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THIS WEEK IN DEFENSE

The President, speaking by radio, said "The choice we have to make is this: Shall we make our full sacrifices now, produce to the limit, and deliver our products today and every day to the battlefronts of the entire world? Or shall we remain satisfied with our present rate of armament output, postponing the day of real sacrifice—as did the French—until it is too late?"

"The first," the President said, "is the choice of realism—realism in terms of three shifts a day; the fullest use of every vital machine every minute of every day and every night;...staying and entrusting industrial grievance of collective bargaining... The task that is essential to our total of collective bargaining... The second choice is the approach of the blind... for them there is still 'plenty of time'... And their tombstones would bear the legend 'Too late'..."

In a statement issued regarding Civilian Defense Week November 11-16, the President said "Each and every citizen as a civilian must do his share for defense... We must halt the waste and unnecessary use of critical materials required for defense. We must work longer hours... And each of us must be trained in some defense..."

Lend-Lease Aid

The President arranged a \$1,000,000,000 loan to Russia under the Lend-Lease Act. The loan carries no interest. Repayment—partly in materials—will start five years after the war ends and is to be completed in 10 years from that time. Observing the 20th anniversary of the Soviet revolution, the President telegraphed the Soviet Government "I am confident that the sacrifices and sufferings of those who have the courage to struggle against aggression will not have been in vain..."

The Navy authorized construction of 50 escort vessels for transfer to Great Britain under the Lend-Lease Act at a cost of \$300,000,000. The State Department announced a lend-lease agreement with Cuba involving an undisclosed amount of U. S. defense supplies for that country and supplies of sugar, tobacco and manganese in return.

Other Foreign Relations

State Secretary Hull announced the U. S. transmitted to Finland a peace offer from the Soviet Union with the advice that Finland must give evidence of willingness to discontinue military operations against Russia if Finland wishes to keep U. S. friendship. Mr. Hull also announced that if Germany does not now pay \$2,967,000 damages for sinking the ROBIN MOOR, the claim would be group-

17 STOKES MEN WILL BE CALLED NOVEMBER 17TH

Seventeen Stokes county boys, all white, will be called for induction to Fort Bragg November 17th.

The list of the contingent is unavailable for publication this week, but will appear in the next issue of the Reporter.

Winston Market To Close Nov. 19 For Holidays

In observance of the Thanksgiving holidays the Winston-Salem tobacco market will be closed on Wednesday, November 19 and sales resumed on Monday, November 24.

ed with other pending cases for adjustment after the war. The President told a press conference the U. S. is considering withdrawing holidays, the Winston-Salem to China, Japan dispatched a special envoy to the U. S. for further discussion of Far Eastern problems.

Ships Attacked

The Navy announced the U. S. S. SALINAS, Navy oil tanker, reached port safely and without loss of life despite serious damage from a torpedo the night of October 29-30 while in a convoy near Iceland. The Navy revised its list of casualties on the destroyer RUEBEN JAMES to show two known dead and 98 missing and given up for dead. The vessel was torpedoed while convoying near Iceland. There were 45 survivors.

Navy Strengthened

The President transferred the entire Coast Guard to the Navy Department and asked Congress for an additional \$449,820,000 for the Navy. The Coast Guard transfer gave the Navy 230 patrol and auxiliary vessels and a large number of in-shore and port craft.

Ships Building

The Navy reported that during the first 10 months of 1941, keels were laid for 115 new combatant ships, 34 ships were launched and 25 ships were commissioned. The Maritime Commission reported the first three Liberty cargo ships will be delivered the week of November 18. The Commission has so far launched 148 new ships and delivered 118 as result of its long-range and emergency programs.

Army Progress

The War Department reported the rate of delivery of critical armament and ammunition to the Army by June, 1942 will be 360 times the rate during May, 1940—when \$1,000,000 worth was delivered. The rate, the Department said, increased 40 times by June of this year, 60 times by September, and 80 times by October.

