

German Found Guilty Of First Degree Murder

CONDEMNED TO DIE IN CHAIR ON MARCH 18

Jury Returned Decision Last Night at 10:45 After Deliberating Over 12 Hours; Hauptmann Weeps After Jury Foreman Stutteringly Announces Verdict; Reilly Prepares Appeal to Highest Court of Land

Flemington, N. J., Feb. 14.—(AP)—Bruno Richard Hauptmann will be taken to the death house in state prison at Trenton, Saturday, Sheriff John H. Curtis said this afternoon.

Flemington, N. J., Feb. 14.—(AP)—Death has been decreed for Bruno Richard Hauptmann convicted of the killing of the Lindbergh baby, but his counsel today drafted a fight to the highest court which may last several months.

Prison precedent combined with judge and jury to fix the night of March 22 as the date for the Hauptmann execution.

He was sentenced to "suffer death" the week of March 18 and Friday is doom's day in the death house at Trenton.

While Hauptmann wept in his cell, Edward J. Reilly, chief of the defense staff, said an appeal would be carried to the United States Supreme Court if necessary.

The first tribunal expected to hear the plea was the State Court of Errors and Appeals to meet for its next term late in May.

The Court of Pardons will not meet here before October.

The jurors who sentenced him showed more emotion than did Hauptmann who stood before them at 10:45 p. m. yesterday.

With a look of affection, the 36-year-old prisoner, turned to his faithful wife and said:

"It's all right, Annie."

Back in his cell, out of the gaze of the courtroom, Hauptmann burst into tears.

The jurors deliberated more than eleven hours to reach their verdict. They were closely guarded after the case ended, but courthouse reports were that two of the four women had held out for a recommendation for mercy. That would have meant a life sentence.

There was no mention of mercy when the jury was polled.

With stuttering words Foreman Charles Walton announced the verdict. He who had listened to more than six weeks of evidence seemed unable to pronounce the defendant's name in his fight to keep calm.

"Guilty!" he announced.

"We find the defendant, Bruno Richard Hauptmann, guilty of murder in the first degree."

He Commanded Ill-Fated Macon



Commander H. V. Wiley (above) was in charge of the ill-fated U. S. S. Macon when it crashed into the Pacific ocean off Point Sur, Calif. The only officer who survived the crash of the U. S. S. Akron, Commander Wiley was rescued again, along with 80 others of the crew of 83. (Associated Press Photo.)

CLUBMEN TO FETE SCOUTS

Boy Scouts of Community to be Guests of Kiwanis Club Tomorrow Evening

Boy Scouts of the city will be guests of the Kiwanis Club in the annual observance of Boys' Night at the Woman's Club tomorrow evening at 6:30 o'clock.

In addition, members of the local Scout organization, several Scout executives of the district, have also been invited to be present and help boost boys' work in this community.

The program will be in charge of Donald Conley, member of the Kiwanis program committee, and a special musical program will be provided for the occasion.

Although no addresses have been rehearsed, it is certain that brief talks of appreciation of the fine work which Scouts are doing in this community will be made.

The entertainment comes at the end of the Boy Scouts celebration of their Silver Anniversary. The celebration, which opened last week covered a period of one week in which the Scouts engaged in a number of special activities.

Dr. G. R. Combs, pastor of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church, who has been active in Boy Scout work, is a member of the Kiwanis Club and is expected to play an important part in the celebration, tomorrow night.

Improvement of youths of the community is one of the objectives of the clubmen and this is the first stroke of the year in this direction, although they have co-operated which heartily in the Scout movement and other activities of this nature.

THE NATIONAL WHIRLIGIG

News Behind The News.

WASHINGTON
By George Durno

INTEREST.—Administration may have been slouching making the rounds but they hear hopefully that the American Legion might possibly be persuaded to compromise on the bonus.

National Commander Belgrano probably will deny this vehemently but medicine is being mixed on Capitol Hill which requires Legion support as an essential ingredient of the prescription.

Cancellation of interest on bonus loans to date is said to be the lure held out as against immediate cash payment. This would help all World War veterans who have borrowed up to the 50 per cent allowed, because otherwise the interest would eat up most of their remaining

ITALY READY TO SEND MEN INTO BATTLE

First Detachment of African Expeditionary Forces to Leave Sicily Saturday

Rome, Italy, Feb. 14.—(AP)—The first detachment of Italy's African expeditionary forces will leave Sicily for Eritrea and Italian Somaliland Saturday, a government spokesman announced today.

This information was disclosed as Premier Mussolini prepared to confer with the Fascist grand council to determine his policy in view of the defiance communications sent him by King Selassie of Ethiopia.

The official spokesman said expeditionary contingents would follow the first unit on Sunday and succeeding days.

He emphasized this move did not necessarily preclude war, but that the troops are being dispatched to reinforce colonial garrisons and obviate the danger of further Ethiopian attack.

The number of troops scheduled to leave was not disclosed, but it was learned that 15,000 would be on their way before next week.

"This shows that our mobilization was not merely a bluff," the spokesman said.

He added that his government had not received an offer about a neutral zone settlement reported to have been effected at Addis Ababa or about reports of a new Ethiopian attack.

FORMER KING ALI IS DEAD

Late Monarch of Hedjaz Dies From Heart Disease of Several Months' Time

Baghdad, Iraq, Feb. 14.—(AP)—Former King Ali of Hedjaz, died this morning of heart disease following an attack Tuesday night. He had been ill for several months, the former monarch had been unconscious most of the time since yesterday.

Ali died in the palace of his nephew, King Ghazi, who succeeded his father, King Feisal, on his death in 1933.

The funeral, it was announced, will be held this afternoon.

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BEER HEARING BECOMES TILT OVER WHISKEY

Drys Talk Virginia Whiskey Instead of Confining Attention to Issue

Reflector Bureau.
Sir Walter Hotel.
By C. A. PAUL

Raleigh, Feb. 14.—The hearing of the United Dry Forces and other drys before the House judiciary committee No. 1 on the question of raising the legal content of beer, turned out to be a pro-Hill bill demonstration.

Dr. Henry Lewis Smith, former president of Davidson College and Washington and Lee University, who came down from Virginia unwittingly presented a strong argument from the Hill liquor control bill when he told how much liquor is being sold to North Carolinians and others in Danville, Va., ABC stores.

The hearing, held because of the introduction of a bill by Representative Palmer of Cabarrus, which would increase the alcoholic content of beer from 32 to 45 per cent, was considerably drawn out by drys who would not stay on the subject at hand: beer. Instead, they seized the opportunity to denounce whiskey, gin and bitters with much bitterness. The situation grew so acute that Rep. Luke Stevens once interrupted Dr. Smith by addressing the chairman, "Mr. Chairman," said Mr. Stevens, "I rise to a point of order."

He was told to state it. "Well," resumed the doughty Camden countian, "it was my understanding that we came here to discuss North Carolina beer and not Virginia whiskey." Dr. Smith was told to proceed, but when he had finished acting-chairman Rep. Sparger of Stokes, asked the drys to please confine their statements to beer, adding that the committee had nothing to do with whiskey or the Turlington act.

President-emeritus W. L. Potrat of Wake Forest College, spoke. He asked for more stringent enforcement of the state dry law, denounced the Hill bill, and expressed doubt as to whether or not whiskey drinkers could be "weaned" away from whiskey to beer, emphasizing the necessity for sobriety among railroad engineers and automobile drivers.

