

WALSTONBURG NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gardner and children, Jimmie and Ola Grace, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gay and son, Malcolm, attended a family reunion at the home of William Gardner in Saratoga Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Craft and Mrs. Paul Craft were Kinston visitors on Thursday.

Mrs. W. E. Lang visited relatives and friends in Fountain and Farmville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bundy were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Henson Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Gay, Mrs. W. E. Lang, Mrs. J. C. Gardner and Jimmie Gardner were Wilson visitors Monday.

Mrs. W. I. Shackelford and Neta Marie Sutton were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Ellis of Wilson.

Richard Shackelford was a Washington visitor Sunday.

Miss Ruby Marlowe spent the week end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Marlowe.

Mrs. Estelle Bailey spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Jesse Parker, of Newport News, Va.

A. J. Craft made a business trip to Snow Hill Tuesday.

Mrs. W. I. Shackelford, Mrs. Sallie Mercer and Mrs. Nellie Walston were Snow Hill and Farmville visitors on Thursday.

Mrs. Levi Walston, of near Farmville visited Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Rouse Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jones visited Miss Katie Grey Shackelford at Sanatorium on Sunday.

Friends will regret to learn that Mrs. G. W. Bailey is ill at her home.

Boy Scouts and Their Parents

Entertained

The Walstonburg Community Men's Club, sponsors of the local Boy Scout Troup of Walstonburg community, entertained the Boy Scouts and their parents with a delicious barbecue supper ably prepared by the Walstonburg Woman's Club. This was a part of the local celebration of National Boy Scout Week. About sixty Boy Scouts, parents and club members were present. Mr. Douglas L. Kelly, Field Executive of the East Carolina Council, with headquarters in Wilson, was guest of honor.

The local Troup has almost twenty members under the leadership of Sam Chandler, Scout Master. Claud Joyner and Clifton Barfield are assistant Scout Masters. Members of the Troup Committee are: Carl T. Hicks, Chairman, Rev. Key Taylor, W. E. Lang, Jr., Watson Owens and J. W. Webster, school principal.

Although the troupe has been organized only a short time much progress has been made. The leaders feel sure that the Walstonburg community of the future will be a much better place to live in because of the splendid character-building and training given every Boy Scout.

"In a recent attendance contest, nine boys won an over-night camping trip to Camp Charles, near Bailey, as a reward for perfect attendance at each meeting.

The official presentation of the Charter to the Scout Troup and the address on "The Principles of Boy Scouting" by Douglas L. Kelly, Field Executive, climaxed the events of the evening. He stressed the need of a well qualified leader to make any troupe a success. Parents were urged to encourage their boys to learn more about Scouting and to help keep them enthusiastic about the work.

On June 16, 1916, the Congress of the United States officially chartered the Boy Scouts of America. Only two other organizations have shared this honor.

Hitler took the young boys of Germany, trained and molded them into one of the most efficient fighting machines the world has ever known. The average age of his aviators is only nineteen and a half years. That of his army only twenty-two. This is a striking example of the youth of a nation led in the wrong direction.

Mr. Kelly emphatically stated that on the shoulders of Scout leaders rests the responsibility of training and molding our boys into a mighty force for the good and the uplift of the world to offset the forces of evil created by Hitler. A thousand prison inmates were questioned and it was found not a single one had ever been a Boy Scout.

The doors of the Boy Scout organization are open to the boys of all nationalities. They are all God's children. One of the first things taught a Boy Scout is reverence for God, Our Heavenly Father.

Mr. Kelly closed his address by relating a story of two boys who grew up together. One made a success in life, the other traveled the road of crime and was finally sentenced to death. He was asked if he had a last request to make. Yes, tell my boyhood friend I want to see him before I die. The friend came to his cell and said, "Frank, all possible has been done to save your life, there is nothing I can do now." "I know that is true," replied Frank, but I am thinking of the thousands of young boys in this city. I want you to help keep them from coming to the tragic end which I now face."

MINISTER SENT TO PRISON

Westland, Mo.—A Jehovah's Witness minister, Arthur F. Cox, 50, was sentenced to a life term at Sand labor camp for the murder of a man whose name he refused to listen to. The recording of Cox's confession is being made.



MAD DOG—THIS MAY HAPPEN HERE!

Local police have carried on an intensive campaign of "Warning to Dog Owners" here for the past several weeks in an earnest effort to prevent a mad dog rampage this spring and summer.

Dog owners have been advised of the grave danger to children and adults as well as the result of letting their dogs run out and have been cited to town ordinance in this regard.

Chief Lucas stated today that a rigid enforcement of the law is necessary to prevent a similar scene to that above from occurring on the streets of Farmville, and requests that citizens cooperate with the department in confining dogs as a precautionary measure.

