

*This, That And
The Other*

BY MRS. THEO. B. DAVIS

Governor Broughton has issued a call to prayer on the day of invasion of Europe. This is, in my humble opinion, a nice gesture. But, unless you've done a considerable amount of praying before that day, and unless you've done something, if possible, besides pray, you needn't bother about it then. The Lord's going to be mighty busy on invasion day, and most probably will not have time to listen to any but His own right at that time.

PROBLEM — Mrs. Jethro Stell called me one day last week and asked how to keep the brown thrashers from eating the newly-sprouted corn in her garden. I didn't know. She said the thrashers are as bad as crows and have eaten both the planted and the replanted corn. I suggested putting out feed for the birds, and she said the other birds would eat what she put out while the thrashers refused to touch it, preferring green food to dry grain. She hated the idea of poison for any bird, and knew if it were put out the innocent would get it as well as the guilty. Can you help her? Birds are birds, but corn is food for humans.

If you need to buy much clothing this season, I am sorry for you. Unless your pocketbook is much nearer full than mine ever has been. When it comes to sixty-nine or more cents a yard for percale that we used to get for about twenty-three cents, one is thankful for old garments that may be remade or worn as they are. Colors are not guaranteed fast and material at all reasonable in price looks discouragingly inferior. Let's be grateful for feed sacks.

If you try that Washington pie recipe I gave in this column last week, you might prefer using one teaspoonful and one-half of baking powder instead of the two teaspoonfuls the recipe calls for. I do. The cake does not rise quite so high, but is finer grained.

My husband wants each year to grow some vegetable which he has not grown before. This year it is tampala—with the accent on pal. It is a kind of salad plant, the leaves to be eaten either raw or cooked. Descriptions say it is far superior to spinach,—which is not saying much for it,—may be used over a long season, and is especially rich in food value. If he even eats the stuff after raising it, I'll let you know.

My choice for this year is not new, but we have not had any recently. It is endive. Something like lettuce, but slower going to seed, blanching like celery, if allowed to head or if leaves are fastened to keep sun from center.

In some way I have totally lost out on petunias and have not one plant, though for years the place was full of them. And now they are all gone I miss them sorely and shall go to work starting more. For nothing blooms so long with so little care and they are lovely anywhere you put them.

Free Rat Bait

Arrangements have been made with the town officials of Zebulon to furnish rat bait for distribution in the business and residential sections of the Town of Zebulon.

Mr. Woodard will be at the City Hall in Zebulon on Monday, May 15, from 9:30 a. m. until 3:30 p. m. Mayor Avon Privett will cooperate by furnishing such help as he has available for the purpose of distributing bait in the business section under the supervision of Mr. Woodard.

I am requesting the people who live in the residential sections to call at the City Hall between the hours mentioned above for the bait and instructions for putting it out.

This is a part of our Rat Extermination and Typhus Fever Control program which has been going on in Raleigh for more than a year, and we are extending it to the incorporated towns of Wake County. Your cooperation will be appreciated.

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Wake County Health Dept.

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**Clothes For Russia
Drive Begins Mon.**

The local drive for clothes for war relief in Russia begins next Monday and it is hoped the work may be completed on Tuesday. All who will give used clothing are asked either to send it to school or give it to their block leader. Mrs. A. S. Hinton, incoming P. T. A. president will see that it is packed for shipment.

Do not put off looking through your unused clothing and share as freely as possible. The goal is an average of four pounds of clothing and one pair of shoes for each school child in the state.

Remember the dates — next Monday and Tuesday. Remember the cause—the Russians who have lost all by reason of the war. Remember the great need for what you can give. Help in this drive

**Delegates To The
Dem. Convention**

The following people were elected as delegates to attend the State Democratic Convention to be held in Raleigh at the Auditorium beginning at noon Thursday. Mrs. Rhoda Gill, F. D. Finch, A. R. House, Ebbie Stallings, Vance Brown, Mrs. A. R. House, Mrs. Cammie Wade, I. D. Gill, Avon Privette and Wallace Chamblee. All delegates are urged to attend this meeting also the Fourth District meeting which will be held in the Hall of the House State Capitol at 10 o'clock prior to the State meeting at noon.

