

COUNTRY living

by LUCY P. GAVIN

After several days of beautiful weather, it seems I'm torn between sprucing up the house and getting outside with the children to enjoy the beauty of the countryside. I want to finish house-cleaning so I can get outdoors. But I'm afraid all the enthusiasm and longing to do both things would be wasted without the many conveniences of modern living. With today's appliances, I have time to do my work and enjoy outdoor activities, too. And even though we live beyond city gas mains, we can use all the latest appliances because we have our own "gas well," thanks to the help of our LP-gas service.



And speaking of helpers, my most enthusiastic "assistant" is our wee Sally. Her favorite chore is taking her fuzzy animal toys out of our new LP-Gas dryer after they've been laundered. The dryer fluffs them up so much better than hanging them on the line.

And here are some special jobs I've learned my gas drier can do:

- You don't have to worry about "moth ball" odor in woolen clothes and blankets. When the time comes to bring them out of hibernation, just tumble them in the dryer for a few minutes. They'll come out fresh and sweet in no time.
- Dryers can steam out wrinkles from wool dresses or skirts. Put them in the tumbler with a few damp towels to provide necessary moisture.
- "Wash and wear" fabrics come out fine. Even durably pleated cotton skirts are smoother than when hung up to dry. And no more drizzle on the kitchen floor!

- Before storing the children's snow suits and jackets with alpaca or fur fabric collars, wash them in the automatic washer. Then toss them in the dryer—set at low heat. The collars will remain soft and flexible instead of stiff.

- Starched dresses and shirts are a "breeze." The secret is to take them out of the dryer while they're still damp and roll them immediately. Makes ironing lots easier.

Automatic clothes dryers pay an extra dividend in another way. They make just a few clothes go a long way. Shorts, jeans and play clothes can be worn practically day in and day out. Washing and drying takes only a few minutes time, come rain or shine, so wardrobe budget savings really mount up when children need fewer clothes.

ACCIDENT FACTS 1955

Raleigh—Mechanical faults caused 70 of North Carolina's fatal automobile crack ups last year, the Motor Vehicles Department has determined from a study of accident facts. Broken down, the agency listed defects which contributed to the death crashes as: Brakes 22, Headlights 2, Rear lights 2, other lights or Reflectors 1, Steering 3, and Tires 27. Thirteen were listed as "other defects." In all there were 331 fatal accidents.

COUNTY STREAMS STOCKED WITH TROUT

In accordance with previously approved plans, the Wildlife Resources Commission has completed stocking of 1,300 trout averaging 3 to 14 inches in length, in the waters of South Toe River, Neal, Upper, North Fork, Lower, Curtis and Newberry creeks. These fish were produced at the State Fish Hatchery located near Marion, N. C. District game and fish protector Lee Boone directed the release of the fish and solicited assistance from members of the local wildlife club and other interested sportsmen. Those participating in the stocking were: B. M. Rector, Jack Kerkland, and Lee Boone.

The Wildlife Resources Commission points out that the cooperative effort of all those interested in the State's fish and game resources will be required to bring about better fishing, the favorite outdoor recreation of so many Americans.

CONTEST WINNER

Sarasota, Fla.—One of the winners in the weekly Blackbottom contest at the Sarasota Terrace Club here this week was Mrs. Robert Platt of Burnsville, N. C. Mrs. Platt, a guest at the Club where she and Mr. Platt are vacationing this week, won a share of the contest title over a field of 11 other women.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE NORTH CAROLINA YANCEY COUNTY

Having qualified as Administratrix of the Estate of Mrs. Kate Ray, deceased, late of Yancey County, this is to notify all persons having claims against the Decedent to exhibit the same to the undersigned Administratrix at her home at Burnsville, N. C., on or before the 7th day of June, 1957, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons owing the Estate will please make immediate payment. This 7th day of June, 1956. Lena E. Tilson, Administratrix of the Estate of Mrs. Kate Ray, Deceased. June 7, 14, 21, 28, July 5, 12

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE NORTH CAROLINA YANCEY COUNTY

Having qualified as Administratrix of the Estate of Claude Honeycutt, deceased, late of Yancey County, this is to notify all persons having claims against the Decedent to exhibit the same to the undersigned Administratrix at her home at Rt. 2, Burnsville, N. C., on or before the 7th day of June, 1957, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons owing the Estate will please make immediate payment. This 7th day of June, 1956. Dollie Honeycutt, Administratrix of the Estate of Claude Honeycutt, Deceased. June 7, 14, 21, 28, July 5, 12

Investors SELECTIVE FUND, Inc.

Notice of 42nd Quarterly Dividend.

The board of Directors of Investors Selective Fund, Inc., has declared a quarterly dividend of ten cents per share payable on June 7, 1956, to shareholders of record as of May 21, 1956.

Joseph H. Friedman
Chairman of the Board

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your brain budget

1. In a decillion the numeral one is followed by (a) 10 zeros; (b) 33 zeros; (c) 100 zeros.
2. Etical means (a) ornamented with fins; (b) fastidious; (c) the end.
3. The correct spelling is (a) hasinpfieffer; (b) hazenfeffer; (c) hasenpfieffer.

ANSWERS

SQUARE DANCE
at
CATTAIL COMMUNITY HALL
Every Friday Night
8:00 P. M.

HAVE YOU CHECKED

YOUR INSURANCE COVERAGE LATELY?

We Sell and Service

All Types Of

INSURANCE AND BONDS

FIRE — CASUALTY

LIFE — ACCIDENT

AUTOMOBILE AND PERSONAL

Check With Us For Advice On Your Insurance Needs

ROBERTS INSURANCE AGENCY

PHONE 270

FORESTRY—U.S.A.



