

Fail In Efforts Inject Flexibility In Pay-Hour Act

SOUTHERNERS ARE DEFEATED

Coalition of Republicans and Northern Democrats Rejects Amendment by Vote of 139-70; Senate, Meanwhile, Considers Administration's Pump-Priming Fund

Washington, May 24.—(AP)—A coalition of Republicans and northern Democrats crushed today a determined Southern attempt to inject greater flexibility into the revamped wage-hour bill.

By a 139 to 70 standing vote, the coalition rejected a substitute offered by Representative Ramspeck (D-Ga.), which would have permitted establishment of wage differentials between industries or geographical areas.

The alternative would have established graduated minimum wages based on the "weighted average" for individual occupations. It also would have created an administrative board with power to grant exemptions, thus in effect, making variations in wages possible between the North and South or between industries.

Representative Ramspeck offered the alternative proposal as the "legal and safe way" to provide for regulation of the wages and hours of this country's "sweated labor."

Hours under the House bill would start at 44 per week and drop to 40 in two years. Under Ramspeck's bill the board would have power to vary them between 40 and 48 a week. Senator Copeland (D-N.Y.), said meantime he would ask the Senate to earmark \$325,000,000 of the administration's new pump priming funds for rivers and harbors and flood control projects.

The New Yorker said these projects already had been approved by army engineers and could be initiated promptly.

He said he would offer his proposal as an amendment to the \$3,000,000,000 spending-lending bill which was for its second day of debate on the Senate floor.

Other developments: President Roosevelt signed a bill appropriating \$1,423,000,240 for the needs of the government's independent offices such as the TVA and the Social Security Board for 1939.

The total is about \$31,500,000 less than the appropriation for the current fiscal year.

Funeral Held For Mrs. E.E. Edwards

Mrs. Sarah V. Edwards, 61, died last night at 11 o'clock following several weeks of critical illness. She had been in declining health for some time.

Funeral services were conducted this afternoon at 3 o'clock from Williams Funeral Home by Rev. John Elks, Holiness minister of Shelderside. Burial followed beside her late husband in Greenwood cemetery.

Mrs. Edwards and her late husband, E. E. Edwards, came to Greenville seven years ago and made their home with Mrs. Lucy Moyer on Dickinson avenue part of the time.

Mrs. Edwards was born in Pittsburgh, Pa., and leaves no living relatives. Active pall bearers were D. W. Hardee, Robert Moyer, Leo Burks, L. O. Gross, T. J. Moore and D. C. Wilson.

Final Rites Held For Pitt Citizen

Funeral services were conducted at the home yesterday afternoon for Marcellus Smith, 74, of Farmville, one of Pitt county's most prominent farmers, who died Sunday afternoon.

The services were conducted by Rev. H. M. Wilson, pastor of the Farmville Presbyterian church, and Rev. J. R. Rountree, Episcopal minister. Burial was in the family plot in the Farmville cemetery, with Masons in charge.

Mr. Smith is survived by three daughters, Misses Helen, Christine and Huldah Smith of Farmville, and a sister, Mrs. Addie Corbett.

The Sahara desert embraces an area nearly as large as the mainland of Europe.

Heiress Found



Mrs. Martha E. Williamson (above), socialite of Charlotte, N. C., and heiress of an electric power fortune, was found in a New York hotel after vanishing from a hospital in that city where doctors said she had been under treatment for alcoholism. Earlier police had dragged the East river in search of her body. She was attired only in a pink nightgown and a blue satin dressing robe when she left the hospital.

JUDGE DARDEN ENDS SESSION

Three sittings City Court Held During Two Days

It took three sessions of court for Judge W. A. Darden to clear up his docket in City Recorder's court. Only two or three submissions were heard yesterday morning before the jurist had to recess court to appear in a civil session. Hearings were resumed yesterday afternoon and completed this morning.

John Boyd was convicted on a whiskey charge this morning and given a 12 months road sentence. Notice of appeal was given. William Harris, indicted jointly with Boyd, was acquitted of the charge. Both defendants were Negroes.

Annie May Crumwell, Negro, was acquitted of a charge of using profane language.

Wilbur Dixon, Negro, was freed on a whiskey charge.

John Johnson was acquitted of a charge of driving careless and reckless.

George Blount, Negro, was given a six months road sentence, suspended for two years upon good behavior and payment of the court costs, on a charge of driving a car without the owner's permission.

Daniel Penner, Negro, was given six months, suspended upon payment of costs, for being drunk and disorderly.

Raymond Hart and Hubert Roberts were cited to court on charges of careless and reckless driving only.

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Woman Heads Drive For Robin Hood Farm Funds

Raleigh, May 24.—Mrs. Edwin Clarke Gregory Salisbury was today named chairman of the woman's committee to assist in raising funds for Robin Hood Farm.

The wife of Rowan's State Senator and mother of Assistant Attorney General Lee Overman Gregory was named at a meeting of the state executive committee of the Farm.

The Robin Hood Farm idea was launched sometime ago and a charter secured for it as a non-profit welfare organization. Its sponsors, among whom are numbered prominent state officials, declare the purpose of the movement is to give an opportunity for vocational education (principally along agricultural lines) to deserving and needy North Carolina boys who finish high school and who are unable for financial reasons, to get college vocational training.

To this end a large tract of more than 2,000 acres has been purchased in Moore county for establishment of the farm. It is planned to select, with great

BOMBS HURLED ON BARCELONA AND VALENCIA

Insurgent Warplanes
Raid Two Govern-
ment Cities

CASUALTY LIST UNCERTAIN YET

Heaviest Fighting In
Two-Year-Old War
Reported in Hen-
daye Dispatches

Madrid, May 24.—(AP)—Insurgent war planes twice raided Valencia early today, causing an unspecified number of casualties and material damage.

Barcelona also was raided by planes flying so high as to be invisible to the naked eye, said dispatches from Barcelona. Bombs fell in the southern part of the city, but estimates of damage were not immediately available.

Five insurgent planes raided Port Bou, important railway station of Government Spain, just below the French border. Twenty bombs were dropped, but the extent of the damage was not disclosed.

Hen-daye, France, reported some of the heaviest fighting in Spain's nearly two-year-old civil war developed along the 60-mile front from Lerida to Sort today as the Government tried to loosen the insurgent foothold in Catalonia.

The main Government assault, made by militiamen well equipped and supported, was directed at a point 80 miles northwest of Barcelona, where the insurgents established a formidable bridgehead in their drive to the sea to protect their crossing of the river Segre.

A little village near the eastern point of the bridgehead was reported to have changed hands eight times since the Government attack in force began Sunday morning.

Insurgent dispatches admitted the seriousness of the Government offensive, but said many Government militiamen were killed in fruitless attacks on strong positions.

On the other hand, Government reports said the bridgehead was being forced in slowly by repeated poundings.

Repentance Topic Of Rev. J. L. Lane

"Deathbed Repentance: Is It Possible?" was the subject of the sermon preached last night by Rev. J. L. Lane at Memorial Baptist church in the revival meeting which will close Friday night. Mr. Lane used the story of the thief on the cross as the basis of his remarks. Pointing out first of all the favorable conditions surrounding the thief's conversation, Mr. Lane said, "He had a healthy, vigorous mind. He was able to argue with the other thief. Repentance is not an emotional experience alone, but one that involves man's thinking. In the second place, it was possibly the thief's first chance to confess Christ. He had not had intimate contact with Jesus. He belonged to a gang of robbers. Another thing in his favor, he was beholding the face of Christ. I have often thought I would willingly walk around the world with bare feet if necessary to look on his face! Furthermore, the thief was under social condemnation. Under such pressure men often turn to Christ. Many illustrations.

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Ickes Wed In Surprise Ceremony



HAROLD ICKES

Washington, May 24.—(AP)—Harold Ickes, Secretary of the Interior, was married today to Miss Jane Dahlman, 25, of Milwaukee in Dublin, Ireland.

The surprise ceremony was performed at 9 a. m. Dublin time (5 a. m. EST) in a Presbyterian church by the Rev. R. K. Hanna.

The newly-weds cabled friends in Washington to announce their wedding. Only the closest of his associates knew Ickes had gone abroad. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Dahlman of Milwaukee. His father is a lawyer there.

The bridegroom is 64. Ickes' former wife died in an automobile accident at Santa Fe, New Mexico in 1935.

CROP DAMAGED AGAIN BY HAIL

Loss Suffered by Farmers in Scattering Sections

Hail again yesterday afternoon descended on crops throughout much of Pitt county, leaving heavy damage in some sections.

Tom Andrews of Bethel, owner of the Blakely farm near Grimesland, brought a sample of the damage to his crop to Greenville this morning in the form of tobacco stripped from the stalk. He said that 26 acres of leaf on the farm had been practically ruined. He added that the Norman Edwards farm, adjoining his, suffered even more damage, 40 acres of tobacco having been practically ruined. He described the tobacco as "torn all to pieces."

Residents and persons traveling in the Grimesland section reported the wind was so strong traffic had to be halted at times.

While the Grimesland section might have been the hardest hit, it was by no means the only area to suffer damage. Reports of hail came from various other sections of the county. Bell Arthur, Black Jack, Simpson, Ballard's cross roads and across the river from Greenville, along the Bethel highway.

Hail storms have been unusually frequent this year, farmers having suffered damage on several occasions.

Time To Turn Backward

Bath, N. C.—(AP)—This rendezvous of Blackbeard and his boisterous pirate crews—the oldest town in North Carolina—is to be restored to its colonial past. Leaders say few changes will be necessary for the quaint seaport has never grown much beyond the village it was in 1701.

N. C. HAS LARGE CASH BALANCE

Gov. Hoey Warns, However, Condition May Not Last

Raleigh, May 24.—(AP)—North Carolina had \$26,400,226.70 in its state treasury in cash April 30, the auditor and treasurer reported today.

Governor Hoey said, however, "this fine condition of our finances can not be expected to continue next year unless business generally shows a pick." He commented also the listed cash included highway funds invested in equipment and money to meet some checks already written, but not cashed.

The general fund had a balance April 30 of \$8,019,822.54, the report said. After April disbursements of about \$6,600,000. The fund received \$2,884,349.67 last month and about \$4,350,000 in 10 months of the fiscal year. It had a balance of about \$5,230,000 to start the year and in 10 months expenditures were about \$40,500,000.

COST OF AUDIT SHOWN DURING OUSTER TRIAL

Brought out One Firm
Had Received Total
of \$3,700

ATTEMPT SHOW SHERIFF SHORT

D. R. Hollowell, Who
Recently Audited
Sheriff's Books, On
Stand This Morning

Testimony by one of the auditors that his firm had received \$3,700 for audits upon a portion of which the present Sheriff Whitehurst ouster proceedings is based, and introduction of audits by another auditor purporting to show that the Sheriff has failed or refused to remit to the county approximately \$3,000 for commissions and fees alleged to belong to the county, were highlights of the hearing yesterday afternoon and this morning.

The third week of the ouster proceedings brought against Sheriff S. A. Whitehurst by individual members of the Board of County Commissioners, got under way yesterday establishing a new record for hearings of any kind in Pitt County Superior court. The previous record was nine days, while yesterday was the tenth day of actual hearings in the ouster case.

Testimony of Clerk of Court J. Frank Harrington, who occupied the witness stand all of yesterday morning, was completed yesterday afternoon and he was followed on the stand by L. R. Aulston and Frank P. Wall, of the firm of Williams and Wall, who gave further testimony and underwent additional cross examination. These auditors had previously appeared on the stand several times.

