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### airman Urges oldier Ballots Be Applied For

uives Must Make Appliation To Election Board hairman If Service Men

NY HAVE ALREADY WED APPLICATIONS

Information Is Given out Voting Procedure For Service Men

stated Tuesday that relaof about eighty men in serhave applied for ballots durpast week. A considerable had previously applied. procedure to follow in ora service man to vote ecure an application blank

ho are away who want to Infantry and had been serving for is being run as a con- several months. man Ross urges that ap-

### rimp Boats Built In N. C.

Concern Building arge Modern Shrimpers General

Vashington, N. C., for the al Seafoods Corporation. corporation.

task of a North Carolina fined or sent to serve terms on em in building the most mod- the roads. big boats should be of inas during recent weeks.

### Brief News Flashes

BOR DAY CLOSING

abor Day. The board of counmissioners will meet on 29th. day as scheduled.

and Mrs. Gene O'Brien anthe birth of a daughter, ine Collins, at the Dosher brial hospital on August 14.

US. H. W. Hood found an old bill mixed up with some in an old trunk which Was issued by the Bank of Harry Herbert Simmons,

MOUNCE BIRTH

n to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Donald at the J. A. Dosher rial hosiptal, on August 10, a daughter, Margaret Briar onald. Mrs. MacDonald has residing with Mrs. M. M. aum at Shallotte since til of this year, the husbands oth ladies being in service

SITING BROTHER

the being assigned to duty at points in the county.

Wide World Pix Uses Local Scenes

Recently Bill Sharpe of the State News Bureau was here with W. B. Keziah, local publicist, getting pictures of the swimming pools at Fort Cas-

Sharpe wrote this week to Keziah, stating that the pictures have been accepted by Wide World Pictures, Inc. for distribution. This organization provides pictures for magazines such as Life, Time, Fortune and many others.

## Ross, chairman of the Sgt R.W. Ramsey With tobacco now being mar-

Young Leland Man Gave who paid their taxes to allow The 28th Of Last July

hairman Ross at his home Mr. a nd Mrs. Robert H. Ram-land, fill it out accurately sey of Leland have been officially Cars Damaged ail to or leave iwth Mr. advised by the War Department The ballots will be sent that their son, S. Sgt. Robert W. to the absent service Ramsey, was killed in action in France on the 28th of July. The paivertisement is being run young man was 24 years of age. Ramsey had previously won the for those who have relations for the formula of the formula

Surviving are his parents and about the voting procedure five brothers, Pvt. George T. Ramsey, in New Guinea; Seaman Second Class Samuel V. Ramsey, as be filled out as soon in New Calidonia; Pvt. Elmer F. ble so that the votes of Ramsey, of Camp Davis; Arthur of Wilmington; Roger Ramsey of Leland.

# Cops Get Three

By Perry And Assistants Harmon, of Rt. 1, Leland. In North West This Year

a 150 gallon affair and also took the left, striking the right side of the Freeman truck and also daming the type being built is a 62- another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car and up built is a 62- another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car and up built is a 62- another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car and up built is a 62- another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car and up built is a 62- another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car and up built is a 62- another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car and up built is a 62- another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car and up built is a 62- another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car and up built is a 62- another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car and up built is a 62- another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car and up built is a 62- another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car and up built is a 62- another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car and up built is a 62- another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car and up built is a 62- another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car and up built is a 62- another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car another raid netted them a 100 aging the left front of her car another raid netted the left front of her car another raid netted the left best and the o ther a 50- gallon still and 400 gallons of against the bridge. boat. They are intended for mash. Friday a still bigger haul None of the occupants of the was made when a 200 gallon cap-acity stil and 750 gallons of mash of the most modern design were seized. No opertors were taken with any of the outfits. In addition to the several stills that Policeman Perry has taken with any of the Watermel

might Archie Sanders of the or assisted in taking in other The townships, last week's hauls made tisalso building other shrimp- 19 steam and submarine type essels for private owners. outfits that have been taken in view of the trend of Brunsshrimpers to get bigger and of the year. A good percentage boats for carrying on ope- of operators have been taken as on this part of the coast, along with the stills and either

# A round a dozen big boats seen purchased by local in-

ers Go On 28th And 29th as the load.

