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Plan To Attend East Carolina Folk Festival — Kenan Memorial Auditorium — Friday, Saturday, September 12 and 13.

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## Pink Hill Is Sprucing Up

Pink Hill residents are sprucing up the little Lenoir County town with high hopes of grabbing one of the top prizes in the Carolina Power and Light Company's "A Finer Carolina" contest. Delapidated buildings have been torn down, trash piles removed, buildings painted, hedges trimmed and other similar projects. Two hundred dogwood trees have been planted along the highways leading into the town and two traffic lights have been installed for greater safety. Playground equipment has been ordered and a doctor's clinic has been completed.

## The Hills Return From Tour

Mr. and Mrs. Ethro Hill have returned from a tour of western North Carolina and Tennessee. They visited the Atomic Energy Museum at Oak Ridge, Tenn., and attended an opera in Nashville, Tenn. They saw the pageant, Unto These Hills at Cherokee and visited at Fontana Dam.

## Jack Worley Attends Meeting

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Worley returned at the week end from a two weeks vacation trip to Still Water, Oklahoma, where Mr. Worley attended a Rural Carrier's convention. They also stopped off, briefly, at points in Texas. Accompanying them on the trip were Mrs. Worley's brother, Mr. W. R. Mercer and Mrs. Mercer of Fountain.



Today, as in World War II, American Labor takes its place firmly behind the man behind the gun in Korea. Unfettered and strong, the American workman once again is proving to the world that he can outproduce the shackled slave of the totalitarian state. The slave, who works long hours under miserable conditions and the relentless eyes of the secret police, can still never hope to remotely approach the standard of living which the American laborer has come to enjoy. On this Labor Day, Americans pause to take stock of their industrial accomplishment, and then with determination turn to the task of arming our bastion of democracy.

## Maxwells Hold Annual Reunion Sunday At Maxwell's Mill; Large Group Attends

To honor relatives of the J. H. Maxwell family who are visiting in the community, the children of the late Mr. Maxwell entertained at a picnic at Maxwell's Mill on Sunday, August 24, a regular dinner, consisting of ham, fried chicken, barbecue and are the trimmings, was spread of the noon hour. Bascom Lamar Lunsford of Turkey Creek in charge of the Eastern Carolina Folk Festival to be given in Kenansville September 12 and 13 was present, and made a short talk. Rev. Billy Tyndall of Mt. Olive and Wake Forest, gave the invocation.

## Pink Hill Civics Club Holds Meeting Plan Ladies Night For October 24th.

The Pink Hill community Civics Club met at the V. F. W. Hut Friday night August 22. Harvey Turner, president, presided. Approximately 40 members were present.

Various community interest projects were discussed. The club decided to observe ladies night the 4th Friday night in October, which will be Oct. 24, in the cafeteria of the Pink Hill School.

The club is made up of residents of Pink Hill and surrounding area in Duplin and Lenoir Counties. It has been very active in securing telephones, roads and mail routes, in the community.

Following adjournment, a barbecue chicken supper was served.

## Church Women Study Luther

A general meeting of the Presbyterian women of the church was held at the Pink Hill Presbyterian Church at 8 p. m. Tuesday. Eleven members were present. Mrs. T. J. Turner gave the biography of Martin Luther, which was most interesting. Mrs. Sills reminded all of the Day of Prayer to be held at

Faison in September. Reports from the different cause chairmen were heard. Mrs. N. P. Farris closed the meeting with a prayer. Mrs. E. M. Sills, president, presided.

## Miss Turner Is On Tour

Miss Annie Taylor who received a Master's Degree at the close of summer school at East Carolina College, Greenville this summer, is on an educational tour with members of her class at present. Among places of interest they are visiting are Monticello home of Thomas Jefferson, Luray Caverns, Niagara Falls, Boat trip thru the Thousand Islands, walk about the Isle de Orleans, nature hike in the North Woods, moonlight cruise on the St. Lawrence and Hudson.

There are eleven over night stops on the tour of which two nights will be spent in the following cities: Montreal and Quebec, Canada, Boston, Mass., and New York City.

## Mack Smith Loses Tobacco Barn

A tobacco barn on the farm of J. Mack Smith, near Maxwell Mill was destroyed by fire one day last week. The barn, a frame structure was equipped with oil burners. The fire seemed to have started in the top of the barn.

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The North Carolina State College Agricultural Extension Service has prepared a new circular telling the story of late blight—a serious Irish potato disease most generally found in Western North Carolina.

L. W. Nielsen, associate professor of plant pathology, who is the author of the 14-page publication, points out that the successful control of late blight is based on killing spores before they enter the plant or tuber.

The publication, entitled "The Several days ago a barn was burned on the farm of Mrs. Seth King, of Pink Hill R. 1. It was built of peeled pine logs and lime mortar by her father, Mr. Joe J. Davis in 1901 and had been in continuous operation since that time. The loss was estimated at between \$1,000 and \$1,200.