Aulston's testimony yesterday was in the form of answering questions regarding certain points of previous testimony and was very brief.

Wall testified that his firm had been employed to make a complete audit of the county's offices preparatory to installing a "cashier" system under which all fees would be paid direct to the County Treasurer before any actions could be executed by the various county offices. He stated that when his audits had been completed that the sheriff, register of deeds and clerk, were called into conference with the county commissioners to discuss the proposed plan. Register of Deeds J. C. Gaskins, Wall testified, said he was agreeable to any plan whereby fees would not have to be handled by his office. Clerk of Court Harrington was reported to have declared that he was agreeable to the plan provided it could be operated without additional inconvenience to the citizens of the county in the transaction of their affairs with reference to legal actions. The sheriff, Wall said, expressed opposition to any plan that would remove from his office any duties there as a result of its being a constitutional office.

Being questioned upon cross examination as to how much his company had been paid for its audit of the sheriff's office, Wall testified that the audits were not separate contracts but that his firm had made audits of the clerk's and sheriff's offices covering a four-year period and had received \$3,700 for the same. (Continued on page six)

LEADER READY FOR CAMPAIGN

Blount to Lead Chamber Of Commerce Membership Drive

M. K. Blount, Commander-in-Chief has his forces in readiness for the advance in the membership campaign of the Chamber of Commerce of Greenville. This advance will be at 12-o'clock noon tomorrow.

All his heavy artillery has been placed in position, and for several days preparation has been made within the limits of Greenville. Beginning at midday tomorrow, an intensive barrage will be laid down to cover the advance of the regiment under the command of Colonel Meadows. Battalions will advance abreast, the first battalion under Major W. H. Dull, Jr., and the second battalion under Major J. G. Clark.

Reports from all Captains indicate that all companies are in excellent condition, and the morale of the men is good, the Commander (Continued on page six)

Praha Optimism Faded By German Troop Movements And Halt In Peace Talks

ENDORSE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE



W. Z. MORTON

"A live Chamber of Commerce to coordinate properly the various aspects of Greenville's industrial development will take care of an important need of our city," says Mr. Morton, local tobacco warehouse proprietor.

"I heartily favor a Chamber of Commerce for Greenville. It is a valuable cooperative civic movement," declares Rev. W. A. Ryan, pastor of Eighth Street Christian church.



REV. W. A. RYAN

ARMY RETIRES ONLY 20 MILES

Concentration of Nazi Soldiers on Czechoslovakian - Austrian Frontier Declared to Have Been Increased; Sudeten German Spokesman Suddenly Leaves Praha

Praha, Czechoslovakia, May 24.—Reports of new troop movements on the German side of Czechoslovakia's southern frontier combined with interruption of the Hodza-Henlein peace talks here today to discourage such optimism as had developed after Central Europe's critical week-end.

In official quarters reports circulated that yesterday's withdrawal of German troops from the border took place only in Saxony and that they fell back only about 20 miles.

On Czechoslovakia's frontier with Austria it was said the concentration of German troops actually had increased.

The sudden departure from Praha of Konrad Henlein caused suspension of his negotiations with Premier Milan Hodza on the dangerous issue between the Sudeten German party and Czechoslovak government.

This coincided with the course the Sudeten Germans were demanding withdrawal of Czechoslovak troops mobilized over the weekend in the Sudeten district as a condition to continuation of peace talks—a condition Praha officials indicated it would be difficult to meet.

The Austro-Czech border is by far the most vulnerable section of Czechoslovakia's long frontier, for there is a wide gap in the mountain chain which forms the republic's natural defense against invasion.

Although it was officially stated conversations between Hodza and Henlein were expected to be resumed toward the end of the week, a strong undercurrent of skepticism was apparent in references of government spokesmen to this point.

Hungarian Vessel Pulled Off Shoals

Morehead City, May 24.—An unusually high tide aided the Coast Guard early today pull the Hungarian freighter Nyugat from its perilous position aground on Cape Lookout shoals.

The Chapman Wrecking company of New York also used its facilities to aid the Coast Guard in moving the ship, which left here Friday with a load of scrap iron for Genoa, Italy.

The boat had been held fast on the shoals nearly 100 hours.

Gives Results Of County TB Clinic

Figures have just been released by Dr. N. Thomas Ennett, Pitt County Health Officer, on the recent tuberculosis clinic conducted in Pitt county by Dr. G. C. Godwin, of the Extension Division of State Sanatorium. This clinic covered a two weeks' period beginning May 9th and closing May 20.

The number receiving fluoroscopic examinations by Dr. Godwin was: white 165, colored 302, total examined 367. There were 25 old (previously diagnosed) active cases, of which eight were recommended for Sanatorium treatment. There were 12 new active cases, eight of which were recommended for Sanatorium treatment. Classified as suspicious, 13, classified as child-hood type (not active) 13, number of sputum examinations 25, number of X-rays 21. Of the total 367 examined, 304 were negative.

Tuberculin tested only, white 115; colored 110. Patients visiting clinic, grand total 509. The total patients at last year's clinic was 330.

The Health Officer declared that this was the best tuberculosis clinic held in Pitt county since he became Health Officer. He attributed this success largely to the fine work of Dr. Godwin, Clinician, to the cooperation of the Pitt County physicians, to the Pitt County Welfare Department, to the newspapers, and to the volunteer motor corps of Greenville used in transporting patients.

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Death Not Requested For 16-Year-Old Slayer

Killer of Sweetheart
Escapes Possible
Execution

New York, May 24.—(AP)—Pale and solemn, 16-year-old Donald Carroll today escaped possible death in the electric chair when the State called for a "fair and just verdict, without meaning the death penalty," in connection with the slaying of his stenographer-sweetheart, Charlotte Mathiesen, 18.

Prosecutor Joseph Loscalzo, in a 12-minute opening address, told the all-male jury: "I realize you men are weighed down by sympathy and frankly I say to you that I am of the same feeling."

The mother of the slain girl, sitting with Donald's parents in the court room, wept as the prosecutor reviewed the events of the night of March 24, when he said Donald shot his sweetheart with his father's army revolver in an unfiled suicide pact "because we decided death was the only way out for both of us."

They decided on the death pact, the prosecutor said, when they discovered that Charlotte was pregnant and they were caught up in despair at their poverty and youth.

Donald drooped in his chair, leaning his head against his hands and staring at the floor as the prosecutor, after expressing sympathy, continued in a sterner voice "the people expect to prove that the defendant wilfully, feloniously and with forethought shot his sweetheart."

BLISTER RUST

The virulent blister rust disease that attacks trees is an after effect of forest fires, because the fire leaves the soil in fit condition to incubate the disease.

Brussels sprouts was sold in the markets of Belgium in 1213.

Court Hears Appeals Of Five Men Slated To Die

Raleigh, May 24.—The state Supreme court today heard oral argument in two capital cases and prepared to hear the pleas of three more doomed men tomorrow. Four of the five have been sentenced to die in the lethal gas chamber—the fifth will once more put the electric chair in use if his appeal is turned down and the Governor does not interfere.

The cases heard today were from the Tenth District. In the first, Ed Alston was appealing from a first degree murder verdict for the killing of Janie Wilkerson during an effort to perpetrate a robbery. The defendant's counsel urged that he was so drunk on the day of the crime was committed as to have been incapable of premeditation.

The second case heard today: that of Wiley Brice, Alamance Negro, who was convicted for shooting to death a Negro barber during a hold-up attempt in 1926.

An unusual feature of the case was testimony of Sheriff H. J. Stockard

that Brice admitted the killing while being taken from State's prison to court for trial, the admission being made after the sheriff had warned him he had "better talk to his lawyers, not to me." One of the exceptions of the defense was to admission of testimony about this alleged confession.

The three cases coming up tomorrow are all from Forsyth. "Buffalo" Linney's case is in Supreme court for the second time. At the Fall term his appeal from conviction for killing a white insurance collector, Herman Eagleman, was affirmed. Since then he sought a new trial on alleged "newly discovered evidence." Denied a retrial by Superior court, he has appealed again.

Melvin Petria is appealing from a first degree murder conviction for slaying Arthur Hazel, allegedly because of jealousy. The parties are negroes.

John Ernest Howie, Negro, seeks a new trial after conviction of rape for an assault upon Mrs. Margaret Wilkins.

Social and Personal

Mrs. J. B. Spilman of Raleigh, was in town today.

Mrs. O. R. Browne of Raleigh, Mrs. Lincoln Lesh of Muncie, Ind., and Miss Marie Sine of Chicago, Ill., are house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen H. Taft.

Miss Jewel Cozart has returned from New Bern where she visited Miss Virginia Ellis. Miss Ellis accompanied her home for a few days' visit.

Mrs. V. C. Carson has returned from a visit to Richmond, Va., Washington, D. C., and Baltimore, Md.

Miss Carlotta Waters of Washington, spent Saturday in town.

Miss Elizabeth Ferguson spent the week-end here with relatives.

What Is The Memorial Poppy?

The memorial poppy is a replica of the poppies which grew on the battlefields of France and Belgium during the World War.

Undergoes Operation.

Miss Jane Elizabeth Moore of Bethel, student at East Carolina Teachers College, underwent an appendectomy in Pitt General Hospital yesterday.

Winterville Alumnae of E. C. T. C.

The Winterville Chapter of E. C. T. C. Alumnae Association will hold its regular monthly meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock in the High School Home Economic building.

Golf Team Goes to Kinston.

The Greenville Golf Team will go to Kinston tomorrow, Wednesday, to take part in a golf tournament. Luncheon will be served in the club house at one o'clock.

Inter-Denominational Day.

The Free Will Holiness Church of Black Jack will sponsor an "Inter-Denominational Day" on Sunday, May 29th, featuring by an all-day service starting at 10 o'clock and a basket spread.

Preachers of various denominations will conduct the services through the day. Everyone is invited to attend and bring a basket.

Thrift Shop Closes for Summer

The Thrift Shop will close for the summer on Saturday, May 28th. Any one having articles to contribute will please do so this week so that they may be stored through the summer. The shop will reopen on Monday, October 3rd, 1938.

Commemoration Service.

A special Aldersgate commemoration service will be held tonight at 8 o'clock at Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church. Two hundred years ago, May 24, 1738, at a quarter before nine, John Wesley's heart was "strangely warmed," with his now well-known experience. The first Methodist hymn ever written or sung, was sung two hundred years ago tonight.

All members and friends of Methodism are invited and urged to be present at the service tonight at 8 o'clock.

Birth Announcement.

Mr. and Mrs. David B. Crosland announce the birth of a son, William Edward, on Friday, May 13th, 1938, Charlotte, North Carolina.

Prior to her marriage, Mrs. Crosland was the former Miss Mary Lou White, daughter of Mrs. J. B. White of this city.

Mrs. Moye and Miss Hooker Honored

Honoring Mrs. Howard Moye, recent bride, and Miss Alice Lee Hooker, June bride-elect, Miss Jesse Moye and Mrs. George Forbes Hadley entertained at bridge on Monday afternoon.

Receiving with the hostesses were Mrs. Howard Moye, Miss Alice Lee Hooker, Mrs. Travis Hooker, Miss Jessie MacMullen of Edenton, Mesdames Robert MacKenzie and John Havens Moss, and Miss Isabel Warren of Washington, N. C.

