Good Eating

When a man eats with relish, it helps him work better. Give him appetizing foods from

McCarter s Grocery

W. King St.

Phone 233

Summer and Clothes

With the arrival of hot weather, new clothes problems are offered.

For summer, it's hard to beat cool, short-sleeved slack suits, and if you want them taken care of in proper fashion with prompt service call us.

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Tire Conservation Rules

- 1. Recap Early.
- 2. Drive Moderately.
- 3. Change your Tires from front to back and vice versa.



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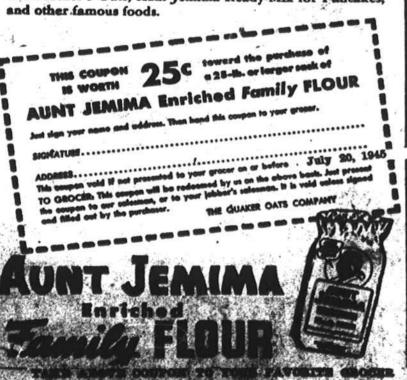
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Here's Praise From... eelt was hard at first to be-Another lieve that flour could make CAROLINA the difference I could see and Homemaker taste in my baking when I started using Aunt Jemina En-Mrs. W. M. riched Family Flour. But this Presley grand flour really is the Lincolnton secret of all that extra goodness. I'm proud to serve everything I bake with it199 Yes, ALMOST UNBELIEVABLY GOOD!

So good that you can't go wrong when you buy Aunt Jemima Enriched Family Flour. Because every sack bears the famous DOUBLE GUARANTEE. You can see and teste the difference, in everything you beke. Milled by the makers of Quaker and Mother's Oats, Aunt Jemima Ready-Mix for Pancakes, and other famous foods.



Gibson Has Flown Over 1,000 Hours

Fifth Air Force, Philippine Is lands. — Technical Sergeant James C. Gibson has completed his overseas assignment after 21 months of combat flying with a Fifth Air Force Troop Carrier Group. Hhis father, R. W. Gibson resides on Cleveland Avenue.

As aerial engineer on both Douglas and Curtis transports, T-Sgt. Gibson has flown on 115 combat missions and is credited with more than 1075 hours flying over New Guinea, Neth erlands East Indies, and the Philippine Islands.

With the forward march of the American forces in the SWPA, T-Sgt Gibson, like all Troop Carrier crew members, has ignored the risks of adverse weather, expected enemy action and incomplete airstrips to carre troops and fighting materials to the front lines and from there evacuate the wounded.

For meritoriius achievements while participating in sustained operational light missions, he has been awarded the Air Medal and two Oak-Leaf Clusters.

NEGRO NEWS

By Mrs. Jessie G. Costner

Mr. and Mrs. Sloan Murray and sounce the marriage of their daugher, Mary Frances, to Norville Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson. The marriage took place in Gaffey, S. C., Saturday, June 23, 1495. Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Costner are in Chicago, Ill., visiting Mrs. Coster's brother and family, Mr. and Irs. Luther G. Gidney. They plan o visit cities in Michigan and

Ohio before returning home.

According to information released from the secretary - treasurer's office of the recently organized Credit Union of Compact school, a total memership of 43 are enrolled and more han \$310 has been paid on shares. The organization can loan any memer an amount not to exceed \$50.00. New members may be admitted by aying 25c joining fee and 25c on a

The members of the Canning club creed at their meeting on June 26, o begin the canning season.

At 9 a. m. July 17, 1945, the caning fee will be 1 1-2c per can for lockholders and 3c per can for non-tock holders. Cans have already the purchased by the organization and may me secured from the deartment at any time for \$3.75 per 190 or 4c each. In the absence of the manager, one may contact Mr. 3. M. Brown, school committeeman, r any one at his home and receive cans.

At a meeting of the NFA boys Saturday, June 30, it was decided that the committee appointed at that time o nominate officers for the year 1945-46 would meet on the opening lay of school, July 23, and meet on the following day, July 24.

It was also decided that the NFA efficers who won first place at the District NFA convention in Charotte, would make an educational inestigation trip to Asheville, N. C., today, Thursday, July 5. Dock Evans reporter.

-HOT DAYS-

Hot weather means that cooking is hot work. Dine with us regularly.

The Waffle Shop

"Best Coffee In Town"



SINCE 1899....

On July 1, 1899, Plonk, Kiser and Company opened for business.

There were three clerks, and the goods on the shelves were what we now know as staples.

Kings Mountain was really small then, with only a few other business firms, a hotel, a railroad depot in the heart of the town, and a few manufacturing plants.

Mountain street, like the others, was unpaved, and when it rained it almost literally became "knee-deep" in mud.

Fat-back meat was five cents per pound, and calico (there were no prints) was the big item for women's dresses. You could get a month's board for \$7.50. White shirting was five cents a yard too.

The 46 Years

In the 46 years since this firm was opened, much has changed in Kings Mountain. The little crossroads town at the turn of the century has become a thriving city, with much industry and business.

During these years, we have seen one war successfully concluded, a ravaging depression, and another war.

While many of our customers today are those who visited us in 1899, the majority of them are sons and daughters and grandchildren of those who first did their buying at Plonk's.

As we enter our 47th year, we wish to state our appreciation to those who have made our business successful, and those who have been our friends through good times and bad, war and peace, happiness and sorrow.

And as we state our appreciation for the kindnesses of the past, let us say that we are looking forward to the future of Kings Mountain as a retail business which specializes in good merchandise and fair prices.

Plonk Bros. & Co.

"Your Merchant Since 1899"