Board to Fort Jackson, S. C., yes- good part of his crop to dispose House, with the exception terday, for their pre-induction of. He expects to continue to sell tax office, will be closed white and colored men are to go by the truck load until the 15th for examination on the 28th and of September.

Those going yesterday were: Winnabow Boy ton Hewett, Hamer Franklin Long, Thomas Earl Hewett, and George Hilton Kirby, of Supply; lotte; Mouston Field, Clyde Quincy paper this week he stated he Southport.

### Austrian Pea Seed Available

Early Planting

who is now stationed at Brunswick County through the diort, has been spending a AAA as a soil conservation madays with days with his brother, Her-terial. Orders can be placed at overseas for fifteen months seed are available at several

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Tax Collections Are Very Good

Property Owners Said To Be Paying Up Better Than They Have In Many years

County tax collections are the best in years. This years advertisement of property for sale to satisfy unpaid taxes had around 200 less names than last year. Added to that, since the advertising started an astonishingly large number of taxpayers have appeared at the tax collector's office and settled their obligations.

Killed In Action thinks that collections will be even better. The county commissioners announced some time ago that it was unfair to for those His Life In France On others to go without paying

Town Creek Bridge

Following a wreck of an automobile, and truck at the Town Creek bridge on Wednesday, State Highway C. J. Ferguson arrested John Henry Freeman, negro driver of the truck involved. Freeman will be tried in Recoder's Court next Monday, the warrant charging him with reckless ope- SEA STILL FULL OF ration resiting in property dam- STORM STIRRED TRASH

Patrolman Ferguson stated Operations Are Expected in damage to the extent of \$200 .-00 to the truck driven by Free-Nineteen Whiskey Making man a nd \$100.00 damages to a Outfits Have Been Taken car driven by Mrs. Stella Norris

According to the Patrolman, Freeman, when almost on the On Tuesday they rounded up approaching, turned her car to

Local Farmer Had Sold 9,- of August have all been repaired Of Crop Remains

Creek. Stopping on his way to better, by the end of the week. For Examination pounds. Larger specimens easily expecting fishing to improve January 1. ran to 80 and 90 pounds.

Small Group Sent To Fort Jackson Yesterday, Othrun to about the same average carried on all along the coast of ting quail shooting only on Tues-

Sixteen young white men were sent by the local Selective Service sold 9,000 melons and still had a ant while the southwest winds able number of additional east-

### Likes Air Force

Pvt. Hulan M. Thorp, son of Jessie Anson Smith, of Freeland; Mr. and Mrs. George T. Thorp, Walter Robert Sellers, Carl Lamb, of Winnabow, is in the Army Air Loftin Baxter Clemmons and Del- Force and with a basic unit at mas Peares Reynolds, of Bolivia; Stuttgart, Arkansas. He likes the Harry Thomas Conway, of Shal- air force and in a letter to the Carroll, Norman Sylvester Ganey had been serving with his unit and Daniel Lee Thomas of Leland; for the past 22 months. He enof listed at Fort Jackson, S. C., sent to Stuttgart after leaving at Shallotte. Donald McDonald, Montgomery.

The Honorable and Mrs. John Goff, of Bolivia, is at home from lotte. Standand, at Shallotte. He the AAA office at Supply and the A. Oates and two sons are spend- Fort Oglethorpe on a ten days ing some time with Mrs. Mary furlough. She enlisted on April

### Before Death Struck



WASHINGTON, D. C .- This photograph of the Mc-Nair family was made only a short time ago in Washington. The group is composed of Lieut. General Lesley Mc-Nair (left), his son, Colonel Douglas McNair, Mrs. Doug-ust 28. las McNair, holding baby Bonny Clare, and Mrs. Lesley Fitzhugh McNair. Since the photo was made, the General has been lights, sixty days on roads, judg-killed in France and his son killed in Guam. In A Collision McNair. Since the photo was made, the Gene killed in France and his son killed in Guam

## Change Of The Wind Sent All Fishing Boats Out

Shrimp And Menhaden Supply Loses
Monday With Shifting Of Winds From South West To North East

Grow Increasingly Profitable Towards Latter Part Of Week As Ocean Settles

After three weeks of almost esteemed in his community. Rural Policeman O. W. Perry bridge, applied the brakes of his continuous heavy southwest winds in the and A. T. U. Officer Chas. Gray truck suddenly. This caused the on Saturday abelian of the Sunday afternoon by Rev. T.