Larkspur, sweetpeas and roses in pastel colors were artistically arranged in the living rooms and sun room. High score prize, a string of amber beads, was won by Mrs. Tyne Wagner. Gifts of silver were presented to the honorees and to Mesdames John Barret and James Howard, recent brides. Gifts were also presented to Mrs. Bernard Joyner, a recent bride, and Miss Ruth Horne, bride-elect, Miss MacMullen, Miss Warren and Mesdames MacKenzie and Moss.

A tempting salad course was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Honored.

On Wednesday night last, Mr. and Mrs. Reid Perkins graciously entertained in their home on the Ayden highway at a buffet supper for Mr. and Mrs. James Howard, a recently wed couple. Only close friends of the young couple were present.

As they arrived, the guests were greeted by Mr. and Mrs. Perkins. Mrs. Howard was presented a corsage by the hostess. A red and white color scheme was carried out in the home, particularly in the decorations in the dining room. Here the table was covered with a lovely Italian cutwork cloth and centered with a crystal bowl of red roses and baby breath, flanked by burning white tapers. Mrs. Foster Young and Miss Rose Hadley, seated at either end of the table, served a buffet supper. They were assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Perkins. Following the supper the honor guests were showered with handkerchiefs in the form of a wedding bouquet. Several games were enjoyed during the evening. The host and hostess presented Mr. and Mrs. Howard with silver; and Miss Ruth Horne, bride-elect, and Mrs. Bernard Joyner, a recent bride, were given crystal compotes.

Social Calendar

TUESDAY

7:30 p. m.—The Withla Council degree of Pocahontas will hold its regular meeting.

WEDNESDAY

3:30 p. m.—The Garden Club will meet with Mrs. M. L. Wright at her home on East Fourth street.

7:30 p. m.—The Presbyterian Choir will meet at the church for practice.

8:00 p. m.—Miss Eva Hodges will present her Junior High and younger pupils in a piano recital in the auditorium of the Third street school.

8:00 p. m.—The Methodist choir will meet for its regular weekly practice.

THURSDAY

3:00 p. m.—Mrs. C. W. Bynum and Mrs. R. A. Tyson will entertain at bridge in honor of Miss Ruth Horne, at the home of Mrs. Bynum on Third street.

7:30 p. m.—The Memorial Baptist choir will meet for practice.

8:30 p. m.—Mrs. C. W. Bynum and Mrs. R. A. Tyson will entertain at the home of Mrs. Bynum on Third street.

8:30 p. m.—Miss Namol Gaskins will entertain at bridge in honor of Misses Ruth Horne and Mildred Herring, bride-elect of June.

FRIDAY

3:00 p. m.—Miss Pearl Lautares will entertain for Miss Ruth Horne.

8:00 p. m.—Miss Eva Hodges will present her Senior High pupils in a piano recital in the auditorium of the Third street school.

SATURDAY

10:30 a. m.—Mrs. W. L. Whedbee will entertain at a bridge luncheon in honor of Mrs. Bernard B. Joyner, a recent bride, and Miss Ruth Horne, bride-elect of June.

Christian Science Church.

"Soul and Body" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science Churches and Societies on Sunday, May 22, 1938.

The Golden Text was from Psalms 42:11. "Why art thou cast down, O my soul? and why art thou disquieted within me? hope thou in God: for I shall yet praise him, who is the health of my countenance, and my God."

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "What man is he that feareth the Lord? him shall he teach in the way that he shall choose. His soul shall dwell at ease; and his seed shall inherit the earth." (Psalms 25: 12a13).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy. "As astronomy reverses the human perception of the movements of the solar system, so Christian Science reverses the seeming relation of Soul and Body and makes body tributary to Mind. Thus it is with man, who is but the humble servant of the restful Mind, though it seems otherwise to finite sense. But we shall never understand this while we admit that soul is in body or mind in matter, and that man is included in non-intelligence. Soul, or Spirit, is God, unchangeable and eternal; and man coexists with and reflects Soul, God, for man is God's image." (Page 119).

What Is Poppy Day?

Poppy Day is a day observed throughout the United States by wearing memorial poppies in honor of the World War dead. It will be observed this year on May 28th, the Saturday before Memorial Day.

Poppy Day Saturday.

Enthusiastic response to the American Legion Auxiliary's call for volunteers to distribute poppies on Poppy Day, May 28, is reported by Mrs. W. R. Jones, president of Post No. 39 Unit. Mrs. Jones estimated that the Auxiliary will have a large number of volunteer workers distributing the little red memorial flowers throughout the city on Poppy Day.

While the majority of workers will be members of the American Legion Auxiliary, many volunteers are coming from the girls and boys of the city.

"The response to the Poppy Day call reminds me of the World War days," Mrs. Jones said. "Now as then, the women of the Auxiliary, and even other groups, are eager to serve in this patriotic work. They realize that the wearing of the memorial poppy brings memories of those who believed that life itself was not too much to give for America and rekindles that spirit of patriotism for peace-time service. They realize, too, the great good accomplished by the poppy funds for the welfare of disabled veterans and dependent families.

"The Auxiliary is very grateful to all those who have volunteered to help us distribute poppies. We know that hard work and personal sacrifices will be required of them. We

MODES of the MOMENT.

By Adelaide Kerr



HYACINTH HAT—Pale pink and blue hyacinths make a flowery halo on this trim little black straw toque which Sally Victor designs for spring afternoon and evenings. A pair of black lacquered wings is perched in front.

are sure that the public will recognize their unselfish service when they appear on the streets on Poppy Day and will respond to them in the same spirit that their service is given.

Peace Action

Four salient factors concerning the cause and cure of war are being recognized throughout the world:

First: The greatest war danger in the world today is the old generation. Modern youth is permeated both with the tragedy and the futility of war as the youth of no other age has been. Youth wants no historic reasons for war. It wants to forget the past. It wants to live.

Second: There is a fundamental outgrowing of war; a sign that war psychology is receding. International peace leaders... are convinced that if the nations of Europe and Asia can be kept from embroilment in war for a single decade there is hope that the world will never see another war again.

Third: Wars are economic. Their aim is acquisition. Political peace among nations today cannot be separated from international economic readjustment. World harmony can only be reared upon a foundation of material security and social peace in each country.

Fourth: With open eyes people cannot be made to go into war. The tradition of peace must therefore be inculcated in the child. The child's religion, his play, study, sport, must be freed from the military spirit. For two thousand years and longer the male youth of the world has been guided by the motto of ancient Roman conquerors, *si vis pacem, para bellum*; "if you want peace prepare for war."

For the youth of today this motto must be changed to read: IF YOU WANT PEACE, PREPARE FOR PEACE.

—From "The Peoples Want Peace" by Elias Tobenkin, in Sheppard Memorial Library.

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Don't give us any fusion at the State Convention.

The Democratic State Convention meets in Raleigh Thursday.

Hope Fire Company had a practice with the engine Monday evening and had a stream going in pretty good time.

Mrs. J. S. Tunstall is closing out her entire stock of millinery at prime cost—give her a call.

The recent torridity may be taken by our soldier boys as a gentle hint of the warm work that may be ahead of them.

Attempt To Break Jail

Monday night the prisoners in the county jail attempted to make their escape and came very near being successful. Private night watchman, R. M. Kennedy, while making his rounds, heard the prisoners dancing and singing in the jail. They kept this up until such a late hour that Mr. Kennedy's suspicions were aroused and about one o'clock he went to the building under the sounds of singing and dancing. He heard the clink of tools on the brick walls. He got some parties to stand guard while he went to inform the sheriff what was going on. When the jail was opened it was found that all the prisoners were out of the cells and they had cut a hole three bricks thick entirely through the outer wall in the northwest corner of the building, and it would have taken but a little while longer before the hole would have been large enough for them to crawl through.

It is thought that while Jailer W. P. Ormond was giving supper to the prisoners one key was slipped off his bunch with which they unlocked the cells. One of his keys is missing and that is the only explanation possible. Sheriff Harrington tried to get the prisoners to give up the key but they claimed to have no knowledge of it.

REPENTANCE TOPIC OF REV. J. L. LANE

(Continued from page one)

tions might be had from prison records. Then, there is no other similar case in all Bible record.

surely such another unusual conversion would have found record space. There is little here to encourage deathbed repentance, but much to show God's willingness to save the worst. His power and love and mercy to save the worst."

In the next place Rev. Lane mentioned some unfavorable conditions that may surround the deathbed of every one of us. First, "Your condition may preclude serious thought. Seldom does one stand by the side of a dying man and say, 'This is a good time for him to become a Christian.' God only saves those who can choose Him. There will be no slaves in Heaven. One need not fear that God will take advantage of his disability and force him where he would not choose to be."

The speaker pointed out next that most of us die unexpectedly. Nine out of ten deaths are unexpected. Such a condition makes repentance impossible. Again, deathbed repentance is usually not genuine. Chas. H. Spurgeon, great preacher of England, says that only two in all his experience were genuine, and he prayed by more sick beds than any man of his day.

In the last place, Rev. Lane challenged the instinct of fair-play that man possesses. "If I knew my deathbed repentance would be genuine, would I want it?" asked he. "It isn't fair to burn the candle up and then snub the ashes in God's face. Such repentance is a great risk. 'One was saved upon the cross that none might despair, and only one, that none might presume.'"

Services continue throughout this week, until Friday evening. Day services each morning through Friday at 8 a. m. These services are being well attended, and close promptly at 8:30.

LAUTARES' WE GUARANTEE WATCH REPAIRING—JEWELRY REPAIRING Engraving—Reasonable Price

JUDGE DARDEN ENDS SESSION

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Following a wreck, Roberts was acquitted and Hart was found guilty, given a 90-day sentence, suspended upon payment of court costs and \$75 to Roberts for property damage.

Letmie Everett pleaded guilty to drunkenness and was given a 30-day sentence, suspended upon payment of the costs.

John Tyson, also charged with drunkenness, was given a 30-day sentence, suspended upon payment of the costs.

J. D. Moore, Negro, was bound over to Superior court under bond of \$250 on a bastardy charge.

Francis Dixon pleaded guilty to a charge of being drunk and using profane language and paid the costs of court.

Jack Smith was given a 30-day sentence, suspended upon payment of the costs, after having pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of James E. Nelson, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said de-

ceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Greenville, N. C., on or before the 24th day of May, 1938, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 23rd day of May, 1938. S. G. WILKERSON, Administrator of James E. Nelson, deceased.

James L. Evans, Atty. May 23-11w-6wk.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

North Carolina—Pitt County. J. W. Hammond, having this day qualified as Administrator of the estate of Mrs. Maggie Hammond, late of Greenville, N. C., notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate settlement with the undersigned Administrator.

All persons holding claims against said estate are hereby required to file their said claims, itemized and duly verified with the undersigned Administrator at New Bern, N. C., on or before twelve months from the date hereof, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery of said claims.

This 6th day of May, 1938. J. W. HAMMOND, Administrator Estate Mrs. Maggie Hammond. May 6-11w-4wk.

Dress Up For SURF and SUN In a Catalina Swim Suit

"Styled for the Stars of Hollywood"

Dressing up for the beach is fashion's newest pastime! Young, gay, colorful... see these important sun fashions at BRODY'S.

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Wear white with splashes of color, as pictured... try the heavenly new pastels. Also styles in cool dark colors for town. You'll find them all in the new Nelly Dons of Nelda Crepe... the fine washable crepe woven of Enka Rayon. Just Try One On!

