

County Tax Rate Reduced Ten Cents Down To 70c

\$10,000 Of Surplus Put Into Negro School Fund

Reserve for Building Program After the War; Budget of \$235,035 Is Adopted by the Commissioners

A tax levy of seventy cents on the \$100 property valuation was adopted by the Vance Board of County Commissioners today.

The Vance County Board of Education, the first group that requested \$10,000 from the \$70,000 surplus, and that five cents of a ten cent levy be retained to provide approximately \$10,000.

WHAT D'YOU KNOW! by R.C. ONE MEDIUM TANK could be paid for every person in Clarion, Pa. (Pop. 3,798) bought an \$18.75 War Bond (Buy Bonds Now!) JOAN BENNETT, famous motion picture star and her daughter both have the same birth day—Feb 27 Joan's favorite cola is Royal Crown Cola FIRST CHOICE in 5 out of 6 nationwide group taste-tests is Royal Crown Cola ROYAL CROWN COLA Best by Taste-Test!

In U. S. Navy



George E. Brown Jr., son of George and Minnie Brown, colored, of Henderson is a sward in the United States Navy. At the present time he is stationed at Treasure Island, Calif. He was one of the first in this section to enter the armed service.

Vance Gives Large Vote For Quotas

1,710 Ballots Favor Three-Year Quotas; 28 Vote for 1944 Quotas; 46 Oppose

Vance county farmers, voting Saturday in the tobacco marketing quota referendum, cast a total of 1,738 votes in favor of quotas and 46 against restrictions on the 1944 tobacco crop.

Brothers in Servile



Dae Forsythe, C. M. 3 c (left) and Haley W. Forsythe, S 1 c, of the U. S. Navy, saw each other for the first time in fourteen months recently when they were on furlough visiting their mother, Mrs. Olive G. Forsythe, of 227 Chevasse avenue. They have both returned to their bases in California, after visiting relatives and friends here.

MASONS TO BE HOSTS AT FISH FRY AT PARK

Henderson Lodge No. 229, A. F. & A. M., will entertain members and their wives or guests Wednesday night with a fish-ry at King's Daughters' Park, it was announced today. All members of the lodge, visiting Masons, and their guests are invited.

Calotabs

Calotabs advertisement with image of a product box and text: 'Next time you need cologne take Calotabs, the improved cologne compound tablets that make cologne-taking pleasant, sugar-coated, agreeable, prompt, and effective. Not necessary to follow with soap or castor oil. Use only as directed on label.'

Council May Cut Taxes At Meeting

Budget Also to Be Adopted at Session Tonight; is Regular Monthly Meeting

The 1943-44 tax rate for the City of Henderson will be set and the budget for the new fiscal year will be adopted by the Henderson City Council at its regular monthly meeting tonight. A tax reduction of six and one-half cents on the \$100 valuation is in prospect, the current levy being 13.50.

Farmers Are Needing Rain

Farmers in Vance county say they still need rain to complete maturity of their crops, and contend that the prolonged dry season is causing sharp damage to tobacco in particular.

Drunken Driving Case One of Four For Police Court

Charges of drunken driving and leaving without proper license were contained in one of four warrants on which trials were conducted in police court today by Mayor Henry Powell.

RECRUITING TRAILER HERE NEXT TUESDAY

A recruiting trailer of the U. S. Army recruiting service will be in Henderson on Tuesday, August 3, for the purpose of procuring aviation cadets, it was announced today by the recruiting station at Durham.

The STEVENSON

The STEVENSON advertisement with image of a man and text: '11c - 30c - 35c Today-Tomorrow BE BARED to do what others dream of! The MOON AND SIXPENCE GEORGE SANDERS NEWS AND NOVELTY'

McGhee Held For Court On Theft Charge

Herman McGhee, white man and educator, is in jail in default of \$300 bond following trial in recorder's court Saturday on a charge of stealing an automobile valued at \$500 from J. Franklin Mills, Jr., together with \$75 in cash.

