

The smallest incandescent light bulb, developed for surgical instruments is the size of a grain of wheat barely a sixteenth of an inch in diameter. At war, it signals the bombardier when a missile is released.

The first news dispatch via cable—August 26, 1858,—stated that China had concluded a peace treaty meeting the demands of England and France, including establishment of embassies at Peking.

**THE FACT IS** BY GENERAL ELECTRIC



**GROWS AN INCH A SECOND!**  
AMAZING NEW FEATHERWEIGHT PLASTIC LIGHTER THAN CORK HAS BEEN DEVELOPED BY GENERAL ELECTRIC RESEARCH SCIENTISTS. MIXTURE IN TEST TUBE EXPANDS 30 TIMES ITS SIZE IN 10 MINUTES.

**AN OLD G-E CUSTOM.** FOR 37 YEARS GENERAL ELECTRIC HAS HAD MEN SPECIALLY ASSIGNED TO HELP THE FARMER WITH HIS ELECTRICAL PROBLEMS.



**WOMAN CARRIES 27 TONS!** A FARM WIFE CARRIED WATER FROM SPRING OUTSIDE HOUSE TO THE AMOUNT OF 27 TONS PER YEAR. AN ELECTRIC PUMP COULD HAVE DONE HER WORK FOR 10¢ PER MONTH.

**GENERAL ELECTRIC**

**RAMBLING SKETCHES OF OAK GROVE NEWS**

By Mrs. William Wright

Mrs. Gladys Lovelace of Shelby and Mrs. Fay Stacy were Sunday dinner guests of Meadames May and Mayme Gibbons.

Lewis Philbeck, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Q. V. Philbeck is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Mr. Howard Champion and classmate, Fred Stuart, of Kings Business College, Charlotte, spent the weekend with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Champion.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Randall and son, Bobby, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Theolore Herndon of Bethlehem Sunday.

Madame Thornburg of Gardner-Webb college spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wray Thornburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Beattie and children of Waco were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ware.

Mrs. H. T. Wright was the Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Canipe.

Mrs. Ann McSwain and Mrs. Cynthia Lovelace are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Lovelace and Mr. and Mrs. Everette Lovelace of Patterson Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lovelace and children of Kings Mountain spent the week-end with Mr. K. B. Ledford and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Patterson and son, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Champion and children of Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ware had as their Sunday dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Blanton and Miss Sara Henry Summitt of Kings Mountain. Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Stone of El-Bethel, Miss Peggy Wilson of Kings Mountain was a visitor in the afternoon.

Pvt. Holland Horne has arrived in the States from the ETO and is spending sometime with his wife and children and mother, Mrs. R. B. Lovin.

Horace Bell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bell, has received a medical discharge from the Moore General Hospital, Swannanoa, N. C., where he was a patient for sometime. He participated in the battles of the Ardennes Forest and Rhineland. He wears the combat Infantry badge for meritorious achievement in action, the Good Conduct medal and the Purple Heart for battle wounds.

Potato salad and cole slaw may be pepped up with "hot dressing" instead of cold, say Extension home economists at State College.

**RATION CALENDAR**

**MEATS AND FATS—**  
V2, W2, X2, Y2, Z2, now valid — expire September 30.  
A1, B1, C1, D1, E1, now valid—expire October 31.  
F1, G1, H1, J1, K1, now valid — expire November 30.  
L1, M1, N1, P1, Q1, now valid — expire December 31.  
R1, S1, T1, U1, V1, become valid October 1—expire Jan. 31, 1946.  
**SUGAR—**  
Sugar Stamp No. 38 now valid — expires December 31.  
**SHOES—**  
Airplane Stamps 1, 2, 3, 4, now good.

**AWARDED PURPLE HEART**

—The USS Hyman In The Pacific. — Luther Ralph Mitcham, seaman, first class, 33, USNR, of Kings Mountain, N. C., has been awarded the Purple Heart Medal in a ceremony aboard this destroyer for wounds received off Okinawa last April 6. Mitcham was employed by the Neisler Mills before he entered the Navy. His wife, Ruth, lives at 29 Gold street, Kings Mountain.

It took a war to bring the aircraft and electrical industries together and to demonstrate that extensive electrical systems in planes would enhance their dependability. The closer liaison, now established in all phases of both industries, is expected to provide more efficient development of tomorrow's planes — which may include all-electric craft.

A cotton picker in Robeson county and cotton-stripper machines in Scotland and Harnett counties will soon be competing with hand pickers. The cotton plant are being defoliated with a chemical.

It is not too late to seed supplemental grazing crops as soon as soil conditions will permit.

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"Biggest seller in years" say druggists everywhere. Why? Teal is more than a surface application. Contains 90% alcohol. **MAKES IT PENETRATE.** Reaches more germs faster. **APPLY FULL STRENGTH** for itchy, sweaty or smelly feet. It not pleased your 35c back. Today at Griffin Drug Store.

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