Dies In New Guinea Bookmobile Notes

Word was received here Monday of the death in New Guinea of Hodge Collins, son of Mrs. W. H. Collins and the late Mr. Collins of Nashville. He had been reported missing since last September, but the news of his death was delayed for confirmation. He was a nephew of Mrs. Victoria Gill and Mrs. Susie Alford of Zebulon. He belonged to the Air Force and was killed in the crash of a plane.

**Paul Hardy At
Hales Chapel Sun.**

Paul Hardy who has recently been granted license to the ministry by Corinth Church will preach at Hales' Chapel Baptist Church, five miles south of Zebulon, Sunday, May 7 at twelve o'clock E. W. T.

Mr. Hardy is widely known throughout this section and many of his friends will want to hear him. He has for several years been a prominent farmer in Johnston County and has been very active in church, serving as a deacon and Sunday School teacher. He plans to enter Wake Forest College next fall to further his training.

The public is cordially invited to attend the service.

Late Planting

Farmers are in a greater rush than usual at this season because of having been delayed so long by bad weather. With tobacco plants a foot long and the fields not even plowed, there is much to be done before the planting can begin, much less be finished. Probably there has never been so late a start in the fields as this year; but farmers are not at fault.

And nothing grows faster than tobacco, once the weather suits it. There may after all be a bumper crop this year. Cotton and corn may be another story, or they, too, may decide to show just what they can do in the way of cooperating with the efforts of growers. But if the first cotton bloom comes in as early as usual, there will be a surprised editor to record its appearance.

**Safe and Sure
YOUR WAR BOND
Dollars**

Rotary Club

Oliver Glover had the program. His speaker was Prof. Harrett T. Dorsett of Meredith College. Prof. Dorsett has been studying the conditions in Russia and used this as his subject. He said that Russia has advanced with leaps and bounds under the present government. Under the Czar the majority of the people of Russia were peasants and about 90 per cent were illiterate. Today 90 per cent can read and write. No nation has educated such a population in so short a time. The rulers of Russia knew that its people must be educated before they could expect to compete with other nations. No one can get rich as land and industry are owned and operated by the government. Stalin, the ruler of Russia, had a salary of \$135.00 per month before war was declared.

Russia would have a 5 year plan to do so much in building factories, institutions, etc. When that 5 years was out they would then have another 5 year plan of things to be done. There was something definite to work for.

The government is granting religious liberty more and more. There are over two million Baptists in Russia.

**Buy War Bonds
TODAY
For Future Needs**

Hephzibah Church

G. A. MEETING

The intermediate G. A. of Hephzibah Church held their April meeting at the home of Mrs. Oris Horton. Each girl made a beautiful corsage from the flowers which they picked around the home. Mrs. Theron Martin, Mrs. J. C. Pearce and Mrs. Oris Horton gave the program. Mrs. J. C. Pearce lead in prayer. Officers were then elected as follows:

Counselors—Mrs. Theron Martin and Mrs. Beatrice Dean; President—Jeanette Horton; Vice president—Mary Sue Todd; Secretary and treasurer for misions—Mattie Scarboro; Treasurer for sick and good deeds—Mrs. Theron Martin and June Liles; Reporter, — Mary Todd; Ways and means—Rose Marie Yancey; Flower chairman — Cleo Carter; Stewardship chairman—Matred Carter; Membership chairman—Vivian Wood; Attendance chairman — Mary Frances Colman; Soldier Committee — Lula Mae Yeargin; Good Deed chm. —Lovie Blackley.

After a brief game, delicious refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held May 9 at the home of Mrs. J. C. Pearce. —Mary Sue Todd

**They keep fighting—
You keep buying
WAR BONDS**

Church News

BAPTIST CHURCH

10:00 Sunday School
11:00 Morning Worship. In the absence of the pastor, Rev. R. H. Herring will fill the pulpit.
8:00 Commencement Sermon at the Wakelon School.

