

RAMBLING SKETCHES OF OAK GROVE NEWS

(By Mrs. William Wright)

Spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Miller Lovelace and family of Belwood.

Master Dean Blanton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Blanton, is improving at this writing after being quite ill for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Lovelace of Patterson Grove were Saturday night guests of their daughter, Mrs. Frank Ware and Mr. Ware.

Mrs. Cynthia Lovelace of the Pleasant Hill community is spending some time in this section with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry White, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bell and daughters Carolyn and Nancy Louise, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green of Cliffside.

Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Ledford and family of Vale have recently moved in this community on the Ben Hamrick farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ware, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Lovelace were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. James Allen of Grover Sunday afternoon.

The writer and family had as their Sunday dinner guests Rev. Luther Hawkins and Rev. Oscar Baucom of Gastonia.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Porter and children spent the week-end with the former's father, Mr. J. B. Porter of Buffalo who has been seriously ill for some time.

Messrs Clyde Buren and Raymond Blanton, Messrs Olen and Holland Horn have recently accepted work at Camp Croft near Spartanburg.

Mr. R. B. Lovin returned home Friday from a Hospital in Charlotte where he underwent an operation for the removal of cataracts of the eyes. We are glad to report that he is able to see again after being blind for the past several months.

Showing At Imperial Monday and Tuesday



The most sensational scene ever filmed is the wreck of the giant sea plane in "Foreign Correspondent." It is one of the many thrills brought you by Alfred Hitchcock, master of suspense who also gave you "Rebecca." "Foreign Correspondent" shows at Imperial Monday and Tuesday.

J. D. Smith President Methodist Bible Class

James D. Smith was chosen last Sunday to succeed Fred J. Wright as president of the Men's Bible Class of Central Methodist Church for the next six months. J. R. Davis, who has taught the class for several years, was re-elected with high praise as teacher. Dewey Caldwell was named as assistant teacher. Other officers elected were as follows: First Vice-President, H. W. Wise; Second Vice-President, Geo. Peeler; Third Vice-President, W. M. Gantt; Secretary, D. L. Saunders; Assistant Secretary, Charles A. Goforth. Mr. Smith indicated that the class would seek to increase its membership and hold a fellowship supper in the near future.

Farm Questions

Q.—When should shrubs be pruned?

A.—A small amount of pruning can be done on flowering shrubs at any time. Evergreens should be pruned several times during the summer, removing only a small amount of growth at any one time. If the shrub has been neglected for years and needs a severe "cutting back" to be put back in shape, John H. Harris, Extension landscape specialist of N. C. State College, says this should be done in late winter or early spring before growth starts. Where the plant must be severely pruned, it is better to reduce the plant to half the desired size the first year and complete the pruning operation the following year.

Q.—What is the final date for submitting applications for payments under the AAA program?

A.—Original applications for Agricultural Conservation payments under the 1940 program must be filed in the county office by March 31, 1941. Supplemental applications may be filed until April 30, 1941, or within 30 days after the receipt of the original check by the producer. Cotton parity payment applications must have been filed by Dec. 31, but supplemental applications will be accepted until January 31, 1941, or within 30 days after receipt of the

check from the original application.

Q.—How close together should forest tree seedlings be planted?

A.—For general planting, R. W. Graeber, Extension forester of N. C. State College, recommends a spacing of 6x7 feet, requiring 1,000 trees per acre. This may be varied according to conditions. In reclaiming gulches, a closer spacing of 4x7 feet, or 5x7 feet may be advisable.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed by Tom Jackson and wife, Addie Jackson, dated January 2, 1934, recorded in Book 188 at page 62, Register of Deeds Office for Cleveland County, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and pursuant to demand of the holder of the notes described therein, the undersigned Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in front of the Courthouse door, in the Town of Shelby, North Carolina, at 12:00 o'clock noon, Monday, Feb. 10, 1941, the hereinafter described lands:

Beginning at a stone in Adam's line, Turner's corner, and runs with

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Turner's line North 58 West 4.00 chains to an iron stake; thence North 71 West 5.50 chains to a stake in old line; thence with old line North 4 1/2 East 3.09 chains to a new line South 80 East 4.50 chains to a stake in Adam's line; thence with said line South 4 1/2 West 5.5 chains to the beginning, containing 21.2 acres more or less. A reserve of 12 feet is made about the line running down the Branch for a road.

