By D. SCOTT POOLE

The Fayetteville Observer came to our place as long ago as I can remember. It was a weekly newspaper. It first became a daily, four pages, only a few years ago.

in Fayetteville, beginning in the 70's. was a good paper. The publishers loved to Wilmington during the 80's. died there.

a four-page, six-column paper. He setting type. made some money, it was believed, when he sold it.

There is but little money in pub-

IF YOUR NOSE "CLOSES UP"

3-PURPOSE good news...If your nose "closes up" tonight and makes breathing difficult, put 3-purpose Vicks Va-tro-nol up each nostril.

Va-tro-nol does 3 important things. It (1) shrinks swollen membranes, (2) soothes irritation, (3) relieves transient nasal congestion. It brings more comfort, makes breathing easier, thus invites sleen.

And remember it halos invites sleep ... And remember, it helps prevent many

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lishing a small-town newspaper. It can not get a big circulation, because Restrictions on there are not people who want it. A paper with 1,000 subscribers can break even provided it has not too heavy overhead expenses. I have gotten out a weekly paper many a week, month and year with no help at all

I had no knowledge of printing at all when I went into the printing business. I asked a printer-publisher he Carthage Blade was started in what I should charge for advertising the summer of 1878 or '79, published (I knew the subscription price of by H. A. Foote. This was the first county weekly papers, but nothing paper I subscribed for. The North about the right charges for job work, Carolina Presbyterian was published (letterheads, billheads, envelopes,

I went to my office one Wendesday morning, and my printer told me he had the offer of a better job John A. Oats published the North at some other work, and he was leavarolina Baptist in Fayetteville in ing that morning. I wired Fayetteville the90's, and around the turn of the and Maxton for a printer and that century he sold out to the Biblical evening one came from each place. Recorder. Oats' was a church paper, Meantime, a boy in town who had set but in Church paper form. It was a little type and myself went to

> On Thursday morning one printer began correcting the matter the boy and I had set, and I saw before he had worked long, it would have saved time, and we would have gotten the paper out sooner and better if the matter we had set had been dumped. However, I learned to set type in self-defense. Printers, dependable, sober men, were scarce.

They have reformed, and better man some work-to wait upon the milk will begin in that part of the editor and the printer, and he would country. The reason they give for after a while learn to set type, and quitting is a want of labor o make he went out and took a job.

Newspapers used to be uniformly four-page, eight-column newspapers. came into style. Printing is dirty

Few Items to Be Sent Overseas

Soldiers overseas may have written home for matches, cash money, cigarette lighter fluid or intoxicants, but don't send overseas troops any of these items, Headquarters Fourt Service Command has warned.

Mailing restrictions were listed to insure delivery of Christmas presents sent the foreign-duty soldiers by December 25 and the Army Postal Service reissued a plea for all Christmas mailed between October 1 and November 1.

Requests made by the soldiers for matches and cigarette lighter fluid because of the difficulty of obtaining matches in many parts of the world will have to go unfilled because of the danger of spontaneous combustion in mail sacks is too great. However, cigarette ligthers may be mailed but be sure to leave out the fluid.

Cash money is useless as a gift to troops overseas because in many places where U. S. soldiers are sta-It is about like work in a garage, I guess, and a fellow has to cleanup when his day's work is done

or "he is a sight." There is a fine chance for a famine in the United States of America, at least we are going to have a mighty men can be had now, but usually poor living. Dairymen in the Central the printer's devil, a rough boy pick- Western States are selling out their ed up on the streets to save a lazy dairy cows for beef, and a death of

Most reople think too much of money. If there is no butter and milk It was about the turn of the century to be had, you cannot get any for six-column, eight-page newspapers love or money. There will be a scarcity of cheese as well a butter. There will be a scarcity of all meats. You cannot eat your money. The reason for the scarcity of an such is a scarcity of labor to make feed.

> It may get as bad here as it ha been in Greece for instance. Men waiking the streets, begin to stagger, and finally fall and die on the streets. We have read of famines in other parts of the earth, but it has never come to this country. War work and it high prices has made laborers foolish, and seem determined to quit work ltogether, because they cannot get s high wages as they think they hould get. You can buy more with wages you can get here in Raeford than you can get with what you have left after you pay expenses in New York City. Both the stipend and the expense account should be considered in a job.

John McRae and Gus Williford named the post office established at their store just this side of the bridge over Rockfish out the Fayetteville road two miles back in the latter 80's. J. W. McLauchlin bought out McRae & Williford, after he had operated a turpentine business in South Carolina for some years, and had sold that, and returned to his native land. North Carolina,

Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Dickson had more children than they could send John Howard McAnulty to boarding school, particularly those in the primary grades, so after con- Eunice McG McAnulty sulting Mr. McLauchlin, a believer in Education, they resloved to establish a college preparatory school here on the McRae land. Raeford Institute 1895 The farmers living in this sec-Cumberland bought lots and built one here and the other on the farmand they were at home all right at to the plaintiff's complaint filed in either place.

and a number of its pupils got an to the plaintiff. education and entered the gospel ministry. Being a teacher is no great thing, but being good enough to preach is a worthy achievement. daeford Institute Scholars were trained morally as well as intellectually. School children and other convicts

Professional Cards

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tioned there is a local prohibition against importation of United States money, so much money could not be IT PAYS! spent. When sending money to soldiers in other countries use Domestic Postal Money Orders which may be cashed at Army Post Offices anywhere. Money orders overseas are paid in local foreign currency at the current rate of exchange.

