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COMMUNITY CORRESPONDENCE

PLEASANT HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Delma Whitaker, Helen Catlett and Armstead Henderson went to Hickory and Asheville Saturday.

We are sorry Mrs. Addie Whitaker is sick.

We are also sorry to hear Mrs. Bennie Weathers' mother, Mrs. Emma Scarboro is real sick at Mr. Bennie Weathers'.

Miss Shirley Starnes and her sister of Durham spent the week end at Carolina Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Richardson, Jr., of Zebulon spent Sunday at Mrs. H. G. Hood's. Mr. I. B. Richardson and children were visitors there in the afternoon.

Mrs. E. W. Hood, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hodge and Mrs. H. E. Whitaker were visitors at F. S. Hood's near Zebulon Thursday.

Mrs. T. Y. Puryear, Mrs. O. W Thorne and Mrs. L. H. Williford of Bethany called a short while at Mr. Mack Pate's of Union Chapel Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bertie Carter and children, Mrs. Pressie Wood and Mr. Millard Jeffrys went to White Lake Sunday.

Mrs. A. O. Puryear spent Saturday night with her mother, Mrs. Almus Weathers.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Flowers and children of Rocky Mount spent a short while at O. W. Thorne's Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Charlie Jones of Knightdale visited her mother, Mrs. H. H. Hood, Saturday.

Mrs. L. L. Browning and little son, Lee, Mr. Worth Johnson, Miss Viola Richardson of Raleigh spent Friday with Mrs. T. Y. Puryear.

PILOT

Miss Cherry Pearce of Raleigh spent the week end at home with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pearce.

with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Pearce.

THREE INGREDIENTS OF TOMORROW

There are three basic factors which always have prevailed over the centuries and which will continue to operate: Human nature.

Human needs and cravings and aspirations.

Human ingenuity,

These three factors control life, in every nation and city and hamlet. We build great industries upon them, and support little corner delicatessen stores. We buy and sell, run great railroads and publish newspapers, till the ground and rear cities, worship God and wage wars. All existence revolves around these "human constants," to borrow a happy term from Andre Marois. They are the only windows through which we can see

into the future. Through them enough light filters to guide the man who will study his times and Mrs. Perkins recently made headuse all his talents and ability, and every ounce of his imagination and had asked the President the quesingenuity, to discover how to min- tion-and said that he looked ister to the wants and needs of his fellow passengers on the voyage we call life .- Selected.

ECONOMIC HIGHLIGHTS

Happenings That Affect the Din-National and International Prob- tenterhooks. lems Inseparable from Local Welfare.

More talk is going the rounds concerning the possibility of Mr. Roosevelt running for a third term. A considerable part of the talk is based upon unfounded rumor-but president, and he prides himself there is a leavening of hard fact on it. And there seems to be no that points to a number of interesting conclusions. There are various obvious bar-

riers to any president's third-term ambitions. In the first place, the strain of the White House usually Mr. and Mrs. Alton Pearce of is a man-killer-as the fact that we Norfolk, Va., spent this week end have never had more than two expresidents living at one time indi-Mrs. Bert Richardson of Fay- cates. However, in the case of Mr. Roosevelt, this is not as important as in the case of most of his prede-Miss Roberta Brantley of Wake cessors-no president since his Forest was at home this week end. distant cousin Theodore has seem-Mr. and Mrs. Mac Hudson re- ed to thrive so well on the colossal

ecutive.

praise for everything the govern. been sustained-which has condid when Coolidge was President. temporary flurry. His cabinet seems to contain no party.

Governor McNutt has the personality, many believe, and he apparently wards the nominationbut it is also believed Mr. Roosevelt opposes him. There is talk about Postmaster-General Farleybut Mr. Farley, so far as is known, has no economic or social philosophy. It is generally thought that he would work as hard for a conservative president as he does for Mr. Roosevelt. Mr. Farley's dominant characteristic is loyalty, to whoever is head of the party he belongs to.