FROM CAMP BLANDING

Det. Sidney Williams, colored, of Camp Blanding, Fla., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Alice Williams, at 345 Barker street.

EMBASSY

EMBASSY advertisement with image of a man and text: '1943's NEW KIND OF MOVIE JOHN JOEL CHARLES ARTHUR - MCCREA - COBURN in George Stevens THE MORE THE MERRIER'

ONE CLEAN WORTH SIX WORMY

PARKER'S advertisement with image of a product box and text: 'Wormy chickens are good for nothing—they eat your feed and take your time and then fail to pay for their keep! Dr. Salsbury's Avi-Ton is just the thing to help bring these "boarder" birds back in the profit column—Don't waste time and money on wormy birds—use AVI-TON, removes both round worms and ceca worms. PARKER'S 100% Rerall Drug Store A Member Dr. Salsbury's National Wide Poultry Health Service'

Citizens Bank & Trust Company advertisement with image of a check and text: 'YOUR CHECKS ARE DOING A REAL "Victory Job" Checks are doing a great war-winning job. They are saving time, saving tires, saving mistakes, saving tempers, saving money. Paying by check will help you, and it will help to win the war. We invite you to open a checking account with this bank. Citizens Bank & Trust Company Phone 199 Henderson, N. C. MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION'

FOUR GET LICENSE FOR MARRIAGE HERE

Four couples, one white and three colored, obtained licenses Saturday from the register of deeds to marry in this county. They were: George Brugman, New York City and Helen Elizabeth Knight, of Riverside Drive, New York City, white. Nathaniel Rice, Henderson, Route 2, and Lou Della Branch, Henderson, Route 4, colored. Johnnie Hayes and Elsie Blackwell, colored, both of Henderson. John Hughes and Ruth Hawkins, colored, both of Henderson.

HOW'S YOUR I. Q.?

Can you answer these quiz questions? Turn to Page 4 for the answers. 1. Which two important nations fought "The Hundred Year's War"? 2. Correct the following sentence: "I enjoy wandering among the murray." 3. What is the WFA? 4. Name the co-Presidents of the French Committee of National Liberation. 5. Where is Herzegovina? 6. Name the mythological god with two faces. 7. With what industry was Eliert H. Gary associated? 8. Which of the great oceans is saltiest? 9. Where is Lac? 10. Do fresh fruits contain any protein and fats?

HAIL INSURANCE advertisement with text: 'PROTECT YOUR LABOR AND INVESTMENT IN GROWING CROPS Insure Now—Ask Us About It Cost Same Now as Later CITIZENS REALTY & LOAN COMPANY Joel T. Cheatham, President Phone 628'

Master Tire Co. advertisement with multiple images of tires and text: 'DON'T LET YOUR TIRES WEAR TOO THIN FOR RECAPPING NO It is generally too late for recapping when the tire has worn down through the fabric. Such a weakened tire bruises easily and may become damaged beyond repair. YES A tire with 1-16 inch of tread left can still be recapped, but it is better to recap long before this danger point is reached. Let us check your tires before it's too late. WASTED To recap a weak tire is to waste rubber because a new tread might not hold. We'll tell you when to recap in time and give you a quality job. SAVED A new tread, or "cap," is bonded to the top of the old tread—good for thousands of safe miles, when inflated to 32 lbs. and driven under 35 miles per hour. BRING ALL YOUR TIRE WORRIES TO US Master Tire Co. Distributors Henderson, N. C. SFRVE-ALL SERVICE STATION 120 N. William St. Phone 663 CITY SERVICE STATION 201 William St. Phone 756 C. P. SELLARS GULF SERVICE STA. 219 N. Garnett St. Phone 813 L. T. HARRIS GULF SERVICE STA. S. Garnett St. Phone 1198-W YOU MAY BE ELIGIBLE to buy a "Grade 1" tire. It's so, buy the best—U. S. ROYAL MASTER UNITED STATES RUBBER COMPANY US TIRES'