

Capital Letters

By THOMPSON GREENWOOD

THE SLACK SEASON in the North Carolina isn't talking to report that the State offices are indifferent man-December 15 week in January, on the job work but so many are or recovering few days off," as Neil wrote in one

employees get 12 days a week, but unless this is taken before De- appears into the and ceases to exist, Con- of state workers last week, catching up the time. The wasted money comes from the holiday and the days being organized for the work.

STATION WPTF WILL AGRICULTURE SECRET- ANDERSON'S on January 4. Although it will an NBC pro- that it is a pub- which should be.

the speech, a private for invited guests the state will be the Farm and the Plant Food Insti- Carolina Hotel. Secre- will be presented to Governor R. It was originally for this luncheon to be the Mansion, but it out-

erson will make only in Raleigh. He has had is and is very careful health. When he went South Carolina in No- or a speech, he finished five speeches. Before accept the Raleigh invi- had to have definite as- but there would be only es. When he received the visit was confirmed.

NOR CHERRY, MRS. AND THE SERVANTS MANSION had a big party this year. The had just returned from and he brought back Christmas presents, in- French harp for one of workers, and they made ing at the Mansion on Eve. This said it was the party held at that street in several Cherry is never as when he can associate common, down-to-earth his servants, and like you And he is never so un-

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Preparations
TABLETS, SALVE, NOSE DROPS
USE ONLY AS DIRECTED
Extra Victory Bond and
the boys home.

Haywood Scout Leaders Elected For Coming Year

Officers have been elected, institutional representatives selected, and operating committees named for the year 1946 in the Pigeon River district, Daniel Boone Council, of the Boy Scouts of America. Hallett Ward, of Junaluska, was re-elected as district chairman; Fred J. Ferguson, of Canton, will serve as vice-chairman; William Medford, of Waynesville, is the new district commissioner with Louis Gates, of Canton, as his assistant; and the neighborhood commissioners are Guy Roberts, Canton; I. A. McLain, Bethel; the Rev. Geo. B. Culbreth, Canton; and Wayne Rogers, Lake Junaluska.

Sponsoring Groups
The institutions sponsoring the various troops in the district and their representatives on the district committee are: Central Methodist church, Canton Troop 1, R. D. Coleman, Jr.; Rotary club, Waynesville, Troop 2, Stanley Brading; Murray Baraca class, First Baptist church, Canton Troop 4, W. S. Edwards; Boosters club, Hazelwood Troop 5, L. C. Davis; Long's Chapel Methodist church, Lake Junaluska Troop 8, R. H. Terrell; Baptist church, Clyde Troop 9, Glenn D. Brown; Bethel school PTA, Bethel Troop 12, I. A. McLain; Morning Star Methodist church, Canton Troop 13, Wayne M. Smathers; Beaver-dam Methodist church, Canton Troop 14, the Rev. G. B. Culbreth; First Methodist church, Canton Troop 16, Fred E. Stokes; West Canton Baptist church, Canton Troop 17, G. H. Green; Presbyterian church, Canton Cub Pack 1, J. A. Brown; Central Methodist church, Canton Cub Pack 2, J. M. Alexander; and First Methodist church, Waynesville Cub Pack 3, G. Dewey Stovall.

A full complement of adult Scout leaders has also been assigned to the 10 operating committees of the Pigeon River district. The committees are:
Advancement Committee
Advancement: W. P. Whitesides, of Bethel, chairman, Howard D. Clapp of Waynesville, and the chairman of each troop committee board of review is also a member of this committee.
Organization and extension: the Rev. M. R. Williamson, of Waynesville, chairman, Hugh Rogers, of Cruso, Glenn D. Brown, of Clyde, and R. H. Terrell of Lake Junaluska.
Camping and activities: A. M. Fairbrother, of Canton, chairman, the Rev. Clark W. Benson, of Bethel, Stanley Brading, of Waynesville, and C. H. Green, of Canton.
Finance: M. H. Bowles, of Waynesville, is chairman and will select men in each community to assist him.
Health and Safety: D. V. H. Duckett, of Canton, chairman, Dr. C. N. Sisk, of Waynesville, and Edwin Potts, of Lake Junaluska; **Leadership training:** W. S. Edwards, of Canton, chairman, W. P. Lawrence, of Canton, Ben E. Col-kitt, of Waynesville, and Wayne M. Smathers, of Canton.
Inter-racial: George Bischoff, of Hazelwood, chairman, E. A. Williamson, of Waynesville; senior scouting: T. R. Barnes of Canton, chairman, Hugh K. Terrell, of Bethel, and R. D. Coleman, Jr., of Canton; Cubbing: Charles Hawkins,

