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## COURT NEWS

The following cases were disposed of in the Johnston county Recorder's Court last week:

Ernest Allen, 43, Four Oaks, found guilty of being drunk and disorderly. Fined \$50 and cost. Sixty days suspended sentence on condition that defendant does not violate any criminal law for two years.

Cecil L. Whaley, 39, Kenly, Route 2, found guilty of driving while intoxicated. Prayer for judgment continued on payment of \$50 and cost. Driving license revoked for 1 year.

Clannie Sanders, 21, colored, and Mollie Williams, 52, colored of Pleasant Grove township, charged with obtaining money from blind man under pretense that \$1 bill was a \$5.00 bill. Probable cause found and defendants bound over to superior court.

H. Glenn Pope, 50, Clayton, charged with threats on the life of his wife. Prayer for judgment continued on these conditions: (1) that he be of good behavior, (2) that he not communicate with his wife, (3) that he stay out of the corporate limits of Clayton for six months, (4) that he pay costs.

Irwin Graham, 33, colored farmer of Benson, assault with a deadly weapon. Four months on roads suspended on condition defendant remain of good behavior for two years. Fined \$10 and cost.

Will Roy Quick, 30, colored laborer of Benson. Not guilty of assault with dead weapon.

Burchel Parker, 30, Benson, not guilty of larceny. Guilty of assault. Prayer for judgment continued on payment of cost.

John B. Jernigan, Selma, possession of liquor, amended judgment entered as follows: four months suspended on condition he not violate laws for two years. Fined \$50 and cost.

Moses Thompson, Jr., 17, Garner, Route 1, guilty of careless and reckless driving. Prayer for judgment continued on payment of \$10 and cost and on condition he refrain from operating motor vehicle for 60 days.

Ralph Southerland, 19, Clayton, Route 1, guilty of careless and reckless driving. Prayer for judgment continued on payment of \$10 and cost and on condition he not drive car for 60 days.

Arthur McLenny, assault on wife and violating terms of suspended judgment. Amended judgment entered as follows: Taxed with cost and unserved portion of original sentence suspended.

William Jasper Sullivan, Selma, guilty of larceny of property valued at less than \$50. Six months on the roads. Appeal noted. Bond fixed at \$40.

Alphis Boykin, 39, Kenly, charged with giving worthless check. Action barred by statute of limitations, two years having elapsed since date of warrant.

M. G. Allen, 40, Kenly, not guilty of drunken, careless and reckless driving.

Raymond Atkinson, charged with trespass, nol pros.

Sister Eatman, 22, colored, guilty of assault with deadly weapon, taxed with cost.

M. H. Howell, 50, Smithfield painter, guilty of abandonment and non support. Prayer for judgment continued on payment of \$35 a month for benefit of wife until further orders of the court. Taxed with cost.

Willie Mozell, guilty of assault with deadly weapon. Taxed with cost.

Henrietta Neal, guilty of assault with deadly weapon. Taxed with cost.

## Johnston County Farmer Dies Sunday

Funeral services for Barney C. Lane, 77, Johnston County farmer who died at his home on Selma, Route 2, Sunday afternoon after several days of illness with pneumonia, were held from the home Monday, conducted by the Rev. L. E. Godwin of Selma, Route 1. Interment took place in Deans Cemetery.

Mr. Lane was a native of Johnston County, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Lane of near Princeton. Survivors are his wife, the former Miss Louetta Howell; three daughters Mrs. J. F. Deans of Selma, Route 2, Mrs. T. H. Parrish of Princeton, and Mrs. W. L. Watkins of Durham; a sister, Mrs. Rosa Lee Peedin of Goldsboro; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Remember . . . that War Bond you buy may be the very thing that will break the back of the Axis!

The Only War Bond you'll ever regret is the one you didn't buy!

## Selma Man First In Indiana To Buy Bond In 3rd War Loan Drive



Staff-Sgt. Jorman A. Batten of Selma, N. C., buys the first War Bond of the Third War Loan from his bed in the Billings General Hospital in Indianapolis, Ind., as the 15 billion dollar drive got under way in the Hoosier State. Sergeant Batten, who has been bedridden for a year because of wounds, purchased a \$1000 Series "E" War Bond. Col. Guy A. Owsley, of Hartford City, Ind., War Bond officer at the General Hospital, and Nurse, Theresa E. Palko, of Hammond, Ind., look on as the Sergeant signs the first subscription form. Sergeant Batten is a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Turner Batten, and a nephew of Mrs. C. E. Phillips, of near Selma.

