

### Good Driver League Finals On July 1st At Charlotte

North Carolina state finals for contestants in the 1941 Ford Good Drivers League will be held July 1, at Charlotte, it was announced today from Dearborn, Mich., national headquarters of the League.

Selection of sites for state finals was revealed as thousands of boys and girls enrolled in the Good Drivers League throughout the nation hurried to complete the required written tests and road tests on automobile safety.

In a last-minute warning to enrollees, League officials said that these tests must be completed and results mailed to the League national headquarters at Dearborn before midnight, June 2. Entries postmarked later than midnight, June 2, will not be eligible for the state contests.

Boys and girls competing in the good driving contests are shooting at high stakes. Winners in the national contest will be awarded 98 university scholarships amounting to a total of \$28,000 by Edsel Ford,

president of the League. From the results of tests submitted by each League member, judges will select 12 leading girl contestants each state and the District of Columbia to compete in state finals. Separate contests are held for boys and girls.

The boy and girl champions from each of the 48 states and the District of Columbia, together with sponsors of their own choice, will receive free trips to Dearborn in August for the national finals.

A \$5,000 university scholarship will be awarded in national competition to the best girl driver and another \$5,000 scholarship to the best boy driver. Ninety-six other scholarships will go to finalists. Runners-up in both the boy and girl divisions each will receive \$2,000 scholarships.

### "Arizona"

The picture is Wesley Ruggles' "Arizona," at the State Theatre, Friday only, which Binyon adapted from the Clarence Budington Kelland novel, starring Jean Arthur with William Holden, Warren William, Porter Hall and a cast of thousands.

"When we first decided to make 'Arizona,'" said Binyon, "there were a number of features which had to

be checked on a general scale. First we found out from the author how much of the yarn was fact and how much fiction. This was necessary since every family mentioned in the book had to be contacted and permission obtained before we could present the characters as Kelland had written them. Even then changes had to be made in a few characters.

### CHAPANOKE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Garrett and small son spent Tuesday in Elizabeth City.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker, of Elizabeth City, spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. West.

Mrs. Judd Lane, Mrs. Elihu Lane and Miss Ruby Lane were in Elizabeth City Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. S. M. Woodley, of Norfolk, Va., spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. John Asbell.

Mrs. Howell and Mrs. George Jackson were visitors in Elizabeth City Tuesday.

Mrs. Earl Wilder spent last week with her parents near Edenton.

Miss Louise Wilson went to Greensboro Sunday to attend the graduating exercises of her sister, Miss Ruth Roberts Wilson, a senior at W. C. U. N. C.

Mrs. J. C. Wilson was in Elizabeth City on Tuesday.

### MISS WHEDBEE HONORED AT MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

Miss Margaret Whedbee, of Hertford, Route 3, whose marriage to Robert Kowalsky, of Norfolk, Virginia, will take place Thursday, May 29, was entertained Tuesday evening at a miscellaneous shower at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. R. Whedbee.

Cut flowers were profusely used in decorating the home which made a pretty setting for the party.

After several games and contests, each guest made a model of the "Bride's Hat" with Miss Juanita White winning the prize. Others who won prizes were Miss Audrey Lane and Mrs. Floyd Matthews. Wishes for the bride were written in the Bride's Book.

The honoree received many beautiful and useful gifts. The guests were served with ice cream and cake.

Those present and sending gifts were Mesdames A. R. Cooke, C. A. Bogue, George Jackson, Abe Godfrey, L. R. Howell, J. C. Wilson, J. A. Bray, Will Bray, Jack Benton, W. M. Matthews, G. T. Williams, Eddie Harrell, Ernest Cartwright, Leonard Pierce, E. B. Hollowell, W. H. Pierce, Jr., M. R. Griffin, James Pierce, J. J. Godfrey, C. H. Sawyer, Johnny Pike, W. H. Pierce, Sr., W. G. Hollowell, W. A. Hoggard, G. W. Gregory, Lela Mae Winslow and L. N. Harrell, Misses Juanita White, Beulah Bogue, Audrey Lane, Blanche Cartwright, Ethel Lane, Maxine Harrell, Artie Mae and Anne Hollowell, Attie Bray, Margaret Bogue, Janet Quincy, Eleanor Sawyer, Susie Mae Wilson, Ola Bogue and Evelyn Whedbee, Mildred Bogue, Lovie, Bessie Mae and Mildred Pike, Annie Mae and Ida Perry Matthews, Marjorie and Jean Whedbee, Lois Faye Benton and Margaret Whedbee, honoree, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Whedbee, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hollowell, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Whedbee, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Whedbee, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Whedbee, Sr., Luther Whedbee, W. E. Bogue, Joel Hollowell and Leonard Winslow.

