

Entries For Amateur Night Are Invited

Amateur entertaining talent desiring a place on the program of the Henderson Exposition next month was invited today to register immediately with Sam Alford, chairman of the committee of the Henderson Lions Club, which is sponsoring the exposition. The amateur contest will be on Tuesday night of exposition week, which is April 10 to 15, inclusive.

It was explained that it will be necessary for all those entering the contest to file their names and addresses and the type of their entertainment at the exposition headquarters next to the Charles store on Garnett street, or with Mr. Alford, and all must be on file on or before April 1, it was stated.

Decorators are now at work on the High Price Warehouse, where the exposition will be held, and ceiling effects are being placed. The color scheme is blue and white, and it is stated that the decorations will present one of the most attractive and glamorous arrangements yet staged in the city. It was also stated today that many business concerns have already reserved display spaces, covering lines from automobiles to household and personal effects, together with farm machinery and equipment for the curing of tobacco.

POLICE INVESTIGATE TUESDAY ROBBERY

Police are investigating a robbery of a sum of money from Miss Helen Kimball's room at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Morris on Chestnut street sometime Tuesday afternoon. Miss Kimball reported to police that about \$30 was missing from her room, and that her personal effects showed signs of having been gone through.

YOUNG DEMOCRATS WILL HEAR COOLEY

Raleigh, March 23.—With the definite assurance that Congressman Harold D. Cooley will be on hand to "put on the rousettes", plans for the fourth district Young Democratic Jeffersonian Rally are being completed.

Staged at Memorial Auditorium in Raleigh on the night of Friday, March 31, the fourth district meeting will be an informal barbecue rather than a formal banquet. The date for this occasion was fixed a little earlier than the real rally period in order to catch the legislature in session.

Jeffersonian Rallies planned by State President Gordon Gray and General Chairman Tommy Gresham are scheduled for every congressional district in the State during the two first weeks in April. Dates have been fixed so far for the second, fourth and fifth district rallies and others will be announced in a few days.

SMALL BOY DIES IN THE HOSPITAL HERE

James Abbott III Only One Week; Funeral at New Bethel Friday

James Arthur Abbott, nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Abbott, of the Townsville road, died at Maria Parham hospital at 7:15 a. m. today after an illness of one week. He was born in this county December 29, 1929. He was a student at Central school in the city.

The lad was a member of Sandy Creek Baptist church. Surviving besides the parents are three brothers, John, Clinton and Arwell Abbott, and two sisters, Elizabeth and Shirley Jean Abbott, and two grandmothers, Mrs. Mattie Abbott and Mrs. Maggie Stevenson, both of this county.

Funeral services will be held at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon at New Bethel Baptist church at Epsom, with interment following in the church cemetery. Rev. Mr. Barnett, pastor of Sandy Creek Baptist church, will be in charge of the services.

Counties Flee Funeral Body Restrictions

In the Sir Walter Hotel, Daily Dispatch Bureau, BY HENRY AVERILL.

Raleigh, March 23.—Approximately a dozen counties sought, and won, exemption from a "funeral directors commission" bill yesterday after Haywood's Senator Chester Coghurn made one of the bitterest and most vigorous of his many attacks on "monopolistic commissions".

During his assault the Haywood man charged that practically all the commissions set up to regulate this, that and the other industry, trade and profession in North Carolina are nothing more or less than "rackets" of the most vicious type.

"The only difference between these monopolistic boards down here and the rackets up North is that up there they enforce their demands with machine guns and stink bombs, while down here we make them legal and force the people to submit to paying tribute by enacting a law to make them do so," he said.

Debate on the measure—it was all technically on a Coghurn amendment to exempt Haywood, Transylvania, Jackson, Cabarrus, Watauga, Alleghany, Ashe and perhaps a few others—was pointed and vigorous.

Wake's Senator Lyn Ballentine, who sponsored the bill and led the fight for its adoption without amendment interrupted Coghurn time after time to engage in repartee which grew rather warm at times.