The Army also announced increase in the rate of training of motor maintenance officers by four times, battalion commanders and communications officers by 100 percent, and aircraft warning service men by 900 percent. The Army also reported the rate of

MRS. BOYLES HAS CLOSE CALL

BOY SHOT AT HER WITH PISTOL THOUGHT NOT LOADED — TONSIL OPERATIONS — BIRTHS — OTHER NEWS OF KING.

King.— When You've looked them all over come locate at King Nov. 13.—Mrs. C. O. Boyles Jr. who resides in Pilot View came near being shot by her small son Thursday, the little fellow found a loaded revolver which had been left in a bureau drawer thinking it was a toy gun he pointed it at his mother and pulled the trigger. The bullet barely missed Mrs. Boyles' arm and was embedded in the wall of the room.

S. S. Boyles is recovering from a recent illness at his home, Lone Oak Farm, one mile south of town.

Mrs. Sam Powers of Athens, Ga. is spending some time with relatives here. Mrs. Powers who was reared here is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James F. Newsum.

The following patients underwent tonsil removal operations here last week:

Miss Colleen Caudle and Miss Pearl Lawson of Pinnacle, Miss Mildred Kiser of Germantown and Curtis Nelson and Grady Thacker of Walnut Cove.

Rupert Fulk of Roanoke, Va., is spending a few days here with relatives and friends.

Clardy Newsum has moved into his home on West Main street which he recently purchased.

The remains of Mrs. Richard Watts who died at her home in Mount Airy were brought back here and laid to rest at the First Baptist Cemetery Sunday after-

JAILED

Glenn George of Westfield, for violating probation, automatically putting into effect an 8 month road sentence.

James Frye, of Aaron's Corner, near the N. C.-Va. line arrested Tuesday night by Special Deputy Carl Ray on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon.

H. L. Johnson and Jack Stone of King were in town Wednesday.

noon at two o'clock. The deceased who was reared here is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gunter. The husband and several children survive.

Private Leroy Kirby, of Fort Jackson, S. C. is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Authur Kirby near Five Forks.

R. B. Reynolds of Wilmington, N. C. was a weekend visitor to relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Moore of High Point were among the visitors here Saturday.

The stork has a little larger report this week and promises still larger one in the near future. Here it is:

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Flippin a son, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blackburn a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Lewis a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bullin a daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Long a daughter.

The business houses here are complying with the Duke Power Company's recent order cutting off all outside lights and sign lights. This is being done to overcome the shortage in electric current caused by the drought in this section.

SHOT IN HAND NEAR KING

Hob Bennett Released Under \$500 Bond — Hearing Wednesday Night—Other Arrests

Hob Bennett, who lives between Mountain View and Quaker Gap was released Wednesday night after a hearing before Justice of the Peace John L. Christian. He was placed under a \$500 bond.

Bennett was arrested Sunday afternoon about 3:00 o'clock on a charge of assault, having shot Claude Campbell, who also lives near Mountain View, in the right hand with a 12 gauge shotgun.

Hob Bennett, driving alone, chased a car in which Claude Campbell, Jesse Hayden, Frank Hayden, Alvin Hayden and James Fry were riding about 2 miles and finally forcing them to a stop. Bennett then ordered Campbell out of the car. Words were passed and as a result the shooting occurred.

Campbell was being taken for medical treatment in his car where Bennett again overtook them and attempted to fire a second shot at Alvin Hayden, who knocked him down with his fist and gained possession of the weapon.

At the hearing, a warrant for assault with a deadly weapon was sworn by Bennett against James Frye, who was alleged to have assaulted Bennett with a rock. Frye is now in Danbury Jail.

Richard Mabe Dies At Lawsonville

Richard Mabe, aged 63, a prominent farmer of Lawsonville, died Tuesday and was buried at Snow Creek cemetery Wednesday.

The cause of Mr. Mabe's death was cancer of the mouth and tongue, caused, it is said by a broken or decayed front tooth which constantly irritated the mouth and tongue. He had been ill for around a year.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Ada Mabe; five daughters, Mrs. Vera Smith and Mrs. Lena Wilson, Danbury; Miss Mosele Mabe of the home; Mrs. Otis Siraons and Mrs. Alma Steves of Lawsonville; and three sons, Lester, Lemly and Zeb Mabe, of Danbury.

