

Speaking of taxes: The income tax in England has just been raised to 421/2 per cent of the total incomes. They don't let you wait and make out a return at the end of the year, either. The 421/2 per cent is deducted from your pay check before you get it. And all other taxes are proportionately high. Hitler's devilment is proving rather costly to the whole world. It will cost us much in money over here; but the rate won't run as high as it is in Great Britain.

Our congratulations to the people of Andrews and Cherokee county upon the letting of the contract for the construction of a real highway from Topton to Andrews. This road has been needed a long time; and all Western North Carolina should be rejoicing that the Commission has gotten around to doing this job. A lot of roads have been built in this district during the past few years; and the commission has been doing all that it should, as rapidly as possible.

THOSE FIFTH COLUMN POLITICIANS

Back in May, when the editor of this paper was a candidate for the office of Lieutenant Governor, he made a speech over the radio, in which he referred

either in a concentration camp or facing a firing squad.

Nevertheless, we have had our suspicions all along that these folks are finding ways of knowing what is happening, and of getting ready to throw off the yoke, whenever opportunity offers. Human nature is human nature, and millions of people in those countries are patriotic. They love their native land, and they love freedom, which has been lost to them for a while. In those countries there must be secret meetings, secret nods, secret winks, that portend much. They must be shot through with discontent and with sabotage. The volcano, though dormant, must be boiling inside. The fanatical religious faith of the new dispensation cannot have laid hold upon all of these people. And that, and fear are the only cohesive forces that could hold them together.

They must work, they must eat, but, at the same time, down in their hearts there must be a love for their countries, and for the faith of their fathers. Someday, be it soon or late, that volcano will erupt with a mighty explosion that will blow Hitler and his ilk from the face of the earth, just like straws before the irresistible force of a mighty storm.

We read, today, about a number of French sol-South Africa, New Zeland, and diers, who, still carrying their arms, had made their Australia, under arms and ready way through many miles of German-occupied terto give Hitler's army a reception.



SYLVA GRADED SCHOOL AUDITORIUM Saturday, July 27 8:00 P. M. **AUSPICES SYLVA FIRE DEPARTMENT**

to the fact that there are democrats in the party in ritory of their country to Switzerland, the only oasis North Carolina and other Southern States, who are of liberty in the whole desert of continental Europe. nominally democrats for the simple reason that they can accomplish nothing in any other party. Therefore, they join up with the Democratic Party in the hope of furthering the interests of Big Business through that vehicle. In other words, they can't lick 'em, so they jine 'em, and try to accomplish their selfish purposes from within the party.

It also happens that some of them, when they move North or West or somewhere else, sooner or later go over to the opposition. All of this is provoked by the fact that Johnny Hanes, originally from down Winston-Salem way, and a mighty pleasing proponent of the vested rights of Big Business to control politics in its own interests, has come out as a supporter of Wendell L. Willkie for president. Johnny, a member of our North Carolina family of sock makers and bankers, has been in New York for some years. Up to the last few weeks, the whole family has been of the democratic faith. His brother, Robert N. Hanes, of Wachovia Bank fame, and a mighty good business man, has been a Senator more than once, elected on the Democratic ticket. John W., himself was brought to Washington and served in the Treasury Department under the present Administration, as a sort of liasson man between the Administration and Big Business. As such he was more or less successful. He has been a democrat all his life; but Wendell Willkie, another of the small town and country boys, who like Johnny, went to the big town and made good as an attache of Big Business, is running for President, and Johnny has gone along with him. Both of them came from the provinces. Both were democrats. Both are mighty pleasing fellows. There are two differences between them. Johnny was born with a silver spoon in his hand, down in the neighborhood of Forsyth, due to the business acumen of his immediate ancestors. (Sheriff Haynes of Surry once told us that the poor and common branches of the family spell their name Haynes; while those who have become wealthy have decided that Hanes is the preferable way.) Willkie acquired his own money. Wilkie left the Democratic Party several months ago, largely because of the conflicts of interests between Commonwealth and Southern Corporation, a utility holding company, of which he is President, and the Tennessee Valley Authority, which is one of the apples of the eye of President Roosevelt. Johnny just now announced that he will support Willkie.

President Roosevelt, in speaking of Johnny Hanes' and Lewis W. Douglas' bolt to Willkie, described them as "two amiable young men," and added that "the general concensus in the government is that the slant of their minds runs more to dollars than to humanity." That, by the way, is what we were trying to say in that radio speech; that those whose minds are on money rather than on humanity have little place in the fold of the Democratic Party.

There was a hint, also, that many more of these Frenchmen are making use of an underground railway, that has sprung into activity, and are escaping to Switzerland and to ports. From here they will go to join hands with the British and continue the fight for the resurrection of Liberty in France.

This kind of thing will continue, and it will grow, despite all that Hitler and his Gestapo can do.

Farm Land May Be Listed

For Sale With Local FSA Any farm land for sale in Jackson County can be listed for sale with the Farm Security Administration for consideration under the FSA tenant purchase program, William G. Davis, County Supervisor, announced today.

This means any real estate or farm land owner in Jackson County can register farms for sale at the FSA office in the Legal Building. Funds for the sale of farm lands to tenants seeking to become owners under the FSA program have been appropriated by Congress under the Bankhead-Jones Act, and purchase of these farms is under supervision of the Farm Security Administration.

Mr. Davis said each county FSA office wanted as large a selection of farms as possible in aiding tenants to purchase farms, and asked that local farm real estate men file their lists of suitable farms for sale with the FSA office. The prospective purchasers, who expect to borrow from FSA, will be referred to the owners and agents of suitable farm lands.

Present Stage Show At East LaPort Friday

A stage show that will thrill and amuse everyone will be presented at East LaPort Friday night, August 2 at 8:30 o'clock.

A balanced program of thrills and sensations are included on the program along with music and dancing.

A free act at 8:00 o'clock will the famous "Hell Drivers" who does his sensational drop from hour into a pit of fire.

GARDENS Home gardens in Graham county are the best they have been in many years, due largely to the small AAA payment provided for growing home vegetables, reports Assistant Farm Agent F. E. Correll, Jr.

than a century.

to a destructive invasion.

Viscount Halifax and Mr. Win-

ston Churchill have already

given an emphatic no to Hitler's

speech, and Britain awaits the

coming of the Blitzkreig. The

island of Great Britain has been

turned into a fortress, and there

are four million men, from Eng-

land, Scotland, Wales, Canada,

The nation's motor vehicle traffic took a toll of 32,600 lives in 1939.



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