

CARL THOMPSON GETS WPA POST

Former Newspaperman to Supervise New State Workers' Program.

Raleigh, Nov. 27.—Carl G. Thompson, Jr., was named by C. C. McGinnis, State WPA Administrator, as State Supervisor for the Workers' Service Program, a new type of community service project just approved for operation in North Carolina. Workers' Service projects will be developed in areas where farm and industrial workers desire a broader knowledge of industry, legislation, labor and community problems, and want opportunities for greater educational and leisure activities to be carried on through group activities. The program will serve members of the organized labor movement, industrial clubs, rural groups, and other similar groups of wage earners which request aid in developing activities of this nature. The project is set up to give employment to out-of-work people capable of working with workers' groups in developing classes and discussion groups, recreation, art and craft activities, information service centers on labor and social legislation, visual aid workshops, and preparation of research material for use with wage-earning groups. The WPA project is sponsored by the University of North Carolina, through its extension division, and will cooperate with government and private agencies in planning and carrying out its program.

Thompson is a graduate of the University of North Carolina and was formerly a member of The News and Observer staff and connected with the State NYA.

GOVERNOR URGES HIGHWAY SAFETY

Warns of Thanksgiving and Christmas Danger; Decries "Slaughter".

Raleigh, Nov. 27.—Governor Hoey today called on law enforcement officers as well as motorists and pedestrians to observe caution on the highways through the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays to reduce the "wholesale killing" of last month.

"I shudder to think of the loss of life and the injuries which may result from accidents on the highways during these holiday periods," the Governor said, "unless greater care shall be exercised and more rigid enforcement of the safety laws and rules observed on the part of all the users of our highways."

The executive said he was "greatly shocked at the terrible slaughter" on the highways in October and said November thus far had proved almost as bad.

"There is no excuse for this wholesale killing," he added.

The Governor cited figures showing 734 traffic fatalities in the first 10 months of the year, including 229 pedestrians. He pointed out that one to five counties have escaped fatalities during the period, while 10 totalled 228.

According to the Governor's figures, 118 died last month, heaviest toll since December, 1935. "Unless more improvement shall be shown during the next 3 days," he added, "there is a danger of 1940 being the bloodiest year since 1937."

"I call upon all law enforcement agencies to exert themselves to see that the laws of safety on the highways are enforced, and that the public give proper consideration to these laws under penalty of punishment for their violations."

"We know what causes accidents. The five prime causes are excessive speed, passing cars on curves or grades when the view is obstructed, entering the highway without looking both ways for traffic, failing to dim glaring headlights and driving while intoxicated."

Beer Group Will Meet In Raleigh

Raleigh, Nov. 28.—The Executive Committee of the Brewers and North Carolina Beer Distributors committee will meet in Raleigh Thursday, December 12, to map the beer industry's 1941 "clean up or close up" campaign in this state.

The United Brewers Industrial Foundation, the sponsoring organization, recently authorized continuation of the self-regulation program in North Carolina, and the December 12 meeting will be devoted to consideration of the 1941 campaign.

State Director Edgar H. Bain of Goldsboro will address the committee which is composed of: J. P. Price of Greensboro, chairman; J. W. Jackson of Wilmington; R. J. Jenkins of Kinston; Frank E. Barnard of Asheville; and W. S. Burruss of Raleigh, representing the beer distributors; and L. E. Wheeler of Asheville; C. M. Wright of Newark, N. J.; S. A. Cash of Louisville, Ky.; Walter Bartlett of Norfolk, Va.; and David T. Gallo of Norfolk. A successor will be named to Mr. Wheeler who was recently transferred to Milwaukee.

PEACE PREVAILS AT DAM PROJECT

Andrews — Although quiet settled over the troubled Nantahala River dam project near here, there was no indication when operations would be resumed at the project, shut down this week after fighting and general disorder among workers broke out.

PEPPER POT

Chattahoochee, Fla., High School will play Dunnellon for the six-man championship before accepting any post-season invitations to play Lebanon Junction, Ky., in one of the bowls. Angus Gholson, Chattahoochee's captain, has scored 220 of his team's 452 points but his dad, a justice of the peace, never has seen him play.

TENNESSEE WANTS TO MEET AGGIES IN BOWL

Take it from what the politicians would call "a source-close-to-the-source" . . . Tennessee's Volunteers yearn neither for the Rose Bowl nor the Sugar Bowl . . . the players' idea of a perfect New Year's Day would be Tennessee against Texas Aggies in Miami's Orange Bowl . . . failing that, they'd settle for the Aggies anywhere including Mrs. O'Leary's pasture . . . Tennessee's front office, however, yearns for the Pasadena pot-o-gold . . . which may be the tip-off where the Vols will play—if they get the chance.

