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LOCAL DRAFT BOARD  
INSTRUCTED ON FATE  
OF DESERTERS

The local draft board received a communication this week from General J. Van Metts, state director of selective service, stating that all persons who desert the military service in time of war are deemed to have voluntarily relinquished and forfeited their rights to citizenship, as well as their rights to become citizens.

Such deserters are forever incapable of holding any office of trust or profit under the United States or exercising any rights of citizens thereof.

General Metts further stated that in view of the serious consequences of desertion in time of war, it is to be hoped that all selectees on leave from their organization will not let anything whatever interfere with their reporting back for duty on the day required.

LEAF GROWERS FACE  
SHORTAGE OF CANVAS

Faced with a general shortage of plant bed canvas, tobacco farmers are being urged to use every method possible for the more efficient production of plants.

Realizing the seriousness of the present plight of leaf growers, a committee of N. C. State College specialists has formulated a list of practices which will help to some extent in relieving the emergency.

First, the group recommended that the plant bed be located under the most favorable conditions available. A southeastern exposure in a well-drained soil is preferable, as is the selection of a site as free of weeds and stumps as possible. The use of one pound of a 6-9-3 or 1 1/2 to 2 pounds of a 4-9-3 fertilizer per square yard of plant bed is recommended.

Because of the shortage of new canvas, some farmers will be forced to use old plant bed covers. In certain instances, these old covers may not be strong enough to use on the usual type of board sidewall plant bed.

While not a good practice from an insect control standpoint, the most efficient use of old weak canvas can be had in combination with the straw method. An even distribution of not in excess of 20 to 25 pounds of well-threshed wheat, oat, or rye straw should be used per 100 square yards of plant bed area. The covers should be placed directly on the straw and anchored to the ground by means of pegs, not using poles or boards as side walls.

Since such beds are susceptible to attack by insects, especially flea beetles, a close watch should be kept and proper control measures taken at the first signs of infestation. Measures should also be employed to control any outbreaks of blue mold.

FARM BOYS AND GIRLS  
LAUNCH VICTORY  
DRIVE

North Carolina's 60,000 4-H Club members are ready to embark on a seven-point Victory Program, according to L. R. Harrill, 4-H Club leader of the N. C. State College Extension Service.

The basis for the program was laid down in a discussion of civilian defense at a recent conference in Washington between 4-H Club leaders and Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt.

The program calls for: (1) interpreting to the community the four freedoms: Freedom of Speech, Freedom of Worship, Freedom from Want, and Freedom from Fear; (2) making every effort to produce and conserve needed foods in 4-H Club projects; (3) saving for victory—prevention of waste, collecting scrap metals, burlap, old paper, etc.

(4) Developing individual and community health; (5) learning useful technical and mechanical skills and volunteering for civilian defense work; (6) practicing the democratic procedure; and (7) understanding the social and economic forces at work in this country through discussion groups and other organized activities.

Harrill explained that the seven-point program is a wartime revision of a program which North Carolina club members and their local leaders have been carrying forward for the past year and a half.

NAVY

Charleston, S. C., Jan. 16—To all young men in the Carolinas and Georgia who want to fly with the Navy, Sixth Naval District headquarters today announced the reduction of the minimum Class V-5 age requirement from 20 to 19 years.

Men enlisting in this class enter as Seamen 2nd class, are trained as aviation cadets, and emerge as commissioned officers—"Ensigns with Wings".

U. S. Navy Recruiting Stations throughout the three States have full information on the requirements for Class V-5.

Men from 19 to 27 wishing to enlist in Class V-5 must have a minimum education of two full years of college credits, or the equivalent, and the physical, moral and psychological qualities required as an aviation cadet.

College juniors and seniors after enlistment in V-5 may be deferred from call to active duty until completion of their current college year, if they so request.

Sophomores may enlist if they will have completed the two-year requirement by the end of the current school year. They will not be ordered to active duty until that requirement is fulfilled.

