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# Sell Nearly 300,000 Pounds Here On First Three Days

### Highest Average And Quality First Day But Trend Upward Again

#### **Rain Causes Slowness On Roxboro** And Other Old Belt Marts Tuesday.

three days of the Roxboro market is placed at \$38.78 for 279,192 pounds sold for \$99,902.23, with largest sale of 155,410 pounds on the opening day, Monday, when average was close to \$40 per hundred pounds.

Lowest sales were on Tuesday, a day of heavy rain, when only 56,878 pounds were sold, but the climb upward began again on Wednesday, with 66,904 pounds.

Price averages on Tuesday and Wednesday were lower, but so was quality, that at the beginning was described by George W. Walker, board of trade secretary as "medium to fair."

Sales are being held each day in each of the four houses in Roxboro, starting on the opening day at the Pioneer, where about 86,000 pounds at a \$39.75 average was reported.

Associated Press in a story from Winston-Salem said Tuesday that Old Belt growers are pleased with what they got on the opening day and that no reports are being received of "tagturning", the methd us oehwedn8 turning," the method used when growers show dissatisfaction with prices.

Lightness in weight, plus poor quality of some offerings, has pulled the price this year below the opening average for last season, but these were expected factors and warehousemen are expecting both prices and quality to be higher here from now

Heartening factor in the Old Belt season is the fact that prices in general are better on it than they have been in the Middle Belt.

Good, likewise, in Roxboro, is the fact that stocks on hand are being taken care of each day.

Co-incidental with the opening of the market here is a noticeable increase of trade in stores,

### **BETHEL HILL HAS** Estimated average for the first **PROGRAM PLANNED** FOR SCHOOL YEAR

Claude Wilborn, Former Athlete, Acts As Coach For Football Captains Elected.

Claude Wilborn has offered his services as coach of football at Bethel Hill school for the year. Mr. Wilborn was at one time a football star at Bethel Hill high school. Wilborn has been a professional star in baseball with the Richmond Colts.

When the call was made for special training in physical education in the upper grades, Wilborn said he was willing to do his part to help in the training program.

John R. Murray has been elected captain of the football team, with Jimmy Woody and Berley for his wife. Dunn assistants. Twenty - five boys have been examined and

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Quiet, But Sincere War Bond Appeal Made By Person Pearl Harbor Veteran

Humphries Says Men React To What Folks At Home Do With Bond Program.



Cover-Alls And Keeps His Modest Grin.

How a hero looks when he comes home: Staff Sergeant Lewis E. Pullium, 22, of the Air Base, Blythe, Calif., and Roxboro, who about two weeks ago was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross in a formal ceremony, was on the street in Roxboro yesterday. He wore a pair of brown cover-alls, they have a fancier name for them in the

Army, with a below the knee pocket on one leg. The pocket, says Pullium, is handy, especially, when sitting handy, especially, when sitting down in a plane. Plainly visible NOT TO OBSERVE was a pack of cigarettes, tucked into the space with a few greenbacks. Here for a visit with his parents and his wife, Pullium still had his engaging, modest grin, and in his hands a freshly wrapped box of shoes, probably

The medal ceremonies at Bly-

the, says Pullium, were quite in



Gordon C. Hunter

District Chairman Gordon C Hunter, today announced plans for the Third War Loan "Sacrifice Day," to be held Wednesday.

TRINITY CHURCH **RITES THIS TIME** 

Service Will Be Delayed Until October, With Love As Speaker.

Fourth Sunday afternoon preaching services for the Trinity Methodist church, of the Brooksdale Charge, will not be conducted next Sunday, September 26, because the pews have been removed from the church auditorum and the floor has been varnished in preparation for the new pews and pulpit furniture. The new pews and new pulpit furniture will be installed in the church the first week in October to be ready for the regular second Sunday's preaching service. Second Sunday in October is to be observed as Home Coming Day for the church, with, the District Superintendent, the Rev.