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He concluded with the statement that his Virginia ancestry went "back to the Revolutionary War."

A favorable report on the increase in alcoholic content is expected.

This country still contains 7,000,000 head of cattle in excess of those needed for meat and milk.

One Man Killed In Clash Of Mine Workers In Penn.

Late News Flashes

Ban Slot Machines In N. C.

Raleigh, Feb. 14.—(AP)—The House today voted to prohibit slot machines in North Carolina, killed a bill to regulate photographers and took the legislative show away from the Senate and committees.

The Senate met for an hour without passing a major bill.

It got a bill to permit school authorities to lend textbooks where no funds are provided, and two measures to amend laws on building and loan associations.

On an oral vote House approval was given the bill to banish slot machines and other gambling devices and sent the measure to the Senate.

Rep. Bowie of Ashe, led the attack on the photographer's bill, saying it would tend to create a monopoly, and the House tabled it. The bill was introduced by O'Berry of Wayne.

The joint roads committee agreed that it would recommend a reduction in automobile license tag cost to make fees 40 cents instead of 55 cents per hundredweight, with a minimum of \$9 instead of \$12.50, and told a sub-committee to draw a bill to present the legislation.

"A House judiciary committee by the Wake delegation to empower counties to contract with hospitals for the care of sick and affected persons."

This afternoon the finance and appropriations committees continued the drafting of the revenue and money spending bills.

The House got new bills to prohibit persons under 18 years of age from playing slot machines and to (Continued on Page Four)

OPEN FIGHT ON MALARIA

First of Series of Clinics For Tests Held in Swift Creek Township Today

The Pitt County Health Department held today the first of a series of malaria clinics to be conducted in communities along Swift Creek in an effort to determine the extent of the illness and to stamp it out.

The health department has been making a concerted effort to get the government to drain mosquito breeding places along the creek but the request has been turned down until the department can prove that malaria is sufficiently extensive in the area to justify such action.

Five hundred blood tests will be taken in the communities to be visited by public health workers from now until February 18. Citizens in the affected communities have been asked to rally to the movement, attend the clinics in large numbers and expedite work of the department in obtaining the necessary information for the government.

In announcing the campaign yesterday, Dr. N. T. Ennett, director of public health, said the movement was not only in the interest of improvement of health, but should result in the reclamation of thousands of acres of farm land and prove of inestimable economic value to the people of the area.

The first clinic was held at Jesse Quinley's store and Hugh Stokes' store in Swift Creek Township this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Dr. Ennett directed the taking of the tests and was assisted by Dr. E. V. Tucker, of Grifton, and Miss Edna McKee, public health nurse.

To-morrow at 2 o'clock clinics will be carried to the offices of Dr. G. G. Dixon and G. A. Sumrell at Ayden and Venter's Cross Roads. The health workers will be assisted by Drs. Dixon and Sumrell.

February 18 will find the workers at Dr. J. S. Liverman's office at Winterville, and they will be assisted there by Dr. Liverman and Dr. N. E. Ward, of Greenville.

The campaign is receiving full co-operation of the Department of Education. Donald Conley, director of county schools, has been busy the last two days distributing circular letters among the various schools of the county describing the clinics and calling on the public to co-operate in every way possible.

Dr. Ennett declared it was impracticable to have five hundred tests be made, and in letters sent to the various communities said:

RAIN DAMPENS 'DOLLAR DAY' SHOPPING HERE

Splendid Bargains Offered in Observance of Semi-Annual Trade Event

Greenville today was the midst of the semi-annual observance of "Dollar Day," but leaden skies accompanied by intermittent rain provided something of a damper for the occasion.

Over twenty leading merchants of the community were taking part in the offering of bargains and the showing of values was probably the best in the history of "Dollar Day."

In spite of rain some of the stores experienced fairly good trade during the morning, and hope was expressed that the late afternoon, barring too much rain, would find crowds in the business district greatly increased.

"Dollar Day" is held twice a year here and people from a radius of many miles usually are always on hand to take advantage of the extensive showing of the various merchants. Virtually every line of merchandise is represented on the counters of the twenty-odd merchants and shoppers have little difficulty finding real values.

"Dollar Day" is sponsored by the merchants of the Chamber of Commerce and offerings are bound to be above par because reputation established by the body of merchants here in past years.

Many of the values offered today are worth much more than the \$1 charged for them and represent an effort on the part of the business men to share profits with the thousands of people who have shopped with them all the year. That's what it is, a profit-sharing event and persons who brave the inclement weather today to visit the business district should be fully rewarded for doing so.

TO DISPOSE OF 'THEFT' RING

Eleven Negroes to be Disposed of in Juvenile Court Here on Saturday

The final disposition of eleven negro youths arrested here several days ago for larceny, will be made in Juvenile Court Saturday morning. It was announced today by K. T. Futrell, welfare officer, who has had charge of the investigation into the records of the boys.

Decision of the court was scheduled last Tuesday after County court, but was deferred until Saturday when persons desiring to take some of the youths on probation will be present to make arrangements with the court.

Nine of the youths were taken into custody by police about two weeks ago for the larceny of automobile tools from various filling stations of the city. They allegedly sold some of the tools to L. H. Burlingame, filling station operator, who was fined \$100 in County court Tuesday on four separate counts of receiving stolen goods.

Police said the youths constituted a ring believed to have operated for several weeks before finally being apprehended. They are John Graham, David Clark, Henry Grace, Joe Grace, Petrew Grace, Charlie Price, James Whitfield, Ray Tucker and Boston Bradley.

The other two youths to face the court are Johnnie Summs and Fred Williams. They allegedly stole fertilizer bags from a plant here.

Mr. Futrell said the large boys would be sent to some correctional institutions while the remainder would be placed on probation with people living out of Greenville. All probably would be placed in institutions but all such places are crowded to overflowing and it will be impossible to obtain room for more than a few.

The 1934 football season was the best in the history of the Southwest Conference, but Centenary, an outlying team, won the four games it played with members of the circuit.

He Started It



Norman C. Norman (above) of New York is one of four persons who set the United States Supreme Court to pondering the eagerly awaited Gold Clause decision which is expected February 11. His suit, one of four before the court, seeks to obtain \$38.10 for a \$22.50 interest coupon as the equivalent for gold. (Associated Press Photo)

LEGISLATIVE RAMBLINGS

By C. A. PAUL

The House is expected to pass the \$3,000,000 emergency highway maintenance bill within the next two or three days, which will permit the State Highway and Public Works Commission to use \$3,000,000 of whatever appropriation is later made for it between now and July 1. The bill has already been passed by the Senate, was reported, favorably by the House committee on roads this morning and is now on the calendar in the House. It is expected to pass without any opposition, as it did in the Senate.

The bill does not make an additional appropriation for highway maintenance, but merely empowers the Highway Commission to use \$3,000,000 of whatever appropriation it may get in the regular appropriations bill between now and July 1, so that it will not have to wait until that date to start work on thousands of miles of roads that need immediate attention right now, as well as hundreds of bridges. The maintenance fund for the present fiscal year has already been virtually exhausted so that this \$3,000,000 made available immediately, the highway department would have to wait until July 1 before it could do any except the most necessary maintenance work.