Ballentine at one point declared he is ready, for his part, to "give Haywood to Tennessee", to which Coghurn replied that so far as he is concerned he would be willing to "give Wake back to the Indians if the distinguished senator wants it that way."

The Coghurn amendments carried by a heavy margin, but the bill itself won on a roll call vote, 35 to 3.

New Fuel On Fight Over Agriculture

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so written that he couldn't get on. The bill of yesterday in Senate Bill 376, the previous bill was 328, the numbers being given in order to make further reference to them in this story easier and shorter.

The Department of Agriculture is backing 328, which is also said to have the endorsement of President Frank Graham, of the Greater University of North Carolina, and of Dean of Administration W. J. Harrelson, of State College.

Without citing him as unimpeachable authority, a high official of the Department of Agriculture said of 328: "It suits everybody I know of except Dean Schaub."

Unbiased observers predict, however, that there is sufficient anti-department strength in the House to prevent passage of 328, though it could likely get a favorable vote in the House to prevent passage of 328, though it could likely get a favorable vote in the Senate. It sets up an 11-member commission to coordinate activities of the department and college, the commission to be composed as follows.

President of the board of trustees of the University (the governor), president of the University (Frank Graham), dean of administration at State College (Colonel Harrelson), commissioner of agriculture (Kerr Scott), assistant commissioner of agriculture (W. S. Coltrane), three members of the board of agriculture to be chosen by the commissioner, and three members of the board of trustees of the University, to be selected by the governor.

On the contrary, the "advisory" board set up by 376 would consist of the governor, ex officio; the commissioner of agriculture, the director of the North Carolina Experiment Station (Schaub) and the commissioner of agriculture.

This measure goes much beyond setting up a board, too. It would change the tax on fertilizer inspection from 20 cents a ton as at present to 30 cents a ton, the increased revenue to be allocated for the use of the North Carolina Experiment Station and test farms.

Going still further, the bill would reallocate to "hog cholera, Bang's disease and other regulatory work" under the N. C. E. S. \$4,500 now allocated to seed improvement, \$26,350 for miscellaneous use and \$72,000 for expenses of the test farms.

All in all, however, it just about suffices to say of the two bills that the Department of Agriculture wants 328, Dean Schaub wants 376 and will have the backing of the North Carolina Farm Bureau.

At the time of introduction of 376 yesterday, 328 had already been favorably reported by the agriculture committee and was on the Senate calendar, but on motion of George Ward, of Duplin, it was sent back to the committee because of the introduction of 376.

Hines Given 4 to 8 Years In Lottery

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at least \$30,000 annually to protect this vicious racket, and in all previous cases of this type that have come before me, I have been much more stringent."

Hines was pale and nervous as sentence was passed. He adjusted and readjusted his glasses. His lawyer, Lloyd Stryker, blanched, too, as sentence was passed. Stryker made two routine motions to dismiss. Both were denied. He told the court Hines had cooperated with probation officers to the fullest.

Stryker said: "Mr. Hines has nothing to say." J. Richard Davis, lawyer for the Dutch Schultz mob and "Big Harry" Schoenhaus, pay-off man, named as fellow conspirators of Hines, were sentenced yesterday. Davis was given a year and Shoenhaus was given a suspended sentence, with two years probation.

Italy's King Says France Knows Claim

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the questions which divide the two countries in this moment in an official note of last December 17."

While the king was speaking, Pope Pius XII again expressed his desire for "peace based on justice and mutual cooperation," a Vatican news service announced. This came in an audience for 700 Hungarian pilgrims.

The pope also received ten young

American priests with their relatives. His Holiness spoke to them briefly in English and blessed them and their dioceses. The ten were ordained last Sunday by Bishop Ralph Hayes, rector of the North American College.

