



Wednesday, April 5, 1939

Don't pay too much attention to large crowd dare-devils because heroes do not the medium whereby an audience may advertise.

In the Spring a young man's fancy: plause indicates a luke-warm reaction and so is the average young woman.

Horse sense is not the only characteris- response. Eliminating whistling, stamping tic appropriated from our four-footed of feet and yelling, we claim there is friend by our fellow man.

The rankest stage of inexperience is amount of enjoyment you derived from when a youngster begins to wonder how it. it took his boss so long to learn his business.

Don't get the idea that brass is as good as steel for reinforcing your nerve.

April showers bring Flower Shows.

About the best excuse we know for eating celery is to keep from hearing the crunching of the person next to you at the table.

River Road

We have been more than pleased with the reaction of local citizens to agitation well ordered cheering is the audiences' in favor of paving the river road. There chance to let the players know how they seems to be a general recognition of the are doing. importance of this project, particularly from the point of bringing more tourist Highly Significant traffic through Southport.

Chief hope for this work lies in the fact that it is so logical, for this shorten- affirmative side received in this section ed route to Wilmington would run through a veritable paradise for histori- bates Friday afternoon when the negacal minded travelers.

Another important consideration is were victorious in debating the question: that Wilmington people doubtless will "Should the United States form an allilend their efforts to this project, for its ance with Great Britain," really bears completion will mean as much to them some real significance. as it will to Brunswick county.

Crop Control

Just Among The Fishermen

We agree with the member of the Brit-

ish Parliament who last week remarked

that there will be no fasting world peace until "Stalin's widow tells Franco on his

death-bed that Mussolini was assassinat-

While Gene Austin was here recently

Now we know that those men never

preciative audience, but we seriously

doubt if they will ever know how much

our local people enjoyed hearing them.

communicate to the performers their re-

action to their program. Scattered ap-

while a spontaneous, sustained round of

hand-clapping indicates an enthusiastic

nothing boisterous nor offensive in cheer-

ing a program in proportion to the

To get back to the case in mind, we

would have been recorded on an ap-

add to the pleasure of his audience.

pear publicly in this county again. How-

ever, there are other performances at

various points in the county each month

where the public is given a chance to

register its reaction. So remember that

The overwhelming defeat which the

in the triangular high school de-

tive teams of each school in the triangle

course, and they possibly never will ap- how to prepare.

Applause at a public performance is

ed at Hitler's funeral."

on their act.

CLOSED ON FRESHIES

The freshwater fishing season in order to let the big mouth from Leland in the preliminary a little peace during the period of the state-wide triangular dea little peace during the period when they are most actively engaged in rearing a family. Sportsmen may take their rods and we attended the second show at the reels and hand lines and go out Amuzu Theatre and saw him, together for the saltwater fish at anytime Dudley Humphrey, also of Wilthey please the year round. But mington, who judged in the coun with his partners, Candy and Coco, put if the game warden catches you ty debate here last week

lurking about the freshwater streams and ponds before the lost here, our negative team de-10th of May you are very liable bated the Shallotte team on the put on a performance before a more ap- to find yourself arrested.

> THEY ARE BITING Without waiting for this issue of The Pilot to reach him, Arthur S. Mowery of Salisbury got somebody to typewrite him a personal letter of inquiry as to how the fish were biding. To avoid starting the fishing season with too much of a rush, Arthur has been confidently advised that the trout are all about around the wrecks and that the blue fish are swarming about the shoals in a very hungry condition. These who read this will please treat

STILL HAMPERED

the subject as confidental.

know that no new high in enthusiasm April, are still greatly hamper-One of the most colorful and ing the shrimp trawlers. Still, the local boatmen have been doing enjoyable events of the school plause meter had one been installed that pretty well, thank you. At no sea- year came on last Friday even-Saturday night in the local theatre, son of the year have the dealers ing when the Junior class enter-Cheers were adequate, but they were had a better product to ship to tained the senior class with the not of the volume nor of the source of th not of the volume nor of the spontaniety have now. Southoart homes and gymnasium. The whole affair was that would make a performer come back the public eating houses have planned to carry out the story again and again for encores in order to been and are providing the vis- of Snow White and the Seven itors and general public with Dwarfs. Austin and his partners are gone, of some real seafood meals that beautifully decorated as a forest Southport womenfolks know best scene, Snow White's castle ap-