If this bill passes, as it is sure to, the highway department can at once begin work on the roads and bridges that are most in need of immediate repair. It can also purchase more equipment by means of which it can get much more work from the thousands of prisoners in the prison camps. Many of these cannot now work at all because the department has no funds with which to buy shovels, mattocks and additional dump trucks needed in maintenance work.

The bill was amended by the Senate to provide that all maintenance forces should be paid on the basis of ten hours a day instead of eight hours as in the past, although most of the employees have been working ten and twelve hours a day. This (Continued on Page Two)

Ayden Banker Made Secretary Of Bank Group

The executive committee of Group 1, N. C. Bankers' Association, met at the Blount Hotel, in Bethel, N. C., on Tuesday night, February 12.

The officers and committee members were the dinner guests of the Greenville Banking and Trust Company of Bethel. A delightful turkey dinner, with all the trimmings, was served.

Immediately following the dinner a business session was held with S. C. Ives, chairman of Group 1, N. C. B. A. presiding. A. P. Rowe, of Ayden, was elected secretary and treasurer, to succeed Joe S. Moye, who moved to Knoxville, Tenn.

The committee decided to have the regular annual meeting for 1935 on May 20, which is a State holiday. The selection of a place for the annual meeting and preparation of the program was left to the chairman of the group and secretary.

ANOTHER MAN BADLY INJURED IN FIGHTING

Rival Factions Clash At Glenn Alden Coal Company Near Woodward; Strike Ten Days Old, Called For Recognition By Operators; Two Men Shot Were on Picket Lines

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Feb. 14.—(AP)—One man was shot to death and another was seriously wounded at nearby Larksville today as a miners' strike in Luzerne County entered its eleventh day.

Frank Petrosky, 28, of Larksville, said by police to be a member of the striking anthracite miners of Pennsylvania, was killed and Anthony Legosh, 30, of Edwardsville, member of another faction of mine workers engaged in a clash near Woodward collier of the Glenn Alden Coal Company.

The anthracite coal miners of Pennsylvania called the strike at all collieries of the Glenn Alden Company as leaders continued their efforts to force recognition of mine operators.

Police said Petrosky and Legosh were on a picket line in Larksville.

YOUTH BADLY HURT WHEN HIS CAR SKIDS

Lumberton, N. C., Feb. 14.—Spencer Cranfill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cranfill, is in Thompson Memorial Hospital in a serious condition, probably with a fracture of the skull sustained yesterday afternoon when the automobile he was driving left the street while passing another car and knocked down a telephone pole and water hydrant.

PUSH WORK ON SPUD CONTROL

Provisions For Sales Quotas and Production Allotments Talked at Capital

Washington, D. C., Feb. 14.—(AP)—Provisions for sales quotas as well as production allotments were discussed today as the plan for proposed legislation for potato control.

A committee representing growers in twenty-one States last yesterday approved a tentative draft prepared by the Farm Administration after going over it section by section for changes deemed advisable.

It will be introduced by Representative Warren of North Carolina as soon as finally approved.

Passage by Congress and approval by President Roosevelt would add potatoes to the list of basic commodities which also includes cotton and tobacco, two other important Southern crops.

Under the proposed legislation the production allotment would be based on acreage yield for any three years of the span from 1930 to 1933. Sales quotas which would be lower in view of the quantities of potatoes used for home consumption and to feed to livestock would be based on individual sales records from 1930 to 1933.

The enforcement act set at 75 cents a hundred pounds would be levied against potatoes sold at an increase of sales quotas.

Tax exempt certificates would be approved and potatoes would be provided and sold in sealed packages.

BUNK DEAL FAILS TO GET NEW TRIAL

Lumberton, N. C., Feb. 14.—Effort of Bunk Deal, Robeson County man, under sentence of death to get a new trial for newly-discovered evidence, has been denied by Judge Henry A. Grady, who found evidence offered at a hearing here last week only cumulative or contradictory. Deal is charged with shooting Lewis Chavis, Robeson Indian, to death thirteen months ago. He appealed to the Supreme Court after conviction program was left to the chairman of first degree murder and lost the appeal.

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BIGGER CROP MEANS LOWER PRICES

Certainly it is to be hoped that the Agriculture Department will listen to the plea of the majority of the growers and not permit this year's tobacco crop to be increased beyond reasonable bounds. The past year has shown conclusively that controlled production means better prices for the growers and certainly no one at this time should want to ruin what has been accomplished by increasing acreage to the extent of lowering prices to their former low levels. This year's tobacco crop should not exceed 650,000,000 pounds and it is to be hoped that the government will make this figure the maximum.

DO WE WANT OUR MONEY?

As an individual, if you had money owing to you would you be willing to sit still and make no effort to collect it while the debtor paid off your neighbors and left you with the bag to hold? Of course you would not take this attitude toward a debt owed you personally, yet that is just what Pitt County has been doing with the result that our people are paying higher tax bills than would be necessary if our people would bring pressure to have the state pay us money that we put into roads that now belong to the state highway system.

Pitt County was among the pioneer counties from the standpoint of constructing hard surfaced roads but we later turned them over to the state without protest, with the result that the state has never paid us for them while it has refunded \$15,000,000 to other counties who were smart enough to make the state acknowledge in writing at the time of transfer that it owed them for their roads and is committed to refund them \$3,500,000 more.

Pitt County has at this time more than a million and a half dollars bonded in indebtedness for roads that now belong to the state and while the state is receiving all the revenues from the roads in the way of gas and license taxes this county like forty other counties in the state similarly situated, is collecting ad valorem taxes to take care of interest and payments on these bonds. In view of the fact that the state acknowledged its indebtedness to some of the counties it makes it apparent

that they owe us, too, even though we are listed as having donated our roads to the state, to the extent of \$425,000. Of course we would like to have all our money but a part of a loaf is better than none and now if we can get the state to refund us even this amount it will be a great help to our taxpayers.

Within the next few days there will be introduced in the legislature a bill for repayment to our county and other counties that find themselves in the same position and if the bill is enacted by the legislature it will mean that our county will receive \$42,500 yearly from the state for a period of ten years. The payment of this money by the state would reduce the tax bill in this county by one-sixth, a saving of more than \$16 to each taxpayer for every \$100 now paid in county taxes in this county.

Pitt County, too long, has stood back thinking it was rich enough to play Santa Claus to the state while some of the other counties have been getting their money and it is now high time that our people rally to the cause and bring all possible pressure to have the state pay us at least in part for the roads we built for them. In view of the fact that there are a large number of counties that had practically all their roads built and paid for by the state and others have already been paid by the state for the roads built by those counties it means that Pitt and counties similarly situated are in the minority and it is going to take almost a supreme effort to get this legislation through regardless of the justice of the claims of these counties. This means that every citizen in Pitt County should get behind our legislators now, urge them to let nothing be left undone to get this money for us, and hold yourself in readiness to appear in Raleigh before the legislature if necessary to impress upon them that we want this money that is owed to us by the state.

Pitt County, despite the fact that it is one of the greatest Democratic strongholds in the state and one of the state's foremost counties has sit still too long and let somebody else have all the gravy while we paid the bills. It's time for us to present a united front to the legislature and let them know how we feel about this matter.