Vittorio Emanuele acknowledged that events in eastern Europe had brought uneasy times. "Europe has not yet and will not have times which can be called easy, and the recent collapse of some of the artificial political structures born after the World War demonstrated it," he said.

"But it is difficult times which reveal the character of peoples, and it is for this reason that no doubt clouds my mind with regard to the future of the Italian people, a future guaranteed by the arms and by the ever more united national consciousness, tempered by the hard tests of war and the no less arduous duties of peace."

Memel Talk Viewed As Assurances

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German Reich, so, too, we here want to give expression to our faith and our confidence in the word 'Sieg Heil!'"

The fuhrer finished speaking at 2:39 p. m. (3:39 a. m. eastern standard time). Enthusiastic singing of the Reich's national anthem followed.

While warning the world that no nation on earth could tear the unified German nation asunder, Hitler declared: "We Germans have no intention of doing harm to the rest of the world. The damage which that other world did to Germany, however, had to be repaired again. I believe that now, in the main, we have arrived at an end to this unique process of reparations."

This was interpreted as an effort to appease a nervous world, and especially Poland.

European Strife Makes Orphans of Ambassadors

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less where he came from, an alien here, and alone. He may be flat broke, too.

Russia's Queer Case. When czarism in Russia was overthrown, it was replaced by the comparatively moderate Kerensky regime, which we recognized. It sent to us Boirs Bakhmeteff, an ambassador. He set up housekeeping in a very nobby embassy, inherited from the czar, originally bought and paid for—there wasn't any dispute about that.

But presently Kerensky-ism exploded. We didn't recognize the Soviets. It no longer was Bakhmeteff's property. He had to move out. The last I knew about it he was practicing

law in New York. But the embassy real estate? For years it did nothing but stand there, on Sixteenth Street, with nobody but a caretaker in charge. Of the ambassadorial staff nobody was left but Serge Ughet, who had been financial attache. Yet he no longer spoke with any authority. He lived in Manhattan. The embassy was an orphan. The caretaker himself wouldn't come to the door. Russia did, indeed, maintain a commercial office in Washington under Boris Skvirsky, but it was independent of the former embassy; the quarters weren't his.

I tried again and again to discover to whom that embassy belonged; it's worth about \$1,000,000. All I could learn from the State Department was that it was like an estate, left by a dead government, with no heir.

Finally, however, we recognized the Soviets, and Ambassador Alexander A. Troyanovsky came into possession. So that's settled. Troyanovsky is in Russia, on extended leave, but Charge d'Affaires Constantine A. Oumsky occupies the premises. The place seems to belong to Russia all right.

Austria, Spain, China? Not long ago, as we're aware, Herr Hitler gobbled Austria, which put Austrian Minister Edgar L. G. Prochnik out on the end of a limb. Dr. Prochnik found a position as a lecturer in a big American educational institution, taking care of him. But

who inherits the Austrian legation building on Massachusetts avenue? Republican Spain also has gone floozy. Ambassador Fernando de los Rios likewise has gone in for American education. But we haven't a successor to him yet—or recognized new Spain. Who acquires that embassy?

Chinese Ambassador Hu Shih is hanging on only by his eye teeth. He's likely to have an embassy to put on the market shortly.

Now, Minister Hurban of Czechoslovakia has an offering. The diplomatic industry in Washington, in short, is being consolidated at a rate that endangers its prosperity. It's getting to be a trust. The anti-monopoly committee ought to get into action.

Slovaks In Protest To Hungarians

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It was possible that a "local discussion" had arisen between Hungarian and Slovak troops. The minister said: "There can be no question of military operations."

Hungarian troops moved into Slovakia at several points along the Slovakia-Carpatho-Ukraine frontier, said reliable reports from that region, and diplomatic quarters heard of military operations.

This the 22nd day of March A. D. 1939.

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Germany's invitation. The reports supported belief among foreign diplomats that Hitler had adopted a policy of encouraging Hungarian expansion to build up a powerful ally in central Europe. Hungarian troops had been in Carpatho-Ukraine since the occupation last week of that section.