DRUM ON THE POINT

According to the tip we colors. have had, and it is a reliable one, there are plenty of the great red drum running on the point of Bald Head island. It just happens that so far, no one has gone over to pull in the 50 pounders. Such will happen before long. We look to being able to tell of several extraordionary catches of drum being made on Bald Head island and point in next weeks issue of the paper. You know, that hundred dollars that is being offered by the New Hanover Fishing Cluh for the largest drum, s to be won by some one fishing on Bald Head Island point.

FISHING AT CHARLESTON

Captain Hulan Watts and a The affirmative side admittedly had couple of men have been netting ly.

the odds against them, for few thinking for blue fish at Charleston. They people in the United States really believe expected to remain away until junior class, and Snow White and April 10. We expect that the re- the seven dwarfs who served as

"There is cause for serious apprehen- foreign entanglements through the means on Frying Pan as brought in Saturday will bring those boys While America might find it difficult Meanwhile the local sportsmen scurrying back to Southport. in event of a general European war, even their squids and other trolling lures. Big catches of both trout and blues are now on the program and we will have something



On last Tuesday morning the affirmative of the Bolivia debating team met the negative team did arguments. The Leland team, however, won the decision. Miss Emma Gade Hutaff of Wilmington, acted as judge. She was ac companied to Bolivia by Mrs.

Although our affirmative team same morning and won the decision there. We feel that our debating

teams should be commended for their splendid efforts this year, and feel that their experience has been most beneficial to them. team: Elizabeth Affirmative Lewis and Billie Robbins; Negative team: Ina Glenn Maultsby, and Maybelle Hilburn. Council To Meet

County Council of the P. The r. A. will hold its final meeting of the current school year in the school auditorium on Bolivia Tuesday night, April 11, at 8 o'clock. The president, Mrs. Geo. Cannon, will preside. At this time the county-wide

leclamation-recitation contest is to be held. One boy and girl March winds, lingering into from each school will participate. JUNIOR-SENIOR

> "Baby col'miss-tresses giving me competition or am I doing the competing? . . . The Lone Ranger and Silver are stopping at the Amuzu for 15 weeks this Spring . . . The first extensive loan system was started by the House of Rothschild in London . . . That boxing card was grand. This corner couldn't make it last edit. but we can announce the next one. It should be ready in about

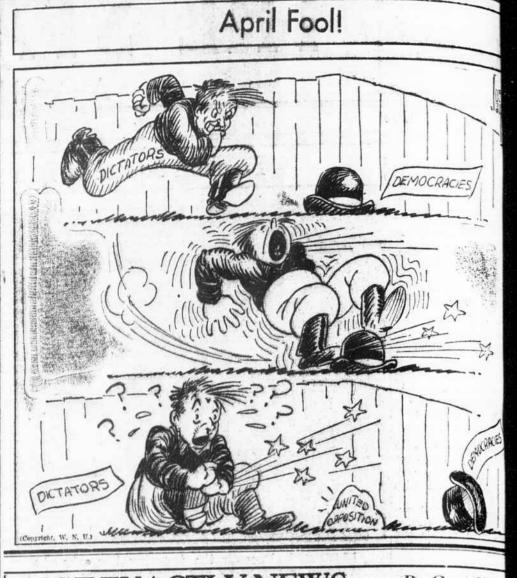
talking about it but for the best feature actor '38 give me the role of Eddie Albert as the bewilderdummy in "Brother Rat." . . Sherman's latest book, "40 Million Telephones," is literally an

