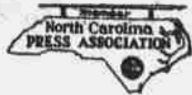


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SO WHAT?

By WHATSO

THE LIFE BLOOD OF THE REPUBLIC IS FLOWING. No we are not going to talk war and heroics. We are not going to relate how wonderful a sight it is to see the fine youth of the Nation answering the call to the colors. Nor, on the other side of the picture, are we going to mourn over the tragic story of the nations of the world flying at each other's throats exhibiting all the vicious and brainless characteristics of maddened dogs, with the result that here in our own country manhood in its physical, mental and spiritual prime is forced to leave the ways of peace to pick up the sword of conflict. Rather would we consider from an entirely objective point of view, quite indifferent to the wonderful virtues and terrific vicissitudes of the several candidates, at least one or two important implications.

We have listened to quite a few political speeches of late. Some were good, some were frightful. The speeches of the two major candidates can no more be compared than can the qualities of burlap and silk. Irvin Cobb was funny with a punch. Al Smith was raucous and pathetic. Senator Wagner was interesting and quite concerned with Senator Wagner. Dorothy Thompson was fine of voice, keen of mind, an intellect moving and finding its mark with all the shimmering speed of the foil. Ambassador Kennedy—we heard him Tuesday night—was perhaps the best of them all. Obviously sincere, master of his subject, logical in the presentation of his matter, he made his point clearly, unmistakably and clinched it. We should like to hear Cobb, Thompson and Kennedy again—in fact, whenever they wish to talk we wish to listen.

What interests us most in this campaign is not who is going to be elected—we all feel pretty certain on that point. It is the spirited fight that is being put up throughout the country by the two major parties. Of course, here in the South we can't have a good political fight; all we can have is a famaly political squabble within one party. There is very little worth while in that. The fact that in this National political fight both candidates have been abused and misrepresented, false statements and vicious implications made by both sides, really is not of much moment. The big, outstanding, significant fact is that both major parties are standing up, giving it and taking it with all the power and strength that they can muster. Punches are not being pulled. No quarter is being asked. This is a good sign that there is real life in the Republic, that men really do care, that the lazy acceptance of one party rule has ceased, that it always has in the past, and that the life blood of our Democracy is flowing again.

Now and then some timorous soul, making note of the political battle that is on in the face of dangers from without, bids us be careful and remember that this is no time for internal and political dissension. We must be united, we must show to the world no differences of political opinion, we must allow no great cleavage to appear in the body politic! Our citizens who speak thus forget that we are the AMERICAN PEOPLE. We know what democratic government is. We know the two party system. We know how to divide our votes and win, fighting political campaigns and a fearless campaign. It is in our blood. But it is in our blood and tradition to know when the fight is over. To know when the campaign is over and

to know which side has won. And that when that moment has come the Government is our government, the President is our President. There need be no fear of a lack of unity in the nation. Differences of opinion? Yes, thanks be. An opposition party to give voice to dissenting opinions? Yes, thanks be. But back of it all, a great united people—loyal to the Government, to the President and to the Republic!

MORE ABOUT DRAFT

DRAFT

(Continued from Page One) Stokes, W. G. Hollowell and W. W. Spencer, will receive orders for this County before the end of the week, and will shortly mail out questionnaires to fill the first quota for the draft. All questionnaires mailed out by the local board must be returned to the board within five days by the registrants.

The following order numbers affecting this County are hereby given in the order that they were drawn from the bowl... these numbers cover only the first 4,376 numbers drawn: 158, 192, 105, 188, 120, 846, 161, 14, 57, 153, 19, 766, 172, 126, 31, 156, 676, 112, 185, 108, 109, 184, 116, 174, 131, 125, 138, 142, 166, 135, 183, 148, 198, 139, 146, 6, 122, 83, 280, 169, 145, 9, 765, 121, 625, 181, 660, 702, 86, 114, 136, 820, 228, 612, 231, 203, 196, 21, 165, 768, 747, 159, 79, 782, 78, 45, 25, 609, 603, 154, 77, 160, 764, 666, 190, 210, 67, 107, 180, 59, 74, 246, 667, 781, 134, 130, 124, 104, 370, 225, 642, 703, 656, 128, 150, 276, 1015, 883, 346, 692, 341, 412, 436, 175, 904, 226, 809, 1116, 859, 584, 309, 536, 771, 434, 274, 698, 863, 661, 617, 893, 129, 279, 157, 275, 270, 799, 362, 1043, 245, 804, 213, 177, 200, 728, 721, 900, 227, 709, 1063, 474, 811, 635, 92, 688, 638, 649, 711, 47, 44, 115, 1021, 164, 1001, 695, 732, 822, 808, 144, 301, 123, 634, 967, 82, 305, 345, 795, 1097, 862, 825, 261, 23, 94, 224, 860, 319, 627, 111, 155, 845, 723, 446, 170, 29, 1, 331, 636, 13, 419, 776, 400, 733, 1044, 829, 715, 675, 287, 808, 1048, 773, 988, 673, 942, 749, 645, 794, 645, 794, 661, 674, 757, 894, 195, 1122, 3, 997, 1115, 218, 855, 12, 741, 779, 230, 5, 46, 892, 622, 90, 605, 118, 864, 653, 380, 756, 624, 878, 606, 69, 404, 472, 817, 149, 730, 481, 706, 985, 60, 321, 72, 497, 75, 37, 240, 296, 91, 96, 734, 783, 52, 760, 397, 718, 770, 214, 182, 868, 403, 744, 691, 850, 717, 326, 382, 186, 71, 17, 475, 428, 10, 929, 30.

