

Burlington News

Mr. Eugene Logan visited Miss Ozetta Price one day last week. Mr. Logan comes from Raleigh.

Miss Minnie L. Greene of Hillsboro, visited Miss Pauline Banks over the week-end.

Miss Waldina Pinnix, a graduate of Jordan Sellars High, is spending her summer holidays in New Jersey. Miss Pinnix plans to attend Shaw University when she returns.

GRADUATING CLASS OF JORDAN SELLARS HIGH SCHOOL

Aretta Allen, Annie Boone, Lonnie Boone, Rosa L. Price, Waldina Pinnix, Margaret Thompson, Celia Oliver, Pauline Tate, Clarice Wright, Walter Hazel, Joseph Wagstaff, David Mynard, James Graham, Mark

Murray, Jr., Robert Saunders, Clyde Foster, Jr., Ruby Jeffries, Ollie Hall, Annie Mae Nixon, Georgie Hauner, Virginia Sellars, Savannah Graves, Howard Moody, Bennie B. Moore, Jr., Mary F. Shaw, Mrion C. Harrell, Mrs. M. T. McVea, Advisor, C. J. Johnson, Principle.

Miss Flossie Tabscott, was visiting friends in Greensboro Sunday.

Miss Waldina Pinnix and Mrs. Bulah Lee Holmes left Wednesday night for Asbury Park, N. J., visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Margaret Germany and Mrs. Gurnie Mae Jones spent Sunday afternoon in Greensboro visiting friends.

The Auxiliary Rally at the Christian church was a great success. The amount of money raised was \$400.42.

Mr. J. C. Browning has been very ill, but is improving at this writing.

Mrs. Olivia Mitchell who has been very ill has gone to Raleigh to live with her daughter.

Mr. C. A. McVae is indisposed at his home on James street.

Mrs. M. Moultrie is in Winston-Salem attending a conference.

DON'T WRITE "ROUND ROBINS"

Writing soldiers "round robins", or news letters, and inviting composite replies by the group is inadvisable, the War Department has warned North Carolinians. Replies tend to become anthologies of military information, and a custom that arose from innocent motives becomes a security hazard.

In England, the government owns all food supplies and is rationing them out to both restaurants and households as needed for the duration.

About one-third of family purchases of food in England are below cost, the government subsidizing certain commodities.

ROLL BACK COST OF LIVING

Declaring that the cost of living will be rolled back and held in accordance with his promise of two weeks ago, Price Administrator Prentiss M. Brown said today:

"The OPA is doing a more effective job than it has ever done in its history. It will do an even more effective job in the days ahead.

"The charge that it is coming apart at the seams is nonsense. Some people have left the organization — others undoubtedly will leave from time to time. I demand of my staff that they carry out my instructions with force and with intelligence. Those who cannot or will not follow these instructions will go.

"Do not be misled by all the hue and cry in Washington. The American people are solidly behind the OPA. I will not let them down.

"In the act of October 2, the Congress directed that wages and prices be stabilized at the level of September 15, 1942. Since that time the cost of living has gotten away from us, cutting into the purchasing power not only of the wage earners but of every other group, including the dependents of our fighting men. We are, therefore, confronted with the choice of rolling back the cost of living to the levels we were directed to hold or permit an adjustment of wages and other income in line with the increase with the cost of living. If we take the latter course, we shall be giving ground again just as we have given ground before. If we take this course, we shall in the next three months be faced with an increase in the cost of living even greater than the increase in the past three months. We cannot hold the line by giving ground. This time, therefore, we are taking the offensive. We are retaking the price ground we have lost. We are rolling back the cost of living to the level to which we were directed to hold it.

"This is what the statute requires. This is what the President has ordered. This is what we shall do."

In view of the price situation, Mr. Brown said:

"Our task is to stabilize prices and rents and to ration scarce supplies. This means regulation. It means interference with normal personal and business habits. The hand of Government reaches into every business and every home. It is understandable, I think, that even those who see most clearly the need for these controls — those who in their minds approve — should nonetheless be resentful of the restraints and irritations which these programs cause, for we are a free people, accustomed to doing our will without let or hindrance. It is not surprising that there should be many whose resentment is not tempered by understanding.

China normally produces more wheat than the United States, in addition to more than one-third of the world's rice.

MACO BEAUTY COLLEGE EXERCISES HELD

(Continued From Page One, A. Bost, Clellie V. Bostic, Cathedral C. Bradley, Millie O. Brandon, Mary Eula Brewer, Georgia P. Browar, Lillie B. Brower, Mary Louise Chavis, Elizabeth R. Coleman, Salutatorian.

Ethel P. Mills, Valdictorian, Alice W. Ferguson, Mae L. Freeman, Agnes P. Graves, Jessie M. Harris, Ceola A. Headen, Lucile E. Jackson, Dardanella B. Johnson, Willie V. Johnson, Jimmie E. A. Jones, Mary D. Katoo, Willie Leach, Katie P. McBride, Juanita H. McEachin, Evangeline McKellar, Catherin McKoy, Lester D. Nixon, Ida Mae McLeod, Mable Massenburg, Albert M. Moore, Josephine Moore, Dorothy L. Murphy, Anne E. Nixon, Rosie L. Oreas, Fannie J. Pridgon, Van Lee Reddick, Ruth E. Robinson, Carletta L. Stevens, Lovette L. Stevens, Flia Mae Thomas, Ernestine Thompson, Helen Foust Tyson.

Danville Graduates

Isabel Harrison, Doris Jackson, Elizabeth Pinchback, Jessie Pittrell, Rosa Roberson, Elizabeth Stroud, Juanita White.

Australians sent 1,800,000 dozen eggs to U. S. Forces in the Far East last year, nearly 27 million pounds of meat, over 5 million quarts of milk, and 20 million pounds of potatoes — while they went without potatoes themselves for months.

A former baby carriage plant is making pilot seats for aircraft.

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