PRIORITY RATING FOR  
SOME SCHOOL  
SUPPLIES

Preference order P-22, amended, grants to educational institutions an A-10 priority rating on supplies for repairs, maintenance and operation of the educational program. This order greatly widens the scope of the original P-22 order and grants priority on all needed items except equipment. Schools are defined as producers (of education) and all items needed to carry out their program are included, with the restriction that the order shall not be used for the expansion of facilities. "Operating expenses" is defined as any material which is essential to the operation of the producer's business and which is consumed in the course of such business. For a school system this includes instructional supplies.

"Maintenance" refers to up-keep of property and equipment.

"Repair is defined as the restoration of a producer's property and equipment to a sound working condition. The application of the preference rating is very simple—an endorsement on the purchase order of the following statement: "Material for Maintenance, Repairs, or Operating Supplies, Rating No. A-10 under Preference Rating Order P-22 amended, with the terms of which I am familiar."

"The rating must not be used if material can be obtained without a rating. Neither shall the rating be used to pile up inventories in violation of Priorities Regulation No. 1. All orders using the rating must be segregated and preserved for audit by the Office of Production Management.

A thorough understanding of the priorities order is necessary before use can be made of its provisions. School officials who find it necessary to make use of the A-10 rating should write W. Z. Betts, Director of the Division of Purchase and Contract, Raleigh, for a copy of the order.

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AMONG THE HILLS OF  
WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA

(Julia Robinson, Hamrick, N. C.)

I love a home among the hills where all is peace, quiet and still,  
I love a road that leads nowhere, just rambles by the rill.  
I love to hear the Whipperwills on a warm and I love to hear the Whippoorwills on a warm and pleasant night,  
I love to hear the hool owls hoot when the earth is cold and white.  
I love to walk the narrow trails where the rhododendrons bloom,  
I love the sweet arbutus with its wonderful perfume. There are many things among the hills that life holds dear to me,  
But the dearest of all is the wonderful power that made these things to be.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear mother Samantha Proffitt of Bald Creek, N. C. who passed away one year ago, January 27, 1941.  
We never knew how dear you were  
Until you went away.  
We never knew how much we'd Miss you every day.  
Surrounded by friends we're lonesome,  
In midst of pleasure we're blue.  
A smile on our face but how our heart aches,  
Longing for you, dear mother, for you.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Proffitt,  
Louise and Wayne



YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE RICH to help American Defense. That's the theme of the above poster, one of the newest of the Defense Savings promotional pieces now going up in streetcars, on bulletin boards, and at other public places. This poster emphasizes the point advanced by the Treasury Department that every American can—and must—pitch in if the United States is to have the arms and the tools necessary to protect her freedom.

AIRPLANE AMBULANCE  
IS PRESENTED  
TO NAVY

The airplane ambulance which was recently purchased with funds raised in the "Old North State" drive, has been presented to the United States Navy. The ambulance was originally intended for England but when the United States entered the war the plans were changed.

Mrs. Charles Hutchins, chairman for Yancey county, last week received the following letter concerning this:

"Upon the suggestion of a large number of contributors and with the sanction of the majority of county chairmen as well as the British-American Ambulance Corps, our ambulance airplane was offered to the United States Navy by Governor J. Melville Broughton.

"Officials of the Navy promptly accepted the gift and expressed deep appreciation to the people of North Carolina. The Navy is in urgent need of this particular type of equipment and the Old North State will likely be placed in immediate service.

"The formal presentation will take place at Ancostia Field, near Washington, on Wednesday, January 21st when Governor Broughton will make the gift on behalf of the Old North State Fund, British-American Ambulance Corps and the citizens of North Carolina."

United States military authorities say that to build an army, 250 pounds of cotton are required for each enlisted man, with frequent replacements of clothing articles necessary.

SPICES

While imports of certain European seeds and leaf seasonings such as caraway, sage, thyme, and marjoram have been curtailed sharply, the imports of tropical spices have shown increases.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS  
AND ATTACHMENT

In the Superior Court of Yancey County, North Carolina

Dr. C. M. Whisnant, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
Cedric Bennett, Defendant

Mr. Cedric Bennett will please take notice that an action entitled as above wherein he is defendant, and Dr. C. M. Whisnant is plaintiff has been commenced in the Superior Court of Yancey County, North Carolina, to recover \$280 for property and \$500 punitive damages caused by the unlawful and negligent acts of the defendant resulting in an automobile collision. The defendant will also take notice that he is required to appear at the Superior Court clerk's office at the courthouse in Burnsville, N. C., within 20 days after 5 February, 1942, and answer or demur to the Complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said Complaint.

