

Cloudy and somewhat colder, preceded by showers in the east; Tuesday partly cloudy and somewhat colder followed by rain Wednesday.

FRANCO PLANS OFFENSIVE ON MADRID FRONT

Peace Negotiations Declared to Be Successful

TROOPS ADVANCE TO NEW FRONTS

Republicans Announce Air Fleet To Be Surrendered To Franco as Evidence Of Good Faith

Hendaye, France, March 27. (AP) - Nationalist Generalissimo Franco was reported today to have swung his central army into an offensive designed to smash his way into Madrid after peace negotiations failed to bring an agreement with the Republican government.

Nationalist forces were said to have advanced to new positions on the Madrid front, the Toledo front and in the Cordoba region into the central Spain against only weak resistance.

Republicans immediately announced by radio that they would surrender their entire air force as evidence of good faith. Earlier reports to the Nationalist command at Brun said Franco's troops might enter Madrid today.

A break-down in negotiations for surrender of Madrid had sent the Nationalists in the south toward the rich Almaden mercury mines.

Local Car Stolen; Looks Like Gaddy

Dr. S. M. Crisp's automobile was stolen from his home some time late Saturday night, and an attempt was made about the same time to steal R. S. Neal's car. Both men live on East Fifth street and officers expressed the belief the person who stole Dr. Crisp's car made an unsuccessful attempt to take Mr. Neal's car.

Laundry in the back of the Neal car was dumped out and shirts and socks reported taken.

Before driving off with the physician's car the robber took the doctor's medical bag out of the vehicle.

"It looks like Gaddy" declared officers referring to Frank Gaddy, escaped convict who is believed to have been hiding in or around Greenville for several days.

Tries To Rob Store, Enters Hotel Kitchen

Julius Wilson, Negro, said by police to have made two attempts to break into Young's store early Sunday morning, was scared away the first time and after breaking in a window, found himself in the Greenville hotel kitchen in a second attempt.

Officers said the Negro was attempting to rob the store. Some one heard him the first time and, investigating, scared him away. The Negro returned, broke in a window, which police said he believed would lead him into the store, only to find himself in the hotel kitchen. Officers were summoned and took the Negro in custody.

Two Minor Accidents Reported On Sunday

Two minor wrecks were reported in Greenville yesterday as thousands of motorists took to the highways to enjoy the pretty spring weather.

One of the accidents was between automobiles driven by Charlie Ward and O. J. Dixon, which occurred at the intersection of Twelfth and Co-tanche street. No one was injured.

The other collision was between automobiles operated by McKay Washington and Mrs. Lydia Corbett. It occurred on Grand avenue. Neither driver was injured.

Participants in the two accidents were cited to municipal court.

Honest Man

Here is a candidate for the state's most honest man.

L. A. Smith, operator of Smyth's place on Dickinson avenue, today received a letter with a Richards, N. C. postmark containing a three cent stamp in payment for a pop bottle "I came off with." The letter, written on scratch pad paper, contained no signature, merely being signed "a friend and patron."

The author explained, "I don't do this, so I'm sending you three cents in stamps for it. It is more convenient to send the stamps than the bottle."

DOUGLAS HEARS THE GOOD NEWS



Chairman Carl A. Haeth (D-NM) of the senate judiciary subcommittee which unanimously approved the nomination of SEC Chairman William D. Douglas to the supreme court here is shown whispering the good news to the smiling nominee at Washington. The full committee later approved the nomination.

Split Provides Threat To Farm Appropriation

LOCAL LIQUOR STORE ROBBED

Nine Cases of Whiskey Valued At \$112.33 Taken

The Pitt County ABC Store, No. 8, located on Evans street in Greenville, was entered and robbed over the week-end.

R. L. Barnhill, an affiliate of the Pitt County ABC Board, said that nine cases and three quarts of whiskey valued at \$112.33 were stolen, and that seven pennies that had been left in the cash drawer also were removed.

It was pointed out that a thorough check has not yet been made. Barnhill expressed the opinion that the loss would range much higher than the present survey reveals. Captain S. Bowen Dorsey of the Greenville police department, called in on the case, has 48 fingerprint prints that were made at the scene of the robbery.

The intruder, or intruders, entered the store by prying an iron bar off the window. After getting into the building, the back door was opened, through which the liquor was removed.

Most of the 27 gallons of whiskey were low-priced brands. Only a small amount of the better brands of whiskey were included in the loot. No arrest has been made but officers are continuing their investigation.

Winterville Robbery Early Sunday A. M.

The Evans sandwich shop in Winterville was broken into between 1:30 o'clock and daybreak yesterday morning and six dollars in nickels taken, Sheriff J. Knott Proctor reported today.

The shop was entered by breaking a plate glass window. The robbery was not closed until about 1:30 o'clock.

Shotgun Shells Subject For Resounding Debate

Reflector Bureau. Raleigh, March 27.—The house of representatives spent almost exactly the same amount of time and put nearly as much zest and pep into debating a proposed bill to exempt homesteads up to a thousand dollar value of half the ad valorem taxes, and another proposal to limit to three the number of shells that might be used in automatic shot-guns in upland hunting.

In other words, for purposes of legislative hall deliberations and reverberations three shot gun shells are of the same value as a thousand dollar home. And that isn't as absurd as it looks at first glance; for in both instances "it wasn't the money, but the principle of the thing" that the boys are arguing about. It is fact, there were those around the capitol lane Thursday night when the shot gun debate was in progress who believed that the principle of excessive regulation of

COURT RULING UPHOLDS LEVY ON EMPLOYEES

Government Workers Held Subject to Income Taxes

SUPPORTS PART OF FDR'S PLAN

Court Also Agrees to Pass Upon Constitutionality of Agricultural Marketing Act.

Washington, March 27.—(AP)—The Supreme Court approved part of President Roosevelt's tax recommendations to Congress today by holding that a state can tax the income of an employee of a federal agency and that the federal government can tax the income of a state employee.

The decision, on attempts by New York and Utah to tax the income of federal employees, was described by government attorneys "as one of the most important in many a year."

The court specifically overruled previous decisions holding that the federal and state governments could not tax the "means and instrumentalities" of each other. The court also: Agreed to pass upon the constitutionality of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937 and ordered issued under the law by the Secretary of Agriculture. The justices consented to review litigation from two federal district courts, one of which held the law unconstitutional and the other constitutional. Orders issued under the law regulated milk marketing in the New York and Boston areas.

Refused to consider a new challenge to the right of Justice Black to a seat on the high bench by revoking a motion by Elizabeth C. Jacobs of Chicago, the loser in a tax dispute with the government to reverse a judgment on the grounds that Black's participation was unconstitutional.

Offices Established By Dr. E. B. Aycock

Dr. E. B. Aycock has opened offices over Peck's store, in the Flanagan building for the practice of medicine.

Dr. Aycock came here last week. He is a native of Fremont. He received his Bachelor of Arts degree at the University of North Carolina and his medical degree at McGill University Montreal. He served his internship in Vancouver General hospital.

HOUSE ORDERS PROBE OF WPA

Investigation Called For On Bi-Partisan Vote

Washington, March 27.—(AP)—By a bi-partisan vote, the House directed its Appropriations committee today to make a "thorough investigation" of the WPA.

The investigation resolution, by Rep. Cox (D-Ga.) requires no further action of the Senate or President Roosevelt to make it effective.

The measure was supported by Democratic Leader Rayburn, who said he was convinced the inquiry would "reflect credit on the administration of the WPA."

Cox assured the House it would not be a "political investigation" and that there would be "no attempt to white-wash anybody or anything."

Rep. Martin of Massachusetts, the Republican leader, also supported the inquiry with the declaration that "the American people demand that this agency be conducted in a fair and impartial manner."

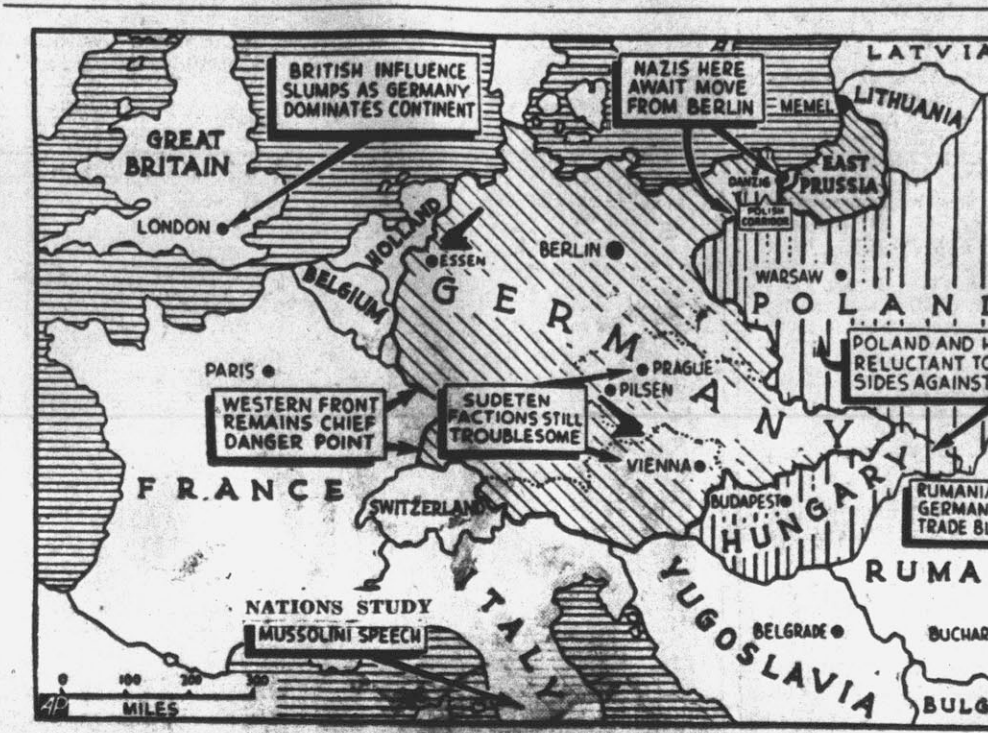
Martin said political activities in the WPA "were an outstanding issue in buying congressional districts last election."

