

Capital Letters

By Thompson Greenwood

AIR vs PAID vs BUS—Your trip \$20.90. Asheville last week to attend the convention of the N. C. Association. It cost a little more to fly, but he flew—and next morning at 9:15—some 10 hours later. The round-trip cost, minus tax, would have been \$20.95, if he had taken lower berth—if he could have got it—plus the cost of breakfast, plus red cap tips. By bus, he would have left Asheville at 10:29—or in a taxi, less than two hours. The tax free, was for the round-

here at 6 o'clock, arriving in Asheville the next morning at 4 o'clock—10 hours. The round-trip cost, tax free, would have been \$7.40. Taxi fares to and from the airports ran the cost up a little—but there is no comparison in comfort and time saved.

FM STATIONS—An outstanding radio engineer said in Raleigh last week that there would probably be 40 FM stations in operation in North Carolina at the end of two years—and seven by the first of the year. Incidentally, there are now 600 FM applications (from the nation as a whole) before the Federal Communications Commission.

GREATEST—A. H. (Sandy) Graham said a few days ago, in reply to Agriculture Commissioner Kerr Scott, that the State Highway Commission "should build roads at the time and location which will give the greatest service to the greatest number of people." But the same week this statement was made, the highway folks allotted \$200,000 for a new road down the outer banks from Avon to Hatteras.

BURNING—A few years back, John Sprunt Hill of Durham—one of this State's finest citizens in every way—was burned in effigy. That's right—anyway, that's the story. A new road had left a town off the main drag, and Hill, as a member of the State Highway Commission, was burned in effigy . . . and who did the burning? A. H. (Sandy) Graham's neighbors at Hillsboro. Maybe he was in on it, too.

That was a long time ago. It's funny how the worm turns, the shoe gets on the other foot, and the bottom rail finally works its way to the top—and so Sandy shouldn't feel so put out if he's criticized a little. For he hasn't been burned at least not in effigy—yet.

WAIT AND SEE—A high-ranking Democrat remarked last week that "there is going to be hell to pay if the weather next winter is only half as bad as it was last." The only thing now is just to wait and see . . .

OFFICERS AND CIVILIANS—In front of the Chalefont Club—remembered as the meeting place of the G. I. Democrats—there is a sign which reads as follows: "Officers and Civilians." During the war, it was impossible for an enlisted man to get in the place.

And many an enlisted man in the State seems to feel the same way about the GI Democrat group . . . or that's the way your reporter hears it.

And while the GI Democrats were in session at Pinehurst at least one uninvited enlisted man passed by, took a picture of the sign still there: "Officers and Civilians," and he has it for further use if necessary. "Why did they have to meet there?" he asks.

ENLISTED MEN—Now there seems to be a move on to form some sort of an enlisted men's group, which will not be so political in nature. Frank Parker, say these fellows, was the only legislator-enlisted man invited to Pinehurst. Here are some others who weren't: C. B. Martin of Martin County, a sergeant in the war; Garland Garris, who will represent Montgomery County, a sergeant; Joe Branch, Martin State senator, a sergeant. There are others, too.

C. P. Hathaway, who will represent Gates County in the General Assembly, didn't receive an invitation. He served four years, was an ensign when discharged.

And so the GI Democrats, as said before, must get strength from other quarters to be effective. They must give more attention to the welfare of disabled veterans and to greater representation of enlisted men on such groups as court martial boards, etc. To be a potent political organization, they must be less political-minded.

But there is plenty of time—and room—for improvement.

NOTES—The N. C. Dairy Products Association has donated

\$10,000 to the Better Health set-up, about which you've been reading so much recently—As the proposed bill now stands, the new N. C. Tobacco Advisory Council would have powers to accept gifts and otherwise to supplement any funds appropriated by the Legislature for the carrying on of this work. The plan will be submitted to the executive committee of the Council within a few days . . .

the State is getting its share of councils and institutes. There is the wood council just referred to—A Poultry Council is

in the offing . . . A Sweet Potato Council is being formed . . . There is a N. C. Meat Institute now in operation . . . And don't be surprised if a N. C. cotton group is formed . . . But an Irish potato council, institute, association, triple-A, or something, is the greatest need. The summer crop is still stinking—in many ways!

LESSON BOOKLETS—Former Gov. J. M. Broughton's Sunday School lessons (at 10 o'clock each Sunday over WPTP) are maintaining their popularity through-

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"Bite Size" Camera New Rage



HOLLYWOOD—Latest movietown fad, a tiny camera with all the advantages of its larger counterparts is described by Martha Raye as "Bite Size." The comedienne, like other celebrities, finds the new Whittaker Micro-16 camera practical since it takes either black or white or full color pictures larger than itself. It weighs a mere nine ounces and is smaller than a package of cigarettes. Martha's new bus doing a little picture posing herself in the new film "Monstieur Verdoux."

out the State. It is now being written and pamphletized for general distribution. If you happen to get up too late to make it to Sunday School, just turn to Broughton and you will get a lesson that is likely to be far better than that of your regular teacher. Of course, Broughton—and this is a fact—would prefer that you go on to Sunday School and actively participate in your church work. It is now estimated that he has about 100,000 listeners—virtually all voters, too—every Sunday. The only thing wrong with getting the lessons in booklet form is that they are seldom written. He just stands up there and talks . . . as gifted a speaker, in the opinion of many, as the State ever had.

