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plaining public welfare in North Carolina)

WHAT IS A FOSTER HOME? It is a substitute family home



The county departments of

for children who cannot be with their own parents, but who need a family setting rather than that of an institution.

ARE THESE CHILDREN ADOPT. No. Adoption is not the function of a foster home. The foster parents. perform the duties of parents to the child of others. ARE THERE MANY FOSTER and the county that the county of the child of others. ARE THERE MANY FOSTER AND THE PARENTS?

Some of their parents are physical care, good food, cleanliness, quiet sleep, fresh air, safety from fire and health hazards. They must know how children should be cared for and the county of the county o right to be loved and to learn make, and they must also cherto love others. He has a right to ish children. be respected as a human indivi-

DO THE REAL PARENTS VISIT

dren have parents who visit them, and foster parents must In Old Salem over two thirds be willing to welcome the chil- of the buildings erected before dren's parents when they come. | 1830 still stand.

WHAT KIND OF CHILDREN ARE PLACED IN FOSTER HOMES? Foster children are like all children. Some are tiny babies. HOMES IN NORTH CAROLINA? Sometimes they're good, some-Currently there are over 1,300 times they're mischievous. Some ga County in 1960," says Miss censed foster homes in the ro. Some are very bright, some agent, 'Mrs. Ferd Michael, Mrs. not so bright. Some have physi- W. R. Vines, Mrs. Clay Robinson (This is the 10th in a series explaining public welfare in North

State.

WHY DO WE NEED THESE FOS.

Inot so bright. Some have physical handicaps. They are only a and Mrs. David Farthing completed their records."

The county departments of the county departments of the county departments of the county departments.

their own parents. public welfare place children in foster homes for varied reasons. Some of their parents are physi-

dual in a free society. He has a right to be taught what is right and what is wrong and what co-following notice: "John F. Ken-The National Press Club in ciety will expect of him. Foster nedy, a former newspaperman homes seek to provide this birnow in politics, has been approvementally for the children in their ed for membership."

John Jeter, in Dallas, Texas, is THEIR CHILDREN IN FOSTER known as the Number One Bull Shooter" of the southwest. He is Yes, he majority of these chilatory is the majority of the majority of the majority of the majority is the majority of the majority

# With The Farm Women in Mecklenburg County are pre-senting the demonstrations at lo-cal club meetings this month. Miss Kathleen Nelson, home

are teaching the women to look economics agent, says leaders ahead and plan ahead for spec-

ial days and occasions; are in

forming homemakers of foods that freeze well; teaching how long foods can be kept in the

freezer; giving some general freezing tips; and discussing the

three chairs. Mrs. Nellie Jo Carter, home ec

onomics agent, says Mrs. Beas

By Maidred Morris BY MRS M. C. HARDIN Items this week from Anson, Washington, Watauga, Bertie, Mecklenburg, and Graham Coun-

ANSON HD WOMEN PLANT NEW VEGETABLES

Home Demonstration Club women in Anson County are making plans to plant new vegetab-les in their gardens this spring. Mrs. Ada Oalla Pozza, home economics agent, says the Gulledge club members are trying to
get Mrs. Walter Redfearn, Wadesbore Pt 2 to Teaching the sign posts to good, safe, frozen
foods.

TEACHING UPHOLSTERY esboro, Rt. 3, to plant seed for broccoli, Brussel sprouts, cauliflower, and kohlrabi and sell plants to them at Barter Day.

Mrs. Redfern has already planted her asparagus seed.

WILLS AND INHERITANCE
LAWS

"The study of wills and inherthree chairs.

TEACHING UPHOLSTERY

Mrs. Hugh Beasley of Graham

County, had an opportunity to show her friends and neighbors some things she has done during the past year. The family added a family room to their home and Mrs. Beasley rebuilt and reupholstered two davenports and three chairs.

"The study of wills and inheritance laws has continued throughout the month to stimulate interest among club and non-club ley has saved more than \$200 by members," reports Mrs. Frances
Darden, home economics agent
in Washington County.

Mrs. Darden says the laws

learning how to upholster at the
workshop held in the county.

She has also helped neighbors
with their work.

Mrs. Darden says the have been discussed at their community improvement meetings and reports indicate that 20 families have recently made wills.

FAMILY LIVING ACCOUNT BOOKS

"Four family living account books were completed in Watau-

Mrs. David Fanthing said, "Rekeeping the records."
QUICK TREATS

WITH BISCUIT MIX Patricia Phelps of the Green-leaf community 4-H Club in Bertie County, really captured the interest of 4-H girls with her de-

monstration on "Quick Tricks with Biscuit Mix."

Mrs. Virginia S. Barfield, assistant home economics agent, reports that Patricia made the mix and then made vin wheels mix and then made pin wheels, cheese biscuits, and muffins. The girls received the recipes to use at home.

FREEZE AHEAD Home Demonstration leaders

## Camp Completes Specialist Course SHEPPARD AFB, Texas - Air-

man third class James H. Camp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul D. Camp, 1102 Gold Street, Kings Mountain was graduated recent-ly from the dial central office equipment specialist course at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas.

Airman Camp attended Beth-ware High School in Kings Mountain, N. C. Prior to entering military service he was employ-ed by Jolly's Amoco Sation. Lackland AFB, Texas, where he began his basic military train-

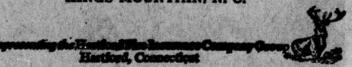
ing. His next assignment will be to England. The farmer gets about 38 per cent of each \$1 spent for food.



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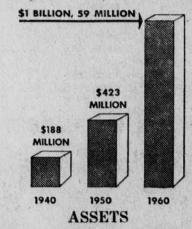
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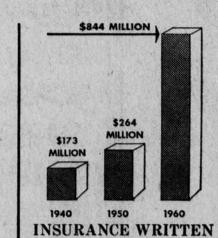


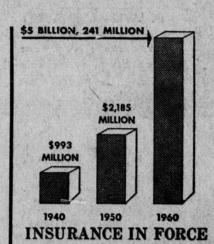


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# 73rd ANNUAL STATEMENT - December 31, 1960

ASSETS	
Cash on Hand and in Banks	\$ 21,937,383.98
United States Government Bonds	114,423,971.30
Municipal and Corporation Bonds	211,301,836.70
Stocks	
Mortgage Loans	
Real Estate:	
Home Office and Regional Office Properties	19,541,798.97
Investment	11,622,086.35
Policy Loans	33,154,455.85
Accrued Interest and Rents	
Net Due and Deferred Premiums, etc	41,707,651.80
TOTAL S1.0	59.177.853.71

# Statutory Policy Reserves.....

TOTAL		
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Security Valuation Reserve.	3,253,400.99	
Other Liabilities	1,550,895.72	
Amounts Held in Trust	4,985,781.50	
Accrued Taxes Payable in 1961	4,395,301.6	
Premiums and Interest Paid in Advance	4,867,273.91	
Policy Benefits Currently Outstanding	2,703,000.40	
Dividends to Policyholders Payable in 1961	5,344,282.00	
Policy Proceeds and Dividends Left with Company	16,556,093.00	
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