Pure Water An

# **Economic Factor Here**

We watched with interest the expressions on the faces of the group of Dayton Rubber salesman, from every section of the nation, as they watched an experiment at the Waynesville plant, which proved the local water supply is as pure as distilled water.

The experiment was put on to show the salesmen that only the purest of water is used in the manufacture of the foam rubber pillows. Purity of water is one of the essentials in the martufacture of the foam rubber products, because the slightest presence of minerals would result in discoloration of the finished product.

So impressed were the group of salesmen that each carried away a bottle of "tap water" to show potential customers the purity of the water used in the Waynesville plant, which makes all of the pillows for Dayton Rubber, and now sold on a nationwide basis.

Once again the value of the Waynesville water system comes to the forefront. Today several hundred people are employed in a manufacturing process alone, just because of the purity of the water. That is an economic factor in our community that means thousands of dollars each year, and the po--tential is growing even greater.

#### Not Just A Flash On The Horizon Here

During the week of October 5-10, cities and towns all over the country-including Waynesville - observed National "Employ the Handicapped" Week.

Many other localities staged a much more elaborate observance than did Waynesville, but if you checked these other places, you'd find that most of them devoted one week to efforts to help the handicapped - and that was that.

But things have been different in this community. Realizing that the handicapped can't be helped in just one week, the town's "Employ the Handicapped" committee has continued to function. And the keynote has been: "Let's do something besides talk."

The committee met three times in October and discussed various ways in which the handicapped could be aided to find suitable employment. Last Wednesday night, the handicapped persons themselves were invited to a meeting at the courthouse and asked to state what they can do or would like to do to earn money.

Two hours were spent in discussion and although no concrete plans were made, it appears that a gift shop and possibly a handicraft plant and other special projects will be supported through the joint venture of several civic leaders and the handicapped persons themselves.

One thing is definite, however; people

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newspaper, as well as all AP news dispatches Monday Afternoon, November 9, 1953 Few Peaceful Years Since 1918

Thirty-five years ago Wednesday, the Armistice for the First World War was signed The occasion brought much joy and celebrating, as should any move to stop a bloody

Since that Armistice was signed in 1918, there have been two other wars come to an end-a hot war and a cold war. The first World War, which was said to be the war to end all wars, soon saw an even longer and more destructive-conflict as World War II began. Then a few years after World War II, the cold war of Korea started, and raged for several years before the signing of the recent truce.

On the eve of this Armistice Day in 1953, the events of affairs in the Far East look discouraging for a continuation of World Peace. In fact, there have been but a few peaceful years since 1918, however, that does not mean we should let up on our efforts for striving for the goal of permanent world

#### Part Of Haywood Tries Out The United Fund

This morning saw the start of the first United Fund drive ever staged in Haywood, as Canton, Bethel and Clyde inaugurated president should have the support the plan and sought a goal of \$32,229 for of congress.' twelve major projects.

The entire county will be watching with interest the campaign being staged by these communities.

They have set up \$1500 for their Christmas fund; \$300 for two White Cane drives; \$2,500 for Boy Scouts; \$1,900 for Girl shows 20 percent increase over last Scouts; \$1,280 for United Defense; \$2,500 year. for operating expenses; \$2,248 for reserve; \$1,500 for Heart Association; \$6,501 for the Red Cross; \$2,000 for the Canton band; \$5,000 for emergency reserve, and a similar amount for the unallocated contingency.

The slogan of the campaign is "Give once

for all nine organizations." The project will mean a big saving in Mrs. Herbert Braren are spending leave with his parents, Mr. and Washingtton, D. C., where he purtime for those who have to make convasses. and we predict a successful campaign, with everyone happier under the United Fund

#### **Business Or Sport**

system.

The United States Supreme Court has be- Graves, editor of The Chapel Hill poorwill cries on a distant hill and fore it an old question: Is organized baseball Weekly, makes the following ob- people pause for a moment, listena business or a sport?

The question was last answered by the citizens have told me that Chapel That bird was lost and a long way highest court in 1922, when the late Justice Hill has become big enough to be Oliver Wendell Holmes wrote the opinion of called a city and so I ought to quit the court, holding that baseball is a sport ed to see these businesses listed and the anti-trust laws do not apply to it. in the directory: Village Beauty In modern days baseball is both a business Shop, Village Cabinet Shop, Village Laundry and Cleaners, Village and a sport. It is a business in which many Pharmaey, Village Self-Service engage as stockholders, particularly in the Laundry, Village Radio and TV minor leagues, without profit or hope of Service, and Village Service Staprofit, because of interest in the game of

Owners of ball clubs have always contended that contracts gives them exclusive rights to the services of players, plus the right to sell the contracts, along with the exclusive clause, to other ball clubs, are necessary for the maintenance of organized baseball. Many players agree and do not object to the contracts, which would not be tolerated in any other line of business in this country. Other players disagree and three of them have carried their disagreement to the highest court.

