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Autumn leaves are something to rave about, even when they clutter up the lawn.

What Europe's diplomats need to do is sit awhile at the foot of Egypt's Sphinx.

Diversified farming doesn't necessarily mean that a mortgage should be added to the farm program.

"A family man is one who works all day to provide for his family and then feels grateful if one of them sews on a button for him."—Robert Quillen.

There she blows again! Anthony Eden tells the British Parliament that Uncle Sam called that "quarantine" conference. Meaning we reckon, that if there is any quarantining done we will have to do it.

Is It the Beginning of a Clean-Up?

That was an impressive start of a rumrunner purge for Northwest Carolina at Winston-Salem last week, and as such commands the deep interest of the people of this immediate section. When federal agents arranged for the change of address of twenty-five of these master bootleggers who will now get their mail via federal prisons in Chillicothe and Atlanta, it is estimated that Winston-Salem's supply of drinking liquor

will be reduced by one-half.

A Winston-Salem newspaper man estimates that these conspirators, representing to rum-running gangs have poured 100,000 gallons of liquor into the twin-city in the last year, which indicates a right profitable business, thank you, as well as a thirsty

It is significant that among the twenty-five are some of the ring-leaders in the racket, not all of them, perhaps, but enough to show that the law in this case was not satisfied with taking the go-betweens for a ride. Most of them were rounded up several months ago, but followed the usual course by giving bond and then going right back into their business again, but the profits they built will hardly be considered satisfactory compensation for the two-three years of enforced idleness they will experience.

If any one of them expected tenderness and mercy at the hands of Judge Johnson J. Hayes they were disappointed. Feling as he does about liquor it was an easy matter for him to say "eighteen months" and "three years" in Chillicothe or Atlanta. And along with the federal judge's antipathy for liquor is the fact that these offenders were bilking Uncle Sam out of some \$200,000 or more in taxes. And that in itself has come to be an impelling motive these days for the law's effectiveness.

But what has Winston-Salem to say about it? In the break-down of these deliveries, it is estimated that around 150 gallons of contraband liquor was poured into that city every day for the past year. And of course that doesn't represent the total consumption. We call that going some for a dry community that we'll bet a pewter nickel would vote conclusively against the establishment of liquor stores within its boundaries. If editor Sanford Martin will take the time to explain, we'd be mighty much oblige.

Doesn't Seem to Hinder

When any human activity presents a picture of enduring success, the tax hounds are not slow to scent its trail, and beat a path to its door. Every legislative body in the country is looking for new tax sources, and unlike Diogenes they don't nose around with a lantern either.

More often than not when they tap the till of heavy profits they coninue the toll in mounting schedules until there is utter dis-

couragement.

But the auto industry is about the only exception to this rule. Taxed almost beyond all conception, the sales continue to mount, replacements are a certainty, and although loaded to the hilt with taxes the industry thrives to the point where it has become one of the most extensive in the land.

Count 'em: Registration fees, drivers' license, luxury taxes, sales taxes, gasoline taxes, tire taxes, and accessory and title These run the totals to a big per cent-ne costs of owning a car. Yet they age the costs of owning a car. are being sold in increasing numbers.

The increased and increasing output indicates that even though those who buy pay these tolls, apparently they like it, and autos continue to crowd the assembly lines of dozens of makers, every one of them a ticket-taker for governments that must have mon-ey to keep the trough full of swill for those who have their feet in it.

If this proves anything it is that the richest tax field and one that brings the least grumbling is that which involves the pleasure of the American people. They are inclined to grumble like blue blazes about taxes on what they eat and wear-all necessities of life. But when they take a notion for a new flivver or a week-end football game they don't whimper when the government reaches out an itchy palm.

Can't Come

The decision of England's one-time king to defer indefinitely his proposed visit to the United States will be disappointing to socialites who have been all agog about what was ahead for them, but if that is the way he feels about it, there won't be much sleep lost because of it in this neck of the woods.

