

## THIS, THAT AND THE OTHER

By MRS. THEO. B. DAVIS

A certain reader spoke of this column recently as TNT. Perhaps it was accidental—but I'm wondering.

Not long ago one of my friends wrote to her niece asking for suggestions as to what to serve at a meeting of a Mothers' Circle, and explaining that she wanted it to be not too expensive, but unusual. The niece filled both requirements by suggesting milk spinach and carrots, followed by cod-liver oil and neo-bovine. She further advised letting the mothers' children serve the refreshments, saying they would get so much pleasure from doing so. And wouldn't you love to watch the mothers being served?

No matter how long we live, we shall have a memory of one date from which we can reckon time in either direction. We can always say so many years before or after the year the banks all closed.

It must be a wonderful comfort to have that "simple, soul-reposing, glad belief" that everything is going to come around all right, everywhere, all at once, because our man has gone into office. Here's all the hope necessary, and the faith that he will do his best. As for the rest, one cannot say this country is heavy and hard to swing, even with the best of "hand-holds."

If you like scabiosa or mourning bride, as it is commonly called, step in at the Record office and help yourself to a pinch of seed. No charge, no advertising, no premium, no anything except a whole lot of seed that our daughter and small grandson saved when they were here on a visit last summer. I'd rather see one profited by their work. The flowers are easily grown and are very pretty. There are four colors in the lot, orchid, pink, white and crimson.

Back in the days when I was a little girl in the piedmont section of Virginia, I was always fascinated by horses, though afraid of most of them. One of the most exciting happenings on the farm was to see a team trying to pull a heavy load up a steep hill. With a good team this never meant whipping nor abuse by the driver, his work being that of guidance and encouragement. There was danger that a spirited team might get excited and overdo, and on a long hill there would be pauses for the horses to rest a few minutes and get so they could breathe without panting. Then the wagon wheels had to be locked or scotched to prevent slipping back and losing some of the hard-won distance. It was all thrilling to me, and I shall never forget the voices of the drivers—my grandfather, my father, my uncles, as the case might be—as they called to the teams.

Over and over they would say, calmly, soothingly, almost tenderly, "Steady, now. Steady. Take it easy. Steady."

During the past months, and especially during the past week these words have been almost constantly in my mind. Steady now. Frantic scrambling will only wear us out and do no good. Steady, though the load is heavy, the top of the hill is a long, long way off the grade is steep and the road is rough. Steady.

P. S. The above is written with the full knowledge that advice is much easier to give than to take.

## Activities Of Other Clubs

The 14 Home Demonstration Clubs of Nash County are making a collection of bed linen and sleeping garments for community emergencies. A keeper will be appointed to look after the collection and to loan it. All pieces will be marked, and after each time of lending all will be laundered and returned.

## Announcement

The Garden Department of the Woman's Club will meet next Tuesday at 10:00 a. m. with Mrs. C. H. Chamblee, Mrs. McInnes and Mrs. Evans, both of Raleigh, will be at the meeting with information and advice about the Flower Show which is being planned for. All members are urged to attend.

## Farmers' Exchange

An exchange for farmers is to be opened in Dunn at an early date. No produce will be handled by the agency but lists will be made and kept of all articles or produce farmers may want to exchange with other interested parties. A nominal fee will be charged for this service. It is said that anything from eggs to real estate may be listed.

This is another development of the idea which the RECORD offered last week to subscribers—a free listing one time of articles for exchange or barter, and publication in its columns.

## Four Day Bank Holiday

Washington, D. C., Mar. 6.—A four day modified bank holiday was declared by President Roosevelt in a proclamation effective at midnight Sunday. It will last through Thursday. All banks and other financial institutions were ordered to suspend payments of gold and other forms of currency now on deposit.

Congress was called to meet in special session Thursday. President Roosevelt hopes emergency banking legislation can be rushed through at once.

