

**PATIENT**  
John Rogeless, of Charleston, S. C., is a patient at Doshier Memorial Hospital.

**LEAVES HOSPITAL**  
Joe Lewis Rourk, of Bolivia, was a patient at Doshier Memorial Hospital last Wednesday and Thursday.

**INFLUENZA**  
Joseph Bonelli, member of the Coast Guard from Oak Island, is a patient with influenza at Doshier Memorial Hospital.



**Roland Simmons**  
Service Station  
ASH, N. C.



**T. E. Browne Is Highly Honored**

"Man of the Year in Service to North Carolina Agriculture" is the honor that has been conferred upon T. E. Browne, State Director of Vocational Education, by the Progressive Farmer, a farm journal.

Mr. Browne has been Director of Vocational Education since 1918 and under his supervision the vocational education program has grown from an enrollment of a few hundred to 80,691 persons. Since 1918, the state appropriation for vocational education has

increase from \$10,000 to \$710,000. Mr. Browne is from Hertford County where he owns a farm. He has been successively county superintendent of schools, county farm agent, district farm agent, state director of boy's club work, and State Director of Vocational Education. Under his supervision, the enrollment in agriculture — one of the branches of vocational education — has grown from 323 in 1918 to 33,000 in 1942 and the income from the boys' home practical work amounted to over two million dollars in 1942. Friendliness, hard work, enthusiasm for the job, a real liking for people, and a sympathetic understanding of all farm problems have been the major elements in Mr. Browne's success which brought him the "Man of the Year" award in agriculture in North Carolina.

**WORKSTOCK BULLETIN ISSUED BY COLLEGE**  
Horses and mules are the largest, and one of the most important, classes of livestock in North Carolina. Their value is two times as great as that of all cattle and calves, and five times as great as the value of all hogs and sheep. With this, and the rationing of power machinery on the farm in view, the State College Extension Service has issued a new workstock bulletin to suggest better care of horses and mules on the farms. The publication is

War Series Extension Bulletin No. 12, "The Feeding and Management of Horses and Mules." A copy will be sent free upon request to the Agricultural Editor, State College, Raleigh.

The text for this eight-page pamphlet was prepared by Sam L. Williams who was Extension animal husbandry specialist at the college before he was recently called into the Army as a reserve officer. The publication is well illustrated and it contains suggested grain mixtures for adequate feeding of workstock.

"Raising of horses and mules," wrote Williams, "is a profitable business when they are used as a source of farm power and as a means of increasing the farm income from the sale of surplus animals produced. Four good animals can plow four acres, disc 15 acres, or harrow 30 acres a day in the spring season; do other kinds of farm work at a proportionate rate; and raise enough colts for replacements — if properly managed.

"In this way, the work animals reaching an age of 6 to 7 years can be sold each year and younger animals used to replace them. A good team of well broken horses or mules will demand a much higher price than matched pairs of yearlings or two-year-olds."

**Brunswick County Man Saw Action in Africa**

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was let out on leave he has married and is residing at Howell's Point, where he has a farm and was engaged in catering to tourists when he was recalled to service early this year. Mrs. Gore and their two children now live in Southport.

**LELAND WOMAN DIES IN WRECK**

survived by her husband, Johnnie Brogan; three daughters, Mrs. Leila Gainey and Irene Brogan, of Leland, and Mrs. Catherine Willetts, of Delco; two sons, Billie and Johnnie Brogan, of Wilmington; three sisters, Mrs. Maylor Gore, Leland; Mrs. Bettie Potter and Mrs. Willie Mae Skipper, Wilmington.

Funeral services were held at four o'clock Tuesday afternoon from Harrell's Funeral Home, with the Rev. I. D. Dickens officiating. Pallbearers were: John Gideon, A. H. Gainey, S. C. Campfield, H. P. Tharpe, G. L. Pridden, Jr., and C. W. Harville.

**EXCHANGE MADE IN COURT TERM**

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case on the Brunswick civil docket is that wherein D. R. Johnson, defeated candidate for Judge of the Recorder's Court, is suing Judge John B. Ward for the office and all salaries accruing since December 7th, when Ward took office. Judge Ward, according to the official canvass, had a majority of one vote in the November election. The county election board refused to comply with a demand from Johnson and his attorneys that a recount be made. The state election board likewise refused to order a recount and certified Ward as the nominee.

**THREE SOUTHPORT MEN SIGN UP**

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fore the deadline were: Harry Weeks as a Motor Machinist's Mate, first class; Robert Barr Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Thompson, of Southport, as a Chief Boatswain's Mate; and John Gordon Caison as a Chief Carpenter's Mate.

**POSSIBILITY FOR FARMER PROFITS**

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for fresh fruits and vegetables sold through the Atlantic Commission Company. With wartime food supply conditions emphasizing the need for shortening commercial distances between growers and consumers, group marketing programs can not only aid the "Food-for-Freedom" program but also provide a vitally important key to post-war farm prosperity, French declared. He pointed out that the groundwork for building these programs is already well prepared in North Carolina, which "group-markets" tobacco, cotton, dairy products, poultry, eggs and hogs.

**BRUNSWICK BOY DIES IN BATTLE**

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S. Army after serving for some



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time with this branch of the fighting forces.

Lt. Odell Williamson was commissioned early this year and has recently been ordered to report to Fort Meade, Md., after completion of a training course in an army technological school.

The fourth son, Ulysses Williams, is in the U. S. Navy. There are two more boys in the Williamson family, Glenn, 14, and Curtis, 16. There is also one daughter, Miss Madeline Williamson.

