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Japs Hit Carrier Supporting Okinawa Landings

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Two Wake Forest Men Will Head Schools In Person

Also Revealed That Mrs. J. S. Walker Will Return To

schools for the new school year and one principal already here will transfer to the same job at Longhurst school, it was announced today by Person Superintendent R. B. Griffin, who also said that Mrs. J. Lt. Willie Monday Of Angier. S. Walker, assistant to County Auditor and Accountant T. C. Brooks, will resign her Court House position in order to become teacher of the sixth grade at Ca-Vel.

Schools affected by changes in expected to open for Fall work on day. Wednesday, August 29.

Going to Longhurst from Helena Roxboro, now live at Angier. as principal is L. M. Yates, who will Monday, an air liaison pilot for be succeeded at Helena by Tilroe the crack 52nd Field Artillery, spent Threatt, of Union County, with ex- most of the daylight hours in the perience in Wayne and Mecklen- air over enemy territory while the burg counties. Threatt, who is mar- infantry troops fought their way to ried and has one child, will live at Davao. For seven days he made

er's position in the auditor's office aircraft guns. may be filled on a part-time basis. Wife of the late Mr. Walker, for many years auditor and accountant, Mrs. Walker was for several years and observed positions of enemy she has had wide experience.

by Mr. Griffin are at Helena, where anao campaigns. Miss Elizabeth Burch, of Chesterof the sixth grade, and at Mount Tirzah, where Mrs. Margaret Tuck Moore, formerly with that school will return there to teach in the

Service Center **Now Repainted**

Serve Sunday Night Supper. bacco should not cure well.

Large numbers of Camp Butner in Roxboro this week-end, according to Dr. Robert Long, USO Service Center director here, who said vice Center director here. Who have vice Center director here vice Center director here vice Center director here, who have vice Center director here. Who have vice Center director here vice Center director here, who have vice Center director here. Who ha today that Misses Lucille Oliver and any extent to speak of. Mary Alice Thornton, of Groups
There has also been considerable worship service on the church lawn, the European theatre with Day the formula for the first speeding in the city and that he was dealer. Three and Four of the Junior hos- wind during some of the recent tesses will be in charge.

be served by women of Concord the tobacco that was blown down. Methodist Church. Transportation That also appears to be undamaged. to the lake will be furnished by R. D. Bumpass. Regular program Sat-rather optimistic over the crop. At urday and Sunday will be conducted one time they were afraid of the day busy assisting the tonsil clinic

but assisting with the work with a the rain have both gone and chances of the church. No formal program with the Eleventh Armored Division spray furnished by Collins and Aik- for a good crop appear to be excel- was given. man were a number of men from lent. Plant E. among them. Russell Thornton, Josh Pulliam and Howard Hughes. Also assisting was Gilmer this week for the Border Belt to-Masten, together with many of the young women in the Junior Hostess until the markets open in this sec-

Super-Roads To Stay As Planned

Raleigh, July 25.-The State Highway Commission on Wednesday stood firm on its recently adop ted system of proposed inter-reg-"superhighways" through North Carolina, and denied requests tion No. 2, Miami Beach, Fla., for that Raleigh be included on a reassignment processing after com-North-South route through the State or that entirely new North-United States. South routes be selected.

Action on the requested aiterations in the proposed highway system was taken by the commission in a 10-minute executive session following a three and one-half hour public hearing.

Petain Trial Full Of Dramatic Turns

Paris, July 25.—Aged Marshal Henri Philippe Petaln, his face like alongside the Germans.

Son Of Former Two Wake Forest graduates will head two Person County public Person Residents

Receives Decoration In Pacific Area.

First Lt. Willie F. Monday Angier, has been awarded the Air Medal for meritorious achievement principalships are Hurdle Mills and while participating in aerial flights Helena. All schools, according to a near Digos, on Mindanao, in the previously announced schedule, are Phillippines, it was announced to-

Lt. Munday's parents, formerly of

Pavao. For seven days he made reconnaissance flights in his low New principal at Hurdle Mills will performance, unarmed plane, taking be G. J. Earpe, who has had recent off from improvised fields, using be G. J. Earpe, who has had recent experience in Bladen county. Earpe, bombed roads for landing strips, and bombed roads for landing strips, and who is married, will live in the form- flying over enemy territory in the er Harris residence at Hurdle Mills. Gomar area where the enemy troops It is understood that Mrs. Walk- were armed with 25 millimeter anti- Joint Services Planned Sun-

Lieutenant Monday made numerous flights over hazardous terrain Other teacher changes announced during the Leyte, Luzon, and Mind-

Start Curing

Large numbers of Camp Butner looks good. Of course the growers clock, in which those who have re-hospital soldiers are expected to be in Roxboro this week-end, according to the Roxboro listed as killed. Both Sgt. West Louise Saunders of Richmond.

