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Weekly Report Of Legislature

Bills Of General Interest And Of Major Importance To Public

BEER BILL UP WINE, Wine and beer measures held th

spotlight of public interest during the

past week, in which 130 new bills wer introduced in the House and Senate After a number of local bills authorizing various boards of county commissioners to regulate sales of beet and wine on Sunday and to impose a "curfew" during the week had been introduced, Representatives Poole and Gass came in with a State-wide beer and wine bill which would prohibit sales of beer and wine between 11:30 p. m. and 7 a. m., every day, make it unlawful to allow consumption on the premises between midnight and 7 a. m every day, and authorize any county or municipality to prohibit sales on Sunday. A new set-up for dealing with the wine situation would be created by two bills introduced by Representative Caveness, HB 143, "To encourage the growing of grapes fruits, and berries in North Carolina to increase wine taxes; and to pro vide ways and means of administer would place a tax on "table wines (not over 14 percent alcoholic con

ing 'The Wine Control Act of 1943' tent) of 15c per gallon, and a tax of 35c per gallon on "dessert wines" (14 percent to 20 percent.) 21/2c per gallon of the taxes would be appropriated to use of the "Wine Control Division" for the administration of the Act, and another 2½c per gallon of the taxes would be set aside for the promotion of grape culture, HB 143 would create Control Division" in the De partment of Revenue under a Directo who would have power to adopt, with the approval of the Governor, rules and regulations with respect to production and transportation of wine.

An even dozen bills dealing with matters connected with Superior Court clerks were introduced in a single day

by Representative Shreve, and three days later he brought in three more. Those bills would: reduce the time for filing claims against estates from 12 to 6 months after publication of the publication of the publication of the union county chairman. Members of the Union county group, the said are cooperating in a "permanant to the publication of the union county group, the said are cooperating in a "permanant to the publication of the union county group, the said are cooperating in a "permanant to the publication of the union county group, the said are cooperating in a "permanant to the publication of the union county group, the said are cooperating in a "permanant to the publication of the union county group." authorize payment of dower interest in cash when real estate is sold to make assets to pay debts, unless the widow elects to receive the income: industrial salvage manager for the reduce the time for bringing actions upon claims rejected by a fiduciary that materials frequently considered the representative of a decendent from ginal source of raw materials in anliability for assets paid out if the other.

claim was not presented within six "In this case," Mr. Parsely said, months after first publication; reduce "the industry benefiting by this salexecutors, administrators, collectors and trustees under wills to file annual accounts within 10 days after an order to do so entered by the clerk, instead of allowing 20 days thereafter as at present, and likewise reduce the time.

The description of the salvage committees and trustees under will be commission and resold, but the nationwide salvage cambairm and trustees under way now. Howard then made it a death trap for the chairman and knew which way duty pointed. The three Howards took out one of the last two remaining Garages.

Russian 'troops, who first turned sold, but the nationwide salvage cambairm was under way now. Howard then made it a death trap for the Nazi invaders and scene of the worst German defeat of the war, have wiped out one of the last two remaining Garages. of allowing 20 days thereafter as at ton, N. C., is Chairman for the Eighth present, and likewise reduce the time District of which Union county is a present, and likewise reduce the time for obeying orders to executors, administrators and collectors to file inventories and accounts of sales; authorize the appointment of a trustee instead of a guardian for insane persons, lunatics or idiots over 21 years of age, and strike out the authority of the clerk to name a trustee rather than a guardian for persons incapable of managing their own affairs by reason correct a defect in the law with reto the reduction of a guardian's bond upon deposit with the clerk of would be reduced proportionately: provide for the probate of wills of m bers of the armed forces and merchant and baby girl R3. Monroe: Mrs. Arthur marine, executed while in active ser-vice, upon the oath of three credible Henry Bass, Marshville; Mrs. Charles witnesses as to the genuineness of the Fegley and baby boy, Monroe; Mrs. signature; allow a voluntary filing of L. S. Mullis, R2, Monroe; Flora Richa final account by an executor or adardson, R4, Monroe; Mrs. Frances Mc-ministrator at any time after 12 Ginnis Tate, Monroe; Ben Griffith, R4, months from the first publication of Monroe; Edison Williams, Monroe notice to creditors; require a mini- Mrs. Robt. Presley, Monroe; Chas. Wal mum increase bid and deposit of \$20 ter Helms, Charlotte; Mrs Mary Eliza-in foreclosure sales and sales by vari-beth Deese, R1, Monroe; Mary Forous fiduciaries, and provide that insythe, Wingate; Mrs. Finley Baker and crease bid must be 10 percent of the baby boy, Monroe; Mrs. D. C. Plyler, first \$500 of the sale price, and 5 per-R2, Matthews; Jessie Jo Jackson, R1, amend the law with respect to invest-ments by the clerk. [Monroe; Mrs. J. C. Mangum, R2,

