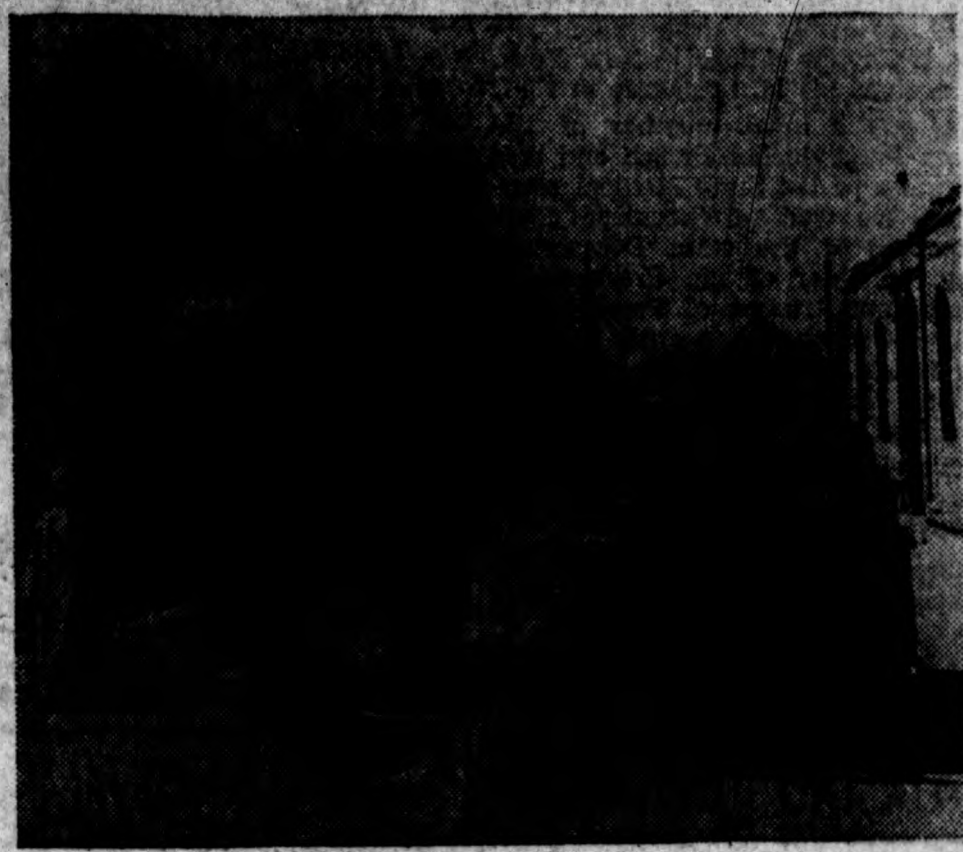


Contrast in Ancient Cairo



Quite a contrast is furnished by these two vehicles proceeding down a Cairo street—an American jeep car, being driven by Master Sergeant Kindie Watson of Louisville, Ky., overtakes an Egyptian chariot. Since then this jeep has undoubtedly seen much sterner action, as Field Marshal Erwin Rommel's mechanized forces have swept towards the Suez.

3-Day Period For Gas Rationing

Filing Here Set for To-
day, Friday, Saturday
At School Buildings.

Today, Friday and Saturday, motorists will register for new gasoline rationing as required in the south-east area.

Plans for the registration have been completed and will start this morning (Thursday) at nine o'clock. Hours for the three-day period will be 9 to 12, and 2 to 6 p.m. at the high school, Academy Street, Lydia and Bell Street schools. The registration will be handled largely by local teachers. Since the number of teachers available is limited, the rationing board is making an urgent appeal to citizens to volunteer. Those who are willing to help with the work are asked to report today at the places designated.

Present gasoline ration cards are to be used until July 22, and each punch is now worth six gallons. The war bonds seal in the upper left-hand corner of the cards also has ration value, the board states. Only "A" cards for automobiles and "D" cards for motorcycles will be issued at the schools. Truck, bus and taxi operators make application to the board. Applicants who believe themselves entitled to more gas than is allowed by the basic book may apply to the county rationing board for a supplemental B or C book. But the extra books go only for occupational driving and to those who have formed or attempted to form car-sharing clubs.