Blount Harvey

VISIT OUR TEA ROOM

216 Infants Born In N. C. Each Day

Raleigh, May 24.—Nine times every hour, day and night, some doctor or nurse in North Carolina says: "It's a boy or 'it's a girl'."

Each day there are 216 additions to the Tar Heel family, according to the State Board of Health's vital statistics for the first four months of 1938.

There are approximately four deaths each hour in the State, or one every fifteen minutes, one is killed in a preventable accident about every eight hours, while some one succumbs to cancer every five hours.

Each day sees an average of more than one suicide, according to the average for the past four months.

Each day the number of homicides

is one and a fraction and one victim of syphilis dies.

Almost 140,000 persons were not sure of their age and asked the Census Bureau to supply proof during 1937. A majority of these persons were seeking to qualify for various forms of old age pensions and were unable to secure the necessary proof of age locally.

The Census Bureau has found it necessary to utilize the most modern equipment to meet the demands of the people for this essential information. First, a mammoth card file, one of the largest in the world, was set up containing the names and ages of all persons reported in the Census of 1930. Then, specially-built micro-film equipment was installed to photograph the old Census records which would otherwise be destroyed by constant handling.

CLAIMS GOALS LARGE ENOUGH

Will Provide Abundance of Soil Depleting Crops

Raleigh, May 24.—Acreage goals for soil-depleting crops under the 1938 AAA program are large enough to provide an abundance of these crops for American needs, for export, and for carry-over, E. Y. Floyd, AAA executive officer at State College, said today.

Last year, he continued, farmers led manufacturers and all other producers of the Nation in producing a super-abundance. With the help of fine weather, farmers' production of 53 leading crops was the highest on record.

The 1937 cotton crop was the largest in history, the wheat crop was the largest since 1931, and the corn crop the largest since 1932. The 1937 flue-cured tobacco crop in North Carolina was the largest ever produced, while the total flue-cured crop was the largest since 1920 except for the year 1930.

When allotments for the seven major soil-depleting crops were established, the AAA set the acreage figure at a point that should provide an abundance this year, Floyd continued, with adequate reserves of crops that can be stored.

If the acreage were increased, another year of surplus production would be ahead and farmers would be faced with the danger of serious losses due to low prices.

The way to increase farm income is not to increase the acreage of cotton and tobacco, Floyd went on, but to increase the production of other commodities, including poultry, swine, and livestock, and to produce on the home farm as much as possible of the things needed for home consumption.

DUKE UNIVERSITY WOMEN LEADERS FOR 1938-1939



Student activities at Woman's college, Duke university, during the university's centennial year, 1938-39, will be led by these attractive students, recently elected to leading campus offices. Left to right, top row: Jane Kelley, Atlanta, Ga., president of sorority Pan-Hellenic council; Betty Jane Marshall, Hendersonville, co-ed editor of the Chronicle, student newspaper; Dorothy Creery, Philadelphia, Pa., co-ed business manager of the Chanticleer, yearbook; Francis Brooks, Warsaw, president of the senior class; Kathryn Margolis, Passaic, N. J., co-ed editor of the Archive, literary monthly; Virginia Welsch, Montrose, N. Y., co-ed business manager of the Archive.

Middle row: Janet Rettew, Harrisburg, Pa., chairman of social standards committee; Lucille Burgess, Summit, N. J., president of Y. W. C. A.; Jean Ord, McKeesport, Pa., president of Music Study club; Maxine Chambers, Okmulgee, Okla., co-ed editor of Duke 'n' Duchess, humor monthly; Beatrice Abernethy, Durham, president of Town Girls' club; Mildred Morehead, of Pelham Manor, N. Y., president of Sandals, sophomore honor society.

Bottom row: Frances Briggs, of Durham, president of Women's Athletic association; Jeanne Murphy, Upper Darby, Pa., co-ed business manager of Chronicle; Betty Jean Brown, Blanchester, O., president of student government; Mary Eleanor Krummel, Durham, president of glee club; Helen Knight, of Durham, co-ed business manager of Duke 'n' Duchess; Jeanette Bagwell of Raleigh, co-editor of the Chanticleer.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
State of North Carolina,
County of Pitt.
In The Superior Court.
Benj. T. Crump Company, Inc.,
and Others,
-vs.-
Quality Electric Company, Inc.
To the creditors of Quality Electric Company, Inc., of Greenville, North Carolina:
YOU WILL TAKE NOTICE That in the above entitled action pending in the Superior Court of Pitt County the undersigned appointed Receivers on the 7th day of May, 1938, and pursuant to the terms of said order all creditors are required to prove and file their claims with the undersigned Receivers at Greenville, North Carolina, on or before noon of the 7th day of August, 1938, upon penalty of their failure to so prove and file their claims to be hereafter forever barred from participation in the distribution of the assets of said corporation.

This 9th day of May, 1938.
J. H. HARRELL and GEORGE BLOUNT, Receivers of Quality Electric Company, Inc., Greenville, North Carolina.
May 11-1tw-4wk.

the undersigned as commissioners by that order entered in that certain Special Proceeding No. 3806 pending in the Superior Court of Pitt County entitled Hugh Chapman et al., vs. John R. Gardner, John Chapman, et al., the undersigned will on Monday, June 13, 1938, at the Courthouse door at twelve o'clock, noon, offer for sale in Greenville, to the highest bidder for cash the following described tracts of land:

One tract known as Lot No. 3 in the division of the Allan Mewborn land, beginning at a stake in Joseph Bland's line, a corner of Lot No. 2, and running N. 107-8 W. 150 poles to a stake in S. W. Roache's line, another corner of Lot No. 2; thence with said Roache's line S. 74-1-2 W. 131-6 poles to a stake, a corner of Lot No. 4; thence S. 107-8 E. 152 poles to a stake in the Joseph Bland line; a corner of Lot No. 5; thence with said Bland line N. 65-34 E. 13-3-4 poles to the beginning, containing 121-8 acres, more or less.

Lying and being in the aforesaid County and State, and beginning in the road in Allen Mewborn's line, running S. 13 E. 40 poles to a stake; thence N. 60 E. 17 poles to a stake; thence N. 13 W. 43 poles to the road; thence with the road to the beginning, containing 33-4 acres, more or less.

One other tract known as Lot No. 7 in the said division, beginning at a stake, corner of Lot No. 6 and running N. 107-8 W. 401-2 poles to a stake; another corner of Lot No. 6 in Slade Chapman's line; thence with Chapman's line S. 74-1-4 W. 16 poles to a stake, corner of Lot No. 8; thence S. 107-8 E. corner of Lot No. 8; thence N. 68-1-2 poles to the beginning, containing 43-8 acres, more or less, and further described in X-13, page 124.

The highest bidder at said sale will be required to make a ten percent deposit pending confirmation of this Court, as required by law.

This May 12, 1938.
S. J. EVERETT,
J. H. HARRELL,
Commissioners.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of I. E. Jenkins, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at her home on or before the 8th day of May, 1939, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 6th day of May, 1938.
MRS. STELLA JENKINS,
Administratrix of the Estate of I. E. Jenkins, Grifton, N. C.
Julius Brown, Atty.
May 6-1tw-6wk.

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE
By virtue of authority vested in May 12-1tw-4wk.

You Are Invited to Attend a Lecture

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You will not be asked to buy anything. This lecture is given in the interest of correct home decoration and correct color harmony in the home.

How's Your Health?

Edited for the New York Academy of Medicine
By Iago Galdston, M.D.

The Bunion Bother

We count bunions as one of the more important of the minor but crippling disorders of the foot.

A bunion is a chronic swelling thickening and enlargement of the membrane surrounding the joint of the big toe at its connection to the foot. In addition to the membrane, the cartilaginous and bony structures of the joint may be involved.

While bunions commonly affect the big toe, bunion formations may occur over the other toe joints.

Bunions are usually caused by ill-fitting shoes which push the great toe in the direction of the other toes. In certain cases, the bunion is painless and merely disfiguring. At other times the sufferer may complain of pain so severe as to make walking difficult or impossible.

Bunions are likely to become infected, and the infections may involve the structures of the joint, including the bone.

It helps prevent bunions to wear suitable shoes—shoes that allow enough room for the proper spread of the toes when the weight of the body rests on the foot.

Special care should be taken to see that children's shoes are roomy and well-fitting. Many a bunion can be traced to ill-fitting footwear (including socks and stockings) worn during childhood.

Once developed, bunions seldom disappear spontaneously. But the wearing of "hygienic shoes" frequently helps arrest the process.

When the bunion is painful, hot-foot bath often gives temporary relief.

At the point where the bunion is most prominent, there is often found a thickening of the skin, or "callosity." The removal of this callosity also will yield temporary relief from pain. The amateur surgeon who undertakes to remove his own callosities should do so with great care and conservatism.

Soak the foot in warm water to soften the skin, and sterilize the area with tincture of iodine both before and after the "operation."

Persons who have diabetes or arteriosclerosis should not tamper with their feet in any way whatsoever. They should leave all treatment to experts.

Temporary relief from pain also may be gained by covering the bunion with adhesive plaster in which a hole the size of the painful area has been cut.

MOUNTAIN SHEEP FAST DISAPPEARING

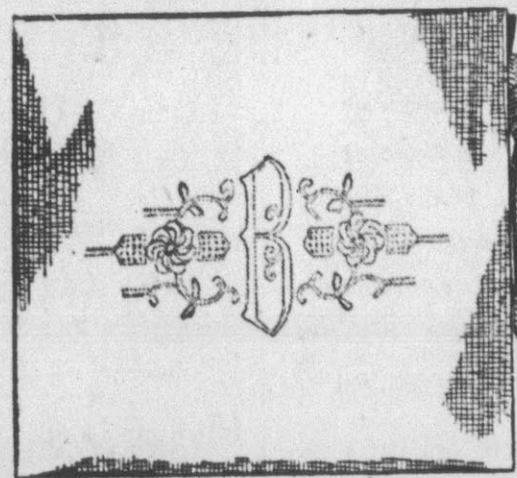
Longmont, Colo. (AP) — When rangers of Rocky Mountain national park discovered a large Rocky Mountain big horn ram ill on a high mountain cliff they hurriedly summoned an ambulance, then carried the ram down the mountain.

When the ambulance arrived the ram was rushed to the park stock farm but no veterinarians were available so physicians were summoned. The ram died soon after they arrived.

Rangers said they made desperate efforts to save the ram because they hoped to learn something about the cause of disease that is killing many big horn sheep. In the last ten years the death rate has been extremely high and not more than 150 sheep survive. Rangers fear the park flock may become extinct.

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things all along, but haven't been making much noise about it.

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The service our products give is just as important as the service rendered by our dealers. Amoco-Gas, the original special motor fuel, has been rendering a service per dollar that has never been equalled by any other motor fuel or gasoline. Orange American Gas has set a new measure of service for regular gasolines.

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Washington Daybook
By Preston Grover

Washington—And another thing, this James Aloysius Farley isn't chucked up here as being so inept politically as he appeared to some in picking one wrong horse in the Pennsylvania primary.

It is true that Jim Farley has a thick political hide, but his skill is quite another thing.

Farley said he would like the Democratic voters of Pennsylvania to nominate Governor Earle for the Senate and then step into another party faction and nominate CIO's Kennedy for governor. It was a last minute notification of how the national chairman thought things ought to be, and report here has it that Farley took the step after many, many moments of thinking over what to do.