The decision of the court will be awaited with eagerness by a great many people.

-Raleigh News and Observer.

have to realize that helping the handicapped involves much more than a one-week publicity campaign. And so it seems that some constructive action will result from the words which have gone before.

#### They'll Do It Every Time By Jimmy Hatlo Engistered U & Patent Office MY IDEA IS TO COAT THE PAPER WITH PHOSPHORUS. IT WOULD GLOW IN THE PAPER REST ASSURED I BEEN EXPERIMENTING WITH THIS RUBBERIZED SUGGESTIONS BEFORE THE BLOTTER! TOUGHER. G BOSS CREDIT WHERE DARK---CUT DOWN ON LASTS LONGER, MORE LIGHT BILLS ... RESILIENT. ALWAYS SAY ... EXACTLY, CHIEF -- I TOLD PHOSPHOROUS PAPER...NO-0-0! IMPRACTICAL...BUT RUBBERIZED THE STRAWBOSS, SOUND VERY GOOD, ANTHILL THAT HAS POSSIBILITIES! SES THE BRAIN-BILITIES! CHILDREN ON TO THE BIGWHEEL BUT HOW ?

# Voice of the People

the elections held last week?

Enes Boyd: "I don't think they have any particular significance as far as the national trend is con-

Jule Noland: "It sounds good for the country. It ought to suit everybody around here-especially the Democrats, and I haven't heard the Republicans complaining.'

Mrs. Ruth Beaty: "I think the American people are hard to fool."

Mrs. Bill Prevost: "I think the elections were purely local situations and has no significance from a national standpoint."

Irving Leatherwood: "I think the Democratic victories indicate a dissatisfaction with some departments of the present administra-

Mrs. R. L. Coin: "I'm proud about the governors but sorry about congress since I think the



# Looking Back Over The Years

October travel in the Great Smoky Mountains National Park

visits friends in town. Miss Mary Stringfield becomes

Mrs. George Ward of Asheville

bride of John Cornelius Allen of Burlington, Vt.

Mrs. Noble Garrett and Mr. and a few days in Charlotte.

10 YEARS AGO D. Reeves Noland purchases the

Clyde Ray building and also the Alter building on Main Street, Joe Rose buys McCracken building.

dent of the Hazelwood Boosters Club. Gen. James W. Jenkins, com-

George Bischoff is elected presi-

mander of the State Guard, is high in praise of the local unit.

Pfc. Joe Palmer spends 5-day Mrs. Glenn C. Palmer

# Unit is redesigned as Heavy Tank

The Waynesville National Guard

The Misses Elaine and Elnora Rush, twin sisters, are married in double wedding ceremony.

Mrs. Everett Camp returns from a visit to Mrs. Charlotte Burkhart in Blacksburg, Va.

Joe W. Davis returns from chased equipment for his studio.

#### Views of Other Editors **Duck Prefers Dog**

NO PROOF NEEDED

servation:

tion. Mrs. Roland McClamroch gave the name Village Apartments to the apartment house she put up several years ago and now her son, Sandy, has named his concern the Village Broadcasting Company.

The listings prove nothing unless it be that Mr. Graves is an influential editor. That fact needs no proof. Those who contend that the word "village" is no longer appropriate when applied to Chapel Hill will still concede that Mr. Graves and his Weekly influence a lot of people. In fact, were Mr. Graves to go to the other extreme and refer constantly to Chapel Hill as a "metropolitan center" for 30 years, he doubtless would not have to wait nearly that long before he could present numerous listings in the telephone directory containing the word "metropolitan". Such listings, however, would not prove that Chapel Hill is a metropolis any more than the present listings prove that it is a village.

### THE LOST BIRD

A man named C. T. Johnson, who lives in the Ridgewood district of Queens, was awakened the other night by the cry of a whipporwill "I was half asleep, half awake, he said, "but that sound once heard can never be mistaken for anything else. It disturbed a dog nearby kept him barking for several minutes.

