

COMMUNITY CORRESPONDENCE

PILOT

We had a large number of visitors at church and B. T. U. Sunday. Evelyn Stallings was elected president of the Sunbeam Band.

School will open Thursday morning, the teachers being: Mrs. Valmore Jones, Misses Ollie Wester, Myrtie Etta Gay and Effie Mae Dillahunt.

Misses Darnell and Wilma Phillips will return to Pearce's School this week to teach in the elementary school.

Mrs. LaRosa Bunn returned Saturday from a visit to Cullowhee and Lake Junaluska.

Miss Beryl Stallings will again be a member of the faculty of Bunn High School. She will begin teaching September 1, 1938.

Mr. Cecil Willis of Hickory spent this week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stallings took a group of 4-H boys and girls to White Lake Tuesday.

Misses Beryl Stallings and Darnell Phillips returned Saturday from Western Carolina Teachers College where they attended summer school for the past twelve weeks.

Clemouth Brantley was in an automobile accident Thursday night near Zebulon. He was not seriously injured.

Irvin Taylor, Aubrey Mullen and Woodrow Pippin were in an accident in Spring Hope Monday night. All of the boys were seriously injured.

Our ball team was defeated by Louisburg last Friday with a score of 10-11.

PLEASANT HILL

People of this community have attended revival meetings at Union Chapel and Hephzibah.

Farmers are busy saving fodder and cutting stalks.

It had been so dry in this section we were all thankful for the nice rain last Friday night.

Misses Hilda Gay and Martha Whitaker of Raleigh were visitors at Mr. J. W. Gay's last week.

Mr. Carl and Willie Satterfeld of Fuquay Springs spent several days at T. Y. Puryear's last week.

Mr. Connie Gay's baby is improving some.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Taylor and children were visitors at Mr. O. N. Phillips' Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Privette and little son motored to Asheville last week.

Mrs. O. W. Thorne spent Monday in Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Puryear and children of Wake Forest, A. T. Puryear of Rolesville, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Puryear and children of Wendell were visitors at T. Y. Puryear's Sunday.

Miss Magalee Phillips spent a few days with her uncle near Hephzibah, Mr. Sanford Pearce, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Denton and children visited her mother, Mrs. Medlin in Franklin county Sunday.

BRITAIN GIVES WARNING

Through Sir John Simon, Chancellor of the Exchequer, Germany has been notified that Great Britain will not stay quiet if war is forced upon Europe. At present Hitler's demands upon Czechoslovakia constitute the threat to peace that is receiving most attention. France is allied with England in this movement to preserve peace, and so are Soviet Russia, Rumania and Yugoslavia.

Such threats of war have affected stocks in this country, forcing prices down sharply.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK

NEW MODEL CARS

And speaking of automobile factory sales, sweeping design and mechanical changes embodied in 1939 models, to make their public debut in about two months, are expected to create a sharp sales increase for this industry. Say advance reports from Detroit and Toledo: "Bodies generally will be wider and larger. Greater visibility is being obtained by the use of wider and deeper windows and windshields. Plastics will find increased prominence in interior body hardware and trim. Half a dozen makes will provide off-the-floor gear shifts as standard equipment. Prices will be about the same as for 1938 models."

THINGS TO WATCH FOR

Brushes made of plastic material instead of hog bristles; the plastic is said to last longer than real bristles. . . New cocktail shaker discs which prevent leakage from over-zealous mixers; they are made of synthetic rubber, like material called keroseal that outlasts ordinary cork. . . Cellophane-like sheets and photographic film made from leather scrap and waste. . . A shirt designed so that suspenders can be worn concealed beneath it. . . A device which automatically raises and closes all the windows of an automobile when the key is turned in the lock of the car door. . . Beer brewed from sweet potatoes; fermented syrup from the potatoes is said to be better than corn sugar or syrup heretofore used in beer-making.