OFF THE CUFF—The circulation of the Charlotte Observer

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We wish to express our sincere appreciation to friends and neighbors for their kindness during our recent bereavement.
The Family of Mrs. Miram P. Fisher

CARD OF THANKS
We are grateful for the many acts of kindness shown us by friends and neighbors following the sudden death of our husband and father.
Mrs. E. R. Outlaw And Family

CARD OF THANKS
Members of the family of Mrs. Irene Doshier wish to express their heartfelt thanks to friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness during our time of sorrow.
The Family of Mrs. Irene Doshier

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— DAILY SCHEDULE —

LEAVE	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Southport .. Lv.	7:00	9:00	1:30	3:45	6:00
Supply .. Lv.	7:30	9:30		4:15	6:30
Bolivia .. Lv.	7:45	9:45		4:30	6:45
Winnabow, Lv.	8:00	10:00	2:00	4:45	7:00
Lanvale .. Lv.	8:15	10:15	2:15	5:00	7:15
Wilmington, Ar.	8:30	10:30	2:30	5:15	7:30

LEAVE	Wilmington, Lv.	Lanvale .. Lv.	Winnabow, Lv.	Bolivia .. Lv.	Supply .. Lv.	Southport Ar.
7:00	9:30	1:35	4:00	6:20	10:00	
7:15	9:45	1:50	4:15	6:35	10:15	
7:30	10:00	2:05	4:30	6:50	10:30	
7:45	10:15	2:20	4:45	7:05	10:45	
8:00	10:30	2:35	5:00	7:20	11:00	
8:30	11:00	3:05	5:20	7:50	11:30	

— SUNDAY SCHEDULE —

LEAVE	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Southport .. Lv.	7:30	10:45	3:45	6:00
Supply .. Lv.	8:00	11:15	4:15	6:30
Bolivia .. Lv.	8:15	11:30	4:30	6:45
Winnabow, Lv.	8:30	11:45	4:45	7:00
Lanvale .. Lv.	8:45	12:00	5:00	7:15
Wilmington, Ar.	9:00	12:15	5:15	7:30

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9:00	1:35	6:20	10:00			
9:15	1:50	6:35	10:15			
9:30	2:05	6:50	10:30			
9:45	2:20	7:05	10:45			
9:55	2:35	7:20	11:00			
10:15	3:05	7:50	11:30			

FOR SALE: I have milk cows on hand, at all times for sale or trade. A. G. Lewis, Bolivia, N. C.

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spotted rat terrier. Body white Small female white and brown with light brown spots on head. Answers to name of Pat. \$5.00 reward for return to J. J. Sanders, Shallotte, N. C.

WANTED: A family on my farm near Bolivia. 13 acres farming land, two dwelling houses, tobacco barn, etc. 2-10 acres tobacco allotment. Can give immediate possession. Ed Sparrow, Bolivia, Route 1.

FOR SALE: 5-column Victor adding machine. Good condition. Price \$60.00. J. B. Russ, Southport, N. C.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS
The undersigned, having qualified as administrator of the estate of H. J. Williamson, deceased, late of Brunswick County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned, Nellie I. Williamson, Administrator, at Shallotte, North Carolina, on or before September 4th, 1946, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned or to the said R. I. Mintz, Attorney.
This the 4th day of September, 1946.
NELLY I. WILLIAMSON, Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Having qualified as administrator of the estate of J. H. Holden, Sr., deceased of Brunswick County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the undersigned at Southport, North Carolina, on or before the 11th day of September, 1946, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned or to the said R. I. Mintz, Attorney.
This the 11th day of September, 1946.
RUTHA WILLIAMS, Administrator of the Estate of PETE WILLIAMS.
R. I. Mintz, Attorney
10-18c.

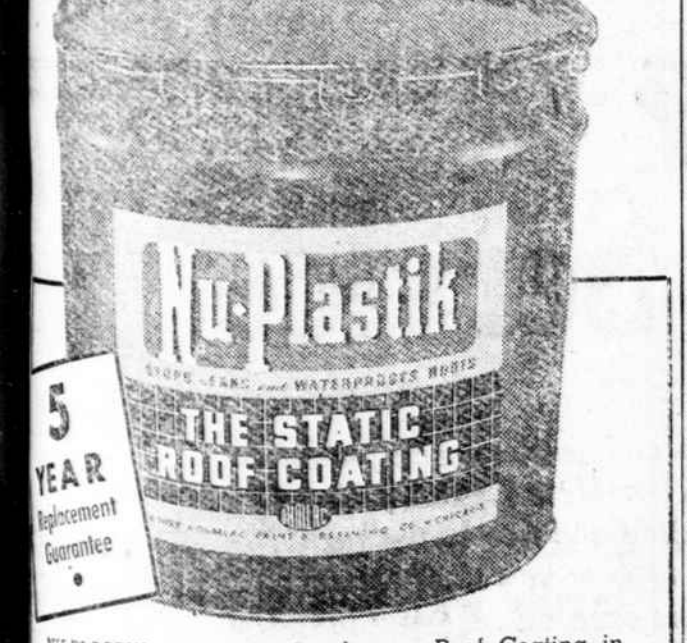
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This the 11th day of September, 1946.
J. H. HOLDEN, JR., Administrator of the Estate of J. H. HOLDEN, SR.
R. I. Mintz, Attorney
10-16 pd.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS
The undersigned, having qualified as administrator of the estate of H. W. Ferguson, deceased, late of Brunswick County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned, E. E. Ferguson, Administrator, at Bolivia, North Carolina, on or before the 9th day of August, 1946, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.
This the 9th day of August, 1946.
E. E. FERGUSON, Administrator
9-18c.

ENTRY NOTICE
Entry No. 4355
W. H. Simmons enters 25 acres more or less land in Town Creek township, Brunswick county, N. C., bounded as follows: Beginning at the mouth of Bell Swamp runs up the run of Bell Swamp about three thousand feet to old Long Bridge crossing; thence with the old Long Bridge Road about south to run of Mill Creek; down the run of Mill Creek to the beginning.
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