So Meyer Berger reported in Monday's New York Times for the benefit of New Yorkers others whose amazement was probably exceeded only by that of the whipporwill crying out alone in a borough of the world's biggest

Some birds are city birds-the sparrow, the pigeon, and pets such as canaries and members of the parrot family, Many of them would seem out of place-they might even starve-in the wide open spaces But the whippoorwill? If ever there was a country bird, this is one. Its cry is rivaled in its haunting tone and quality only by that of the turtle dove sounding across a hollow on a foggy, foggy morning. Whippoorwills-or those we used to hear-are twilight and night birds. After the sun goes down, in that time that is neither day nor night, when the stock is being fed and it's almost, but not quite time to turn on lights and

In his weekly column, Louis all is very still-then the whip-

But a whippoorwill in the city? from home. His home is the forest of a warm twilight and night, and his audience is a barefoot boy wondering who poor Will was and why he should be whipped.

-The Winston-Salem Journal

### BY ANY NAME

The directors of the North Carowent on record against "any form of federal sales tax-at manufacturer or retail level." There have been some indications that the Eisenhower administration, while opposing a sales tax-a retail sales tax, that is-might try to put over tax in order to cut income and

excess profits taxes. By any name, a sales tax is a sales tax. Indeed, if a choice had to be made between a visible retail off in all ways. sales tax or a hidden manufacturers' excise tax the clear and the prison yard, naked sales tax would be prefer-

Nobody should get mixed up over labels. Any federal sales tax would be a plan to soak the poor. -Raleigh News and Observer.

# FAITH ENDURING

pride. Those were the tales of re- and aid, ligious services held in defiance of . Rather, they told God they trustatheistic captors.

a ring on a Sunday morning, try- enduring in time of sorest woe .ing to look as though they were San Diego, Calif., Evening Tribune

#### SAN DIEGO, Calif, (AP) large white drake of Mr. and Mrs.

Merlin Hatfield prefers the company of his dog friend Joe to that of his duck family. The drake sleeps with Joe at night, helps the dog dig squirrel holes and creeps under the house with Joe for siestas in the heat of the day.

having a "bull session". Then they'd murmur softly, so the guards couldn't make out; "Holy, Holy, Holy,

Lord God Almighty, Early in the morning Our song shall rise to Thee." It's outside the experience of

most of us to be able to picture the scene The prisoners were ailing, semi-

starved, and knew that they were guilty of a crime in the eyes of their guards. Their clothes were ragged, their faces thin and bearded. They were as unlikely looking a lot of worshipers as members of a so-called manufacturers' excise a typical American congregation can imagine at first thought.

Watching them were armed Communists, better dressed, better fed, to all appearances better

Around was the snow or mud of

Stained glass, organ music, safely and comfort were miles and must have seemed light years away. Was this the setting for worship?

And the almost thunderous answer is that of all places, it was. The men found it so. They had reached a limit where

only essentials matter. They had no One set of stories Americans rich, obvious material blessings brought back from Korean prison for which to give thanks, and camps filled us with vast, humble they prayed for no small affairs

ed in Him. They offered the almost A group of prisoners would form perfect prayer, that speaks of faith

# SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK By R. J. SCOTT FACTORY A TRADING STATION WHERE FACTORS RESIDE FACTORY UILDING, OR COLLECTION ILDINGS, USUALLY WITH ARMADILLO CAN DEFEND HISELF AGAINST WHAT WAS THE COST TO THE U.S. BY FIRES DURING 1952 7 CUSTOMER IS DISSATISFIED WITH THE WORK OF A BARBER IN PESHAWAR, HE PAKES THE SCISSORS \$1,000,000 AND FROM THE BARBER AND FINISHES THE 10,000 LIVES. NOB TO HIS OWN SATISFACTION. (MOIA)

# Rambling 'Round

Bits Of Human Interest News-By Frances Gilbert Frazier

ARMISTICE DAY-1918! November 11. A day of rejoici millions; tears by countless families who had given up sons t and husbands to the cruel mastery of the war god, Prayers that day would mean the end of all wars! Readjustments; resignathe future by those left blinded, gassed and crippled, New homes, new hopes for those who had returned safely

ARMISTICE DAY-1953! November 11. A day of unrest certainty; a day when the term "truce" is a hollow mockery the been tossed on the wind like a toy balloon for years. A balloon with the air of deceit, camouflage and procrastination. Instead peace, war trembles in the balance and a world awaits each rise with apprehension.

ARMISTICE DAY-19 ? When will Armistice Day mean peace has come to a war-weary, troubled world?

A politician's platform has so many worn-out planks in it wonder it falls apart as soon as the candidate is elected

Saturday was always a big day in little Mary's life, for that the day she came to town with Daddy, just the two of them It was a planned occasion that both father and little girl antie from one week to the next. They started gayly out this sunny day afternoon and soon were window shopping. Every window the little girl's attention and opinion on its contents. One parties in which exquisite lingerie was displayed, captivated her fancy Daddy," she cried excitedly, "let's buy Mommie one of those," ing to a lovely nylon slip. "But we don't know the right size," cou her father, "Oh, that's all right," little Mary replied. "It don't m Daddy. Mommie will exchange it anyway."