Below is the substance of the President's proclamation:

Now therefore, I, Franklin D. Roosevelt, President of the United States of America, in view of such national emergency and by virtue of the authority vested in me by said act and in order to prevent the export, hoarding, or earmarking of gold or silver coin or bullion or currency, do hereby proclaim, order, direct and declare that from Monday, the sixth day of March to Thursday, the ninth day of March (Nineteen Hundred and Thirty-Three) both dates inclusive, there shall be maintained and observed by all banking institutions and all branches thereof located in the United States of America, including the territories and insular possessions, a bank holiday and that during said period all banking transactions shall be suspended. During the holiday, excepting as hereinafter provided, no such banking institution or branch shall pay out, export, earmark, or permit the withdrawal or transfer in any manner or by any device whatsoever, of any gold or silver coin or bullion or currency or take any other action which might facilitate the hoarding thereof; no shall any branch pay out deposits, make loans or discounts, deal in foreign exchange, transfer credits in the United States to any place abroad or transact any other banking business whatsoever.

During such holiday, the Secretary of the Treasury, with the approval of the President under such regulations as he may prescribe, is authorized and empowered (A) to permit any or all of such banking institutions to perform any or all of the usual banking functions; (B) to direct require or permit the issuance of clearing house certificates or other evidences of claims against assets of banking institutions; and (C) to authorize and direct the creation in such banking institutions of special trust accounts for the receipt of new deposits which shall be subject to withdrawal on demand without any restriction or limitation, and shall be kept separately in cash or on deposit in Federal Reserve Banks or invested in obligations of the United States.

As used in this order, the term "banking institutions" shall include all Federal Reserve banks, national banking associations, banks, trust companies, savings banks, building and loan associations, credit unions, engaged in the business of receiving deposits, making loans, discounting business paper, or transacting any other form of banking business.

### Coming To A Good Country??

"Oh, Boy! Its a girl—born to Mr and Mrs. Sterling Mitchell, Feb. 10 1933. Nine and one-half pounds. Janice Winifred

### TURNER ALFORD DEAD

Turner Alford, who lived in Zebulon several years ago, but of late years made his home in Durham, was buried in the Zebulon cemetery Wednesday afternoon. He had been very ill for some time and his death was not unexpected. Rev. A. A. Pippin, assisted by Rev. Theo. B. Davis, conducted the funeral service.

Turner was a younger brother of Jimmie Alford, of Pilot, and an uncle of Millard, who lives in Zebulon. His family is well known, being one of the oldest and most prominent of southern Franklin county.

### BIG MASONIC BARBECUE

On Tuesday evening of this week five young men of Zebulon gave a big barbecue and Brunswick stew supper in the Zebulon Masonic hall. Nearly 80 Masons and other invited guests enjoyed the hospitality of the young men.

Those giving the supper were Aaron Satsky, Eugene Privett, Wade Privett, Bernice Bunn and Graham Conn. P. S. The boys say that Tommy Williams deserves most of the credit for the success of the supper, because he prepared the Brunswick stew

### Strickland-Lewis

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Lewis announce the marriage of their daughter, Virginia, to Jasper Woodrow Strickland, March the fourth, nineteen hundred and thirty-three.

Mr. and Mrs. Strickland will make their home with the former's parents, near Middlesex.

