden by owner H. A. Johnson.

Class 27- Three-gaited championship—First, Dusty, ridden by Mary Van Waldback and owned by Florence Gildea; second, Tiny Tim, ridden by Wylene Clark and owned by Florence Gildea; third, Starlight, ridden by Gay Pettit and owned by Nancy Thornton; fourth, Melody, ridden by Barbara Fassett and owned by Florence Gildea.

Class 28- Hunters championship—First, Starwood, ridden by owner Chuck Haywood, second, Seels Up ridden by Spunky Fisher and owned by Christy Peeler; third, Gold Star, ridden by Spunky Fisher and owned by Mrs. Thomas Zachary; fourth, True Heels Up, ridden by Spunky Fisher, owned by Mrs. Betsy Murphy; fifth, Claim Agent, ridden by Edd Daniels and owned by Mrs. C. V. Hinkle.

Class 29- Championship roadsters—First, Little Greyhound, ridden by owner R. A. Covington; second, Volatile, ridden and owned by H. J. Childress.

Class 30- Championship Walker—First, Wilson Merry Boy, ridden and owned by Dr. M. S. Martin; second, Carolina Pride, ridden by Rex Watts and owned by John Francis; third, Lady Eleanor, ridden by owner C. H. Todd.

Class 31- Five-gaited championship—First, Sterling Chief, ridden by Corbett Williams and owned by C. L. Hashberger; second, Genius Times, ridden by Rex Watts and owned by John Francis; third, Prince, ridden by owner Franklin Sturdivant; fourth, Lady Lucy, ridden and owned by G. L. Robertson; fifth, Anne Royal, ridden by D. F. Sturdivant and owned by Mrs. D. F. Sturdivant.

For Sale 350 Acre Farm

200 acres of pasture land, 100 acres of improved pastures and 80 acres in meadow and crop land.

Located on U. S. 21, two miles North of Roaring Gap.

This farm is in high state of cultivation, lots of good level land and extra watered with good springs, also electricity and running water in house and barn.

This farm can be divided in three good farms. Will sell together or separate.

J. C. McCann

Glade Valley N. C.

Mrs. Choate Is Hostess To Group

Mrs. Lula Choate was hostess to Circle No. 1 of the W. M. S. of Sparta Baptist church at her home, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. C. A. Reeves presided in the absence of the president and Mrs. G. D. Richardson read the minutes of the previous meeting. Mrs. M. Stampler was in charge of the Bible lesson.

"Meet the Chinese" was the topic of the month, which was lead by Mrs. A. O. Joines, who gave a brief history of the Chinese people. Religion was discussed by Mrs. Lillian Bott; relief and rehabilitation was given by Mrs. Amos Wagoner. Chinese in America was told by Mrs. F. G. Walker and Mrs. C. A. Reeves impersonated a Chinese woman wearing a beautiful silk chinese kimono, told of Baptist work in China. Other articles from China were exhibited including clothing, jewelry, vase and Chinese character alphabet.

Mrs. Russell Armentrout rendered a special piano music, "Nocturne" by Chopin. Delectable refreshments were served at the close of the meeting by the hostess and Mrs. Armentrout.

ELD. ED DOUGLAS TO PREACH SUNDAY

Elder Ed Douglas, of Galax, Va., will preach at the home of Eld A. L. Presnell, Sunday, at 2:00 o'clock p. m.
The public is cordially invited.

Topia News

Mrs. Lena Black visited Mrs. Myrtle Tolliver, last Sunday. Several young people from here attended the Quarterly Conference at Chestnut Hill last Sunday afternoon.

Robert Glenn Dixon, of Laurel Springs, spent last Sunday night with Albert Fugh.

Mrs. Lorene Stungill, Piney Creek, spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Moxley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Osborne, and daughter, Rose, of Piney Creek, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dent B. Fugh, Sunday.

Mr. Jarvis H. Blevins, of Bel Air, Maryland, visited his mother, Mrs. Belle Blevins, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Cary Blevins and three children, spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. Linville Blevins, Piney Creek. Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fugh visited there on Sunday.

Conservation Farming News

H. E. Singletary and T. R. Greene

Wiley Maxwell is taking over the home farm in the Whitehead community. The Soil Conservation Service assisted Wiley last week in sampling his fields to determine the fertilizer needs. He is also planning to rearrange his fields and change his fences.

Russell Armentrout, of Sparta, had soil samples taken on his pasture and meadow fields. Russell is planning to seed some alfalfa this fall on one of his fields.

Kenneth Bedsaul, of the Little Pine community, has been treating his pasture fields with lime and phosphate for the past few years. White clover and good grass is beginning to show up. He is now planning to increase the number of dairy cows, and begin a strip crop rotation on his crop fields.

Soil erosion is the chief enemy of good top soil. Robert Edwards, of the Sparta community, is doing a good job of fighting this enemy by strip cropping his crop fields.

Edwin Maines, of the New River community, was assisted recently by the Soil Conservation Service in sampling a field to be seeded to alfalfa. Edwin has about two acres of first year ladino clover. He plans to fertilize his ladino heavily each year which will be necessary for full growth.

Cathryn Perry Honored At Party

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Perry gave a birthday party, Sunday afternoon in honor of their daughter, Cathryn, on her fourth birthday.

Games were played by the guests which included Mary Lou Bonnie, Betty Sue and Ellen Grubb; Shirley Maxwell, Robert and Billy Deborn, Geraldine and Wilma Jean Williams; Sadie and Susie Hill, Allen and Timmy Blevins. Other visitors were: Mr. and Mrs. David Perry and son, Mrs. S. E. Smith, Mrs. Maude Crub, Mrs. Viola Williams and W. F. Fugh.

A large white cake with pink berries centered the table from which other refreshments were

Miss Harris Is Married In Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harris of Sparta, North Carolina, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Bertha Mae Harris, of Hampton, Va., and Edward Lee Hoffman, Hampton son of Mrs. Edward L. Hoffman, of Baltimore, Maryland, and the late Mr. Hoffman.

The ceremony was solemnized on Thursday, July 3, at five o'clock in the afternoon, at the Hampton Presbyterian church before a background of palms. Rev. Raleigh M. Engle, pastor, officiated.

A program of pre-nuptial music was presented by Mrs. F. L. Thompson.

The bride, who was given in marriage by John R. Dawson, wore a street length dress of white silk jersey with white accessories. Her flowers were a corsage of red roses. Miss Martha Warren, maid-of-honor, wore a dress of pink silk jersey with white accessories. She wore a corsage of gardenias.

Lloyd J. Fisher served as best

sage of gardenias. Mrs. Hoffman, mother of the groom wore a printed silk dress and her corsage was of gardenias.

After a trip through the western part of Virginia and the coast of North Carolina, Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman are making their home on Chesapeake Boulevard, Hampton.

Cherry Lane News

Miss Gay Nell Truitt spent the past week end with Betty Ann Miles.

Alfred Caudill is operating a grade-A dairy barn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Miles visited Mr. and Mrs. John Royal at Traphill last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Miles had as their Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Junior Miles and children, Arlene Miles, Mrs. Cliff Evans, and daughters, Sandra and Margaret Ann.

ORGANIZE CHAPTER FOR POLIO CONTROL

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Randolph, Alleghany county had the benefit of so much more hospitalization than the money raised in drives for the purpose of raising money to help control polio, called for.

The honoree was presented with several nice gifts.