

## GREAT BRITAIN ON OFFENSIVE IN WAR AT SEA

### First Torpedoing Of Nazi Merchantman Reported DANISH VESSELS SUNK BY NAZIS

### Sea Warfare Continues, While Good Friday Brings Lull In Fighting In Air And On Land

London, March 22.—(AP)—The first torpedoing of a German merchantman by a British submarine and the increase to six of the Danish merchantmen sunk by German submarines in the last two days today marked the ceaseless sea war, while Good Friday brought in a lull in fighting on land and in the air.

The British submarine victim was the 4,947-ton Hedderheim, which the Admiralty announced went down off the Danish coast last night. Of the 36-man crew 35 were rescued by a Danish coast guard cutter and one man was saved by the submarine.

Newest Danish losses announced by the British to have been caused by German submarines were:

The 1,929-ton Christiansborg, reported torpedoed without warning. Whereabouts of the crew was unknown.

The 1,206-ton Charkow, sunk off the Scottish coast with the whereabouts of her crew unknown.

The other Danish losses, which brought to 13 the number of British or neutral ships sunk or damaged in the last three days, were reported yesterday.

Even munitions workers took a holiday as millions of urban Britons thronged to country and seaside while rural dwellers came to the city for Easter vacations.

## Seven Defendants In Today's Court

Seven defendants faced trial at this morning's session of Municipal recorder's court, five of them being white and only two colored.

An old charge of breaking and entering against Linwood Richardson, Negro, was dismissed and the prosecuting witness, Esther Richardson, mother of the defendant, was taxed with half the costs of court.

Blaney Sanders, colored, was convicted of assault on a female and was given a 30-day sentence, suspended upon payment of \$10 to be applied on costs.

W. J. Parker was convicted of drunkenness and given a 30-day sentence, suspended upon payment of costs.

G. F. Gurkany was acquitted of a charge of drunkenness, but T. G. Harris was found guilty of the charge and was given a 30-day sentence, suspended upon payment of costs.

J. Roy Edwards, also convicted of drunkenness, was ordered to pay the costs or serve 30 days.

George M. Lockamy was convicted of driving drunk and given a 90-day sentence, suspended upon payment of a \$50 fine, court costs and had his license revoked for 12 months. The defendant appealed to Superior court and bond was set at \$100.

## Reveals 'Dates Of Annual TB Clinic

The annual State-Pitt County Tuberculosis clinic this year will run three weeks, from April 1 to April 20, it was announced today by Dr. N. Thomas Ennett, Pitt county health officer.

The first three days, Monday, April 1, Tuesday, April 2 and Wednesday, April 3, will be held in Farmville at the town hall.

On Thursday, April 4, the clinic will be held in Ayden at the town hall.

The clinic will be held in Bethel on Friday, April 5, at the Methodist church.

Beginning April 8 and running through Friday, April 19, the clinic will be held in Greenville in the health department offices.

These clinics are free and are open to all who wish to come, both white and colored, but adult patients can be taken only by appointment, though children will be seen without an appointment.

Where practical, it is desired that patients be referred by the family physician and that they bring a reference slip from him but this is not required.

X-ray will be free to all who are unable to pay for it. The clinic will be conducted by Dr. G. D. Godwin, who has conducted the Pitt county clinics for the past several years most successfully.

## These British Fliers Bombed German Base



A British Royal Air Force pilot and crew are shown alighting from their plane "somewhere in England" after participating in bombing raids on German air bases on the Isle of Sylt throughout the night of March 19 and the next day. Enthusiastic over the reported success of the raids, bristling Britain looked upon them as the beginning of an extensive aerial campaign against German submarine bases in the land-locked Baltic. The picture came from London by cable.

## BRITISH RAIDS NOT EFFECTIVE

### American Newsmen Find Little Damage On Island

By ALVIN J. STEINKOPF

Hornum, Island of Sylt, Germany, March 22.—(AP)—Three American newsmen, including this correspondent, toured this island outpost of Germany's aerial front and what we were able to see tends to bear out the German version that nearly seven hours of British bombardment two days ago had "little, if any, military effectiveness."

This is what we found:

1. Sylt's lifeline railway across the causeway apparently undamaged.

2. Shattered windows of airplane hangars, but no evidence of direct hits on hangars.

3. Sand dunes at the southern end of the island pitted with bomb craters. Officers estimated that about 40 bombs fell on the airport in the south.

4. A building which Germans identified as an infirmary with its roof blown off.

5. A small structure identified as a target range extensively damaged.

6. Evidence that an incendiary bomb had struck a great steel crane used to lift seaplanes from the water, but had spluttered out on the iron platform.