British hotels seek dishes which guests won't steal for souvenirs. They might try having them made of this new invisible glass.

NOTICE OF SALE OF STOCK OF GOODS.

By virtue of an assignment made by The Children's Shop of Henderson, N. C. and as directed therein and as provided by law I will on Monday April 3rd at 12 o'clock noon at the store room of The Children's Shop on William Street in Henderson, N. C. offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash by public auction all that stock of merchandise, fixtures and equipment used in the operation of said business. This stock is new and clean. It is made up of suits, coats, and other children's clothing. Sale is subject to confirmation without notice, successful bidder must immediately deposit 10% of his bid to be held pending confirmation.



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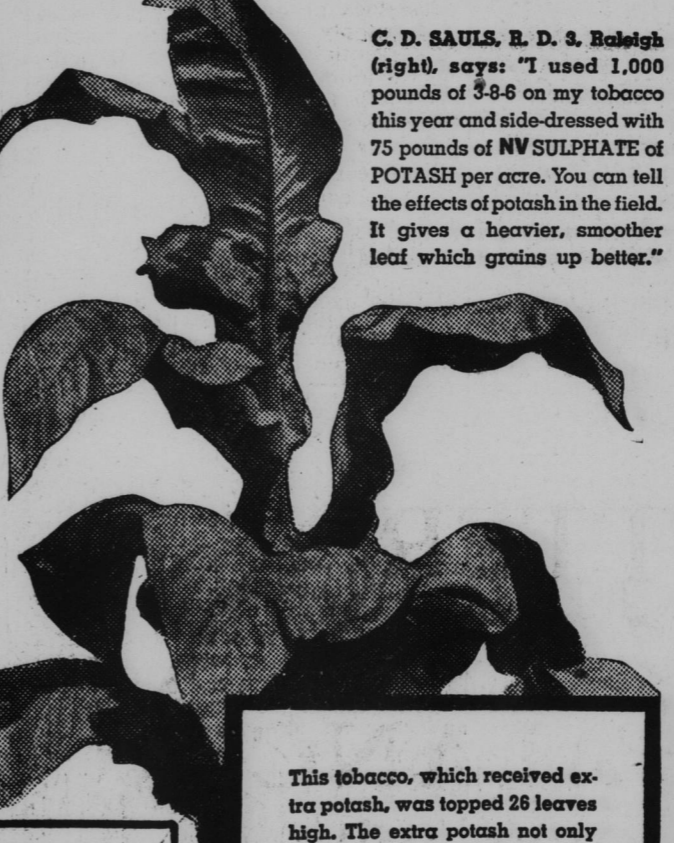
TOP QUALITY TO THE TOP LEAF



W. P. GRANT, R. D. 3, Goldsboro, says: "I gave my tobacco a side-dresser containing 60 pounds of Sulphate of Potash-Magnesia. It produced tobacco of finer quality, better color, with smoother leaves that did not ruffle. As a result I am using 3-8-8 in 1939. I use 500 pounds of 3-8-8 per acre on cotton. 1938 was a bad cotton year but 3-8-8 produced a bale per acre. There was no rust and bolls were larger and better matured. As a cotton ginner I was impressed with the better yields of uniform high-quality lint."



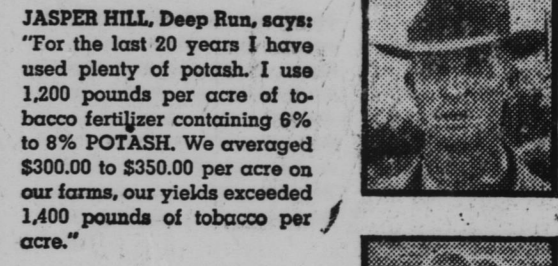
EARNEST BAINES, R. D. 1, E-field, says: "My tobacco fertilizer contains 8% POTASH this year. I am a great believer in potash. Previously I have used 6% POTASH fertilizer at 1,000 pounds per acre. My tobacco yields average 1,300 to 1,500 pounds and I have had returns as high as \$420.00 per acre. I top-dress cotton with 100-10 at 200 pounds per acre. This prevents rust and bolls are larger and easier to pick. I use 6% POTASH fertilizer at 400 to 500 pounds per acre on pecanuts."