F. S. Love, of Durham, to be Chaplain C. P. Daane, of Camp present to preach at 11:00 o'clock Conference for the year. Picnic

Huge Crowd Packs Mill

**Creek Church. Final Taps** 

By George W. Gentry,

Solemn and impressive echo

taps by George W. Gentry, Jr.,

Roxboro Boy Scout, marked the

Sunday afternoon for Pfc. Lewell

Jr., Roxboro Scout.

Africa.

Roxboro.

## War Bond Auction Will Be **Featured By Parade Band**

### **CARLTON AGAIN REMINDS PUBLIC ABOUT CHRISTMAS**

Attention of the public is again called to the importance of mailing all Christmas packages to our armed forces overseas by October 15th and not later, if such packages are to be delivered by Christmas day said L. M .Carlton, Roxboro Postmaster, today.

Special attention should be given to size, weight and packing and addressing. Full information will be given at the postoffice so that the laws and regulations of the Department may be complied with and no delay made in dispatching. Extensive preparations have been made by the government to take care of Christmas packages these which will be sent to every part of the world, but strict complianc with the regulations and prompt mailing is requir. ed if this service is to be rendered. The sooner you mail, the better, said Carlton.

#### NEW STUDENTS

nclude, Dolian Harris, Thomas was released through newspapers Long and John Hall, who left here about two weeks ago and here Tuesday to enter the col- on it are items needed to make lege.



Joint Committees Meet In Chamber and conduct the fourth Quarterly Of Commerce Office On Tuesday

### **MRS. WHITE HAS PRAISE FOR WORK OF COMMITTEE**

**Company Of Butner Soldiers To** 

Will Be Auctioneers For Rally

Come To Event; Temple Brothers

**Representative** Citizens Attend Session Of Hospital And Camp Council Unit.

Mrs. T. Miller White, of Roxboro, Person chairman for the Hospital and Camp Council committee, today had much praise for the interest of the Committee, which had its September meeting Monday night and is making plans for turning in requested supplies by October 4, date of the next meeting.

The Committee, as explained by Mrs. White, is charged with the duty of getting supplies of a suplementary nature, for Camp Butner, for Fort Bragg and for B. T. C. No. 10, in Greensboro. New students at Wake Forest A list of the supplies needed (turn to page eight, please)

Pullium Humphries, Reade And Others Will Participate. Harris, Hunter And Griffin Urge Public Support.

Person and Roxboro "Sacrifice Day," when a special effort to reach the Third War Loan quota of \$567,000, will be made, will be observed here on Wednesday, September 29, when a War Bond auction, proceeded by a Camp Butner argumented parade, will be staged at two o'clock in the afternoon at Person Court House. Tentative plans for the program, revealed today by Gordon C. Hunter, district chairman for the Third War Loan, call for parade participation of a full company of soldiers from Camp Butner, with their band. Butner participation has full approval of Gen. Edwin P. Parker, who is extending all possible cooperatio.n.

The soldiers will bring with them full equipment and a demonstration of its use will take place on the Court House lawn. The auction, according to Hunter, will be in charge of Temple Brothers, of Danville, Va., well - known auctioneers, who will be assisted by Guy Whitehurst, of Roxboro.

In the parade, which will start from Central Grammar school at two o'clock, will be Sgt. Farris Humphries, Pearl Harbor veteran and winner of the Purple Heart, and Sgt Lewis E. Pullium, who last week came home from the Air Base at Blythe. Calif., where he recently received the Distinguished Flying Cross from Gen. Newton Longfellow, commander, for exploits as tail-gunner in North Africa and Europe.

Also in the parade will be members of the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars, Boy Scouts, representatives of the Red Cross and other

tivities and Person and Roxbors

public school pupils. W. F.

Reade, 97, of Mount Tirzah, only

surviving Person Confederate

veteran, is also being asked to be

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in the line of march.

a trade that merchants are prepared to handle despite admitted shortages in certain lines. Person growers and many from other towns are this year coming to Roxboro.