METHODIST CHURCH

Charles S. Vale, Pastor
Service Sunday Morning 11:00 o'clock. Sermon subject: *The Seventh Commandment.*

This is the ninth in a series of sermons preached by the pastor on the Ten Commandments. On succeeding Sundays the 10th commandment will be considered.
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
A welcome to everyone.
Dr. J. F. Coltrane, Supt.

Farm Bureau

Holds Last Meet

The last meeting of the Farm Bureau was held at Wakelon on Tuesday evening. Other than routine business, the special feature was an address by Dr. F. H. Jeter of the State Department of Agriculture. Dr. Jeter discussed in a very enlightening way the part farmers play in the life and business of our country, emphasizing the need of more and better farming at this time, owing to war conditions. His address was well-received and no doubt inspired each farmer present to do his best on making a good crop this season.

Mr. T. L. Weeks and his assistant in agricultural work in Wake county were present and Mr. Weeks explained the Smith bill before Congress unfavorable to farm interests has lately been killed so tobacco acres will not be increased within the next three years.

The Farm Bureau was organized only a short time ago. Its growth has been rapid and there are now 114 members with others being added each week. It is destined to play an important part in public affairs in this community, and all of our farmers both white and colored should be members of the Farm Bureau. The membership fee and dues are \$3 a year.

JUNIOR CLUB BARBECUE

On Thursday evening the Junior Woman's Club will enjoy their annual barbecue supper, which will be the last meeting of the club year. Wakelon's campus will furnish the setting.

**Dry Meeting
In Louisburg**

Louisburg, N. C. — At an enthusiastic meeting of the Franklin County Dry Forces held in the courthouse last Monday night, Mr. H. A. Faulkner was unanimously elected president to succeed the late Hon. S. H. Averitt, and Mr. C. T. Hudson was elected secretary-treasurer.

Gaither M. Beam, local attorney and dry leader, acted as temporary chairman and presented Mr. Faulkner as an outstanding citizen of Franklin County and a good farmer, who has been Superintendent of Corinth's Baptist Sunday School for the past thirty-one years, a deacon in that church for thirty-two years, Master of the John Mills Lodge, Epsilon, for a number of years and a past President of the Franklin County Farm Bureau.

Mr. Beam said there were two main objects before the Dry Forces at the present time. The first was to give all assistance possible to officers in their endeavor to stamp out bootlegging. He called upon citizens of Franklin County to do their best along this line.

He said the second object was to impress upon the dries the importance of voting for dry men for office, stating that now was the time to decide the liquor question and not after the election when it will be too late. He said he wanted real dry officers who would announce publicly that they wanted a state-wide referendum and would oppose the "Gag Rule."

In accepting the presidency, Mr. Faulkner said that he realized the great responsibility of this position and hesitated to accept, but someone had to make a sacrifice and carry on the splendid work done by the late Mr. Averitt and Hon. W. H. Yarborough, whose services will be greatly missed at this time. He called attention to the fact that the boys in service had voted 57 percent dry, and stated that the least we could do at home was to carry out their wishes and clean out our county so it would be a fit place for our boys when they return.

Schedule Monday, May 15

	Arrive	Leave
Rolesville	9:45	10:00
Mrs. J. B. Watkins	10:10	10:25
Mrs. B. E. King's	10:30	10:45
Hopkin's X Roads		
Mrs. Fowler's	11:00	11:45
Wakefield Wo. Club	12:00	12:30
Zebulon Wo. Club	1:05	2:15
Tarpley's Mill		2:30
Mrs. E. V. Richardson's	3:00	
Watkin's Serv. Sta.	3:10	
Wilder's Grove	3:15	

Schedule, Tuesday, May 16

Knightdale P O	9:30	10:30
Wendell Woman's C.	10:45	12:00
Lizard Lick		
(W. T. Sherron's)	12:30	12:45
Eagle Rock P O	12:45	1:15
Lake Myra Store	1:30	1:45
Bethlehem Church	2:09	2:15
Samaria Bapt. Church	2:30	2:45