Gaddy's Friend Is Held Under Bond

Charlie Carr, Negro who escaped the Union county prison camp with Frank Gaddy, another Negro, came here, robbed the Polger Buick company and stole an automobile, was bound over to Pitt Superior court on bonds of \$200 each in the two cases following a preliminary hearing before Recorder L. C. Skinner in Municipal court this morning.

Thirteen other cases were heard. (Continued on Page Six)

MAP SHOWS EUROPEAN SITUATION TODAY



This map of Europe shows the situation across the Atlantic today. Hitler's easy conquest of Memel and the trade treaty Germany secured with Rumania left the Reich with just one troublesome frontier—that to the west against France. Poland and Hungary are reluctant to take sides against Germany. Dotted lines show the old boundaries of Austria and Czecho-Slovakia, guns at Pilsen and Essen locate two corridors, according to dispatches. Next likely steps in the Hitler program seem to be anzig and the Polish corridor.

Premier Daladier Prepares Reply To Il Duce Demands

SERVICES FOR CITY PLANNED

Pre - Easter Services To Be Held Here On April 3-7

The churches of Greenville will sponsor early morning services, 8 a. m., beginning Monday, April 3, and continuing through Friday, April 7. The services are being arranged at the early hour so that the boys and girls of the city schools and the business men may be able to attend. The services will last only 30 minutes, being over at 8:30.

The Ministerial Association has arranged the following program: General theme: Why I Believe? Monday—"Why I Believe in God?"—Speaker, Rev. T. M. Grant.

Tuesday—"Why I Believe in Christ?"—Speaker, Rev. R. S. Boyd. Wednesday—"Why I Believe in the Christian Church?"—Speaker, Rev. W. A. Ryan.

Thursday—"Why I Believe in the Good Life?"—Speaker, Rev. C. H. Patrick. Friday—"Why I Believe in Immortality?"—Speaker, Rev. J. D. Simons.

Place of meeting—Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church.

Paris, March 27.—(AP)—Premier Daladier, secured in his dictatorial decree powers, mapped a reply today to Premier Mussolini's African demands, a reply designed to permit opening negotiations for a French-Italian settlement.

Sources close to Daladier said the reply would take one of two forms either a direct note to Rome thru regular diplomatic channels asking Italy just what she wants, or a similar question to be put in a broadcast speech Wednesday.

Reconciliation appeared to be closer than at any time since December 17, when Mussolini denounced the 1936 treaty which he initiated at Rome with Pierre Laval, then the French Premier.

Although Mussolini's speech was far from specific on what he wants in Africa, hopes for reconciliation were retarded by the French fear that Mussolini later would ask what Daladier's government, backed by the nation, could not and would not be granted.

1. Territorial concession. 2. Rights in Tunisia. French North African protectorate, beyond these granted to Italy in the 1935 treaty.

Mussolini in Tunisia, French North African protectorate, beyond those granted to Italy in the 1935 treaty.

Mussolini pointed out that in the denunciation of the 1935 treaty "Italian problems with France were clearly set forth, problems of a colonial character."

"The problems have a name," he said. "They are called Tunisia, Djibouti and the Suez canal."

In Rome signs of Italian readiness to negotiate by diplomacy a settlement of claims on France followed Mussolini's invitation that Paris make the first move. Diplomatic observers felt that the speech to Mussolini's fascist followers yesterday had left the way open to rapprochement between Rome and Paris. But, they added that the negotiations might be difficult.

Italian newspaper comment was conciliatory.

London (AP)—Bob Parris, 76-year-old shepherd from Hampshire, invited by the B. B. C. to take part in a television broadcast, arrived here with a four-day-old lamb and told reporters "Television is tomfoolery."

Both Sides Inactive Following Minor Fighting

Bratislava, Slovakia, March 27.—(AP)—A Slovak communication reported quiet today on the Hungarian-Slovak front after minor fighting yesterday despite an official truce.

Hungarian forces, an official announcement said, failed last night in attempts to take three small villages. Air forces on both sides were inactive.

The fighting on a dispute over two hills on the Slovak-Carpatho-Ukraine frontier, where the Slovaks said the Hungarians shelled a village. Staff officers were said to have tried in vain to halt the hostilities.

Slovak political sources said the Hungarians were trying to seize as much territory as possible along the boundary of their newly won state, Carpatho-Ukraine, in order to strengthen Hungary's hand in border-making negotiations, which began today at Budapest.

BRITAIN HOPES TO NEGOTIATE WITH RUMANIA

Informed Economic Independence Not Signed Away

TRADE MISSION YET CONSIDERED

Rumania Informs Great Britain That Accord With Germany Not Aimed at Third Party

London, March 27.—(AP)—Prime Minister Chamberlain told the House of Commons today that Rumania "has not signed away her economic independence" in her new trade treaty with Germany.

"We must await developments before coming to any definite conclusion," Chamberlain added, however.

"The Rumanian government has informed the British government that the agreement contains no political clause and Rumania has not signed away her economic independence," the Prime Minister said.

He said the Rumanian government had informed Britain that the accord "is directed against no third party."

In this, it was believed Chamberlain was referring to British trade mission to Rumania which Oliver Stanley, president of the Board of Trade announced a week ago would be sent to Bucharest. The mission has not gone, but Chamberlain was believed to have indicated that its purpose had not been threatened by Rumania's price commitment to Germany.

Chamberlain made the announcement after Richard Austen Butler parliamentary under-secretary for Foreign Affairs had told Conservative Sir Alfred Knox that Britain was not considering the possibility of an economic boycott against Germany.

General Tshenits, chief of the general staff, has been asked to form a new cabinet.

The resignation followed reports of difficulties and negotiations between the Lithuanian foreign ministry and Willi Dertelitz, the Nazi president of the Memel director, who were working out details of the cession of Memel to Germany.

The cabinet also had been negotiating with former opposition parties on the establishment of a "common patriotic front" involving reconstruction of the cabinet to admit new representation.

Fayetteville, March 27.—(AP)—Judge J. J. Burney heard arguments here today in the suit brought by a group of employees of the Mansfield cotton mill at Lumberton seeking of collecting dues for the Textile Workers Organizing Committee.

The issue was whether or not a temporary restraining order obtained by these employees should be made permanent.

At the outset the TWOC won a victory, at least technically, when Judge Burney sustained a demurrer by which the Lumberton local of the union was eliminated as a defendant in the proceedings. The judge ruled, however, that the officers of the union were liable for any obligations under the action.

Rev. Lucian Pinnix, pastor of the Jacksonville, N. C. Baptist church, will conduct the music at the services.

Rev. J. D. Simons, pastor of the Memorial Baptist church, and other church officials, have extended an invitation to the citizens of Greenville to attend the services.

Mrs. Powell Magistrate. Mrs. Cora S. Powell, executive secretary of the Greenville Merchants Association, recently has been appointed a Justice of the Peace by Governor Clyde R. Hoey.

Weather Report

J. A. CLARK (Always Correct) TEMPERATURES High yesterday 66 Low yesterday 63 At 1:30 p. m. 63

PRECIPITATION For 48 hours ending 1 p. m. 60 Total for month 2.77 (In Inches)

BAROMETRIC (Pressure) 7:30 last night 29.91 7:30 this morning 29.92

Prevailing Winds and Velocity 7:30 a. m. S-3 1:30 p. m. S-16

Club Reported Organized On Fenner For Governor

Reflector Bureau. Raleigh, March 27.—Among the extra-curricula activities for some of the General Assembly's members this week, organization of a "Fenner for Governor" club is reported on authority (plausible but far from unimpeachable) to hold a prominent place on the agenda of political business.

Just how much credence should be put in these reports this correspondent is unable to say. They bear the earmarks of authenticity but not of infallibility.

Substance of them is that the impulsive, aggressive and sometimes explosive Gentleman from Nash who heads the House Finance committee has been bitten by the gubernatorial bug; or at least, that many of his staunch supporters have reached the conclusion that he is of gubernatorial calibre and the further conclusion that it is up to them to do something about the matter of put-

Social and Personal

MODES of the MOMENT

by Adelaide Kerr



She's dressed for Easter morning services in a costume which combined navy blue and white—a favorite spring harmony in hues. The belted wool coat is designed with a collarless neckline piped in white pique and worn with a white scarf. A blue grosgrain ribbon band and boy add zip to the sailor of rough white straw. (Costume assembled by R. H. Macy).

winning high honors on every occasion. For the last three years Mr. H. A. McDougle has directed the high school band. The instrumentation has greatly increased during that time as well as the interest in the band. Both directors have greatly improved the organizations under their instruction since their entering the Greenville high school faculty. The grand concert combined of glee clubs and band is an annual affair to which the public is cordially invited. Proceeds from the concert will help defray expenses to Greensboro.