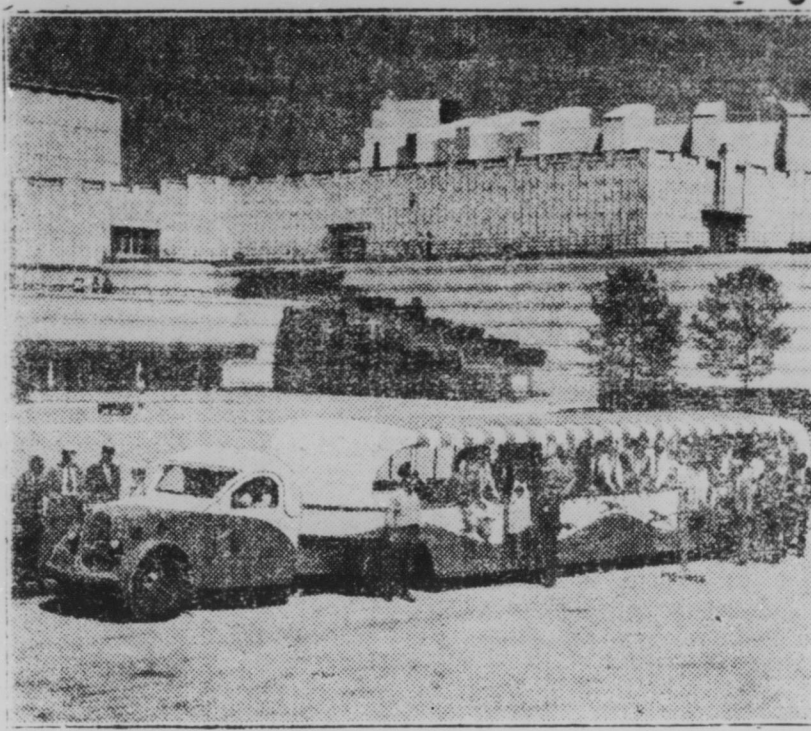
### Eagle Rock News

Mr. B. A. Weathers continues ill. Mrs. R. L. Scarborough is improving. Mr. J. R. Hood is visiting his aunt, Mrs. S. P. Anderson.

Mr. Lester Cozart, of Raleigh, visited Mr. F. H. Scarborough, Sunday afternoon.

Messrs. Thomas Scarborough, W. J. Martin, Theodore Martin and — Johnston attended the inauguration of President Franklin Delano Roosevelt.

## NEW TYPE BUSES TOUR GROUNDS



Modernistic busses will carry millions of visitors through Chicago's 1933 World's Fair this summer. The Greyhound corporation's new busses of the fleet of sixty already have carried thousands of pre-Fair tourists through the grounds. Each bus seats fifty-two passengers. The two lengthwise seats face outward so all can view the passing wonders. The picture shows one of the blue and silver semi-trailer busses, with a load of pre-Fair guests, in the great courtyard of the Hall of Science.

## Holloway's Hits

By James H. Holloway

"Lord God of Host, be with us yet. Lest we forget, Lest we forget." God is in his Heaven, President Roosevelt is in the White House and all is well. His first act after President Roosevelt was inaugurated was to give old man depression a swift kick in the lower portion of his anatomy and now the old scoundrel is hightailing it for the tall timbers.

A new day has dawned and a new deal is on in this great nation. Twelve months from now the sun of peace, happiness and prosperity will be shining brightly over this fair land. Quick action by the new President and Congress will soon dispel the gloom we have lived under for the four years of Hoover.

The Bank Holiday declared by Mr Roosevelt is going to result in bringing the people closer together and give them time to readjust themselves to the new dispensation. We are again on the main highway to a sane and honorable economical system of government and immediate improvement will soon manifest itself.

The sudden death of Senator Walsh last week was nothing short of a national calamity and his place in the new Cabinet will be hard to fill. He was a great man in every sense of the word and his wise counsel will be terribly missed. The death of Mayor Cermak of Chicago is also an almost irreparable loss to the city and the Democratic party. The assassin who shot him down should adorn a hangman's noose without delay.

Many mighty problems will engage the attention of the new Congress for the next few months and out of that session will come some of the most revolutionary legislation the country has ever known. The ideals of Jefferson, Bryan and Wilson will become realities and the people will be benefited as a result. If Mr. Roosevelt succeeds in his efforts to make this nation a better place to live in his name will go ringing down the ages as the greatest figure in all history. He is facing the biggest job of any man since the dawn of civilization and the people are behind him all over the world. His opportunity to become the modern Moses is a most wonderful one and with the Divine guidance he has invoked, failure is out of the question.