THE NATIONAL WHIRLIGIG

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Congress hardly would dare slap an extra 2 billion on the country.

Rep. Fred Vinson of Ky., is a member of the Ways and Means Committee while Rep. Wright Patman of Texas is not, which is one reason why Vinson's bill probably will be the committee choice.

OPTIMISTS: Mr. Roosevelt. Getting back to the reported compromise, has said he would oppose cancellation of interest on a public debt for any organized minority.

It will be up to him to change his mind—assuming he has the opportunity—but some of his most interested advisers think he could be persuaded.

The New Deal is out to beat cash payment at all costs. Veteran politicians are of the opinion that the impending bonus fight will be the biggest one of all. If it is beaten they predict it will not be resurrected for some time. It isn't the first time that's been said.

NARROW: If a bonus bill rides through both houses despite everything the administration can do to stop it, and President Roosevelt is forced to use his veto power, the administration will then be up against a very close count of noses. Senate leaders tell the White House he could command a sure

Daily Cross Word Puzzle

ACROSS

- Velvet-black mineral
- Companion
- Companion
- Metals
- To the other side
- Cut fine
- Opera by Verdi
- College
- Official
- Feminine name meaning star
- Hot coal without flame
- Acquire by labor
- Book of psalms
- Showing off one's learning
- Metre land measures
- Symbol for neon
- Make corrections
- Stop temporarily
- Entirely
- Writing implements
- Strong box
- Operatic solo
- Move with a lever
- Violent
- Concerning
- For example
- Room in a harem
- Token of friendship

DOWN

- Knack
- Absence of light
- Nook
- Chain together
- Tell
- Pungent condiment
- Come forth
- Refuse
- Make a student, strident, or squeaking noise
- Compound ether
- Region
- One who asserts a right or title
- Babylonian deity
- First man
- Certain points in an orbit
- Elougent speaker
- Devour
- Border for a picture
- At no time
- Mountain in Switzerland
- Was carried
- Immense again
- English river
- Transmit
- Ocean
- Thickness
- Light touch
- Symbol for tellurium
- Removes dirt

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

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margin of three votes to sustain a veto, but that would be hewing too close to the line for comfort and he doesn't want to risk it.

A digest of the nation's newspapers, prepared in the U. S. Veterans Administration, shows about two-thirds of the papers to be against the cash bonus editorially. That doesn't stop many thousands of veterans from writing in to their Senators and Congressmen demanding favorable action.

SLOW: Federal Housing Administrator James Moffett is wondering who has been inspiring recent stories he was twitting to resign.

Some of his friends suspect officials in other branches of the New Deal but they haven't been able to pick up any truly definite clues. In private conversation, however, they are willing to name four men. They say each would like to see Moffett out or be in his shoes but they can't make up their minds which one to pick as the villain.

Moffett insists he isn't going to resign until he has made the Housing job go. That's a big order which would keep him around Washington for many moons. Most optimistic reports are that it will be September before any new home-building of consequence starts under direction of FHA—and if the bankers generally continue to render only lip services to the cause it will be later than that.

SUCCESS: If Moffett hasn't been able to set any records yet with new construction, he at least has succeeded in getting business men enthusiastic about his modernization and repair drive. Actual government loans for such work are still a bit short of \$400,000,000 but the men who make the assorted equipment and material you put into a modernization job report they have done about \$225,000,000 additional direct business with folks able to pay cash.

The section of the Housing Act permitting federal guarantee of renovating loans expires December 31 next. A movement already is afoot among the industrialists to drive on Congress a little later for extension of this section.

It isn't the business they get from government-guaranteed loans that interests them so much. What they want is to keep FHA pecking away with publicity. The latter is what has done the trick for them.

New York

By JAMES McMULLIN

"PILOT" Attorney General Homer Cummings' effort to block the Republic Steel-Corbin McKinney merger has Wall Street running in circles. On the surface it doesn't seem to make sense.

Republic spent hundreds of thousands of dollars fulfilling registration requirements of the Securities and Exchange Commission. At no time did the Commission indicate the faintest disapproval of the transaction. Then there was the job of rounding up present security holders in a large enough proportion to put the reorganization across. That accomplished, sponsors of the merger heaved a sigh of relief. They never dreamed the Department of Justice had a backdoor up its sleeve. You can imagine what they think of Mr. Cummings and New Deal teamwork in general.

The merged companies would still rank far behind U. S. Steel and Bethlehem in size and importance.

—so the government's accusation of fostering monopoly is on the thin side. It all looks like one of those "radical Washington plots".

FIRM: But the best-posted sources say that the government has much more on its mind than just a desire to annoy. When NRA was first broached it obtained support from business circles because they thought it implied suspension of the anti-trust laws. That theory has been largely borne out in practice. Sherman Act persecutions have been few and minor.

Now business gets a plain warning that it better not take too much for granted. This helps to dampen any industrial cockiness that might have arisen from the administration's harshness with the Federation of Labor. It also serves notice of the government's intention to guide industry with a firm hand and allow no deviations from the straight and narrow path.

The warning will serve its purpose regardless of its outcome in this particular case. The only trouble is it may also scare off companies that were planning on new financing and perhaps gum up some mergers that might have been economically useful.

DISENTANGLED: The action against interlocking directorates of steel companies is another phase of the government's program to prove that it isn't just talking about reforms for fun.

Banks have cleaned their directorate houses pretty well and utilities show progress. Columbia Gas and Electric joined the procession only the other day. Floyd Carlisle of Consolidated Gas, George H. Howard of United Corp., William C. Potter of Guaranty Trust and Harold Stanley of J. P. Morgan and Co., retired from its board and were replaced by operating men. Niagara Hudson Power and Commonwealth and Southern took similar steps some months ago to eliminate banking interests from their management.

But many industrial corporations—not having served as Washington targets to the same extent as banks and utilities—haven't yet taken the trouble to mop up. The steel reminder will bolt them into action. The particular disentanglement Cummings is after marks the end of Cyrus Eaton's dream of an industrial empire. A New Yorker remarks that Sam Insull could be pardoned a polite snicker—as he always blamed Eaton for his troubles.

TIME: The next few weeks will provide an acid test of the political influence utilities are supposed to have. They have to convince Congress that the holding company bill is too drastic—or else.

No deal pressure has changed the attitude of power executives in one important respect. You'd have a hard time finding one bold enough to deny that federal regulation is desirable. They may even offer rather drastic suggestions to restrict their own activities in the hope of averting the death sentence.

Utility men feel that time is likely to prove their most valuable ally. Even if the Rayburn bill goes through they will have a five-year lease on life—and they hopefully observe that a lot can happen in five years.

JAPAN: Japan's four most powerful business magnates will visit

the United States soon if present plans materialize. Their coming is a pet idea of Foreign Minister Hirota—who feels that an understanding among the business men of the two nations will go far to counteract jingoism.

Certainly the mission will be a voluntary private affair. Hirota's contention with it will not be disclosed. The group will meet leading American business men and discuss mutual business problems.

The four headlines who are expected to act as emissaries are Baron Seinosuke Go—leading financier, Kenkichi Kagami—head of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha steamship lines and prominent in commercial activities, Nariakira Ikeda—director of the huge Mitsui interests, and Elgo Fukai—vice-governor of the Bank of Japan.