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storms and quite a few have had to Sunday supper at Chub Lake will go into the wet fields and pull up Kiwanians Work Generally speaking farmers are

bacco openings where they will be Georgia and will return to this state when that market closes.

Sgt. Pentecost At Miami Beach, Fla.

Route 2, Roxboro, has arrived at Army Air Forces Redistribution Sta-

aerial gunner, flew ten missions in the European Theatre while overseas for thirteen months. He is the Army September 16, 1942

Chief Fleig Here

son County Training school and

S.-Sgt. James S. Pentecost, 27,

Spited States.

Sgt. Pentecost B 24 Engineer and from his second stay in the Eurooverseas as a switchboard operator. pean theatre and is spending a thirson of Mr. and Mrs. Claude C. Pentecost. Pentecost entered the since that time been in Germany

Chief Felix Fleig of the United

Not all have started but some pulled Short talks will be made by Super- service. fires are now burning brightly in churches. the flues. It is yet too early to tell

clinic for white children will be conducted on August 9.

For Short Visit Assembly Program

an image, bluntly refused at his States Navy is spending some time Hotel Roxboro, will have an assem- evening is to be dedicated to young night (Thursday) at 7:45 at the treason trial to answer questions in Roxboro with his wife and family, bly program based on reports from people. The Rev. Ralph Lee Reed Roxboro USO Service Center, ac. Clay, has reported to Bainbridge, Blanks and is planned for those whether he had congratulated Chief Fleig is here for the first time chairmen of various club commit- of Mount Pleasant, will be the cording to announcement made to- Md., for duty with the Navy. Here who cannot attend the regular Adolf Hitler on the British defeat in eighteen months and has seen ties and designed to indicate plans evangelist. Song service will be in day by Adjutant James A. Jordan, yesterday as guest of Mrs. Clay who second Saturday meetings. The of City Con at Dieppe and asked Hitler's per- considerable service in the Pacific. for the club's yearly program. Premission for French troops to fight He has been in the navy for many siding will be Dr. John Fitzgerald, Carver. Everyone is cordially invit- turned veterans will be given an can, of Charlotte, who flew down in the last Friday in each month. A that one or more of

and adjacent enemy countries.

Will Be Honored Service Flag To Be Given Sunday To Edgar Long

Jap Suicide Flyers crashed onto several of the British Pacific Fleet ships supporting the recent U. S.

and the deck cleared again for action.

R. W. Hovis.

ship, it was announced today.

Today At Club

health and welfare departments.

Second clinic, for Negro children,

Capt. Clint Winstead

Capt. Clinton Winstead, of Semo-

Has Second Leave

Eighty-Six Men

Eighty-six stars will be on a Service Flag to be presented Sunday morning to Edgar Long Memorial Methodist church, each star representing a son or daughday At Antioch, Says Rev. ter of the church in military serthe pastor, the Rev. W. C. Martin.

Congregations of Berry's Grove Four of the eighty-six stars will Mrs. Walker was for several years guns and directed artillery fire. He and Mt. Harmony Baptist Churches be in gold honoring the memory of teacher in the schools here and is has flown a total of 140 combat misture thus returning to a field in which signs for a total of 290 combat hours. Church at Antioch on Sunday, July 1907 and sions for a total of 290 combat hours Church at Antioch on Sunday, July Taylor Broadwell, Pfc. Sam C. 29, for a day of fellowship and wor- Fisher, Sgt. Sam P. Umstead and S. Sgt. B. G. Clayton, Jr., now list- Dies Af Home The three churches have recently ed as having given their lives for formed a field in fellowship and their country.

have purchased a pastorium at Tim- Presentation will be by the Hambrick Men's Bible class, of which The program for Sunday is as fol- J. S. Fleming is teacher. Presentalows: Sunday School at 10:00 a. m., tion address will be by Mr. Fleemfollowed by Worship Service at 11:00, ing and response will be by the then lunch, picnic style, on the pastor, Mr. Martin, who will then grounds. The afternoon will be giv- preach a sermon suitable to the Several farmers of this county en to group and special singing by occasion. The presentation ser-

their first barn this week and the intendents of Sunday Schools of the Later on, perhaps in the Fall, a memorial service for those killed L. P. Martin of Roxboro will offi-An invitation is extended to the in service will be held, according ciate. how everything will turn out but public by the pastor. Rev. R. W. to Mr. Martin. Of the four young Mrs. Morris was the daughter of Concord Church Women Will everything being considered there Hovis.

