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gram for foreign war relief Red

Cross chapters are nearing comple-tion of 400,000,000 surgical dressings

for the United States Army and Navy. The Red Cross also has under-taken a project to knit 500,000 sweat-

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prise.

Navy Launches Huge Flying Battleship

Smallwood Recalls **Boyhood Days Here**

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whence he came and never again did he come to Williamston, or its sher-iff, or its jail (when there was a new iff, or its jail (when there was a new one) to request Sheriff Hardison to lock Sam up. Sam had learned to operate at least one corner of his brain, and it said to him when on his treks, no-no Sam, not that way, burn Sam up, and Sam's compass switch

ed. The firm of J. D. Biggs and Com-pany never reopened after the big fire. Mr. Dorse Biggs formed a co-partnership with a Mr. Davenport, from down Plymouth way, and they did quite a mercantile business as Biggs and Davenport in a cond size Biggs and Davenport, in a good size temporary building on the back of the old store lot, facing. Smithwick Street, and from which they never Street, and from which dry laters moved so long as they did business. Mr. Dennis Simmons formed the Dennis Simmons Lumber Co., with Mr. Dawson Biggs as partner, and which was to grow to a tremendous affair for those and after days.

As already stated, Mr. Biggs had begun the erection of a two-story brick drug store on the front of the lot. The main drug department and sales room in front, followed by a doctor's office and a business office, divided by a narrow passage lead-ing to the ware room in the rear, where groceries and other stocks were kept. The upper floor consisted of a sleeping room, which I occupied at time, and the rest of the floor space was devoted to storage of his burial-casket stock, which he had be-burial-casket stock, which he had be-gun to handle in a substantial way. My little grocery store on the back of trial on a charge of an assault with the music Mrs. J. H. Smith will sing. John W. Hassell was the first Mar-tin County boy to fall in the first

taken harbor and I possessed myself of a fine cat, to keep them thinned fatally shooting Cleo Hinton in or sell, a sister of John, has had his down. He could get under the floorthe rats down

The cal lived for quite a number able to tell about the attack or trou-of years, even after I had left the ble leading up to it. always under the protective care of H. Ayers is alleged to have obtained Sister Sallie, who would let no one a quantity of tobacco from L. T. Har-both Charles' cat. den on or about the 30th day of last

To little things we tie; to bigger September. things we grow; little things make Mack Peterson, colored man who big things, that tie us heel and toe. And thus it was that my love and appreciation for Mr. Biggs and Sis-a charge of murder in the court. He ter Sallie ever grew bigger and big-is alleged to have stabbed George ger; and I was the last one she talk-Purrington to death as a climax to ed to before dropping into a coma-a brief quarrel on Williamston's col-tose condition when the time came ored beer garden district. William

some years before, and that she had since lived for her boys and girls. with accessory after the fact to mur-She spoke of hating to leave her boys. der Owens is alleged to have carried I told her that her boys were each Peterson to a beer joint near Wind-all right, each doing the right things, sor soon after the fatal attack. and getting along well. It seemed to quiet her thoughts, and I left her dozed off, from which she never fully have stolen an old model car from torium on becember 4th. All mem-bers of the cast were applauded for ment Supervisors in Washington last recovered.

And though the recent years may have grown new hills for some of the boys to climb, I indeed trust I spoke against John Robert Bryant and Leato her the truth, that they were all mon Mizelle. Bryant, a Durham man, right, and would do the right things ran down and killed Zenious Sneed, always

continued, and none had left its trail; \$500 bond, Mizelle, said to have been back to the days when all worked driving his old model car in a reck-together to keep old Williamston real; back to the days when brick and mortar mingled with hopes that intersection of the Washington and ial, were steel; back to the days when Bear Grass roads on October 19. hearts grew stronger the redder the

nights grew ablaze. For with it all, not so long after the courthouse and jail had tumbled, the night was aglow once more. (To be continued)

Visiting in Norfolk

the week-end in Norfolk



Colorful ceremonies marked the launching of the world's largest dving boat, the Navy's \$2,500,000, sixty-seven ton, four-engined dving boat, the Navy's \$2,500,000, sixty-seven ton, four-engined or the Glenn L. Martin plant at Baltimore. Colorful ceremo

Charges Of Murder To Dedicate Legion Japan Stalling For Year Expected To And Manslaughter Hut Monday Night More Time In Her Set A Dry Record Aggression Move Before The Court Next Monday night, the John W. Hassell Post of the American Legior

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about the middle of last March. Shooting and nearly killing Tom tuffs. Even in the new building, rats had at liberty under a \$500 bond.

on the edge of Everetts on Septemare the solution of the ware-house so he could come in and out at his liking, and he certainly kept ington hospital, Hinton was never

den on or about the 30th day of last

for her to leave us. She knew that Mr. Biggs had gone Owens, since arrested for alleged transportation of liquor and a close

associate with Peterson, is charged Charged with larceny and receiv-

Joe Hollis last October. He is at liberty under bond in the sum of \$100. Jr., colored, on Highway No. 11 last Now back to the days when life October 12. He was released under a

An additional case was docketed today when Haywood Spruill, charged with failing or refusing to pay his 1939 dog tax, appealed from a

will delicate the Legion Hall, and the portrait of John W. Hassell will be presented to the Legion Post bearing his name. The Williamston high school band will render most of

post of the American Legion, they named the post after John W. Has-

portrait painted and will present it to the post at that meeting. The portrait will be accepted on behalf of the post by the post commander, J. R. Winslow. Hon. Elbert S. Peel, a boyhood friend and associate of John W. Hassell, will make a short address on his life. After his address, Mrs. J. H. Smith will sing, "There is no death.

