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Let patience have its perfect work, that ye may be perfect and entire, lacking nothing.—James 1:4.

Our patience will achieve more than our force.—Edmund Burke.

### What Next?

WHILE waiting for Hitler's answer on Friday to President Roosevelt's appeal, there are steps being taken that may modify what he has to say.

Public opinion in the United States is helping make clear that there is no need for war, while the necessity for economic and political justice on the one hand, and for a determined stand against aggressor nations on the other, is evident.

President Roosevelt and the war department have moved to rush a billion-dollar national defense program and to strengthen the army high command.

Great Britain has called for immediate military conscription, bringing more than 750,000 men under arms following Hitler's ridicule of Britain's ability to defend herself against attack. The empire is rapidly being placed on a wartime basis with the manufacture of military equipment and supply. It is plain that neither the United States, Great Britain, nor France will be caught napping if war must come, while doing all in their power to avert this madness.

The answers of the smaller nations menaced by Hitler to his question as to whether they fear invasion are either the "no" of a small boy to the bully or the frank answers of Rumania, Belgium and Switzerland that they do not feel entirely safe.

It is devoutly to be hoped that these factors may give pause to any evil designs for which the Fuehrer's neighbors far and near are giving him credit.

### The Changing Scene in Washington

EVERY Spring thousands of visitors flock to the nation's capital. Then the city is at the height of its great beauty. Cherry blossoms, budding trees, beds of Spring flowers give splashes of color in parks and gardens adorning the stately grandeur of public buildings.

The scene is constantly changing, not only the people but the city itself. For Washington is still in the building, great edifices are rising year by year that are making the capital of the United States the most beautiful city in the world. The length of classic Constitution Avenue, the Capitol, Washington Monument, the Supreme Court Building, the Library of Congress, the White House, the Art Galleries; farther out, Mount Vernon, Rock Creek Park, the Cathedral—all make every humble pilgrim proud to belong to this nation. Because all this beauty belongs to all equally.

There is no red tape obstructing visitors. School children, Boy and Girl Scouts, conventions, delegations, parties—from all over—pour in and out constantly. Sightseers can go practically everywhere. Not only the buildings, but the President, the Cabinet, the Congress, belong to the public. The attitude of the guides is that this is yours, we want you to see it and enjoy it. Get all the thrill that is coming to you from seeing the wheels go around. These guides are usually kindly men from "back home" greeting visitors like old friends.

Whatever there may be of storm and struggle apparent, whatever momentous happenings portend, the visitor is reassured with a feeling that this is ephemeral. The serene beauty of noble buildings, the smooth machinery of service, typify all that we would like to be and are not, the peace we hope for and have not—yet. Every actor great and small is playing his appointed part of this moving, changing picture against a background of enduring art. Surely all this can be built only on the premise that these monuments to creative genius will endure through many millenia of change.

## Ellijay

By HAZEL AMMONS

The farmers of this section are very busy planting their crops.

Many people from this section attended the baptizing at Mountain Grove Sunday.

Rev. Ernest Jamison, of Sylva, pastor of the Ellijay Baptist church, filled his regular appointment the third Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Webb, who has been seriously ill, is improved.

Roy Cantrul and family, of Cullasaja, have moved to this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Rogers were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rogers, of Buck Creek, last week-end.

Sam L. Shook, from Gastonia, has returned to his home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Shook.

Mrs. Alex Coggins was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Roy Stiwinter, Monday.

Arthur Mostellar, of Iotla, was visiting friends in this section last week-end.

Nelson Stiwinter, of Glenville, visited his sister, Mrs. Melvin Bowman, last week.

Clarence Moses, of Gastonia, was visiting his son, Homie Moses, last week-end.

### Summer School Opens At Mars Hill June 5

The Wake Forest-Meredith summer school will open its fifth session at Mars Hill college June 5.

According to the bulletin recently issued, several new teachers will be added to the staff this year.

Professor Bunyan Y. Tyner, of Meredith college, is director of the Mars Hill division of the Wake Forest-Meredith summer school, and Dean B. D. Bryan of Wake Forest college is director of the Wake Forest division and general director of both divisions. The presidents of Wake Forest, Meredith, and Mars Hill colleges are also officers of administration.

Erskine E. Bailey, principal of the Mars Hill school, will be principal of the demonstration school this summer. Besides accommodating local students the demonstration school is open to boarding students on high school level, for whom a dormitory on the campus is reserved.

### Communications

#### WARNS ABOUT CABBAGE BUTTERFLIES

Dear Editor:

When a boy I lived in England and collected butterflies, the commonest of which were the small and large cabbage butterflies, both of them with large black markings on the top of the wings.

When I first came to North Carolina in the Highlands-Franklin section there were none of them, but in the last few years, in fact since cabbage growing became a major industry, they have come in to being and increased amazingly. Unless farmers take great pains to kill the caterpillars on the young cabbage I am afraid this crop will be wiped out.

Probably your farmers know that the butterflies can be known from moths by the small club on the end of the antennae.

Yours sincerely,

R. B. Eskrigge

5521 S. Galvey St.  
New Orleans, La.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We thank our neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy shown in the loss of our son. Also the floral offerings.

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AND FAMILY.

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Sixty rural and urban women from 31 states will meet with Secretary of Agriculture Wallace in Washington April 13-14 to discuss improving living standards both on the farm and in the city.

### LEGAL ADVERTISING

#### NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

North Carolina,  
Macon County.

In The Superior Court  
Macon County

vs.

D. B. Rogers, and wife,

Rogers, Tom Rogers, and wife,

—Rogers, Neville Brothers.

The defendants, D. B. Rogers,

and wife, —Rogers, Tom

Rogers, and wife, —Rogers,

and Neville Brothers, will take

notice that an action as above en-

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titled has been commenced in the Superior Court of Macon County to the end that the plaintiff may foreclose a tax lien covering lands in which the above named defendants have an interest, and the above named defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear within thirty days in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Macon County, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 14th day of April, 1939.  
HARLEY R. CABE,  
Clerk of the Superior Court.  
A20-4tc-M11

### National Forest Timber for Sale

Sealed bids will be received by the Forest Supervisor up to and including May 27, 1939, for all the live timber marked or designated for cutting, and all merchantable dead timber located on an area embracing about 415 acres within the Dick's Creek Compartment, Tuckasee River Watershed, Nantahala National Forest, Jackson County, North Carolina, estimated to be 267 M feet of northern red oak, white oak, scarlet oak, chestnut oak, black oak, red maple, birch, basswood, white ash, pitch pine, and chestnut, more or less; and an unestimated amount of beech and buckeye. In addition there is an unestimated amount of black gum, hickory, chestnut extractwood, and chestnut oak bark which may be removed at the option of the purchaser. No bids of less than \$8 for northern red oak,

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basswood, and white ash; \$4 for white oak; \$3 for black oak, red maple, and birch; \$2 for chestnut oak and pitch pine; \$1 for scarlet oak, chestnut, black gum, buckeye, beech, and hickory; 50 cents per unit (160 cubic feet per unit) for chestnut extractwood; and \$1.50 per ton (2,000 lbs. per ton) for tanbark will be considered. \$100.00 must be deposited with each bid, to be applied on the purchase price, refunded or retained in part as liquidated damages according to the conditions of the sale. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Before bids are submitted, full information concerning the timber, the condition of the sale, and the submission of bids should be obtained from the Forest Supervisor, Franklin, North Carolina.  
A27-2tc-M11

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of C. W. Dowdle, deceased, late of Macon county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 13th day of April, 1940, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 13th day of April, 1939.

E. A. DOWDLE,  
Administrator

A20-6tp-M25

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