Annual Fine Arts Festival. April 9-16 will be known as Fine Arts week. The event will be sponsored by the Greenville Woman's Club and will be fifth consecutive year that the club has sponsored a similar project. Miss Dorothy Schnyder, chairman of the Art department, and Mrs. Travis Hooker, chairman of the Garden Club department, are working cooperatively to make Fine Arts week an outstanding event in the community. They will have the active cooperation of all Fine Arts organizations in the city. The Greenville Choral Club, the Little Theatre, the Art and Music departments of the high school and college, the Ramona School of Dancing, Mrs. C. W. Hearne and others trained in various phases of the Fine Arts, will work with the Woman's Club to make this Fine Arts week equal or superior to those of previous years. Miss Schnyder says the exhibits will be professional and amateur and sufficiently varied to stimulate the interest of all. They will be open to the public throughout the week. Mrs. Hooker is very enthusiastic about the Garden tour which will be on Wednesday and Thursday. April 12 and 13. This is the first time the local Garden Club has joined with the North Carolina Garden Club in its Garden Fortnight. The programs for the week will begin on Easter Sunday afternoon, when the Greenville Choral Club will give an Easter cantata at the Methodist Church. Immediately following the cantata, the club house will be opened and the public invited to see exhibits. During the

week the Little Theatre will give an evening's entertainment. Wednesday morning a program arranged by the American Home chairman of the 15th district, to which all club women of the district have been invited, will be given. Members of the college faculty will make talks on Arts and Sciences for the present day American home. Lunch for visitors will be served at the club house and in the afternoon they will join the Garden tour. At four o'clock they will be invited to a tea at the practice house at the college, through the courtesy of the home economics department and the Woman's Club. Thursday will be another Garden tour day, and in the afternoon tea will be served in the gardens of Mrs. W. E. Hooker, Mrs. J. B. James and Mrs. M. L. Wright. The Junior Woman's Club will sponsor a program on the Fine Arts for the grammar grade children of the city. This program will be given on Saturday. Other programs for the week will be announced later.

St. Paul's Church Lenten Services Monday: Confirmation Class, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday: Penitential Office and Holy Communion, 10 a. m. Meditation, 5:00 p. m. Thursday: Evening Prayer with sermon, 7:30. Friday: Litany and Holy Communion, 10 a. m. Meditation, 5 p. m. O. E. S. Installs Officers. The newly elected and appointed officers of Greenville chapter No. 149 Order of the Eastern Star were installed at the last regular meeting of the chapter in March. Mrs. Louise Wells, installing officer, was assisted by Mrs. Carrie Munford as marshal, Miss Edna Brown as organist, and Mrs. Mollie Brown as chaplain. The following will serve the chapter this year: Worthy Matron, Mrs. Kathleen Whitehurst; Worthy Patron, J. P. Harrington; Asso. Matron, Mrs. Thelma Joyner; Asso. Patron, A. R. House; secretary, Mrs. Josephine Rawl; treasurer, Mrs. Minnie Brooks; conductress, Mrs. Edith Harrington; associate conductress

Social Calendar

MONDAY

7:00 p. m.—The Lions Club will meet at the Woman's Club.

7:15 p. m.—Inter-city Rotary meeting at E. C. T. C.

7:45 p. m.—Workers' conference of church school teachers and officers of the Eighth Street Christian Church meets in the study at the church.

8:00 p. m.—Greenville Symphonic Chorus meets in Shepard Memorial Library.

8:00 p. m.—The Wesley Philathea Class of Jarvis Memorial Church will meet with Mrs. C. T. Munford.

11:00 a. m.—Mrs. Rufus Stark will entertain at a bridge luncheon honoring Miss Ada James.

1:00 p. m.—Luncheon and business meeting of the Woman's Club.

3:30 p. m.—The End of the Century Book Club will meet with Mrs. Ed Batchelor.

3:30 p. m.—Mrs. W. W. Lee will be hostess to the Athenaeum Book Club.

3:30 p. m.—The Inter Se Book Club will meet with Miss Louisa Hooker.

3:30 p. m.—Mrs. W. L. Hall will be hostess to the Sans Souci Book Club.

3:30 p. m.—The Chatham Book Club meets with Mrs. Rufus Stark.

3:45 p. m.—The Clio Club will meet with Miss Elizabeth Smith, in the "Y" hut.

4:00 p. m.—The Literature Department of the Woman's Club will meet with Mrs. P. G. Dennis, 412 Pitt street.

7:30 p. m.—The Little Theatre meets in Shepard Memorial Library.

7:30 p. m.—Withala Council degree of Pocahontas meets.

7:30 p. m.—St. Mary's Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church meets.

10:30 a. m.—3:00 p. m.—Mission study class at Christian Church.

1:00 a. m.—The German Club meets with Mrs. K. B. Pace.

3:15 p. m.—Mrs. Ed Batchelor will entertain her card club, with Miss Ada James as honor guest.

3:30 p. m.—The Pitt County chapter of Greensboro College Alumnae will meet with Mrs. J. W. Brown at the home of Mrs. J. D. Aman.

7:30 p. m.—The Presbyterian choir meets.

7:30 p. m.—The Methodist choir meets.

7:30 p. m.—The Memorial Baptist choir meets.

1:00 p. m.—Mrs. Ty Wagner will entertain at a luncheon honoring Miss Ada James.

6:30 p. m.—The Kiwanis Club meets at the Woman's Club.

9:00-10:00 p. m.—A reception honoring Dr. and Mrs. R. S. Boyd will be held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. M. Crisp.

Concert Tuesday Evening. The annual concert by the Greenville high school band and glee clubs will be given Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium. The program will be opened with two numbers by the band, "The Little Giant March" and "Bells Across the Meadows." The mixed chorus of the glee club will follow with "Cycle of Life," then the band will give a rendition of the overture "The Mid-night Sun." The boys' glee club will sing "Thanks Be To God," followed by the band's playing "Old Vienna." The girls' trio will sing "Robin in the Rain" and the boys' quartette will follow with "All Through the Night." "Dauntless" will be the band's next number while the girls' glee club next sing "Lullaby" and "O Lovely Night." "Beethoven's 'Creation Hymn'" will be the next arrangement. Then the mixed chorus will sing two numbers "Music of Life" and "Spirit of the Lord." Concluding the performance the mixed chorus and band will join in singing "Dear Old Greenville."

J. I. Morgan and J. Y. Monk of Farmville, were Greenville visitors today.

Mrs. and Mrs. A. E. Hogwood, Misses Betty and Frances Hogwood, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wilson spent Sunday in Raleigh.

W. S. Moye, Calvin Gorman, Elbert Moore, Tom Marsden and Cam Fetter have returned from Atlantic Beach, where they spent the weekend.

Mrs. and Mrs. Robert Jackson and family of Washington, spent yesterday in Greenville with Mrs. Jackson's sister, Mrs. N. A. Roebuck.

Mrs. A. Henderson of Raleigh, spent the week-end with Mrs. B. McKay Johnston.

Mrs. E. F. Arnold of Raleigh, spent Sunday with Mrs. Howard McGinnis.

Miss Virginia McDaniel of Grifton, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. E. L. McDaniel.

Mrs. J. L. Winstead, Mrs. B. S. Warren, Mrs. Jack Edwards, Mrs. Sam Northrup, and Mrs. Rufus Stark, spent Saturday in Newport News, Va., with Mr. William Collier.

Miss Harriet Lloyd left Friday night to visit her aunt in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Roy Davenport and little daughter, Jamie Ruth, have returned to their home in Norfolk, after visiting Mrs. Davenport's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jones.

Mrs. Karl Gibson and little daughter, Frances Glenn, Mrs. Vernon Cox and Mrs. Ernal Willis left yesterday for Norfolk to spend some time with relatives.

Recovering. Mrs. J. I. Simmons who has been very ill for the past six weeks in Johnson-Willis Hospital in Richmond, returned to her home yesterday and is recuperating satisfactorily.

Returns To Panama. Bruce Court who has been at home for some time on account of his father's illness, has returned to Panama.

In Hospital. Little Mary Todd Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Smith of Bethel, is in Pitt General Hospital, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis last week.

Greensboro Alumnae To Meet. The Pitt county chapter of Greensboro College Alumnae Association will meet with Mrs. J. W. Brown at the home of Mrs. J. D. Aman on Wednesday afternoon at 3:30.

Miss Katherine Holtzclaw will speak on "Costumes, Styles of the Last Hundred Years."

German Club To Meet. The German Club will meet Wednesday morning at eleven o'clock at the home of Mrs. K. B. Pace.

Attend Dramatic Festival. Misses Georgia Sugg and Helen McGinnis, Clifton Britton and Harvey Deal attended the North Carolina dramatic festival at Chapel Hill on Friday and Saturday, returning Saturday afternoon. Plays, exhibits, make-up contests, and other interesting elements of the stage were seen and studied by the E. C. T. C. group.

Miss McGinnis is president of the Dramatic Club at the college and also a member of the Little Theatre group of Greenville. The others are members of the college club.

Mrs. Rivers Complimented. On Saturday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. E. B. Ferguson, Mrs. Hugh Evans and Miss Mary Shaw Hobson were joint hostesses at bridge, complimenting Mrs. Tom Rivers.

The lower floor of the home was beautifully decorated with attractive arrangements of red tulips, white and purple iris and jonquils.

Miss Jean Brown was presented a potted plant for making the high score.

Mrs. Rivers was remembered with linen and crystal in her chosen pattern.

The hostesses served a tempting salad course with coffee.

Mrs. Rufus Henderson Nimms of Raleigh, was an out-of-town guest.

Mrs. Kittrell Hostess. Mrs. J. B. Kittrell was hostess at a delightful bridge luncheon on Saturday at one o'clock when she entertained Miss Ada James and her bridge club, and Mrs. Tom Rivers and her out-of-town guests.

