

Church Services

Franklin Methodist Church
 The Rev. Ivon L. Roberts, Pastor
 (Each Sunday)
 10 a. m.—Sunday school.
 11 a. m.—Worship services.
 7:30 p. m.—Vesper service.

Presbyterian Church
 Rev. J. A. Flanagan, Pastor
 Franklin—(Each Sunday)
 10 a. m.—Sunday school.
 11 a. m.—Worship services.
 Morrison—(Each Sunday)
 2:30 p. m.—Sunday school.
 (Each 2nd and 4th Sunday)
 3:30 p. m.—Worship services.

Baptist Church
 Rev. C. F. Rogers, Pastor
 9:45 a. m.—Bible school.
 11 a. m.—Morning worship.
 6:30 p. m.—B. T. U. and Brotherhood.
 7:30 p. m.—Evening worship.

Macon Circuit
 Rev. J. C. Swain, Pastor
 First Sunday, 11 a. m.—Union;
 2:00 p. m.—Hickory Knoll; 7:30 p. m.—Asbury.
 Second Sunday, 11:00 a. m.—Mt. Zion; 2:30 p. m.—Maiden's; 7:30 p. m.—Patton's.
 Third Sunday, 11:00 a. m.—Asbury; 2:00 p. m.—Mulberry; 3:00 p. m.—Dryman's; 7:30 p. m.—Union.
 Fourth Sunday, 11 a. m.—Patton's; 2:30 p. m.—Maiden's; 7:30 p. m.—Mt. Zion.

St. John's Catholic Parish
 Schedule of Masses:
 Franklin:
 2nd and 4th Sunday, 8 a. m.
 Murphy:
 Every 5th Sunday, 7 a. m.
 Cherokee:
 Every 3rd Sunday, 8 a. m.
 Waynesville:
 Every Sunday, 11 a. m.
 Canton:
 Every 1st Sunday, 8 a. m.

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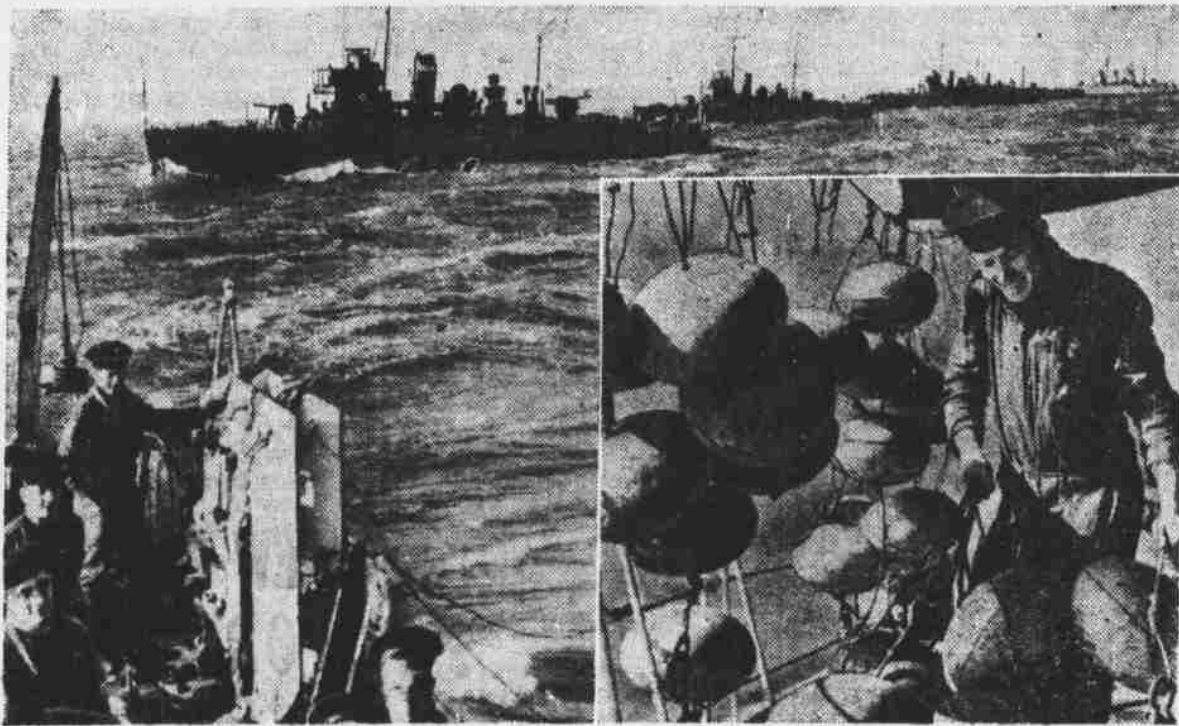
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Civilian Planes Meet in All-America Air Maneuvers



The greatest aerial armada of privately owned planes ever seen in this or any other country concentrated in Miami, Fla., recently to hold its annual All-America air races. More than 1,500 civilian planes attended the meet. Winners included Homer C. Rankin of St. Louis, left, who was awarded the trophy donated by Bernard MacFadden, center, and Bobby Lupton of Detroit, right, whose precision stunting won for her the Gimbel air acrobatics trophy.