Part of their job is to make clear that loud talk about naval equality finds no real echo among Japanese financial conservatives. For obvious reasons they cannot feature this attitude publicly. They may even kick in liberally for "defense." But in devious Oriental ways they can and will keep matters from going beyond talk—and they want the right Americans to realize this.

Legislative Ramblings

(Continued From Page One)

will give them a pay increase of about 25 per cent.

The much-talked about Hill liquor control bill will get a favorable committee report some time next week. Virtual assurance of committee approval is indicated as the result of a private poll taken by this bureau and interviews with Senate leaders.

The bill is now in the hands of Senate Judiciary Committee No. 2.

headed by Senator Horton, of Chattanooga. A public hearing on the bill will be held next Wednesday if that date is suitable to the drys. Strenuous objections will be voiced by Cate K. Burgess and his United Dry Forces whenever the hearing is held.

Certain men high in State councils say that liquor would be legalized by this Legislature without a referendum except for the fact that a "general" election was held on the Eighteenth Amendment in 1933. The results of that election, in which 300,000 qualified voters did not vote, does admittedly have a deterring influence on certain legislators.

There is considerable sentiment among members of the Judiciary Committee which will hold the hearing on the Hill bill for a short and snappy presentation of arguments. One member, who would not permit his name to be used, said: "There aren't any new arguments on either side. We know what the drys will say—the same thing they've been saying for nobody knows how long. And the 'wets' will say the same things they've been saying, if they say anything at all, which isn't likely because there is no wet lobby. I think we ought, as a committee, to limit the entire hearing to one hour."

To date no newspaper men have been able to find any wet lobbyists in the capital city. The drys, however, under the leadership of Cate K. Burgess, have a legislative committee which has been sending to legislators avalanches of protests and other circulars. Burgess is also known to have talked with several legislators in his crusade to keep intact the State dry law. However, no drys are registered as lobbyists despite their activities.

A further step forward forcing commercial insurance companies to accept certain types of policies

in connection with the workmen's compensation act was taken when Senator Powell, of Whiteville introduced a bill which is designed to put the State in the insurance business.

The bill is a following-up of the bill introduced in the lower House which would give to the State the authority to write insurance policies. Senator Powell's bill would, if enacted into law, lead to the establishment of an insurance fund for the insurance of State employees against occupational diseases. Under the terms of the bill the State could, at its discretion, put into operation any of the phases of the

bill, and at the same time leave inoperative any unnecessary sections. Senator Powell's bill, like the House bill, would permit the State to hold as a threat to commercial insurance companies the provisions which would replace the private companies with the State's plan. Commercial companies have shown extreme reluctance, and in some cases have refused outright, to accept certain risks.

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Social and Personal

Social Calendar

THURSDAY
8:00 p. m.—The Little Theatre Guild will meet in Sheppard Memorial Library.

7:00 p. m.—Dr. L. C. Skinner and Dr. Joseph Smith will be hosts to the Medical Society in the parish house.

FRIDAY
6:30 p. m.—The Kiwanis Club will meet in the Woman's Club building.

8:00 p. m.—Misses Dorothy and Ruth Willard will entertain at bridge honoring Miss Frances Willard, bride-elect.

End of the Century Club Meets.
"Radio Highlights" was the topic of the paper presented by Mrs. J. L. Little at the regular meeting of the End of the Century Club Tuesday afternoon, with Mrs. Charles White, at her home on Ninth street.

After giving in her most charming manner "Radio Highlights" Mrs. Little introduced, Charles White who gave a most instructive talk on Television. Mr. White showed a thorough knowledge of his subject. The entire program was most unusual and delightful.

Guests of the club were Mrs. June Rose, Mrs. Webb, Mrs. Jack Kilgo, Mrs. Dave Whitchard, Mrs. Richard Stokes and Mr. White.—Reported.

Adult Study Group.
The Adult Study Class held the fourth of a series of twelve meetings in the West Greenville School on last Tuesday afternoon with a splendid attendance.

Our study is becoming more interesting as well as instructive with each meeting, and is informally conducted under the capable leadership of Miss Mary York of the high school Home Economics Department. In developing our chosen subject, "Family Relationships," important and interesting topics such as "The History of the Family," "Social and Economic Changes in the Family," and "Character Training," have been discussed and opinions exchanged at each meeting.

The objective of the class is to continue their study through March and sometime during that month present a play to friends and patrons of the school, which will be representative of their work.

Although our attendance is rapidly increasing, an open invitation awaits any new member who would be interested in joining us, on each Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the West Greenville School.

Monthly Supper Club Meets.
Monday night, February 11, the Monthly Supper Club of the Eighth Street Christian Church held its regular meeting. After supper the business of the club was transacted. During this time Miss Elsie Windham was elected to represent the young people on the Religious Education Committee of the church.

Miss Nannie Fowler gave an interesting talk on "What the Young People did for Kansas." The youth of Kansas, an organization of 50,000 crusaders, under the leadership of Robert S. Nance, secretary of the C. E. Union, Dr. Poling and Mr. Rodeheaver, carried the state dry by a majority of 90,000 votes in the last November election. They held mass meetings; conventions; put out tree covers, and windshield stickers, bearing the slogan "Keep Kansas Dry for Kansas Youth."

This campaign was very well described by Dr. Poling as being the "differentest" one he had ever seen. It was different in the way it was financed. It cost these youths \$9,000—\$1,000 of this came from small subscriptions and the remainder came from the collections taken up at the various meetings.

The meeting was closed by a prayer by Mrs. Ryan.—Reported.

Young Woman's Auxiliary Meets.
The Y. W. A. of Memorial Baptist Church met on Monday evening in the home of Miss Patsy Davenport.

The devotion was led by the president, Miss Berta Arnold. Miss Frankie Johnson presented an interesting program on "Changing Our Land for Christ."

At the close of the program Miss Davenport served a delightful salad course.

The meeting adjourned to meet again on February 25th at the home of Mrs. A. W. Fleischmann.—Reported.

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them that we are missing him, too. Fourth: That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family and one to the Daily Reflector.

Miss Ella Fleming, Miss Frances DeGa, A. P. Peoples, Committee

College Senior Play Tonight.
The audience that saw the first of the two performances last night of "Fashion," the play presented by the Senior class of East Carolina Teachers College, pronounce it one of the best ever given in the series of annual college senior plays. It should be even better tonight, when it will be given again at 8 o'clock in the Austin Auditorium.

Both actors and audience caught the spirit of the play as a comedy of manners and the lucid notes on the program enabled them to see it as the forerunner of many popular plays. The audience, as requested, at the proper moment applauded Virtue in Distress and Villainy overcame.

The picturesque costumes of the day, with the ladies in wide hoops and the bewiskered men in fantastic garb in a setting of furnishings look like pages from Godey's Ladies Book. The new sets of scenery, which were designed and made by the corps of artists from the class, gave evidence of the excellent work being done in the staging of plays.

The special features between acts, popular sentimental favorite songs of the past and a group of "harmonica harmonies" fitted perfectly into the program of the evening's entertainment. Miss Elizabeth Overton in costume, sang "After the Ball" and "Under the Shade of the Old Apple Tree." Jack Humphrey sang "The Rosewood Casket," and Layton Clark played the harmonica.