**RESTRICTIONS ON TELEPHONE CALLS**

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timely during the holidays actually is merely a part of Southern Bell's continuing program designed to help keep war-busy telephone equipment clear at all times for vital war messages.

"This program has double importance during the holidays, however," said Mr. Bryan, "because this is the season when, even in normal times, greeting and other social calls reach their highest peak. But if the great volume of greeting and social calls occur this year, it will seriously hamper the nation's war business. That is why we are asking telephone users here to forego the traditional holiday calls

which they were accustomed to making before the war and which they will be able to enjoy once again when the victory's won."

Mr. Bryan said, in conclusion, that the Government's telephone requirements, both military and civil, are at the highest peak in history and are still increasing as war's pace grows more intense. Last Christmas, when the telephone company asked for cooperation in the war's interest, response from the public was good, and Mr. Bryan said the company looks forward to this same helpful cooperation this holiday season.

**DEFENDANTS LOSE WHISKEY PERMITS**

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given 6 months on the roads, judgment being suspended upon payment of costs and a fine of \$50.00. His driving license was revoked for 12 months.

Russell Jackson was found not guilty of public drunkenness.

F. H. Derby pleaded guilty of drunk driving charges. Given 6 months on the roads, judgment was suspended upon payment of costs and a fine of \$50.00. His driving license was revoked for 6 months, and his A. B. C. book was recalled.

J. J. Darby pleaded guilty to charges of public drunkenness. Given 30 days on the roads, judg-

ment was suspended upon payment of costs and a fine of \$50.00. His A. B. C. book was revoked. W. A. Brew was found not guilty of reckless operation. and a fine of \$25.00. Walter Stanaland was charged with violating the game laws. The defendant asked for a jury trial and his case was bound over to Superior court with bond set at \$100.00.



*Holiday Greetings*  
WE WOULD LIKE TO WISH THAT YOUR CHRISTMAS STOCKING HAVE MUCH MORE IN IT THAN EVER BEFORE, BUT, AS THIS MIGHT SEEM TO BE AN EXTRAVAGANT HOPE, WE WISH THAT IT CONTAIN FAR MORE THAN YOU EXPECT.  
YOU HAVE STOOD BY US LOYALLY IN 1942, AND WE CANNOT TELL YOU HOW MUCH WE APPRECIATE IT.

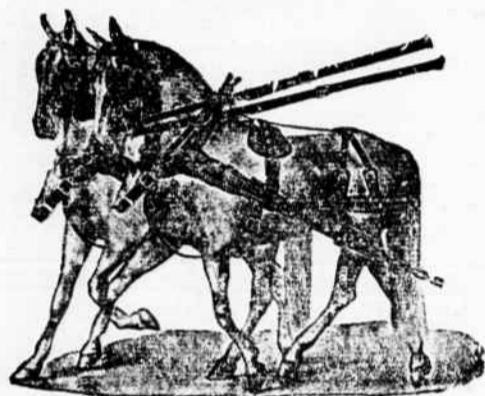
**SHALLOTTE TRADING CO.**  
Hobson Kirby, Prop.  
Shallotte, N. C.



At this time, when common tasks begin to glimmer with new glory, we pause to wish you all the Christmas joys this joyous season can bring.

**G. W. KIRBY & SONS**  
SUPPLY, N. C.

**Mighty Good Mules**



— SEE THEM FOR YOURSELF! —

We have some of the best mules we have offered for sale or trade this year. If you have any idea of buying or trading, come on in and pick out the one you need.

**SETH L. SMITH & CO.**  
WHITEVILLE



*Merry Christmas*

WHEN storekeeper Abe Lincoln discovered he had overcharged a customer 6c he walked 6 miles to return those pennies, and earned the nickname "Honest Abe."

Integrity in little things has helped us, too — has earned for us, we believe, the complete confidence of this community, not only in 1942, but in other years. At this time we want to thank you for this confidence, and to extend to you every good wish for a Merry Christmas.

**SOUTHPORT BUILDING & LOAN ASS'N.**  
SOUTHPORT, N. C.



*Findings of Joy*

**SOUTHPORT CLEANERS**  
SOUTHPORT, N. C.

**1943 Tax Listing NOTICE**

**LIST YOUR REAL and PERSONAL POPERTY DURING THE MONTH OF JANUARY**

All property owners and tax payers are required by law to return to the List Takers for Taxation for the year 1943, all the Real Estate, Personal Property, Etc., which they own on the first day of January.

All male persons between the ages of 21 and 50 years must list for Poll Tax during the same time, except those exempt by law for physical disability.

All persons to whom the foregoing applies who fail to list their Real and Personal Property, and/or Poll Tax will be guilty of a Misdemeanor and subject to fine or imprisonment upon conviction.

Local list takers will post notices of appointments in public places—Watch For Same.

**LIST TAKERS FOR COUNTY**

- North West—M. B. Chinnis ..... Leland, N. C.
- Town Creek—L. J. McKeithan ..... Bolivia, N. C.
- Smithville—C. M. Crapon ..... Southport, N. C.
- Lockwood's Folly—L. H. Phelps ..... Supply, N. C.
- Shallotte—Mrs. S. J. Frink ..... Shallotte, N. C.
- Waccamaw—Robert S. Milliken ..... Ash, N. C.

The Board of Equalization and Review will meet at the Tax Office at Southport on March 15th, 1943. Any complaint about valuation should be taken before the Board at that time.

PLEASE LIST YOUR PROPERTY WITH THE LIST TAKER IN YOUR HOME PRECINCT.

**W. P. Jorgensen**  
TAX SUPERVISOR

Come Prepared To Give Farm Census Information.