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FOUNTAIN NEWS
(By Mrs. M. D. YELVERTON)

Mrs. Hardy Johnson and daughter, Martha Hardy, spent a few days this week with friends in Charlotte.

Miss Mary Carolyn Redick, a student of Meredith College, was at home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Yelverton and daughters, Misses Hazel Vivian and Frances Yelverton, of Eureka, visited relatives here Sunday.

Miss Daphne Owens Yelverton was a guest of her teacher, Miss Ethel Callis, at her home in Colerain during the week end.

Mack Smith, Jr., of Charlotte was at home with his father during the week end.

Franklin Lewis, a student of State College, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Williams and son, Hugh, of Red Oak were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Eagles.

FOUNTAIN GIRL WINS HONORS
AT E. C. T. C.

Miss Hazel Owens, a student of the junior class at E. C. T. C., was recently elected president of the Poe Literary Society. Miss Owens is listed among those who rated the "Who's Who for College Students" and was also on the Scholastic Honor Roll for the Winter Term.

MASCOT ENTERTAINS SENIOR CLASS

Little Miss Katherine Susan Pope, daughter of B. A. Pope and the late Mrs. Katherine Gross Pope, entertained the members of the senior class, of which she is Mascot, at an informal dance Friday evening in the Agricultural Building. Punch and wafers were served throughout the evening.

The young Mascot lives with her maternal grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Gross and an aunt, Miss Frances Gross in Greenville.

WALSTONBURG NEWS

Mrs. Pearl Johnson of Farmville visited her sister, Mrs. Ray West, last week.

Friends of Messrs. George Bailey and E. L. Jones will be glad to know that they are recuperating after having been in the hospital in Wilson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lang, Mrs. W. E. Lang, Sr., Truett Lang and Mrs. Jesse Gay were Raleigh shoppers on Thursday.

Mrs. M. D. Yelverton and Mrs. F. L. Eagles of Fountain spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Smith.

Mrs. Metta Herring visited in Crisp and Fountain, Thursday.

Miss Ruby Burch entertained a few friends of her niece, Marilu Burch, honoring her fourth birthday, Saturday afternoon, April 13. After games were played, ice cream and cake were served to the following: John Gilbert Gay, Doris Dixon, Tommy Lewis, Betsy Ray Chandler, Charles Shirley and Betsy Rouse.

Miss Alene Bailey of E. C. T. C., spent the week end at home.

Miss Dorothy Smith of Fountain spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivey Smith.

Miss Ruth Jenkins of Barnesville and Miss Ruby Jenkins of Wilson spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jenkins. They were accompanied home by Miss Clara Jenkins.

MR. AND MRS. HICKS ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Hicks entertained the members of the choir of the Walstonburg Methodist Church last Friday evening. A most enjoyable musical program by members of the choir was the opening feature of the evening. After the program, those present participated in several interesting and amusing games.

Refreshments in the form of pink and white ice cream and cake, were served to the following: Misses Ruby Burch, Fannie Mae Smith, Helen Smith and Anne Hicks; Mesdames Ivy Smith, Frank Shirley, Isaac Rouse, C. T. Hicks and Carlos Walston; and Messrs. Elga Soper, pastor of the Church, Sam Chandler, Allen Thacker, C. T. Hicks and Isaac Rouse.

The dining room was decorated, using spring blooms and candlelight.

COW-TESTING

There were 678,141 cows in 27,948 herds on test in Dairy Herd Improvement Associations in the United States last year, and North Carolina ranked eighth among the States in percentage of new herds on test.

OATS

New hull-less oats have been developed by the North Dakota State College Experiment Station and distributed under the name "Nakota."

WHITE MEAT

American turkeys are evolving toward birds with larger breasts, providing more white meat, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

DESTS

The United States farm mortgage debt, at the fall of 1939, was the lowest in 20 years.