Postage for these Christmas pack. ages must be fully prepaid at the regular parcel post rate, only to the port of embarkation. Each should be limited to the size of an ordinary shoe box and weigh no more than six pounds; should be securely wrapped to withstand rigorous handling; and should be wrapped so as to permit ready inspection of the contents by parcels of overseas destination to be the censors. Not more than one Christmas parcel may be mailed in any one week to the same addressee.

Gifts of a personal, utilitarian nature should be sent overseas troops, according to the Army Postal Service. Miscellaneous contents, such as candies, soaps, toilet articles and the like should be packed tightly. Sharp. pointed or sharp-edged instruments such as razors knives or scissors should have their points or edges protected. Thin pasteboard boxes should be enclosed in wood, metal or corrugated pasteboard.

Sealed packages of candy, cigars tobacco and toilet articles may be enclosed within parcels without affecting the parcel post classification of such packages.

A recent War Department survey conducted at ports of embarkation disclosed that approximately 10 per cent of all mail intended for delivery members of the armed forces overseas is incorrectly or insufficiently addressed.

The Army Postal Service reissued the request that all mail addressed to Army personnel serving outside th continental limits of the United State should clearly show: the full name serial number, service organizatio and Army Post Office number of th addressee.

BRISTLES

All brushes made in the United local health regulations, must contain President, GLENN B. RYMAN States, except for war contracts and at least 45 per cent of material other than pig and hog bristles, the WPB has ruled.

DIVERSION

The Government is urging wheat growers who are planning their production for 1943 to divert as much wheat acreage as possible to crops more needed in the war program.

CABBAGE

The Government purchase program has provided a market for much of the fall cabbage crop in the mountain counties which otherwise would have rotted in the field.

Every tanker sunk last Spring in the Axis submarine drive along the Atlantic Coast cost us enough gasoline to drive 13,000 cars from New York to San Francisco.

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

Hoke County In the Superior Court

The defendant, Eunice McG. Mc-Anulty, the defendant in the above entitled action for absolute divorce, will take notice that a summons was resulted, and it opened its doors in issued against her therein on September 15th, 1942, by Edgar Hall, C. S. C., tion of the counties of Robeson and for said purpose, and the defendant will take notice that she is required homes here-had to furnish homes, to appear at said Clerk's office in Raeford, N. C., and answer or demur

> This September 15th, 1942. EDGAR HALL, C. S. C. N. McN Smith, Atty. 4t 8|17|0

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE Having this day qualified as administratix of the estate of Mrs. Nellie Bill, deceased, late of Hoke County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having any claims against the said estate to present them to me, duly verified, on or before the 1st day of September, 1943, or this notice will be pleaded

in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 2nd day of September, 1942. MRS. J. H. NANCE. Administratrix

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Attorney for service: DAN C. BONEY, Insurance Commissioner, Raleigh, N.C. STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, INSURANCE DEPARTMEST,

Raleigh, May 9th, 1942,

I, DAN C. BONEY, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the American Security Insurance Company of Atlanta, Ga., filed with this Department, showing the condition of said Company, on the 31st day of December, 1941. Witness my hand and official seal, the day and year above written. DAN C. BONEY, Insurance Commissioner.

STATEMENT AMERICAN UNION INSURANCE COMPANY NEW YORK, N. Y.

Condition December 31, 1941, as Shown by Statement Filed. Amount of Capital paid in cash\$1,000,000.00 Amount Ledger Assets, Dec. 31st, previous year, \$3,729,794.90 Increase paid up Capital, Total \$3,729,794.90 Income—From Policyholders, \$327,265.95: Miscellaneous, \$131,390.77 Total \$ 458,656.72 Disbursements—To Policyholders, \$109,960.11; Miscellaneous, \$284,605.71 Total \$ 394,565.82 Fire Premiums-Written or renewed duringIn Force \$1,979,249.58 year, \$1,048,568.09 All Other Premiums-Written or renewed during Deposited in Trust Companies and Banks not on interest _______\$ 145,084.35 Agents' balances, representing business written Agents' balances, representing business written Deduct Ceded Reinsurance Balances Payable\$ -16.999.40 Interest and Rents due and accrued _______\$ 20,122.89 All other Assets as detailed in statement ______\$ 23,668.83 said action within 20 days after the Raeford Institute was a good school, on the relief sought may be granted Less Assets not admitted \$ 147,940.51 Total admitted Assets\$3,686.709.51 LIABILITIES Unearned premiums\$ 453,382.10 Salaries, rents, expenses, bills accounts, fees, due or accrued\$ 1,000.00 Estimated amount payable for Federal State, county and Contingent commissions, or other charges due or accrued\$ 4,500.00

> Capital actually paid up in cash\$1,000,000.00 Surplus as regards Policyholders ..\$3,152,222.41 BUSINESS IN NORTH CAROLINA DUBING 1941

Total amount of all liabilities except Capital \$ 534,487.10

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE Premiums Received, 108;
Having this day qualified as ad-

Home Office, 84 William St., New York, N. Y. Attorney for service: DAN C. BONEY, Insurance Commissioner, Raleigh, N.C.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, Raleigh, May 9th, 1942 I, DAN C. BONEY, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that the

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DAN C. BONEY, Insurance Commissioner.

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