The hall, which was built in 1936. will be presented to the Post and will be accepted by Commander Winslow. The main dedicatory address will be made by some outstanding orator and nationally known speaker.

The public is cordially invited to

Juniors Present Play Last Night

The Junior Class of Williamston High School presented "For Pete's Sake," a three-act farce, to an appre-

of a stern and stately old lady. Billy Waters, in the lead, moved with ease on the stage. Richard Margolis furnished the audience with many laughs y his impersonation of a girl. Bernard York and Reg Griffin, in of agricultural labor problems and is by his impersonation of a girl.

J. D. Woolard, Jr., as a college Charles Daniel Earns His football player, was outstanding for his naturalness on the stage. Della Jane Mobley, Julia Clyde Waters,

(Continued from page one) of an onslaught along a broad front,

then struck back so strongly that the Germans lost a number of villages behind their original lines The offensive was believed to rep-My little grocery store on the back of trial on a charge of an assault with the lot had been turned into a stor-age for paints, oils and other barrel kill. Outterbridge, crippled in the of Martin County decided to form a "several dozen" vilousted from

> timistic as they reorganize their lines during all of September. October and nd make ready for the third battle. November. In this country, the House of Representatives is voting on an eight- hauled water, some from neighbor-billion dollar bill to supplement the ing deep wells and some from the defense effort

Serious Shortage In Farm Labor Likely "The most dangerous labor short-

age in the years ahead may not be in defense industries but in agricul-ture," said C. W. E. Pittman, Farm their appearance. Comments were especially favor-able for Lenora Melson in her char-tural areas in view of the belief that tural areas in view of the belief that the farm program will be one of the most important of the near future. Defense plans call for increased agricultural production. The Federal Se curity Agency anticipates a heavy comic roles, appeared to have a spec-ial, almost personal, appeal to the Placement Service.

Second Promotion In Army

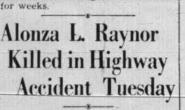
Entering the Army Air Corps at justice of the peace court judgment Nancy Mercer, Bill Peele, and Affice Stamford Field, Texas, the latter to the superior court. Justice J. H. Belle Jenkins were equally good in Hopkins had suspended judgment on their respective roles.

during the remainder of this month, 1941 will go down in the books as the driest year on record here. Up until yesterday 28.52 inches of rain had been recorded since last January 1st by Hugh Spruill on Roanoke River here. This amount compares with a 10-year average of 47.79 inches and with 37.89 inches record-The cotton loan prevents collapse of macy. River here. This amount compares

Is a reported in disorder. A ly dry season has held forth in an provement in the domestic market a sagency dispatch from Moscow said the westward stampede contin-ued, with the Germans and Italians recorded in October. The 54 of an and are being used again on a limit. inch of rain last month did not alter ed scale, to make it possible for Am-

iges. In Libya, the fighting has shifted hope was renewed yesterday after- with foreign cotton in foreign coun-In Libya, the righting has sinited in the Royal noon when a heavy rain started fall-from land to the air with the Royal noon when a heavy rain started fall-tries. All the while, the American Air Force bombing and machinegunning Axis troops and tanks in ured only .39 of an inch, but it was for the long-time welfare of his famrepeated relays in preparation for a followed last night by another heavy ily and his nation. Through the use third round of tank attacks in the rain which boosted the total for the of marketing quotas and allotments, desert. The British forces after 48-hour period ending this morning more land is made available for the sweeping to victory across the desert met with reverses, but they are op-half as much rain as was recorded home use.

> Large numbers of farmers have hauled water, some from neighbortown's water system here, for several months. Forest fires although well controlled under the existing dry conditions, have filled the heavens with smoke during short intervals for weeks.



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gan to worry about what might happen to Raynor on the foggy highway in view of the fact that he had been drinking. So he picked up W. Robert Worsley, Tarboro chief of police, and started back out the Bethel road to pick up the man.

In the meanwhile, Raynor had been killed. His crushed body was lying about 200 yards from the spot where Morris had put him out of the

Knowing Mr. Raynor as they did, ome people in this county are of the opinion that he possibly met with some foul play. It was pointed out that he was not the type of man to

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 just or superior court. Justice J. H. Belle Jenkins were equally good in part of mean good in liel, Jr., recent earned his second get mad and resort to drash were equally good in liel, Jr., recent earned his second get mad and resort to drash were equally good in liel, Jr., recent earned his second get mad and resort to drash were equally good in liel, Jr., recent earned his second get mad and resort to drash were equally good in liel, Jr., recent earned his second get mad and resort to drash were equally good in liel, Jr., recent earned his second in low in the taxes, but Spruill added by the class to the Junior- a short time before he was promoted appealed.
 "I have known him for many years, and it is hard to believe that he would ever consider harming any one," Sheriff Roebuck said, adding the vietim of the accident was

eraged greater than in any period in available series, extending back to 1925. The law provides that no loan pro-gram can be offered to farmers during any marketing year for which quotas have been voted down in a grower referendum. To make loans on an uncontrolled surplus would be

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an unwise expenditure of public funds During 1940 the wars abroad cut off many of our foreign cotton cus-tomers. The number of countries able smaller now than a year ago. While increased industrial activity in this

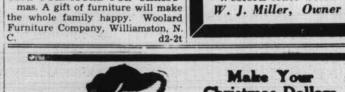
country due in part to the defense program, has tended to increase greatly our own use of cotton, the loss of exports is far greater than the increase in domestic consump-tion. Thus, the present war situation is not, in itself, proving a benefit to

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