### **Olive Hill PTA** Hears Burns And R. B. Griffin Speak

Offive Hill school had its first PTA meeting of the year in the school auditorium last Thursday night.

After a discussion concerning opening of the school cafeteria, chairman for the Third War R. B. Griffin, Person Superinten- Loan. Presiding was Mrs. H. C. dent, was presented who gave a Kynoch, PTA president, and talk on the Third War Loan devotional was by Miss Claire drive, for which he urged full Harris, of the faculty. cooperation.

Griffin then introduced the speaker of the evening, Robert P. Hurns, who gave an informal talk about school and parent problems.

Following the business session a very pleasant social hour was enjoyed by all.

"I am sure you are all interested enough to know the importance of buying Third War Loan bonds, but I don't think you are fully aware of the effect believe I can tell you just that."

said Sgt. Farris Humphries, Person Pearl Harbor veteran, at first meeting of the Parent-Teacher association of Roxboro Central Grammar school Tuesday

Introduction of Humphries, Post of the American Legion,

was by Godon C. Hunter, Post Commander, who is also district

der which Humphries was wounded and he also gave an BE PRISONER IN stamp suport, saying that raising of the Person, and Roxboro guota

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#### SURGICAL DRESSING WORK RESUMES

Surgical Dressing Unit of the Red Cross, of which Mrs. J. H. Hughes is chairman, will resume work on Monday, September 27, in quarters on second floor of the Wilburn and Satterfield building. New suplies have been received.

#### COURT OF HONOR TO BE HELD

Monthly meeting of the Boy Scout Court of Honor will be held Friday night at seven o'clock at Person County, Court House, with E. B. Craven, chairman, in charge.

#### **HEALTH SCHEDULES CHANGE**

Dr. W. P. Richardson, Person Health Officer, today announced that vaccination clinics and health examinations will w be given on Mondays from two to four o'clock in the on Health examinations for domestic servants will also n at that time on Mondays, only.

guest speaker Sunday morning at eleven o'clock at Roxboro Pres. dinner will be served on the byterian church.

AT CHURCH

Butner and Roxboro, will be

Cpl. and Mrs. Philip Suitt, of special occasion as it marks the Roxboro and Fort Breckenridge, completion of what is regarded the sale of Bonds has on the Ky., are today announcing the as one of the finest rural morale of fighting men and I birth of a daughter, on Tuesday, churches in Person County. Spe-Ky., are today announcing the as one of the finest rural September 21, at Community cial notice is given that the ser-(turn to page eight, please) hospital.

Honor Paid Huff who as a returned veteran is a member of Lester Blackwell At Church Sunday Post Chaplai<sup>n</sup> And Former

Teacher Praise Sacrifice He Made

Hunter in his introduction, described the circumstances un-**GERMAN CAMP** 

> Lieu. R. J. (Jimmy) Alderman, of Roxboro and Brevard, who on August 17th was reported as missing in action following a bomber raid over Central Europe, is Now said to be a prisoner of war in a German camp, according to

Information received from the International Red Cross by his wife, Mrs. Mable McNeely Alderman, of Lake Toxaway.

The brief message said that Purple Heart decoration posthu-Alderman, a winner of the Flymously presented to her son. ing Cross and stationed in Eng-land, is "well and safe," his Also present were other memmother, Mrs. Lucy B. Alderman, sisters of the deceased soldier, his sister, Mrs. Preston Satter-field, Jr., and his aunt, Mrs. J. J. church members, who heard the Woody, all live in Roxboro. Ansacrifice theme stressed by both ter is Mrs. Gilbert Wagstaff, of Baltimore. Alderman's wife telep his mother Tuesday night. teleph

PROMOTION

were Chaplain Kasper, Cpls. Luboff and Davis and others Dr. Earl Daniel, of Oliver Gen-eral hospital, Augusta, 'Ga., has been advanced from Sergeant to Staff Sergeant. were Chaplain Kasper, Cpls. Luboff and Davis and others from Camp Butner, who lead in (turn to page eight, please) Staff 6

Hotel To Take Names Of grounds and a special afternoon Soldiers Wanting Places service conducted. It is to be a In Private Homes.