Section III. DOG OR BITCH RUNNING AT LARGE PROHIBITED: It shall be unlawful for person owning a dog or bitch to suffer or permit said dog or bitch to run at large within the corporate limits of the town of Farmville. Any person violating this ordinance shall, be fined ten (\$10.00) dollars

STATE COLLEGE ANSWERS TIMELY FARM QUESTIONS

QUESTION: Will the spray treatment successfully "cure" blue mold after the disease has infected tobacco plant beds?

ANSWER: The copper oxide-cottonseed oil spray method of controlling blue mold in tobacco plant beds is a preventive measure, and is not very effective where plants are already diseased, according to Howard Garrison, Extension plant pathologist of N. C. State College. The paradichlorobenzene (P. D. B.) fumigation treatment is effective as either a preventative or as a "cure." These are the only two methods of controlling blue mold that are recommended by State College agencies.

QUESTION: Is composition roll roofing satisfactory for covering poultry house roofs?

ANSWER: C. F. Parrish, Extension poultryman of State College, says some North Carolina poultrymen have found composition roll roofing very satisfactory, if dressed tongue and grooved roofers are used. He says that a coat of roofing tar should be applied to the sheathing before laying the roll roofing. The lap is cemented with the roofing tar, and nails are not needed except at the ends and on top and bottom edges.

QUESTION: What is the wartime supply situation, with regard to sodium nitrate used in fertilizers?

ANSWER: Fertilizer manufacturers, as well as other users of sodium nitrate, are now receiving supplies of the fertilizer under a complete allocations system which went into effect on February 1, according to G. Tom Scott of State College, chairman of the State USDA War Board. In addition to being used as a fertilizer, sodium nitrate is also used for the manufacture of explosives, nitric acid, potassium nitrate and glass, and in the curing and preserving of meats. A shortage of shipping space has resulted in the rationing of this material, which is imported largely from South America.

Leaf Growers Face Shortage Of Canvas

Faced with a general shortage of plant bed canvas, tobacco farmers are being urged to use every method possible for the more efficient production of plants.

Realizing the seriousness of the present plight of leaf growers, a committee of N. C. State College specialists has formulated a list of practices which will help to some extent in relieving the emergency.

First, the group recommended that the plant bed be located under the most favorable conditions available. A southeastern exposure in a well-drained soil is preferable, as is the selection of a site as free of weeds and stumps as possible. The use of one pound of a 6-9-3 to 1 1/2 to 2 pounds of a 4-9-3 fertilizer per square yard of plant bed is recommended.

Because of the shortage of new canvas, some farmers will be forced to use old plant bed covers. In certain instances, these old covers may not be strong enough to use on the usual type of board sidewall plant bed.

While not a good practice from an insect control standpoint, the most efficient use of old weak canvas can be had in combination with the straw method. An even distribution of not in excess of 20 to 25 pounds of well-threshed wheat, oat, or rye straw should be used per 100 square yards of plant bed area. The covers should be placed directly on the straw and anchored to the ground by means of pegs, not using poles or boards as side walls.

Since such beds are susceptible to attack by insects, especially flea beetles, a close watch should be kept and proper control measures taken at the first signs of infestation. Measures should also be employed to control any outbreaks of blue mold.

HER BIRTHDAY GIFT—DEATH

Los Angeles.—Last October, Mrs. Iris N. Peterson walked into a mortuary and made her funeral arrangements, selected her casket and burial clothes. On January 8, the undertaker received a note from her: "Please come and get my body. I want no funeral services." Police found her dead—shot through the heart. She was buried on her 45th birthday.

A WEEK OF THE WAR

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utilize full cargo capacity of American merchant vessels because war developments often make it necessary for the ships to sail without advance notice. The Maritime Commission said through cooperative action with American ship operators, imports of 10 important raw materials increased about 200 percent during 1941. The Commission maintained its ship-day construction schedule by launching 14 new vessels during the last half of January. Eight French merchant ships in U. S. ports were requisitioned by the Commission.

Production And Conversion The WPB announced it cleared contracts amounting to \$3 billion in the week ending January 21. The War Department announced production of .30 caliber ball ammunition was nearly doubled during the first three weeks of January, 1942, over the corresponding period last year. The War Department Production Director Knudsen announced that the Chrysler Corporation will construct a \$1,000,000 plant in Chicago to turn out Wright twelve-cylinder air-cooled engines.

The War Production Chairman Nelson announced adoption of a system of daily progress reports to check production delays "anywhere along the line." He merged priorities and subcontracting field offices in a new Bureau of Field Operations to provide "faster, more efficient service to business and industry." The WPB asked the typewriter manufacturing industry which produced 1,000,000 machines in 1941 to cut its normal production 25 percent immediately and convert its facilities to war production.

Central Information Service.

President Roosevelt directed the United States Information Service to expand its facilities "so that visitors shall have one central place to which they can go for direction and information." The President said because many businessmen and other citizens "are coming to Washington in increasing numbers seeking information and the assistance of their Government. . . . It has become more and more difficult for those coming . . . on specific business to locate the Government official who can give authoritative answers to their questions. . . . It is now necessary that there be an integration of the various offices having direct contact with the public, and that their activities be coordinated under the direction of a central office."