American Epic First publication in May . . . When better "Shortenin' Bread" is baked, Mrs. Mason's singing son Sassy Sully, will scatsing it . . . Coincidence, not truth, is stranger than fiction. Frinstance: Last week due to typographical error the word SIMILE was spelled here 'thout the first 'i' making it SMILE-and that's what Similes are supposed to bring. Did it? . . . Since the unfortunate outcome of the Valencia orchestra's appearance the public has been more cautious concerning musical presentation. It's high time for another session . . . James Johnson, Fairmont's

acknowledged Clyde McCoy, has landed a contract at Lake Waccamaw for the coming summer . . . Sound Alikes: Universal Pix' unlimited D. Durbin and Horace Heidt's unbeatable Jean Farney. In voice they're as similar as two pipes

in one throat . . . Walter Brennan, of the Acad-

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5, 1



CTLY NEWS . By Gene O'Brie Bugler," has two | blow-out . ". The arrival of college state

ways adds a little excitement to the . . Franklin Square can only h public, educational or religious purposes in ing with the deed woman school superintendent in th Miss Annie May Woodside can't carry on a conversation or look up for you . . . Hope you'll be on hand next nesday

> in attendance on the beach at Southport's w tler's Park.

More than two thousand photographs have h taken for commercial purposes in and an Southport during the past twelve months. So far as is known, Mary Ann Calloway, pected colored woman of Southport, is the o citizen of Brunswick . . . It is said she w 109 on her next birthday.

Howell's Point, at the junction of Lockwa Folly River with the Inland Waterway, is known for the splendid fishing it affords. A Brunswick county man, Governor Benja Smith, donated the land on which the Univ of North Carolina is located at Chapel Hill. Owners of Brunswick county lands lin practically every state in the United States. J. H. Russ has been keeper of the Brunst county jail for a longer period than any

You can't have your cake and e

keeper now living.

Winnabow News

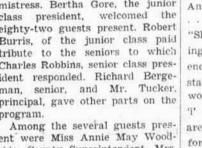
pearing at the edge of the wood. Table decorations were carried out in red and white, the senior class The program which portrayed events in the life of Snow White of and her dwarf companions was very meaningful. Elizabeth Lewis of the junior class acted as toastmistress. Bertha Gore, the junior

class president, welcomed the eighty-two guests present. Robert Burris, of the junior class paid tribute to the seniors to which Charles Robbins, senior class president responded. Richard Bergeman, senior, and Mr. Tucker, principal, gave other parts on the

Among the several guests present were Miss Annie May Woodside County Superintendent, Mrs. M. B. Robbins, P.-T. A. president. Mr. Gilbert Reed, of the county school board, and Ernest Gilbert chairman of the local school

that America should become involved in port of schools of blues running waiters for the occasion.





bcard, each of whom spoke brief-

Music was rendered by the

a week or ten days . . . It's a late date to be

Warm days bring out a marked improve

sion that too much land this year will be devoted to the culture of tobacco, planters being tempted thereto by the high to adhere strictly to a policy of isolation are looking to the polishing of prices of the weed.

tensive planting of tobacco, as any such nevertheless we would come a great deal course is bound to bring about lower nearer being drawn into conflict through to write about from now on prices. On the other hand, we also urge such an alliance than without one. that more attention be given to the proof emergency."

Carolina in the spring of 1863.

History In The Making

to throw nations at each other's throat. lems to which it has given birth.

Amazed by the arrogance of Adolph Hitler we in this country are prone to be- WPA Roll Paring come impatient with a peace that is being purchased at any price. Yet let us ence would be quieted.

horrors all the devices ever designed by ple of Brunswick county. man to spread death and destruction. Every one of those bristling European countries is within a half-day's range for an air raid, so that a mother who tucks government work to be had. Relief offi- us it is already a foregone conher child in bed tonight in London has only her prayers and her faith as guarantors that morning will dawn bright and fair for both.

War is postponed from one crisis to the next, each aggravated by the growing pains of one of the dictators. The up, and those who through the winter is conquest, either by force or threat of ing the spring and summer. force. Sooner or later there will be war, that will be born of impatience with the than he would have otherwise.

of such an alliance with Britain.

"We urge farmers not to go in for ex- with the most stringent neutrality laws,

Britains imperialistic ambitions have duction of breadstuffs, for it is necessary been a part of Europe's daily bread for that we exist during the present period centuries. England is not going to stand by and let her vast dominions and terri-Thus did the editor of The Raleigh tories be sacrificed to dictators. Right Register counsel the farmers of North now the chances for averting war in Europe in the next year or two seem slim indeed.

