

SCOTT SUMMERS

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from citizens of the Louisiana capital.

A letter from a friend there noted that the Marines were taken to Baton Rouge, and that the city rolled out the carpet for the boys. The biggest restaurant in town gave them anything they wanted on the house and all theaters were free to Marines.

Just thought you might like to know, in case your Marine was one of those aboard.

A rash of "well-informed source" reports saying Kerr Scott will run for lieutenant-governor next year broke out last week.

The governor, who knows how to go along with a gag, declined to give the rumor the dignity of a reply at his press conference Friday.

"He just laughed, termed the idea intriguing."

Folks who say he wants the job are and have been his opponents. They claim the governor saw "how important the job was" in the last legislature, because the committee appointments pretty well stacked committees against him.

These folks seem to have forgotten that the governor pretty well got what he wanted out of the Legislature despite the stacked committees, because the city folks weren't used to dealing with an old cow-trader who always asked for twice what he expected to get.

Children often unintentionally—or at least apparently unintentionally—come up with better descriptive expressions than grown-ups. Six-year-old Staley did so the other day. He called the 38th Parallel the "38th Paralyzer."

Seems as though he hit the nail right on the head.

Raleigh has joined several other North Carolina cities and towns that are considering putting fluorine in their city water supply. That's the chemical that the scientists say will cut down tooth decay some 40 percent. Adding the tooth-fixer to the water will cost, so the report goes, around ten cents a head per year. It'll be cheap enough, if it works like they say.

The State Utilities Commission has made it legal for Santa Claus to send a telegram from "the North Pole."

In approving Western Union amendments for regulations, the commission okayed messages signed by Santa with the North Pole late line if it reads "North Pole via Raleigh," or whatever city it is routed through.

CONSERVATION

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this past year in Wake County.

L. C. Liles, teacher of vocational agriculture, sowed it in along with wheat in the fall of 1950. The wheat was harvested in June and, notwithstanding a dry spring and summer, he has a very good stand and growth. He will use it for winter grazing and in rotation with tobacco. By November this grass should be about 10 or 12 inches in height and will do some growing during the winter months.

Bob Sears and Rufus Bell of Apex and A. C. Meadows of Garner report reasonably good stands this year. Tall fescue forms a good sod, thus reducing erosion. Some farmers are using lespedeza with it as a hay cop in the early fall.

NATIONAL GUARD

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Guardsmen of the 30th Division have been to McClellan since before World War II. Fort McClellan, located in a valley surrounded by hilly, almost mountainous country, is five miles from Anniston, Alabama.

General Manning is commanding general of the division encampment, with 1st Lt. B. E. Robinson, Raleigh, as aide-de-camp. Chief of Staff is Col. Claude T. Bowers, of Warrenton, N. C. Lt. Col. Thomas B. Longest is Adjutant General.

Assistant Chiefs of Staff are Lt. Col. James W. Perkins, Nashville, Tenn., G-1; Lt. Col. Howard Manning, Raleigh, G-2; Lt. Col. Clarence Shimer, Raleigh, G-3; and Lt. Col. Fitzgerald Davis, Raleigh, G-4.

The 30th, or Old Hickory Division, will remain at Fort McClellan until September 1. Most of the troops arrived by train and will return by train also.

PEARCE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perry and daughter, Ruby Evelyn and Miss Mildred Parker of Raleigh visited Mr. Perry's mother, Mrs. Lucy Perry who is spending the summer with the L. D. Perrys.

Mrs. Hal Thompson of Nashville, Tenn., is spending several days with her sisters, Mrs. Jeff Pearce and Mrs. Williford Gay.

Mrs. Jim Caldwell and daughter, Ann Morrison of Raleigh, spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Perry last week.

Since leaving the hospital, Mrs.

Hilliard Gay is staying with her parents, the H. P. Privettes for several days. We hope she will soon be able to return home.

Mrs. H. K. Baker and Mrs. B. K. Gay were Raleigh visitors last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larby Perry and daughters, Barbara Jane and Rebecca spent several days at Manteo last week. They reported a wonderful trip.

Those visiting in the L. D. Perry home Sunday were Mrs. Doll Pearce of Raleigh, Mrs. Ervin Rogers of Zebulon, Miss Betty Grey Baker of Raleigh, and Mrs. Ivon Pearce.

Mrs. Thelma Lee Doyle of Raleigh spent the weekend with her parents and daughter, the Williford Gays and Diana Doyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Currin spent last week with her parents, the F. O. Pearces before moving to their new apartment with the Jethro Stells in Zebulon. They moved Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Lee Clayton of Durham spent Friday night with her parents, the A. N. Pearces.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Currin, and Mrs. J. T. Jackson and boys attended a family reunion at Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Perkins in Kittrell last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Perry and daughters, Barbara Jane and Rebecca took dinner with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Sprite Ferrell of near Wakefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brannon of Union Chapel visited in the home of the A. N. Pearces Sunday.

Miss Kay Ray spent the weekend with her aunt, Mrs. Billy Pearce of Zebulon.

Talmadge Pearce is on maneuvers at Fort McClellan, Ala., with the National Guard.

Mr. and Mrs. Swain Pearce and Mrs. Paul Pearce of Raleigh visited the Alex Bakers last Saturday night.

Mrs. Daylon Parrish and daughter, Phyllis, spent Saturday night with her parents, the Ivey Pearces.

Mrs. Alex Baker was a Raleigh visitor Saturday. Her daughter, Bobby Glynn, returned with her to spend the weekend at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hudson and daughter, Carol and Mrs. M. T. Bennett of Raleigh spent Sunday with Mrs. Hudson's sister and Mrs. Bennett's daughter, Mrs. C. D. Strickland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Brantley visited Mrs. Brantley's mother, Mrs. Joe Pearce, who is in Duke Hospital.

Mrs. Jack Celigton and children visited her aunt, Mrs. Vio-

la Perry of Zebulon Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Burchette and children of Raleigh spent Sunday with her parents, the Dock Bakers. Mrs. Ervin Rogers and daughter of Zebulon and Miss Betty Grey of Raleigh were there too.

The family of Mr. Cleveland Hicks has our deepest sympathy in their hour of grief.

Mr. Reginald Pearce with some friends attended the ball game in Washington, D. C., this weekend.

Several attended the funeral of Mrs. Hovan Johnson's father, Mr. Cleveland Hicks, at his home Saturday p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Turner of California have returned home after spending several weeks with her parents, the Richard Medlins.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith of Riley spent last Sunday with her parents, the J. M. Pearces.

Miss Hilda Ray of Raleigh spent the weekend with her parents, the J. A. Rays.

Mrs. Doll Pearce of Raleigh visited the H. K. Privettes for a while Sunday afternoon.

The rush season is nearly over, so let's bring our Sunday School attendance up. Also remember prayer meeting on Wednesday nights.

—Mrs. Ivon Pearce



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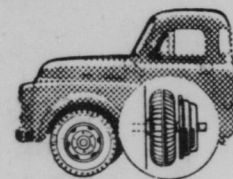
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