Authorities said that three civilians were struck by bomb splinters.

## Mrs. Emma Peaden Dies In Falkland

Mrs. Emma Peaden, lifetime resident of the Falkland community, died this morning at 1 o'clock at the home of her son, Joe Peaden at Falkland. She had been in declining health for several months.

Final rites will be held from the 3 o'clock by Elder E. L. Cobb, Primitive Baptist minister of Wilton. Interment will be in the Wallace cemetery near Fountain.

Emma Adelaide Peaden was born in Pitt county July 2, 1869, a daughter of the late Eugene and Martha Willoughby Davis, widow of the late Richard Peaden of the Falkland community. She was one of the oldest members of Otters Creek Primitive Baptist church.

Surviving are three sons, Joe and Lloyd Peaden of Falkland and A. E. Peaden of Macesfield, five daughters, Mrs. Joe Cobb, Mrs. Joe Smith and Mrs. Vera Pollard of Falkland, Mrs. Florence Williams of Fountain and Mrs. Oscar Pittman of Macesfield.

Los Angeles, March 22.—(AP)—Alice Faye, blonde film actress, was granted a divorce today from Tony Martin, handsome screen and radio crooner on her testimony that he had been guilty of mental cruelty.

Martin suggested she should have married somebody else—somebody "more settled" than himself, the actress told Superior Judge Samuel R. Blake.

There was no request for alimony or approval of a property settlement. It was understood a property agreement had been reached previously.

The couple was married September 4, 1937, after an elopement to Yuma, Ariz.

## Week Of Civil Court Is Brought To Close

This week's term of civil court was completed this morning, but Judge Walter J. Bone will return for another week's hearings on Monday of next week.

The most important action of the week was the removal of more than one hundred old cases which have been on the docket for some time and which were removed by the signing of dismissals by Judge Bone.

The final case to go to the jury were those of Ray Hamp Williams and Mary Boyd vs. B. Swartz, et al., which resulted in a verdict for the defendants.

## JAPS WILL NOT BOTHER NAZIS

### Not To Join Hands With Great Britain Or U. S.

Tokyo, March 22.—(AP)—Foreign Minister Hachiro Arita told the Japanese Parliament today that "Japan will not put any obstacles in Germany's way by joining hands with Britain or America" during the European war.

Arita added that Japan was "reticent" of the ultimate outcome of the conflict, but declared the matter was too delicate to explain further.

A member of the Parliament, expressing belief that expansion of the American navy and the recent tour of Europe by United States Under-Secretary of State Sumner Welles were predicted on the assumption the allies would be defeated, asked Arita:

"Don't you think Japan should discard her policy of un-involvement and openly side with Germany and Italy?"

Arita replied that Japan was solely concerned with the construction of a new order in East Asia and that entry into the European conflict was inadvisable.

Supplementing the foreign minister's remarks, Naval Minister Admiral Yoshida asserted that "we are going to dispose of the China incident with our eyes wide open to the world situation."

Earlier War Minister General Hara had announced that Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek's Chinese army still numbered 2,000,000 men and that "the holy war" for a new order in Asia would continue.

## David T. House Jr. Seeks Re-Election

David T. House, Jr., of near Bethel today announced his candidacy for re-election to the Board of County Commissioners from the second district.

Mr. House is in his second term, having been elected in 1936 and again in 1938. He is well known as an agricultural leader, being on the five-man State AAA committee and also a director of the Peanut Stabilization Corporation.

The candidate from the district composed of Bethel, Belvoir, Pactolus and Carolina townships, is a graduate of Duke university, having been a member of the class of 1924. Following his graduation he taught school for 12 years, seven in Falkland, one in Belvoir and four in Chocod, having been principal at each of these places.

Active in fraternal circles, he is a member of the Masonic order, Rotary club, Woodmen of the World, and Junior Order. He is a member of the Methodist church.

## FOES OBSERVE 'GOOD FRIDAY'

### Christian Holiday Observed Throughout World

Berlin, March 22.—(AP)—Germany observed Good Friday today in a quiet despondency by the war. Offices and stores were closed.

Sermons were not especially influenced by the war, although the tone in many Nazified German Christian churches in the last few weeks has been "fight to victory."

Paris, March 22.—(AP)—Prayers for peace—but only after victory over Germany—were offered today in Good Friday services throughout predominantly Catholic France.

