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Lest We Forget
Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech or of the press.

The glory of the Lord shall endure forever; the Lord shall rejoice in his works.—Psalm 143:1.

“Wartime” Washington

Washington, May 20—It has been a delightful spring day in the national capital, and Washington has never been lovelier. Indeed, enjoyment of both money and land is being made here, apparently, than anywhere else in the world. Even a casual stroller about town toward hurried objectives and destinations is sufficient to envision something of the vast transformation that has been and still is in progress.

Two years have made a great difference in the appearance of things, but, contrasted with what it was in days of the last war, the place is hardly recognized as such, and the same. Countless landmarks of former times are no more. They have been pulled down to make way for progress and beauty. And about this alone remains could be written.

Congress is much the same—including its tactics, its political machinations, its demands, which are its inherent characteristics. The House is seldom at paramount attraction at Capitol Hill, but now the crowds that packed every seat and then some for the Senate tend-lease debate have dwindled, and the galleries betray their own seeming disinterest to add to the drowsiness on the floor where a few men put on a show of forenoon out of their own interest or to give some consumption of something—and the remaining few look as if they are bored to death. Today they argued the censorship bill and passed it largely on party lines, as so many other measures go.

One senses here in Washington the feeling that comes from more than ordinary current reading that the country is trying to make up its mind about what to do, but so far has been unable to reach a conclusion. The membership of the House, perhaps even the Senate as well, is having as much difficulty in these strivings as the country at large.

Responsible officials are thinking a good deal about the country's economic future. World markets have in every instance been restricted and in some instances have dried up entirely. Congress is preparing to levy unneeded taxes to help carry the cost of defense, but how these taxes will be met in the face of curtailed trade and income is as much a puzzle to its own members as to other people. When there is discussion of such subjects, there is a butting of heads against a stone wall.

More over, there is no difficulty in sensing the deep-seated concern over the trend of world events. Patriotic Americans hope and dare to believe that in the end, whenever and wherever that is reached, right will triumph, but they feel that the only way out of the current mess is straight through, and not around nor over nor under. That much sacrifi-

ficing lies ahead few doubt; and some feel, too, that the American people as a whole are not yet aroused over what they are facing. One hears of subversive elements at work even in the government structure itself. The termites are active and are getting by with a great deal that ought not to be overlooked. America's traditional tolerance is being taken advantage of by its enemies, yet for some reason there is no general or widespread rousing down.

Everywhere, however, there is courtesy and cordiality on the part of officials. Even at the White House itself, with all of its dignity and outward calm and quiet, callers who enter under official auspices find a glad hand and a readiness to accommodate and please. Maybe this varies to some extent when big game is the stake; probably it does really. Blue coats and brass buttons are present, but they respect the theory of pure democracy and refuse to molest silly picketers who maintain constant patrols on the sidewalks with their banners feigning the sincere purpose of peace, while at heart they may be something quite different. A woman, harassed by the spectacle, accosted a marcher with the question of whether she were a communist, and the reply was the evasive "what do you think?" To which came the quick retort, "I think you are." Yet they march on and on unmolested.

America is not technically at war, yet it is easy to sense the feeling that we really are in and may soon be in name as well. Even in a few brief hours many impressions can be obtained by a look-in on the national scene. Much is seen and heard whose recounting would serve no good purpose, but ears to the ground and eyes wide open catch many currents of thought, of hopes, and of fears that surge back and forth on long waves and short ones. It is "wartime" Washington, with the quotation marks always included.

How old Hitler would smack his lips and gloat could he get his hands on this great city and all that it represents! Perish the thought! Yet it is more than mere fantasy when sober reflection testifies there are those amongst us whose minds and energies move in that direction. Every sensible person knows that America's greatness and power have come about because of principles of government that are the antithesis to and wholly at variance with the ground and tyrannical system that is seeking to fasten itself upon the whole world.

Incidentally, there is an impulse to put in a plug for this Silver Meteor train on the Seaboard. No railroad has anything on that. It is the last word in passenger comfort, service and speed in this part of the country. And Seaboard personnel is now as it has been to these many years unexcelled in courtesy and attention to patrons for their comfort, convenience and good will. No one can be the recipient of such attentions without becoming a friend and booster, and if already that, then more than ever before.