It turned out that Earle was nominated and Kennedy was beaten and the hue and cry arose that Farley had lost the magic touch by which he had been able to forecast that all but Maine and Vermont would vote for Roosevelt in 1936.

But a report here has it that Farley was not devoted to picking winners, nor even in supporting an out-and-out labor candidate against one less out-and-out. Farley is reputed here to be just average concerned about national policies and if the party goes a bit conservative or a bit liberal it is mostly all right with him so long as he can keep the party in power. About keeping the party peaceful and in power he is very much concerned.

Mr. Farley, as he himself indicated, picked Kennedy for public support on one side and Earle on the other because it would help to heal the breach within the party in Pennsylvania.

It May Help Later

It could be kept in mind that John L. Lewis, head man in CIO was not especially mad at Earle, who had sided with him in the steel strikes, even if he was on the other party team. But Lewis was all for Kennedy, which Farley knew so by giving Kennedy a lift, even late in the campaign. Farley helped to soothe the bitterness which could have grown up in CIO ranks if no help had come from Washington. Moreover, the help extended in Pennsylvania would be remembered in other states where CIO can be useful.

A disrupted party in Pennsylvania means danger in 1940 and any one with half an eye on things in Washington can discover that Mr. Farley is far more concerned about keeping the party together in 1940 than with what happens to a scattered handful of congressmen in 1938.

Mending breaches (Great Scott! what a daisy) is Farley's specialty and the day after the primary he was actively at work at it. Lewis and his Pennsylvania ally, Senator Guffey, had some dull hours together during a late afternoon following their defeat in the primary but there was no sulking in the tent for Farley. He sort of tested himself publicly about sticking his neck out by "picking" Kennedy but immediately assured the winning candidates that they would have full support of the national committee to beat the Republicans.

If Postman Doesn't Ring

Farley has had to heal breaches before and the prospects are that before the year is out he will have to try to heal several more as the primary fights come along.

His first job as national chairman in 1932 was to heal the breach growing out of the "Stop Roosevelt" movement in the national convention—and he did it.

It was not such tough going in the days of 1932 because the depression had dimmed Republican hopes to such an extent that some commentators suspected the Democrats could have elected a Moro, although that may be reaching a long way out.

But now the depression is on the other foot and if once in a while the mail doesn't come through on time it could be kept in mind that Postmaster General National Chairman Farley something to do besides carry letters.

SHORT SHOTS
By HENRY AVERILL

Raleigh, May 24—There have been noticed recently at least five signs which show that the primary campaign is entering its last phase, to wit:

(1) Frank Hancock's challenge to "Our Bob" Reynolds for a joint debate. No primary is official until some candidate has done this and it has been refused by the other.

(2) William O. Burgin's suggestion that the Eighth District Congressional nomination go, without runoff, to the candidate high in the first primary on June 4. Another old standby in cases where there are more than two candidates.

(3) Announcement that Troy Barnes, of Wilson, has prepared a number of phonographic recordings of speeches and plans to distribute them through the Second district. Stories of electioneering novelties grow like mushrooms in the last week or so of every campaign.

(4) Full page, or large fractional parts thereof, advertisements "Paid for by Friends of Aloysius X. Zilch, candidate for Dogcatcher." Why doesn't some candidate gain everlasting fame by admitting men he suggests and pays for these things?

(5)—Wild and extravagant claims to all the votes in sight, as for instance Pierce Fucker's action is conceding (and grudgingly and tentatively at that) only Granville to Frank Hancock. Nobody but James A. Farley can do this and not prove himself a liar by the clock.

Some months ago this correspondent wrote a story to the effect that Revenue Commissioner A. J. Maxwell and Attorney General A. F. Seaver had spotted records of never having lost a tax case.

In a Washington, D. C. paper of Sunday, appeared a story (served by the energetic United Press) telling how Justice A. F. Seaver, while A. G., never lost a tax case.

In 1932, carefully and painstakingly gathered statistics reveal, there was one automobile accident death for every 7,976.725 miles of motor vehicle travel. In 1936, according to the same source, this had been reduced to one automobile accident death for every 7,036,507 miles traveled.

On that showing (either of them) we feel perfectly safe. We'll never travel that far anyway.

North Carolina hydro-electric plants produced 1,671,520,000 kilowatt-hours of electric power last year, while steam plants were putting out 414,454,000 according to figures released by the Federal Power Commission.

And if the F.P.C. would just lay off that Tuckertown project the Tar Heel generators might do even better than that.

There is one phase of the Battle of the Yackin, however, which seems to be generally overlooked. It is almost invariably written that the Power Commission "blocked" the proposed project of the North Carolina Aluminum Corporation.

As a matter of fact the Commission has never done any such thing. It found "as a fact" (though nobody in North Carolina believes it) that the plant would affect "navigation" of the Yackin in its lower reaches and therefore, that the Aluminum people would have to get a Federal License.

This the Company hasn't even tried to get.

This bureau is informed that while headquarters for Robert R. Reynolds were open in the Sir Walter during the Democratic state convention a total of 1,634 visitors took the trouble to register.

The Utility Commissioner's race seems to be gathering momentum. Paul D. Grady has made a speech over the radio in Charlotte and again in Asheville. Commissioner Stanley Winborne will probably make his first formal campaign address in Charlotte tonight.

Winner in Oregon



Henry L. Hess (above), who claimed New Deal and labor support, won over Governor Charles H. Martin for the Democratic nomination for governor of Oregon. The contest was reported to have been one of the most spectacular in the political history of Oregon.

STEEL BULLDOGS OF WAR REPLACE HORSES



These tanks are some of the bulldogs of war that have replaced horses in the Seventh Cavalry brigade, the Army's largest mechanized unit. The picture was made at Cookeville, Tenn., where one column of the brigade encamped en route to Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., from Fort Knox, Ky.

Daily Cross Word Puzzle

ACROSS

1. Strikes a tennis ball high into the air

5. Pertaining to a point of the earth's axis

10. Arguments in favor of

14. Malayana melody characterized by a desire to kill

15. Harden

16. Shell bark

17. Sort

19. More

20. Frequently

21. Exist

22. City in France

23. Low

24. Period of light

25. Italian actress

27. Release on honor

28. Asserts

29. Evidencing

30. Verifier

32. Propellers for a small boat

33. Ridges of glacial drift

34. Broad street

35. Light helmets

42. At an inner point

43. One of an ancient race

47. Former spelling of nut

48. Lift

DOWN

1. Genus of the olive tree

13. Nimble colloquialisms

14. Threads in a loom

20. Blast on a whistle

26. American Indian

27. Book of psalms

28. Constellation

29. Baby carriage

30. Metal fastener

31. Kind of balsam

32. Artless

33. Sea eagles

37. Bobbin

41. Windflowers

42. English counties

43. Regret profoundly

44. Old musical note

45. Final of a spire

46. Made certain

47. Singing voice

48. Tradition

49. Secret language of a class

50. Unseal; poetic

51. Court order

52. Operative solo

53. Male deer

54. Anglo-Saxon slave

55. Allow

56. Poem

57. Compass point

TRY A DAILY REFLECTOR WANT AD

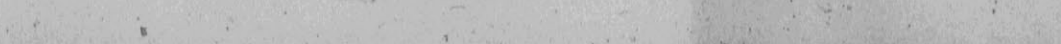
BLONDIE



THIMBLE THEATRE (Starring Popeye)



Now Showing: "Alone at Last"



on April 16, 1938, in the Chicod School District, and do hereby pass upon said returns and judicially determine the result of said special election to be as follows:

Number of registered voters qualified to vote—227.

Number of voters voting for the levy and collection of a tax of ten cents on the One Hundred Dollars' assessed valuation of all taxable property in said district—204.

Number of voters voting against the levy and collection of said tax—4.

Said Board of County Commissioners of Pitt County, upon the returns filed with said board, have judicially determined the result of said special election and do hereby declare that the proposition, "For the levy and collection of a tax of ten cents on the one hundred dollars' assessed valuation of all taxable property in said district," is carried by a majority of 181 votes.

B. M. LEWIS, Chairman of Board of County Commissioners of Pitt County.

Attest:
J. C. Gaskins, Clerk.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in that mortgage from P. A. Wayne, of record in Pitt County Registry in Book M-17, page 117, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness therein secured, the UNDERSIGNED, ED, will offer for sale, and sell to the highest bidder, for cash, before the court house door in Greenville, AT NOON (12:00 o'clock) on Monday, the 6th day of June, 1938 the following described lands:

A tract of land situate and being in Swift Creek Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of J. L. Wooten (known as the Guilford Cox land), the Jim Hardy lands, and others, and known as the P. A. Wayne home place, and being the same land purchased by P. A. Wayne from Harry Skinner and others, Commissioners, containing 250 acres, more or less.

This the 4th day of May, 1938.

EMMA WOOD, Mortgagee.

Vanceboro, N. C.

Arthur B. Corey, Atty.

May 4-11w-4wk.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the authority contained in Section 3435 of the Consolidated Statutes, default having been made in the payment for certain repairs, the undersigned will offer for sale, and sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the place of business of the undersigned in Winterville, at 12:00 o'clock Noon, on Thursday, June 2, 1938 the following personal property: One 1929 Chevrolet Coach, Motor No. 1184962, Serial No. 9AC-81431. This the 18th day of May, 1938.

Stafford and Vincent Garage, Lenior.

May 17-11w-2wk.

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF ELECTION HELD ON APRIL 16, 1938, IN CHICOD SCHOOL DISTRICT

The Board of County Commissioners of Pitt County, in regular session held at the courthouse in Greenville, North Carolina, on the 2nd day of May, 1938, canvassed the returns of the special election held

Attest:
J. F. HARRINGTON, Clerk Superior Court.

May 19-11w-4wk.

How Mastoiditis May Be Incurred

(By C. W. Bynum, Bissette's Drug Store)

Practically all abscesses of the ear are secondary to infection of the nose or throat, which usually follows either a "cold," or the acute infectious diseases such as scarlet fever or measles.

The common cold is the usual precursor, and obviously the best way to prevent ear abscesses is to avoid taking cold. Keeping free of the common cold eliminates ninety percent of abscessed ears and possible mastoiditis.

Simple rules of health may be obtained by regularly consulting a physician who is interested in keeping his patients well. The "common cold" is not inevitable. Avoid colds and thus keep free from the dangers that follow them.

Patronize a responsible pharmacist when you have a prescription to be filled. It is your best insurance for health.

(This is the ninth of a series of Editorial Advertisements appearing in this paper each Tuesday).

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Sarah E. Pollard, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at her home on or before the 8th day of May, 1938, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 6th day of May, 1938.

JOSEPHINE POLLARD, Administratrix of the Estate of Sarah E. Pollard.

R. F. D., Vanceboro, N. C.

Julius Brown, Atty.

May 8-11w-6wk.

NOTICE

North Carolina—County of Pitt. In The Superior Court.

Eunice Brazell

-vs.-

Troy W. Brazell

The defendant, Troy W. Brazell, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been started in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, to have the marriage between the said Eunice Brazell and Troy W. Brazell annulled, and the defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the Court House in Greenville, North Carolina, within 30 days from July 4th, 1938, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

This the 7th day of May, 1938.

E. F. TUCKER, Asst. C.S.C.

May 7-11w-4wk.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of W. B. Brown, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to Harry M. Brown, Attorney, at Greenville, N. C., on or before the 28th day of April, 1939, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 28th day of April, 1938.