Most important of all is this question: Does the President want a third-term? He hasn't said yes. lines when she recounted how she thoughtfully out of the window, smiled, and gave no answer. And he hasn't said no. There is a sound reason for this, even if he doesn't seek the nomination. If he declared himself out of it, the party would fairly see he with efforts of Democrats to put themselves forward. By saying nothing, he ner Pails, Dividend Checks and keeps his party control-and at the Tax Bills of Every Individual. same time keps his underlings on

It is a reasonable supposition, held by the best-informed commentators, that the President hasn't yet made up his mind. The question of precedent doesn't worry him-as he often says, he has shattered more precedents than any problem of physical capacity-his health and energy always astound White House attaches. Thus, the view is growing that it all depends upon conditions two years from now-that if the time seems ripe, Mr. Roosevelt will run again, and that if it doesn't, he will retire and dictate the choice of his successor for the nomination.

ment does. No man in his party founded some of the experts, who stands out, for example, as Hoover at first regarded it as a minor and

The summer business decline was one, with the possible exception of less severe than many anticipated, Secretary Hull, whose advancing and the ground lost by seasonal years practically preclude his can- change is being rapidly regained in didacy, who could be counted upon most lines. Steel operation has as a dependable vote-winning stan- made important gains. Electric dard bearer for the Democratic output is getting closer to last year's record levels. Even carloadings are improving-though the railroad problem gets worse, rather than better.

Raw material prices are stable, with the tendency slightly upward. This means big buying-rising markets always cause buyers to jump in, for fear of higher prices still. All in all, the favorable signs outweigh the unfavorable so far as the near future is concerned.

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tire troubles.

etteville spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Rona Cone.

turned to their home in Washing- labors that fall upon the Chief Exton, D. C., Monday after spending their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Brantley.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Jones of Raleigh spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Jones.

Miss Lola Alford spent last week in Bunn visiting Mrs. Jerome Brantley.

Rev. Bunn of Fuquay visited in the community last Tuesday and was here Sunday for the Missionary Union meeting.

Mrs. Hester Brantley organized a Sunbeam group at the church Saturday afternoon.

Clarkton last week.

Mr. J. M. Stallings left Tuesday to attend the State Convention of leader. They seek the mantle of County Commissioners in Asheville.

Mr. George Pearce of Raleigh was at home this week end.

The Fourth district Missionary Union met here Sunday afternoon.

We have a new member of the ball club-Raymond Murray, of Spring Hope, catcher.

We defeated Warrenton Saturday afternoon here.

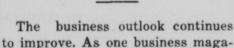
The schedule for this week has not been completed.

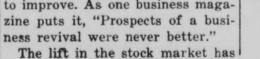
Wilkes farmers report excellent yields of oats and wheat, fine to- course, but none of them loom large bacco and the best corn crop in years; but cool nights and abundant rainfall has caused the cotton to be small and grassy.

In the second place, the "nothird-term" tradition is still held by millions of voters. Various polls, such as those conducted periodically by Fortune, show that the majority of the people, including those favorable to the New Deal and the President, are generally opposed to more than eight years of office for any president. In the third place-and this is

especially true today-a president who is known to be seeking a third term cannot help but meet stiff opposition within his party ranks. Several farmers sold tobacco in Many senators, governors, government officials and others envisage themselves in the role of national greatness. And while they will not, for the most part, openly oppose an incumbent's third-term ambitions, they will usually pull all the strings they can, privately, to make it impossible.

Looking at the other side of the picture, there are valid reasons to indicate that Mr. Roosevelt has an excellent chance to run again for his office-whether he seeks it or is drafted by his party. The New Deal is very largely a personal thing-and the dominant personality is Mr. Roosevelt. He has his satellites and official followers, of enough in the public ey to be firstrate presidential candidates. All the talk centers around Mr. Roosevelt. He gets the blame and the









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