## 4-H Girls Restyle Old Garments To Save New Cloth, Labor, For War

Up to Sept. 15, more than a half million 4-H Clothing Club Girls in North Carolina and 42 other states have answered the nation's call to "make and mend for victory in 1943." It is estimated that these teen-aged girls—who are participating in the current National 4-H Clothing Achievement Activity conducted by the Extension Service—will save for military purposes vitally needed new cloth and labor, that otherwise would be used in making several hundred thousand civilian articles of wearing apparel.

The 4-H seamstresses will effect this saving by making over or mending their family's old garments, transforming them into up-to-date creations by redesigning, adding new notes of accent, dyeing a different color, and other tricks in altering and restyling. Also, worn or torn clothes are being patched to do for the duration. No garment is being altered unless its fabric, color and style are considered adaptable to desired changes.

The girls also carefully plan their entire wardrobe, making only such new garments as needed, by skillful sewing and tailoring, and by using crocheted, knitted, or other needlecraft work. In addition to their home activities in this field, participants are encouraged to serve organizations in their community that are carrying on civilian or military clothing projects.

To promote best efforts in this activity, county winners will receive honor medals, and each state champion will be given an all-expense trip to the 22nd National 4-H Club Congress, Chicago, Nov. 28-Dec. 1, provided by the Spool Cotton Company's Educational Bureau. Twelve college scholarships of \$200 each also will be presented to a blue award group comprising two winners from each of the four extension sections, and four at large. Full details are obtainable from county extension agents.

## Two Selma Boys Get Promotion

Word has been received here that Sgt. Charles W. Grimes has been promoted to Staff Sergeant. Sgt. Grimes enlisted in the Air Corps in March, 1941, and was stationed in Texas for the greater part of that time. He is now stationed in New York City.

Walter E. (Buddy) Grimes, who has been overseas somewhere in England for over a year, has been made Private First Class. These boys are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Grimes of Selma.

Be your own Commando with purchases of more War Bonds!

Buy more War Bonds . . . and we'll lose fewer boys!

## Information About Conservation Program

(By W. F. SNIPES)  
The Washington Office of the A. A. A. has recently announced that producers who are participating in the 1943 A. A. A. Program and who have earned their 1943 soil building allowance may, in general, receive conservation materials in the amount of their soil building allowance without any cost to them, provided they will make application for such material prior to November 1st and use it on their farms prior to December 31, 1943. This is an increase in the payment for 1943 which will be paid to farmers in the form of seeds and materials to be used in building up fertility of their soil. This step has been taken to encourage the seeding of more winter legume crops and use of more soil building materials in order to increase the fertility of the soil which we must depend upon to produce the necessary food and feed crops necessary to carry of the war program.

We have on hand now Austrian winter peas and crimson clover. Within the next two weeks, we will have a small supply of hairy vetch. These seeds are handled through local seed dealers and orders for these seeds must be approved by the county A. A. A. committee and should be placed at the county A. A. A. office. Lime and phosphate can only be secured at the present time in carload lots at the different railroad terminals in the county. Farmers who plan to obtain lime and phosphate should place their orders immediately. As soon as enough orders for either of these materials are received for any one railroad terminal, we will order the materials and notify you when it arrives. The time for seeding winter

## Meeting of Tri-County Electric Corporation

The annual meeting of Tri-County Electric Membership Corporation will be held on October 1, 1943 in the Goldsboro Community Building. Reports of the past year's operations will be presented at that time, and a Board of Directors will be elected for the ensuing year.

A short address will be made on the regulations of the War Production Board governing utility operations as they apply to this cooperative. Farmers whose stock production is sufficient for them to qualify before their County War Board can be connected, and their premises can be wired under these regulations. Farmers who are in a position to increase their stock production by the use of electricity and electrical apparatus are urged to take advantage of present regulations which permit them to be connected.

legume crops is here and the sooner you secure your seeds and seed them, the more benefit you will receive from their use.

This year, more than ever before, farmers should give their land all possible protection against erosion and do everything in their power to increase fertility of the soil upon which we must depend for food production in 1944.

The supply of seed and materials to be furnished under this program is limited. Let us take advantage of this opportunity to build our soil at no extra cost. Complete details of this supplementary allowance may be obtained at the A. A. A. Office or from your local community committeemen.