Miss Martha Hart Peele, in the interpretation of the shy, retiring governess, Gertrude, who in terms of the era of the play, portrayed virtue in distress, was outstanding in her acting.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Crawford, as Mrs. Tiffany, a lady who imagined herself fashionable, played the role with the zest true to that type. Her mispronunciation of French phrases supplied by her French ladies' maid, added a great deal of humor to the production.

Miss Katherine Crowe took the part of the maid with all the impudence typical of the French mademoiselle.

Godfrey Oakley of Greenville, as Mr. Tiffany, gave an excellent interpretation of the "merchant of that day, henpecked by his wife, who was the dominating influence of the entire household."

Paul Fitzgerald was most entertaining in his role as Count Jolimaire, the impostor. The part of Seraphina, a silly girl in her teens who favored all men, was taken by Miss Sue Elizabeth Smith.

Jack Humphrey playing the part of Adam Trueman, the up-state farmer, did his usual creditable acting that he has displayed in plays here before.

Col. Howard as played by Billy Tolson captivated the hearts of his audience as well as that of Gertrude.

C. O. Armstrong, as Zeke, dressed

in the splendor of a butler, furnished many of the laughs of the evening.

Clifton Crawford had a minor part as a drawing room appendage, but played his part well.

Prudence, the maiden sister of Mrs. Tiffany, added much to the humor of the play by her apparent knowledge of everything, and ended most of her speeches with an evitable "I told you so." This part was played by Miss Betty Carswell of Georgia.

Perry King played two very different and difficult roles, those of Snobson, the confidential clerk of Mr. Tiffany, and T. Tennyson Twinkle, a modern poet, and was excellent in both.

NEW BOOKS
By JOHN SELBY
The age for autobiography grows steadily less. Now a good share of our memoirs and such are the fuzzy club stage.

Vincent Sheehan's "Personal History" (Doubleday, Doran) is a case in point. Mr. Sheehan is a young Chicagoan who as he confesses, went through the University of Chicago without catching more than a glimmer for what university life should stand for.

He came on to New York, was a reporter for a short while, and then quite suddenly went abroad. He played around, doubtless writing, although he played down that side of the matter, until at last his money gave out and he took a job in Paris.

He sent a great many pords to America. He grew to hate Poincare, he reported a uprising against Spain in Africa, the ponderous deliberations of the League of Nations, the Chinese disturbances, and he visited Moscow. In "Personal History" he writes very well of all he saw, and draws wholly acceptable pen portraits of a long list of people with whom he has come in contact.

It would be too much to say that he has evolved a philosophy for himself. He has made himself a trained observer, and has decided to take a more or less passive attitude toward the world's present pains. Perhaps the nicest thing about his book is its fundamental modesty. Mr. Sheehan can write about himself with his tongue in his cheek.

Thumbnail Reviews
"The Pinnacle of Glory," by Wilson Wright (Macmillan): Napoleon's last days in novel form; Mr. Wright has made Napoleon, his jailer, and the curious midgets that surrounded the two live and breathe.

"R. E. Lee," by Douglas Southall Freeman (Scribner): the concluding half of Mr. Freeman's monumental four-volume biography of the general; Mr. Freeman gives full

value to Lee's last years, and thus puts him in true perspective.

"Science and Social Needs," by Julian Huxley (Harpers): Professor Huxley toured British scientific laboratories to find the present state of science; he thinks the gap between science and human needs is too wide.

"Partners in Plunder," by J. B. Matthews and R. E. Shallcross (Covici-Friede): another of those books detailing the shortcomings of our business ethics; misleading advertising and harmful products are considered reasons for abandoning the profit system.

"Changing Asia," by Egon Erwin Kisch (Knopf): Bokhara, Samarkand and such places under the changing conditions of Sovietism; the book was written in 1931, but that is not important, because nobody knows much about "inner Asia" anyway.

"Silver Collar Boy," by Constance Wright (Dutton): a mistress and her little black slave boy a couple of centuries ago; very pretty, very sentimental, very "nice."

"The Birthday," by Samuel Rogers (Little, Brown): an early novel by the author of "Dusk at the Gkove," which won one of the important prizes of last season; "The Birthday" is much the same in tone, although shorter.

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Town of Greenville vs. Mrs. Jessie Atkinson and wife, Mrs. Jessie Atkinson.

The defendants above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been instituted in the Superior Court of Pitt County for the purpose of foreclosing certificates of tax sales and liens for the years 1930 and 1931 held by the plaintiff against the property of the defendants; and they will further take notice that they are required to appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County at his office in Greenville, N. C., and plead to the complaint heretofore filed in said Clerk's office within 30 days after service of this summons, or the relief therein demanded will be granted.

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LOCALS WILL PLAY AURORA IN 'TOURNEY'

By R. O. MOYE

Play opened last night in the basketball tournament at Bethel for all star teams in Eastern North Carolina. Eight teams entered the tournament and four came out on the winning side to play in the semi-finals there tonight. The teams who were victorious and earned the right to play in the semi-finals were Greenville, Aurora, Bethel and Williamston.

Greenville all-stars defeated the strong Bethel team in the final game there last night by the score of 35-28 in the best game of the evening. Jack Barrett and Doc Mathis led the attack for the locals with twelve and eleven points respectively. A great defense was shown in Charles King, guard, who played a superb game as well as Troy Burnette at center, who perhaps played one of the most level headed games seen on any court. Greenville gained a ten point lead at the half and was leading by 21-11 at the end of the first half. Bethel got wild in the last half and led by their star center, Selby Jones, who scored 14 of his teammates points, opened an attack which the locals found hard to stop. However the boys came out victorious and earned the right to play in the semi-finals tonight.

Hooker counted 12 points to defeat Vanceboro, 35-20, in the opening game of the tournament. Hill and Bowlin, each with six points led Vanceboro. Aurora had 22-14 lead at the half.

In the second game, Williamston routed Robersonville 48-21. Gaylord raced up 22 points to lead the winners while Barnes made 15 points to rank next. Bullock and Crofton, each with nine points, were best for Robersonville. Williamston led by a 25-8 score at the turn.

Bethel remained in the running by defeating Washington 37-22. Wallace with 15 points was leader for Bethel. Potts made 10 to lead Washington. The winners were ahead at the half 25-16.

As a result of the first night's play Greenville will meet Aurora in the first of the semi-finals tonight at 7:30 o'clock and Williamston will play Bethel at 8:45 in the second game. The winners of these two games will meet in the final game of the tournament on Friday night at 8 o'clock.

All the games are being played in the community building at Bethel and a large delegation from each town entered were present last night to help their respective teams along. With Greenville winning last night's opener it is anticipated that a large crowd will journey over to Bethel tonight to watch the local boys in action.

New York Cotton

New York, Feb. 14.—(AP)—Cotton futures steady, unchanged to two cents higher on trade buying of near months and owing to the small of the market held to a fairly steady tone after the opening. May sold up from 12.39 to 12.42, with March and May holding net advances of about four points.

Late deliveries were tow to three points net higher at the end of the first half hour with October selling at 12.32.

Except for further switching from March to later months, trading was quiet around midday with prices steady.

(Courtesy E. A. Pierce & Co.)