Civilian Defense.

The Senate passed and sent to the House a bill to create a \$1,000,000,000 fund to compensate American property owners for war damages. The fund would compensate for losses other than life or personal injury to the extent of \$15,000. OGD Executive Landis announced cities in target areas will not be required to submit requisitions for protective equipment including gas masks and auxiliary fire-fighting equipment to be provided by \$100 million of Federal funds. He said the equipment would be allocated to the various areas according to their likelihood of attack, vulnerability and present equipment. Attorney General Biddle established a special War Frauds Unit within the Department of Justice to prosecute all cases involving frauds in connection with the war effort.

Civilian Supply.

Price Administrator Henderson announced rationing of new passenger autos to eligible users will not begin before February 26, and delivery of cars purchased but not delivered before the Government froze all sales will begin February 12. The WPB Food Supply Branch asked sugar retailers to take care of small industrial users who have bought sugar from them in the past so they can conduct business on a minimum basis. The OPA Consumer Division said wool products sold during the emergency still must carry a label telling the fiber content of the article.

Prices.

Price Administrator Henderson set ceiling prices for electric phonographs, radios and all tubes and parts at the levels of last October 15. He also set ceiling prices for washing machines and irons. Wholesale and retail prices were set for passenger autos under the rationing program, including a provision to compensate dealers for storage expenses. The WPA reported that since the beginning of the defense program, rents have been increased in 114 of 115 vital defense areas surveyed.

ENDS LIFE RATHER THAN GO TO WAR

Penns Grove, N. J.—Notified by his draft board to report back for service, Albert Feaster, 35, who was released from the Army last year, fatally wounded himself in a park about a block from his home.

NOTICE OF RE-SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust dated November 21st, 1938, executed by Johnnie Charlotte Brown and husband S. R. Brown, to John Hill Paylor, Trustee, duly recorded in Book Y-21 page 182 of Pitt County Registry, and by virtue of an order entered by J. F. Harrington, Clerk Superior Court ordering re-sale of said property on account of 5% increased bid having been filed there-in, the undersigned Trustee will on Saturday, February 21st, 1942 at 12 o'clock Noon, before the Courthouse door in Greenville, N. C., sell for cash to the highest bidder the following described tract of land:—

Being that certain house and lot lying and being in the Town of Fountain, beginning at the Southwest corner of F. D. Turnage lot and running 30 yards with Wilson Street in the Town of Fountain, N. C., thence North parallel with F. D. Turnage's line 140 yards, thence East 30 yards to the line of F. D. Turnage, thence South 140 yards to the point of beginning. Being the identical tract of land leased September 30th, 1932 by S. R. Brown to Johnnie Charlotte Brown, reference being made to said deed recorded in Book K-18 page 278. Reference is also made to deed from J. L. Ellis and wife to S. R. Brown duly recorded in the Registry of Pitt County.

This the 5th day of February, 1942. JOHN HILL PAYLOR, Trustee.

PRELIMINARY CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION

State of North Carolina, Department of State.

To all to Whome These Presents May Come—Greeting:

Whereas, It appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that the Holmes Brothers & Company, a corporation of the State, whose principal office is situated at Nos. 112-114 Belcher street, in the Town of Farmville, County of Pitt, State of North Carolina, (Elbert C. Holmes being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served), has complied with the requirements of Chapter 22, Consolidated Statutes, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this certificate of dissolution:

Now, Therefore, I, Thad Eure, Secretary of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 31st day of January, 1942, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at Raleigh, this 31st day of January, A. D., 1942.

THAD EURE, Secretary of State.

OFFICIAL SEAL Recorded in Record of Incorporations No. 4, Page 291.

J. F. HARRINGTON, Clerk Superior Court.

2-6-42.

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CAROLINA TRAILWAYS

NOTICE OF SALE OF IMPOUNDED STOCK

Under and pursuant to the power of sale contained in section 1851 of the North Carolina Code (Ann. 1939), the undersigned will on Saturday, the 28th day of February, 1942, at 12:00 o'clock, NOON, offer for sale for cash to the highest bidder, on the farm of Arch J. Flanagan, in Farmville Township, Pitt County, near Farmville, the following described hog and pigs:—

One mixed blood white sow with black spots, and a litter of pigs about 1 month old, said sow weighing 150 to 200 pounds.

Said sow came to the farm of the said Arch J. Flanagan about December 1st, 1941. He has been unable to locate the owner; if the owner will come forward and identify said sow and pigs, he may gain possession by paying the charges of impounding; otherwise said sow and pigs will be sold in accordance with above section and after deduction of said charges and damages, the balance if any, will be paid to the County Commissioners of Pitt County for the School Fund of Farmville School District.

This 5th day of February, 1942. ARCH J. FLANAGAN.

To encourage growers to produce more eggs, the Canadian government has offered a bonus of 3 cents a dozen for all Grade A eggs purchased for export to Great Britain.

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