The North Carolina State Guard received attention in five separate bills, which would appropriate \$5,800 for each of the next two fiscal years for the administration of nine additional units, \$118,901.95 for equipment for the next biennium, and \$103,349.12 for Shaw, R5, Monroe; Mrs. W. V. Shaw, R5, Monroe; Mrs. W. V. Shaw, R5, Monroe; Mrs. S. J. Robinston, R1, Monroe; Mrs. Beamon Craig. State Guard each of the next two fiscal years to defray the costs of a ten-day encamptent; authorize the use of school busses for the transportation of the State Guard or National Guard to williams, R2, Monroe; Mrs. D. C. and from places of encampment when condered by the Governor; and fix Monroe; Percy Morie, R1, Marshyille; preferred by the Governor; and fix he age limits for membership in the sate Guard at not less than 18 nor note than 50.

speed laws applicable to public and private ambulances.

Other bills of general interest introduced during the week would: remove defendants in actions to foreclose county and municipal tax liens

Believes In and Practices Buying Bonds



HE MEANS BUSINESS-and not business as usual. Harry J. Howard (left) of Monroe, a distributor in the Camp Sutton Area Engineer's department and a man who realizes there's a war on, is shown here turning over \$3,000, including all his salary checks, uncashed, to Lieutenant Fred C. Hensley, executive and War Bond officer of the department, to purchase bonds. This brought his total bond investment, since the war began, to \$13,000-

NAME COMMITTEE FOR COLLECTION OF SALVAGE Reds Crush

industrial salvage manager for the War Production Board, pointed out

part. "With this setup in Union county," Mr. Parsley said, "it appears that the salvage organization in this area is in competent hands."

Rresident plant salvage managers are as follows: Monroe—Manetta Mills, John M. Carroll; Monroe Mills, D. H. Anderson: Union Mills, D. H. Ander on; Southern Cotton Oil Company R. E. Connell. Waxhaw-Waxhaw Cotton Mills, Lloyd Haywood.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Admissions: Mrs. Archie Pittman of the excess over \$500; and Mt. Croghan, S. C.; Mrs. Homer Mor

China Grove.

the duration of the war, the limit would be set at 35 mph, set to increase or decrease by the mor and Council of State to conto the national war policy, by of, while HB 189 would make the laws applicable to rabile and present wars apply to veterans of the laws applicable to rabile and present wars and council of the veterans Employment Preference Act apply to veterans of the laws applicable to rabile and present wars and council to the laws applicable to results and present wars and council to the laws applicable to results and present wars and council to the laws applicable to results and present wars and council to the laws applicable to the laws applicabl ence Act apply to veterans of the present war; and require the judge in a divorce action, where the pleadings contain na allegations regarding the care, custody or maintenance of minor children of the marriage, to order the superintendent of public welfare to investigate and report to the court whether there are minor children in sections and to make recommendations.

whether there are minor children involved and to make recommendations
concerning them.

The only bills of general interest
ratified during the week were: SB 2,
creating a State post-war reserve fund,
and HB 35 which exempts members
of the armed forces from payment of
poil taxes for the duration of the war
and for the first listing period thereafter. Reported unfavorably by the
committee was SB 42, which would
have made it unlawful for anyone but
an election official or a voter in pro-

Nazi Hordes

Stalingrad's Siege Forces Of 330,000 Men Nearly Wiped Out

100,000

a field marshal and 16 generals was At that time they had over 1,400 announced by the Soviets late Sunday automobiles in varying stages of repair night in a triumphant special commu-

city, crushing the enemy pocket west of the central part of Stalingrad, it was stated in the communique broadcast by Moscow and recorded here by months. Austin and Frank were called

the Soviet radio monitor. Taken prisoner was Field Marshal Gen. Friedrich Paulus, commander of the crushed German Sixth army and Fourth tank army, and 16 of his generals. Paulus, whose promotion from colonel general was announced today by the Germans, is the first Nazi field marshal to be taken

prisoner in the war. All that remained of the huge armies that Hitler sacrificed at Stalingrad was a pocket in the northern factory area of the city, and this too the Soviet vise.

