

Banner Year Is Outlook For Henderson's Market

\$9,000,000 Cash May Be Paid Out Here For 22 Million Pounds or More of Leaf

Federal Reserve Bank information on the area served by the Richmond, Virginia, bank indicates that tobacco harvests may be up as much as

25 percent above 1943, the Henderson Chamber of Commerce reported today it had been advised.

With an excellent crop reported by agricultural specialists, tobacco growers and farmers in the Henderson area, the Federal Reserve production lends support to the May prediction of the local business organization for a banner market in spite of all the handicaps placed on the Henderson tobacco market by regulations.

J. W. Saunders, county farm agent, has advised the Henderson Chamber of Commerce that the 1944 crop is the finest in years. Inspections made by agents at the farms in all directions out of Henderson by Arthur H. Surprise, secretary of the local organization, find farmers very confident of excellent quality leaf for the Henderson market. Warehousemen bear out this optimism.

The Chamber of Commerce News Letter, which goes to members only, may state that the local market should sell as much as 22,000,000 pounds of leaf at \$400,000. Present price indications would permit a market average above the crop ceiling, since in the East the market is falling to approach the ceiling on the face of a poorer than normal crop, Surprise said.

Last week's Eastern sales averaged \$40.78, well below the ceiling of \$42.00 established by OPA for the entire red bright crop.

If the Eastern markets continue well below ceiling, the buyers may use more ceiling on the Henderson and other Middle and Old Belt markets, since all purchases on the Border, Eastern, Middle and Old Belt markets are averaged in figuring the \$42.00 ceiling.

AROUND TOWN

MARRIAGE LICENSE

James Montague Flannagan, of Columbia, Va., and Betty Jo Campbell, of New Canton, Va., white, were granted a marriage license yesterday at the register of deeds office.

AT FIRE ASSOCIATION

Fire Chief C. E. Ellis and V. H. Riggan are attending the North Carolina Firemen's Association Convention in Charlotte. The meeting began today and will be a three-day session.

ONE DEED RECORDED

J. H. Brodie and wife sold to John C. Church and wife two lots on Country Club drive for \$10 and other considerations in a deed recorded yesterday at the register of deeds office.

EGGPLANT DISPLAYED RESEMBLING HITLER

An eggplant bearing a resemblance to Adolf Hitler was displayed at the Dispatch office today by P. E. Lewis, who grew the plant in his garden.

The eggplant has a growth protruding from the front in replica of Hitler's well-known nose, and leaves attached to the stem fall down to resemble the lock of Hitler's hair which is often pictured spraying on his forehead.

Mr. Lewis found the plant in his garden yesterday and said he thought it bore such a close resemblance to Hitler that he brought it in for display.

Faculty Meets Tomorrow To Plan School Opening

Few Teacher Additions Are Announced; Class Work for Pupils Begins Monday

Members of the faculties of white schools of Henderson and Vance county will meet here tomorrow at Henderson high school preliminary to start of the session on next Monday, and in the forenoon will hear an address by Dr. B. G. Childs, of the education department at Duke University. Further meetings will follow on Friday, and class work will begin on Monday.

Principals met today with Superintendent E. M. Rollins, who will also preside at the faculty assembly tomorrow, beginning at 11:30 a. m. After the address of Dr. Childs, a picnic dinner will be served on the high school grounds, or in the cafeteria if the weather is unfavorable, and group meetings will be held in the afternoon.

Teachers will meet at their own schools on Friday to canvass registrations. On Monday final enrollment will be the first order in the morning, after which book lists will be distributed, and lesson assignments will be made where possible.

Six additional teachers have been provided for the schools of the city and county as a whole, three in the city and three in the county. White school groups in the city get one new teacher and so do the rural schools. City colored schools get two, and rural colored two.

There will be 94 teachers in the city system and 99 in the rural

schools, including both white and colored in each instance, of a grand total of 193. Last year there were 187.

Prospective enrollment is anticipated at about the same as last year, roughly speaking. Departure of army boys for duty with the armed services may reduce the total to some extent, unless there are gains from other sources to offset these losses.

Teacher allotments this year, compared with last year, are as follows:

COUNTY:	1944	1943
White:		
Elementary	36	35
High School	15	15
Total	51	50
Colored:		
Elementary	48	46
High School	1	1
Grand Total	99	96
CITY:		
White:		
Elementary	40	40
High School	14	13
Total	54	53
Colored:		
Elementary	23	22
High School	7	10
Total	30	32
Grand Total	94	91

Airport Cost Depends On Type Of Facilities

AIRPORT COSTS

While it is impossible to estimate the cost of the proposed airport being sponsored by the Henderson Chamber of Commerce, there is no question as to the part the corporations and Henderson township will pay toward the total Vance county share of the cost of a joint airport. Arthur H. Surprise, secretary of the local business organization, said today.

According to the 1944 tax valuations of Vance county, the corporations and Henderson township, which is mostly city and city industrial areas at the edge of the city limits, constitute 74.2 percent of the total tax valuation of Vance county. The eight other townships, jointly comprise 25.8 percent of the tax valuation of the county.

The corporations, both foreign and domestic, have a gross tax valuation of \$6,431,923, and Henderson township's valuation is \$7,907,990, a total of \$14,339,913 of the total valuation for taxes of \$19,329,739 for all of Vance county, Surprise said after a check of official figures.