## JOHNSTON COUNTY'S QUOTA THIRD WAR LOAN DRIVE PROGRESS REPORT

| Township  | Bond Goal             | Cash Sales          | Percent Of Goal |
|---|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------------|
| Banner  | \$ 76,992.00          | \$ 5,718.75         | 7.43            |
| Bentonville   | 23,424.00             | 1,187.50            | 5.07            |
| Beulah  | 56,736.00             | 2,481.25            | 4.37            |
| Boon Hill   | 58,464.00             | 3,668.75            | 6.28            |
| Clayton   | 94,560.00             | 18,073.75           | 19.11           |
| Cleveland   | 22,464.00             | 350.00              | 1.56            |
| Elevation   | 44,160.00             | 1,050.00            | 2.38            |
| Ingrams   | 59,040.00             | 9,468.75            | 16.04           |
| Meadow  | 38,304.00             | 968.75              | 2.53            |
| Micro   | 25,536.00             | 7,831.25            | 3.07            |
| O'Neals   | 60,288.00             | 1,618.75            | 2.69            |
| Pine Level  | 30,144.00             | 19,812.50           | 65.73           |
| Pleasant Grove                                      | 34,368.00             | 718.75              | 2.09            |
| Selma   | 99,552.00             | 10,993.75           | 11.04           |
| Smithfield  | 170,112.00            | 65,061.50           | 38.25           |
| Wilders   | 46,848.00             | 750.00              | 1.60            |
| Wilson's Mills                                      | 19,008.00             | 668.75              | 3.52            |
| <b>TOTALS:</b>                                      | <b>\$960,000.00</b>   | <b>\$150,422.75</b> |                 |
| State Funds   | 91,000.00             | 91,000.00           |                 |
| County Funds  | 50,000.00             | 50,000.00           |                 |
| <b>GRAND TOTAL</b>                                  | <b>\$1,101,000.00</b> | <b>\$291,422.75</b> |                 |
| Johnston County Percentage of Total Goal to Sept 18 |                       |                     | 26.47%          |

## War Loan Drive In Smithfield Big Success

### Must File Application For Gasoline Books

All renewal of gasoline books, including those brought about by the change from old style C and B gasoline coupons, requires a written application for such renewal.

A renewal requires, in the case of farmers, a written request to the Farm Transportation Committee, AAA Office, Smithfield, N. C.; in the case of other gasoline users, the written request would be forwarded to the War Price & Rationing Board, Smithfield, N. C.

All written applications for renewal should be made from ten to fifteen days prior to the time your gasoline coupons will have been consumed. This written request may not be made more than fifteen days prior to the earliest renewal date, found on the face of coupon book, unless your present requirements of gasoline have changed. Coupons left in the book after the earliest renewal date are still valid and may be used.

The Farm Transportation Committee has had the authority in the past to recommend an adjustment in a farmer's gasoline ration whenever the farmer had given out of gas and had produced that needed to be hauled to the market. As the rules are now, the Farm Transportation Committee has had the authority in the past to recommend an adjustment in a farmer's gasoline ration whenever the farmer had given out of gas and had produced that needed to be hauled to the market. As the rules are now, the Farm Transportation Committee can no longer recommend such adjustments but will have to operate according to the following plan, for example:

Suppose the Farm Transportation Committee has recommended that a producer receive enough gasoline coupons in order to allow him to drive 200 miles per month for the next four months. If this producer should burn all this gasoline in two months' time, the Transportation Committee could not give him an adjustment but would have to take this case up and determine whether or not the 200 miles per month issued him was enough mileage to enable the producer to carry on his normal farming operations.

If they determine that they had issued enough mileage to start with, then they could not recommend that he receive any more mileage until the end of this four months' period. If they determine that they should have issued this man 250 miles per month, they will set his mileage on this figure. Then it will have to be figured out how long the producer's present book should have lasted him provided he did not drive more than 250 miles per month. If the producer was originally issued 200 miles per month for a four months' period, or, in other words, 800 miles for the four months. Divide 800 by 250 miles, which is the miles determined that this man should have been issued and the answer will be 2.7 months. In other words, the producer's present book should have lasted for two months and twenty-one days from the date it was issued. At this time, the committee can issue the man in question the 250 miles for a four months' period.

## Selma Drug Company Installs Germ Killer

The latest thing in Medical science is an electric germ killer, which is designed to kill all disease germs floating in the air in bed rooms and public places, such as drug stores, offices, etc.