The defendant will take further notice that a Warrant of Attachment has been issued in this action, returnable at the time and place above mentioned. This 12 day of January, 1942  
FRED PROFFITT, Clerk of Superior Court.  
Jan. 15, 22, 29, Feb. 5, 1942

Administrator's Notice  
NORTH CAROLINA  
YANCEY COUNTY

In the matter of Mary Fox, Deceased.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Mary Fox, deceased, late of Yancey County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Cane River, N. C., on or before the 24th day of December, 1942, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This December, 24, 1941.  
R. A. Radford, Administrator of the estate of Mary Fox.  
Dec. 25, Jan. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 1942

NOTICE

In The Superior Court  
North Carolina  
Yancey County

Ellis Edwards, Plaintiff  
vs.  
Elsie Luther Edwards, Defendant

The defendant, Elsie Luther Edwards, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Yancey County, North Carolina, to secure a divorce absolute from the defendant on the grounds of two years separation; and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said County at the Courthouse in Burnsville, North Carolina on the 4 day of March 1942, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint. This January 12, 1942.  
FRED PROFFITT, Clerk of Superior Court.  
Jan. 15, 22, 29, Feb. 5, 1942

NOTICE

Public Sale of Real Estate

Pursuant to a judgment and order decreeing sale and appointing Commissioner in the special proceeding entitled Jane Browning and Reba Koontz, Petitioners, vs. James S. Browning and wife, Virginia E. Browning, defendants, the undersigned was appointed Commissioner to sell the undivided one-half interest of both plaintiffs and defendants in the hereinafter described premises and pursuant to said order, the undersigned will at the front door of the courthouse in Burnsville, Yancey County, N. C., sell at public auction, on Monday, at ten o'clock a. m., January 26th, 1942, to the highest bidder for cash, the one-half undivided interest of Jane Browning, Reba Koontz, James S. Browning and Virginia E. Browning (the other one-half undivided interest in said premises belonging to the estate of the late D. M. Glenn, Sr., et ux, E. C. Glenn, deceased,) which land is on the waters of Crabtree Creek in Yancey County, N. C., adjoining the lands of Crabtree Holding Corporation,

Mrs. Ella Clapp Thompson, Carolina Mineral Company, McKinnies & McBee, J. Grindstaff and others, and more particularly described as follows:  
TRACT NO. 1: BEGINNING on a Spruce Pine at north side of a branch and on the west side of Big Crabtree Creek and a short distance above the fork of the creek, and runs north 60 west 70 poles to a stake; thence south 70 east 70 poles to a stake; thence north 70 poles to the beginning, containing 30 acres, more or less.  
TRACT NO. 2: BEGINNING on a Water Oak, Gabriel Cox's corner and runs west to the John Keller line; thence south to a stake corner of the John Keller tract, being a southeast corner of said John Keller tract; thence east to a Beech on the bank of the Creek, Davis' corner; thence down and with the Creek to Gabriel Cox's line; thence west 126 poles to the beginning containing 61-2 acres, more or less.

TRACT NO. 3: Beginning on a White Oak, James Bolick's corner on the east side of a branch, running east to a stake in the Keller line, being a distance of 92 poles; thence north with Keller line to a stake in the Heap line; thence west with said Heap line to a stake in Laura Grindstaff's line; thence south 60 poles to the beginning corner, containing 33 1-2 acres, more or less.