Agronomist Encourages Production of Soybeans

Grow soybeans as a commercial crop, for soil improvement or as a feed crop, Prof. C. B. Williams, head of the State College Agronomy Department, advises North Carolina farmers. He urges commercial growers to increase yields per acre this year in view of the demand for this crop and its products due to the war situation in Europe and the Orient.

Recommending the yellow-seeded varieties, which are in greatest demand by oil millers, Prof. Williams said that Herman, Tokyo, Wood's Yellow and Haberlandt are adapted to the Coastal Plain; Herman, Wood's Yellow, Clemson, and Haberlandt are best for the Piedmont; and Herman and Haberlandt are adapted to the Mountain area.

"The land selected for soybeans should be of at least average productivity," the agronomist declared. "It should be well drained and in proper shape for planting on or about May 1. Although soybeans belong to the legume family, they require moderate amounts of a properly-selected fertilizer."

"Ordinarily," Prof. Williams continued, "little or no nitrogen is needed in the fertilizer mixture if the soil is in a fairly good state of productivity. However, if the soil is poor to medium in fertility, about 2 percent nitrogen should be included in the mixtures."

The fertilizer recommendations of the College Agronomy Department for soybeans are: Coastal Plain, 200 to 300 pounds of a 0-8-4 or a 0-8-6 on fairly productive soils, and 250 to 300 pounds of a 2-8-4 or 200 pounds of a 3-12-6 on poor to medium soils; Piedmont and Mountains, 200 to 300 pounds of a 2-10-4 or 2-10-6 on fairly productive soils, and 250 to 300 pounds of a 2-10-5 or 200 pounds of a 3-15-6 on poor to medium soils.

Cotton Pushed Into Limelight

Present conditions have pushed the much-abused and long-suffering cotton crop back into the limelight this year, says J. O. Rowell, extension entomologist at State College.

Especially in tobacco counties where growers indicated they plan to plant their full cotton acreage allotment. For the past two years, North Carolina has produced unusually short crops of lint.

Since the Triple-A program states that farmers may market all the cotton they produce on their allotted acres, every effort should be made to get a good harvest, Rowell said.

Before they can do this, the State College man pointed out, they must take steps to control the ever-present and ever-deadly enemy of the crop, the boll weevil. If a program of poisoning is started in time and closely adhered to, good yields may be expected.

Rowell said that cotton should be planted as early as the season will permit. This is the first step in the fight against the weevil. Then, too, varieties which will mature the bolls quickly should be used.

The following varieties of 31/32 to 1 1/16 inch staple are recommended for the different sections of the State:

Upper Coastal Plain: Coker 100, Mexican, and Farm Relief.

For the heavier soils of the lower Coastal Plain: Coker 100 and Carolina Foster.

For the Piedmont area: Mexican, Coker 100, and Farm Relief.

Pre-square poisoning should be started as soon as the squares begin to form, or when the plant is 5 to 6 inches high, and before the squares are large enough for the weevils to puncture.

After the squares form, a good program of dusting should be employed as a further control of this insect enemy.

LATE CROP

L. T. Weeks, Extension tobacco specialist of State College, predicts that tobacco will be later this year than has been the case in the past several years.

NOTHING IN T'IS NAME

Tula, Okla. — Although her name is Thrift, there's little thrifty about Mildred Thrift, 26, of Sapulpa. She is recovering from her 15th operation in ten years.

TOP HOGS

Seventy-three percent of the 4,732 hogs marketed last year through the cooperative livestock association at Chadburn were tops, reports S. C. Oliver, Columbus County farm agent.

COMMITTEE

A special Pitt County farmer committee has been appointed to make a careful study of practices and methods that farmers might use to produce cotton more economically.

PASTURE

Through the use of lime and phosphate, E. M. Byrd of Peppers in Mitchell County has improved his pastures at least 50 percent in the last three years, reports Farm Agent F. L. Woodard.

TENANTS

In 1937, two out of every five farmers in the United States were tenants.

CHICKENS

Oklabar is the name of a new breed of chickens developed by the Oklahoma A. & M. College. Their sex can be determined as soon as they hatch.