	Open	Close	Prv. Cl.
Mar.	12.33	12.35	12.32
May	12.39	12.40	12.39
July	12.42	12.44	12.42
Oct.	12.31	12.34	12.30
Dec.	12.38	12.42	12.38

Chicago Grain Market

Courtesy Vernon Parrish

	Open	Close	Prv. Cl.
WHEAT:			
May	971-8	965-8	97
July	901-4	895-8	897-8
Sept.	885-8	877-8	881-4
CORN:			
May	851-2	853-8	85
July	797-8	795-8	791-2
Sept.	761-2	761-4	761-2
OATS:			
May	511-2	51	511-4
July	44	43-1-2	44
Sept.	415-8	403-4	411-2
RYE:			
May	651-2	651-8	651-4
July	653-8	643-4	651-8

RUPTURE

H. L. Hoffmann, Expert, former associate of C. F. Redlich, Minneapolis, Minn., will demonstrate without charge his "Perfect Retention Shields" in Greenville, Wednesday, Feb. 13, at the Proctor Hotel, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Please come early. Evening by appointment.

Any rupture allowed to protrude is dangerous, weakening the whole system. It often causes stomach trouble, gas and back pains.

My "Perfect Retention Shields" will hold rupture under any condition of work and contract the opening in a short time.

Do not submit to avoidable operations and wear trusses that will enlarge the opening. Many satisfied clients in this community. No mail order.

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205 Lincoln Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn.

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, Feb. 14.—(AP)—The adventures were lacking again today in most of the financial markets and prices generally continued to mill about indifferently. Extreme dullness again characterized the list here and there as specialists moved up on a few transfers, but the leading issues held the fluctuations to minor fractions.

The decline of several leaders and dividends was visibly ignored.

Grains and cotton were fairly steady and prime bonds exhibited a rather firm tone.

Foreign exchanges were undecided.

The general run of equities held to an extremely narrow groove.

Transfers were only 400,000 shares.

N. Y. Stock List

American Radiator 13 3-4	American Tobacco 80
Anacosta 10 3-8	Atlantic Coast Line 28 1-4
Atlantic Refining 24 3-4	Bendix Aviation 15
Bethlehem Steel 28 7-8	Columbia Gas and Electric 6
Commercial Solvent 20 7-8	Continental Oil 7 5-8
DuPont 94 3-4	Electric Power Light 2 1-2
General Electric 23 5-8	General Motors 30 3-4
Liggett & Myers 105	Montgomery Ward 26 1-4
Reynolds Tobacco 47 3-4	Southern Railway 11 1-4
Standard Oil 40 1-4	U. S. Steel 35 1-8

Late News Flashes

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provide for continuance of four special terms of Superior court judges, to repeal the absentee ballot law and to increase allowances of wine for religious use.

Congress On Work Relief.
Washington, Feb. 14.—(AP)—Tempered by heated passage through the appropriations committee, the Roosevelt \$4,880,000,000 work relief bill today entered a still hotter controversy in the Senate itself.

It faced stormy moves to slash the figure to \$2,880,000,000, to make payment of prevailing local wages on public works mandatory instead of discretionary with the government and possibly also tack a \$2-100,000,000 cash bonus rider.

Administration spokesmen, hopeful of action in a week, expressed confidence the big event will reach the White House with most broad powers delegated to the President for spending \$4,000,000,000 in giving work to 3,500,000 employables on relief.

As congressmen traveled over rainy streets to the first session since Tuesday, the death sentence given to Bruno Richard Hauptmann was on every lip, but official comment was withheld in what was considered as purely a state matter.

Before the Senate finance committee, Henry I. Harriman, president of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, urged several fundamental changes in the administration social securities program. Across the plaza the House ways and means committee continued to labor on the bill behind closed doors.

Secretary Jokes of the Public Works Administration, allotted \$4-207,000 to 36 non-federal projects providing over \$1,000,000 for earthquake work in Los Angeles and vicinity.

Testimony that his company had made \$5,601,851 profit in 1932 on two cruises when it expected only \$1-800,000, was given to the Senate munitions committee by Homer Ferguson, of the Newport Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company.

Your Rent Receipts Should Be Payment on a Home of Your Own

FOR SALE

Practically new modern six room cottage, corner Myrtle street and Raleigh Avenue. Newly painted on inside, and in excellent condition throughout. Large corner lot 50x130 feet Only two short blocks from West Greenville school. Real good neighborhood, and an ideal place to live and rear your children. Priced low for quick sale at \$2,750. With \$1,250 cash, balance \$23 per month. Will be paid for in full in 6 years, 3 months. Built new August 1929, cost \$3,450. Rented for past year at rental of \$25 per month. Make your rent receipts become payments on a home. See it today. No obligation to buy.

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No. 403 Evans Street



Sundown Stories

Rattling Shutters

By MARY GRAHAM BONNER

"WHAT was that?" Willy Nilly awoke with a start. Rip jumped up, gave a low, warning growl, and listened with Willy Nilly.

Christopher Columbus Crow drew forth his "bread from under his wing, and the ducks and the Top Notch awoke, too.

"What did you hear, Willy Nilly?" asked Top Notch. "Maybe you're just hearing things to-night because it's that sort of a night!"

"How very bright you are!" quacked Mrs. Quacko Duck. "Top Notch gave her a proud, superior look.

"I mean what I say," he told her. "There are some nights when the wind blows as it is blowing now and things creak and rattle and shudder. Sometimes the trunks of the trees groan. I've heard them."

"So have I," agreed Christopher Columbus Crow. "I know just what you mean."

"You make me shiver when you talk about creaks and rattles," quacked Mrs. Quacko Duck. "Don't be silly," said Top Notch. "Usually those sounds don't mean anything."

"But if they do?" whispered Mrs. Quacko.

"If they do they mean something—it is nothing that need frighten you. Maybe Willy Nilly did hear bleating. But he won't know what he has heard if we keep on talking like this."

"What did I hear just then?" Willy Nilly asked.

They all remained very quiet and then the shutters rattled as though they would come off. "The wind is at work tonight," Willy Nilly finally said.

Tomorrow—"Puddle Muddle Valentines"

Carbon monoxide, deadly gas, is said to prevent steel scaling during heat treatment.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION
The partnership of J. G. and P. G. Lautares trading as Lautares, was dissolved by mutual consent on December 31, 1934. J. G. Lautares assuming all obligations of said partnership. All persons indebted to said partnership will please pay same to J. G. Lautares.

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
North Carolina—Pitt County. In The Superior Court Pearl S. Dexter, Plaintiff

EARL T. DEXTER, (Defendant)
The defendant above named will take notice that an action has been instituted in this Court by the Court by the plaintiff for divorce, based upon separation of two years and longer, and that he is required to appear and file such Answer, or other pleas to the Complaint filed in this Court this day, as he may have, on or before April 1st, 1935, when he shall either answer or demur to the same, or judgment will be granted plaintiff, according to the relief demanded by the plaintiff in the said complaint filed in this cause.

This February 14th, 1935.
J. F. HARRINGTON,
Clerk Superior Court.
By E. F. Tucker D. C.
S. J. Everett,
Atty. for Plaintiff.

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I AM PREPARED TO TAKE CARE of most any emergency that might come to any member of my family, but I know the money I pay into THE PITT MUTUAL BURIAL ASSOCIATION goes for a good cause and is used at a time when it is most appreciated. On second thought the \$100.00 credit would amount to 20 per cent on a \$500.00 funeral wouldn't it?