H. A. D.

Vacation and Safety

Under this heading the Winston-Salem Journal cites warnings by R. H. Hocutt, director of the highway safety division, to parents and motorists alike to take ample precautions for safeguarding children, now that they are out of school for the summer. It is a timely warning on both counts, and proper observance of ordinary rules of safety may save the lives of many youngsters and cut down traffic fatalities during this vacation period.

Already this type of fatalities is running nearly fifty percent ahead of last year, and certainly that ought to be enough to arouse motorists and parents to the responsibility that rests upon them in trying to prevent deaths or injuries.

Mr. Hocutt outlines a four-point program for parents in the interest of child safety:

- 1. Provide attractive places for children to play away from traffic.
2. Discourage children from visiting playgrounds out of their immediate neighborhood unless their parents can provide them with a ride or walk with them.
3. Do not send children away from home on unnecessary errands.
4. Help children develop safe habits of walking, playing, skating and cycling.

For motorists this three-point program is recommended:
1. Keep a sharp eye on children who are walking, running, playing ball, skating or riding bicycles in or adjacent to the street or roadway.
2. Try to anticipate sudden movements of children.
3. Be prepared to stop quickly in the event of sudden movements by children.

OTHERS' VIEWS FOR SCHOOL PLAN.

To the Editor: I am very much in favor of a ninth month and twelfth grade for the schools of Henderson, and will support it in the coming special election. C. O. SEIFERT.

What Do You Know About North Carolina?

- By FRED H. MAY
1. What was the last legal duel fought in North Carolina?
2. How many cattle, including milk cows, are listed in North Carolina?
3. Who were the governor and senator who arranged a suit against North Carolina to force payment of reconstruction bonds?
4. What penalty was provided for setting forest fires in 1777?
5. How much did Reynolds defeat Hancock for the Democratic nomination for the United States senate in 1937?
6. What was the frontier custom in 1756 of a young man showing his girl that he was a good provider?

ANSWERS.
1. The last duel before dueling was outlawed in North Carolina was between former governor and congressman Richard Dobbs Spaight and former Congressman John Stanly, both of New Bern. This duel was fought on Sunday, September 5, 1892, just outside of the town of New Bern. On the fourth exchange of shots Spaight was wounded, and died the next day. This duel created such a stir over the State that the next legislature, which convened a few weeks later, immediately passed an act which made all dueling unlawful. This law provided the death penalty for the surviving party of a duel, and for all persons aiding and abetting in a duel.

2. Latest United States census reports give a total of 540,015 cattle and 665,767 milk cows and heifers in North Carolina.

3. Senator Marion Butler, United States senator from North Carolina from 1895 to 1901, and Governor Daniel L. Russell, governor of North Carolina from 1897 to 1901, compared with South Dakota in 1901 in a suit against North Carolina to collect these fraudulent bonds.

4. An act adopted by the assembly of that year provided a penalty of ten pounds, about \$25, and responsibility for all damages the fire caused. If a person was unable to pay this fine and the damages he was placed in the public whipping post and given thirty-nine lashes on his bare back.

5. Senator Reynolds received a total of 413,316 against 197,154 for Hancock.

6. The custom of the time required the young man to kill a deer and take it to the home of his girl. He was required to skin and cut up the venison in her presence. He usually remained for a meal. This custom was carried out by Daniel Boone in 1756 a short time before he and Rebecca Bryan were married on August 14 of that year. The Bryans were neighbors of the Boones on the Yadkin river a few miles north of Salisbury.

ANSWERS TO TEN QUESTIONS

- See Back Page
1. Aluminum.
2. Does not.
3. Children.
4. Pianist.
5. No.
6. Cite.
7. Cape Henry.
8. Third.
9. False.
10. Henrik Ibsen.

Trade Barriers Denounced As Destructive of Business

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ers did not emphasize," said Mr. Coltrane, "was the fact that their own product was one of quality, and if properly graded, would meet the stiffest competition. To make the matter more ridiculous, these farmers were within approximately 500

REENFORCEMENTS!