It is said to kill the germs that infect the nose, throat and other breathing passages to the human body, thereby preventing common colds, septic sore throat, influenza, mumps, coughs, measles, chicken pox, etc.

The Selma Drug store has recently installed these germ killers, and Bill Creech tells us that since this device was installed he has noted a great absence of cock roaches about the store.

### In Surgical Test

Dr. Deryl Hart of Duke University, reported on surgical tests that under the most rigid aseptic control 1735 operations resulted in 206 post-operative infections (11.9%) and 19 deaths. After installing 2537 A Radiation in the operating room 2463 operations were performed with less than 1/4th of 1% P-O infection and no deaths.

Would you give \$100 to bring Victory nearer?—Your Purchase of a \$100 War Bond may turn the trick!

## \$55,000 Worth 3rd War Loan Bonds Sold — Mrs. Jerry George Buys First Bond — Crack Band From Camp Butner Renders Fine Program — Spectacular Parade Is Staged — Big Crowd In Attendance.

The War Bond sale and rally, sponsored by the Smithfield Chamber of Commerce and the American Legion, held in Smithfield Tuesday resulted in the sale of \$55,000 worth of bonds, according to Willie Gaskin, Legion Commander, and C. Elbert Bingham, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. Around 100 prizes, donated by Smithfield business firms, ranged in value from 50 cents to \$25 War Bonds.

"Perk" Perkins, manager of the Dixie Warehouse, Smithfield, and Judge F. H. Brooks, did the auctioneering. The first prize, a \$25 War Bond, was sold to Mrs. Jerry George, of Smithfield, for \$1,500.

The War Loan caravan from Camp Butner arrived around 4 o'clock, coming from Wendell, where a rally was held. The caravan, in command of Capt. Melvin F. Skinner, 78th Division Motor Officer, included approximately 100 enlisted men, four officers, 25 jeeps, armored cars and trucks, artillery cannon and virtually all weapons used by infantrymen.

The 78th Lightning Division's crack 28-piece band presented a program in front of the courthouse. The caravan was given a warm welcome by Mayor Huntley. Short talks were also made by Bob Holding, who is heading the War Loan Drive in Johnston county, Judge F. H. Brooks, C. E. Bingham, and Capt. Skinner. Capt. Skinner made an instructive talk on the use of the various weapons on display.

A dance was given in honor of the visiting service men at the Legion Hut Tuesday night.

## Tom Thumb Wedding Here On October 1

A Tom Thumb Wedding, sponsored by the local American Legion Auxiliary, will be given at the school auditorium Friday evening, October 1, at 7:30.

The cast is as follows:  
Bride—Joan Creech.  
Bridegroom—Jimmie McMillan.  
Maid of Honor—Betty Booker.  
Best Man—Ed Rose.

Bridesmaids—Virginia Matthews, Sylvia Langley, Ruth Peedin, Mary B. Ray, Alice Fay Warren, Jean Peedin, Nancy Parrish, and Harriet Norton.

Groomsmen—J. A. Creech, Mickey Sitton, Will Creech, Stanley Ricks, Charles Green, Harry Green, Jimmy Strickland and Thomas Allen Brown.

Ring Bearer—Kay Wiggs.  
Flower Girls—Gayle Price and Joyce Norris.

Train Bearers—Charles Woodall, Jimmy Odell Strickland.

Soloists—Betsy Boyette, Vonnice Mae Harmon and Carrol Rollins.

Ushers—Bobby Oliver, Mickey Williams, Dairon Fowler and Moran Parker.

Officiating Minister—Alton Denning.

Admission will be 35 and 15 cents, the proceeds to go for the benefit of the American Legion Auxiliary.

## Selma Man Graduates From Tank School

Fort Knox, Ky., Sept. 18. — Another class of skilled tank mechanics, trained to keep the big General Sher-mans, General Grants, and their little brothers, the light tanks, roaring into combat, had been graduated today from the Armored School Tank Department, among them being Cpl. Virgil Garth Sullivan, son of Mr. Bill Sullivan, R. F. D. 1, Selma, N. C.

During their training in the tank department the soldier students worked with the same tools issued to field crews and under the conditions they are likely to encounter in the field. They studied the mechanisms of the various tanks, from track to turret, tearing them down to learn how to keep them moving in combat.

### FOR MOTHERS

Washington, Sept. 22.—Without a dissenting vote, the House passed and sent to the Senate today a bill appropriating \$18,620,000 for assistance to servicemen's wives who become mothers.