A baptismal service will be held Long Memorial church and have seems to be no reason why the to- A baptismal service will be held Long Memorial church and have Person County and was, before her at Mt. Harmony Baptist Church, now been reported as dead, it marriage, Miss Cornelia Floyd Day.

Rimmer and Ned Dillard were in The tobacco crop over the county Sunday evening, July 29, at 6:30 o'- will be remembered that Pfc. Sain Survivors include her husband, tism, will be baptized. Preceding the members of the Air Corps and have nor, Mrs. Eugene Glass, all of South worship service on the church lawn. the European theatre, while Pvt. Babe Morris, both of the home; five change club which met last night. He fu

Lt. Hester Has Roxboro Kiwanians, who are to- Bronze Star

at the Service Center, which has dry weather and then came a little sponsored by the club, went to the First Lieutenant Frank Hester, Senior Hostesses just been repainted on the exterior. more rain than had been bargaincountry for Monday night supper Jr., of Roxboro, son of Mr. and Mrs. For Center Chosen Paint was bought by the Center, ed for Now the dry weather and served at Lea's Chapel by women F. J. Hester, of South Main street, was given.

The clinic, which began this morning at nine o'clock at Roxboro Cenment against the enemy according.

Hosts and hostesses who will serve this week-end at the Roxboro USO Service Center were announced to
The Durnam Exchange Club, for its work in forming clubs at Roxboro USO its work in forming clubs at Roxboro Cenment against the enemy according to find the property of the property ing at nine o'clock at Roxboro Cenment against the enemy, according day as follows by Miss Hilda Shoecomplishments for crippled chilbut he is determined to slow down W. Fassett, of Durham, as surgeon, ment received here today.

is the first of at least two clinics Lt. Hester, whose wife was formwhich will be sponsored here by the erly a teacher at Helena, is with Miss Mary Hester and 8-12, Mrs. of Lincoln Memorial University at

will be held next Thursday at Per- Cpl. Odis P. Day there is possibility that still another In Occupation Unit

Cpl. Odis P. Day, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Day of Roxboro, has been assigned to the occupational Air Force in Europe as a member of the 99th Bombardmen Group, 346th Bombardment Squadron, a veteran B-17 Flying Fortress unit of the 15th Air Force in Italy. will be off on Sunday, July 29, in clay of Toledo, Ohio, assistant Gi-

ty day leave with his parents, Mr. Revival To Start and Mrs. O. H. Winstead. Capt. Winstead, who was here several At Longhurst months ago oh his first leave, has

Revival Services will be held at Longhurst Methodist Church, Aug. VFW To Meet 5-12. Services will be conducted at 9:30 a. m. and 8:00 p. m., with At USO Tonight special services for the young people each evening at 7:30.

ed to attend,

Georgia Tobacco

current tobacco crop went on sale and fatally injured her on North boro on Saturday night, August 4, lowed to buy it this year. Tuesday in 19 Georgia and Florida Main street extension a few days as a benefit for the crippled chiltowns with the majority of grades ago. averaging from one to five cents. Other cases continued were those change Club, was in Roxboro today dents or families moved to this city day a year ago.

on several markets ranged from 38 weapon. to 42 cents a pound. Last year Found not guilty of carrying vice in World War II, according to the first day average was 39.95 concealed weapon was W. V. Fuller, ginning at eight at night.

Be Held This Afternoon.

of near South Boston, Va., a native of Person County, who died Monday at midnight at her home from a sudhave started curing their tobacco. the choirs of the three churches, vice will be at the eleven o'clock day afternoon at 3 o'clock in graveside rites in the W. A. Hicks cemetery, on the Oxford Highway. Elde

Broadwell lost his life in a motor brothers, J. R. Day of Roxboro, G.

maker, hostess chairman:

Pass: 4-6. Mrs. Percy Bloxam: 6-8.

Melvin Burke and 8 to 10 Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Parker.