Jerusalem, March 22.—(AP)—Pealing church bells and sunny weather invited thousands of Holy Land natives and pilgrims to worship today on the day of Christ's passion.

In the early hours of the morning Christians of many nationalities gathered at Pontius Pilate's court for devotional processions along the Via Dolorosa, "the saddest street in the world."

With the war's concentration of thousands of British troops, Holy Land disorders between Arabs and Jews have almost disappeared and the air of dignity and orderliness here, where the Nazarene burdened with the cross walked to Calvary, was typical of all Palestine.

The ancient shrine church of the Holy Sepulchre was an animated scene of devotion, reflecting the abiding faith of Christianity in the permanence of the principles of Christ.

## DRY CLEANERS TO CLOSE

Announcement was made today that the dry cleaning establishments in the city would observe a holiday on Easter Monday. The banks and schools also will be closed for the day.

## British Plane Lost

London, March 22.—(AP)—A Reuters (British news agency) dispatch from Amsterdam reported that a British fighting plane was shot down at noon today in a battle with two German planes over German territory.

## To Replace Tobacco With Another Principal Crop

Reflector Bureau By HENRY AVERILL

Raleigh, March 22.—North Carolina's farmers do not intend to plant principal crops of the state on all the acreage which will be taken out of tobacco production this season; although they do intend to increase the acreage of all other crops except sweet potatoes, it is indicated by the Federal-State Crop Reporting Service's "prospective Planting for 1940," just released.

The report gives tentative estimates on ten main Tar Heel crops, with the figures showing that total plantings in these ten will be 139,800 acres less this year than in 1940. Total tobacco plantings of this year are estimated at 564,000, a decrease of 251,800 from 1939's total of 815,800 acres planted.

Thus it appears that Tar Heel farmers intend to replace 112,000 acres of the tobacco land with one or another of the other main crops. The total acreage which will be put in these crops this year is es-

## AGAINST USING WORKING FUND FOR PAYMENTS

### Morgenthau Says Balance Must Be Maintained

### STATES POSITION AFTER REQUEST

### Contends That Additional Farm Expenditures Cannot Be Financed From Treasury Balance

Washington, March 22.—(AP)—Secretary Morgenthau took the position today in a letter to Senator Byrd that additional farm expenditures approved by the Senate could not be financed from the treasury's cash working balance.

Several Senators have contended that money in the fund might be used safely to cover extra budgetary expenditures.

Byrd took the opposite view and requested opinions from the general accounting office and from Morgenthau. The former reported that unnumbered funds in the working balance would total \$514,225,114 when the fiscal year ends June 30.

Morgenthau wrote Byrd that "it is felt that the estimated working balance of the treasury on June 30, 1940, as contemplated by the President's budget will be about as low as it can be permitted to go."

The treasury secretary has argued consistently that a substantial working balance should be maintained to meet any emergency which might develop from war conditions abroad.

On the Senate floor the \$922,000,000 farm bill was delayed by a wrangle over sugar benefits, but leaders still were confident the measure would be approved this afternoon.

The House committee investigating the labor board released a confidential report prepared by board officials last fall which spoke of "ineffective" administration of the board's work.

## Teachers Meeting To Be Held Here

The 1940 meeting of the North-eastern District Teachers Association will be held in Greenville. W. T. Kizer, secretary of the Greenville Chamber of Commerce to be held in Bethel on April 9.

Miss Blount will compete with young ladies from other Eastern Carolina cities for the title of queen. She was selected to represent the city by the Greenville Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The organization held its regular meeting last night at the Woman's club building. It was announced that the drive to sell baseball stock was progressing and that the campaign would continue. Various committees were announced.

## Miss Blount Elected Represent Greenville

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## Noted Negro Minister Coming To Farmville

The Rev. Wendell C. Summerville, general secretary of the Negro State Baptist Conventions, will conduct an entire week of special Christian Endeavor services at Farmville beginning Sunday night, March 24, and continuing through the following Friday night.

These meetings will be sponsored by the Colored school and will be held at Macedonia Baptist church. The general theme of these meetings will be "Practical Christianity." This is not a revival. The purpose is to teach in a plain and simple way, just what constitutes Christianity and how and why it should be practiced in daily living. Thursday night is designated as law and order night and will be sponsored by the Scout troop.

The general public is invited to attend all of these meetings. Dr. Summerville is considered one of the most competent Negro ministers in the entire south.

## Will Seek Collect Cotton Penalties

Shelby, March 22.—(AP)—United States District Attorney Lamar Caudie said today that his office might start civil proceedings to collect cotton marketing penalties the government contends it has not been getting.