Women Expect To Be At

Mrs. Beth Brewer Pridgen, president of Roxboro Buesiness and Professional Woman's club, together with Misses Mildred Bass, Billie Vogler, members of the club's military service committee, met this week with members of similar committees from Roxboro's Kiwanis and Rotary clubs to plan an established Military Service program. Also at the meeting was Farris Humphries, as a representative of the American Legion, and Wallace Woods, of Chamber of Commerce.

Under plans made at the meeting Mrs. Pridgen is to name a committee to be at Hotel Roxboro on week-ends to direct men who need rooms to available quarters in private homes. It has been suggested that majority of men wish to pay for their rooms, but that in instances where charges are not made, the men will be given an opportunity to ending of memorial services held contribute to a fund for esta-sunday afternoon for Pfa Loviel blishment here of a USO headquarters.

T. Huff, of Payne's Tavern, Per-Also discussed was a plan of son man, who last December using an uptown building or the American Legion hut as USO was killed in action in North headquarters, with majority sen-Honored woman, who attendtiment favornig an uptown builded the service held at Mill Creek ing because of inacessibility of Baptist church, of which Huff the Hut, which is rather far out on Court treet.' It is hoped that was a member, was his mother, ultimately a separate USO build-Mrs. Emma Huff, who wore the ing can be established here.

Sentiment was expressed that soldiers who do stay in private homes want rather to be let abers of the family, brothers and lone than to have an excess of planned entertainment. Rotary together with close friends and committee representatives , present included R. B. Griffin, Gorspeakers, Post Chaplain Captain while Kiwanis representative was Lars Pedersen, of Camp Butner, Dr. Robert E. Long. and the Rev. J. B. Currin, of

Being planned for this Saturday by Dr. Long. Lawrence Featherstone and others is a Ser-vice dance at Roxboro high school. The Tuesday meeting was first organized effort made Also program participants here to establish a service program.

Health Board Has Meeting

On Wednesday

**Roxboro Country** Members of the Person County Board of Health, of which Coun-**Club Members** ty Commissioner Frank T. Whitfield is chairman, yesterday held their quarterly session. Regular Meet Tonight report was presented by Dr. W P. Richardson, of Chapel Hill,

director of the tri-county health department. Cthers who are Board mem-

Winstead, Mayor of Roxboro.

Members of Roxboro Country club are requested to meet tonight at 7:45 o'clock in the grand bers are Drs. John Merritt, H. jury room at Person County M. Hedgepeth and J. H. Hughes, Court House, where club affairs Court House, where club affairs also R. B. Griffin, Person Super. of importance will be discussed. intendant of Schools and S. G. President is J. S. Merritt, who announced the meeting.

## Schoof And Taylor Make Malaria Tests

State Department Makes Immediate **Response To Request For Invstigation** 

Malaria Report Can Be **Expected In Few Weeks** Says Richardson.

H. F. Schoof, of Raleigh, of the malaria control division of the State Board f Health, assisted by Winston B. Taylor, Person sanitarian, has completed an examination of malarial conditions said to exist at Chub Lake and is expected to make a report in a few weeks, according to Dr. W. P. Richardson, of Chapel Hill, director of the tri-county health

department. Dr. Richardson, here yesterday for a regular departmental visit, quoted Schoof and Taylor as say ing that in certain sp Chub Lake area the in the disease is rather

\in numbers of samples of the Lake water malaria-bearing mosquitoes were found.

survey, having taken with him to Raleigh a number of bloodsmears and slides. Actual checking of breeding conditions for mosquitos at Chub Lake will not be particularly effective before next Spring, according to Richardson, but officials are going to do what they can now and will be most certainly ready to dogood work by Spring . One aspect of the surv

attempt to discover c aria not yet on file local physicians, it

Schoof is now completing his