

Closing Date For All-Risk Crop Insurance Is Set

Less than one month remained today for farmers in the Border Belt to apply for Federal all-risk crop insurance, according to Julian E. Mann, state director of the FCIC.

Closing date, he said, is May 23. The same applies in all counties in which cotton insurance is available. (Moore has the tobacco insurance, but not the cotton).

The record-breaking cold winter, coupled with the generally unfavorable conditions for spring planting, has caused more farmers to submit applications for insurance than in many years, Mann said. North Carolina is second among the states in the

Pinehurst CC Names Von Tacky President

Clarence L. von Tacky, Southern Pines winter resident, has been elected president of the Pinehurst Country Club. His election came at the annual meeting of the organization last Thursday.

Others elected at the meeting were Eric Nelson, re-named secretary and treasurer; and Mrs. Stuart Patterson and John von Schlegell, Board of Governors for three year terms.

amount of all-risk crop insurance in force.

The all-risk policy, which may be applied for at the courthouse in Carthage, is practically a surety for the return of production costs should any type of weather, disease, fire, insects, and other unavoidable damages bring returns below production costs.

BROTHER OF LOCAL WOMAN

Former Deputy Sheriff In County Earning International Reputation

Applying science to catch criminals. That's the way it is with Lt. Lawrence A. Kelly of the Mecklenburg County police force.

Lt. Kelly, subject of a feature article in a recent issue of the Charlotte Observer, is a brother of Mrs. T. L. Campbell of Magnolia Lodge, Southern Pines, and Wendell B. Kelly of Carthage, a candidate for sheriff in the Democratic primary.

Described in the article as a "man of many talents," among them lie detector-operator, handwriting expert, expert photographer and ballistics expert, Lt. Kelly began his career in law enforcement in Moore County back in 1923, serving as chief deputy under the late D. A. Blue. He also served under Sheriff McDon-

ald. He joined the Mecklenburg County force in 1953 after duty as chief of the identification section, CID Crime Laboratory, Frankfurt, Germany.

Working with fingerprints—he has made more than 6,500 sets and placed them in the files of the Mecklenburg force—Kelly has established a reputation as one of the outstanding officers in the country. He has received national and international recognition in his field, serving as past president and past chairman of the board of the International Association for Identification, an organization with members all over the world.

"The graying criminologist looks more like a man you would ask to extract a molar or take out an appendix than one you would ask to find a murderer," the Observer reporter wrote. "He speaks softly and laughs easily, but his scientific weapons are as deadly to the criminal as the gun of a patrolman."

David A. Muse Of Carthage Dies; Rites Conducted

David Alton Muse, 78, died last Wednesday night at his home in Carthage.

He is survived by his wife and four daughters; Miss Aline Muse of Sanford, Mrs. Bruce Bryant and Mrs. Norman Cagle, both of Carthage; four sons, C. E. Muse of New Bern, Bascom Muse of Goldsboro, Ernest Muse of Carthage and M Sgt. John Robert Muse of the U. S. Air Force stationed in San Antonio, Texas; two sisters, Mrs. T. P. Adams of Charlotte and Mrs. Eryn Cole of Chesterfield, S. C.; and 15 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Friday at the Carthage Methodist Church, conducted by the Rev. W. E. Howard, assisted by the Rev. W. S. Golden. Burial followed in Cross Hill cemetery.