> Only medium catches were made In addition to other relatives, This is expected to settle rapidly both of the home near Supply. and with the settling the shrimping should improve. By the last of the week the boatmen and Short Season shrimp buying houses are expect-Watermelons is expected to increase daily.

Shrimp and fish houses dam- Board Of Conservation And Chohmondeley; aged by the storm on the first 000 Watermelons Up To and are in shape to handle catch-Last Wednesday; Much es. Not all of the work of rebuilding docks is complete but

The whole production of Mc- greatly by the end of the week.

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# A Good Farmer Riley Bell, engage in continued to August 28.

George Washington Hewett A Very Shot Illness, Was of fine of \$25.00 and costs. 68-Years-Old

of Supply, RFD 1, died at his home Saturday evening after a very short illness. He was highly

Funeral services were conductt are interested in the and A. T. U. Officer Chas. Gray truck suddenly. This caused the captured and destroyed three feet of shrimp boats being at the Pamlico Shipyards at the Pamlico Shipyards and th

red up by the continuous winds. one foster son, Thomas Hewett,

building docks is complete but they are in shape to permit the have fifteen days less than for- library as much as it wishes. It willows and practically beats to uplead to up melons on his farm at Waldon be in its pre-storm condition, or announcement that has just been librarian. received from the North Carolina Wilmington last week with a The menhaden boats going out Board of Conservation and Devetruck load, it was found that the Monday encountered the same lopment. The deer season in the Pilot Is Killed melons, some of them nearly trouble as the shrimpers. Like eastern North Carolina counties three feet in length, averaged 50 the shrimpers, these boats are will extend from October 15 to

The quail hunting season runs At shore fisheries, where the from November 25 to February Plane Crash At Leland Sat-Brunswick, the changing of the ting quail shooting only on Tues-McRacken stated that up to wind brought especial satisfaction. days, Thursdays and Saturdays,

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and went from there to Gunter Field, Montgomery, Ala., being home of Mrs. M. M. Rosenbaum Company 22-21st Regiment.

Ph. 2-c of the Navy, arrived that For the first time that this re-He says that Stuttgart is a morning from England and at porter remembers, there were no

W. B. KEZIAH

19th of this year and apparently

little smaller than Southport and almost the same minute Mrs. Mc- fish on sale from the shore and the people are nice and friend- Donald and the couple's new baby bay fisheries along the Brunswick the Methodist church at Red one sister, Mrs. Lovie McCall, all ly. They have plenty of cold in daughter arrived from the J. Ar- coast at Shallotte Saturday. One Springs, will preach at Trinity of Supply; and three brothers, Orders To Be Placed With the winter and it rains most of thur Dosher Memorial hospital, colored man was seen passing Methodist church at eleven o'clock Lee, Floyd and Drew Spencer, all B5. C5, E5, and F5 (Book 4) now the time then There is very lit. County AAA Board At Supply; Committee Urges to hoping to ust 10th. Mr. and Mrs. McDonald that he had obtained somewhere Rev. Mr. Ruark is the son of Active pallbearers were Crom-He is hoping to hear from are residents of Buffalo, N. Y. and his prize was an object of Attorney Robert Ruark of Ral- well Robinson, Sidney Hewett, He is hoping to hear from are residents of Buffalo, N. Y. and his prize was an object of Attention of Attenti ty friends. His address is Pvt. mate of Mrs. Rosenbaum, has west winds had knocked out the torney J. W. Ruark and Mrs. R. son, Chancy Reeves and Kedie According to C. O. Bennett, Hulan M. Thorp, A. S. N. been living with her since April, fishing for two or three weeks C. St. George. Attorney Ruark Robinson. Chairman of the county AAA and Mrs. R. Stuttgart. Ark.

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Chairman of the county AAA and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. anything else for sale at Shal- HOME ON LEAVE

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### **Short Session Court Monday**

All Matters Handled In Two Hours At Monday's Continued

The session of the county court for many years. on Monday established something on Monday established something of Southport added some variety REPORTS THAT PARIS number of cases handled.