Sharing honors with Miss James and Mrs. Rivers was Mrs. James Skinner, a bride of the fall season.

The home on East Fifth street, was artistically decorated with tulips, iris and sweet peas with a predominating color note of green and white. The brides' table, in the dining room, was covered with a cloth of Italian cutwork, centered with a beautiful arrangement of white sweet peas, tulips and iris placed beneath a shower of lilies of the valley, tall and wedding bells hung from the center of the crystal chandelier. Each place was marked with a corsage of white roses and sweet peas. Seated with the brides were Mrs. Cammie Moore, Mrs. H. L. Rivers and Mrs. Will Lipscomb. The individual tables placed throughout the home were centered with sweet peas in varied colors. A corsage of sweet peas in the same shades marked each guest's place. Mrs. Kittrell served a tempting course luncheon. In the ice course the bridal motif was carried out. For high score at bridge, Mrs. H. L. Osmond was awarded crystal goblets. As a reminder of this delightful affair, Mrs. Rivers was presented a crystal vase, Miss James china in her selected pattern, and Mrs. Skinner, glass in her chosen pattern.

Forty Years Ago Today

Items From THE DAILY REFLECTOR Monday, March 27, 1899

SPROUTS Mark The Beginning of Spring

In the church calendar this is known as Holy Week. This week will belong to the millinery openings and the ladies. There will be enough soda fountains running next summer to keep up a constant sizz. Mrs. Georgia James returned Saturday evening from Baltimore. If next Sunday is as pretty a day as yesterday was, the wearer of the new Easter bonnet will be intensely happy.

Mrs. Nelle Moore; chaplain, Mrs. Carrie Munford; marshal, Mrs. Nannie Lee Williford; organist, Mrs. Lena Galloway; Adah, Mrs. Sarah Taylor; Ruth, Mrs. Grace Davenport; Esther, Mrs. Sorita Coston; Martha, Mrs. Bertha Williams; Electa, Mrs. Dessie Elks; warder, J. S. Elks; sentinel, Mrs. Eva Corbett. Mrs. Patsy Randolph, retiring Worthy Matron, gave a very interesting scrapbook containing clippings, pictures and souvenirs of the chapter's work during the past year. The book will be left in the chapter room, and other items added from time to time by members. The chapter presented Mrs. Randolph with a Past Matron's jewel and J. S. Elks, the retiring Patron, with a Past Patron's jewel. One member was received by affiliation and visitors were welcomed from Kinship, Wilmington and Farmville. Refreshments were served during the social hour. The chapter room was attractively decorated with spring flowers.—Reported.

Local Beauty Shoppe Has Latest Creations

The Greenville Beauty Shoppe today announced that Mrs. Marjorie Arnold, one of its staff experts, has just returned from the annual beauty show in New York, which prepares the shoppe to bring to Green-

Carolina Women Show Trend Of The South

Late returns from the Query among Southern women show our Carolina women indicated a general trend. Here 94 per cent of all the users queried said they were definitely benefited by CARDUI!—Almost the same story was told by women in eleven other states where the average was 93 per cent benefited. Back of this great record of help for rundown, nervous women who suffer from headache, depression, cramp-like pains, other symptoms of functional dysmenorrhea due to malnutrition, is sound medical explanation. CARDUI stimulates appetite, assist digestion, and thus builds physical resistance.

RESIGNS POSITION. H. M. Blount today announced his resignation from the Carolina Cold Storage. Mr. Blount had served as vice president and general manager of the firm since the establishment of the firm here about two years ago.

WANT ADS PAY

SPECIAL PRICES!!! NEWEST STYLES!!! ENGRAVED WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENTS INVITATIONS and CALLING CARDS BEST JEWELRY CO.

Do You Have Foot Troubles? ATTEND SHELL'S FOOT CLINIC Ralph L. Shell, Registered and Graduate Practicedist and Masseur FOOT SPECIALIST OFFICE: Coburn's Shoe Store — Phone 35 SHELL'S FOOT CLINIC —APPOINTMENTS—

Easter Fashions Are Here Twelve Days To Easter! It is a day when everyone strives to look their loveliest, in keeping with the Spirit of the Season! Forbes is ready with Glorious New Easter Fashions for everyone --- Come in tomorrow --- and get yours! Special Reductions on COATS and SUITS - New HATS-New ACCESSORIES C. HEBER FORBES

STATE GARDEN TOUR PLANNED

Itinerary For Second Annual Event Is Announced

Reflector Bureau.
Raleigh, March 27.—With announcement of the itinerary and dates for the North Carolina Garden Club's second annual spring Garden Tour and tour, plans for this two weeks' pilgrimage are practically complete.

The tour will start April 8, and will carry club members and guests to 24 cities and towns throughout the eastern and central parts of North Carolina. Gardens—private and public—historic homesteads, plantations and estates in each locality will be opened to the entourage.

The itinerary and dates are as follows: April 9-15, Graham; April 10, Elizabeth City; April 10-12, Concord; April 11-12, Fayetteville, Rocky Mount, Tarboro; April 12-13, Greenville, High Point, Raleigh; April 12-14, Lexington; April 13-14, Bath, Winston-Salem; April 14, Wake Forest; April 14-15, Durham, Henderson, Roanoke Rapids; April 15, Hillsboro; April 15-16, Chapel Hill; April 16-23, Gastonia; April 18-20, New Bern; April 18-23, Red Springs and Florio; McDonald's College; April 19-20, Oxford; and April 19-21, Salisbury.

Due to the earlier blooming season in the extreme eastern part of the state, gardens in and around Wilmington were opened this past week-end, though the two-day exhibition of Airlie's magnificent azalea gardens to the public has been set for March 31 and April 1. Orton Plantation, in Brunswick near Wilmington, will be open throughout the season. Established in 1725 by "King" Roger Moore, the plantation grounds, and mansion have remained virtually unchanged since Colonial times. More than 50 varieties of camellias and azaleas are now blooming there.

At Bath and New Bern, members of the Garden Club tour will be given an opportunity to browse through a number of historic homes that have never before been open to the public.

NEWCOMERS AND REMOVALS

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Hathaway have moved to Greenville from New Bern and are living on Reade street.

Carl L. Hinnant, a newcomer to Greenville, is residing at Mrs. Virginia Perkins' on Evans street.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Orelle, Jr., have vacated the apartment of B. B. Gibbs, 305 Eastern street, and moved to C. T. Fleming's apartment at 403 Harding street.

Geo. D. Vincent plans to move to 806 James street around April 1st, having purchased Miss Margaret Welch's house at this address. Miss Welch is moving to Kinston.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Gaston have moved to 411 Jarvis street, in the house formerly occupied by J. D. Alexander, having previously lived at 409 Pitt street.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayland J. Sermons recently moved to 1218 Dickinson avenue in the home of R. V. Keel, from 217 Harding street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Morton and family have vacated the house on Maple street which they sold to C. C. Skinner, and have purchased the house of Wayland J. Sermons at 217 Harding street.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Conway have moved from 1215 Reade street to 110 E. 13th street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Rivers, a recently married couple, have an apartment at 404 E. Tenth street.

Miss Mary Louise Langley is employed in the office of the city of Greenville, taking the position vacated by Mrs. Joanna Godwin Norris.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Brunson have moved from 308 Pitt street to the home of Mr. Brunson's mother on Chestnut street extended.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bryan Brown, former Greenville residents, who have been living in Kinston for the past year, will return to Greenville in April and will occupy one of Mrs. McGowan's apartments on East Ninth street when they are completed.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Handker have moved to Greenville from Eureka, Ohio, and are living at Mrs. J. C. Wooten's on East Fifth street.

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF LAND

By virtue of the authority vested in us in an order of sale made in that special proceeding entitled J. B. TAFT, ADMINISTRATOR OF NORA BROWN, and J. B. TAFT, INDIVIDUALLY VS. MARY ELIZABETH BELL, A MINOR, the undersigned commissioners will offer for sale for cash, at the court house door in Greenville, on

Monday, April 10, 1939
AT NOON

the following described lands, to-wit:

Situate and being in the Town of Greenville and lying on the west side of Greenville, south side of the Falkland road, on the west side of Carolina Avenue, beginning at the southwest corner of John Digins lot at an iron stake running west with his line — feet to Katie Spell's line; thence a southerly course with his line 42 feet to a stake; thence an easterly course with — line — feet to the west line of said Carolina Avenue to an iron stake, said — north-east corner; thence a northerly course with said Avenue 42 feet to the beginning and being lot No. 7 in Block "A" on a map of the said Sheppard's Little Cherry land, containing 1-5 of an acre, more or less, and being the same conveyed by Henry Sheppard to Nathan Lewis, by

