

### HALL SAYS THAT MEASUREMENT NOT TO BE REQUIRED

AAA Report Provision Changed In Order To Simplify Program.

Farmers of Person County will not be required to give linear measurements in reporting their compliance with provisions of the 1943 program of the Agricultural Adjustment Agency, according to Claude T. Hall, Chairman of the Person AAA Committee.

It previously had been announced that performance reports should be accompanied by a sketch map of the fields reported with linear measurements

for each field, the chairman said. The sketch maps still are required, but only a listing of the total acreage in each individual field will be necessary.

"It was determined that listing of the linear measurements of each field probably would be the cause of considerable confusion, and it was decided that they would not be required", Mr. Hall said. "However, the farmer will be required to show how he determined the acreage in the field, whether measured by chains, steps, or from previous records of AAA measurements".

The plan of reporting 1943 performance by individual farmers was adopted on a nation-wide scale by the AAA in an effort to save labor which otherwise would be engaged in active production and also gasoline and tires, he said. In former years, AAA performance was reported by committeemen, reporters, or others employed by the AAA.

Chairman Hall said AAA Community Committeemen will assist farmers in making reports and must approve all reports made from their communities. In addition, he said, some farms in each community will be spot-checked by the committeemen or others.

Farmers carrying out late practices for which a payment is made under AAA program will be required to make a supple-

mental report at the close of the program year on December 31.

### The Boys Of Person County

Our boys left their homes By the sound of the drums, Boom, Boom, Boom! with their heads held high, Like they didn't give a snap, They have gone to war To help conquer the Japs.

It was sad in their homes Their parents mourned, And their sweet hearts cried, But the boy's said: "Remember Pearl Harbor" And how they died.

They don't like nations That sneaks in the night, They have gone to fight With all their might, That all nations may be free. They believe in worshipping God Under their own fig and vine tree,

So while they sail in the air and upon the deep blue sea, Let's pray God's blessing upon them, Where ever they may be.

Fight on boys, be brave and bold, And if you never come back to us We'll meet you in the land That never grows old.

We pray God's blessing Also his bounty. Upon the boys of Person County. OPHELIA B. KING. Roxboro, N. C., May 15, 1943.

### Yoo-Hoo Incident Holds Up Progress Of Gen. Ben Lear

WASHINGTON, May 15.—The famous "yoo-hoo" incident in which Lieut. Gen. Ben Lear was involved three years ago was revived today when the Senate held up confirmation of his retirement with the full pay of a lieutenant general.

Senator A. B. Chandler (D-Ky) asked late yesterday that the nomination be passed over until Monday because, Senator Bennett C. Clark (D-Mo.) objected.

Clark said his objection was based on the fact that "Lear punished my old World War division—the 35th—and my constituents

### Summer Terms At Duke To Be On Spare Campus

DURHAM, May 15.—Having a "spare" campus will prove useful for Duke University this Summer. With the Navy's College Training Program due to begin activities on the university campus about July 1, and with the Army's Finance School rounding out nearly a year of operation there, most of the facilities will be used by students in uniform.

All of which bothers the Duke Summer Session not at all. It will simply move to the adjoining Woman's College campus and proceed with its work. Two terms will be conducted beginning June 8, it is announced by Dr. Holland Holton, director.

The Summer session will offer a full program of graduate work to meet the needs of teachers qualifying for the Master's certificate set up two years ago by the North Carolina State Department of Education, Dr. Holton points out.

### Person Native Heads State Medical Society

RALEIGH, N. C., May 15.—The last of the more than 720 doctors who attended the 90th annual State Medical Society Convention here returned home Friday after three days of lectures and discussions devoted almost entirely to wartime medicine.

Dr. James W. Vernon of Morganton, a Person County native, who succeeded Dr. Cobb as State president, stepped formally into office yesterday following election of new officers.

### 'Moon Is Down' Real In Picture As 'Today's News'

Climactic sequences and vivid scenes in "The Moon Is Down" are real as today's newspaper headlines. While the 20th Century-Fox picturization of John Steinbeck's great novel takes place in Nazi occupied Norway, the story might well be that of any of the so called "conquered" countries of Europe.

The heroic struggle of the inhabitants, their indomitable spirit and love of freedom, even in the face of mass executions, vividly portrayed in the picture which comes Monday and Tuesday to the Palace Theatre, are commonplace in the occupied Europe of today.

Steinbeck wrote "The Moon Is Down" shortly after the ruthless invasion of Norway when the deed was fresh in the minds of all free Americans. His probing pen, which has earned for him an envied reputation in literary circles, went to new depths of stirring drama in telling this

touching story of devotion and courage.

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