

# A TAR HEEL IN NEW YORK

By BOB COVINGTON

If New Yorkers had gone to the polls and voted for the kind of Easter weather they wanted, I believe it would have been a landslide for the kind of weather they got. In seven Easter Sundays in New York, I have not seen such a day, such a warming April sun, such deep blue skies, so exactly the proper quantity and quality of spring breezes. To New Yorkers it was at least some comfort that with the world situation so dark and dirty, it could be forgotten for a few hours in the spirit lifting beauty of a perfect Easter Sunday.

Down on lower Fifth Avenue near Washington Square and on the edge of Greenwich Village stands the beautiful and historic First Presbyterian Church. To me the quiet lower blocks of Fifth Avenue have an atmosphere peculiarly their own. The people who live in that section seem more leisurely and more neighborly. There is less of the rush and hurry of uptown Manhattan, there are more apt to be whole families strolling together on a bright Sunday afternoon, something rarely seen in the central section where I live.

The First Presbyterian Church typi-

fies the impression I have of this section. On Easter Sunday it was more crowded than usual, to be sure, but there were none of the long lines that begin to form about ten-thirty on Easter morning at the mid-town churches. The church was just comfortably full, not crowded to the rafters. And, miracle of miracles, there were some ushers who didn't have wing collars or boutonnières. That, in most New York churches on Easter Sunday, makes news.

There was special music, of course. Most New York churches have from six to twelve special musical numbers on Easter. Some supplement the organ with violins and cellos. Many have elaborate musical programs in the afternoon or evening. The choir at the First Presbyterian Church is a wonderfully trained organization of beautiful voices and the music last Sunday was worshipfully beautiful. But what struck me most was the singing of the congregation. It's always a fine experience to hear a full congregation really sing. When this congregation sang the Doxology I was almost startled by the fullness of the singing that filled the church.

But the most beautiful music of the entire service, to me, was the singing of that wonderfully stirring hymn, "Christ the Lord is Risen Today." On the second stanza, the thirty voices of the choir soared upward on the notes of an especially practiced descant, while the congregation swelled the familiar measures of the hymn. The effect was so startlingly beautiful that it seemed to transform congregation and choir into one choir of a thousand voices. The notes of the choir laid over the sturdy confidence of the hymn a climbing strain of triumph that tore me between the desire to sing and the desire to listen.

Out on sun splashed Fifth Avenue after the service, our enjoyment followed a familiar pattern, seeing the massed Easter lilies at Radio City and the carnival groups in gay 90's costumes riding in carriages and ancient autos, pushing slowly through the crowds in front of St. Patrick's Cathedral, commenting on each colorful fluff of an Easter hat, shuffling in hushed line down the marble aisles of St. Thomas' to view the ever-amazing profusion of flowers. There, an hour after the service had ended, we found almost a full congregation sitting in silent appreciation of the beauty of Easter.

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## Honor Being Paid To Discoverer Of X-ray

Sanatorium, April 17.—Tribute is being paid this month to Wilhelm Konrad Roentgen, the discoverer of the X-ray, by the North Carolina Tuberculosis Association, which is conducting throughout the month of April an Early Diagnosis Campaign sponsored by the National Tuberculosis Association.

Roentgen's discovery just 46 years ago is now recognized as one of the greatest scientific marvels of all times and an indispensable aid in the diagnosis of early tuberculosis, the association points out. Used in conjunction with other modern methods of diagnosis and control, the X-ray has helped to reduce the tuberculosis death rate in North Carolina from approximately 200 per 100,000 at the beginning of the century to 51 per 100,000 in 1939.

In spite of the great progress against the disease in recent years, tuberculosis authorities point out that the death rate in the state exceeds the national figure of 46.6 per 100,000. North Carolina ranks sixteenth among the 48 states in the number of deaths from tuberculosis, according to latest complete normality figures issued by the National Tuberculosis Association.

"The penetrating 'eye' is of signal value in detecting tuberculosis, especially in its earlier and less dangerous stages, when, perhaps, no symptoms at all appear," say tuberculosis workers in describing the contribution of the X-ray to medicine. "Ten of thousands of X-ray pictures of chests are being taken annually throughout this country in order to pick out undiscovered tuberculosis infection of the lung before serious trouble arises."

The slogan of the 1941 Early Diagnosis Campaign is: "A Good X-ray is your Doctor's Best Aid in Discovering Early Tuberculosis."