Easter Costume Chart

by Adelaide Kern

	Schoolgirl	Career Girl	Young Matron	Woman Over Fifty
Dress	Navy blue crepe frock with crisp white owl gandy guimpe. Brown and white checked surah or rayon crepe dress with pleated skirt. Sheer blue wool dress with red and white checked bolero. Gay jampot print.	Jane Eyre basque frock of navy blue crepe with swirling gored skirt and schoolgirl collar edged with Irish crochet. Marine green and white polka dot surah frock with crisply pleated skirt. Black crepe dress having white carnations embroidered on each side of the neckline.	Pencil slim frock of marine green sheer wool topped by a bolero jacket accented with starch-white pique revers. Trim-waisted dress of navy tulle or crepe, whose gored skirt swishes over a striped tulle petticoat. Chamberlain's top hat prim.	Simple dark crepe frock with sheer white lingerie yoke to give it the gentlewoman look. Black and white striped bolero frock with white pique revers. Dress of dark printed crepe splashed with small white figures or angel and halo designs.
Coat	Fitted hem-length coat of plain navy blue, bottle green, caramel beige or dark striped wool finished with a white pique edge at the neckline or tailored with a small collar and worn with a plaid scarf. Short box coat of pastel wool (pale blue, for instance) to wear with a dark dress.	Redingots with small collar, or fitted, belted collarless coat of dark blue, gray, or beige wool. Both emphasize neat fitted waist. Many have flared skirts.	Dark twill coat designed with square neckline fitted top and full gathered skirt to look like a dress. Short box coat to wear over gay printed frocks. (Light colored coats are being shown to wear over dark or neutral toned frocks.)	High collared dark blue, marine green or café-au-lait wool coat cut on pencil straight lines to give slimming effect to a heavy figure. Slightly fitted coat collared with long haired fur.
Suit	Covered cloth suit designed with pleated skirt and snugly fitted jacket having white pique lapels. Basque suit of navy blue, gray, green or dark blue and white striped wool. Suit combining a striped jacket and pleated skirt. Dark blue bolero suit with white organdy "baby blouse."	Dress and jacket suit cut on fitted silhouette of beige, navy blue, green or gray sheer wool worn over a swishing colored tulle petticoat. Dark blue and white pin-striped tulle suit with fitted hip-length jacket. Blouse of lace-edged white tulle or polka dotted surah.	Soft 1939 "suit" combining a checked wool frock with a plain fitted bolero jacket. Tailleur of twill or tweed. Navy blue silk faille suit with frothy white organdy blouse.	Black or navy blue wool suit designed with straight hiplength jacket. Tailleur of twill or sheer wool (plain or striped) designed with a fitted jacket and worn with a polka dot surah blouse. Black faille suit cut on fitted lines and worn with white chiffon blouse having lace inserts.
Hat	Breton sailor worn on the back of the head. Pilgrim father sailor with a polka dotted scarf knotted around the high crown above a narrow brim. Bonnet tied under the chin with a colorful veiling bow.	Smart polka dot sailor to match a blouse. Stock little straw chapeau whose crown is pierced with two quills. A gay little bonnet whose front is filled with flowers or another small flower-trimmed chapeau.	Burnt straw sailor whose high crown is tied up in plaid ribbon. Small straw hat laden with flowers or ribbons and worn well down on the forehead. Sailor with a brim of starched white lace.	A tricorne wrapped up in a dotted veil. Sailor, winged like Mercury's helmet. A toque smothered in spring blossoms.
Accessories	Dutch shoes of black, navy blue, brown or rosy earth color. Gloves—plaid tulle or softly colored suede. Lunch basket, banding of lacquered straw. Shell neckties.	High heeled oxfords of navy blue, wine, copper or calf or step-ins of black patent leather. Gloves, white, rust or light colored. A Chamberlain's (book-banded) hatbox. A matching bag.	Shoes—Step-ins of black patent leather, navy suede or tan calf. Bag—convenient, soft in construction, colored suede, alligator or calf. Misty colored veil to match petticoat, gloves, neckties or basque.	Shoes—Step-ins or ties of black patent leather, navy or brown calf or suede. Gloves—white or light colored. White lines of the valley. Moonstone flower clip. Bands of pinks or violets.

deed recorded in Book Q-11, page 472.

The highest bidder at said sale will be required to make a deposit of 10 per cent of the purchase price pending confirmation of the sale by the court.

This March 10, 1939.
S. O. WORTHINGTON,
S. B. UNDERWOOD, Jr.,
Commissioners.

Mar. 16-17w-4wk.
Mar. 2-17w-4wk.

NOTICE
This is to certify that on this the 4th day of March, 1939, I conveyed my entire right and interest in the Mercantile business of H. H. Worthington & Co., situate in the Town of Winterville, N. C., and all persons who owe the said firm of H. H. Worthington & Co., will pay same to H. H. Worthington, and all persons who may have claims against the said firm will present them to H. H. Worthington.

This the 4th day of March, 1939.
the Estate of Mrs. J. A. C.
JOE WEATHINGTON,
Mar. 6-17w-4wk.

NOTICE
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
Y. E. T. Abiouness, formerly doing business at Five Points in Greenville, N. C., has this day sold all the stock, fixtures and the trade name of The Gloria Shoppe, to N. J. Thomas, and will not be responsible for any obligations created after this date. The business will be operated by Mr. N. J. Thomas who will pay all obligations incurred.

This the 1st day of March, 1939.
I thank all of my Pitt County

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Y. E. T. ABIOUNESS,
(The Gloria Shoppe).

NOTICE OF SALE OF LOT

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by Mary Clark (also known as Mary Little)

to S. Q. Worthington, trustee, dated May 26, 1930, and recorded in Book N-18, at page 194 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, default having been made in the payment of the debt therein secured



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Return of Memel to the Fatherland, which lost it at the end of the World war, became official when an agreement was signed at Berlin by Joachim von Ribbentrop (right, affixing signature), German foreign minister, and Jozas Urbys (left), Lithuanian foreign minister. The pact assures Lithuania of a free Baltic sea port at Memel, principal city of the relinquished territory. This is a radiophoto.

and the owner of the note having called upon said trustee to foreclose said trust, the undersigned trustee will on Monday, the 3rd day of April 1939 at 12 o'clock, M. before the courthouse door in Greenville, N. C., offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash the following lot:

That certain lot in the Town of Greenville located on the West side of Tyson Street, and beginning at a stake on the West side of Tyson Street, a corner between Lots Nos. 11 and 10, and runs southwardly with Tyson Street 47.5 feet to a stake; thence westwardly with the line between Lots Nos. 11 and 12, 95 feet to a stake, a corner between Lots Nos. 11, 12, 15 and 16; thence northwardly with the line between Lots 11 and 16, 47.5 feet to a stake, a corner between Lots 11, 12, 16 and 17; thence with the line between lots 10 and 11, 95 feet to the beginning, and being Lot No. 11 in Block "B" as shown on map of the J. L. More property made by H. L. Rivers, C. E. known as Billmore, said map being of record in Map Book 2, at page 186.

This the 2nd day of March, 1939.
S. O. WORTHINGTON,
Trustee.
J. I. Allen Estate,
Owner of Debt.
Harding & Lee, Attys.
Mar. 4-17w-4wk.

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- Solid Maple Chest**, large 6-drawer style. Size 10 x 16 x 36. Finished in mahogany, walnut or maple. **5.98**
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H. B. 848 SHOULD NOT PASS

The publication in this paper Saturday of House Bill 848 which would give all past and present Pitt county officers a clear bill on their failure to collect fees, commissions, fines and costs, prior to January 1, this year, and relieve them and their bondsmen of all liability in the matter has brought much reaction among our citizens who have freely expressed their opposition to any such legislation.

We join heartily in the opposition to this measure, for when a public official enters office he takes oath to carry out the duties of the office and if the duties include the collection of money for the county and he refuses or neglects to carry out these duties, certainly the legislature should not come along and relieve him of liability thereby causing the county to be unable to collect money that rightfully belongs to it.

While the bill already passed by the House and now in the hands of the Senate Judiciary committee, would work to the benefit of any and all county officers whose house is not in order, it is the general belief that the bill was presented primarily for the purpose of relieving former Sheriff S. A. Whitehurst and his bondsmen of liability to the county for fees, commissions, fines, costs, etc., which he admitted he neglected to collect while acting as sheriff of the county, despite his admission that he knew such collections were a part of the duties of his office.

There is no such thing as legalizing a wrong into a right, and to legislate a clean slate for officers who fail to do their duty, thereby depriving the county of money that is justly due, is certainly a far way from justice to the tax payers of the county.

It is not our desire to see our former sheriff persecuted nor is it our desire to see a piece of legislation enacted that would deprive the county of its just rights. We have previously stated in this column, and we say again, that there is but one way that the Whitehurst matter and similar matters dealing with other county officers can be satisfactorily settled, and that is the right way. There should be a careful analysis of the audits of all the officers and if any officer is indebted to the county he should be compelled to make settlement. On the other hand, the county should be diligent to guard against forcing any persons to pay the county one cent more

it, is the only right and sound basis for settlement of these matters.

SHORT SHOTS

By HENRY AVERILL and LYNN NISBET

Reflector Bureau Raleigh, March 27—Unless there is a tremendous rush to introduce bills today, the last day on which introduction will be permitted without suspension of the rules the House will fall something short of its 1937 total.

Through Saturday's early morning session there had been put into the House hopper 1,655 bills. Two years ago the final was No. 1313.

In the House Saturday Yarkin Frank Woodhouse introduced a bill to abolish the office of commissioner of paroles.

Frank Gibbs in the Senate and John Kerr in the House offered bills Saturday requiring anyone up imposing any stray dog, to report that fact to the county game warden within 24 hours, giving a full description of the animal.

Senator John Larkins' vote can always be identified by his emphatic and long-drawn "aye" or "no". It was noticeable, however, that there was no answer at all when the yarkins name was called on the "Markers Bill" minority report, although the Jones Senator was present in the chamber both before and after the roll call on this important election reform measure.