He said he was prepared to give the agriculture secretary "full cooperation in the matter of collecting penalties under the agricultural act."

"The law," said Caudie, "is comparatively new and farmers who are not careful of its effects upon them are urged to visit the proper authorities and obtain the information."

## Premier Reynaud Pledges To Direct French Energy Towards War And Victory

### Address Scheduled Here By Noted Psychiatrist

### Authority On Effects Of Alcohol To Be Presented

### To Speak Here

Dr. Edward A. Strecker, famous Philadelphia psychiatrist and regarded as the country's best authority on the question of alcohol as a beverage will deliver an address here on Tuesday, April 9.

Dr. Strecker is being brought here by the Pitt County Medical and Dental Society and the Pitt County Alcoholic Beverage Control Board. The address will be delivered at Wright Memorial auditorium.

While the lecture will be free and the public at large invited, special invitations will be sent to physicians, ministers, education forces, members of county ABC boards and members of boards of county commissioners of Eastern North Carolina.

Gov. Hoey also is being especially invited and a committee will call on him in the near future to urge him to attend.

Dr. Strecker is a medical author and lecturer of note and as a student in both laboratory and hospital is widely known as an authority on the question of the effects of alcohol on the human body.

He will discuss his topic in an impartial manner, giving scientific facts without emotionalism or prejudice.

He will present the effects of alcohol on the human body under the subject "Are You a Social Drinker?"

Dr. N. Thomas Ennett, county health officer, conceived the idea some time ago of securing the services of Dr. Strecker and, after securing the endorsement of the two sponsoring agencies, has been working for months to have the noted psychiatrist appear in this city for an address.

Because of the reputation of the speaker, coming throughout Eastern North Carolina are expected to be well represented.

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## SAYS SUCCESS IS EVERYTHING

### New French Premier Foreign Minister In First Appearance Before House of Commons, Declares New Government Established To Win War; Says Nazis Aided By Treachery Of Soviets

Paris, March 22.—(AP)—Paul Reynaud in his first appearance as Premier before the Chamber of Deputies today, pledged in a ministerial declaration "to direct all French energies to fight and win" the war against Germany, which, he said, was "aided by the treachery of the Soviets."

His government had only one reason for its existence, he said, "to win the war."

"To win is to save everything," he said, "to lose is to lose all."

In a short blunt statement of policy, the new premier declared that "France is engaged in complete war."

Reynaud faced the Chamber of Deputies less than 24 hours after the rapid completion of his govern-

ment, replacing that of Edouard Daladier.

The text of the premier-foreign minister's statement follows in part: "France is engaged in a complete war."

"A powerful enemy is transforming and concentrating all its human activity into warfare in order to triumph."

Aided by the treachery of the Soviets, it is carrying the fight into all quarters and working out all the blows which it is giving with a sort of genius for destruction that we certainly do not fail to recognize as not only awe-inspiring, but at the same time hateful.

"Thus, the government which presents itself before you has no other reasons for its existence and wants no other than this: To raise and direct all French energies to fight and to win and to crush treason, from whatever angle it comes."

Program Suspended Washington, March 22.—(AP)—The Agriculture Department announced today suspension for the 1940 shipping season of marketing program provisions regulating interstate shipment of watermelons grown in Florida, Georgia, North Carolina and South Carolina. The suspension will be effective April 1.

The hobby of David Wark Griffith, the movie director, is collecting watches.

## Pactolus, Bethel Students Winners

Billy Wagner, seventh grade Pactolus student, and Mary Welles Bunting, sixth grade Bethel student, today won the county-wide declamation and recitation contests, respectively, in finals conducted at Winterville.

Declamer Wagner's presentation of "The Constitution as a Foundation of the United States Government" won over Jerome Worsley, sixth grade student of Belvoir, who presented "Lincoln's Gettysburg Address."

The Bethel Girl's presentation of "Mad Pats" won over Betsy White Fountain of Fountain, who recited "Ma At The Races."

Serving as judges were Dr. Carl M. Townsend of Raleigh, Mrs. S. C. Carroll of Winterville and Mrs. R. E. Davenport of Winterville.

The triangular contests were started on Tuesday of this week, with the semi-finals having been held on Wednesday.