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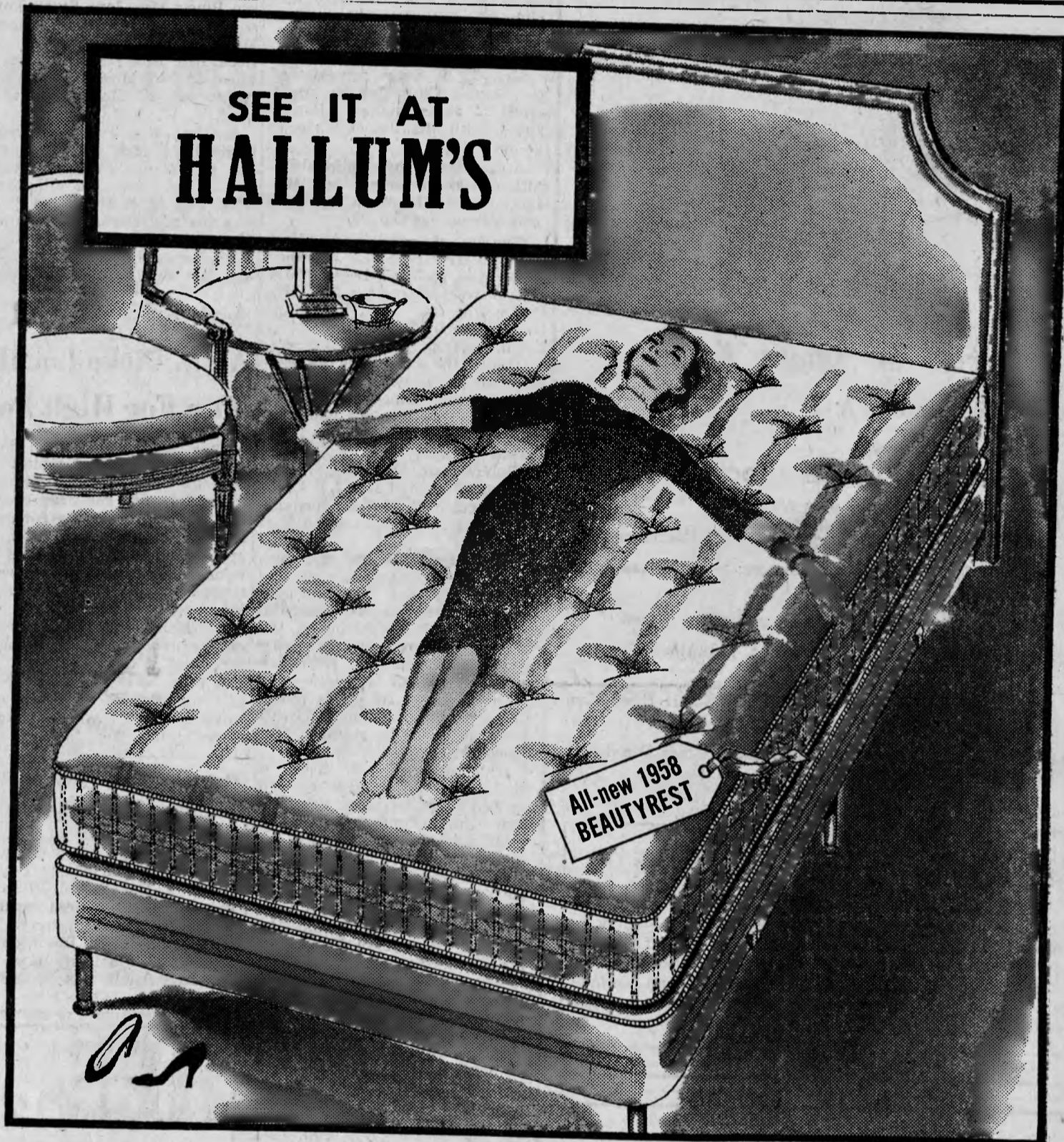
News Items From St. Joseph's Hospital

Two Sisters from St. Joseph of the Pines Hospital, Sister Teresa Marie, R.N., R.T., supervisor of the Radiological Department, and Sister M. Catherine, R. N., attended the annual meeting of the North Carolina Society of X-ray Technicians which was held at the Charlotte Hotel in Charlotte April 25-26.

Sister M. Anastasia, R.N., and Sister M. Juliana, R.N., just returned from Roanoke, Va., where they attended the annual Carolina-Virginia Hospital Association conference.

Sister M. Virginia, R. N., administrator of St. Joseph's Hospital, and Sister M. Helena, R. N., night supervisor, left Sunday morning by plane to attend the Annual Retreat at Mount Alverno, Maryville, Mo. They will visit Sister Mary Grace, R. N., formerly from St. Joseph's Hospital, and sister of Dr. R. J. Dougherty, who is taking an administrative course at St. Louis University, St. Louis, Mo. Sister Virginia and Sister Helena are expected to return about May 10.

Sister Helena's sister, Sister M. Raphael, will take her final vows as a Sister of the Third Order of St. Francis on October 4, 1958.



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