Car owners are reminded that no ration card can be issued except upon presentation of a valid 1942 automobile registration card.

The basic ration book for passenger automobiles is known as Book A and contains six pages of eight coupons each, entitling the holder to 48 units of gasoline for one year (July 1, 1942 to June 30, 1943). As the registration will not go into effect until July 22 three coupons will be detached from the first page of Book A. The remaining five coupons on the first page will be good during the period July 22-August 31. Coupons on page two are good only during September and October, and so on.

The basic ration book for motorcycles is known as Book D and contains 48 coupons. It differs from the A book only in that the coupons have no bi-monthly expiration dates. The unit value is 40 per cent of the unit value in Book A.

The coupon unit value is four gallons.

Baptist Association To Meet Friday

Announcement was made yesterday by Rev. W. N. Long, superintendent, that the Laurens County Baptist Sunday School convention will meet Friday, July 10, at New Prospect church near Laurens, beginning at 10:30 a.m.

J. L. Corzine, state director of Baptist Sunday school work, will bring the main address and discussions will be led by the local leaders. Those attending are asked to bring lunch for a picnic dinner. Mr. Long also stated that all churches of the county are urged to be well represented.

84 FROM LAURENS

H. L. Kennedy, secretary of Selective Service Board No. 49, Laurens, said yesterday that his board had orders to send 84 white men to Fort Jackson on July 15-17 for final physical examinations before induction into the armed forces.

ALL BOOKS FOR COUNTY ENROLLMENT CLOSE JULY 28

Voters have through July 28 to enroll in the county and state primaries in August.

Precinct club secretaries are urging that voters enroll now and not wait until the last few days and risk delay until it is too late.

Two years ago the Laurens county enrollment was 12,347. In the first primary 9,580 votes were cast.

For the voters in the city proper, the enrollment books are with the club's secretary, L. B. Dillard. Books for Clinton and Lydia Mills, Goldville, Hopewell, Renno, Shady Grove and other clubs of this section are open with their respective secretaries where all who desire to do so may now enroll.

Dr. McFadden Called For Army Duty

Dr. Dossey H. McFadden of Goldville, local physician serving the Joanna community, has received orders to report to Camp Croft, Spartanburg, on July 11 for physical examination. His instructions further stated that if he passed the examination he would be assigned to duty at Camp Edwards, Mass.

A petition signed by hundreds of residents of the Joanna village has been filed with the proper officials asking that Dr. McFadden be given deferment since he is the only physician in Goldville to serve its population of 2500 people.

Dr. McFadden went to Goldville last July to relieve Dr. W. T. Martin for a vacation of several months. Later in November Dr. Martin retired because of his health and his practice was taken over by Dr. McFadden. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. M. J. McFadden, who recently moved from here to Goldville.

Thornwell Family To Have Vacation

Vacation season at the orphanage has already begun with approximately one hundred children now off the campus. The final vacation period will begin July 16 when another large contingent of the older pupils will leave for their homes in this state, Georgia, Florida and elsewhere for a month's stay.

Riverside cottage on Enoree river near here will not be opened this summer due to the popular swimming pool on the campus which will be enjoyed daily by the children who remain here for the summer.

NEGROES LEAVE FOR CAMP

Twenty-four Negro selectees from the local draft board will leave today for Fort Jackson, Columbia, to be inducted into the United States army. Those included in the call appeared in last week's paper.



**FOR VICTORY
BUY
UNITED
STATES
WAR
BONDS
AND
STAMPS**

THE WAR TODAY

Russians admit continued withdrawals to new positions in Voronezh sector; Red army in most critical position since Hitler hammered at gates of Moscow.

British forces Axis desert army back in Egypt; Nazis harried by U. S. and British aerial blow.

Turkish reports say 10,000 Czechs killed since assassination of Feinhard Heydrich in early June at Prague.

Twenty-four Axis planes destroyed in 24-hour span at Malta.

Canadian army units and Royal Canadian air force squadrons now stationed in Alaska, aiding in defense of that strategic U. S. possession.

Mrs. P. S. Jeanes Dies In Tennessee

Services Conducted
Here Monday For Be-
loved Clinton Woman.