One of the hottest fights over legislation which never reached the floor of the General Assembly was the scrap over the Rocky Mount court. Nashville and Tarboro thought Rocky Mount was trying to steal some of her prestige by establishment of a bi-county court with almost the same jurisdiction as Superior courts. The issue got to be a sore point with Nash and Edgecombe folks and every time anything dealing with a statewide court law came up in the House of representatives Fenner or Abernathy or Eagles would demand at once to know what it was all about. Day or two ago Guilford's Rupert Pickens attempted to review a local court bill for Richmond county only. Before he could get his motion considered he had to thoroughly satisfy Messrs Fenner and Abernathy that it didn't and couldn't affect Rocky Mount or Nash county.

Ordinarily when the speaker of the House or the president of the Senate ratifies bills and resolutions there are a number of them and the clerk has several minutes steady reading to do. Friday morning Speaker Ward interrupted a floor debate with the announcement that the chair is about to ratify the following bills and resolutions. The clerk read "House Bill No. 13. An act to be entitled Act to Raise Revenue." That was all. Before most members of the house realized what was happening the biggest revenue bill ever enacted by the state of North Carolina was finally made law.

Sergeant at Arms Brown was having the dickens of a time keeping members quiet in the lobby back of the speakers stand. Mr. Ward had twice reminded him to calm them down. Uncle Tom muttered under his breath "You better hold your sessions back there. There's more members there than where they belong"

Elaine Wagner, Dallas high school sophomore, thinks life begins before fifteen. She has medals for tennis, swimming, toe dancing, tight wire walking and rifle marksmanship.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE Having qualified as administrator on the estate of Mrs. J. A. C. Wilson, deceased, late of the County of Pitt, State of North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of February, 1940, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 15th day of Feb., 1939. LOUIS C. SKINNER, Adm., of Wilson.

NOTICE OF ADVERTISEMENT OF SALE OF LAND FOR NON-PAYMENT OF TAXES IN THE SUPERIOR COURT Town of Greenville

vs. Sharper Forbes and wife, Mrs. Sharper Forbes.

By virtue and in pursuance of a decree of the Superior Court made in the above entitled Cause on February 27, 1939, the undersigned, a Commissioner appointed for the purposes therein name (it being a suit to foreclose the lien on the herein after described lands held by the plaintiff for the non-payment of taxes) will expose for sale to the highest bidder, at public auction for cash on Monday, the 3rd day of April, 1939 at the Courthouse door in the City of Greenville, North Carolina, at 12 o'clock M., the following lots of land situated in the County of Pitt and State of North Carolina, described as follows: That certain lot lying and being in the Town of Greenville, N. C. and being House No. 1126 Fleming Street. This the 2nd day of March, 1939. F. C. HARDING, Commissioner 3-4-1twk-4wks.

Rumania Ruler Plays A Cagey Game To Keep Rich Little Country Free

By The AP Feature Service. A square-jawed Hohenzollern stands athwart the Nazi dream lane down the Danube, pathway to the East.

Like Hitler, Rumania's King Carol II is a dictator, forceful, adept in politics, practical, and in many ways a self-made man. But Carol is no ascetic; there's a tilt to his crown, meat on his table, romance in his life and often a smile on his lips.

"We all have the God-given right to order our own lives and follow our own sentiments," says the man who once renounced his throne for love. As a princely playboy, he set Europe's tongues wagging. Now he is 46, serious and portly and a key figure in moves that may determine whether Europe is to have peace or war.

Nazi Dreamland? His realm, about the size of Arizona, is the mouth of a funnel of mountains and rivers of Eastern Europe. There the Danube and Dniester flow into the Black Sea. There the Carpathians and Transylvania Alps converge. There is produced a fourth of Europe's crude oil and a sizeable portion of its farm crops.

No wonder Hitler eyes it, largest and richest country of the Balkans. Control would go a long way toward making the Nazi dream of self-sufficiency come true.

The new trade treaty between Germany and Rumania ties the rich, little Balkan country close to the expanding Nazi empire—economically. Will Germany be satisfied with that? Hitler hasn't said. But Rumania is an important gateway to the Ukraine, a Hitler goal. Whether Germany ever uses that gateway depends to a big extent on the man who rules it. This is his story.

But if it's going to be a scrap, Carol should know his way around. Love, war, diplomacy, purges and politics—just name the game. Carol knows the rules.

It wasn't long after the Reich stretched its borders over the Czech mountains last year that Carol called on Paris, London—and Berlin. At that time, too, Rumania police made quick work of a domestic crop of Nazis. Fourteen were killed. The German press frothed.

Like Frank and England, Rumania is a "have" nation. Carved out of Turkey in 1861, it was doubled in size after the World war at the expense of Hungary and Bulgaria (still in the German orbit) and Russia. Some believe Carol would like to play with London and Paris.

But Carol has to sell oil and farm produce, buy munitions. Rumania is used to trading up the Danube. That's mostly Germany now, and trade with the Reich sometimes means the bartering of political rights.

Once The Playboy. Nazi Germany does not approve of his friend, Madame Lupescu, who is Jewish. But Carol considers his love affairs strictly his own business.

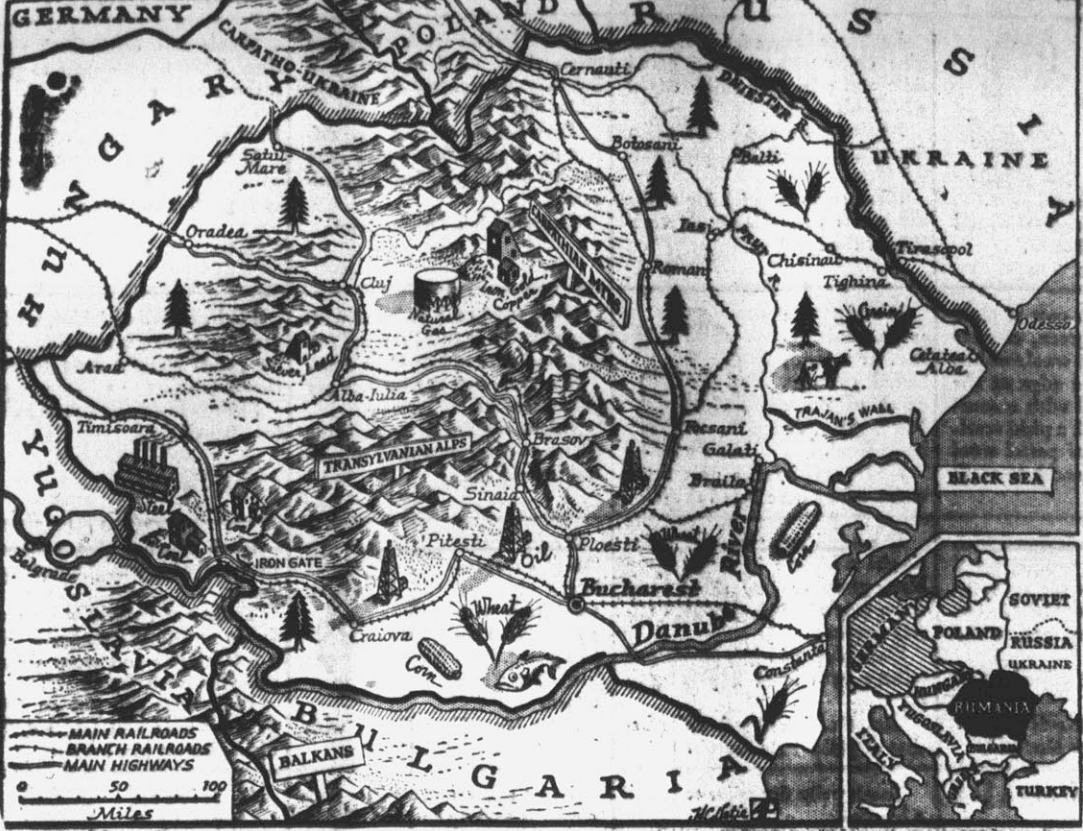
The first of record was his elopement with pretty Jean "Zizi" Lambrino during the World war. She bore him a son in 1926, but by the close of next year Carol was married to Greece's Princess Helen and the father of another son, now Crown Prince Michael. Carol met Madame Lupescu, a divorcée, three years later. Called her "Bibi", the affair produced family friction and continuing Rumanian crises. Carol went into exile with her, renouncing his royal rights. Helen divorced him in 1928.

The Rumanian playboy flew back in 1930 and took the throne in a bloodless coup, displacing his son, the "boy king" who succeeded after Carol's father died. Lupescu came back to Rumania, too. Helen left the country.

Subjects Are Farmers. As King, Carol has founded free schools and colleges and introduced modern farming. Four-fifths of his 19 million subjects are farmers. His premiers have been of various political shades. But last December he disbanded all parties and called for a common front. At the side of the six-foot king now is stumpy, strong-armed Premier Calinescu who smashed the fascist Iron Guard. Madame Lupescu, now 39, still is around.

Another hint: his mother, the late Queen Marie, is credited with putting Rumania on the allies' side in the World war. Through her, this Hohenzollern is a great grandson of Queen Victoria just like England's King George VI.

But don't bet too much that Carol won't play ball with Rome and Berlin—if he figures it is the best way to save his country and crown.



The Nazi rolling stone has reached the Rumanian moss through a trade treaty giving Germany easier access to Rumania's resources, pictured here. This map shows the principal products of the little country that was conquered by the Roman Emperor Trajan in 105 A. D. and became an independent nation only last century.



CAROL II OF RUMANIA "... a tilt to his crown, meat on his table ..."

Washington Daybook

By Preston Grover

Washington—Troubles over in Europe are as nothing compared to the conflict between the Federal Housing Administration and Federal Home Loan Bank Board over which is going to build the country's homes. Theirs is not a strictly intramural battle. It goes outside, with the banks siding with Stewart McDonald and his FHA and the Building and Loan Associations, favoring John H. Fahey of the Home Loan Bank Board. Each outside group is supporting the outfit from which it gets the most butter.

