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ublic School Enrollment In Prominent Methodists In Edenton Friday .C.Increased 12.9Per Cent **Dver Period Of Five Years**

istrative Units

blic school enrollment increasn 864,154 in 1948-49 to 968,-1953-54, an increase of 103,r 12.9 per cent, according to a boys and girls attending public arison of the official statisti-high schools. ords of these years as preby the monthly magazine School Facts."

County and City liment of children in the 74 72 in 1948-49) city administrative the five-year comparison increased much greater than 100 county administrative Enrollment in the 72 city in 1948-49 totaled 241,882, is in 1953-54 these units plus The increase for these units, white boys and girls and 40.3 per in Maxton and St. Pauls, totaled city units, these increases were 15.0 22, or a percentage increase of per cent and 22.1 per cent respectively. 19.7 for the five-year period.

ase in total school enrollin the 100 county units (in- mentary schools, when compared as h totals for 1948-49 and exclud-56,150, or an increase of 9.0 per roes, whereas in county units corent for the five-year period. White and Negro

Increase in public school enrollduring this period under con- in school enrollment shows that ration was greater in schools among schools for whites the greator white pupils than in those for est increase during the five-year logroes, 13.4 per cent in the case period occurred in the first grade, the former and 8.9 per cent for 26.4 per cent. City units experithe latter. In the city limits the enced a 50.0 per cent increase, racial comparisons as to increased whereas there was an 18.6 per cent rollments for this period are 21.7 first grade increase in county units. er cent in the case of white pu-Among Negro schools the greatis and 15.7 per cent in the case est increase occurred in the 12th of Negroes. Among the 100 county grade, 44.0 per cent. For this mits there was a 10.3 per cent in- grade the increase in Negro enrollrease in white enrollment and a 6.0 ment was 57.5 per cent in county er cent increase in Negro pupils units and 27.5 per cent in city follow units.

Elementary and Secondary Enrollment in the public high chools of the State increased from 170.151 in 1948-49 to 206,467 in 1953-54, an increase of 36,316 or 21.3 per cent.

Enrollment in elementary schools. grades 1-8. increased during this about 97 per cent of the animals ir ma period from 694,003 to 761 -99.-67,596 or 9.7 per cent. Greatest nercentage increase in se areas was made by the Negro high schools which increased in en-Medical Association.

liment from 40,465 to 53,646, or One of the chief sources of the disease has been the viruent virus, used with antiserum in vaccinating.

rease Was Greatest 32.6 per cent, during this five-year sulted in a decrease of 69 per cent period. Enrollment in public high in the amount of virulent virus bemong City Admin- schools for white students increas- ing used, compared to 1951.

ed 17.8 per cent, from 129,686 to 152,821. In other words, there were Parkway Section To 23,135 more white boys and girls **Re-open** Next April attending public high schools in

1953-54 than in 1948-49, and cor-April 15, 1955, is the date set by respondingly 13,181 more Negro the National Park Service for the reopening of a high-altitude section of the Blue Ridge Parkway between

In the elementary schools there U. S. 70 near Asheville, and Craven were 12.2 per cent more white chil-Gap in the Craggy Mountains. This dren in 1953-54 than in 1948-49, but section was closed in November beonly 4.6 per cent more Negroes. In cause of the hazards of snow and other words, whereas the white eleice likely to occur at high altitudes. mentary schools enrolled 57,530 Throughout the winter, other sec more pupils in 195354 than in 1948tions of the Parkway in North Car-49, the Negro schools of the same olina are open to traffic whenever grades enrolled only 10,065 more. Further analysis shows that the weather is mild enough to per-mit safe driving on this vacation among the high schools the five- highway which crosses the moun wo new city units (St. Pauls year increase was greatest in the tains at an average altitude of me Maxton) enrolled 289,644 pu- county units-19.2 per cent for more than 3,000 fest.

ing the 3,523 pupils enrolled cent for Negroes-whereas in the PLASTIC NAVY BEING BUILT FOR ARMY ASSAULT TROOPS

For Belvoir, Va .- The Army

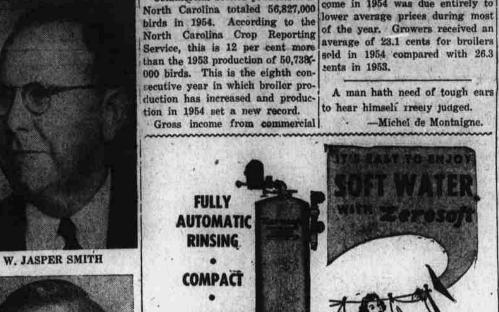
Increase in enrollment in the elebuilding a plastic navy. Now being built for the Army ing Maxton and St. Pauls in to units, was greatest in city units Corps of Engineers are plastic. -24.0 per cent in the case of white wide-beam, 16-foot "assault boats" uch units in 1953-54) totaled schools and -4.0 per cent for Neg- which weigh less than 300 pounds. The boats are strong enough to carry 15 men with full packs, yet light enough to be carried readily

The new "assault boat"-if successful in forthcoming service tests -may lead to adoption of fiber glass plastics for construction of

A. G. JEFFERSON

BISHOP PAUL N. GARBER

With over 350 Methodist laymen expected to attend a stewardship rally of the Elizabeth City District in the Masonic Temple Friday night, many prominent Methodist leaders will be included in the group, four of whom are pictured above. At top, left, is A. G. Jefferson, lay leader of the Virginia Methodist Conference, who will be the principal speaker; right, W. Jasper Smith of Bethel, Conference lay leader; lower, left, Bishop Paul N. Garber and, right, the Rev. C. Freeman Heath, super-intendent of the Elizabeth City District.



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North Carolina totaled 56,827,000 come in 1954 was due entirely to leaves apart. l'ime will reveat the calyxes of

gold. -- May Riley Smith.

sold in 1954 compared with 26.3 The spiritual sense of life and its grand pursuits is of itself a bliss, nealth-giving and joy inspiring. . A man hath need of tough ears -Mary Baker Eddy.

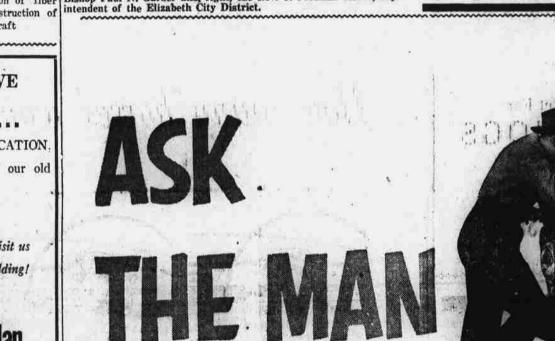


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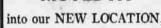
many small landing craft

Record Low In 1954

Hog cholera, the only current disease which will regularly wipe out unprotected herds, was at or near a record low for the twentieth century, according to a year-end renort from the American Veterinary

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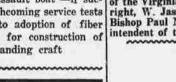
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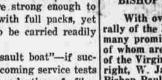
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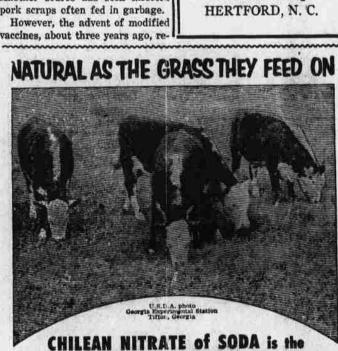
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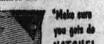
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