

WEATHER FORECAST

Continued Warmer.
Sunset today, 8:38 p. m.; sunrise
Tuesday, 6:08 a. m.

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MONROE MARKET

Table with market prices for various goods like cotton, sugar, and other commodities.

SEVENTIETH YEAR

MONROE, N. C., UNION COUNTY, THURSDAY, JUNE 17, 1943

SEMI-WEEKLY, \$2.00 A YEAR

ODT Requests Less Travel

Non-Essential Trips Should Be Eliminated, Says Officials
WAR TRAFFIC HEAVY
The Office of Defense Transportation (ODT) stressed yesterday that with troop movements and other military traffic mounting to new peaks it is imperative that nonessential increases in civilian travel be kept down.

HERE'S HOW IT'S DONE



NEW YORK, N. Y.—Sgt. Robert McFadden of Chicago, Ill., 26-year-old gunner of a flying fortress stationed in Alaska, who has 200 hours of combat flying against the Japs in the Aleutians and South Pacific, spends part of his furlough in New York City visiting a plant that makes the Laskinlamb flying suits for the Army Air Corps.

Loans On Corn Are Called In

Government To Terminate Advances On 47,000,000 Bushels TO EASE SHORTAGE
The War Food Administration today called in loans on 47,000,000 bushels of 1942 corn effective July 15 and announced that it would requisition corn from storage elevators "if necessary to continue uninterrupted production of corn products for war uses."

THE LATE WAR NEWS IN BRIEF

Mediterranean—Allied air offensive tearing Sicily defenses apart, new raids coinciding with announcement that King George in North Africa visiting troops.
Turkey—Rumania rumored inquiring of Allied officials what she could expect if she withdrew aid to Nazis in Russia.

Axis Making Peace Moves

Peace Feelers Out As War Of Nerves Mounts Daily REPORT NOT CONFIRMED
Two new, roundabout Axis peace feelers were reported today, while the Allied war of nerves continued unabated stinging Berlin into bragging of the security of its Balkan bastions on the eastern Mediterranean.

AIRPLANE DESIGNERS OF THE FUTURE



SLATER, MO.—Airminded high school students from all the state attended the annual Missouri Model Airplane Contest, where model airplane designers of the future, Randolph C. Walker, sponsor of the 1943 competition said at the opening of the model races, Mr. Walker, president of Aircraft Accessories Corporation, is photographed as he inspects one of the model planes. The two contestants are Elwood Carver (standing) and Gene Flynn.

French Heads To Meet Again

De Gaulle And Giraud Jointly Call For Meeting Of Group SHOWDOWN IS EXPECTED
Foreshadowing a possible showdown on their political differences, Generals Charles De Gaulle and Henri Giraud last night jointly called a full meeting of the French committee of national liberation for 10:30 a. m. today (Thursday).

USO CLUB BRIEFS

The United Service Organizations of Monroe will present a Father's Day program on Sunday, June 20, at 2 p. m. The program will be under the chairmanship of Edwin Niven and will be held outdoors on the picnic grounds of the Main Street USO Club.

Coal Ceilings Being Planned

Survey Under Way To Establish Price System In Southeast WILL TAKE 30 DAYS
Surveys are now being conducted to establish flat area ceiling prices in leading grades of coal in 16 southeastern cities, including Charlotte and Raleigh areas, it was announced yesterday by the Charlotte district Office of Price Administration.

SURPRISE BLACKOUT IS TERMED SUCCESSFUL

With The Exception Of One Or Two Instances, States Officials
Monroe, with other sections of the state, underwent a surprise blackout test last night, and with the exception of one or two instances, local Civilian Defense officials, stated today, the blackout was successful.

Union County's Men In Service

Pvt. Thomas R. Smith, son of Mrs. Jennie Burnette is now in Camp Cooke, Los Angeles, California. His address is Pvt. Thomas R. Smith, Co. A, 50th Arm'd Inf. Regt. APO 256, Camp Cooke, Calif. He wishes all of his friends to write him.

CHINCH BUG DAMAGING CROPS IN THE COUNTY

Corn Crop Menaced By Insects, Says Assistance Agent Mayfield
The chinch bug has appeared in large numbers in various parts of the county this year and considerable damage is being done to corn, states T. M. Mayfield, Assistant County Agent. The chinch bug first appears in wheat and barley, then moves to the corn fields after the small grain gets ripe.

ANNOUNCE NEW NURSES COUNTY HEALTH STAFF

Misses Austine Brackett And Martha Weaver Assume Duties
Announcement of the appointment of two new nurses on the staff of the Union County Health Department is made today by Dr. Clem Ham, Health Officer.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Admissions: Willie Mae Nash, R1 Wingate; Mrs. Floyd Trull and baby boy, Monroe; Mrs. Addie M. Long, R3 Matthews; John C. Clontz, R1, Midland; John D. Ashley, Waxhaw; Mrs. Wilburn Moser, Monroe; Ida Frances Mills, Monroe; Boyd Knight, R1 Wingate; Olin Pressley, R5, Monroe; Mrs. Junius Stearns, Monroe; Mrs. James McCurdy, R1 Wingate; Rayford T. Plyler, R4, Monroe; Mrs. D. L. Melton, Monroe; John C. Siegal, R3, Monroe.

MONTHLY MEETING HELD BY COUNTY PHYSICIANS

Medical Society Requests Change In Vital Statistics Registering System
The regular monthly meeting of the Union County Medical Society was held in the dining room of the Ellen Fitzgerald Hospital, Monday, June 14, at eight o'clock. A paper was presented by Dr. J. G. Faulk on the subject "Endometriosis." There was a general discussion on the subject by all members present.

COSTUME STREET SQUARE DANCE MONDAY NIGHT

Fun And Laughter For Everyone At Main Street USO. Come one, come all to the costume Street Square Dance to be held Monday night at the Main Street USO. There will be fun and laughter for everyone when each father fathers his family for a good old fashioned circle and dance.

LIST CANNING SCHEDULES FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE

Large Groups Of Women Are Attending Demonstrations In County. Modern methods of dehydration of vegetables and fruits for home use have aroused much interest among the rural women of Union county. Seven demonstrations in canning and drying vegetables have been held by Miss Inez Y. Williams, FFA Home Supervisor and Miss Ruth Clapp, Home Demonstration Agent, with large groups of women in attendance.

LOCAL HOMEMAKERS TO HEAR HOME ECONOMIST

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