Thus was the fate of the German forces which rejected a Soviet ultimatum earlier this month to surrender The Russians declared that informs

tion from the captured generals show-ed the army trapped by the offensive begun in November numbered 330,000 troops, and not 220,000 at first estithe general offensive launched

January 10 after the ultimatum was "Soviet troops according to incomplete data have destroyed over 100,000 German officers and men," the communique asserted. In the last four days alone, it said

18,000 Germans were taken prisoner making a total of 46,000 laying down their arms since the last Soviet drive

The 16 captured general included seut. Gen. Schmidt, Paulus' chief of staff, and the quartermaster German Sixth army Of the other 14, ten were German lieutenant two were German major and two were Rumanian

Seven colonels also were gathered up in the final liquidation drive.
"In the course of the fighting and also according to evidence given by German generals who were taken prisoners, it has been established that he lovember 23, 1942, at least 330,000 of the enemy were encircled, including construction and police detachments and not 220,000 as reported before,

DRAFT RECLASSIFICATIONS

Local Draft Boards announce

Iollowing reclassifications:
Harold H. Blount, 3-B; William Pink Stevens, 1-A; William Calvin McGuirt, 2-B; Thomas Durwood Winchester, 2-A; Reece B. Mackey, 4-A; John Vivian Kindley, Jr., 1-A; Henry Junior Brace, 1-A; Craven DeWitt Punderburk, 3-A; Jack Piyler Baker, 2-C; Charles Herbert Pierce, P; Pred Lathan, 1-A; Bill Dudley Milton, 1-A; Herman Worth Privette, 1-A.

THE WAR IN BRIEF

The last Germans in central Stalingrad have been liquidated and the Sixth army commander of a 330,000-man force, Field Marshal Friedrich Paulus, and 16 generals have surrendered, a triumphant special Russian communique anunced last night.

Coupled with the Stalingrad victory were continued triumphs in the North Caucasus beyond re-captured Maikop and Tikhoretsk and in the Voronezh sector where ped German divisions were being cut up.

British bombers set great fires in the battered port of Hamburg and unloaded explosive eargoes on oth-er targets in western Germany in quick followup of their two mo-rale-shattering attacks on Berlin Saturday while Hitter's henchmen were exhorting the home front to more sacrifices and a fight to the

In Tunisia the Germans cracked the lightly equipped French lines 60 miles west of Sfax near Sidi Bouzid. Allied air power was thrown into the breach, blasting the German tank, artillery and infantry columns four times, de-stroying at least 12 of the attack-

THE HOWARDS BELIEVE IN LETTING 'EM HAVE IT

Turn Large Sums Into War Bonds With Pleasure.

Public Relations Office, Camp Sutton) "Give 'em the works!" may not be the family motto of the Harry J. Howards, who used to run a salvage yard on the Waxhaw road near Monroe, but it would do very nicely if they needed one. They are a clan who take their part in the war effort very much to heart. Lieutenant Fred C. Hansly, War Bond Officer in the office of the Camp Sutton Area En-gineer, discovered this recently when Harry J., now a distributor in the same department, brought him \$4,000 including all the salary checks he had received since he started work there in October, and turned it in as pay-

ment on eight \$500 War Bonds. This action, striking as it is, is by no means the Howards major effort This action, striking as it is, is by no means the Howards major effort toward promoting Axis defeat. When the Japanese struck at Pearl Harbor, Howard and his two sons, Austin and Pearly were correcting a successful. SLAUGHTERED Frank, were operating a successful salvage business and running a small Virtually complete destruction of Hitler's proud Stalingrad-siege forces of 330,000 men, with smashing of two crack Nazi armies, killing of 100,000 in the last 20 days alone, and capture of a field marshal and 16 generals was a field artilleryman in the last an instance of the same farm on the outskirts of Monroe. Howard, a field artilleryman in the last war, foresaw that this one would be "no joke" and after a family council to determination to come to grips with the enemy and end the war as soon as possible and have abounding confidence in their ability to do it."