Less than two hours work. The minutes show the fol- assumed the role of meat cutter lowing cases called and the dis- and while in the performance of osition made of them.

operation, continued to August 28. ends of three of her fingers. Ac-Christopher Franks, speeding,

James McMellon, drunk on State Highway, continued. Brady Locklear, assault with

Fields. improper

fine of \$25.00 and costs.

and costs, fine remitted. days on roads, judgment suspend- east of Shallotte, last week. ed on payment of fine of \$20.00

tinued to August 28.

tinued to August 28. Died At His Home On Route 1 Saturday. After Raeford Eugene Williams, Greek, has the respect and con-Route 1 Saturday, After judgment suspended on payment fidence of the people in the Shal-soners have been captured and

### George W. Hewett, 68-year-old Books Given **Public Library**

New Group Includes Fiction And Non-Fiction; Some Books For Children Also

A number of books have been donated recently to the Southare seventy which were given by Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Stevens of Most Of The Week's Work ance, has been dealing death to Indian Rocks, Florida, and Topnibee, Michigan. This group includes a number of novels and some books for children. A few non-fiction books were also given.

DuMaurier; "Christine" by Alice fined largely to visits with lea-Chohmondeley; "Unforgotten ders of the various neighborhood arms by American air express. Development Rules That Season Extends From Oc"Mrs. Tim Carries On" by D. E.

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May develop for attention. Her erican, Canadian and British formations and the control of the various neighborhood on every European front Amburdence of the various neighborhood on every European front Amburdence of the various neighborhood on every European front Amburdence of the various neighborhood on every European front Amburdence of the various neighborhood on every European front Amburdence of the various neighborhood on every European front Amburdence of the various neighborhood on every European front Amburdence of the various neighborhood on every European front Amburdence of the various neighborhood on every European front Amburdence of the various neighborhood on every European front Amburdence of the various neighborhood on every European front Amburdence of the various neighborhood on every European front Amburdence of the various neighborhood on every European front Amburdence of the various neighborhood on the various neighborho tober 15th To January 1 | Stevenson; and "Life's Handicaps" by Rudlyard Kipling.

This year Robert McRacken has boats to unload and practically merly in which to hunt deer this is open on Tuesday and Saturday ey Island. produced some exceptional water- everything about the house will coming season, according to an afternoons. Mrs. F. Mollycheck is

# In Plane Crash

urday Evening Resulted In Instant Death Of Lt. Supply. Mulroney

ing flight from Bluethenthal field on Saturday evening, Second Lieutenant Richard L. Mulroney, of Mallard, Ohio, was instantly killed when his plane crashed at Well Known Woman Of

Lt. Mulroney, a law student at the University of Ohio before joining the air service, had only just recently been assigned to duty at the Wilmington airfield. is survived by his father,

## To Preach At

Saturday. The wind changed that later going to Wilmington and LEAVE FOR TRIP

Mrs. Alva Dosher,

### Meat Cleaver Vs Cutter's Fingers

The story of the butcher who gave his customers good measure Session; Several Cases by weighing his thumb along with their purchases is not a General Patton's Armored new one. It has gone the rounds

Last week Mrs. Lundy Jones to the tale. The butcher at the were store, which she and her husband required to complete the day's operate, was absent, Mrs. Jones this ritual the meat cleaver came John Henry Freeman, reckless into forcible contact with the cording to Mrs. Jones the fingers were complete casualties.

### Ben Davis, Jr., assault, four months on roads, judgment suspended on payment of fine of \$50.-Station Destroyed

deadly weapon, continued to Aug- Coffee Boils Over And Ex- France, armored divisions led by To James Lambros

A pot of coffee boiling over on German frontier. Mack Horne, speeding, sixty a kerosene stove resulted in the days on roads, judgment suspend-explosion of the stove and the portant port city of Toulon has ed on payment of fine of \$20.00 complete destruction of the fill- been encircled. American armoring station and apartment of ed and infantry divisions are Wilbur Lathan, speeding, sixty Jimmie Lambros, three miles proceeding toward the Rhone

Davis Goodman, larceny, con- mie estimates his loss at \$5,200. peninsula. He had no insurance and the loss Riley Bell, engage in affray, is a heavy one to him. He stated Americans have captured a num-Essie Bellamy, possession, con- build at the same location as ear- the French capitol and it appears ly as possible.

that he was sincerely grateful for be difficult to stop. all of the great assistance given trouble.

