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**Memorial For Dr. Watson**

(Laurinburg Exchange)

The people of Greenville, with the Junior Woman's club as leader, are making a noble and beautiful tribute to the late Dr. T. M. Watson. Dr. Watson, son of Mrs. Ella Watson of

Wagram and Riverton, spent most of his professional career at Greenville where he had a wide practice as a specialist in children's diseases. He died recently at the age of fifty-two years.

The people of Greenville, with the woman's organization leading, are establishing the Children's Wing at Pitt General Hospital as a memorial to Dr. Watson, to be known as the Dr. T. M. Watson Memorial Wing. In a statement published in The Greenville Daily Reflector, Mrs. George Ingle, president of the Junior Woman's club, says: "No tribute paid Dr. Watson can truly express our feeling for him, his family and his work. Beloved as he was and will always be, we of the Junior Woman's club are proud that we can establish a living memorial for him. We feel that the beautification of and the purchasing of needed equipment for the children's wing here at the hospital will be a realistic and lasting tribute for one whose first thought was always of children, and whose life was spent in helping them. We are not confining this project to our club alone; we could not justifiably do so. Every individual and organization will want to help us carry on this memorial and we will welcome any aid offered us. Dr. Watson did not belong to any one organization—truly, he belonged to everyone and everyone will be given an opportunity to join in making this tribute a reality."

**POOLE'S MEDLEY**

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Bible with them, but that has never been done. We are now farther from it than ever before.

About the time I married, the highest priced shoe for men in the stores in the towns I visited were priced \$3 a pair, and the highest priced women's shoes I saw were \$2.50 a pair. Recently, I saw a price-list of women's shoes, seventy-five percent heels, and they were priced ten dollars and above.

I paid \$12.50 for a pair of shoes during World War I, shoes which had sold for \$4 or \$5 a pair before the war. They proved to be the sorriest shoes I have ever bought. Leather is now tanned by steam, and somebody will get shoes where a steam jet burned that leather in tanning. I have heard men, who were supposed to know, say that French leather was three years in tanning.

I remember when every farm had a couple of troughs, one for liming the hair off rawhides, and the other for tanning leather. Troughs were

hewn in longleaf pine logs, solid lightwood, and they did good service for a lifetime.

The food scarcity is becoming more acute, especially meats. Our soldiers are out getting a sufficiency, I read a few days ago. The armed forces have been increased on every front, and more foodstuffs are needed. If the folks back home do not get any meat at all, they can get along, if they can get vegetables and a little seasoning.

I question the wisdom of increasing the pay of everybody who holds a state office. Any little office is better than a large business—the office holder takes no risks, nor is he required to incur an expense account. The increase of the pay of judges of our courts is the least justified. They were and are getting enough for the time they are on duty—never over two-thirds time. They all may be at their homes when they are not holding courts.

And, this paying the Lieutenant Governor \$3,000 a year for president over the senate four months is ridiculous. He should get the pay of a legislator, \$600 a term—that is plenty. There have always been too

many legislative employees—about twice as many as do anything.

**Resolutions Of Respect**

Adopted by John W. McLaughlin Bible Class of the Raeford Presbyterian Church at Raeford, N. C.

WHEREAS on the 14 day of March 1945, our Heavenly Father, in his infinite wisdom, goodness and mercy, saw best to remove from our midst, our beloved friend and co-worker in Christ, Mr. Evander Blue McNeill, we, the members of the said Bible class, who have been associated with Mr. McNeill in the church and Sunday school, knowing his fine traits of Christian character, his faithfulness as a friend and brother, his great understanding of human nature, his courage to take the stand for right, his liberality in all worthy causes, his constant attendance at meetings of this class, we, therefore, bow our heads in humble submission to God's will and do hereby resolve; that we, by this means express our appreciation of his life and work, and our deep gratitude for his inspiration to us. That a copy of these resolutions be recorded in the regular minutes of the John W. McLaughlin Class and that copies be sent to the family, to the local paper and to the Christian Observer for publication.

H. W. B. Whitley, chairman; Clarence Lytch, H. C. McLaughlin.

North Carolina has 2.4 hospital beds per 1,000 population as compared with the recommended 4 beds. This means an additional 6,000 hospital beds for the state.

**For "Safety" Retreading**  
 Send or Bring your Tires TO—  
**WALKER'S**  
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 435 Russell St. Fayetteville  
 There's A "Walker" Dealer in Your Community. Consult him about prices and service.