The Secretary's trip was a most complete inspection, involving more

cutting up good and bad alike They filled two freight cars a day

with scrap metal for a period qualified machinists and took them-Howard hired help to take their places, outpaced the influx of junk and cleared his yard by October. He then took the entire proceeds, some \$10-000 and put it in War Bonds. Following this he presented himself to

looking for a job. Hired as a distributor, he went wholeheartedly about cisely at 11 a. m., Berlin time, as the so successful, not only financially but making himself useful, but it was not be-medalled Goering was ready to in stimulating interest of the memuntil the bond-episode recently that his employers realized that he was being hemmed in ever closer by doing it for nothing. Further inquiries elicited from Howard, who is the re- Berlin radio here in London. There verse of a braggart, the information were shouts, too, indicating turmoil hem Church and Mr. Key are to disthat his sons were duplicating his eaforts up north, retaining only enough
money for their board and lodging,
for shelter.

The Berlin radio remained on the
Mecklenburg Presbytery is encouraging the rest back monthly to buy

that the farm saw to his and Mrs. speech.'
Howard's immediate needs. "We have Then Howard's immediate needs. "We have enough home-canned goods for some won't have to crowd anybody."

Hensley and James H Glenn, admin-istrative assistant in the office and to his people on the former Proctor and Gamble salesman-ager in West Virginia, the balance of No British planes were planes, guns, and other war material were captured, the Russians said.

The 16 captured general description of the said of the

percent-of-salary plan prior to De-cember. A graphic "thermometer cember. A graphic "thermometer chart," showing the office temperature in subscription percentages, plus a "pep" speech given by Lieutenant Hensley and the institution of preference-scape, regarding time-off and other features—on a bond-subscription taneously spur them to a total basis, pushed the percentage to the and threaten death to shirkers. ark by the second week in Janu Many employees and officia ary. have also made extensive bond pur chases beyond and apart from subscriptions, hundred dollar transctions being not uncommon.

RELIC BACK ON RAILS

Street Car Called Into Service By An ancient relic of the gay nineties, an 1899 street car, is back on the rails

An ancient relic of the gay nineties, an 1899 street car, is back on the rails again in Vancouver, British Columbia. If was once a summer car with removable sides and cross seats.

Called into service by the transit emergency, the vehicle has been entirely rebuilt to measure four feet longer than the usual car and to seat 42 passengers.

The national situation relative to due the county, are far less than they

The national situation relative the supply and demand for farm labor have been in many a year,

In Bomb Raid

Visits Pacific Ocean Area And Goes Through Two

Japanese Bombings

TOKYO TO BE BOMBED

Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox. Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, command-er in chief of the Pacific ocean area, and Admiral William F. Halsey, com-mander of the South Pacific force, were under Japanese air attack twice within the past two weeks.

The first attack was a short one at Espiritu Santo, in the New Hebrides, and the second one, much heavier, of seven hours duration, was on Guadalcanal. No casualties were reported in

Secretary Knox described them as like bombing attacks in 1918 and that Senate convenes at noon. the Japanese high level bombardment was "very inaccurate."

About the attack on Espirtu Santo, there Admiral Halsey met him, the Secretary said: "It was the first attack there. How

the Japs got the information we before 8 p. m. eastern war time, said don't know, but they didn't do us only that the President had returned, any harm, except to keep us awake."
"I think there are darn good prospects of an air attack on Tokyo," he said in answer to a question, but when or how it will hit, I will not say, but they better get ready.

"I think the President had returned, adding that the last stage of the trip had been made by special train from Miami after a flight from Brazil.

Mr. Roosevelt during his 23-day trip covered a distance approximately equal to some of the highly publicized."

hard and persistent war. I will not years ago. discuss strategy but will say we have No word

just begun to fight and haven't hit our hardest blow yet.

"Every hase has an abundance of supplies and men are living well and the spirit of our parameters and men are living well and the spirit of our men are living well and the spirit of our men are living well and the spirit of our men are living well and the spirit of our men are living well and the spirit of our men are living well and the spirit of our men are living and men are living well and the spirit of our men are living and men are living well and the spirit of our men are living and men are li

the spirit of our men everywhere is magnificent.

"Our submarines are doing a magnificent by and operations against the light agains ficent job and operations against the a coast-to-coast tour of the country Japanese line of communications are to see shippards and other war plants going at a good rate. I think destruction production. After that trip he adtion of shipping is a matter of great concern to the Japanese. Knowing their shipping resources and their would again go before the microphones capabilities of building, we can readily to tell the people in person about his understand their concern. "In the Atlantic the submarine war Prime Minister and the things he ob-

situation is still a tough problem to us and lots of losses are ahead there for home.

