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PERSONALS Wake Farmers

community, Luther Raines, was

highly pleased with the results

of soil tests made on his tobacco

"I followed all the fertilizer

recommendations and my tobac-

co cured out better than any I

have seen in all my years of

farming," Raines declared. "My

would have broken all records if

Agent Davenport says Thomp

son and Raines are not "selfish"

the season had hit me right."

land last year.

Cpl. Luther A. Lanier is visitng his mother, Mrs. Gallie Lanier after spending 17 months in creasingly popular with Negro Korea. He will return to Fort farmers in Wake County. Jackson January 27.

Charles Blanton has resumed Thompson, Route 1, Apex, recenthis studies at Chapel Hill, having ly told W. C. Davenport, Negro spent the holidays with his pa-county agent in Wake for the rents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Blanton. State College Extension Service.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Money of Ft. Wayne, Ind., were guests of and I sowed three pecks of that Kings Mountain friends last wheat. To my surprise I got 26 week. Mrs. Money is the former, bushels just like that. That little Billie Odom.

Miss Iris Patterson returned to planted 14 acres of Atlas for Erskine College Wednesday havng spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Pat-

Mrs. W. C. Lockridge, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Short, Misses Ernestine and Ellen Short were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ector Short.

Miss Ernestine Short, student at Central college, Central, S. C., poundage was even better and spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lander Short.

Mr. and Mrs. Lex Hood, of Matabout the information they have thews, were weekend guests of received but are passing it along Dr. and Mrs. P. G. Padgett, Mrs. to other farmers in the county. Hood is a sister of Dr. Padgett. As a result, a number have in-

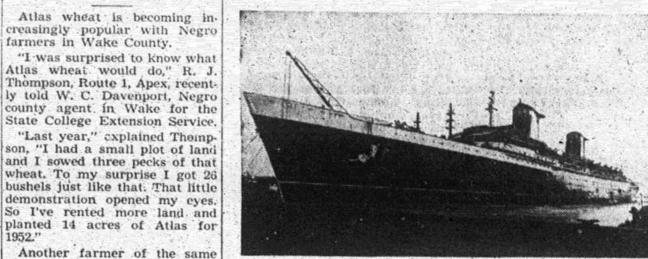
Mrs. David L. Pressly and Mrs. Paul Asburn, of Statesville, Mrs. planning to have the soil on their Texas, and Mrs. Fred Baird, of crop. Shelby, were guests of Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Pressly last Thursday.

Miss Jo Ann Falls has resumed her nurses training in Lumberton May, 1951. Under an automatic after spending the holidays with extension, authorized by Con- been in operation, the hospital her mother, Mrs. Gillie Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Murray of Maiden were Sunday guests of years old, when each \$18.75 orgin. weight boxing champion Jersey their daughter, Mrs. Y. F. Thorne-

lapsing in Bay Shore, a town be- indicating the popularity of this permission of their physician. side Long Island's salty Great extension privilage. South Bay. The trouble came from corrosion of the guy wires, which were made of galvanized braided cable. Central Radio Service, of Bay Shore, decided to try a material more resistant to corrosion: 0.051-inch Monel wire. This has stopped the antenna service calls they were getting.

Seagoing Beauty is Groomed for Debut Favor Atlas Wheat



The giant liner United States, largest and fastest passenger ship ever built in this country, looms large against the winter sky at her outfitting dock in the Newport News (Va.) Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Company yard. This new superliner will join the America, present flagship of the United States Lines, in transatlantic service. The new vessel is now 85% completed, with interior installations well under way, and is scheduled to make her maiden voyage from New York to South-ampton and Havre early next summer. Her pescetime canacity will be ampton and Havre early next summer. Her peacetime capacity will be 2,000 passengers and a crew of 1,000, although in wartime she could carry a complete division of 14,000 men a distance of 10,000 miles without stopping for fuel, water or food.

New Radio Network For VA Hospitals

A new specialized radio network for patients in veterans' hospitals is described by the Vetecreased their acreage of Atlas rans Administration. wheat this season and many are

Known as the Tape Recording Edward Arneson, of San Antonio, tobacco jund tested for the 1952 Network, it is heard over the hospital radio systems of VA hospi tal. Many of the patients, confin-U. S. Saving Bonds of Series E, ed to their beds, listen to its pro-first issued May 1, 1941, have grams over receiving units placbeen maturing each month since ed right by their pillows.

In the short time that it has gress, the owner, by simply hold- network already has featured ing onto E Bonds, can let their speial programs by such notables cash value go on increasing each as Jimmy Durante, Burl Ives, six months until they are 20 Esther Williams, world heavyally invested well return \$33.33. Joe Walcott and others. In addi-Of the E Bonds that matured in tion, it has aired presentations the first six months, only 27% written, acted and directed by Television antennas were col- were cashed up to November 1, veteran-patients who have the

radio program which it broad casts to patients over its own radio system. At the same time the program is recorded on tape. The visiting the hospital.

considers to be an outstanding

Next the tape is sent to the first hospital on a long list of those taking part in the Tape Recording Network. After that hospital airs the program for its patients, the tape goes on its way to the next on the list. The procedure continues until all participating hospitals have had a chance to broadcast the program.

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Farm Income Tax Circular Issued

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nanagement committee repre Mountain. senting all the Southern states, he circular has been approved Revenue. Its title is "Farmer's 1951 Income Tax" and it is issu- treatment under supervision. ed in North Carolina as Exten-sion Circular No. 366.

Persons desiring a free copy should see their local county agent or write the Department of Publications, State College Staion, Raleigh.

The circular covers such topics is who must file a return, date eturn is due, forms used by armers, reporting on cash or acrual basis, figuring depreciation, sale of timber, development costs, and other subjects, as well as several pages of questions and an-

Several illustrations are used o show the correct method of filing in the various forms.

The bulletin points out that if two thirds of a person's gross income is from farming and his business year starts January 1, broadcast might feature either he has two choices in filing relocal talent or a celebrity who is turns and paying the tax. He can file and pay the total on or before January 31; or he can lile an estimate of the tax and pay this amount by January 15, and then file his return and pay any balance due by March 15.

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SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY

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STATEMENT OF CONDITION

Kings Mountain Building & Loan Association

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Association. Other Liabilities\$ 207.42	

TOTAL \$736,895.61 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF CLEVELAND J. C. Lackey, Secretary-Treasurer of the above named Association personally appeared before me this day, and being duly sworn, says that the foregoing statement is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

J. C. LACKEY, Secretary-Treasurer

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