The SWASHBUCKLER in last week's issue of the Zebulon Record has sized up the present General Assembly of North Carolina more intelligently than any other writer in the state. That guy certainly knows his onions—and with all his ridiculous writings about local people and things he displays a fine strain of sound philosophy that is both refreshing and wise.

The General Assembly has at last worked themselves into a mystic maze from which they seem unable to extricate themselves. The constitutional limit of the present session has now been reached and nothing of a constructive nature has been done. Many badly conceived and loosely drawn bills will be passed in the next two weeks. Moreover, our tax burdens instead of being reduced will be heavily increased. If the Democratic voters of Wake County continue to make the same mistakes in future they made this time in the selection of their representatives they deserve no sympathy no matter how heavy their burden become. Only one of the Wake delegation has so far displayed any inclination to relieve the situation, Dr. S. E. Douglas has honestly tried to do something but the bitterest opposition he has so far encountered has come from his two little lawyer colleagues in the house, Senator Hinsdale so far has made a perfect record of voting wrong and he now proposes to foist an iniquitous Sales Tax on the state. If the voters in the future continue their policy of sending little slyest lawyers to the General Assembly we

## Week Of Prayer Being Observed

The Missionary Society of Wakefield Baptist church is this week observing the special season of prayer for our country, with special emphasis on Home Mission work. On Monday the meeting was held with Mrs. Clarence Chamblee. Taking part in the program were Mrs. Clarence Chamblee, Mrs. T. C. Pippin and Mrs. Kimball. Tuesday's meeting was in the home of Mrs. T. C. Pippin, and the discussion was led by Mrs. E. H. Greene. Mrs. E. H. Greene was hostess for Wednesday, with Mrs. T. B. Davis leading in speaking on the day's topic. The attendance has been most gratifying. A further report will be made next week.

## An Opportunity For A Zebulon Boy

For the first time since last fall the acceptance of applicants for original enlistment in the Marine Corps has been resumed according to an announcement made by Major E. M. Reo, Officer in Charge, Marine Corps Recruiting Station, Post Office Building, Atlanta, Ga.

During the lull in recruiting a number of vacancies in the Corps have occurred and the Savannah District which comprises the states of Virginia, North and South Carolina, Florida, and the eastern part of Georgia, has been assigned a limited number of these vacancies.

Young men in this vicinity between the ages of 18 and 30 who are at least 68 inches in height and have completed high school, who desire service in the Marine Corps should apply or write to the above address.

### HOW TO MAKE SOAP

Killing fats and other portions of the hog that are unfit for rendering into lard may be cheaply converted into good laundry soap in the home says Dr. P. Mabel Nelson, head of the Department of Foods and Nutrition of Iowa State College.

Seven pints of water may be added to three pounds of the melted fat. The fat solidifies, leaving the impurities. To each seven pounds of the melted fat is added one pound of lye dissolved in three pints of water. The lye solution is cooled to about 80 to 85 degrees and the fat to 110 to 115 degrees.

Then add to this solution a scant cup of ammonia or a scant one-half cup of borax. This is stirred to a honey-like consistency and poured into wooden or cardboard containers. Oil of lavender or oil of cedar may be added to give it a pleasant odor. Allow the soap to ripen at least a month before using.—Pathfinder.

will never get any relief.

Raleigh will soon be in the midst of a municipal campaign, and an unusually large number of aspirants are bobbing up—some good, others fair and the balance rotten. So far only two candidates have announced for Mayor W. S. Murchison has entered the contest against the present incumbent, George Isaley and a real fight is indicated. Mr. Murchison is the best equipped man from the standpoint of executive experience and training that has ever before offered for one of the city committees and he will give the city a wise administration. His election is a foregone conclusion by competent political observers. He was responsible for the new five-cent fare bus service the Carolina Power and Light Company has recently inaugurated and this issue alone will bring him thousands of votes from grateful citizens. The Power Company completely dominates the present Commission and the people have become indignant over the matter. An entirely new set of Commissioners will be elected in April.