SPECIALS — SEED OATS, 90c bushel; hulls, 85c 100 lbs.; cotton seed meal, \$2.05, 100 lbs.; dairy feed, 16 per cent, \$2.20, 100 lbs.; dairy feed, 24 per cent, \$2.35, 100 lbs. Seed, Feed, Provisions, 931 Dickinson Avenue. Phone 840. H. H. Duncan. 12-5t

FOR FRESH FISH AND CYSTERS call Day Seafood Co. Phone 149. We dress and deliver. 13-tf

FOR SALE—1 BED AND SPRINGS—bargain for cash. 107 East 4th St. 13-tf

GENUINE BURT SEED OATS in stock. See Garden Peas, Onion Sets and Cabbage Plants, too. J. A. Watson, Feed—Seed—Provisions.

JUST RECEIVED BIG SHIPMENT Disc Harrows, Oliver Plows, Tobacco Cloth, Horse Collars, and Poultry Wire. Get our prices before you buy. Baker & Davis Hdw Co. 15-1 mo.

SEE US ABOUT YOUR NEEDS IN Paint. We have a kind of paint for every purpose, inside or outside. J. A. Watson—Feeds, Seeds, Provisions. 9-tf

FOR RENT—OFFICE ROOM BACK of Frank Wilson store. 107 East Fourth St. 13-tf

THOS. R. STROUD—CASH Groceries, Fancy and Heavy. Prices to compare with small salaries. Come and see. 703 Dickinson Ave. Feb 1-1 mo.

WE SPECIALIZE ON REPAIRING fine watches, clocks and jewelry. No job too difficult, 34 years of continuous service. Best Jewelry Co. 19-1 mo

1934 CHEVROLET MASTER Sedan—driven less than 4000 miles, good as new. Terms to reliable party. J. D. Simpson, Railway Express Agency. 14-2t

FOR FRESH FISH AND OYSTERS—Mulletts, Trout, Herrings and Shad. Call Day Seafood Co. phone 149.

FOR FRIDAY—CHERRY TARTS—People's Bakery.

FOR SALE OR RENT—A REAL home—modern seven room house, splendidly and conveniently located in Greenville. Sale terms. Address R. A. Parker, Kingston, N. C. 12-6t

JUST ARRIVED—NEW GARDEN seed, seed oats, onion sets, etc. Good prices on flour, meat, lard. Greenville Dist. Co., L. L. Rives. 17-tf

TODAY & FRIDAY

Added Attraction
"DIONNE QUINTRUPLITS"



Plus
From tepee to penthouse...but at heart she remained SAVAGE...demanding revenge for a love that was tossed aside!

Sylvia SIDNEY

"BEHOLD MY WIFE!"

Teamed again with her sweetheart of "Ladies of the Big House"

GENE RAYMOND

Plus
Laurel-Hardy Comedy "Them Thar Hills"

Plus
PARAMOUNT NEWS

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FOR SALE—NEW \$72.00 Continental Cabinet Radio, 7 tubes—will take \$40.00. W. A. Dunn, Belvoir, N. C. 12-4t

IF FIGURES TALK WITH YOU, read these—Jeschke sells \$36 1st 2 days; Dees \$75 1st 31-2 days; Cullison \$111 1st 5 days. Established Raleigh Dealers sell up to \$375 a week after week! They make these large sales because of Rawleigh quality and methods. If you want to make more money, it will pay you to write Rawleigh's, Box NCB-87-3, Richmond, Va.

WE MATCH PANTS TO ANY suit. Double the life of your coat and vest. Every pair hand tailored to your measure. Fit guaranteed, prices reasonable. See or write Wm. Size, Custom Tailor, Reflector Bldg., Greenville, N. C., P. O. Box 297. Jan. 29-1 mo.

BROILERS, FRYERS, HENS and TURKEYS
All Dressed Free
W. B. Herring Grocery Co.
Dickinson Ave. Phone 359

PHONE 619, IT'S LAUNDRY OR dry cleaning. The Old Reliable—we know how. Rainbow Cleaners. 14-tf

31 CHEVROLET COACH, MOTOR has been reconditioned, good tires, paint and upholstery are good. Tags. \$275.00. Easy terms. Pitt Oldsmobile Co., 415 Grand Ave.

WANTED, TO SAVE YOUR MONEY—Avery Dealer—See our Cultivators, Harrows, Stalk Cutter, Planters, Fertilizer Distributors, Rakers, and Plows. Stonewall Plows, \$4.95. Seed Oats, 90c. Pitt Supply Co., 921 Dickinson Ave. Jan 23-1 mo

WANTED TO BUY — SEVERAL hundred bushels soya beans. Warren Feed Co. 27-tf

CABBAGE PLANTS FOR SALE—Frost proof cabbage plants, 15 cents per hundred; 60 cents for five hundred; \$1.00 per thousand; \$7.50 for ten thousand lots. My plants are grown without fertilization, which gives you the hardest plant than can be grown. L. C. Arthur, Greenville, N. C. Nov. 3-1 mo.

HOGS FOR SALE — WEIGHT from 50 to 100 pounds each. J. W. Murphy, New Bern, R. F. D. 2, 12 miles from New Bern, near Josher School. 13-3t

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Adm. Screen BOB Child.
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A glorious romance of youth—for young folks 16 to 96



with
UNA MERKEL
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Selected Shorts

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— and make a date with your wife or sweetheart to see—

JEAN PARKER
(you made her a star)

JAMES DUNN
in

Have a Heart
A valentine treat even it does come a day late—

STATE FRIDAY
Feb. 15th

CHANGE OF BUSINESS SALE

Not Just a Few Items, but the Entire Stocks Marked at Prices that Insures 'It's' Quick Sale!

Ladies will be interested in these Dresses and how!

Just 224 Dresses in this group. Blue Crepes, Black Crepes, Green, Wine, Navy, Rust, Browns and Tomato colored Dresses, some two-tones, three runs of sizes, 14 to 20, 38 to 42 and 44 to 50. All to go at on price—

\$1.88

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Ladies' Dresses, all New this Fall—about 100 in this group. Colors, Navy, Black, Wine, Browns, Rusts. Materials, Crepe and Charmose. Sizes 14 to 20, 38 to 42. Selling Out Price, each, \$1.00.

\$1.69

Men's Dress Oxfords, in Black, Tan, Suedes, Grey and Brown and many styles to choose from—Going At—

\$1.69

Men's Dress Oxfords, Suedes, Black, Calf, Brown, in all new styles this fall. Good range of sizes. This group takes in some of the best grades—Must Go Price—

\$2.49

Men's Heavy, Solid Leather Work Shoes, double soles or water-proof soles, Black or Tan, army style.

\$1.69

Mqu's Extra Good Work Shoes, group includes best in the house. Sold up to \$4.50. Must Go Price—

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Men's and Boys Dress Oxfords, Grey Suedes, Black Calf, in many styles of toes, collectively, all sizes Sold up to \$3.00.—Must Go Price—

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Everything Must Go! Come Get Yours!

Greenville Salvage Co.

MEN - - Attention!

1 group of 90 Men's Suits, medium weight, some Serges, Mixtures and Tweeds. Collectively all sizes, several good styles, sold for \$15.00 or more. Some conservative styles also. All to go at once price—

\$8.59

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\$9.89

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