The communique the American and the communique at Casablanca

can't tell the army, navy and marines apart. All are animated by the same

complete inspection, involving more than 20,000 miles in air travel from Washington and return. He said its in the junkyard. Some of these could have been put in commission and re-

NAZIS 10TH BIRTHDAY

Time Attack As Goering Prepares To Talk.

British planes making their first ment. before the draft board, deferred as daylight raid in history on Berlin Sat- daylight raid in history on Berlin Sat- with the draft board, deferred as daylight raid in history on Berlin Sat- with the draft board, deferred as daylight raid in history on Berlin Sat- with the same with the draft board, deferred as daylight raid in history on Berlin Sat- with the same bombs upset the broadcast explana-tions of Reichs-marshal Goering and teen dollars has been secured from all Propaganda Minister Goebbels as to projects. The projects carried out. why the German armies are meeting worked by the youngest to the oldest,

reverses in Russia.

Hitler was reported off somewhere tomatoes, one hour wage each week, Sutton Area Engineer's office with his soldiers" when the RAF's garden projects and a small amount of cash. The results of the work were

Explosions could be heard over the of the congregation this coming year.

Then at 4 p. m. the Mosquitos struck again, this time as Goebbels was behe said, "if they ration it, we ginning to talk in the Sportspalast. The propaganda minister had been Sparked by this performance of Mr. delegated by Hitler to read a procla-Howard's and cajoled by Lieutenant mation on one of the rare occasions when Hitler has not personally spoken anniversary of

No British planes were lost in the the Civil Service personnel in the first raid, and only one was missing first raid, and only one was missing after the second attack.

The RAF pilots roared over Berlin roared over Berlin roared of usual roafs.

at a high level instead of usual roof-top height employed by these swift bombers that can carry four 500-pound combs and attain speeds up to 400 miles an hour. The British raids apparently were

heavy only in a phychological way. Berliners were kept busy running to shelter and keeping an eye on the sky while listening to their leaders' simul-taneously spur them to a total effort

TAX COLLECTIONS

County taxpayers settled taxes at the courthouse during the month of January to the extent of \$47,367.31. Of this amount \$43,052.15 was applied on 1942 or current taxes, \$3,530.48 on delinquent real estate tax, \$764.68 on delinquent poll and personal property tax and \$20.00 Schedule "B" License due the county, are far less than they

Roosevelt backs Davies plan for war relief fund drive

Secretary Knox NATION'S CHIEF BACK HOME FROM AFRICA The War Effort **Affects Offices** Covers 14,000 Miles And Holds Number

ill drafted at their historic unconditional surrender conference at Casa

No word of his departure was per-

would again go before the microphones

epochal conference with the British

Wearing a turtle-neck sweater and

From Project

his church to the colorful February

edition of the Farmers Federation

News, celebrating the thirteenth an-

niversary of the Lord's Acre Move-

One of the laymen of the Bethle-

R. Blain is the pastor.

the Bethlehem congregation

\$1,081. to all causes: benevolent, pas-

ecrated laymen take the initiative

the helpful movement can be pro-

jected into any rural congregation.

(By Louise Pigg)

OPA says restaurants to be ratione

cents.

of travel-much of it by air.

blanca.

President Roosevelt returned to the A Check-Up Shows Various White House Sunday night to put into "active and concerted execution County Offices Have plans for 1943 offensive campaigns which he and Prime Minister Church Work Increased

EVERYBODY VERY BUSY

But problems other than avtice prosecution of the war confronted the Chief Executive on his safe return from some 14,000 danger-fraught miles in Monroe reveals the fact that the war has greatly affected at least most troversial diplomatic nomination of Edward J. Flynn, scheduled to come of them so far as work is concerned. At the sheriff's office it was stated before a sharply divided Senate to- that crime has greatly fallen off, morrow. Others included proposals to doubtless due to the fact that most repeal Mr. Roosevelt's limit of \$25,000 people who are not in the army are (after taxes) on salaries and to restrict

busy at work and have little time for the size of the nation's armed forces. Reports were prevalent that the Flynn getting into trouble.. nomination-to be minister to Austra-In the register of deeds office there lia-might be withdrawn beefore the is more work than before the war. There was no word from the White due largely to an increase in land House on any of these matters, how-ever. deed registrations, issuing delayed birth certificates and furnishing copies of those already on record. However, A terse announcement signed by there are fewer chattel mortgages be Presidential Secretary Stephen Early and read to press associations shortly

ing registered than formerly While the recorder's court is a little busier than in former days, possibly due to increased population, perior criminal court has little to do and terms are short. But the clerk of court has added work and responsibility due to issuing explosive license "I think the Japs will fight a tough round-the-world flights of a few have been handled through the superior court. Many other duties that

> there is not so much relief work to be done. However, duties here are still havy, due to certain things in connection with the war work.