UNCLE SAM NOW RELEASING HUGE BOMBERS TO BRITAIN

Washington, Nov. 20.—The government disclosed that 26 giant four-engined bombers ordered for the United States Army were being released for sale to the British as fast as they could be produced and that negotiations were under way for the early release of 20 "Flying Fortress" bombers.

CIGARETTES

The consumption of cigarettes in 1939 established an all-time high of 172,500,000,000, up 5 percent from the 163,800,000,000 of 1938, despite increase state sales taxes.

IMPROVEMENT

Venezuela imported 240 breeding animals of various kinds from the United States last year to be kept at experimental stock centers and stud farms to improve the native stock.



This is not a before and after picture, but it does show two extremes in maintenance and control of subdivisions, according to FHA land planning officials. Although street improvements are present along the unkempt street, the neighborhood certainly lacks appeal because of lack of control. Shrubs grow haphazardly, the trees serve as billboards, and the beauty of the street is marred by the utility poles in the foreground. The other picture shows what can be done to a similar neighborhood by observing sound land-planning principles.

PRICES

The general level of prices received by farmers in mid-October at local markets throughout the country was two points higher than in mid-September, reports the U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Economics.

COMBINES

Where there were only two combines in Martin county a year ago, there are now 12, showing the increasing importance of small grains and legumes, says Assistant Farm Agent John I. Engles.

SELL YOUR TOBACCO IN ROXBORO.

WANT ADS

FOR RENT — Modern dwelling. All conveniences. Desirable location. Reasonable rent.

Preston Satterfield. 11-21-24

WANTED — Good milk fed veals paying top prices. We will pay you more.

Pender's Market 9-5-1f

MOVING TO OUR NEW LOCATION. Closing out used refrigerators, oil ranges and other items from \$5 to \$10 and up. We have new ranges from \$79.50 and up. Come in to see them.

10-10-1f

Ledbetter's

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LEGAL NOTICE

EXECUTORS' NOTICE

Having qualified as Executors of the estate of Lee Clay, deceased, late of Person County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 31st day of October, 1941, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 31st day of October, 1940.

NOTICE - LAND SALE

Allie Clay and Bennie Clay, Executors of Lee Clay, deceased. Merritt & Long, Attys. 10-31-6t

NOTICE - LAND SALE

By virtue of the powers contained in that certain mortgage deed executed by Phil Link and wife Mary Link on the 1st day of January, 1920, and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Person County in Book 2, page 98, default having been made in the payment of the note secured thereby, we the undersigned executors of J. W. Clayton will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door in Roxboro, N. C., on Saturday, December 7, 1940, at 12 o'clock M., that certain tract of land in Holloway Township, Person County, North Carolina, and bounded as follows: On the north by the lands of Miss Addie May Merritt, on the east, south, and west by lands of William Wrenn, containing 75 acres more or less. For further description see deeds from S. A. Clayton and wife to J. W. Clayton and from J. W. Clayton and wife to Phil Link, recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Person County.

This sale will remain open ten days from the date of sale for an increased bid, and the purchaser at said sale will be required to make a cash deposit of 10 per cent of the purchase price on the day of sale.

This 31st day of October, 1940. M. W. Clayton, Sophie Clayton Thomas, Executors of J. W. Clayton. 11-14-4t

By virtue of the powers contained in that certain mortgage on the 25th day of November 1919, by Clem Holloway, and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Person county in Book 2, page 123, the terms of the same having not been complied with, and at the request of the holder of the note secured by said mortgage deed, we, the undersigned executor and executrix of the estate of the said J. W. Clayton, deceased, will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door in Roxboro, N. C., on Saturday, December 7, 1940, at 12 o'clock M., the following described tract of land in Holloway township, Person county, North Carolina:

Bounded on the North by the lands of Mrs. W. A. Bradsher; on the East by other lands of Clem Holloway; on the South by other lands of J. W. Clayton, and on the West by lands of the estate of C. A. Bailey, containing 215 acres more or less, and being the tract of land conveyed to Clem Holloway by J. W. Clayton, and being known as the Home Place of the late A. J. Bailey.

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This 31st day of October, 1940. M. T. Clayton, Executor, and Sophia Clayton Thomas, Executrix of J. W. Clayton. 11-14-4t

OUR TOBACCO PRICES ARE GOOD

Look At These Sales

J. J. Clayton sold:

LBS.	PRICE	AMOUNT
144	.26	\$ 37.44
394	.33	130.02
192	.24	55.68
170	.30	51.00
94	.34	31.96
360	.34	122.40
194	.33	64.02
1548		\$492.52

AVERAGE \$31.20

Lester Long sold:

LBS.	PRICE	AMOUNT
50	.26	\$ 13.00
350	.33	115.50
336	.42	141.12
142	.21	29.82
878		\$299.44

AVERAGE \$34.10

Prices at our house are as high as they have been this season. We can sell you any day that you bring your tobacco.

1st - 2nd Sale Mon. Dec. 2
1st Sale Tuesday Dec. 3

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W. C. Warren

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