Death of Everett Hartman

King.—Everett Hartman, aged 52, of 773 Northwest 21st Terrace Street, Miami, Florida, died Monday night at 10:30 o'clock following a long illness. He had been a clerk at the Southern Seed Company for eight years. A native of King, he went to Florida 16 years ago.

Surviving are the widow, Claudia Hartman; two sons, Lee and McRae Hartman and one daughter, Mrs. Ruth Craig all of Miami; two grandchildren, Bobby Craig and Patsy Ann Hartman, his mother, Mrs. R. L. Hartman; three sisters, Mrs. Guy Webster,

TOBACCO MARKETS TO CLOSE XMAS

NO MORE WEEED TO BE HANDLED BY THE WAREHOUSES AFTER THE HOLIDAYS — CROP WELL OVER THREE-FOURTHS SOLD — BROUGHT BIG PRICES, BUT WAS SHORT IN PRODUCTION.

The news is given out that the tobacco warehouses will close on this crop at Christmas.

It is estimated that the crop, which was short in acreage and poundage is now more than three-fourths sold.

Probably the highest prices paid since 1919-1920 were paid, and farmers are generally well satisfied over the returns.

Wild Turkeys Released Nov. 5

Fourteen wild turkeys were turned loose in the Flat Shoal Mountains Wednesday, November 5 by County Game Protector Carl Ray Flinchum.

Hunters are urged to cooperate with the game protector in taking care of this rare game.

A. M. (Mack) Caudle Injured in Wreck

Wednesday night, on the highway near the airport at Winston-Salem, A. M. (Mack) Caudle was injured when he lost control of his car after hitting a ditch. He was carried to the City Hospital for treatment. His car was demolished.

"Mack" is head of the AAA department here in the courthouse.

Rabbit, Quail Season To Open In Stokes On November 20th

The season in which rabbit and quail may be lawfully hunted in Stokes county will open November 20.

Season for ducks and geese opened November 2 and will close December 31.

N. C. Tobacco Crop Marketed Quickest In History

North Carolina's flue-cured tobacco crop has been sold this year at the fastest rate on record, according to reports from Washington.

Dr. E. W. Owen of Spencer, W. Va., visited friends and relatives in the county this week.

of Madison, N. C., Mrs. Sam Amos of Sandy Ridge, N. C., Mrs. Paul Jessup of Walnut Cove; four brothers, Ray, Raleigh and George of Belwus Creek, N. C. and Reggie Hartman of Richmond county.

Services were conducted at 2 o'clock p. m. Wednesday in the Skillman Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. Roy Johnson, pastor of the First Christian Church.

Burial followed in Graceland Memorial Park Cemetery.



Farm News
about the AAA and other
EXTENSION WORK
From the
County Agent

R. H. Todd of Danbury planted Sea No. 5 registered oats and Davidson No. 15 registered barley. This seed was secured from the Piedmont Experiment Station. Each crop is growing nicely in spite of the dry weather.

J. H. Robertson, Pine Hall,

accidents in military flying during the past year remained unchanged despite greatly increased training and tactical flying and use of new and faster ships.

Power

The President asked Congress for \$30,000,000 for additional power facilities in the Booneville power system because "a critical power shortage in this area is now imminent." The OPM postponed from November 10 to November 17 the planned 30 percent power curtailment for non-defense industries in six Southern

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opened his trench silo last week.

J. S. Barr, King, opened his silage from his box silo this week.

Lea No. 5 oat, which is cold cold and rust resistant, may be sown as late as December 1st. For livestock has been received for free distribution among dairymen

A 1942 feeding practice bulletin of the county.

A feed which may be mixed on the average Stokes farm is as follows:

Corn cob meal, 400 lbs, cottonseed meal, 300 lbs, wheat bran, 200 lbs, ground oats, 100 lbs, ground limestone, 10 lbs, salt 10 lbs.

Another feed mixture which is commonly recommended is as follows:

400 lbs. cottonseed meal; 600 lbs. corn cob meal; 10 lbs. ground limestone and 10 lbs. salt.