IT IS RUMORED IN RALEIGH THAT WAKE FOREST RECEIVED \$20,000 FOR THAT 'GATOR BOWL' GAME. Had it not been for this post-season battle, the Deacons would like have ended the season around \$10,000 in the red. Although Wake played some big-time teams, they were all away from home except the Duke and Presbyterian games. The Wake Forest stadium was not full at the Duke game, and the Presbyterian runaway attracted only a handful.

MORE BOYS AND GIRLS WILL BE IN COLLEGE IN NORTH CAROLINA in the next two years than at any other time on record. Girls' schools have been chock full for the past three years, and the G. I. Bill of Rights is sending veterans to college by the hundreds.

It now looks as if no school in the state will have enough dormitory space for next fall's crowds. Registrars who have been able to take it easy for the past four years are now going completely insane trying to look after the mobs that are descending upon them every day. The number of students at State College is expected to go to 5,000. There is reason to expect that the Chapel Hill unit of the University of North Carolina will have at least 5,000, and Duke 5,000. No more than one-third of the student body at Wake Forest will be able to reside on the campus, and until new buildings are erected at the Baptist school, many students may have to commute from nearby towns.

North Carolina has never experienced such a rush for education, and the college officials that are smart will make plans with their own buildings and those in the neighborhood to care for the multitudes that will soon be with them.

THEY SAY THAT SENATOR JOE BLYTHE OF CHARLOTTE CAN SUCCEED the late Joe Ervin in Congress if he really wants to do it. Also prominently mentioned is former Mayor Ben Douglas of Charlotte, who would probably be much more receptive to the idea than Blythe.

Pvt. William Davis Home On First Furlough

Private William Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Davis, of the Sannock section of the county, is spending a several days furlough here with his family. Pvt. Davis entered the service in September, 1945, and was inducted at Fort Bragg.

From Fort Bragg he was sent to Camp Shelby, Miss., and then to his present post at Fort Belvoir, Va. At the time he entered the service Pvt. Davis was employed as a truck driver at Hyatt and company.

Pvt. Davis has one brother in the service, Pfc. Robert Frank Davis, who is now stationed in Germany.

Italy Buys \$7,773,000 Of U. S. War Materials

ROME—The Italian government announced that it had purchased \$7,773,000 worth of United States war materials. The goods, principally railway stock, includes 133 locomotives.

of Canton, chairman, J. A. Barron, of Canton, Dewey Stovall of Waynesville, and J. M. Alexander, of Canton; Publicity: Jas. E. Williamson, of Canton, chairman, Dan Watkins, of Waynesville, Dr. A. W. Bottoms, of Canton, L. C. Davis, of Hazelwood, and Fred E. Stokes of Canton.

Lt. David Felmet Discharged From Navy After 32 Months Service

Lt. David Felmet, U. S. Navy, of Asheville, formerly of Waynesville, has been discharged from the service with 32 months of active duty to his credit.

Lt. Felmet, a brother of Jack Felmet, entered the service on April 12, 1943, and was sent to the Harvard Supply Corps school, Babson Park, Boston.

He was sent to Pearl Harbor, where he was stationed for two years. He was returned to the States last May and after taking further training at a Naval Supply school in New York, he was sent to Norfolk, at the Naval Base there, where he was stationed for six months.

At the time he entered the service he was manager of the General Building Products company of Asheville, and plans to resume his position.

To keep accurate farm records in 1946 is a good resolution for any farmer to make.

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