# Home Agent's

Planned To Be With whatever German hopes still ex-Neighborhood Club Lead- isted Winning the war. ers In Various Communi-

schedule is as follows:

and the Holden's Beach areas. Saturday, August 26. With the mies. Pisgah Home Demonstration Club GOOD IN PACIFIC at Holden's Beach at 4:00 p. m. Monday, August 28. Visiting leaders in the Mt. Olive section.

the Prospect and Red Bug com-August 30 and 31. At office

### While out on a combat train- Mrs. Robinson **Dies At Supply**

Supply Community Bur-ied In Robinson Cemetery Thursday

Mrs. G. A. Robinson, 47-yearold Supply lady, died at her home heating season coupons, last Wednesday after an illness Leo S. Mulroney; his mother, that extended over a considerable three gall yennie Mulroney; and sister, Ka- period. Following services at the vember 8. that extended over a considerable therine Mulroney, all of whom home, conducted by Rev. Lowe make their home in Mallard, and Rev. Newton, burial was held Thursday in the Robinson ceme- B5, C5 and D5 (Book 4) now

Besides the husband, Mrs. Ro- with tokens. binson is survived by the fol-Local Church binson is survived by the following: two daughters, Mrs. Mil- B5, C5 E5, and F5 (Book 4) now dred Hewett and Miss Mattie Ro- valid at 10 points each, for use Rev. Henry G. Ruark, pastor of binson; one son, Acia Robinson; with tokens.

for Asheville. They are expecting Rationing rules now require that Ensign Paul Dosher of the U. to spend several eeks in western

### **Allied Forces** Move Farther Into France

Divisions Spearheading Sensational Drive

### HAS CAPITULATED

Forces To The South Mov-ing In To Join First Invaders

Radio reports today, Wednesday) are to the effect that Paris has fallen to the Allies. As this paper goes to press the report is unconfirmed. It is generally understood, however, that the Allies have been free to move into the city since early in the week.

In a spectacular advance into plodes Kerosene Stove General George S. Patton are With Disastrous Results smashing in an unprecedented drive which has taken them already to within 165 miles of the

valley, a natural pathway to The building was a good one Paris and junction with the forand contained a good stock. Jim- ces coming in from the Cherbourg

In their sensational drive, the this week that he planned to re- ber of towns on the outskirts of that the fall of Paris depends now lotte community and elsewhere, enemy resistance seems to be His beer parlor has been said to very light. Confusion reigns in be the most orderly place of its the hastily retreating Nazi colkind in Brunswick. Speaking to umns and reports from the front a representative of the paper this week, he asked that it be stated ed such momentum that it will

Crowning the week of allied him by friends in time of his military achievement has been the enveloping of Paris by the army of General Patton. Throughout ailled contacting General Patton has been acclaimed the man of the week. His army, which in-Weekly Schedule vaded France two weeks ago, and which German propaganda at first vaded France two weeks ago, and sought to miminize in import-

So far as further usefulness to Germany is concerned, Paris is already occupied with Patton's aring to have good catches coming in Iron an enters in The number of boats operating in The number of Wind Come Weather" by Daphne demonstration agent, will be con- been clearing the city of Germans.

Thursday, August 24. Visiting les since D-Day. The Germans years ago are now being over-Friday, August 25. Shallotte whelmed by the same tactics from better equipped Allied ar-

Although it is admitted on all

Tuesday, August 29. Visits in little longer than that with Ger-(Continued on Page 4)

### Ration Pointers

CANNING SUGAR

Sugar stamp No. 40 good for five pounds of canning sugar un-til February 28, 1945. Apply to local boards for supplemental ra-FUEL OIL Period four and five fuel oil coupons good through September 30. During October unused cou-

tioning boards for new 1944-'45 A-11 coupons now valid for three gallons each through No-

MEATS AND FATS Red A8 through Z8 and A5, valid at 10 points each, for use

PROCESSED FOODS

PROCESSED FOODS

Airplane stamp No. 1 and No.

Sugar stamps No. 30, No. 31 EAVE FOR TRIP

Mrs. J. A. Russ and daughter, nitely. Stamp No. 33 becomes va-Agnes, of Shallotte, left Friday lid on September 1.

Ensign Paul Dosher of the U. to spend several eeks in western every car owner write his license s. Maritime Service is spending North Carolina where Mrs. Russ This reporter has a package of a leave here with his mother, higher climate for her health.

pons may be exchanged at ra-