Power To Be Off One Hour

Roxboro, Yanceyville, and on sur- rector of extension for National Julinii, was released from jail about rounding lines for a one-hour Exchange Clubs, "and it takes more eleven last night and permitted to period, 2 to 3 p. m.

The interruption of service is beauthing. Let's apply the power to have reached Roxboro about ernization of equipment.

Lewell T. Huff Post No. 2058, Vet-Rotarians, who meet tonight at The entire program Wednesday erans of Foreign Wars, will meet to-

landings on Okinawa. In all, seven suicide attacks on British ships have been reported, including two carriers, neither of which was put out of action more than two hours. This picture shows fierce fires set on one of the British carriers by the Jap spicide planes, but the flames were soon under control

Agriculture reported.

Funeral for Mrs. R. H. Morris, 58,

Saturday.-2-4, Mrs. Garland most notable achievement.

Jones; 2 to 4, Mrs. S. F. Nicks; 4 to est secret weapon we have in the 6, Mrs. W. H. Adair; 6 to 8, Mrs. present war.

bring.'

charge of the pastor, Rev. C. G. Mc- who urges a full attendance. All re- is his sister-in-law, was L. B. Dun- extra meetings will always be on held this week, it his own plane.

Fuel Oil And Coal Shortages Pose Problems For OPA Panel Men

Less Than Half Cases Tried Tuesday Greatly worrying OPA fuel panel

South Boston To

School

Show To Roxboro Soon.

By Police Chief

a dangerous rate of travel.

A Durham and Camp Butner sol-

on a charge of drunkenness after

three o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Lester Blackwell Post, the Amer-

ican Legion, will meet Friday night

at 7:30 at the Legion hut, accord-

ing to to Commander Joe Y.

Blanks. This meeting is a new

full attendance is requested.

R. R. Short Case Among Those Delayed Until August.

seven out of twelve cases scheduled to have been heard Tuesday in Bring Show To Person Recorder's court have been continued to August and September dates, it was revealed by a study of the docket on record in the office of Clerk of Court R. A. Bullock.

date is that of R. R. Short, charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of Rosa Vinson a

a pound higher than on opening of: Bennie Harris, Negro, non-sup- to complete arrangements for the or county who have no records of port of an illegitimate child; Arch show. The bulk of sales ranged from G. Whitt, drunken driving; Grim- In conference with Kent were Cy cluded in those so affected are new 39 to 43 cents a pound with a prac- max (Mack) Ashley, drunken driv- Kirby and A. H. Rimmer of the Ex- families of discharged veterans. tical top of 45 cents, the marketing ing; E. P. Warren, drunken driving; change club committee. The show, recently returned and recently marservice of the U. S. Department of Dan Allen Wiley, Negro, assault which will have six end men, black- ried, although an AAA official said with deadly weapon; Albert O'Bry- face and a chorus of about forty, today that he expects some sclu-The estimated general average ant, Negro, assault with deadly together with tap dancers and sing- tion will be found in the case of

gro, drunken driving, damage to formances and new talent. license, 30 days, with \$50 and costs, Newman Jones, John Patterson, Bill here in urging, residents to place Rites For Person Native To jail sentence suspended on condi- Kent, John Smith and Luther Hall fuel orders as soon as possible. tion that he drive no car in North as end men, with Ned Spears as in-Carolina and remain on good be- terlocutor.

Judge for the court is F. O. Carv- Montine Pulliam, Aubrey Crawley, ior's Solid Fuels administration,

Exchange Leaders Attend Session Speed Warning Given To Public

Speaker last night in Durham was gas ration. Dr. Stewart W. McClelland, national president of Exchange clubs, who on the alert to watch out for those ministration for War. had as his subject "The Power of who are breaking the speed limit "There will not be nearly enough a Prefix."

dren, received the award for the

Dr. McClelland, who is president Harrogate, Tenn., declared that the Soldier Gets In Sunday.—12 to 2, Mrs. W. Reade American way of life is the great- Temporary Trouble "You've heard that self-preservation is the first law of nature," dier, said to be of Italian or Spanish

commented the speaker. "Thate descent and returned to the United not true. Those who seek immortality are the ones who give past two weeks, was taken in cuslives—not ones who want to save tody early last night by City police "We're fliving in an unusual permission of the company announces that electricity will be off on Sunday July 29 in clay of Toledo Obligation of Toledo Oblig

than ordinary effort to accomplish take a bus back Durham. He is said

ing made for replacement and mod- of a prefix and get something extraordinary. "Things we dreamed of Jesterday Legion To Meet are already here today and we Friday Night don't know what tomorrow will

Goes To Navy

Russell Clay, son of Mrs. Omega plan and an extra meeting, says

OPA Panel Members, To Say Nothing Of Dealers, Per-plexed By Problems.