A cash deposit of 10 percent of the purchase price will be required of the highest bidder as an earnest of good faith. This 23rd day of December, 1941.  
JOHN C. McBEE, Jr., Commissioner.  
January 1, 8, 15, 22, 1942

HERE'S YOUR CHOICE READING AT NEW LOW PRICES

THIS NEWSPAPER, 1 Yr., And Any Magazine Listed BOTH FOR PRICE SHOWN ALL MAGAZINES ARE FOR ONE YEAR

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<input type="checkbox"/> American Girl.....1.80	<input type="checkbox"/> Modern Romances.....1.50
<input type="checkbox"/> American Magazine.....2.80	<input type="checkbox"/> Modern Screen.....1.50
<input type="checkbox"/> American Poultry Journal 1.15	<input type="checkbox"/> Silver Screen.....1.50
<input type="checkbox"/> Breeder's Gazette.....1.15	<input type="checkbox"/> Sports Afield.....1.50
<input type="checkbox"/> Capper's Farmer.....1.25	<input type="checkbox"/> Open Road (Boys).....1.50
<input type="checkbox"/> Child Life.....2.80	<input type="checkbox"/> (12 Issues).....1.50
<input type="checkbox"/> Christian Herald.....2.50	<input type="checkbox"/> Science & Discovery.....1.50
<input type="checkbox"/> Click.....1.50	<input type="checkbox"/> Flower Grower.....6 Mo.
<input type="checkbox"/> Collier's Weekly.....2.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> Column Digest.....2.80	
<input type="checkbox"/> Fact Digest.....1.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> Farm Journal & Farmer's Wife.....1.15	
<input type="checkbox"/> Flower Grower.....2.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> Household Magazine.....1.25	
<input type="checkbox"/> Hunting and Fishing.....1.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> Liberty (Weekly).....2.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> Look (Bi-Weekly).....2.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> Magazine Digest.....3.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> Modern Romances.....1.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> Modern Screen.....1.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> Nature (10 Iss., 12 Mos.).....3.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> Official Detective Stories.....2.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Open Road (Boys), (12 Issues, 14 Months) 1.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> Outdoors (12 Iss., 14 Mo.) 1.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> Parents' Magazine.....2.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pathfinder (Weekly).....1.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> Physical Culture.....2.80	
<input type="checkbox"/> Popular Mechanics.....2.80	
<input type="checkbox"/> Redbook Magazine.....2.80	
<input type="checkbox"/> Science & Discovery.....1.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> Screen Guide.....1.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> Screenland.....1.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> Silver Screen.....1.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sports Afield.....1.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> Successful Farming.....1.25	
<input type="checkbox"/> True Confessions.....1.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> True Story.....1.80	
<input type="checkbox"/> World Digest.....3.50	
<input type="checkbox"/> You (Bi-Monthly).....2.80	
<input type="checkbox"/> Your Life.....3.50	

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<input type="checkbox"/> Screenland.....1 Yr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Modern Romances.....1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Click.....1 Yr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Modern Screen.....1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Screen Guide.....1 Yr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Silver Screen.....1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> American Girl.....6 Mo.	<input type="checkbox"/> Sports Afield.....1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Parents' Magazine.....6 Mo.	<input type="checkbox"/> Open Road (Boys).....1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Christian Herald.....6 Mo.	<input type="checkbox"/> (12 Issues).....14 Mo.
<input type="checkbox"/> Outdoors (12 Iss.).....14 Mo.	<input type="checkbox"/> Science & Discovery.....1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Pathfinder (Weekly).....1 Yr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Flower Grower.....6 Mo.

GROUP B — SELECT 2 MAGAZINES

<input type="checkbox"/> Household Magazine.....1 Yr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Amer. Fruit Grower.....1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Pathfinder.....26 Issues	<input type="checkbox"/> Progressive Farmer.....1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Hunting & Fishing.....6 Mo.	<input type="checkbox"/> Open Road (Boys).....6 Mo.
<input type="checkbox"/> Successful Farming.....1 Yr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Nat'l. LiveStock Prod.....1 Yr.

GROUP C — SELECT 1 MAGAZINE

<input type="checkbox"/> Comfort-Needlecraft.....1 Yr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Mother's Home Life.....1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Farm Journal.....1 Yr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Poultry Tribune.....1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Amer. Farmer.....1 Yr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Amer. Poultry Jnl.....1 Yr.
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