The things dates back to 1934 when the FHA was formed as a means of guaranteeing bank investments in home mortgages. Since the depression, banks had been wary of such "slow" investments. They were not sure they could get their money out fast enough in case of another panic.

FHA pretty much remedied that. It took the bulk of the risk from the banks and shouldered it upon a federal corporation. Since then banks have been lending money to build homes as they never did before. Since 1934 they have poured approximately a billion and a half into home mortgages.

Safe For Banks Under the plan, bank advances

new building jobs, but now the situation is just reversed. Seven mortgages goes to new construction to three on old homes. Meantime, mortgage interest rates have been cut from 7 or 9 per cent to as low as 4-1-4 per cent.

Banks have been especially pleased with the layout because in recent years they have found mighty few outlets for their money. They point out that they represent a "reservoir" of approximately \$45,000,000,000 of lendable capital while the Building and Loan associations have less than \$6,000,000,000.

But it is FHA which is on the pan. It has "insured" \$1,800,000,000 of mortgages (mostly through banks) and has a present legal limit of \$3,000,000,000. All that will be absorbed this year. It has to get both an extension of life and an extension of its insurance limit from Congress.

And there is where Fahey of the Home Owners Loan Bank board and the Building and Loan associations come in. They proposed that Congress dissolve FHA, transfer its functions to the loan board and carry on with one organization.

The banks think that smells like an effort to subordinate their business to that of the Building and Loan Associations. An unusual element is that there business is not asking the Government to keep its hands out. It is asking the Government to stay in—actively.

NOTICE Virginia Bruce Waters

The defendant, Virginia Bruce Waters, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, to obtain an absolute divorce; and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said county in the courthouse in Greenville, N. C. on the 17th day of March, 1939, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 17th day of March, 1939. J. F. HARRINGTON, Clerk Superior Court. Mar. 18-1tw-4wk.

NOTICE OF ADVERTISEMENT OF SALE OF LAND FOR NON-PAYMENT OF TAXES IN THE SUPERIOR COURT Town of Greenville

vs. B. C. Savage and wife, Mrs. B. C. Savage.

By virtue and in pursuance of a decree of the Superior Court made in the above entitled Cause on February 27, 1939, the undersigned, a Commissioner appointed for the purposes therein name (it being a suit to foreclose the lien on the herein after described lands held by the plaintiff for the non-payment of taxes) will expose for sale to the highest bidder, at public sale for cash on Monday, the 3rd day of April, 1939 at the Courthouse door in the City of Greenville, North Carolina, at 12 o'clock M., the following lots of land situated in the County of Pitt

and State of North Carolina, described as follows: That certain lot or parcel of land lying and being situated in the Town of Greenville, North Carolina, located on Chestnut Street, and being house No. 1210 Chestnut Street. This the 2nd day of March, 1939. F. C. HARDING, Commissioner 3-4-1twk-4wks.

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vs. Morris Moye and wife, Mrs. Morris Moye and W. E. Flanagan, Mudge, et al.

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By J. F. Harrington, Clerk, in that certain Special Proceeding entitled Amelia Parks and husband, Thomas Parks, Mary Davis and husband, Nathan Davis, and Louise Short, widow Miles Short, now pending in the Superior Court of Pitt County, the undersigned Commissioner will on Monday, the 17th day of April, 1939 at 12 o'clock noon expose to public sale before the Court House door in Pitt County, North Carolina, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real property, to-wit: Beginning at the Southwest corner of Joe Moye's lot on Greene Street and running thence Eastwardly with said Moye's Southern line about 132 feet to a stake, a corner; thence Southward with the Exum and Briley's line about 55 feet to a stake at Sam Godley's North East corner; thence Westward with Sam Godley's Northern line about 132 feet to a stake at a corner on the corner of Greene Street with the Eastern boundary line on Greene Street about 55 feet to a stake, corner, the beginning. This sale will be made for the purpose of making partition of the proceeds among tenants in common. This the 15th day of March, 1939. F. C. HARDING, Commissioner. Harding and Lee, Attys. Mar. 16-1tw-4wk.

SALE OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon us in a deed of trust executed by C. B. Powell and wife, Louisa Powell, on the 1st day of December, 1935, and recorded in Book P-20, page 547, we will on Saturday, the 1st day of April, 1939 at the courthouse door in Pitt County, Greenville, N. C., sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder the following land, to-wit: Beginning at an iron stake on the road, the corner of Lot No. 5, and running S. 32° E. 2,605 ft. to an iron stake on a ditch bank; thence N. 5° E. 1,774 ft. along said ditch to a stake; thence N. 23° and 20' E. 170 ft.; thence N. 6° and 30' E. 410 ft. to an oak; thence S. 64° and 50' E. 233 ft.; thence S. 85° E. 183 ft.; thence N. 84° and 50' E. 460 ft.; thence N. 82° and 30' E. 241 ft.; thence S. 66° and 50' E. 179 ft.; thence S. 43° 27' ft.; thence S. 910 ft.; thence N. 82° E. 304 ft.; thence S. 87° and 50' E. 310 ft. to a road; thence S. 69° E. 166 ft. to a stump; thence with a road S. 5° W. 1,368 ft. to the beginning, containing 123.3 acres, more or less, being a part of the land purchased by J. F. Davenport and wife by James and Tom Teel, map of which is on record in the Register's office in Map Book 1, page 108. This tract of land is situated in Greenville Township, Pitt County, and bounded on the North by the lands of Wiley Langley, on the East by the lands of J. D. Fleming, on the South by the lands of R. D. Harrington, and on the West by the lands of J. A. Adams.

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Chicago Grain Market Courtesy Vernon Parrish

Table with columns for WHEAT, CORN, OATS, RYE and rows for May, July, Sept. with prices.

IS HE MAN OR MONSTER? SEE SON OF FRANKENSTEIN PITT—Thur.-Fri.

New York Cotton New York, March 27.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened unchanged to two higher. Trade and mill accounts had price-fixing orders in nearby positions and there was some New Orleans buying. Around mid-morning prices were ahead four to five points in a slow trade. May sold at 8.21 and October moved up to 7.62, each four net higher. At noon the list was one to five points net higher.

Table with columns for May, July, Sept, Jan, Mar and rows for various cotton grades.

Richmond Livestock (Courtesy J. N. and J. L. Williams) Richmond, Va., March 27.—Hogs, light run. Market steady and unchanged. Good and choice 180 to 220 lbs. run of gilts and barrows, \$7.25 to \$7.50, the top; 160 to 180 lbs., and 220 to 250 lbs., \$7 to \$7.25; 140 to 170 lbs., and 250 to 300 lbs., \$6.75 to \$7; under 140 lbs. \$1 to \$1.25 under the top. Sows under 350 lbs., \$1.50 to \$1.75 under top. All hogs bought subject to discount if soft and only.

Cattle—The week's supply fairly heavy, market fully steady. Good steers sold \$8.50 to \$9.25; mediums \$7.25 to \$8.25; common steers \$6 to \$7. Common and medium heifers sold \$5 to \$7; good butcher heifers \$8 to \$8.25. Cows steady, poor under grades \$4 to \$4.50; mediums around \$5 to \$5.25, and good butcher cows sold to \$6. Bulls active and steady. Common bulls \$4 to \$5; mediums \$5 to \$5.75; good butcher bulls \$6 to \$6.50. Vealers steady; top at \$10.50 for choice vealers. Sheep—Lambs, no receipts of any consequence.

B. & L. Associations Loans Made Known The home loans made by building, savings and loan associations in North Carolina during February of this year, amounting practically the same amount as those of January, 1939, but represented an increase of more than \$300,000 over February of last year.

A total of 1,003 loans were made to the amount of \$1,623,000, according to Wheeler Martin of Williams, vice-president of the North Carolina Building and Loan League. Forty-three per cent of the total amount loaned out was for this purpose, to the amount of \$707,000.

During February, over 200 individuals purchased homes to the value of \$367,000 through these home financing institutions, it was stated by Mr. Martin; while the balance of 448 loans, to the amount of \$549,000, were made for repairs, refinancing, reconditioning of homes and for miscellaneous purposes. This loan activity of the building and loan associations and the Federal savings and loan associations in North Carolina indicates that the loans made by these institutions are keeping pace with the increased building activity in the state.

Greenville Kiwanis Will Go To Meeting At least fifteen or twenty Greenville Kiwanis will go to Jacksonville, N. C. tomorrow night to attend an Inter-City Kiwanis meeting.

Jacksonville, Wilmington, New Bern and Greenville clubs are in the district sponsoring the inter-city affair. The Wilmington Kiwanis will have charge of the program. Tomorrow night's program will start at 7 p. m. All local Kiwanis planning to attend the meeting are requested to meet at the Proctor Hotel Tuesday afternoon at 4:45 o'clock.

GADDY'S FRIEND IS HELD UNDER BOND (Continued from Page One) at the busy morning session. They

N. Y. Stock Market New York, March 27.—(AP)—Efforts to swing the stock market into a broad forward movement with little opposition today, although volume dwindled appreciably in selling. Gains running to two or more points at the start were whittled down to small fractions in many cases near the fourth hour. While there was nothing especially stimulating on the domestic business front and Washington developments were more or less neutral, Wall street seemed more optimistic than otherwise.

C. S. government securities and selected corporate loans exhibited strength in the bond department. Commodities were a trifle mixed.