It is expected, although not yet fully known, that these numbers will be the first called by the local board for classification. The total represents about one-fourth of the number of registrations in Perquimans County.

Who Knows?

- 1. Is the use of snuff dying out?
2. How large is a propeller on a battleship?
3. Does a spider exercise intelligence in making a web?
4. What Hohenzollern dream has been revived by Hitler?
5. How many German planes attack England daily?
6. How many Americans live and work in China and Japan?
7. When did the Japanese sink the American gunboat Panay?
8. How many Americans will vote in the Presidential election on November 6?
9. Does the Burma road run through French Indo-China?
10. What is the shortest distance between American and Russian territory?

THE ANSWERS 1. Production in 1939 was 35,

- 000,000 pounds.
2. The 35,000-ton Washington will have four propellers, each weighing 35,000 pounds.
3. No, the weaving is entirely instinctive.
4. The idea of an empire, stretching from Berlin to Bagdad.
5. British estimate: an average of 400.
6. China, 8,500; Japan 8,145.
7. December 12, 1937.
8. Estimate: 49,000,000.
9. No.
10. About five miles, between Russia's Big Diomed Island and our Little Diomed in the Bering Strait.

EXTENSION NOTES

By FRANCES MANESS Home Demonstration Agent

County Council A number of our County Council members missed a very interesting program on Saturday, October 26. We were very fortunate in having the Rev. Clarence Hobgood, pastor of Hertford Baptist Church, as our speaker.

Mr. Campbell discussed The Perquimans Weekly contest, to be put on through the Home Demonstration Clubs. We certainly appreciate this opportunity to raise money for each club.

Schedule For Next Week Tuesday, Nov. 5—Chapanoke Club will meet with Mrs. A. R. Cooke, at 2:30 p. m.

Wednesday, Nov. 6—Winfall Club will meet at 2:30 p. m., with Mrs. Kenneth Miller.

Thursday, Nov. 7—Whiteston Club will meet with Mrs. Mary S. Winslow at 2:30 p. m.

Friday, Nov. 8—Home and Garden Club will meet at 2:30 p. m.

BELVIDERE NEWS

Miss Esther Perry, of Cumberland, left Thursday after having visited Miss Marjorie Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Kendall left Sunday for their home in Washington, D. C., after having visited Mrs. F. E. Smith.

Miss Lucy White, Mrs. T. C. Perry, Mrs. H. P. White and Mrs. L. J. Winslow attended County Council of Home Demonstration Clubs in Hertford Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. White and Miss Marjorie White spent Monday in Norfolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Dale visited relatives and friends in Virginia on Sunday.

Miss Alice Belle Jenkins, of Williamston, returned home Sunday after having visited Misses Catherine and Deborah White.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Lane visited relatives in Portsmouth, Va., Sunday.

Mrs. L. J. Winslow, Mrs. R. M. Duncan, Mrs. V. C. Dale and Miss Marjorie Perry were in Elizabeth City Monday.

Mrs. Sophia McCop and son, Leonard, of Newland, were guests in the home of Mrs. Maude Chappell on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Smith, Mrs. T. C. Perry, Mrs. R. M. Duncan and Miss Marjorie Perry attended the Lindsay Warren Day celebration in Washington, N. C., on Friday.

Miss Madge Lane, student at E. C. T. C., Greenville, spent the past week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Lane. She was accompanied to Greenville Sunday by Misses Marjorie Perry and Mildred Copeland, and Nelson Lane and Thomas Chappell.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Perry Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ferrell and daughter, Janet, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Gregory, Mrs. Earl Cartwright and daughter, Carolyn Joyce, of Shiloh.

Mrs. R. R. White spent several days last week in Norfolk, Va., with her mother, who was ill. Mr. White and children spent the week-end there and were accompanied home on Sunday by Mrs. White.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Winslow spent

Sunday in Norfolk, Va., as guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. White. Rev. J. C. Trivette, Mrs. Bertha S. White and Mrs. L. J. Winslow returned Thursday after attending the Five Years Meeting of Friends held in Richmond, Ind. While in the State Mrs. Winslow visited with friends in Carthage and New Castle.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. S. Furman, of Media, Pa., are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Winslow this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Winslow and son, Leonard, Jr., of Hertford; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hunter and grandson, Dalton, Mrs. T. P. Layden and daughter, Velma, of near Hertford; Mrs. Eli Winslow, Mrs. John Onley and children, of near Elizabeth City; Mr. and Mrs. Demp-

sey Winslow and children, of Whiteston, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Winslow on Sunday.

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