True, a lot of us would have been pleased to have the Duke, if he really is sincere about studying labor conditions in this country, to visit around undisturbed and unpiloted as he was in Germany where he was allowed to see only one side of the picture and that painted by a representative of Adolph Hitler. And besides, America has a warm feeling for the Duke, who as crown prince mingled among our people for a spell and made a favorable impression. But if he and his publicity-seeking manager thinks that we will be set on our ears about the cancellation of his trip, they have another think coming.

The cancellation was prompted by the attitude of Lewis and Green, heads of the organized labor groups, not toward Edward himself, but Charles Bedaux who seemed to be acting as advance agent for the show. Bedaux, who has made gobs of money charting efficiency plans for industry is the originator of the "stretchout system." employed in many mills in this country, a system that labor has been fighting with might and main since its initiation, and labor leaders quite naturally did not feel very kindly toward one whom they felt was unfriendly to them, especially when there was the probability that if anything comes from the Duke's professed interest in the worker, Bedaux's ideas most certainly would be applauded and exalted in whatever conclusions Edward would give to the world.

So far as the stretchout system is concerned, it has merit that common sense will luted. recognize at a glance, but that is an argument that calls for all the details of its workings, except that it could be boiled down to say that the system provides for a reward for the ambitious worker who produces more without penalizing those who are willing to measure their efforts by the clock -thus running counter to the theories of organized labor.

But going back to the Duke's non-visit. We sympathize with Wally in her disappointment in the trip back home, for she must be lonesome for the good old American ways. But there is a finality about royalty that must be respected, as probably she, like we, have observed.

The Grange Leadership

The election of Harry B. Caldwell as Master of the North Carolina Grange has been given favorable comment throughout son who acts because of dire nethe State, although his selection means that cessity. native Tarheels have willingly been eased aside to make room for a Northener who has been among them for only a comparatively

Caldwell is an Ohioan whose first work in North Carolina was in our neighbor county, Wilkes, where he organized Grange units that have endured. The fact of their continued strength and interest attest Caldwell's efficiency in laying the foundation. He will make a clean and alert leader for this farm organization, and one commentator declares that under his leadership the Grange will attain a prestige hitherto un-reached or it will break up into factions, rather than stand still.

Harry Caldwell has been among us long enough to know that rural North Carolina is not exactly a replica of rural Ohio, and if sentiment here runs counter to the national policies of the Grange he will know it without being told. Then if he elects to run counter to North Carolina sentiment, if he undertakes to reshape it, time alone will determine the measure of his success.

For one thing is certain; right now there is a differing viewpoint. The national Grange is one of the oldest farm organizations and is particularly strong in the central and middle western sections. But the national Grange is up to its ears in politics. Its officers have loudly opposed administration policies, while North Carolina farmers have been inclined to string clong with the have been inclined to string along with the New Deal.

It is significant that at the Winston-Salem meeting of the Grange, although it is generally admitted that the majority of members in this State favor compulsory crop control legislation, the State Grange straddled the issue. Obviously this action was in deference to the parent organization if not actually at its behest. All of which is the Grange's own business. But we are remembering the fate of the old Farmer's Al- tette, Jonesville, liance that went into a veritable tailspin when it jumped into politics in this State.

The fact that the writer stood in a place unbelievably small, did not blader a keen enjoyment in

We are sincerely hoping that Harry Caldwell will pilot his organization over the shoals and into still waters, because it can be made a force for good in North Carolina singer), Mr. D. D. Day. with able leadership, such as we are sure he is capable of providing.

(By C. M. Dickson)

FIRESIDE PHILOSOPHY .. Neither the cynic, the stoic, nor the Epicurean has the proper philosophy of life.

The person who helps one our of trouble, of course, is a friend, but the one who keeps him out, a better one.

The safe engineer is the one who keeps his eye in advance of his train.

The size of a person depends upon whom he is with.



ence between a wise man and a foolish one is that the wise one looks ahead and the foolish one ooks behind.

Experience is one of the "torchlights" of civilization,

One should be careful in ac epting a gift from an enemy.