Mrs. Belle Plaxico Jeanes, 66, died at the home of her son, Dr. Robert P. Jeanes at Manchester, Tenn., on Saturday, July 4. She had been at Manchester for the past three months to be near Dr. Jeanes who is stationed at Camp Forrest in the medical corps.

The body was brought here late Sunday afternoon and remained at her residence on West Main street until the funeral hour.

The funeral service was held Monday afternoon at five o'clock from the Associate Reformed Presbyterian church with her pastor, Dr. C. B. Bynum Betts, in charge, assisted by Rev. C. G. Lynch, of Easley. Interment followed in Rosemont cemetery. The services were attended by a large gathering of friends and many lovely flowers were placed upon her mound as a final tribute of love and respect.

pallbearers were: S. W. Sumerel, T. C. Boland, W. C. Shewey, J. W. Millam, J. Reed Todd and Dr. J. W. Davis.

Mrs. Jeanes was the widow of Perry Simpson Jeanes, Clinton merchant, who preceded her to the grave five years ago.

Mrs. Jeanes was a native of York county but had been a resident of this city for approximately 40 years. She was a life-long member of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian church which she loved dearly, and loyally supported. A woman of beautiful Christian character and strong faith, she endeavored herself to many who loved her for her sweet personality and unselfish spirit.

Mrs. Jeanes is survived by two sons, Capt. Robert Jeanes and Capt. James G. Jeanes, both of the medical corps, United States army; one grandson, two sisters, Mrs. J. N. Quinn of Blacksburg and Mrs. P. M. Caldwell of Smyrna, two brothers, J. E. Plaxico and V. K. Plaxico of Blacksburg.

Her son, Capt. James G. Jeanes, is now assigned to foreign service, presumably off the coast of South America. A cablegram received late Monday night after the funeral services, stated that he expected to be here for the last rites. He arrived in Greenville by plane late yesterday afternoon (Wednesday) from Miami, Fla., and came here last night to join his wife for a few days.

Air Reserves Now Open To Young Men Of Community

Enlistments in the Army Air Forces Enlisted Reserves have been authorized for men between the ages of 27 and 37 who have been selected by the Civil Aeronautics Administration for civilian pilot training, the War department has announced.

C. C. Gies of this city, is Laurens county flight contractor, and Dr. N. G. Whitelaw of Presbyterian college, is co-ordinator. The college is the sponsoring school for the course. Interested parties in this branch of service are requested to communicate with either of the officers.

The course covers a period of eight weeks ground instruction at the college. On call to active army duty, men so enlisted may be given such assignments as instructors, glider pilots, service pilots or ferrying pilots.

Mr. Gies stated yesterday that a class of ten is now completing the course and it is hoped that a class of a similar enrollment may be started next Monday. He will gladly furnish any information desired, he stated.

Chamber Of Commerce Meets Tuesday

The Chamber of Commerce will hold its quarterly super-meeting Tuesday evening, July 14, at 7:30 at Hotel Clinton, with all members invited to attend.

DRAFT BOARD CALLS 56 WHITE MEN

Two Groups Leave
July 18 and 21 for Army
Induction At Fort
Jackson.

Fifty-six white men have been instructed by the local draft board to report on the mornings of July 18 and 21 for induction into the United States army under the selective service system. The draftees will be sent by bus to Fort Jackson.

Group of July 18

The following 28 men have been notified by the board that they are included in the July 18 call:

Steve Ezikil Cogdill, Clinton.
Elmer Loyd Quinn, Clinton.
James Lesco Chambers, Rt. 3, Clinton.

Thomas Algie Abrams, Goldville.
Thomas William Lynch, Rt. 1, Mountville.

Marion Luther Jacks, Clinton.
Jerome Carroll Duckett, Rt. 3, Lydia, Clinton.

Charlie Ray Hazel, Rt. 1, Cross Hill.

Howard Leslie Hall, Clinton.
Clyde Ayers, RFD, Clinton.

Willie Shaw Wilson, Rt. 2, Clinton.
Haskel Bailey, Rt. 1, Clinton.

William Arthur Dunaway, Rt. 1, Clinton.

James Walter Cooper, Rt. 3, Laurens.

Eddie Franklin McGinnie, Clinton.
Carl Grover Henderson, Rt. 2, Ki-nards.

