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#### BIBLE THOUGHT FOR WEEK

FORGET YOURSELF IN THE GREATER GOOD: Ye have heard how I said unto you, I go away, and come again unto you. If ye loved me, ye would rejoice, because I said I go unto the Father: for my Father They kept repeating what Richard feel the same way. is greater than I .- John 16:7.

### **Bundles For Britain**

The Hertford committee of the Bundles for Britain organization started the local campaign here last week and is to be congratulated on the splendid results thus far.

With the aid of the Boy Scouts, the local group collected approximately \$175 worth of clothes and cash and this indeed will be a weicomed gift in warn-torn England.

A bird's-eye view of what each little offering means can be gained from an article received this week by Mrs. R. T. Clarke, chairman of the local organization. This article points out that one penny buys a quinine tablet . . . one dollar buys fifty yards of bandage . . . five doilars buys the needed wool to knit a complete Tommy's outfit . . . while \$25 buys a complete children's hospital cot . . . and \$50 will buy a lifesaving blood transfusion apparatus . . while old clothing goes to heip keep the homeless people from freezing.

At the same time Mrs. Clarke received a letter from the National Headquarters in New York City giving the local group complete authority to act as Bundles for Britain in Perquimans County, and welcoming the group for their humanitarian efforts in this cause.

The Weekly joins with the Bundles for Britain committee and urges every person in Perquimans to donate bundles for this worthy under-

### The War Hurts The Farmer

Statistics reveal that American agricultural exports in January amounted to only \$22,000,000, or less than seven per cent of our foreign

What this means to our farmers is apparent when we reflect that in January, 1940, before the blitzkrieg, our agricultural exports were worth \$97,000,000.

The sale of the products of our farms, to foreign countries, is said to be at the lowest level since 1869 and nobody has any idea when the export markets will improve.

Here is what happened to agricultural exports in one year, from January, 1940, to January, 1941:

Cotton shipments dropped from more than 1,000,000 bales to 60,000, wheat from 608,000 bushels to 46,-000; corn from 5,242,000 bushels to 755,000; apples from 243,000 bushets to 64,000; meat products from 36,-139,000 pounds to 4,557,000; lard from 27,880,000 pounds to 13,666, 000, and so on.

Everybody knows that foreign markets for some of our chief agricultural products had been shot to pieces before the war began but the figures above show the extent of drastic reductions in the last twelve months.

It begins to appear that the American farmer has an interest in the peace and well-being of the peoples of foreign countries and that his prosperity is inextricably bound to the fortunes of other lands.

### Victory At Marseille

The ears may have been for the speeches; the eyes must have been for the boxes and the crates swinging up out of the hold of the American Red Cross freighter, Cold Harbor, and coming down safely on the wharves at Marseille. All the while the children cheered, all the time the officials exchanged their greetings, on and on throughout the ora-tory, the hoisting gear reached its long arms down into the darkness decks, pulling out treasures



Allen, delegate of the American Red Cross, had just said—that this ship's cargo was a "token of American sympathy" for France. That phrase must have carried nourishment for the hope and the courage of French patriots, as the ship carried nourish. ment for children's bodies. "France does not flaunt her misery," said Jean Barraud, for the Perfect of Marseille; "America has neverthe-

less understood." the British blockade, it may be added IN HERTFORD. THE HUT FOR Since the ship had to pass through that the British also understood that THE SCOUTS AND THE HOME this errand of mercy was one that could not be perverted by the encmies of France. Thus the cargo was really a token of sympathy from two great free peoples who are determined to remain free and to help others who still want to be free.

Free peoples are not callous. The, do not shrug their shoulders over the sufferings of freedom's friends. They do not have it in their hearts to glory even in the suffering of freedom's enemies.

"Long live America, long live France," was the cry of gratitude sent up at Marseille. The only barriers that Americans or Britons would raise against the feeding of France are those required to make this hope come true. The world at the best governed town in North last will be conquered mainly by Carolina! No man should be allowkindness: this faith is deeply embedded in the democratic concept of living. To temper mercy with wis- he can show that he is qualified by dom is the problem of this difficult ability or experience or both to renhour.

Meanwhile, any increasing knowledge among free men that they ca., man who aspires to the honor of extend help and comfort to unwilling aptives of tyranny starts a warm able to demonstrate to the voters surge of hopefulness through the that he sees the problems of our reins as news of a victory in battle, community and also has a plan for -Christian Science Monitor.

### SO WHAT?

By WHATSO

ORGANIZATION, LEADERSHIP, RESULTS. These three words tell the story of the Bundles for Britain work in the community. A couple of weeks ago the V/oman's Club undertook to sponsor this work locally; the news columns of this paper relates the fine results already attained. The question now is-what next? So far it is really only the lown of Hertford that has been called upon to contribute. The work has not reached out into the County. We do not know how the County work is to be organized, but we have no doubt that it will be and that the results from the County will at least equal those attained in the Town. By the proper use of the churches, schools and key men in the various parts of the County, won-ders can be accomplished. The peo-ple of this county are fine folks at heart. All that is needed to unite them in a worthy cause is intelligent and enthusiastic leadership.