BESSIE R. BROWN, Administratrix of the Estate of W. B. Brown, Deceased.

Apr. 28-11w-6wk.

Candidates' Cards

CANDIDATE FOR TREASURER

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Treasurer of Pitt County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary of June 4.

Vote for

AMOS O. CLARK.

ANNOUNCEMENT!

I announce my candidacy for the House of Representatives in the next General Assembly. Subject to the Democratic Primary on June 4th. Your vote and support will be appreciated.

H. H. DUNCAN.

Apr. 2-eod-1f.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER FROM THE WINTERVILLE AND CHICOD DISTRICT

I am candidate for re-election for county commissioner from the Fourth District subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, June 4th. Your continued support and vote will be appreciated.

24-1f

ROY T. COX.

TO THE VOTERS OF PITT COUNTY

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election for the office of Sheriff of Pitt County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held June 4, 1938. Your support and vote will be appreciated.

S. A. WHITEHURST.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER OF FIFTH DISTRICT

I hereby announce my candidacy for County Commissioner from the Fifth District, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held June 4th. Will appreciate your vote and support.

W. O. JOLLY.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER FOR FIFTH DISTRICT

I hereby announce my candidacy for county commissioner from the Fifth District, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held on June the fourth.

Your vote and support will be greatly appreciated.

CLAUDE HARDEE.

May 12-10f.

ANNOUNCEMENT!

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the House of Representatives in the next General Assembly, subject to the Democratic primary in June. Your vote and support will be appreciated.

J. S. MOORE

Mar. 26-Sat-Tue-1f.

ANNOUNCEMENT FOR COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce my candidacy for County Commissioner from the Fourth District (Chicod and Winterville Townships), subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

If nominated and elected, I will fill the office to the best of my ability. Your vote and support will be appreciated.

G. S. PORTER.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER FROM GREENVILLE TOWNSHIP (First District)

I hereby announce my candidacy for County Commissioner for Pitt County from Greenville Township, District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic Voters in the Primary June 4th.

Your support and vote will be greatly appreciated.

J. NOAH WILLIAMS.

By CHIC YOUNG



By E. C. SEGAR



Greenies Best Tarboro, 3-1, In Abbreviated Game Here

RAIN BLOCKS TILT IN SIXTH

Don King Hurls Victory for Joyner's Locals

The Greenies took a five-inning game from the league-leading Tarboro Serpents yesterday afternoon, 3-1, before rain halted the contest in the first half of the sixth inning with two men out, one on base and one run scored.

The run scored in the sixth did not count, however, as the sixth inning was not completed and the only run the Serpents got credit for was a homer by Myers in the fifth, which evened things up with

Tuesday—Snow Hill at Greenville.
Wednesday—Greenville at Snow Hill.
Thursday—New Bern at Greenville.
Friday—Greenville at New Bern.
Saturday—Snow Hill at Greenville.

the ones the Greenies scored in the fourth when Mullins scored on Miller's single.

Mullins reached first on a fielder's choice, was caught off first base but raced to second safely and went on to third when the ball bounded into left field.

With it threatening to pour down every minute the one run looked mighty big until Myers poled out his homer over the right field fence. But the Greenies, fighting to beat the rain as well as the Serpents, went on to score two more in the home half of the fifth and give them a victory if the game was halted before the last half of the sixth.

With Stowe on first, Thompson bunted, but Stowe was headed off at second, Thompson reaching first before the throw for a double play. Riley singled. Baker went out on a fly, but Joyner was walked, filling the bases. Smith then poled out a long one that went to left field fence near the foul line and all runners came home, but the hit was held to a double by ground rules and Joyner was ordered back to third and Smith to second, with only two runs having scored. The side was retired with the two on bases, but the two runs proved enough to win.

Riley and Smith got two hits each for the Greenies, while Stowe accounted for the only other Greenville safety off York.

Eagles Make It Five Straights, Lick Billies

Snow Hill, May 24—Kinston's Eagles, riding a winning streak, moved into full ownership of second place in the Coastal Plain by winning here Monday as Goldsboro lost to New Bern.

The Eagles handed the Billies a 9-4 licking and a major contributor to Kinston's fifth consecutive victory was Pitcher Hurley, who limited the home club to eight hits and helped his team's attack by hitting a homer and a single.

Today's win was Kinston's seventh in eight starts. The game was tight for the first three innings, with longest hitting being done by the Eagles in the seventh, however, the Eagles put over three tallies to clinch the decision. They added three unneeded tallies in the ninth.

A single by Tetterton opened Kinston's seventh. Manager West and Stringfellow followed with singles and Tetterton scored, putting Kinston into a 4-3 lead. Wyrostek hit to Mewborn whose throw to the plate had West—but Bistoff dropped the ball. Stringfellow scored on Southworth's infield out.

Hurley's homer came in the third. Relief hurler Smith of the Billies hit a homer in the ninth, and Tony Maisano hit one in the first.

Floyd Patton, with three for four, topped Kinston's 13-hi offense. The locals' eight hits went to as many players.

There were a number of fine fielding plays. Stringfellow and Henning shone on defense for Kinston; Rabb and Mewborn, for Snow Hill.

Score by innings: R H E
Kinston 002 001 303—9 13 3
Snow Hill 101 100 001—4 9 2

Hurley and West, Longest, Smith and Bistoff.

HOME RUN LEADERS

Goodman, Reds	10
Fox, Red Sox	8
Greenberg, Tigers	8
Ott, Giants	8
DiMaggio, Yankees	6
Keltner, Indians	6
Joyner, Tigers	6
Lazzeri, Cubs	6
McCarthy, Giants	6
Lieber, Giants	5
Ripple, Giants	5
Camilli, Phillies	5
Gutteridge, Cards	5

RUNS BATTED IN	
Fox, Red Sox	41
Galan, Cubs	30
Ott, Giants	30
Keltner, Indians	25
Averliss, Indians	25
McCarthy, Giants	25

King Don King

TARBORO	Ab	R	H	O	A	E
Myers, ss.	3	1	2	4	0	0
Ware, 2b.	3	0	2	1	0	0
Campbell, f.	1	0	0	2	0	0
H. Lehman, rf.	2	0	0	2	0	0
Maynard, cf.	1	0	1	2	0	0
Thornston lb.	2	0	0	3	0	1
A. Lehman, 3b.	2	0	1	0	2	0
Dick, c.	2	0	0	1	1	0
York, p.	2	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	18	1	6	15	5	1

GREENIES	Ab	R	H	O	A	E
Stowe, lb.	2	0	1	6	0	1
Thompson, ss.	2	1	0	4	3	0
Riley, rf.	3	1	0	2	0	0
Baker, cf.	1	0	0	2	0	0
Joyner, lf.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, c.	2	0	2	2	2	0
Mullins, 2b.	2	1	0	1	2	0
Miller, 3b.	2	0	0	0	1	0
King, p.	2	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	19	3	5	15	11	1

Score by innings: R H E
Tarboro 000 01-1
Greenville 000 12-3

Runs batted in: Smith 2, Miller, Myers. Two base hits: Myers, Maynard, Smith. Home run: Myers. Double play: King to Thompson to Smith. Left on bases: Tarboro 5, Greenville 8. Base on balls, off King 2, York 6. Struck out, by King 1, York 1. Hit by pitcher, by York (Thompson) King (Maynard). Umpires: Wise, Ruffer and Johnson. Time of game 1:40.

Lefty Burgess Makes Bear Debut With Win

New Bern, May 24—Lefty Charles Burgess made his debut with the Bears and pitched three-hit ball for a 5-4 win over Goldsboro here yesterday.

Charles was liberal with free passes—he issued 10 walks—but he was stingy in the clinches. The left-hander also started in a fielding way—he handled nine chances perfectly.

Red Harper lifted a homer over the right field wall in the second inning with none out, to give the locals their first run. In the third, with two away, Stith singled, Morris gained first on an error, and Knowles singled, scoring Stith. Roth grounded out to end the inning.

Knowles, on second via a single and an error, singled on Harper's topped Kinston's 13th hit-offense. The sixth Stith led off with a double, Morris walked, and both advanced on a passed ball. A timely single by Knowles sent both runners home. A fast double play and a force-out ended the inning for the Bruins.

Daniels, New Bern castoff third-baseman, double in the sixth with one away for the first Goldsboro hit, scoring Jans and advancing Irossi. A double play and an out at first ended the one-run rally.

Watson of the Goldsboro homered in the seventh frame, but the Bugs were retired in order after that lengthy hit. Goldsboro's other runs came when Dirmann singled with men on second and third.

Score by innings: R H E
Goldsboro 000 001 012—4 3 2
Bears 011 010 20x—5 9 0
Nichols and Overton, Burgess and Thornton.

Probable Pitchers

Probable pitchers in the major leagues today:

American League
New York at Cleveland—Gomez vs. Allen.
Boston at Detroit—Bagby vs. Auker.
Philadelphia at St. Louis—Nelson vs. Van Alta.
Washington at Chicago—Leonard vs. Stratton.

National League
Chicago at Brooklyn—Carlton vs. Pressnell.
Cincinnati at Boston—Van Der Meer vs. Turner.
St. Louis at New York—Welland vs. Casteman.
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia—Tobin vs. Walters.

Harden Leads Greenies In Batting With .450

Skipper Joyner Close on Heels With Average of .433

Harden replaced Manager Joyner as leading hitter for the Greenies, figures compiled by Earle Hellen, official scorer, of games through Sunday showed today.

Harden went to bat 20 times, made three runs and nine hits for a batting average of .450.

Joyner follows in second place with an average of .433, made on 60 trips to the plate, 13 runs and 26 hits. Riley, with an average of .423, is the only other Greenie to have a mark above .400.

Miller tops the Greenies in homers, having hit five, and is tied for the lead in the number of triples with two to his credit, the same number credited to Huffstetter. With such long hits, it is only natural that Miller leads in number of runs batted in. He has accounted for 15 Greenville tallies, with Joyner, with 14, close on his heels.

The batting averages and other statistics of the Greenville players, including games through Sunday, follow:

Ab	R	H	Pct.
Harden	20	3	.450
Joyner	60	13	.433
Riley	26	1	.423
Baker	26	8	.306
Stowe	64	16	.313
Smith	22	13	.250
Delaney	22	2	.273
Thompson	68	18	.267
Layton	38	9	.236
Huffstetter	48	5	.208
Caliguri	10	3	.200
Miller	81	14	.185
Norwood	60	5	.183
Pratt	12	3	.217
Hardison	12	0	.167
St. Korba	21	2	.143
King	7	2	.000
Mullins	4	0	.000
Totals	712	117	.198

*Have been released.

aaAverage while with New Bern not included.

Home runs—Miller 5, Joyner 2, Smith 1, Baker 1, Layton 1.

Triples—Miller 2, Huffstetter 2, Thompson 1, Joyner 1, Stowe 1, Riley 1.

Doubles—Thompson 6, Smith 5, Stowe 4, Riley 3, Miller 3, Harden 3, Joyner 3, Baker 2, Norwood 2, Layton 2.

Runs batted in—Miller 15, Joyner 14, Thompson 11, Huffstetter 10, Norwood 9, Smith 9, Stowe 9, Riley 6, Delaney 5, Baker 4, Harden 4.

BASEBALL TODAY

AMERICAN LEAGUE
New York at Cleveland.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
Boston at Detroit.
Washington at Chicago.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Cincinnati at Boston.
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at New York.