### HOME-BUILDING RECORD

Washington. — 158,277 new small homes, financed by FHA-insured mortgages have been built in the United States between July 1 of last year and May 10, of this year, according to the Federal Housing Administration, setting a new high record. Eighty-five per cent of the homes were in the vicinity of defense industries.

### SECOND ACCIDENT FATAL

Shelby.—Two years ago, Horace Dean, 9, was struck and critically injured by an automobile. Recently, he was struck by another and killed.

### ONLY ONE GRADUATE

Ingham, Neb.—Although there's only one senior to graduate, Dorothy Heath, 17, there will be a full-fledged commencement program at the Ingham High school, with a commencement speaker and all the usual trimmings.

### R. T. Brinn, Jr., Takes Advance Course At Naval Academy

R. T. Brinn, Jr., returned to the Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md., last Monday, where he will take an advanced course during the next six weeks.

Tim Rufus, after completing a special three months course, was graduated from the Academy on May 15, at which time he received a commission as Ensign.

He was one of 200 from the class of 920 men selected for further study at the Academy. This choice was due to his outstanding work in the special course from February 15 to May 15.

Tim Rufus is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Brinn, and a graduate of Perquimans High School and of Duke University.

### SNOW HILL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Sawyer and family, of Old Neck, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cartwright.

Mrs. Wallie Knight, of Norfolk, Va., is now staying at the home of parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wood.

J. T. Wood, Elmer Wood and Miss Eloise Keaton spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Seth Spivey, in Richmond, Va. They were accompanied home by Mrs. J. T. Wood, who spent the past two weeks there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harrell visited Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Benton, of Old Neck, on Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. H. Harrell spent several days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Harrell.

Mrs. Moody Harrell visited Mrs. G. W. Gregory, at Woodville, on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Max Griffin visited Mrs. Ben-

### Demonstration in Canning At Cross Roads On June 4

A canning demonstration will be given by D. E. Hall, of the Burpee Can Sealer Co., in the Community House at Cross Roads on Wednesday morning, June 4, at 10 o'clock.

Mr. Hall will can vegetables and fruits in tin cans, and use the pressure cooker for processing. He also invites those attending this demonstration to bring their pressure cookers, regardless of the make, and he will gladly test and readjust the gauge, and check the rest of the cooker.

This demonstration is being given for Home Demonstration Club leaders and members, Home Economics Teachers, Supervisors of NYA, TSA and WPA and 4-H Club girls. Others who are interested in home canning are invited.

### Services For Infant Ely Held Tuesday Afternoon In Suffolk

Funeral services for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Ely were held Tuesday afternoon in Suffolk, Virginia. The Rev. C. E. Hobgood, pastor of the Hertford Baptist Church, officiated. Interment was made in the Cedar Grove Cemetery at Suffolk.

The infant was born Monday night and passed away early Tuesday morning.

### Boy Scout Patrol Seeks Odd Jobs

The Pine Tree Patrol of Troop 155 of the Hertford Boy Scouts announced this week that it will be glad to do any and all odd jobs asked of them. People having odd jobs they want done can enlist the aid of the Scouts by calling Charles Skinner at 3116.

### Not Long Enough

Poet—Are you the man, who cut my hair the last time?  
Barber—I don't think so, sir, I've only been here six months.

### Danger Signal

Hep—Jake's wife shot him last night. She says she done it becuz he was a big loafer and no 'count.  
Gap—My heavens! If that there idy gets to be ketchin' none of us gents is safe.

### Will Rogers' Humorous Story

By WILL ROGERS

ONE school teacher was pretty hard-bolled with the kids. That's the reason why I think may be this story ain't true. Teachers ain't hard-bolled any more, are they?  
But when George was late for school the third time, and he hadn't any excuse, the teacher sent him home.

### Remember to tell your mother that you must have a written excuse. And don't forget to tell her that it mustn't happen again. She must give me the cause for you being late, and whatever the cause is, it mustn't happen again.

So George came back in a couple of hours with an excuse. It read:  
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