A TREE GROWS FOR CHRISTMAS

THE FIRST CHRISTMAS TREE WAS USED IN THE UNITED STATES ABOUT THE TIME WE GAINED OUR INDEPENDENCE. TODAY, MORE THAN 30 MILLION CHRISTMAS TREES BRING JOY TO AMERICAN HOMES AT YULETIDE.



THE ANNUAL CHRISTMAS TREE HARVEST COMES MAINLY FROM PRIVATELY OWNED LAND, AFFORDING THE SMALL OPERATOR AND FARMER EXTRA CASH INCOME IF HE HANDLES HIS WOODLAND WISELY.

CHRISTMAS TREE CUTTING, DONE PROPERLY, IS GOOD, SOUND FOREST PRACTICE.



PROTECT THE FORESTS AND USE THEM WISELY

INFORMATION TO THE VOTERS

GENERAL STATUTES OF NORTH CAROLINA

Chapter 105, Section 341. "Levy of poll tax. —(1) There shall be levied by the board of county commissioners in each county a tax of two dollars (\$2.00) on each taxable poll or male person between the ages of twenty-one and fifty years, and the taxes levied and collected under this section shall be for the benefit of the public school fund and the poor of the county. . ."

Chapter 105, Section 307. "Duty to list; penalty for failure. —It shall be the duty of every person, firm or corporation, in whose name any property or poll with the proper list taker or the supervisor, within the time allowed by law, on a list setting forth the information required by this subchapter. . ."

Chapter 163, Section 25, Sub-section (h). "If a person remove to the District of Columbia, or other federal territory, to engage in the government service, he shall not be considered to have lost his residence in this State during the period of such service, and the place where such person resided at the time of his removal shall be considered and held to be his place of residence. . ."

According to the Tax Records of Cleveland County Basil Whitener's Opponent has not paid any poll tax for several years.

Does This Man Not Consider Himself A Resident of the County he claims his home?

Isn't it true that in a paid political ad that Basil Whitener's opponent stated that he maintained a home at 2828 Albermarle Road, N. W., Washington, D. C. and also an apartment at the Mayflower Hotel in the same city?

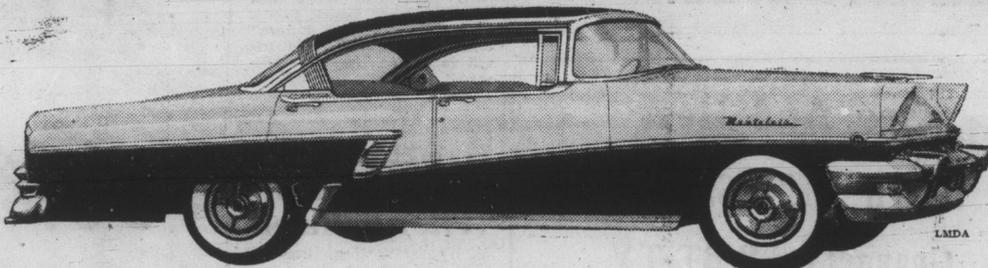
Elect A Man Who Was Raised Here And Stayed Here

BASIL L. WHITENER TO CONGRESS

"Watch WBTB — Friday, June 22nd at 10:00 p. m."

We're headquarters for Ed Sullivan's \$425,000 contest! Visit our showroom today! We'll show you how easy it is to

WIN A NEW MERCURY Phaeton



MERCURY MONTCLAIR PHAETON, America's most beautiful, most advanced 4-door hardtop, is 1st prize! See it at our showroom!

80 BIG MERCURYS FREE IN 8 WEEKS...



A brand-new contest every week! Free trips to New York! TV sets! 2680 prizes in all, in Ed Sullivan's giant \$425,000 Mercury Contest! So easy to win!

HERE'S ALL YOU DO TO ENTER!

- 1 Go to your Mercury dealer today
- 2 Pick up Official Rules and Entry Blank
- 3 Complete last line of Mercury Phaeton rhyme
- 4 Mail Official Entry Blank to "Mercury Contest!"

HERE'S WHAT YOU WIN!

Each week for 8 weeks beginning June 11:
1ST PRIZE—A 1956 Mercury Montclair Phaeton* plus a week-end trip to New York, all expenses paid, for two. You will be special guests at the Ed Sullivan Show.
2ND—10TH PRIZES—9 Mercury Monterey Phaetons*.
11TH—35TH PRIZES—25 General Electric Portable TV sets.
NEXT 300 PRIZES—Elgin American Signet Lighters with winners' initials . . . autographed by Ed Sullivan.
335 prizes—8 weeks—2680 prizes in all!

SPECIAL CASH PRIZES FOR CAR BUYERS!

\$10,000 CASH to new Mercury buyers
 Awarded *instead of* new Phaeton if you buy a new Mercury during contest and *before* being advised of winning one of the top 10 weekly prizes.
\$2,000 CASH to used car buyers
 Awarded *in addition to* new Phaeton if you buy a used car from us during contest and *before* being advised of winning one of the top 10 weekly prizes. See official entry blank for details.
Weekly contests start every Monday, June 11—July 30. See us for complete rules, entry blanks, and information!

*All car prizes include: Merc-O-Matic Drive, radio, heater, white sidewall tires, directional signals, window washers, No-Tone paint, dealer handling charge, all Federal excise taxes, state and local sales taxes.

BANKS-YOUNG MOTOR CO.

FRANCHISED DEALER No. 1150

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