

WALSTONBURG NEWS

Miss Evelyn Shackelford and H. L. Shackelford visited Miss Katie Gray Shackelford at Sanatorium Sunday.

son visitors Monday afternoon. Misses Rachel Mays and Cornelia Bailey returned Tuesday after a few days visit with relatives at Lenoir.

Mr. W. V. Rodick was a Louisburg visitor Monday. Misses A. Rodick, of State College, and Miss Nell Mercer, of Williamsburg, Va., spent the week end at her home here.

Looking at Washington

tion with Germany. Secretary Hull expresses the conviction that pro-Hitler elements are in control of the Vichy Government and says that France has gone beyond the armistice terms in extending aid to Germany.

The Marquis de Azular, who says that he represents the Spanish Catholic and Royalist parties in the United States, asserts that Germany now has representation in every Spanish consulate and legation in the Americas for the purpose of combatting Pan-Americanism.

While we have no way of knowing whether the statements made by the Marquis are correct or not, it is quite possible that Hitler is using Spain as a front to promote Nazi activities in this hemisphere.

The ancient relationship between Spain and her colonies in this hemisphere has been recalled and there have been suggestions that, at the proper time, Spain should assume the leadership of her people in South America.

Washington Notes

"ROOSEVELT BASE" The \$18,000,000 333-acre fleet operating base of Terminal Island in the harbor of San Pedro, California, will be known as "Roosevelt Base," according to Secretary Knox, who says that this is the first time that a base has been named for the President while in office.

BALLOON BARRAGE A barrage ball on training center at Camp Davis, North Carolina, is specializing in studying this form of defense against aircraft, according to the War Department, which says the new school will have a student body of eighty officers and 750 enlisted men.

NUTRITION More than 700 experts in medicine, public health, social work, nursing, nutrition, farming, education, industry, government and labor have been invited to attend a conference on national nutrition by Paul V. McNutt. The meeting will be held in Washington the last week in May.

WOMEN—MEN Women outnumber men on the Atlantic seaboard, but men are more numerous in the Middle West, South West, Rocky Mountain States and on the Pacific Coast, according to the Census Bureau. The excess of males over females, which exists for the country as a whole, continues to drop at the rate of about 100,000 a year. Last year the nation had 687,061 more men than women.

ERIE The Government of Erie is seeking food and arms from the United States but Washington authorities insist on satisfactory guarantees that the supplies will not fall into the hands of Germany, or, under any circumstances, be used against Great Britain. While the German blockade does not include parts of Erie, the Government of Germany is

Erle to obtain vessels for imports. GREENLAND Dr. Sylvester Saxtorpe, medical director of Greenland, arriving at Philadelphia on a ship flying the Danish flag, says that two German air squadrons made several flights over the eastern coast of Greenland late in March but did not land.

ARMY The Army will call 8,000 young men immediately upon graduation from colleges and universities. The reserve officers will be commissioned and go into active service at once.

PATRIOTIC Associated Shipbuilders of Seattle, Washington, have voluntarily offered to cut their profits on navy contracts by fifty per cent. Acting Secretary of Navy Bard says this is the first instance where a navy contractor has voluntarily offered to refund profits.

NAVY The Naval Appropriations bill for 1942, carrying \$3,415,521,750, has been approved by President Roosevelt. More than a billion and a half is included to speed construction on more than 300 new fighting ships to be completed between now and 1946. In addition, the measure provides \$484,000,000 to strengthen the Navy's air arm and \$142,000,000 to modernize existing warships to meet conditions revealed by the European War.

PURSUIT PLANE Details are not public, but the Army Air Corps is known to be testing a powerful pursuit plane which will be heavily armored and carry large and small caliber guns. In speed, the craft will match any plane possessed by other countries.

ANNAPOLIS The four-year course at the Naval Academy has been shortened to three and one-half years in order to provide more officers for the rapidly growing Navy. It is expected that the Academy, however, will resume its four-year course when expansions now underway are completed in 1945.

RUBBER The American Government has reached an agreement with the Government of Haiti for the joint development of experimental stations and breeding gardens for rubber plants and the extensive planting of rubber trees. While other agricultural enterprises will be undertaken, the United States will attempt to decrease its dependence upon the Far East for essential rubber supplies.

STRIKES A loss of 1,675,773 man-days of production on Army contracts from January 12 to May 1st, is reported by Edward F. O'Grady, War Department labor consultant, who says that strikes "are on the up-grade rather than the down-grade."

FARM HOMES Since the establishment of the Rural Electrification Administration in May, 1935, more than 500,000 farms have received electricity and, in addition, private utilities have connected up about as many additional farms. Approximately two million families have central station electric service.

LANDING FIELDS The President has asked Congress for \$61,777,750 to expand the Civil Aeronautics landing-field program from 250 to 399 projects.

IDLE MACHINES It is estimated that not more than fifty per cent of the nation's machines, or total volume of machine hours available, are now being used in production. Consequently, it may be necessary, in the letting of defense contracts, to require that a certain portion of the work be given to idle machine shops.

HOSPITAL TRAINS The first unit of several projected hospital trains will be used by the Army Medical Corps personnel during maneuvers this summer and fall. A new railway hospital car contains a kitchen capable of feeding 500 persons one meal and a full equipped operating room for emergency operations, daily dressings and medical examinations.

We can stand a certain amount of what people call "small talk" but we have, at times, heard too much.

COTTON Cotton prices are on the march upward due to increases in the general level of commodity prices, the better demand for cotton goods, and to a possible higher loan rate for the 1941 crop.

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Farmville Tobacco Market Report

By R. A. FIELDS, Sales Supervisor The crop in this section is about 10 days earlier than last season with about 90 per cent of a stand.

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