N. Y. STOCK LIST American Telephone 159%, American Tobacco 84%, Atlantic Coast Line 21%, Bendix Aviation 24%, Bethlehem Steel 67%, Chrysler 75%, Col. Gas and Elect. 11%, Commercial Solvent 6%, Curtiss Wright 8%, DuPont 150%, Elect. Power and Light 9%, General Elect. 38%, General Motors 46%, Liggett and Myers 104%, Montg. Ward 48%, Southern Railway 17%, Standard Oil 47%

Phone 3151, Wilson, N. C. Courtesy of E. A. Pierce and Co. A. C. L. 21%, Anaconda 27%, American Radiat 13%, Bethlehem Steel 67%, Calumet Heck 6%, Chrysler 75%, C. I. T. 55%, Commercial Credit 51%, Com. Solvent 10%, Consol. Oil 39%, Continental Can 39%, Elect. Bond and Sh. 9%, Ford Ltd. 4%, General Motors 46%, Gillette 6%, n'l Telephone 7%, Lorillard 22%, McLellan's Stores 8%, Nash Kelvinator 7%, Nat'l Dairy 15%, Oils Steel 10%, Packard 3%, Para. Pictures 9%, Pullman 30%, Pure Oil 9%, Radio 7%, Reynolds 38%, Seaboard 1/2%, Simmons 27%, Southern Railway 17%, Standard Brands 6%, Sperry Corp. 42%, Texas Corp. 29%, Texas Gulf Sulphur 37%, United Aircraft 2%, United Corp. 61/2%, U. S. Steel 56%, Warner Pictures 20%, Western Union 66%, Douglas Aircraft 12%, New York Central 38%, Philip Aircraft 85 1/2%, American Tobacco 21%, U. S. Ind. Alcohol 2%, Continental Motors 35%, Glenn Martin 13%, Fairchild 13%

follow: Zack Parker, Negro, assault, judgment suspended upon good behavior for one year; Robert Moore, drunk and disorderly, judgment suspended upon condition defendant leave town within 12 hours; William Norcott, Negro, assault with a deadly weapon, six months.

Julius Wilson, Negro, breaking, entering and larceny, transferred to Superior court; Rosa Taft, whiskey, 60 days; James Thomas Worthington, Negro, assault with intent to commit rape, not guilty; Edward Jenkins, Negro, assault with a deadly weapon, pay costs or serve 30 days; A. J. Dixon, traffic law violation, costs; Max Minges, traffic law violation, \$5 fine and costs; Houston Ingram, Negro, whiskey, 60 days or \$15 fine, costs to be deducted; Louise Whichard, Negro, whiskey, 60 days or \$10 fine and costs.

ONE DEFINITE CANDIDATE OUT

Spruill Only Announced Candidate For Primary

Reflector Bureau Raleigh, March 27.—With none of the flowing verbiage which he uses so effectively to extol the "tripping waters of the slivery Chohan" but with perhaps just as much enthusiasm, Charles Spruill last week announced his candidacy for the office of commissioner of agriculture the 1939 Democratic primary.

This announcement, made in casual conversation with newspapermen at a committee hearing, serves to more clearly define the lines already drawn between Commissioner Kerr Scott and the Farm Bureau. It was the first definite statement of intent to run, although half a dozen prospective candidates for state offices have been quietly feeling out sentiment.

There are those who think that if Spruill had waited just a few days, he might have been beaten to the draw by Representative W. W. Eagles of Edgecombe or former Sheriff Rasberry of Greene, also members of the past and present legislatures. The Spruill announcement is expected to head off any future entries from the Farm Bureau bloc, but it by no means indicated that Spruill and Scott will have a two-way race. The new candidate is fifty years old, is a successful business man and farmer of Bertie county. The biographic sketch in the North Carolina Manual says of him: "Charles Wayland Spruill, Democrat, Senator from the third senatorial district, was born at Quitman, April 6 1889. Son of Charles Wayland and Annie H. Spruill. Attended Oak Ridge Institute and State College. Merchant, farmer, manufacturer, member Bertie Road commission, president Lewiston Telephone Co., vice president, Bank of Roxobel, director Harrington Manufacturing Co., Shriner and Junior Order. Member House of Representatives 1933-35-37. Member state office building commission, 1937-38. Baptist. Married Miss Ruth Bazemore, November 26 1913." It is generally true that first

term office holders have to defend their offices against strong opposition, and Commissioner Scott is no exception to this rule. The other two "first timers" in state offices, however, apparently have little to fear in the next primary. Both Secretary of State Thad Eure and State Auditor George Ross Pou have both been "mentioned" for governors, but the young gentlemen themselves will tell you that such suggestions come from sources which might like to eliminate them from running for re-election. Mr. Pou says his highest ambition is to succeed the present state auditor. Mr. Eure likes the desk and rugs in the secretary of state's office. There isn't much likelihood of real serious opposition to these

Cherry Continues Prominent Figure

Reflector Bureau Raleigh, March 27.—Win, lose or draw, Gastonia's gift to the General Assembly remains an outstanding, upstanding figure in the Tar Heel legislature. Back as a private in the ranks after service as Finance Chairman in 1935 and Speaker in 1937, Gregg Cherry has maintained his prestige this session as the peer of any member of the Assembly and the superior of most.

He has taken more lickings than he has celebrated victories. He has led many a forlorn hope since January 4. He has broken with the powers-that-be on some issues, stood with them on others. He has been an independent of the independents.

His sarcasm and irony have been as biting and pungent as ever. His knack as a phrase-maker has been unequalled ("picaunish penuriousness," "measly, meagre, measure," "damnable inequity" for a few examples).

He has indulged in his usual amount of clowning. He has clashed freely with every outstanding House leader at one time or another during the session. He has played steamroller roll relentlessly over him. Through it all he has asked no quarter, given none. Aligned with



PITT TODAY WINGS OF THE NAVY George Brent Olivia De Havilland

Ten Couples Get Licenses To Wed Ten marriage licenses were issued during the past week, but only one of the number went to white couples. The permits, five of which were issued on Monday and four on Saturday, bring to 124 the total issued at the offices of Register of Deeds J. C. Gaskins during the year 1939.

Licenses issued last week: White couples: Jack Andrews of Pictouls and Carrie V. Banks of Beaufort county. Colored couples: LeRoy Edwards of Edgecombe county and Gold Tyson of Falkland; D. C. Dixon and Annie Elizabeth Tyson of Farmville; Solicitor Speller and Christine Sherman of Choccol; R. A. Morris of Jamesville and Melba Lee Jones of Grifton; R. Dell Reavis and Rosa Harrington of Greenville; Emmanuel Perry of Washington, D. C. and Henrietta Mills of Winterville; John Sherman and Virginia Gertrude Green of Choccol; Lawrence Moch and Mary Ella Smith of Farmville; Philandus Moore of Grifton; and Thelma Smith of Pamlico.

Starts TUESDAY "SOME OF ME BEST FRIENDS IS CANNIBALS!" CHARLES LAUGHTON the screen's grandest actor as ragged king of a lovely South Sea isle in THE BEACHCOMBER with ELSA LANCHESTER Based on story by W. Somerset Maugham Added Show HAL KEMP and ORCHESTRA Merrle Melody "Johnny Smith and Poker" "Roman Symphony" Novelty

ask W. Curtis Draper (senior retail tobacconist in Washington, D. C.) ... or any one of the 1,044,492 tobacco dealers in the United States about Chesterfield's can't-be-copied Combination CHESTERFIELD CIGARETTES FINEST TURKISH AND DOMESTIC TOBACCOS He'll say... Look what it says on the back of the package... "Chesterfield Cigarettes are a balanced blend of the finest aromatic Turkish tobacco and the choicest of several American varieties blended in the correct proportion to bring out the finer qualities of each tobacco." When you try them you will know why Chesterfields give millions of men and women more smoking pleasure... why THEY SATISFY CHESTERFIELD ...the blend that can't be copied ...the RIGHT COMBINATION of the world's best cigarette tobaccos

SIX STEPS TO MORE SMOKING PLEASURE AGEING—Chesterfield's mild ripe tobaccos, like fine wines, are aged for two or more years in huge wooden casks. Here they gradually acquire that true Chesterfield mildness and better taste which give millions of smokers more pleasure. STEMMING—"Almost human" is what they say about the interesting stemming machines, whose fingers pick up the tobacco, leaf by leaf and take out the stem, leaving only the mild, tender, good-tasting part of the leaf to go into the making of Chesterfields. BLENDING—There is only one Chesterfield blend... the blend that can't be copied... a happy combination of the world's best American and Turkish tobaccos. Just the right proportions to make Chesterfield a milder, better-tasting cigarette. PAPER—Every Chesterfield you smoke is wrapped in pure cigarette paper... the finest cigarette paper made. That's another reason why Chesterfields are milder and better-tasting. MAKING—Almost faster than the eye can follow, Chesterfields come rolling out of the marvelous cigarette making machines. Chesterfields are always round, firm and well-filled. PACKAGING—Truly amazing are the packaging machines which wrap and seal Chesterfields in their air-tight, moisture-proof packages. Regardless of where you buy them, Chesterfields reach you as fresh as the day they were made.

Today on the Stage SEABEE HAYWORTH and Players On The Screen Mark Twain's "TOM SAWYER DETECTIVE" TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY HUMPHELY BOGART King of the Underworld Now Blasts His Way To Stardom As The Ruthless, Vicious, Thrilling... KAY FRANCIS as the daring woman doctor who fought crime with the sword of justice! —More Show— "HAWK OF THE WILDERNESS" No. 3 "SALLY SWING" Betty Boop Cartoon