Yet, that is no reason that the United States should become embroiled in the History is being written before our problems of central Europe. The blessed very eyes and every day in Europe we see Atlantic separates this country from Eudynamite dangling by a thread, threaten- rope and her troubled existence. We must ing to blast the peace of the world and be content to let Europe settle the prob-

Announcement from WPA officials trade geographical location with England that the relief rolls in the nation are to or France and immediately our impati- be pared sharply during this week as 200,000 workers are to be dropped, For the next war will combine in its comes at an opportune time for the peo-

Farmers of Brunswick county have com- Durham, Greensboro, Salisbury Miss Fannie Henry returned with plained considerably in former years of and Charlotte have already spokscarcity in farm labor because of the en to their favorite skippers. To home. cials have tried to cope with this situation we are going to have to leave our by not allowing anybody to work who work and wander around the had refused farm labor.

That notwithstanding, it will not injure fishermen in order that we may Brunswick county that the WPA rolls are be prepared to wire their families being cut at the present time, because and ask if they care to have the

people of their nations are constantly months have been forced to turn to the keyed to a fighting pitch and vitally WPA for employment, will be able to necessary to the moral of their followers find employment on Brunswick farms dur-

Furthermore, the farmer's labor probwar directed by one or more of them lem will no doubt be greatly reduced, and against an outside enemy or civil strife he will find hands more plentiful perhaps

until the 5th of next April.

GETTING FOOLED Somehow the presence of exciting fishing times has re-

sulted in our getting badly fooled. Twice in the past week we caught ourself getting up and pecking away at this typewriter before the rest of the household had gone to bed. The fishing excites a lot of interest. This year it is bringing on a holocast of inquiries. Besides there are a lot of other things that are of great interest stirring the air around Southport these days. Being a country boy, we just naturally get up soon to keep up with things. We do not think we are half as badly fooled as some few folks may

think we are. It's gonna he a great year for Southport, the year in which most of our folks will awaken from their 40-year sleep.

RESERVING BOATS

Up-state fishing parties are already making reservations of boats for this coming week-end.

us it is already a foregone con-

waterfront long before sunrise, registering all of the seagoing

right now the farming season is opening sickness proves fatal.

STOP SWEARING

Women folks are taking more and more to sport fishing. Last year saw gobs and gobs of the girls coming in and pitting their skill against the To maculine element. accord them full justice, they than the often did better men. There will be a lot of

Mesdames A. P. Henry and J. L. Henry and D. R. Johnson and Misses Kate Johnson and Mary Maultsby spent Wednesday in Wilmington attending the auxiliary Training Class at St. Andrews Presbyterian Church.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Drayton and two children, Miss Mary and John W. Jr., of Penllyn, Pa., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George R. Foulke.

Dr. H. A. Codington and F. E. Livington of Wilmington were visitors here Friday. Friends will be glad to know

Mrs. Litha Phelps is doing nicely after an operation Wednesday in the Brunswick County Hospital, Southport. Tom Brow and Ike Solomon

of Wilmington were visitors here Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Chas Woodbury,

Ir., and son Chas, III, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Woodbury.

Mrs. Maggie Nichols of Southport is spending awhile with Mrs. Lizzie Henry. Misses Lois Cooper and Oliva Presson of Wilmington spent Sun-

day evening with Miss Julia Taylor. Mrs. W. A. Kopp and little son, Bill, Jr., spent Monday with her

mother, Mrs. D. R. Johnson. Mrs. Hattie Galloway and daughter Miss Frances of Supply.

them to spend awhile at their

Increased motor truck competition has resulted in lowered railroad freight rates on many agricultural commodities, reports the U. S. Bureau of Agricultural

> port this year and it looks to us as if our boatmen will have to stop cussing altogether, which is a hard thing

FOOEY TO YOU

A stack of completed letters. news stuff and this column are alongside of us, result of six hours without arising from our typewriter. A new day is just dawning, so focey to all of you who read this. . 18

emy Award, shines at the Amuzu tonite in "Ken- too. At least not without getting a tucky." . . . The high school banquet was a real casional stomach ache.





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