Also Lot number 4 of the Fielding Bell division in No 4 Township near Grover, N. C., and bounded as follows.

Beginning at a Hickory, Bell's corner; thence West 36 poles to a stake and pointers; thence 170 poles to a stake; thence East 36 poles to a stake and pointers; thence 170 poles to a stake; thence East 36 poles to a stake; thence North 170 poles to the beginning, containing 38 1/2 acres more or less, and being a part of the T. A. Adam's land and situated near Grover, N. C.

The above described lands will be sold subject to a prior lien held by the Federal Farm Land Bank.

This 9th day of January, 1941.
J. B. Ellis, Trustee.
adv—Jan 30—H.

THE HERALD — \$1.50 A YEAR

Tax Listing

Notice is hereby given that the time for listing taxes expires January 31st. After that date a penalty will be imposed on those failing to list. List Now and Avoid the Penalty.

Charles G. Dilling,
Tax Supervisor.

DOES FORD PAY GOOD WAGES?

HERE ARE SOME FACTS about Ford Labor.

During the year ended November 30th, 1940, the Ford Payroll throughout the United States averaged 113,628 hourly wage earners, not including office employees, students, or executives. They were paid \$185,105,639.12. On this basis, the average annual wage was \$1,629.05.

According to the latest available government figures, the annual average wage of all workers in employment covered by old age insurance law was \$841.00.

If the 45,000,000 workers of this country received the same average wage as Ford employees, they would have had additional wages of more than \$35,000,000,000, thus increasing the national income about 50%. Think what such an increase would mean to the workers of this country and to the American farmer, whose prices are based on the national income.

Wage scales in the Ford Rouge plants are divided into three classifications:

- Unskilled . . . Minimum hiring wage . 75c per hour
 - Semi-skilled . . . Minimum hiring wage . 80c per hour
 - Skilled . . . Minimum hiring wage . 90c per hour
- Higher wages are in consideration of ability and years of service.

Minimum wage scales for unskilled labor at the Rouge plant are the highest in the industry. Top wages for skilled labor compare favorably with, or are higher than, wages in other automobile plants.

Now some facts on Ford labor conditions:

Not only are sanitation and other health conditions the best in the industry, but Ford also leads in safety devices for the protection of employees. Proof of this is found in the following com-

parison of compensation insurance costs:

The national average rate in automotive manufacturing plants as computed by the National Association of Underwriters is in excess of \$1.50 premium on each \$100 payroll. The Ford cost of workmen's compensation is less than 50c.

This indicates that the chance of injury in a Ford plant is much less than in the average automobile plant.

The Ford Motor Company has no age limit for labor, and in fact deliberately attempts to keep older workers working. The average age of Ford workers at the Rouge and nearby plants is 38.7.

A recent check-up shows that nearly one-half the workers at these Ford plants were 40 or over, falling into these age groups:

- 25,819 between 40 and 50
- 14,731 between 50 and 60
- 3,377 between 60 and 70
- 417 between 70 and 80
- 12 between 80 and 90

In addition to the so-called regular employees, the Ford Motor Company has hired, and now has on the payroll, at the same regular hourly wage, thousands of workers who are blind, crippled or otherwise incapacitated for normal productive work. They are not selected for their ability to build cars or to maintain the plant. They are on the payroll because of Henry Ford's belief that the responsibility of a large company to labor goes beyond the point at which the unfortunate worker can no longer produce profitably.

The above are facts. They are open to anyone who really wants to deal in facts. Anyone who wants to get a job . . . buy a car . . . or place a national defense contract on the basis of fair labor treatment must place Ford at the top of his eligible list.

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