## Mildouson News

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McKenzie and family, of Antioch, spent Sunday with Mrs. Lillie McDougald.

Hoover Stubbs and Lucy Belle Johnson were married on April 6, 1941, in Dillon, S. C.

Miss Blanche McFayden, of Ashboro, spent last weekend with her mother, Mrs. Alice McFayden.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Traywick and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Traywick.

The United States exported foodstuffs valued at \$15,949,000 during February of this year, representing a decrease of 50 per cent from the same month of last year, reports the Department of Commerce.

## NOTICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

State of North Carolina.  
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Before the Clerk  
County of Hoke

vs—  
John Gales et ux., Lena Gales, and Mrs. Mattie Cameron, widow, et als.

The defendants, John Gales et ux., Lena; and Mrs. Mattie Cameron, widow, having been made defendants in the above-styled action, for the purpose of foreclosing a tax lien in favor of plaintiff county, will take notice that a summons in the said action was issued against them on the 15th day of March, 1941, by Edgar Hall, Clerk of the Superior Court of Hoke County, N. C., for the aforesaid purpose; and said defendants further will take notice that they are required to appear at my office in Raeford, N. C., and answer or demur to said plaintiff's complaint which has been filed with me in said action, within 20 days from date service hereof shall be completed, or the relief sought may be granted to the said complaining party.

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## Better Farm Buildings Needed In This State

The changing agriculture of North Carolina has brought into sharp relief the need for better farm buildings, says D. S. Weaver, head of the State College Department of Agricultural Engineering. He referred especially to the expansion of livestock production, and the need for animal shelters, feed and cattle barns, and other such equipment.

Two other types of buildings which are in increasing demand, Prof. Weaver said, are grain storages and sweet potato curing houses. Each of these buildings requires careful consideration in properly locating it and in its design and construction.

To assist farmers with the constructing of grain storages and sweet potato curing houses, the State College Department of Agricultural Engineering maintains a free blueprint service which includes plans for these and many other types of structures.

Prof. Weaver suggested that farm people get in touch with their county agents of the State College Ex-

## SPOILAGE

Molds and bacteria which attack foods levy a toll estimated at more than \$100,000,000 a year, indicating a need for improved packaging and refrigeration to reduce this huge annual loss.

Provisions of the 1941 Agricultural Conservation Program will be amended so as to permit the growing of peanuts for oil on any part of the cotton acreage allotment used for cotton.

tension Service. Agents have complete lists of all plans available at State College, and most of the plans are illustrated. All orders for blueprints should be placed through county agents. They are free.

The agricultural engineer thinks that the time will shortly come when farm buildings can be erected or repaired advantageously with respect to cost of materials and labor. "It is true that building materials are higher than usual now," he stated, "and labor is also affected by defense programs including the establishment of army camps and the like. However, as soon as these public works are completed both materials and labor should be more reasonable."

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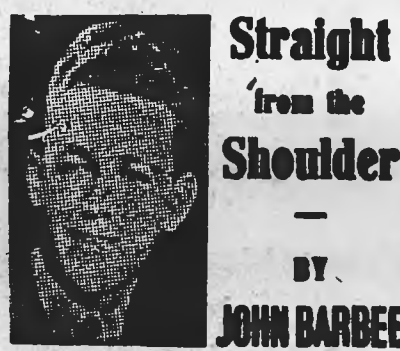
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Straight from the Shoulder BY JOHN BARBEE

We who know the Lord as our personal Savior need to realize the importance of making our issue clear to the world. People need to know what to do to be saved. If you select 10 persons at random on the street and ask them what must they do to go to heaven, they will tell you to live good, pay your debts, go to church, say your prayers and abide by the golden rule.

When God gave His Son, Jesus, to die for us He shut the whole human race up to only one way of salvation. There is no substitute for a definite personal experience with Jesus Christ. When He was here, He said, "I am the way." That way has never been changed. People need to be told that.

We have a sort of notion today that we can get by with a fairly good life; that it isn't necessary for the twentieth century to be born again, but we must emphatically proclaim that the new birth is the only way to live with Jesus forever.

## POULTRY

Interest in the improvement of their poultry flocks continues to grow among Richmond county farmers, says N. L. Hendrix, assistant farm agent of the N. C. State College Extension Service.

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