HEADLINES IN NEW YORK

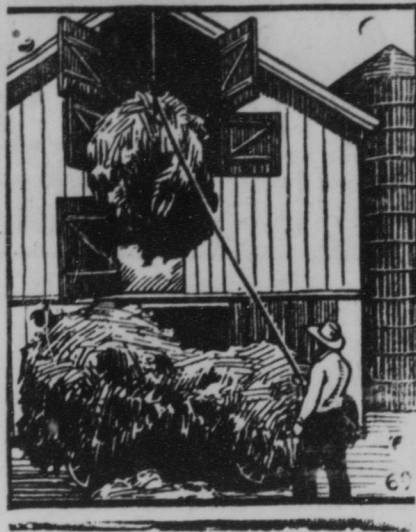
Butter prices drop to 1934 levels as supplies reach new high. . . U. S. and Great Britain reported near accord on reciprocal trade agreement. . . Factory payrolls in nation rise 0.4 per cent in July, reversing previous downward trend. Sales of office equipment gain in August. . . Secretary of State Hull demands Mexico settle for land seizures under international law. . . Drug and chemical industry will spend \$24,943,500 for research and scientific development of new products this year. . . WPA employment now 3,038,906, an all time peak. . . New synthetic fibre being developed by E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co. may threaten remaining market for natural silk. . . Canada refuses to join with U. S. in wheat sales plan; will adhere to its present export subsidy to market surplus. . . Despite record flow of deliveries, unfilled orders of aircraft industry are 15 per cent higher on January 1. . . Large rise in index of industrial output by October seen by the Federal Reserve Board.

STORM NEAR CHARLOTTE

A windstorm at and near Charlotte on Wednesday of last week was said to be of cyclonic fury, doing damage estimated at thousands of dollars. The Duke Power Co. was among the heaviest losers, the plant being put out of operation for the rest of the week. Many trees were uprooted or broken, and houses not strongly built were wholly or partially destroyed. The storm came up suddenly in mid-afternoon of one of the hottest days of the year. The velocity of the wind was said to be 50 miles an hour for a part of the time. There was some rain and hail fell in one section.

Nearly 1,700 pullets in Tyrrell county were vaccinated against chicken pox last month.

Uncle Jim Says



One of the agricultural engineers at State College helped my neighbor terrace his field this spring. During a recent heavy rain, a half-mile of the terrace caught and held about 18,500 gallons of water.

WHAT IS A SURPLUS,

Probably one of the most common terms used in business that is most generally misunderstood by the lay public is the word "surplus."

Many people seem to think it represents a huge pile of money lying around idle. Some people think it means excess profit or excess money in the bank or excess something else that is not needed.

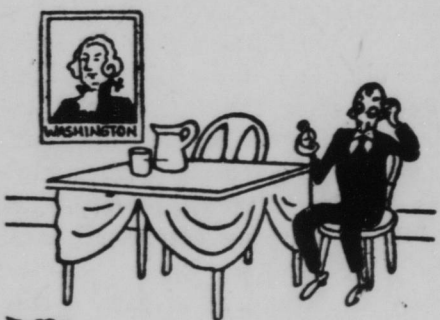
Surplus for a business organization really means about the same as savings for a family. The accumulated savings of a family through the years may be represented by a house and lot, household appliances and furniture, insurance, an automobile, stocks and cash in the bank.

The savings of a business concern—or surplus—represents about the same type of things—land and buildings, machinery, tools, stocks, or raw materials, and working funds to carry on the business—in fact, all of the things which have been added as the business grew.

In the last General Motors financial statement of June 30, 1938, the earned "surplus" was given as \$401,765,828. This means, in simple terms, the earnings that have been put back into the business to provide better facilities, make more jobs and opportunities for work-

Where's Elmer?!

'Twas at the school, on opening day; First meeting of the P.-T. A. And Elmer had some words to say.



But now what can the matter be? And our Elmer—where is he? Such worrying you seldom see.

It is too bad, we must allow, To see frowns on every brow; But it's too late to help that now.

And if the truth you'd like to know, Well, Elmer really meant to go, But left to buy a radio

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ers, and improve the products. A summary of General Motors business for the first six months of 1938 has just been sent to the employees. Among the interesting

items in this review is a simple explanation of what "surplus" is which should do much to clarify this little understood term in the minds of the workers.

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ZEBULON, NORTH CAROLINA

Thursday and Friday, Sept. 1 & 2—  
FRED McMURRAY, HARRIET HILLIARD  
"COCONUT GROVE"

Saturday, Sept. 3—  
BOB STEELE  
"DESERT PATROL"

Sunday, Sept. 4—  
JAMES STEWART, MARGARET SULLAVAN  
"THE SHOPWORN ANGEL"  
Another Community Sing

Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 5 & 6—  
PRESTON FOSTER, MADGE EVANS  
"ARMY GIRL"

Wednesday, Sept. 7—  
BUDDY ROGERS, BETTY GRABLE, NED SPARKS, MARY LIVINGSTONE  
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