Nazis Gain Temporary Foothold
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It was not immediately clear how many of the aerial invaders had actually landed. Churchill said 1,500 landed yesterday morning and 3,000 more at Suda Bay late in the afternoon. Other reports said 3,000 dropped out of the skies during the night.

Cotton Closes 4 To 9 Higher

Table with columns: Open, Close, July, October, December, January, March, May. Shows cotton prices for various months.

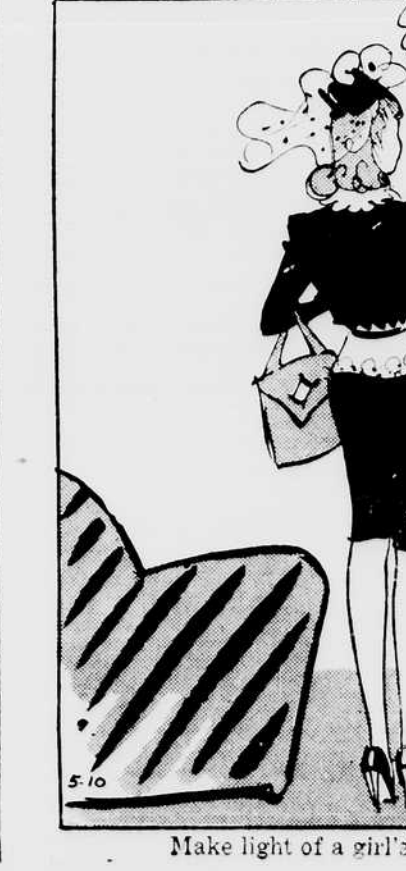
NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the orders issued by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Warren County, North Carolina, in the Special Proceeding entitled M. S. Cooper and wife, Miss Nancy C. Cooper, and Mrs. Jennie Steed (widow) vs. Emma Steed Harris and Willie B. Harris, her husband, Catherine Steed Miller and Nathan T. Miller, her husband, Will Steed, Jr., and Mary B. Steed, his wife, (minor) Bessie Steed Stegall and Ernest Stegall (minor) her husband, Charlie Steed (minor and unmarried), and F. B. Hight, Administrator of the Estate of Myrtle Steed, deceased, and T. A. Steed, Jr., and Betty Pamela Steed, his wife," which Special Proceeding is docketed in the office of the said Clerk, and by authority of the said orders, the undersigned commissioners will offer for sale at public auction, for cash, at the courthouse door in Henderson, North Carolina, at 12 o'clock, Noon, on Monday, June 16, 1941, the following described tracts or parcels of land in Vance County, N. C.:

Nazis To Protect Military Secrets

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official. Speedy release of the 140 Americans taken off the Zamzam before she was sunk by a Nazi warship previously had been forecast by an authorized German spokesman. This source said that it was expected that the Americans—declared safe at the German-occupied French port of St. Jean de Luz, France—would be permitted to leave shortly for neutral countries.

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LADY DESIRES ROOM. PHONE 16. 21-21
LET US SELL YOU A GOOD USED car. Good selection of real values, quality at the right price. Commodore-Ford, Motor Co., Statesboro, sales and service. 3-11
IF YOU WANT A NEW ROOF, RE-model, repair, or paint your home, phone 33. We have the materials, a finance plan to suit you, and will gladly recommend some one to do the job right. Alex S. Watkins. 14-11
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PROTECT YOUR HOME WITH Vita-Var, the guaranteed 100% pure paint. We carry a full stock of paints and painting supplies. Tanner Roofing Co., phone 606. 19-11
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ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE. Having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of Mrs. W. H. Jenkins, Sr., deceased, late of Vance County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Henderson, North Carolina, on or before the 23rd day of April, 1942, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the Estate will please make immediate payment. This 23rd day of April, 1941. J. W. JENKINS, Administrator of the Estate of Mrs. W. H. Jenkins, Sr.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. Having qualified as executor of the estate of John W. Buchanan, deceased, late of Vance County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 7th day of May, 1942, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 6th day of May, 1941. OLLE T. BUCHANAN, Executor, Estate of John W. Buchanan. J. M. Peace, Attorney. 14-21-28-4

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