

Nebe News

H. Y. Bell

John Gladden visited your reporter Thursday. Ed Tucker from Baltimore, Md., is spending a week in the city. Harrison Bell, recently discharged from the Marines spent a week with Grandpappy Bell. I met Mack Ganit up at the bank. He had a roll of money as big as a water bucket. It takes money for Mr. Ganit to feed that Corn mill bunch. What's left he buys War Bonds. We shouldn't be surprised to know how many kinds of slackers there. You don't have to hide in the woods to be a slacker. There would be a great many more volunteering for the army if they weren't so timid and afraid of shots. My mother was a Civil War vet. She knew a woman that had an only son. She put a dress on him and kept him in the cellar most of the time. They look like they are trying to make a fool out of this war with little sparrows, wads and waves. Abraham Lincoln split rails and though it was an honor, he never went abroad to hitch up wars. He had one at home. She died a hero. I borrowed this one from our Barium Springs Messenger: "God made man and woman makes bread. It takes the bread the woman makes. To sustain the man that God made. But the bread that some women make, would not sustain any man God ever made. Things I remember when I was growing up: There were a lot of good looking girls if they hadn't worn brogans, shoes, long dresses, bustles, and bangs. Some wore hoop skirts and palm-tree hats, dipped home made

...but the wet drink. And you noticed how little Sidney Hillman appears in the news lately and Henry Wallace? I once knew an old gentleman. He told me for a fact he hadn't taken a bath in 30 years. (He's a dead man now.) I know a lady that dips a 10 cent box of wauff every day. Looks like she would have a sauff heart. I know she hasn't a sweetheart. If your wife gets interested in cutting the stove wood, tell her she ought to let you cut it, then she won't even let you carry it in. There is something about women you just can't help but admire. A bill to encourage the raising of children instead of dogs was introduced in the senate at Jefferson City Mo., recently. They claim dogs are more easily raised than kids. Victory Gardens out this way look hopeless. I haven't planted mine yet, thank you. If cotton plants don't grow faster the humble bees won't be able to find the top blossom. That hot Friday, Claud Webb looked like an old turkey gobbler coming down the street with his shirt collar rolled under and hollering 'Nebo at me. Claud said he made a mistake in buying wool. It should have been sea. What's Truman coming to Kings Mountain in October for? To dedicate the new bank? I admire good looking women if they wear nice clothes and keep their feet washed. George Washington didn't fly all over the country when he was President. He stayed at home and farmed. The other Friday afternoon when it thundered I felt nervous. The Japs have never invented any weapon as dangerous as the thunder storm. Then I thought, God might be heavens, then I was calm. I am a very curious character when it comes to getting in danger. I'd rather be a living coward than a

dead hero. No army for me. It's easy to get in but how does one get out? I notice ladies I meet carrying shades over their head. The parasols they carry are very pretty. When I was growing up they were the orier of the day. A palmetto fan in one hand, a parasol in the other hand. If a boy friend came along, he asked to carry the shade over her pretty head. In return she fanned him while he made love to her. I haven't heard of a single baby being named Truman. What's wrong? At Fairbanks, Alaska, the WACS are wearing the breeches. At Ladd Field army base a fire destroyed their barracks. The girls had to jump to safety. Now they are issued clothes from man's stock. I remember having a lot of fun when I was a kid catching June bugs, tying strings on their legs and making them buzz around. The Phenix Mills can't do without Simp Bridges. Simp is useful as well as mental. I am glad Simp got that job. It keeps him from meddling in my business. Fred Wright keeps his shop full of waiting patients. With razors sharp and towels clean. The hair falls from your beam. Fred keeps the floors very clean. While the money flows into his jeans. Mrs. Bell and Aline are spending the week at Leucht Grove, Ga., with her brother, Jim Hardin. Pfc. Paul Huffstickler has arrived home from Europe to spend 30 days. He wears the Silver Star, Combat medal of the Infantry and the ETO badge with three battle stars.

SOIL CONSERVATION NEWS

By Joe N. Garver

Those Cleveland county farmers who are cooperating with the Broad River Soil Conservation Service are making plans now to see some alfalfa this fall. These farmers are: J. D. Elix, Yates Brooks and Ralph Green. The acreage which these farmers will seed to alfalfa this fall will not be large, but it will be given proper treatment before seeding to alfalfa. The Soil Conservation Service will assist them in establishing this seeding. Yates seeded two acres to alfalfa last year and is well pleased with this year's yields. He says, "The yield from my alfalfa this year has given me a good return on my investment. This fall I will seed about two more acres to this crop."

A. S. Kiser of Route 3 King Mountain has three acres of water disposal area on his farm seeded to a grass mixture. This year, instead of harvesting the growth from his meadow strips for hay he plans to harvest seed from the grasses. The predominate grass in the mixture is orchard grass, which will soon be ready to combine. Mr. Kiser says, "I believe my meadow strip will make sufficient growth after I combine it for seed to harvest a good crop of hay this fall."

Veterans of this war are given preference over nearly all other prospective purchasers of new farm machinery through an order issued by the War Food Administration. DIT is known to kill a greater variety of insects than any other insecticide. None is now on the market because it has gone to war. It is being thoroughly tested by research men.

The U. S. is not growing timber as fast as it is being used. However, good management of forests and farm woodlands can provide all the timber needed for all time to come, say the experts.

That large Scuppernon grape vine that has no grapes is probably a male vine, and will never bear. One of the best-known fuels for freedom from knock is "triptane." Army Air Force experiments with triptane and added tetraethyl lead, at high boost pressures, gave 4 times as much power as with 100-octane gasoline.

All Pullman passengers, mail and express carried by the railroads in 1939 would require only about 50,000 bbl. per day of aviation gasoline if carried by planes instead of by rail.