The total valuation listed for Kirtland township leads the other eight townships, with \$1,162,943, and Sandy Creek township is third in the county with \$836,420 on the tax books.

Other townships and the total assessed valuation of real and personal property, both white and colored, are: Middleburg, \$731,405; Townsville, \$592,335; Williamsboro, \$570,685; Dabney, \$356,046; Nutbush, \$292,355; and Watkins, \$240,349.

The actual cost of a jointly owned airport for Granville and Vance counties and the cities of Oxford and Henderson could be determined only after the site of from 500 to 640 acres is selected, grading determined, the cost of runway pavement, if any, is established and the cost of hangars and other structures is determined, Surprise said. Part of this cost would be financed by Federal grants which may be expected in such communities where sufficient progress has been made to warrant Federal assistance, he added. Han-

HEALTH QUIZ

- Do you have poor digestion? YES NO
- Do you feel headachy after eating?
- Do you get sour or upset easily?
- Do you feel tired—listless?

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Butner Soldiers Apprehended Here With Stolen Car

Claude Craiger and Kenneth E. Balch, white soldiers of Camp Butner, were arrested here last night in possession of a stolen automobile from Camp Butner, officers reported today.

Captain Sam F. Crabtree of Camp Butner reported to Henderson officers that his automobile was stolen

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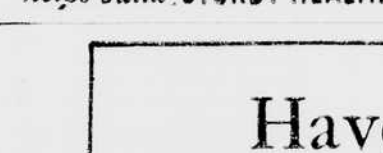
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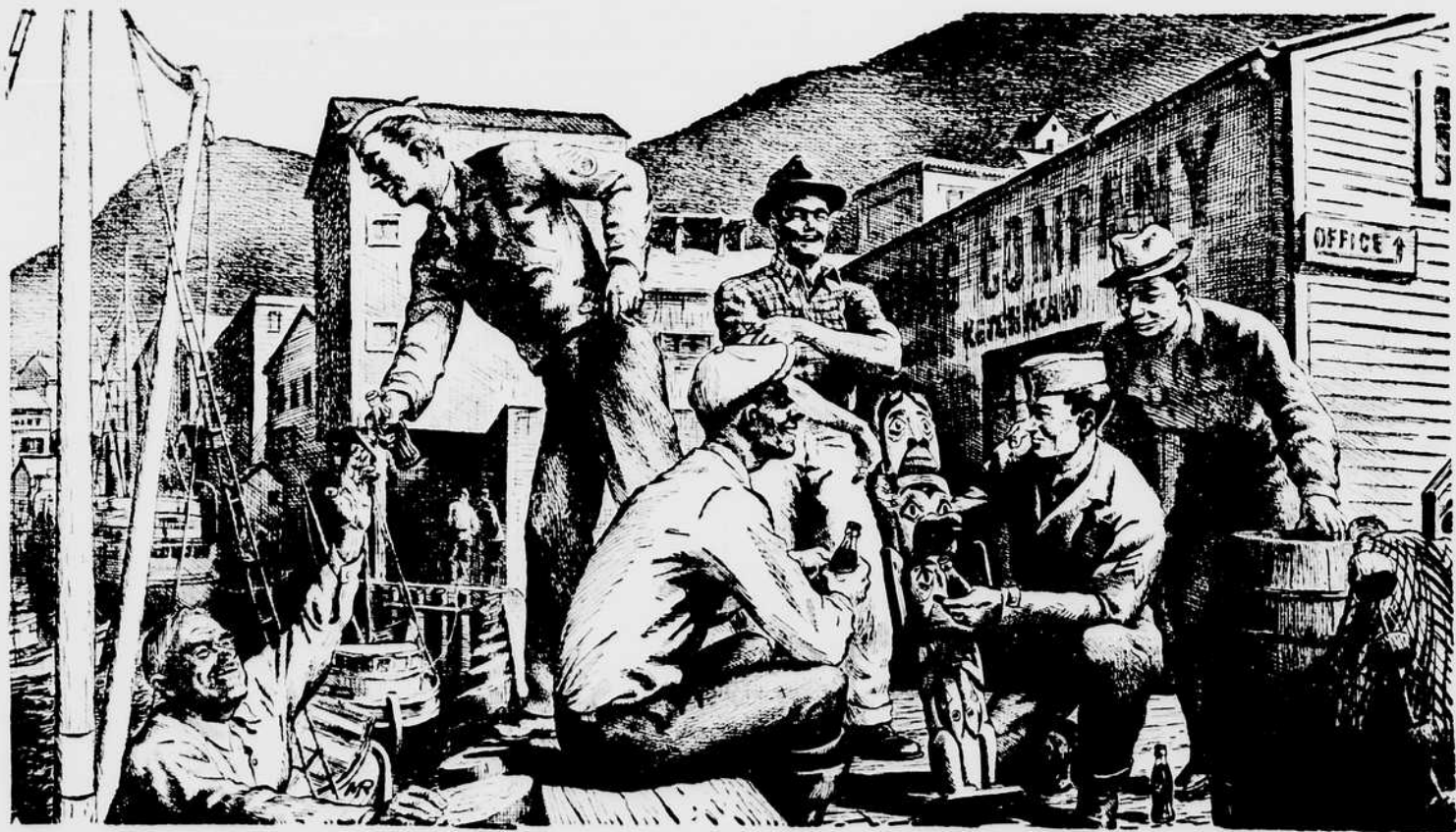
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