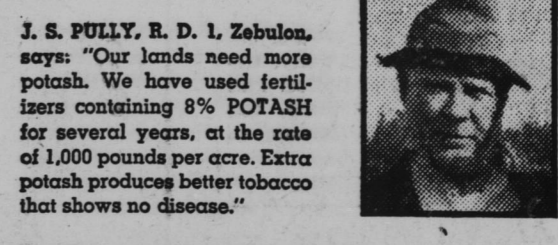
C. D. SAULS, R. D. 3, Raleigh (right), says: "I used 1,000 pounds of 3-8-8 on my tobacco this year and side-dressed with 75 pounds of NV SULPHATE of POTASH per acre. You can tell the effects of potash in the field. It gives a heavier, smoother leaf which grains up better."



GEORGE D. RICHARDSON, Raleigh (right), says: "We have used fertilizer with 8% POTASH on all of our farms for several years. We have also side-dressed tobacco with NV SULPHATE of POTASH. Tobacco warehouses have commented on the uniform quality of our tobacco and the fine leaves of excellent color. Potash makes a great difference in quality."



JASPER HILL, Deep Run, says: "For the last 20 years I have used plenty of potash. I use 1,200 pounds per acre of tobacco fertilizer containing 6% to 8% POTASH. We averaged \$300.00 to \$350.00 per acre on our farms, our yields exceeded 1,400 pounds of tobacco per acre."



L. J. SUGGS, JR., R. D. 2, Snow Hill, says: "I found out about the value of extra potash in improving the quality of the tips of my tobacco by using a top-dresser containing 20% POTASH. This gave me smoother leaves and helped to prevent tip burns."



J. S. PULLY, R. D. 1, Zebulon, says: "Our lands need more potash. We have used fertilizers containing 8% POTASH for several years, at the rate of 1,000 pounds per acre. Extra potash produces better tobacco that shows no disease."

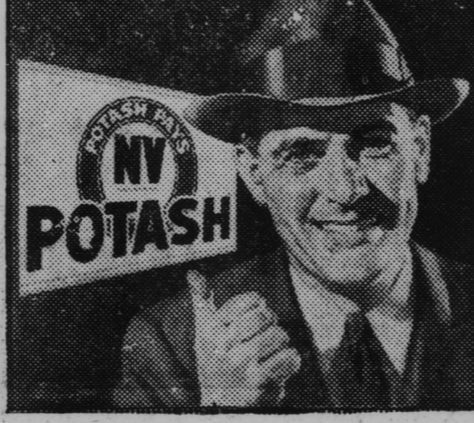
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The Tobacco Research Committee recommends top-dressing tobacco with extra potash equal to 100 to 200 pounds of NV SULPHATE OF POTASH per acre, in addition to fertilizer containing at least 6% POTASH at 800 to 1,200 pounds per acre at planting. The extra NV SULPHATE OF POTASH should be applied within 20 days after transplanting in the field.

Use more NV POTASH this year! It adds extra yields and extra quality to your entire crop. Your Fertilizer Man can supply you with 3-8-8 made with NV POTASH to use at planting and for side-dressing he has NV SULPHATE OF POTASH. POTASH PAYS!

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Notice is hereby given that The Children's Shop of Henderson, N. C. has made an assignment to the undersigned trustee, and all persons, firms, and corporations having claims against said company are hereby notified to present said claims properly itemized and verified to Hon. E. O. Falkner, Clerk Superior Court of Vance County within one (1) year from this date or their notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said company will make immediate payment to the undersigned.