They Keep Trade Channels Open for Britain



Busiest craft in the European war are the British mine sweepers, whose duties it is to rid the seas of those deadly weapons. Here vessels take up positions in an area suspected of having mines hidden below the surface. The mine cables are cut, causing them to rise to the surface. Sharpshooters then explode them. Inset: A sailor prepares to throw marking buoys overboard to indicate to vessels that the area has been swept clean of mines and is safe for shipping.

Boy Scouts And Leaders Are Observing 30th Anniversary

The nation's 1,330,000 Cubs, Boy Scouts and their leaders will celebrate the 30th anniversary of the incorporation of the Boy Scouts of America in a week's observance beginning today (Thursday, February 8).

Boy Scout Week is the most important week in the Boy Scout calendar and nine million present and former Scouts and leaders will join the celebration which this year has as its theme "Scouting—The American Way".

The Scout Program with its Patrol method and other group action features is a "school for citizenship". Since Scouting provides for democratic group decisions and group action, the celebrations throughout the nation will be greatly varied. Each Troop will celebrate the birthday anniversary in accordance with its own plans.

Radio will play an important role in the Boy Scout Week celebrations linking together, if only for a short time, the Scouts in the great rural areas with those in the cities and towns.

Sunday, February 11, will be Scout Reverence Day and in thousands of churches of every denomination there will be Scouts attending special services. More than half of the nation's 43,368 Cub Packs, Boy Scout Troops and Senior Scout groups are sponsored by the churches and synagogues of America. Scouts of Jewish faith will hold their special services Friday evening, February 9, and Saturday.

Special emphasis will be placed upon the twelfth point of the Scout Law which reads, "A Scout is Reverent. He is reverent toward God. He is faithful in his religious duties, and respects the convictions of others in matters of custom and religion."

In many communities Scouts, by Patrols and Troops, will take an "Old Scout Census", systematically calling at all residences according to pre-arranged plans, to record the names and addresses of those who were once Scouts or Scout leaders. Many of these "Scout Alumni" will be invited to participate in Scout activities during Boy Scout Week.

Scouts will wear their uniforms and have special roles and demonstrations in public and private school assemblies. Fraternal and civic clubs will have Boy Scouts as their guest speakers who will give first-hand accounts of what Scouting means to them.

Hundreds of Troops and Cub Packs will have special "parents' night" meetings in which the parents will be participants in some of the activities. Other Troops will have their meeting during Boy Scout Week set aside for Troop Reunions with former members returning to renew acquaintances and for an evening of fellowship and fun.

The outdoor activities will also have their part in the celebration where weather conditions permit. There will be camping trips, hikes and outdoor rallies, and there will be inter-Troop winter sports carnivals where snow and ice conditions allow.

In those states where Lincoln's Birthday, February 12, is observed as a school holiday Scouts will make patriotic pilgrimages to shrines of the "Great Emancipator." Troops will also engage in special "good turns" during the week to show their appreciation to their sponsoring institutions. They will also participate in Boy Scout Merit Badge Shows, Courts of Honor, Scout Circuses and other similar indoor activities.

The Boy Scout Movement was founded in America 30 years ago this week. Most of us have watched it grow and gain in influence, with great satisfaction. It is something vital to "The American Way" and through three decades, its service has gained the confidence of all people.

It would be difficult to point to any single quality of the movement and say with positiveness, "Here is what makes Scouting great." But in our judgment one of its outstanding contributions to the nation, particularly in these times of world travail, is its simply-worded Twelfth Scout Law. It epitomizes all that we as a people stand for; all that our forefathers pioneered for when they were fashioning a safe homeland out of a wilderness.

Read its stirring words. They are worth memorizing and, more than that, they should be lived by all of us who have the high privilege of being Americans.

Here is the Twelfth Scout Law: A Scout is reverent. He is reverent toward God. He is faithful in his religious duties, and respects the convictions of others in matters of custom and religion.

All Americans worthy of the name, all who believe in the Decla-

ration of Independence, the Bill of Rights and the Constitution of the United States have an abiding faith in such a principle because it is their very guarantee that so long as it is a living thing they will always be free and independent.

Beekeeper Has Work To Do In Mid-Winter

Bees are inactive at this season of the year, but the beekeeper should not go into hibernation, says C. L. Sams, extension apiarist of State college. Now is a good time to clean and repair equipment not in use, and new equipment should be secured and made ready for installation before the spring rush, he advised.

Sams does not think that the cold weather this winter will seriously cripple the beekeepering industry in North Carolina. "Most of the colonies are in good shape, and if they are left alone the bees will come through," the specialist stated.