## Crop Loans Applications Ready

Terms of loan this year are very much the same as those of last year. Cotton and tobacco crops must be reduced 30 per cent below 1932 average. Loans cannot exceed \$6.00 per acre on general crops, \$10.00 per acre on tobacco.

Statement must be made as to the amount of loans for last year and whether the loans have been paid. The farmer who failed to pay back any of his loan in 1932 will be unable to borrow this year. It is also understood that no farmer may get a loan of over \$300.

So far as known now, all loan blanks will be given out from Raleigh through Mr. McMurray and farmers desiring loans will have to go to Raleigh to make their application.

Farmers living near Zebulon in adjacent counties will go to their county seats to make application for loans.

Blanks for applications are now available in Raleigh. See Mr. McMurray, at the Cotton Cooperative headquarters, on Fayetteville Street, Raleigh.

It is possible that a little later, applications may be made through Mr. D. D. Chamblee, at the Zebulon Record office. If so, announcement will be made through the Record.

## Guests Find It Hard To Leave

Visitors to Washington for the inauguration found it hard to leave. This was because the bank holiday was declared so soon after the conclusion of the ceremonies. Not enough cash could be mustered to buy tickets and pay hotel bills. Many sent home telegrams collect, asking for funds.

## Preacher-Officer Makes Arrest

In Atlanta, last Sunday, Rev. C. A. Peacock was in the midst of his sermon when he received word that a negro known to be guilty of several murders and suspected of aiding in other murders in a certain section of the city. The preacher, who is also a deputy sheriff, stopped the service, led a posse in which were members of his congregation and captured the murderer.

## Cermak Dead

Anton J. Cermak, mayor of Chicago, wounded when an attempt was made on the life of Franklin Roosevelt, Feb. 15, died on Monday, in a hospital in Miami, Fla.

## Club Exchange

Home Demonstration Club women in Pitt County are studying a system of barter and exchange. Eggs have been traded for cabbage plants, which were in turn traded for music lessons. Eggs have even been exchanged for Fuller brushes.

## Japan Takes Jehol

When the League of Nations refused to approve of Japan's further slicing of Northern China, her delegates walked out of the League. Then she proceeded in short order with every sort of modern weapon of warfare to take the Chinese province of Jehol. She is now paving the way for commercial conquest. It is believed that Japan will not stop with her present success, but will continue her campaign into the Chinese territory south of the Great Wall.

### IN MEMORIAM

In the death of Mr. Bill Hopkins who departed this life at 5 o'clock on the evening of February 17th, at his home near Union Chapel, a good man has gone to his reward. He was ever ready to minister to the suffering, the sick in his community had learned to look for him as their first visitor. He always had cheerful words which brightened the sick one. In his ministrations none were too high and none too low for him to serve. As a deacon of Union Chapel church and Sunday school worker he was ever ready to give of his time and means for these causes which he loved so well. He had been a member of the Baptist church for over thirty years and a more loyal and devoted member the church has probably never had. When he entered the pearly gates, no doubt he was greeted with: "Hungry, and you fed me; Naked and, you clothed me; Sick and in prison and you visited me. Enter thou into the joys of the Lord." A Friend.

### OTHER QUEER ANSWERS

1. What are rabies and what would you do for them?  
Answer: They are Jewish priests and I would do nothing for them.  
2. Lancelot arrived at the castle where he asked if he could be put up with for the night.  
3. The government of England is a limited mockery.  
4. The letters M. D. signify "mentally deficient."

## YE FLAPDOODLE

By The SWASHBUCKLER

Last week, just before this bit of riff-raff was turned over to the linotype operator, some young lady called up in reference to the Flapdoodle and requested that I mention something that she had seen in the neighborhood. The young lady, however neglected to mention her name, consequently, there was no remark made as to the choice bit of scandal that she had phoned in—We stand for—ahem—the truth, the whole truth (where the editor deems it necessary) and nothing but the truth (touched up in spots to make it more palatable).