SPEAKING OF THE WOMAN'S CLUB leads us to step in where even angels, perhaps, would fear to tread! However, what we have to say is not just our own personal opinion, but is the opinion as well of many citizens, men and women, who are friends and admirers of the Woman's Club It is highly desirable that the Club have a building of its own at the earliest opportunity. The prespective of the prespective of the control of the prespective of the control of t ent efforts of the Club to get such s building are worthy of all praise. It is, however, unwise in the opinion of many for the Club, to build for itself a home stuck way off, out of

THE BUILDING OF A HUT FOR THE BOY SCOUTS is another proposition that is in the air and deserves the thought and interest of the Community. Here again the same problem arises that we have in the case of the new home for the Woman's Club. Where shall the building be placed? BOY SCOUTS AND THE WOMAN'S CLUB ARE THE TWO FINEST AND MOST WORTHWHILE ORGANIZATIONS FOR THE WOMAN'S CLUB SHOULD NOT BE RELEGATED TO SOME FAR OFF CORNER OF THE TOWN. THE CENTERS OF THEIR ACTIVITIES SHOULD BE OUT IN THE OPEN WHERE THEY CAN BE SEEN. That is the general feeling of all who are interested and all the worthwhile citizens of the Town are interested. The problem may not be easy to solve and this column is not going to try to solve it but we feel, and feel very strongly, that if real thought is given the matter some solution can be found which will be of great benefit to all

JUST HOW WELL IS HERT FORD GOVERNED? It should be ed to serve this Town as Mayor or member of the Town Council unless der a service which will result in an improvement of conditions. serving his fellow citizens should be their solution. Just because you like a man is no reason on earth to vote for him. We do not vote to show our personal likes and dislikes! We vote to place in office the man whom we feel and believe is the most competent man to carry out the duties of that office. Whether or not we like him personally is not the ques-

### WOODVILLE NEWS

Sunday guests at the home of Mr and Mrs. A. R. Cooke were Mr. adn Mrs. Earl Perry and daughter, Dot, of New Hope; Hazel Godfrey, and Fay Raye Cartwright, of Weeksville.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bogue were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sherlock and son, Linwood Earle and Miss Helen Davis of Four Forks; Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Winslow and son, Leonard, Jr., of Hertford; Miss Hester Fowler, of Elizabeth City; Miss Dot Perry, of New Hope; Maurice Bogue, of Fort Bragg, S. C., and Miss Marguerite

Miss Operzine Cooke, accompanied by friends, motored to Washington N. C. Sunday.

WOODVILLE W. M. S. MESTS
The Woman's Missionary Society
of Woodville Baptist Church held its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, March 11, at the church. Mrs. M. R. Griffin presided over the meeting, which was opened with the hymn "The Way of the Cross Leads Home" Mrs. Rupert Stanton gave the Scrip-

Mrs. Rupert Stanton was in charge of the following program: Hymn, "The Star Spangled Baner"; talk, "The Land of the Free" by Mrs. sight and out of touch with the general life of the Town. We have a feeling that by taking a little more time, giving the matter a little more thought, laying pleas with an eye focused on a hit more distant future, the Woman's Club can do far better by itself and the community than by building on the site that is now contemplated. This notion is

following members: Mesdames H. Ov West, J. A. Bray, A. R. Cooke, Mary Bray, G. W. Gregory, M. R. Griffis, H. G. Swayne and Rupert Stanton, and one visitor, Miss Beulah Bogue.

### BELVIDERE NEWS

Stanley Raiford, of Norfolk, Va., was a visitor in the home of Mrs. H. P. White Friday night. He was accompanied by C. E. Raiford and daughter, Evelyn, of Ivor, Va., who will visit Mrs. White and Mrs. L. J. Winslow for some time.

Mrs. Sam Pierce, of Sunbury, was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Chappell, Monday.

Miss Blanche Chappell and Miss Madge Lane, students at E. C. T. C., Greenville, are spending the spring holidays at their respective homes.

Mrs. B. L. White and son, Francis Lee, of Sunbury, visited Mrs. R. R. White, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Smith spent Friday in Elizabeth City.

Mrs. William Barco and Mrs. Vincent Barco, of Shiloh, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Perry, Thursday.

### LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SALE By virtue of the authority contained in that certain deed of trust executed on the 22nd day of May, 1937, by Nelson M. Felton, to Chas. E. Johnson, trustee, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Perquimans County, N. C., in M. D. Book 19, page 336, defauit having been made in the conditions of said deed of trust, the undersigned trustee will on the 17th day of April, 1941, at 11:30 o'clock A. M., at the court house door of Perquimans County, N. C., offer for sale at public auction, to the highest biader for cash, subject to a deed or trust given to H. O. L. C., and other mortgages should there be any, an taxes, all the right, title and interest of the grantor set out above, in the following described property:

That certain house and lot lying and being in the Town of Hertford, Perquimans County, N. C., bounded on the south by Market Street; on the east by lands of Thomas H. Hotfler; on the north by the lands or Mrs. Elizabeth Myers; and on the west by the lands of William Madre, containing seventy feet frontage on the said Market Street, and having u depth of two hundred feet. Being same property as deeded to Nelson

. Felton and wife, Annette M. Fel

A 10% deposit will be required of the successful bidder. Dated and posted this 7th day of March, 1941.

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