Neither sophistry nor platitudes will suffice for real truth.

han that of gratitude, The quickest way to kill a "tale'

is to kill it before it is born. No person has any friends to

A good habit should be cultivated; a bad one should be let die.

If the head of the fountain is muddy, the whole stream is pol- itors at the Saturday evening

The person who lives right will vidently die right.

Just one little daisy by the side Mrs. R. C. Harris Sunday. of life's road is worth more than placed upon a dead man's grave.

you are primarily interested and I will tell you the stuff you are made of.

a great measure, is not able to control himself. One immediate need - real

home-makers. However worthy the cause, full credit cannot be given to the per-

Wise indeed is he who, through foresight, forestalls distress and family of White Rock, were week-destruction.

For Sale: 6-room house between end visitors in this commuity.

fish is to either stay out of the tinsville, Va., over the week-end. water or swim faster than the big

COOL SPRINGS

Who of us does not remember our happy visits to the old homeplace, when the table had all the pound baby girl. room for the children, and the of near Galax, Va., were visiting friends? And then oftimes visitors here there would not be room, and a econd table had to be spread.

Well that is what happened at Cool Springs Sunday, the children returned again, and many daughter, Mary Ellen, of Jones visitors too were welcomed here. The house was filled to overflowing, and all standing room taken spending some time here with h and yet the crowd gathered.

An old-fashion friendliness, hearty comradeship marked the in Sunday school here, which gathering through the song ses- holding up good, with sion; and we had just one grade of singing and that was good. Sixteen groups of singers were

Those participating in the song service were: Cool Springs' Old Time Singers (without music), Yadkin Valley Four, Bethel Four, Glenhope Singers of Burlington, Eureka Quintette, Sunshine Quar tette, Young Ladies Quartette Cool Springs, Happy Day Quartette, South Fork of Winston-Saem, Friendly Four, East Elkin, J. P. Adams and daughter, Shady Grove had two groups present, a quartette and an octette, Cool Springs' Junior Duet, Wall Quar-

not hinder a keen enjoyment in the spiendid program presented under the capable management of the chairman, (himself a noted

The next singing will be held with Arlington Baptist church,

by A. B. CHAPIN

Before The Supreme Court ALL SIX MILLION OF YOU WHO ANNUALLY PAY NINE MILLION DOLLARS FOR HUNTING LICENSES WHO SPEND ANNUALLY THREE HUNDRED AND FIFTY MILLION DOLLARS FOR ARMS, AMMUNITION, HUNTING EQUIPMENT AND SO FORTH, WHO ARE INDIFFERENT TO THE HEEDLESS DESTRUCTION OF WILD-LIFE BREEDING, FEEDING AND WINTER AREAS, ARE CHARGED WITH AIDING AND ABETTING THE WILFUL AND WANTON EXTERMINATION OF THE NATION'S DWINDLING SUPPLY OF GAME ANIMALS -GUILTY OR NOT GUILTY

beyond Jonesville, the first Sun- GIRLS WANTED: To learn For Sale-H. P. Jackson The gods have no greater gift day afternoon in February, 1938.

> Visitors in this community over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wall and children of Elkin, who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Pettyjohn.

> Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pettyjohn of Winston-Salem, together with the remainder of his South Quartette were guests of his father, Mr. M. L. Pettyjohn, and visprayer service.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Calloway

and children, Conrad and Lyndon Ward, and Albert Macey of Fieldale, Va., were guests of Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Linder had

all the floral wreaths that can be as their guests Sunday, Mr. and blaced upon a dead man's grave.

Mrs. J. T. Linder and children of Salisbury, Mr. and Mrs. S. Tell me the things in which Linder of Monroe, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cummings

had as their guests Sunday Mrs. Duella Shore and children Jonesville.

We'r'e looking for you at the No person is fit to rule who, in series of services to be held here beginning Sunday. An old fash-ioned welcome awaits you, at an

old fashioned church, where form and formality are a thing heard of but not known. Come and worship with us.

