

TOWN TOPICS

Miss Mary Cotten Davenport, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edison Davenport...

Ensign James Harold Ward, of the U. S. Naval Reserve, visited his mother, Mrs. S. A. Ward...

A representative of the Collector of Internal Revenue will be at the local post office on Thursday, Friday and Saturday...

A total of \$743.47 was collected from the 15 chewing gum vending machines operated in local business places by the Lions Club...

The maximum retail ceiling price for ungraded country eggs for the current week is 48 cents per dozen...

Several bunches of keys have been found and turned over to the police station here during the past year or so...

Recently promoted to the grade of sergeant in an infantry company at Camp San Luis Obispo, California, Allen J. Spear...

H. M. Kieckhefer, secretary and treasurer of the Kieckhefer Container Co., of Delair, N. J., was a business visitor at the plant of the North Carolina Pulp Company...

Boys Admit Theft Of Gum Machines

Three young white boys, ranging in age from 12 to 14 years, rounded up by police this week, confessed to breaking into a pool room and service station here about two weeks ago...

The boys got a total of about \$12 from the two machines, but it is understood that about \$8 or \$9 was recovered by police...

Fire Department Called Out Twice in Past Week

The Plymouth volunteer fire Department was called out twice last week to extinguish grass fires in the locality of the A. C. L. Station on Water Street...

Practice Air-Raid Drill and Blackout To Be Staged in Section Next Tuesday

The Army has ordered a practice air-raid drill and blackout for this section next Tuesday night, February 8, it was announced this week...

The drill is being called for the purpose of testing complete mobilization of civilian protection forces within the shortest period of time, Mr. Brown said.

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Draft Board Gets Call for White Men To Report for Pre-Induction Examination

The local draft board has received a call for a number of white men to report to Fort Bragg for pre-induction physical examination later this month...

These two groups will be the first called under the new plan, which became effective February 1st. Men called will go to Fort Bragg for their physical examinations...

To Collect Waste Paper on Monday

Another waste paper collection will take place in Plymouth next Monday, it was announced yesterday by Miss Helene Duvall...

The need for waste paper is growing more acute, according to letters received by the salvage officials this week. Old newspapers should be placed in one bundle...

Six Accepted Out Of White Draft Call Here Last Month

Report Not Yet Complete; 3 To Navy, 1 To Army, 2 To Marine Corps

Although a final report has not been received yet by the local draft board, at least 6 were accepted out of the 17 white men who went to Fort Bragg January 24th...

Members of the investigating group express their belief that conditions which encourage breeding of mosquitoes, particularly the malarial type, can be eliminated at relatively small cost...

Services Announced for Local Methodist Church

The following services are announced for Sunday, February 6: Church school, 10 a.m.; Morning worship, 11 a.m.; Youth Fellowship, 6 p.m. (a supper meeting); Evening worship, 7:30 p.m.

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80 To 90 Per Cent Property in County Now on Tax Books

Tax Listing Ended Last Tuesday; Total Value Slightly Higher

Tax listing was brought to a close throughout the county Tuesday of this week, with the task estimated to be from 80 to 90 per cent complete in all townships...

Mr. Knowles estimated that 90 per cent of all property had been put on the books in Scuppernon Township, which led all others in the listing work...

Mosquito Control Program Here To Be Recommended

Four Members of Board of Health Inspect Breeding Places Near Town

A recommendation will be made to the town council at its regular meeting next Monday night that a program be worked out to eliminate or control mosquito-breeding places in and around Plymouth...

The group of men who investigated conditions last Sunday included Dr. A. Papineau, Dr. W. H. Johnson, B. G. Campbell and H. H. McLean, members of the board of health...

Regular Meetings Of Various Boards Set Next Monday

Number Meetings To Come Before Town and County Governing Bodies

Regular first-Monday meetings are scheduled next Monday for the Washington County Board of Commissioners, Board of Education, and the City Council of Plymouth...

In addition to routine business matters, the county commissioners probably will discuss tax listing, which came to an end in the county Tuesday of this week...

Cucumbers Added To List of Essential Crops

It was announced this week by the local draft board that cucumbers produced for processing purposes have been added to the list of essential crops, with one unit allowed for each acre of cukes grown...

Davenport Infant Dies in Hospital

Little Georgia Fay Davenport, five-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. (Bill) Davenport, of Mackeys, died in a Rocky Mount hospital last Friday morning...

Groundhog Says Winter Not Over

If there's anything to the groundhog legend, then this section is in for six more weeks of winter weather, starting Wednesday at noon...

County at Halfway Mark on Quota for Fourth War Loan

However, Sales of 'E' Bonds Lagging Up To Yesterday

Complete Organization for Campaign Effected at Meet Last Week

With the county completely organized, prospects are considered very bright for Washington County to surpass its quota of \$228,000 in bonds during the Fourth War Loan Campaign...

Up to yesterday, bond sales at the local bank alone amounted to approximately half of the total county goal. However, only about one-fourth of the "E" bond quota had been sold at that time...

The organization meeting held in the agriculture building last Thursday night was well attended, and a number of suggestions for conducting the campaign adopted...

Bond Rally To Be Held in Creswell Wednesday Night

Variety Program Will Be Presented; Mrs. Sidney Smithson Chairman

A special War Bond Rally will be held in the high school auditorium at Creswell Wednesday night of next week at 8 o'clock...

The program will consist of musical numbers, vocal and instrumental, and a good speaker will be on hand, it was indicated...

Mr. Smithson said that a house-to-house canvass would be made in that community, but that the names of all those assisting were not available at this time...

No Report Yet on Paralysis Drive

The infantile paralysis drive in the county is scheduled to end by next Sunday, February 6, and Mrs. W. H. Johnson, chairman, requests all organizations to turn in the money they have collected by that date...

Price Violations Found Negligible

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The Plymouth Theatre yesterday announced it would award a \$25 War Bond to the individual canvasser who sold the most bonds during the drive...

In addition to the canvass, booths are to be placed on the streets here each Friday and Saturday from which bonds will be sold...

Real Patriotism Kept On Display

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