Ralph Hawkins, Rt. 1, Ware Shoals.
Charlie William Lell, Clinton.

Arthur Davis, Rt. 1, Ware Shoals.
Walter Lee Madden, Rt. 1, Clinton.

Henry Edward Rhodes, Thornwell orphanage, Clinton.

Robert Franklin Ealy, Clinton.
Joseph Lawrence Davidson, Clinton.

James Lee Brown, Goldville.
Joseph Arthur Canupp, Rt. 2, Clinton.

Garley Thomas Thrift, Clinton.
John Franklin Chalmers, Rt. 1, Waterloo.

Bruce Home Lothridge, Rt. 1, Ware Shoals.

Second Group July 21

The following additional 28 selectees have been called to report for duty July 21:

George Vincent Woody, Rt. 1, Ware Shoals.

Davis Victor Pitts, Clinton.

Furman Brown Morris, Jr., Rt. 1, Gray Court.

Samuel Earl Glazebrooks, Rt. 1, Clinton.

Thomas Gordon Oxner, Goldville.
David Lovell, Clinton.

Judge Lester Evans, Rt. 2, Clinton.
Ralph Benjamin McCoig, Rt. 1, Clinton.

Charles Otho Johnson, Clinton.
John Poohe Kellett, Rt. 1, Gray Court.

Bill Oxner, Rt. 1, Waterloo.
Thomas Edwin Baldwin, Clinton.

Thomas Harold Crawford, Rt. 1, Gray Court.

John Aldine Blakely, Clinton.
Claude Harrison Mitchell, Rt. 1, Ware Shoals.

John Tom Patterson, Rt. 1, Waterloo.

William Cullen Balentine, Rt. 1, Ware Shoals.

Leonard George Scott, Clinton.
George William Fuller, Lydia Mill, Clinton.

Herbert Fred Gardner, Goldville.
William Olney Collins, Clinton.

Charles Allen Sullivan, Jr., Clinton.

George Jeff Sumner, Clinton.
Wilton O'Dell Bagwell, Rt. 1, Ware Shoals.

James Fravis Balentine, Ware Shoals.

James Edward Caughman, Clinton.
Kenneth Reeves Elledge, Rt. 1, Ware Shoals.

Wade Bostic Geer, Clinton.

John Ross Quits House Race

John M. Ross, well-known Goldville citizen, was one of the last minute entries for the house of representatives from this county when the time for filing pledges expired at noon on June 30th.

After returning to his home Mr. Ross notified County Chairman R. T. Wilson Tuesday night by special delivery letter that it was "impossible to make the race," his reasons not being given. With his withdrawal there are four candidates in the house race.

Mr. Ross, a former resident of this city, has been employed by the Joanna Textile Mills company for a number of years.

To Address Kiwanians



REV. C. A. CALCOTE

The Clinton Kiwanis club will have as its guest speaker this evening, the Rev. C. A. Calcote, pastor of Aveleigh Presbyterian church of Newberry, and one of the most successful young ministers of the South Carolina synod.

Since Mr. Calcote accepted the Aveleigh pastorate ten years ago its membership has almost doubled. The church has organized five outpost missions and including its own home enrollment in Sunday school, has accounted for a total Sunday school enrollment of 550 largely through its missionary activities program.

Local Kiwanians are looking forward to Mr. Calcote's coming this evening since this will be the first time he has addressed the club.

Class 1-A Men About Exhausted

Local Board To Begin
Reclassification For
Quotas After This
Month.

A meeting of draft boards of the Piedmont section, embracing ten counties, has been called to be held in Greenville on July 15, it was learned yesterday. The meeting will be attended by state selective service officials and is expected to adopt plans for reclassifying men in the draft age now registered with local boards.

The Clinton board has received a call for 56 white men for July, the list appearing elsewhere in today's paper. A subsequent call has been received for 59 men for August, the list not yet having been compiled.

R. J. Pitts, chairman of the local board, stated yesterday that the supply of 1-A men will be practically exhausted after the July call. There are not enough men left available, he said, for the August quota unless there is a reclassification. It is expected that instructions as to the procedure will be given at the Greenville conference.