Reading books is not always a short cut to culture; it depends upon what you read.

Bill collectors report that people who pay their bills promptly rarely get mad with the collector.

The Allies, it seems, are not fighting the war like some Americans think it should be fought.

An educated man can argue without losing his temper and without resorting to abusive adjectives.

Never expect a public official to please you in everything; be thankful if he pleases you in anything.

Everybody can explain the reasons for any vote in any election—after the election.

When people take themselves too seriously they become funny; it even applies to newspaper editors.

When the umpires begin to work for their pay the nation will really have a serious issue to discuss.

Don't forget the Finnish relief fund; hen again you might remember the Chinese people face suffering too.

When a business man keeps a November, 1939, calendar on his desk it must have an interesting picture.

Nations, like people, must be ready to assert and maintain their rights if they expect them to be respected.

Lemon Juice Recipe Checks Rheumatic Pain Quickly

If you suffer from rheumatic, arthritis or neuritis pain, try this simple inexpensive home recipe that thousands are using. Get a package of Ru-Ex Compound today. Mix it with a quart of water, add the juice of 4 lemons. It's easy. No trouble at all and pleasant. You need only 2 tablespoonfuls two times a day. Often within 48 hours—sometimes overnight—splendid results are obtained. If the pains do not quickly leave and if you do not feel better, Ru-Ex will cost you nothing to try as it is sold by your druggist under an absolute money-back guarantee. Ru-Ex Compound is for sale and recommended by

City Drug Company

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (FIFTH DISTRICT)

I hereby announce my Candidacy for Election as County Commissioner from the Ayden-Swift Creek District, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary May 25th.

Your vote and support will be highly appreciated.

J. DIXIE CANNON, Ayden, N. C.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce that I am candidate for nomination as member of the North Carolina House of Representatives subject to the action of the Democratic Party in the coming Primary of 1940.

DR. W. I. WOOTEN.

NOTICE

I wish to express to my friends, supporters, and all who were interested in my campaign for the office of Register of Deeds my exceeding regret that, in my anxiety and zeal to contact voters, having solicited all of Saturday afternoon in Farmville, I failed to apply for registration with the County Board of Elections until three minutes too late that afternoon.

I also wish to hereby express my most sincere thanks for all promises of support, consideration and encouragement extended to me.

D. S. SPAIN, Jr.

PARAMOUNT THEATRE
FARMVILLE, N. C.

WEEK OF APRIL 20

SUNDAY AND MONDAY
"Road to Singapore"
with Bing Crosby, Dorothy Lamour and Bob Hope

TUESDAY
"Oh Johnny How You Can Love"
with Tom Brown

WEDNESDAY
Double Feature
"Black Friday"
with Boris Karloff and "Allegheny Uprising"
with John Wayne and Claire Trevor
Final Chapter of "THE PHANTOM CREEPS"

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY
"Dr. Kildare's Strange Case"
with Lew Ayres—Lionel Barrymore

SATURDAY
Double Feature
"Wolf of New York"
with Edward G. Robinson and "Bullet Code"
with George O'Brien
Also another thrilling chapter of "DICK TRACY'S G-MEN"

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1st Grade Kerosene 10c Gal.
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For County Commissioner THIRD DISTRICT
(Falkland, Fountain, Farmville and Beaver Dam Townships)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Commissioner for the Third District, subject to the Democratic Primary May 25th, 1940.

Your Support and Vote will be Appreciated

G. E. TREVATHAN

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SEE THE NEW WESTINGHOUSE WITH TRU-ZONE COLD!

VOTE FOR JOHN H. MANNING FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS
(Pitt County)

He is Experienced and Has Practical Knowledge of the Duties of the Office... His Long Service as Deputy Qualifies Him for This Deserved Promotion.

VOTE FOR J. NOAH WILLIAMS FOR RE-ELECTION COUNTY COMMISSIONER
(First District—Greenville Township)

YOUR VOTE and SUPPORT WILL BE HIGHLY APPRECIATED.

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