—Did you ever stop to think that it's a good thing that Carl Goerch is paid to let what the legislature has done and not what they have not done? If he were paid for the latter, the task would be beyond his natural resources and present fluency of speech, he would need more assistants than the county attorney used to have—More words than Heinz has pickles, and more patience than a man with his third consecutive case of seven year itch—He would have to have a tongue like that of Amie Semple—A voice like the siren of a battlewagon and lungs like two airships the size of the Akron hooked up in parallel—In other words, he would have to equal "Bugs" Baer's "Wottaman"—Telling what the legislature didn't do this year is like digging a hole to China you'd never get through—We were told by an up and coming young politician that this year's General assembly was bringing us assets—There is nothing personal in my statement, but if you should go out of your way to ask the old Swashbuckler about that statement, he'd tell you it was a typographical error and that the "L" should be omitted, also the tense changed so the sentence would read: The General assembly are—well, you get the idea, of course there are exceptions to all rules, even those of the Swashbuckler—I note with undue interest that one of the representatives from the eastern part of the state when confronted with statements that the legislature has done nothing this year comes back with, "If you can do better, come on up to Raleigh and do it!"—My humble comment is, that if we had known that the present legislature was going to do as little as it has done we would have probably gone instead of sending the poor representatives we did!—By the way—What correspondent of the RECORD was it who was seen jumping from a stalled Hoover cart on last Thursday night at about ten thirty, and to run with hidden face into the shadows of Vance Street, as the Swashbuckler watched from the doorway of the RECORD office—And friends, if you want a lovely view of some of the cutest clothes in all Zebulon, just drive out to the West end of Gannon Avenue—and back—As you near the first street light on the way back, cast your ever-watchful eye toward the side porch of the Talton house—where pieces of dainty feminine wearing apparel can be seen hanging on a line strung between two posts—I can tell you every day before I leave home just the color and what will be hanging out in the show place of the Carolinas man, some of the Wakeleton teachers who do wear pretty clothes—Wonder if they use Lux—And that dark-complected young man seen phoning one of his lady friends from the sanctity of the post-office—When he had finished, noting the pained expression, and feeling sorry for the poor boy, I sympathetically asked "What's the matter old man?" "Oh nothing, my girl just hung the receiver up in my ear"—and can you imagine, he became very, very angry when I offered to assist him in extracting it—Another of those seldom heard of professions is that of cutting the slots in screw heads—One of our good citizens when recently asked what he thought about the banks having all the money locked up for their own use replied, "What money?"—Now we knew that the "long-green" hadn't been within reach of the people for some time, but we did not know that it had been that long—And the new name for one of our citizens, "The Walking Bromo-Seltzer"—And the editor's youngest son, after using the word, mischievous, in speaking of a group of middle-aged ladies was asked to spell this newly acquired word in his vocabulary, "Easy", he warbled, "It's spelled m-i-s-h-i-f-u-s-s!"—Well, I have a date to play bridge with Napoleon, Kipling and Nero, so I must be on my way—George Shaw was invited, but times are so hard that he's pushing his "Apple Cart" twenty-four hours a day—We're playing for a prize this week—the pair of us that comes out in the lead gets a seat in the senate, that is if the attendant leaves the portal of the padded cell open long enough when he begins airing it next week

## Up In Smoke

Springfield, Mo., March 4.—Fearing a bank holiday in Missouri, W. W. Fitch, Frisco engineer, yesterday withdrew \$1,000 he had in a local bank and hid it in some old newspapers in his home—but he forgot to tell his wife.

It was chilly this morning and Mrs. Fitch, failing to find kindling, used the papers—and the ten \$100 bills hidden in them—to start a fire.—News and Observer.