Of course, the war ration boards are the busiest places in town, great lines stanading in waiting practically all the time requesting tires, ration books and what not. The large forces in these offices are more than kept busy all the time. The selective boards are about as

busy as the ration offices, people coming in for information, to discuss their problems, etc., blanks to fill out, instructions to study and what have you. With money more plentiful and people paying up back taxes and their current ones, the tax office is swamped with work, which also keeps the audi-

riding in a jeep, Mr. Roosevelt also office in a hump. In the office of the county superintendent of schools, the work has increased tremendously. As if book rentals didn't give a bad enough head ache, to this office has been added the responosibility and work of figur-LORD'S ACRE MOVEMENT ing victory tax on teachers' salaries teachers' retirement fund, etc. Key Reports \$816 Realized rapid changing of teachers and new ones coming in requires looking up records, figuring salary schedules, etc.,

Rev. A. H. Key, pastor of the Beth-lehem Presbyterian Church in Union county, has contributed an article headaches. Down at the agriculture building about the Lord's Acre Movement in they are swamped with such additional work as making complete farm plans in keeping with the program for greater production of eggs, meats of all kinds, etc., with a shortage of farm labor. The program calls for one-third increase in the production of eggs in Union county and a greatly increased production of meats. Also farm boys who are subject to draft must have their units of production in necessary farm products checked and reported, and various other matters caused by the war effort are to be handled. The entire burden of farm implement rationing is on the farm demonstration

WAAC POSTER CONTEST PLAN JUST ANNOUNCED

Mary J. Norton, 3rd Officer, WAAC, Recruiting Office, Fort Bragg, an-nounces the opening of a State wide cuss this at a meeting to be held in The Home Mission Committee of poster contest to be held among the various city administrative Schools of North Carolina. This coning the adoption of this plan in all on, minus his salary, Howard claimed that there will be a few more of their rural churches. Last year test is being sponsored by the Red that the farm saw to his and Mrs. speech." of Asheville, pioneer Lord's Acre will run from the first of February Movement promoter, to a number of through the twenty-sixth their churches. Bethlehem is one of ary. Final judging will take place

the places on his visit. Another fruit on March second.

of his visit is the successful Lord's The purpose of the contest is to Acre project in the Mt. Carmel Pres- find the picture that can be drawn byterian church in Richmond coun- which will best portray the importty. Of this congregation Dr. Cary ance of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps to the public throughout the The Presbytery's Home Mission State of North Carolina. Suitable Committee feels that this is a soluprizes are to be awarded six semition to the problem of financing many winners and a final prize for the of the rural congregations. Last year best.

While the contest is being spontor's salary, current and building expense. In the first year with the
Lord's Acre Movement they gave as
an over-and-above gift \$816, which

der the guidance of J. H. Highsmith, at the same rate of giving represents an increase of 75.5 percent.

Wherever a pastor and a few contion, Raleigh, North Ca State Department of Public Instruction, Raleigh, North Carolini committee appointed by the Department of Public Instru the State will be the final judges.

Rules for the contest are MONROE CAGERS PLAY HARDING

1. The contest begins February 1st
HIGH HERE WEDNESDAY NIGHT and will close midnight, February

26th, 1943. 2. The final judging of the con-Wednesday evening. February 3, at eight o'clock the Monroe cagers play Harding high school of Charlotte there in the local gymnasium. Admission will be fifteen and twenty-five tional Service, State Department of Public Instruction, Raleigh, North Carolina, All posters must be in

So far the Monroe cagers have played the all-stars of Monroe and the Wadesboro high school teams. They out-scored the all-stars in a very close game, but lost to Wadesboro. out-scored the all-stars in a very close game, but lost to Wadesboro.

The gymnasium will be heated. Come on out folks, the boys will put up a good game. Watch Bob Laney give that basketball that special twist of this to ring up another goal. Keep this to ring up another goal. Keep an eye on Trull and English, in fact, you'd better watch 'em all. They're property of the Red Rock I me., Atlanta, Ga.