He strongly advised against attempting to feed bees during cold weather. It may be possible to slip a comb of honey into the hive during the warm period of a mild day, but if the store of food was sufficient at the start of the winter season, the bees will survive the frigid blasts, Sams declared.

On the subject of package bees, or eaged swarms, the apiarist said: "To profitably start hives from packages, they should be secured from six to eight weeks before the main honey flow begins.

"Many beekeeperers use package bees to strengthen weak hives, in which case they need not be bought quite so early. At this time of the year such bees must be purchased from further south, and the price is approximately \$1 per pound of bees. With a queen included in a three-pound package, this is about 15,000 individuals.

"This is a minimum number of bees that is recommended for starting a new hive, and they would have to be fed liberally until early honey plants begin furnishing nectar."

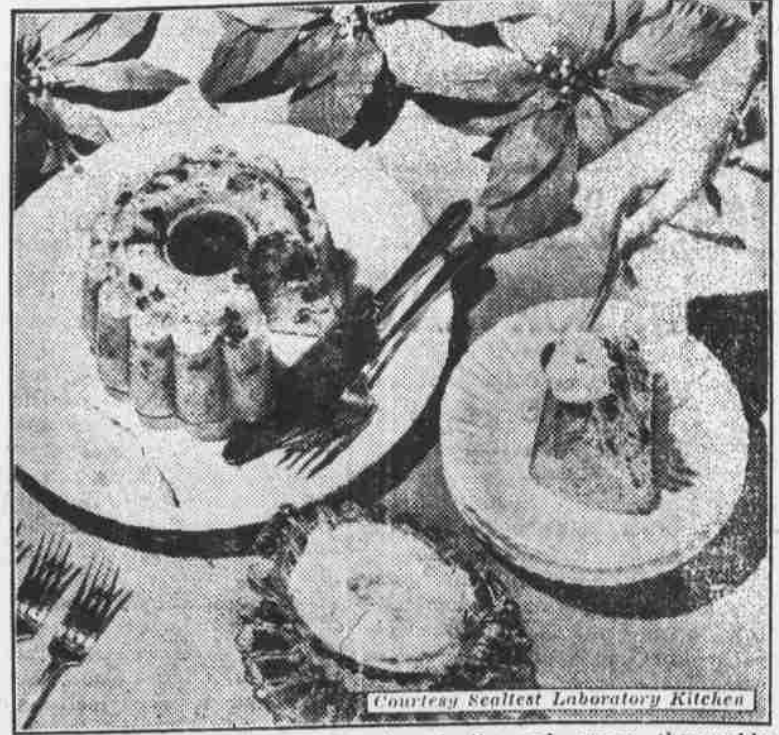
Forest Service Issues New Publication
 Farmers and landowners of the south will be interested in a new publication, "Southern Pines Play," which has just been released by the forest service of the U. S. department of agriculture.

Presenting a story of reforestation in pictures, the pamphlet offers outstanding examples of how southern farmers have turned idle farm lands into productive forests.

While there is nothing new to the conception that young pines

Pudding Time Is All the Time!

By BEULAH V. GILLASPIE
 Director, Sealtest Laboratory Kitchen



SAY "pudding" to the men-folks and watch their eyes glisten! For, a luscious, spicy pudding isn't just an idea for the Holiday period—it's the king of desserts for any day of the cold-weather months. Here's one that is sure to charm the most sluggish appetite.

STEAMED DATE PUDDING WITH SOUR CREAM HARD SAUCE

1/2 cup butter
 1/4 cup sugar
 2 cups brown sugar
 2 eggs
 1 1/2 teaspoons baking powder
 1/4 teaspoon salt
 1/4 teaspoon soda
 1 1/2 cups flour
 1/2 cup buttermilk
 1/2 teaspoon vanilla
 1 1/4 cups chopped dates
 1/4 to 1/2 cup chopped walnuts

Cream the butter, add the sugars gradually and cream thoroughly. Add the eggs and beat well. Mix and sift the baking powder, salt, soda and 2/3 cup of the flour and add to the first mixture alternately with the buttermilk. Add the vanilla and fold in dates and nuts which have been mixed with the remaining 2/3 cup of flour. Pour into a well-buttered mold, cover and steam for about 2 hours. Serve with Sour Cream Hard Sauce made as follows:

4 tablespoons butter
 2 tablespoons sour cream
 1 cup confectioners' sugar
 1/4 teaspoon vanilla
 Few grains nutmeg

Cream the butter, add 1/2 cup of the sugar gradually and cream thoroughly. Add the remaining sugar alternately with the sour cream. Add vanilla and nutmeg. Serves six to eight.

can occupy soil too depleted for other crops, that they grow very rapidly, and that after a short period of years the plantations will begin to give financial returns, the approach of this bulletin to the subject of reforestation is distinctly novel.

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SYRUP
 A process has been perfected whereby over-ripe and cull strawberries can be converted into a palatable table syrup, with some of this product already for sale on the market.

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