**LEGAL NOTICES**

**EXECUTOR'S NOTICE**

Having qualified, this 19th day of March, 1945, as executor of the estate of E. B. McNeill, deceased, late of Hoke County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to exhibit them, duly verified according to law, to the undersigned at his home in Raeford, on or before the 22 day of March, 1946, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

REAVES DRUG STORE—Raeford

**WANT ADS**

**YELLOW CORN** for sale, John B. Haire, Rt. 2., Raeford. 45p

**WANTED**—good colored family to live on farm, to do day work. Have good house. When not needed, they can get work in nearby peach orchard. A. B. Tapp, Timberland. 45p

**WHITE SPITZ**, 4 months old, disappeared Friday. Answers to name of "Tippy." Reward for return of puppy. Mrs. W. T. Covington. 45c

**FOR SALE**—500 capacity automatic electric brooder. J. D. Tapp, Timberland. 45p

**LOST**—brown billfold Saturday night between Lawrence Conoly's and Rockfish station containing A & B gas books, drivers license, car and trailer titles and other valuable papers. Reward. Claude A. Tyler, Rt. 2, Raeford. 45-46p

**WATERMELON SEED** of all varieties. See us now. Quantity limited in some kinds. The Johnson Company. 41-42c

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 MAKE THIS 10 MINUTE TEST  
 Get a mobile liquid with strong PENETRATING power. One containing full strength alcohol is good. Powders, ointments and acid solutions do not penetrate sufficiently. To-ol is the only solution, we know of, with 90% alcohol. Feel it PENETRATE, REACHES MORE GERMS. Most drug stores have the test size. Small lot just arrived at Reaves Drug Store.

J. L. McNeill, Executor Estate of E. B. McNeill. 42-46c

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE**  
 Having qualified as co-administrators of the estate of John Culbreth, deceased, late of Hoke County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them duly verified according to law to M. M. Culbreth at Shannon, RFD, on or before April 4, 1946, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.  
 This 4th day of April, 1945.  
 Mrs. Neallie Culbreth and M. M. Culbreth, Co-Administrators, Estate of John Culbreth. 44-46c

**Lemon Juice Recipe Checks Rheumatic Pain Quickly**

If you suffer from rheumatic, arthritic or neuritic pain, try this simple inexpensive home recipe that thousands are using. Get a package of Ru-Ex Compound, a 2 weeks' supply today. Mix it with a quart of water, add the juice of 4 lemons. It's easy, pleasant and no trouble at all. You need only 3 tablespoonfuls two times a day. Often within 48 hours — sometimes overnight — splendid results are obtained. If the pain 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 REAVES DRUG STORE—Raeford

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

**The Cuppers Have a Dream Come True**

Dee and Jane Cuppers used to say that as soon as the children had flown the roost, they were going off together on a second honeymoon... take a trip... or rent an apartment in the city.

So after little Sue got married, I stopped in to say goodbye. Dee was sitting in his favorite chair before the fire, sipping a mellow glass of beer. And Jane was busy with her knitting, just as always. They looked about as restless as the tabby cat on the hearth.

"Jane and I figured," Dee explained, "that you couldn't beat

being at home alone together, with our own things—talking and reading—enjoying my glass of beer, and Jane her buttermilk—living and letting live. I guess you can't beat home!"

From where I sit, Dee's had a better dream come true—the dream of peace and tolerance and understanding that we all are fighting for, and praying for, today.

*Joe Marsh*

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**Where is NORTH CAROLINA'S PULPWOOD?**

Pulpwood is the No. 1 bottleneck of war production. North Carolina is one of the chief pulpwood-producing areas...and North Carolina is not producing as it should. The situation here is so bad that some mills may have to shut down for lack of Pulpwood.

**What Are You Going To Do About It?**

If you have any suitable woodland of your own; if you can cut and haul pulpwood from someone else's land; if you can take even a part-time job in the woods, you have an opportunity to help shorten the war and at the same time put yourself in a fine peacetime business.

The greatest source of increased pulpwood production so far has been the farm woodlot, and it is to the farmer we must look now for help in meeting the present emergency.

**Pulpwood Always Will Be In Demand**

The present huge demand for pulpwood is due to the war; but it isn't going to stop when the war stops. Many new uses have been developed for pulpwood for which there is a waiting civilian market.

Pulp and paper—already the nation's 6th largest industry—has a great post-war future. Pulpwood is the basic raw material for many of the new products that are coming. It will be a good business for you to be in after the war as well as today.

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Beginning Saturday, April 11th, our garage, parts and repair departments, will be

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**AT 1 O'CLOCK P. M.**

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