Irish Potato Late Blight Story," deals with the cottony fungus through 24 illustrated notations. Nielsen first discusses how blight attacks the potato and then reveals ways of controlling the disease.

Nielsen writes, "At the market place, North Carolina's potato growers must offer an attractive quality product. Among other things, this means they must control late blight."

Application of fungicides is one of the means of protecting vines in Western North Carolina and in the East whenever blight is present.

The publication may be obtained free from your local county agent or by ordering it by title, Extension Circular 368, from Publications Department, N. C. State College, Raleigh.

## Woodruff Jackson Operative Patient

Woodruff Jackson, son of Mr. Woodrow Jackson of Pink Hill R. 2 has been an operative patient at the Lenoir County Hospital in Kingston. He underwent the operation on Tuesday.

Corn hybrids have increased yields by at least 30 per cent, or three-quarters of a billion bushels, annually.

## Harold Johnson Is Transferred

Harold Lloyd Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Johnson of Pink Hill is being transferred from Lackland Air Base, San Antonio, Texas, where he received basic training in the Air Corps, to an air base at Denver, Colorado. He expects to receive 38 weeks training at the Denver Base. His mother expects to visit him there shortly.

# Notice Of Sale

NORTH CAROLINA  
DUPLIN COUNTY

As Administrators of P. V. Southerland, deceased, we will offer for sale at public auction for cash at the home place of P. V. Southerland at 10:00, A. M., on the 20th, day of September, 1952, various articles of personal property, consisting of all the household and kitchen furniture owned by the deceased, at the time of his death and including the following:

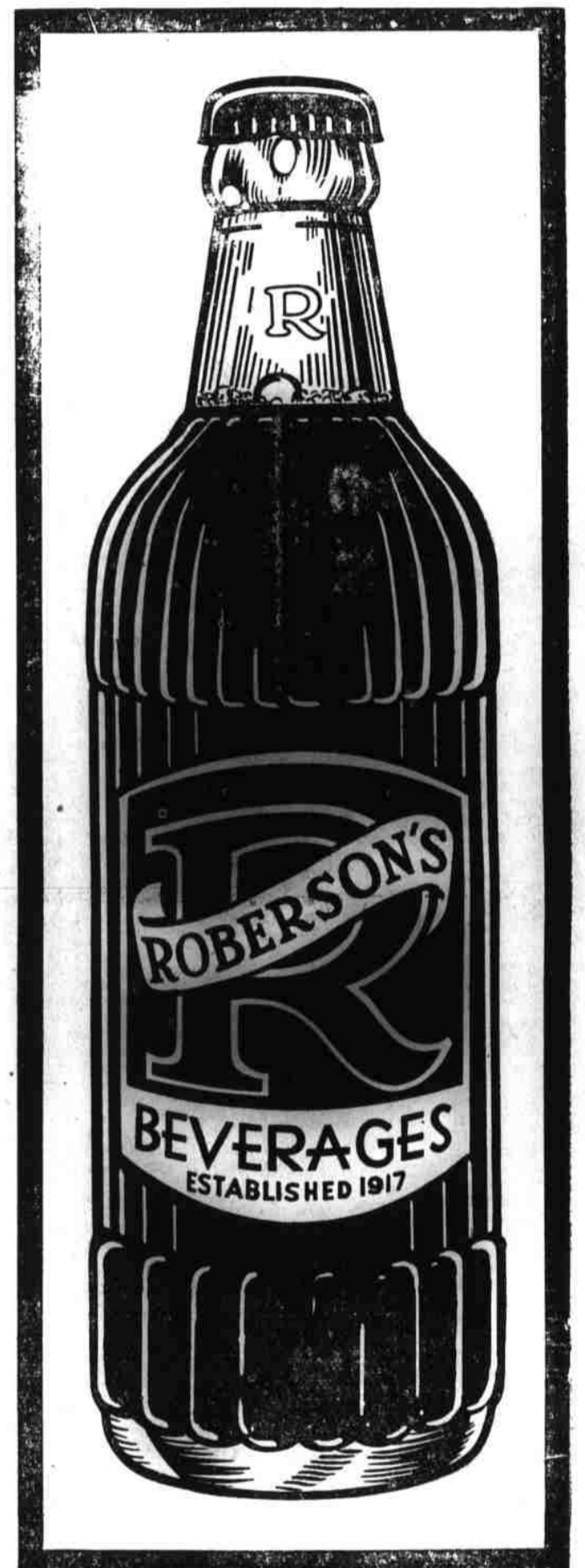
- 1 1951 Model Frazier
- 1 Lawn Mower
- 1 Garden Tractor
- 1 Wheelbarrow
- 1 New Dining Room Suit
- 1 Electric Stove
- 1 Oil Heater
- 1 Refrigerator

The above articles may be inspected at anytime prior to the sale.

This the 21st. day of September, 1952.

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