

Keeping Abreast Of State Farming With Uncle Walt

Well, Christmas is over and most every body's got their minds on the work they was gonna do before Christmas but put off 'til it was over. Course they's a lot of people who won't be a goin' back to work because so many of them lost their lives on the highways and in other accidents durin' the holidays. It always saddens me to hear about somebody a been killed specially around Christmas time 'cause ever'body in such good spirits.

and spare ribs last week but I didn't particularly like the way they'd fixed the sausage and they didn't bring but jest a dap of spare ribs.

I been running late with my fall plowin like usual and I've got to work out somethin about gittin that done too right away. Like Nowell was sposed to of cut it for me about two weeks before Christmas but his tractor broke down with him and he didn't git it done. He come by the house this mornin and said he'd try to bring me about two weeks before Christmas but his tractor broke down with him and he didn't git it done. He come by the house this mornin and said he'd try to bring me about two weeks before Christmas but his tractor broke down with him and he didn't git it done.

Ike Faces Atomic Energy Problems

General Dwight D. Eisenhower, as the new President, will face several far-reaching decisions in the field of atomic energy. The most delicate of these decisions may be whether to employ tactical atomic weapons in Korea.

There is a growing demand for the use of such weapons, especially if their use would shorten or force an end to that war. Another critical decision which Eisenhower will have to make in this field is how much of the nation's finance and resources shall be committed to the manufacture of hydrogen super-weapons.

Nation Reporting A Gain In Births

Births in the United States during 1952 will probably exceed the 1951 level, according to vital statistics released by the Public Health Service, Federal Security Agency.

Birth estimates for the first 10 months of the year show 1952 running 1 to 2 percent ahead of the year 1951. Unless there is a sharp reversal in the last 2 months, 1952 will top the 1951 total of 3,833,000 registered and unregistered births, and set a new birth record.

Final figures for 1950 show that the number of first births fell sharply, as an expected sequel to the decline in marriages during the year 1949.

Almost as many mothers in 1950 had a second child as a first child. This contrasts with the "boom" year of 1947 when first children outnumbered second children by about a third. Gains in the number of third and fourth births made up for most of the decreases in first births during 1950.

First births have probably increased since 1950 because of the rise in marriages during the second half of 1950 and early 1951. It is believed that further increases have also occurred in higher birth orders.

Aluminum Utensils Will Cost More This Year

An Office of Price Stabilization official reports a projected rise of seven per cent in ceiling prices on pots and pans made of sheet aluminum and 8.5 per cent for utensils made of cast aluminum. Wholesalers and retailers will be permitted to pass the increases on to consumers.

NOTICE NORTH CAROLINA EDGECOMBE COUNTY IN THE RECORDER'S COURT SIMON JENKINS

The above named defendant, Dora Jenkins, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Recorder's Court of Edgecombe County, North Carolina, by the plaintiff to secure an absolute divorce from the defendant upon the grounds that plaintiff and defendant have lived separate and apart for more than two years next preceding the bringing of this action; and the defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Recorder's Court of Edgecombe County, in the courthouse in Tarboro, North Carolina, on or before February 10, 1953 and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or

the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in apply to the Courtsaid complaint. This 18 day of December, 1952. W. S. Babcock Clerk Recorder's Court De 23-30 Ja 6-13



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Wheeler Martin, Secretary

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This Penalty Will Be Added To All Taxes Unpaid and Increase Each Month Thereafter.

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