PIEDMONT LEAGUE
Charlotte at Durham.
Portsmouth at Winston-Salem.
Rocky Mount at Norfolk.
Richmond at Asheville.

COASTAL PLAIN LEAGUE
Snow Hill at Greenville.
New Bern at Tarboro.
Williamston at Kinston.
Ayden at Goldsboro.

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THE president of the U. S. golf association, Archibald M. Reid, is a son of the late John Reid, one of the founders of the St. Andrews golf club—first in the U. S. Archie qualified for the match play round in his first amateur tourney at 17, in 1901. He finished seventh with 166 for 36 holes.

Yesterday's RESULTS

AMERICAN LEAGUE
All games postponed, rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Chicago 4, Boston 1.
Philadelphia 7, St. Louis 6.
Cincinnati 6, Brooklyn 4.
Pittsburgh 4, New York 3.

PIEDMONT LEAGUE
Norfolk-Richmond, rain.
Rocky Mount 8, Charlotte 2.

COASTAL PLAIN LEAGUE
New Bern 5, Goldsboro 4.
Kinston 9, Snow Hill 4.
Greenville 3, Tarboro 1 (5 innings, rain).

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION
No games scheduled.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Milwaukee 7, Minneapolis 3.
Others, rain and wet grounds.

MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS

The three leading hitters in each major league:

G	Ab	R	H	Pct.
Lea'to, Dodgers	23	82	15	.33
Trosky, Indians	29	97	26	.38
Chap'n, Red Sox	24	87	12	.34
DiMagg, Yanks	15	59	13	.23
Medwick, Cards	21	84	12	.31
McCorm'k, Reds	31	136	21	.48

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of John C. Taylor, deceased, all persons having any claims against the said estate will present them to the undersigned on or before April 19, 1938, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 19th day of April, 1938.
WILLIAM C. TAYLOR, Administrator of the Estate of John C. Taylor.
May 13-14-5wk.

THE STANDINGS

AMERICAN LEAGUE		
W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	20	10 .687
New York	16	10 .615
Boston	17	11 .607
Washington	18	15 .545
Detroit	10	15 .464
Chicago	10	12 .455
Philadelphia	9	18 .333
St. Louis	8	20 .286

NATIONAL LEAGUE		
W.	L.	Pct.
New York	20	9 .690
Chicago	19	13 .594
Cincinnati	17	14 .548
Boston	14	12 .538
Pittsburgh	15	14 .517
St. Louis	12	16 .429
Brooklyn	12	21 .364
Philadelphia	8	18 .308

PIEDMONT LEAGUE		
W.	L.	Pct.
Norfolk	17	9 .654
Asheville	19	11 .633
Charlotte	17	12 .586
Rocky Mount	16	13 .552
Portsmouth	14	15 .483
Durham	11	18 .379
Richmond	11	17 .393
Winston-Salem	9	19 .321

COASTAL PLAIN LEAGUE		
W.	L.	Pct.
Tarboro	15	3 .832
Kinston	14	10 .583
Goldsboro	13	11 .542
Greenville	12	11 .522
New Bern	11	13 .458
Williamston	10	13 .435
Snow Hill	10	14 .417
Ayden	9	14 .391

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

This is to give notice that R. L. Jordan has sold his entire interest in the Big Four Sales Agency, a partnership composed of R. L. Jordan, J. E. McGowan, H. L. Pruett and A. R. House, and is no longer connected in any way with said partnership. All indebtedness and liabilities of every kind of said partnership is assumed by the Big Four Sales Agency, now composed of J. E. McGowan, H. L. Pruett and A. R. House, and all creditors are to make payment to the Big Four Sales Agency, as it is now composed, except upon certain notes that have been transferred to R. L. Jordan, the makers of which will be notified.

This 22nd day of April, 1938.
R. L. JORDAN,
J. E. MCGOWAN,
H. L. PRUETT,
A. R. HOUSE.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Having this day qualified as Administrator of the estate of Richard Harris, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent, to exhibit itemized and verified statements of account to the undersigned on or before the 3rd day of May, 1938, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the administrators.

This 3rd day of May, 1938.
W. C. HARRIS and
J. H. HARRIS,
Administrators Estate of
Richard Harris.
May 4-14w-5wk.

CLEARING BAR FOR NEW RECORD



Wayne Downey of the University of Alabama is shown clearing the bar at 13 feet, 6 1-4 inches to set a new conference pole vault record at the Southeastern Conference Track and Field championship at Birmingham, Ala. Team honors went to Louisiana State University.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS

North Carolina—Pitt County.
In the Superior Court.
Pitt County (Plaintiff)
vs.
Abram Johnston, Charlotte Fleming, Herbert Johnston, et als.

The defendants, Herbert Johnston, Charlotte Fleming and husband, — Fleming, will take notice, that an action has been instituted by the plaintiff against Abram Johnston and themselves and others, as heirs at law of A. J. Johnston, Sr. deceased, to foreclose a tax lien of Pitt County for \$829.44, fully set forth in the complaint filed in this Court on the 30th day of April, 1938, upon three parcels of real property in Pitt County, described as follows:

Parcel 1. Containing 9.11 acres on the banks of the North side of Tar River. A second tract containing 33.34 acres adjoining the aforesaid tract of land and covered by a deed of Abram Johnston, Jr., to F. C. Harding, Trustee, and the third parcel being a house and lot in Town of Greenville on the South side of Norfolk-Southern Railroad and East of A. C. L. Railroad, known as Lot No. 23 in a survey made by B. F. Patrick to Henry Harper, containing 1-4 acre, more or less. All three said tracts of land being fully described in those several Deeds of Trust in the Register of Deeds Office of Pitt County, in Books V-17, page 368, N-18, page 45, Book I-13, page 131, Book D-12, page 230 and Book

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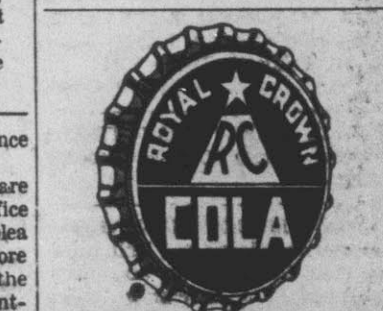
TODAY'S GAMES
Law-Drs.-Cl. House vs. Auto Dealers (Third Street Park).
Caro. Dairy P. O. vs. Firemen (College Field).

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS
Both games rained out.

STANDINGS		
W.	L.	Pct.
Car. D-P. O.	4	0 1.000
Trans-Nehi-Ins.	4	0 1.000
Blount Harvey	4	1 .800
Car. S.-Firemen	3	3 .500
Water & Lite	2	3 .400
Auto Dealers	2	3 .400
Fur. D-Guaranty	0	4 .000
Law-Drs.-Cl. House	0	5 .000

All teams in the Greenville softball league were idle for the fourth consecutive day yesterday afternoon, rain having forced postponement of both contests following off-days Saturday and Sunday, and rain last Friday.

If the weather permits, games are scheduled to be resumed this afternoon with the Lawyers-Doctors-Cl. House meeting the Flanagan Ford and White Chevrolet men at Third Street Park and Carolina Dairy-Post Office engaging Carolina Sales Firemen at the College Diamond.



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U. S. WALKER CUP TEAM SURVIVES FIRST ROUND



All United States Walker Cup golfers playing in the first round of the British Amateur Gold tournament at Troon, Scotland, survived that round, although they had to battle a fierce wind blowing over the course. Here's the team watching Francis Oulmet, non playing captain, laying out a drive in a practice session. Left to right: Reynolds Smith, Ray Billows, Fred Haas, Jr., Johnny Goodman, Charles Kocis, Charles E. Yates, and Johnny Fisher.

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LOST — SHEPHERDS FOUNTAIN pen, grayish red. Reward if returned to Ed Whitehurst, Reflector Office. 21s

SPECIALS FOR WEDNESDAY — Chocolate Cup Cake, and for these hot days get out fresh sliced bread for sandwiches. People's Bakery.

FOR RENT—SMALL FURNISHED upstairs apartment. Mrs. S. B. Underwood.

HUDSON SUPER-SIX COACH — good tires and battery. First \$100 cash buys it. P. O. Box 925, Greenville, N. C. 23-31

FOR RENT — UPSTAIRS FURN- ished apartment, with lights, water and gas. Reasonable. Telephone 525-J. 21-31

Richmond Livestock

Hogs, fairly good run and market steady and active at ten cents higher than last Friday's top. To day top at \$8.35, per Cwt paid for good and choice 160 to 220 lb run of corn fed hard finished gilts and barrows medium sows \$7.10 heaves to \$6.60, soft and oily hogs subject to discount to quality.

Cattle, vealers rather scarce and market steady and active at \$9.30 practical top. Again steady \$3.50 to \$5.50 for average run strictly butcher cows \$6 to \$6.50. Average run bulls \$5 to \$8 better kinds of butcher bulls to \$6.50 common and medium steers and heifers \$5 to \$7 or \$7.50 heavy weight steers grading good to \$8 or possibly \$8.50 for an occasional smooth good lot.

Sheep, receipts very light, spring lambs top around \$9.00 as a practical top very best offerings possibly \$9.50 as the extreme top clipped lambs to \$7.50 or \$8.00 about the extreme top. No ewes offered. Clipped ewes quotable \$2.50 to \$3.50 as to quality.

Weather clear temp 81.

New York Cotton

New York, May 24—(AP)—Cotton futures opened four to seven off on lower cables, liquidation and Bombay selling.

October, which had sold up to 8.54, was 8.52 shortly after the first half hour when the list was three to six net lower.

October sold off to 8.51 by mid-day, when the market was at the low for the day thus far and at net losses of six to eight points. Futures closed 12 to 16 lower.

Spot quiet, Middling 8.37.

Courtesy of E. A. Pierce and Co. Phone 3161, Wilson, N. C.

N. Y. Stock Market
New York, May 24—(AP)—Exceptionally quiet buying gave selected stocks a slight lift in today's market, but general trends were highly indefinite.

The list moved only a shade either way at the start. Mild improvement later appeared among pivotal issues. The ticker tape loaded throughout.

Bonds were uneven

N. Y. STOCK LIST

2:00 P. M. LIST			
American Radiator	104		
American Telephone	129 1/2		
American Tobacco	70 1/2		
Atlantic Coast Line	15 1/2		
Atlantic Refining	20 1/2		
Bethlehem Steel	43 1/2		
Chrysler	41 1/2		
Columbia Gas and Elec.	6 1/2		
Commercial Solvent	7 1/2		
Continental Oil	8 1/2		
Curtis Wright	4 1/2		
DuPont	98 1/2		
Electric Power Lite	9 1/2		
General Electric	34 1/2		
General Motors	28 1/2		
Liggett Myers	93		
Mt. Vernon	30		
southern Railway	7		

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A. C. L.	15 1/2
Anaconda	24 1/2
American Radiator	104
Bethlehem Steel	43 1/2
Calumet Heck	6
Chrysler	41 1/2
C. I. T.	36
Coca Cola	128 1/2
Commercial Credit	31 1/2
Com. Solvent	7 1/2
Consol. Oil	8 1/2
Continental Can	39
E. C. Bond and Sh	7 1/2
Ford Ltd	4 1/2
General Motors	28 1/2
Gillette	7 1/2
Int'l. Telephone	8 1/2
Korillard	16
Nash Kelvinator	7
Natl. Dairy	13 1/2
Odis Steel	4 1/2
Packard	3 1/2
Pala Pictures	7 1/2
Pullman	25 1/2
Sure Oil	8 1/2
Radio	5 1/2
Saynolds	37 1/2
Saboard	12
Summons	16 1/2
Southern Railway	7
Standard Brands	7 1/2
Sperry Corp	20 1/2
Texas Corporation	35 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulphur	20 1/2
United Aircraft	25 1/2
United Corp	2 1/2
United Drug	5
U. S. Steel	41 1/2
Warner Pictures	4 1/2
Western Union	20 1/2
Douglas Aircraft	43 1/2
New York Central	11 1/2
Phillip Petroleum	31 1/2
American Tobacco	70 1/2

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BOY TRIED FOR KILLING LOVER



Neatly dressed, his curly hair smoothed back, Donald Carroll, Jr., (left at top), 16, is shown in court at Long Island City, N. Y., at the opening of his trial on charges that he killed his sweetheart, Charlotte Mathiesen, 18, an expectant mother. Beside him is his attorney, Sydney Rosenthal. Mrs. Fred Mathiesen (lower right), mother of the slain girl, joined Mrs. Donald Carroll (left) mother of the youth, in an attempt to save him from punishment. They are seen with Attorney Rosenthal.