Fuel shortage threats, both ir men in Roxboro, to say nothing of dealers in coal and wood, it was revealed here yesterday by D. W Ledbetter of the OPA fuel oil panel, other members of which are J. D. Mangum and G. I. Prillaman.

Conference on the fuel oil situation held with Miss Virginia Brandon, of the OPA staff, reveals that there is real reason to believe that fuel oil will be short. although persons now registered for oil may possibly get as much as Among eases to be heard at a later Exchange Club Benefit Brings they received last year. Rub in the whole problem, according to Miss Brandon, is the inter-relationships Bill Kent, Jr., of South Boston, between fuel oil and coal and wood Negro woman, cook for a Bohannon Va., representing a local talent shortages, plus the reported fact Valdosta, Ga., July 25.—The first family here. Short's car, driven by South Boston show, the "Ministrel that only those citizens who bought few million pounds of the country's him, allegedly struck the woman Frolics", which will be given in Rox-oil or coal last year are to be al-

> Such an interpretation of the dren's program of the Roxboro Ex- ruling hits especially hard at resilocal buying of fuel supplies. In-

ers, all from South Boston, will be returned service men. a given at Roxboro high school, be- Coal dealers here issued some two to three months ago consumer Tobie P. Stone, drunken driving, Composed entirely of South Bos- declaration cards requiring resi-\$50 and costs, with license revoked; ton talent, the minstrel won high dents to sign if they expect to get Clarence Wilson, abandonment and praise at its first performance at coal this winter. The number of non-support. prosecutrix withdrew the Princess War Bond Premiere rooms to be heated is required inwarrant and paid costs; Everett several weeks ago in South Boston, formation on both the OPA oil Griffin Laws, speeding, suspended Now the show has been revised and application forms and the Coal with costs and Charlie Crisp, Ne- enlarged, with new jokes, new per- Consumer declarations. R. H. Gates and L. C. Clark, Roxboro coal property, and driving without The show features Ernest Green, dealers join with the fuel oil panel

The Coal Dealers Consumer declaration, issued under the direc-In addition, there are songs by tion of the Department of Inter-

er, Sr., with R. B. Dawes as solicitor. Miss Geneva Patterson and her reads in part, as follows: "Your dealer is not required to dequintet, also vocals by Bill Kent. Dances by other members of the liver any solid fuel to you unless. cast have also been added, as well in addition to this Consumer Deas other delightful entertainment, claration, you place an order with

> "If you placed your Consumer Declaration and an order before May 15, 1945, with the dealer who regularly supplied your house or building with solid fuel last year you are entitled to get, before Oc-Chief of Police of Roxboro, George tober 1, 1945, at least 30 percent

Program of the Roxboro Ex- going to do something about the "If you place your Consumer Declaration and an order promptly at Hotel Roxboro, was in charge of He further stated that all who with the dealer who regularly sup-F. Day of Blanche, W. T. Day of V. A. Thomas and special guests were caught violating the speed laws would be cited to court and that were D. W. Ledbetter and Seaman there they would be subject to a solid fuel last year, and if you Day, both of Roxboro; three stepFirst Class James Munday, nephhealthy fine and also to losing their
by your dealer, he is obligated to deliver your quota of solid fuel as All policemen are now being placed determined by the Solid Fuels Ad-

and drivers are urged to cut down soli fuel to give you as much as The Durham Exchange Club, for on their speed if they have been you ordinarily use. Generally a but he is determined to slow down 1, 1945 to March 31, 1946, more those cars that have been going at than 80 percent of the consumer's

normal annual requirements. "The law forbids the filing of z Consumer Declaration wilh more than one dealer unless the consumer has customarily received solid fuel for use from more than one dealer during the year."

British Evict Winston Churchill

London-Britain, surging stron ly to the left, threw out th Churchill Government in ele returns counted today and calle the Labor Party, headed by Cle R. Attlee, to lead the nation again Japan and through reconst

The Labor Party's victory smashing. It led in Commo over Winston Churchill's Con tives was nearly 2 to 1, in o tions at mid-afternoon. Churchill himself and

Secretary Anthony Eden

the tidal wave and were to their seats in Commons, dozen of their most promine leagues were defeated

No meeting of the Ro