Maybe the rain does fall alike on the just and the unjust but the unjust gets the wettest (we hope). -:- -:- -:-

> Lest we forget those men who sleep In silent graves. White crosses keep A vigil there. And poppies red Wave softly o'er the sleeping dead, On memory's tomb we place a wreath Of immortelles. And write beneath LEST WE FORGET! LEST WE FORGET!

Patience is a precious jewel that we lose every day,

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#### Place Name

HIGH POINT (AP)-High Point College draws many students from Munson, 14, won first prize all over the United States and most unusual entry in a pet many from foreign countries.

But there's no doubting the allegiance of one applicant for admission to the freshman class. Her name? Miss North Carol Liner of Hillsboro.

Workers in U.S. bituminous coal surface mines produce an average of 16 tons per man-day.

A Continental Army manual written by Baron von Steuben cautioned soldiers against "vexing the operated machines" were inhabitants" near their camps.

# Horsefly Pet Wins

SHELTON, Conn. (AP)-He displayed a horsefly in carved out of a cork.

World production of con lignite exceeds 1.7 billion to year, with the United State ducing one-third of the world

The population of Baja California peninsula has in less than 10 years.

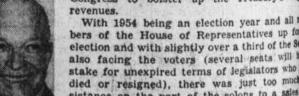
The first two fire engines into New York City in 1731.

Uncle Sam's Fiscal IIIs Become Growing Headache

Worrisome Problem Congress Before Ele Special to Central Press

TW/ASHINGTON-There's a hoary, moth-eaten old adage politicians that the man most likely to succeed in pu and keep getting re-elected longest is the legislator who votes for appropriations and against all taxes. Like most moth-eaten old adages, there is a lot of truth in it. is why, if you buttonholed any of the few Republican legislato

town (what with Congress on vacation), you'd find them heav collective sigh of relief that President Eisenhower has announced he won't ask for the enactment of a sales tax in the next sessit Congress to bolster up the Treasury's said revenues.



sistance on the part of the solons to a sales
From the point of view of congressmen see
re-election all taxes are bad, but sales taxes the worst because they are right out in plain where their irate constituents can see them. is why most taxes are hidden from the view of public like a rabbit in a magician's hat. You them, but they don't hurt quite as bad because don't see them.

BIG DECISIONS ARE NOW BEING MADE in the Treasury partment and the White House which will drastically affect amount and kind of taxes you will pay next year. There is little that some taxes will be added and others subtracted—or at least

Your federal tax bill will go down about 10 per cent next year Congress blocks a scheduled cut, which is very unlikely. The

profits tax on corporations will also expire at the end of the year.

This is good news for taxpayers, but bad news for the Tres which will stand to lose about 35 billion in revenue from the Another \$3 billion revenue loss to the Treasury will come next A when the income tax of corporations is reduced another five per and a flock of excise taxes on things you use, expire automat Congress has established by law a limit on the public debt United States, setting it at \$275 billion. The rub comes in that now owes about \$273 billion and, while a billion or two might las or me a long time, Uncle Sam is a big time operator and that ki money is chicken feed to him.

There seems little doubt that when Congress comes back next ary, the debt limit will be upped. Right now, the only question will the Treasury be able to pay all its bills until then?

THE TREASURY IS NOW STUDYING what kinds of new can be imposed to replace the revenue lost through these sche reductions. The sales tax has been ruled out, but a closely-allied the manufacturers' excise tax, has not. Basically, the different tween them is that the manufacturers' tax is paid by the manufacturers' the taxed product and not by the buyer. Since the tax is on a paratively few manufacturers and is reflected in higher prices on the goods and not stated separately, Flat Tax many people are not aware that they are paying the All Goods It seems likely this next year will see the enact- Monufer

ment of many manufacturers' taxes, or perhaps a flat tax on all manufactured goods. The Treasury needs the and a manufacturers tax is easy to administer because there are about 300,000 manufacturers. (If a sales tax had been enach check would have had to have been kept on more than two and million retailers.) Also, such a tax is easier to get through Con
Another proposal seriously being considered is that the sche
reduction on corporation income taxes and many excise taxes a
for April 1 by considered is the sche taxes and many excise taxes and taxes and taxes are taxes and taxes and taxes and taxes and taxes are taxes and taxes are taxes and taxes are taxes and taxes and taxes are taxes and taxes are taxes and taxes are taxes and taxes are taxes are taxes and taxes are taxes a

for April 1 be postponed. At any rate, there's little doubt that new taxes will be added to your bill early next year.