Under the present classification, 1-A includes those without dependents; 2-A those who have been given deferment; and 3-A married men or others with dependents.

HOLIDAYS AT COLLEGE

Presbyterian college students observed Fourth of July holidays beginning Saturday morning and continuing through Monday.

Lt. Long, Laurens Army Flier, Killed In Action June 3

First Lieut. Langdon Dwight Long, of Laurens, reported Monday by the War department as missing since June 3 in the Far East, was killed in action on that date, according to additional information received Tuesday by Senator O. L. Long, the father, from a member of the young lieutenant's squadron. No details were given in the message.

Lieut. Long was a graduate of The Citadel and joined the United States air forces two years ago. In May past he piloted a big plane to the Eastern war theatre and the family had received one or more letters from him following his landing in India. He celebrated his 24th birthday on the day he was killed.

Besides his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Long, Lieut. Long is survived by a sister, Miss Elise Long, senior at Furman university, and one brother, Jack Long.

FDR SAYS U. S. MAY HAVE TO TAKE ALL TIRES

Such Move Seen If War
Condition Gets More
Acute. Hopes Emergency
Can Be Avoided.

Washington, July 7. — President Roosevelt said today it might become necessary to requisition all the automobile tires in the country if war-time conditions grow more acute, but made it clear he was hopeful that such extreme action could be avoided.

Scrap rubber collections had improved, he said, but it was still too early to estimate their effect upon the situation. The drive was enabling officials to find out more definitely just what rubber stocks they could count upon, he added, and it was already apparent that scrap was not a cure-all.

Mr. Roosevelt spoke at his first press conference since June 16, before Winston Churchill's recent visit. He seemed rested and refreshed despite the heavy burdens of the presidency in war time, and in high and amiable spirits. He leaned back in his chair, tipped his cigarette holder to its characteristic jaunty tilt and exchanged banter with the correspondents.

This buoyant mood left him at one point, however, when the reporters questioned him closely on the rubber and gasoline problem and he answered with unconcealed sharpness, that he was trying to save the nation, not gasoline and rubber.

It was at this point that he added a statement that if the war should grow worse it might be necessary for the government to commandeer privately owned tires. The nation, he said, was ready to make any sacrifice in this emergency period.

There was no discussion as to what provision might be made for the motorist whose car would become virtually worthless at present if his tires were removed or of other problems which would arise from such a program.

The president reported that no decision has yet been reached on the question of nationwide gasoline rationing as a tire conservation measure and said he still was hopeful that it might be possible to separate the gasoline problem from the rubber problem.

As for gasoline rationing, he remarked that if he lived near an oil well and had a car with good tires and needed it for his business, he would not be able to see why he should be forbidden to use of the readily available gasoline.

At the war production board, officials who have consistently favored gasoline rationing as a rubber saving device would make no comment.

Meanwhile East coast motorists were asked to discontinue immediately all non-essential use of gasoline, regardless of the amount they were entitled to on their ration cards.

A joint statement by the war and navy departments and the petroleum coordinator's office said that "driving as usual" by motorists in the ration area was preventing war workers from obtaining fuel for essential transportation.

McFadden Resigns As B. & L. President

At the monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Citizens Federal Savings and Loan association held Tuesday evening, President M. J. McFadden tendered his resignation which was accepted with regret by the board. Dr. McFadden has served the association faithfully as president for the past ten years, but due to his recent removal from the city asked to be relieved of the duties of the office. A letter of appreciation of his services was ordered prepared to be signed by all members of the board and forwarded him.

The board elected B. H. Boyd as president to succeed Dr. McFadden. Mr. Boyd has served the association as secretary-treasurer since its organization in 1909. B. Hubert Boyd, assistant secretary-treasurer, was elected secretary-treasurer succeeding his father.

In addition to the president and secretary-treasurer, other members of the board of directors are: J. P. Prather, W. W. Harris, W. A. Moorhead, S. W. Sumerel, D. C. Heustess, T. D. Copeland and T. Heath Copeland.

Hurricane Plans Special Services

Special services at Hurricane Baptist church near here have been announced to begin on the evening of Monday, July 20th, which the residents of the community are invited to attend. The Rev. W. N. Long, pastor of the First Baptist church of this city, will do the preaching during the special week.