THURMOND

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Loyd and Mrs. J. A. Norman and The only safety for the little Luther, visited relatives in Mar-Paul Kennedy of Virginia, is spending some time here with rel-

atives,
Misses Lavaude and Helen
Simmons of Elkin, spent the
week-end here with their par-

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Norman an nounce the birth of a fine, seve Mr. and Mrs. Garland Carte

son, Ray, of Leaksville, sper Saturday here with relatives. ville, were week-end visitors her Mrs. Ruth Billings of Elkin,

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Parks an

We are proud of the attendance number present last Sunday. Everyone is invited to attend an hear a good sermon

We buy scrap iron and metals. Double Eagle Service Co., Elkin, N. C.

AVAILABLE AT ONCE Rawleigh Route. Good opportunity for man over 25 with car to con-tinue service. Trade well estab-lished. Route experience helpful but not necessary. Write at once Rawleigh's, Dept. NCK-64-102, Richmond, Va.

Vanted: All grades poplar, oak, pine, maple logs, seven feet long, delivered to our Elkin plant. Can us them as small as six inches in diameter; also oak and poplar lumber. Oak Furniture Co.'s Elkin plant, old

Beauty Culture. Complete course \$50.00. Free use of tools and practice materials. Many positions open to well trained operators. We have no operators out of employment. Write for Lost-Pointer Bird Dog, booklet. Hinshaw School of Beauty Culture, Box 46, North Wilkesboro, N. C. 11-11c

Wanted to repair — radios. Our expert thoroughly knows his business. Prices right. Harris Electric Co., Elkin, N. C. * tfc

HOME FOR SALE

-room home with tub and shower bath, large lot, other outbuildings. On U. S. Highway No. 21, in Arlington.

Vanted-Tobacco and corn rent er with stock and tools for Yadkin farm. Good tobacco land. 18 acres bottom. give right man extra good

REICH & HUNT

Fifty acres for sale, 1-4 mile from Traphill high school. Good tobacco land. See or write A. Wilkesboro, Brinegar, 11-11-pd.

See the New Myers Traction Sprayer. It is a one-man, onetwo-row Sprayer. It sprays from 10 to 15 acres daily. Casstevens Hardware Co., El-

REAL ESTATE

mill. Price \$600, 1-2 cash, balance on easy terms. For Sale: Some good small and

large farms in Yadkin and Surry Counties. See me for your real estate needs

D. C. MARTIN, Realton

home place, containing 52 acres. Myrtle Pryor, 112 North Graham Street, Winston-Salem, N.

tan and white color, wearing name plate on collar. Reward for return. H. P. Graham. 11-11c

Federal Land Bank offers for sale Isaac N. Watson farm, 3 miles southwest of Elkin, containing 89 acres, 35 acres being bottom land on Yadkin river. Two dwellings, etc. Also for sale, C. B. Sisk farm, Kapps Mill, containing 245 acres, one good dwelling and two tenant houses These farms can be bought for less than actual value for quick sale. Only 20 per cent cash, balance in 20 years, 5 per cent in-terest. Look them over today and write J. Tracy Moore, P. O. Box 2018, Greensboro, N. C.

Do you want plenty of eggs from strong, fast growing young chicks? If so feed Panamin. We have it. Abernethy's, A Good Drug Store, Elkin, N. C. tfn

For Rent-Three-room apartment on first floor. Private bath. Mrs. Carl Chappell, Phone 136-M.

FREE! If excess acid causes you Stomach Ulcers, Gas Pains, Indigestion, Heartburn, Belching, Bloating, Nausea, get free samdoctor's prescription, at Turner Drug Co.

Squibbs Mineral Oil, quart size 89c. Antacid Powder, large size 50c. Nyseptol, pint 49c. Gallon Mineral Oil \$2.25. Turner Days Co., Elkin, N. C.

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2nd: 3 Suits Dresses Clean 3rd: 2 Suits or Dresses Cleaned. Winners Last Week:

1ST PRIZE-MRS. HERBERT COCHRANE 2ND PRIZE—MILLARD KEARNEY 3RD PRIZE-MRS. C. R. WATT, Ronda, N. C.