Leader Secured For Local Firemen's Band

Norman Hanley has arrived in the city and will conduct the Greenville Firemen's band, which was organized some time ago, and soon will be ready to present its first concert.

Mr. Hanley was brought here through the efforts of George Gardner, chief of the fire department, and L. O. Gross, local dealer in musical instruments. The new conductor, who will open a studio and give instructions in band and orchestra instruments, already has held two rehearsals. The band probably will present its first public concert next month. Mr. Hanley has had considerable experience as a leader, composer and arranger, having been engaged in the work 37 years.

H. A. McDougle of the high school faculty, conducted the band before Mr. Hanley arrived to take over the duties.

Bonds were uneven

Chicago Grain Market

Courtesy Vernon Parrish			
WHEAT	Open	Close	Pr. Cl.
May	77 1/2	76	78
July	74 1/2	75 1/2	75
Sept.	75 1/2	74 1/2	75 1/2
CORN			
May	56 1/2	58 1/2	57 1/2
July	57 1/2	57 1/2	58 1/2
Sept.	58 1/2	58 1/2	59 1/2
OATS			
May	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
July	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Sept.	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
RYE			
May	57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2
July	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2

CEDILLO MAPS REVOLT PLANS



Shortly before the outbreak of fighting between government troops and followers of the Mexican rebel leader, Gen. Saturnino Cedillo, the revolt chieftain (right) is shown in conference with one of his lieutenants at his ranch at Palomas near San Luis Potosi. Next day Cedillo left the ranch and took to the hills to fight.

OCTAGON HOUSE

BY PHOEBE ATWOOD TAYLOR

The Story So Far: Unscrupulous Marina Lorne, whose husband's post office murder has aroused Quantomet, is murdered by a left handed blow from her sister's knife. Suspected Pam Frye disappears because an unknown person who smokes Turkish tobacco is trailing her to discover the whereabouts of \$50,000 worth of ambergris she found the day of the murder. Agreeable Tim Carr, a boarder at the Frye's Octagon House, is left handed, smokes Turkish tobacco, and hated Marina. Asey Mayo, Cape Cod detective, eavesdrops outside the Woman's Exchange on gabby Nettie Hobbs who swears Pam is the murderer. Peggy Boone, an artist, tells Nettie she is a liar. Then Roddy Strutt, whose plane smashed in the square the night before, pays Nettie to keep his name out of her story.

Chapter 18 Roddy's Check

ASEY was brought to earth by Nettie's voice at his elbow. "What do you think you're doing?"

"What's that?" Asey hastily put on the gold rimmed glasses before turning around. "What's that?"

"What do you think you're doing?" Nettie raised her voice, and Asey promptly took his cue.

"What say?"

"What are you doing?" Nettie bellowed.

"Paintin'." Asey said, gently.

"Who told you to paint here?"

"What do you mean, trespassing and defacing my property—get away, before I call the constable!"

"What say?" Asey asked.

"What's that? I'm a mite hard of hearin', marm."

He made her repeat it five times, and then he assumed an injured expression.

"You mean, this ain't the Red Men's Hall?"

"It's the Woman's Exchange!" Nettie yelled. "The Woman's Exchange! Woman's Exchange!"

"They do?" Asey said. "I want to know, now!"

"You deaf old fool, this isn't the Red Men's Hall, this is—"

"Then if it ain't the Red Men's Hall," Asey peered down at her. "then you owe me fifty cents for time, an' a quarter for paint. I'll make it sixty cents cash money."

Finally, from sheer exhaustion, she gave him the sixty cents. Asey pocketed it gravely, and removed himself and his cans.

It was no task to mingle with the crowd until Nettie emerged from the alley, and he could hardly have helped joining in with the young mob that followed her up the street to the bank.

Parking his paint cans on the back doorstep, Asey strolled in the bank's rear door and knocked on the glass of the president's little cubby hole. He had always wondered why he had allowed himself to be made an honorary director of the bank's main branch, and now, he thought as he waited, he knew.

Seriously Involved

THE amount of Roddy Strutt's check, which he had in his hands almost as soon as Nettie deposited it, startled him.

Five thousand dollars, he thought as he picked up his paint cans outside, meant that Roddy wasn't just trying to keep his name out of this affair. It meant that Roddy was seriously involved.

Roddy had no reputation for openhandedness. It had taken a court battle to make him pay for smashing up Bill Porter's car in that accident the year before. And yet he'd given Nettie a check for \$5,000, just like that!

But, he remembered suddenly, how could Roddy Strutt possibly be involved in this mess? Presumably he was flying around in his new airplane and wrecking it.

Fam knew nothing about the crash, and she would have been told by Nettie if it had occurred before Nettie left Octagon House at ten-thirty. Jennie Mayo said that Roddy had wrecked the plane on his way home from tagging his friend's plane. Marina Lorne had dashed away from the garage, leaving the ambergris, in order to see some artist, some friend of Roddy's, who was shortly leaving for New York in a plane, presumably via Providence.

Sorted out, that meant that the artist friend had left between six and seven. Roddy's plane had crashed after ten-thirty. It would not have taken all the intervening time for Roddy to trail the other plane to the airport, and to return to Quantomet. Roddy might, of course, have stopped over en route, but if he had crashed on his return late at night, why on earth was he presenting Nettie with checks, and lavishly promising her more to keep him out of her murder story?

Asey strolled back to the square and to his remote cousin Jerry.

'The Pilot Feller'

"I've given up," he said. "I've given up. You might as well try to stop Niagara, as these tourists. They don't give a damn how many cars they jam into this place, or how many they bump. They're busted down the ropes, and they're

carting off that plane in handfuls. You'd think they never seen a plane before. Well, I don't care. I tried to do my duty, but now I've given up. Asey, what in the name of God makes people act this way? What's that plane mean to 'em anyhow? It ain't got a thing to do with the murder or the mural."

"Well," Asey sat down beside him. "What's pickle limes got to do with things? Or flower holders made out of old coffee tins? But people are buyin' pickle limes an' cut-up coffee cans over at the Exchange, like this was the last chance they had to buy 'em in this world. Jerry, what time last night did this plane crash?"



"What are you doing?" Nettie bellowed.

"Between one and two," Jerry said. "It busted up a couple of cars, and bruised up Earl Jennings and some others. It was Roddy that did it, but the pilot feller got hurt the worst."

"Where is he, in the hospital?"

Jerry nodded. "Someone got an ambulance and took him over to Pochet. I just heard someone say that Roddy wouldn't even pay the ambulance bill. Said he hadn't ordered it. You know, Asey, I keep hopin' there's a special little corner of Hell all set apart for people like Roddy. Sometimes he's so dumb, you wouldn't believe it. Sometimes he just scatters money. Then again he's so tight with five cents, you'd like to sock him. And sly—say, he's so—oh, damn those tourists! Look, they're pullin' that other wing apart!"

Asey suggested that Jerry might be able to stop them, if he really tried.

"I's pose so," Jerry said. "I's pose I could, if I put my mind to it. I would, if it was anyone else's plane. Somehow I don't care about Roddy's. I can't see how the town's liable for any damage people do. We never asked him to land his plane here. We—say, I wonder if we could sue him for obstructin' town highways?"

"You could always try," Asey said. "Willis you're at it, collect parkin' fees from him, too. You got signs up sayin' that more'n one hour parkin' is illegal, an' that plane's been there for hours. Nick him. So the pilot's in Pochet?"

"Yes, poor feller," Jerry said. "He'll prob'ly rot there before Roddy takes any notice. He—are you goin'?"

"Yup," Asey picked up his paint cans. "You ain't any idea, Jerry, how many spots there is in this town that needs a 'little slappin' up with paint.'"

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More questions arise, tomorrow.

Commissioner Of Utilities Contest Is Important To All

Raleigh, May 24.—Interest among the great mass of voters in the Utility Commissioner's race is not proportionate to the direct, personal interest which each citizen of the state has in the office.

Outside the Governorship, there is hardly a state-wide office which affects the daily lives of North Carolinians as much as does the commissionership; though of course there are others which are as important, probably more so, on the whole.

But the commissioner, by virtue of his office, has the last word about electric light bills of 350,000 customers, about the freight rates to apply to 26,000,000 tons of freight each year and the intra-state fares paid by more than 5,000,000 rail and bus passengers each year; about the phone bills of 160,000 customers; about the motor transport rates for 350,000,000 pounds of freight; about the gas rates of 43,000 customers; about the express rates of two companies serving all rail stations; and about the telegraph and cable rates of two companies serving all sections of the state.

Under supervision of the commissioner of 44 railroads, with 4,767 miles of track; 38 electric companies generating 1,500,000,000 kilowatt-hours of current each year; 77 telephone companies; 25 bus companies; two express companies; two telegraph and cable companies.

And when the commissioner is not busy on these matters he can spend his spare time obtaining rights-of-way for inland waterways or serving as an ex-officio member of the State Board of Tax Appeals or the Municipal Board of Control.

COST OF AUDIT SHOWN DURING OUTR TRIAL

(Continued from page one)

D. R. Hollowell, who has recently made audits of the sheriff's office, took the stand just prior to recessing the court late yesterday and did not begin his testimony until this morning.

The first item taken up by Hollowell this morning dealt with civil summons from surrounding counties served through the office of the Sheriff of Pitt County, upon which the fees are alleged not to have been paid over to the county. The audits presented by the witness in connection with this phase of the case listed the non-reported items as follows: Beaufort County, 23; New Hanover, 10; Martin, 20; Wilson, 4; Craven, 10; Lenoir, 21. The amount of fees involved in these individual unreported cases ranged from one to ten dollars, with the large majority nearer the lower figure.

The next schedule of Hollowell's audit dealt with 22 cases of deed executions by the sheriff, totaling \$12,878, upon which it is claimed the county was entitled to a 2-1/2 per cent commission, amounting to \$316.85, which the sheriff has failed to turn over to the county.

Another schedule of the audit covered execution of civil actions by the sheriff totaling \$13,635.24, upon which it is alleged he failed to collect or remit to the county the 2-1/2 per cent commissions amounting to \$340.31.

Another section of the audit dealt with 23 homestead executions involving \$359.43, on which the county's fees had not been paid over to the treasurer.