Office Hour Change

The following announcement was made by Mrs. Janet Hall Green, manager of the local office of the Social Security Board, located in the National Bank of Commerce Building, Gastonia, N. C.: "Beginning Saturday, July 7, 1945, our office will be open to the public only four hours on Saturdays. Office hours are 8:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. Mondays through Fridays and 8:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m. on Saturdays. This is in accordance with an order issued by President Truman on July 3, 1945."

The leaves of good hay constitute from one third to one half of the total volume of the hay but they contain about two thirds of the total protein value of the leaves.

By Way Of Mention

Lois Beattie

Mrs. Betty Lovelace and daughter, Carol, spent the week end with her parents in Gaffney, S. C. W. G. Goforth of the Navy was a recent visitor in this community. William Ledford of the Army returned to his base Saturday after spending several days with his wife, Mrs. William Ledford. Mrs. Johnnie Houser was a recent visitor of her husband, Pvt. Johnnie Houser of (Georgia). Clemonsee McDaniel Y Ic of the Navy returned to his base Friday after spending several days with his mother, Mrs. Ella McDaniel. Wilbur Baber, Jr. of the Army was a recent visitor in this community. Melvin Davis of the Army is spending this week with his wife, Mrs. Melvin Davis. Mrs. Ellen Croker and Mrs. Hazel Huffstickler spent Saturday in Gastonia. Mrs. W. A. Gilbert of Lowell spent Sunday here with relatives. Thomas Humphries of the Army returned to his base Saturday after spending several days with his wife, Mrs. Thomas Humphries. Rufus Eppers of the Army returned to his base Saturday after spending several days with his wife Mrs. Rufus Eppers. Mrs. T. V. Styers of Greensboro and granddaughter, Jewel Wright, of Portsmouth, Va., are spending this week with the former's mother, Mrs. J. A. Falls. Paul Huffstickler of the Army who has recently returned from overseas is on an extended visit to his parents. Bill Broome of the Navy was a recent visitor in this community. Wendell Phifer of the army returned to his base Sunday after spending several days with his parents. Chuck Huffstickler of the Army, who has recently returned from overseas, is on an extended visit to his wife, Mrs. Chuck Huffstickler. Bill Struggs of the Navy was a recent visitor in this community. Clem Seism of the Army returned to his base Saturday after spending several days with his wife, Mrs. Clem Seism. David Smith of the Army returned to his base Saturday after spending several days with his wife, Mrs. David Smith. Howard Thrift of the Army returned to his base Saturday after spending several days with his wife, Mrs. Howard Thrift.

ATHLETES FOOT ITCH

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EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE

NORTH CAROLINA, CLEVELAND COUNTY. Having qualified as Executrix of the estate of W. J. Laughlin, deceased, late of Cleveland County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Kings Mountain, North Carolina, on or before the 31st day of May, 1946, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This 31st day of May, 1945. Eva Laughlin, Executrix of the estate of W. J. Laughlin. June 7-14-21-28-july 5-12

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Ford Leaders Discuss Plans For 1946 Models

DEARBORN, Mich. - Plans for the 1946 Ford, Mercury and Lincoln car and truck production and distribution program were discussed here this week by Ford Motor Company executives, Regional and Branch Managers and Assistants and Branch Plant Superintendents. The meetings opened Monday in the Ford Rotunda with a talk by Mr. J. R. Davis, Director of Sales and Advertising. Mr. Davis indicated that the postwar line of Ford, Mercury, and Lincoln automobiles would be greatly expanded to provide models and body styles to cover every price field from the lowest to the finest in style and performance in the auto-

motive industry. The meeting was highlighted Wednesday by a luncheon address from Mr. Henry Ford II. Mr. Ford spoke to the entire Ford supervisory family of approximately 200 executives and department heads. Mr. Ford covered the trend of the automotive business for the past 10 years and projected in detail the engineering, manufacturing and distribution plans of the company that eventually will provide thousands of additional jobs. He outlined the company's proposed 150 million dollar expansion program, designed to step up Ford's share in the automotive business. Emphasizing, however, that the company still has a war job to do. It takes three sailors afloat to land one soldier or Marine.

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First National Bank of Kings Mountain, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business on June 30, 1945, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes. ASSETS Loans and discounts (including \$21.82 overdrafts) \$ 509,898.36 U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed 1,361,900.00 Obligations of States and political subdivisions 180,875.90 Other bonds, notes, and debentures 20,100.00 Corporate stocks (including \$4900.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank 4,909.80 Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection 815,949.72 Bank premises owned \$25,276.73, furniture and fixtures \$12,500.00 37,776.73 Other assets 1,331.86 TOTAL ASSETS \$2,931,671.67 LIABILITIES Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations 1,730,469.25 Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations 390,732.76 Deposits of U. S. Government (including postal savings) 496,176.38 Deposits of States and political subdivisions 76,163.46 Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.) 25,803.44 TOTAL DEPOSITS \$2,727,865.29 Other liabilities 1,569.22 TOTAL LIABILITIES \$2,729,434.51 CAPITAL ACCOUNTS Capital Stock: Class A preferred, total par \$100,000 \$ 100,000.00 Surplus 65,000.00 Undivided profits 19,737.16 Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock) 17,500.00 TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS 202,237.16 TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS \$2,931,671.67 MEMORANDA Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value): (a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities 539,400.00 (b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement) 38,950.00 TOTAL 578,350.00 Secured liabilities: (a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law 548,438.94 TOTAL \$548,438.94 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF CLEVELAND, ss: I, F. R. Summers, president of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. F. R. SUMMERS, President. CORRECT-ATTEST: Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of July, 1945. B. S. Neill G. A. Bridges R. L. Mauney Directors Lillian M. Wright, Notary Public.