## Weather Report

J. A. CLARK (Airways Observer)

TEMPERATURES  
High yesterday ..... 58  
Low yesterday ..... 40  
At 1:30 p. m. today ..... 65

PRECIPITATION  
(In Inches)  
For 24 hrs. ending 1:30 p. m. 60  
Total for month ..... 2.33

BAROMETER  
(Pressure)  
7:30 last night ..... 29.92  
7:30 this morning ..... 29.74

Prevailing Winds and Velocity  
7:30 a. m. .... NW12  
1:30 p. m. .... NW12

# Social and Personal

Patrolman W. W. Massengill spent Thursday in Smithfield.

Miss Belva Dare Harris left today for Washington, D. C., where she will attend the Willard-Styron wedding.

Judge Paul Frizzelle, of Snow Hill, was a Greenville visitor yesterday.

Miss Jean Perkins, of Stokes, a student at Peace Junior College in Raleigh, is spending Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Perkins.

Miss Marjorie Sugg, a student of Greensboro college for Women, who has been the guest of Miss Jean Edgerton in Goldsboro for the past few days, will arrive today to spend the holidays at her home in Greenville.

Marion Nobles, student at Mars Hill College, is spending Spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Nobles, Jr.

Miss Verda Wilson, of Wilmington, is spending Easter here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson.

Miss Mary Grant Griffin, of Charlotte, is the guest of her brother, S. L. Griffin and Mrs. Griffin.

Miss Mary Marshall Farrar, of Tarboro, spent last night with Miss Jean Hodges.

Godfrey Oakley is confined to his home with illness.

Miss Marie Smith is at home from Blackstone College in Blackstone, Va., to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith.

F. L. Goodson, Jake Hadley and H. H. Duncan are in Raleigh today attending a life insurance conference.

**Poem To Greenville.**  
In the "City of Sunshine" column tonight you will find some of the poems of Mrs. E. B. Earnshaw of Wake Forest. Special attention is called to the one "I Know A Town" dedicated to Greenville.

**Sports Banquet.**  
Over one hundred and twenty persons attended the high school sports banquet held at the Country Club last night.

Professor Ralph Deal was speaker for the occasion.

Miss Louise Kilgo gave several vocal selections and Carl Whitehurst played several selections on the piano.

After the banquet, letters were awarded for football and basketball.

A movie on the Sugar Bowl game was shown, and a dance followed.

**Tyson-Carson**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carson, of Victoria, Va., announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Julia Carson to Mr. John Flanagan Tyson on September 22, 1939, in Emporia, Va.

Mr. Tyson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Tyson of Greenville.

**Masonic Notice.**  
A special communication of the Greenville Lodge No. 284 AF and AM will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock for work in the Master Masons degree.

N. R. JOYNER, Sec.

**Church Observes Resurrection Day.**  
All services at the Presbyterian church Sunday will center around "The Resurrection of Jesus". At the church school, meeting at 9:45 a. m., the lesson will be on "The Risen Christ". A special committee is working for a record attendance in the Men's Bible Class. All men enrolled are urged to be present. At 10:30 a picture of the class will be taken on the steps of the church.

The worship service will be at 11 o'clock. Special music will be rendered by the chorus choir, Mrs. Paul Davenport, director. The theme of the sermon will be "Why We Should Believe in The Resurrection of Jesus." This message will give the basis of the Christian's hope of immortality. The pastor, Dr. Robert S. Boyd, will speak. Children from the church school who have been attending the pastor's instruction class will be admitted to the communion and membership of the church.

At 2:30 p. m. Sunday school will be held at Meadowbrook and Rev. C. A. Lawrence will preach. At the same hour, Dr. Boyd will preach at Hollywood, following the session of Sunday school. The people of these communities are invited to attend.

The young people of the First Church and Meadowbrook Chapel will meet for vespers at 6:30 p. m.

Notice! There will be preaching at 7:45 o'clock Sunday night, and each night through the week, save Saturday night at 7:45 p. m. Dr. Boyd will preach Sunday night and Rev. Chester Alexander, Tarboro, will preach through the week. The special Evangelistic services will close Sunday night, March 31 when the new officers, recently elected, will be ordained and installed.

The public is reminded of the special Easter Sunrise Service to be held at 6:15, March 24 on the athletic grounds of East Carolina Teachers College.

**Community Easter Egg Hunt.**  
There will be a community Easter egg hunt near the home of J. B. Hardee Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, sponsored by the F. W. B. League.

**Birth Announcement.**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hudson, Jr., announce the birth of a son Monday, March 18 at Tayloe hospital in Washington.

**Birthday Party.**  
Miss Mary Elizabeth Clark entertained her friends at a birthday party at her home Tuesday evening at 7:30. The guests were received in the living room where the cake was beautifully decorated with green and white, carrying out the colors of St. Patrick. All then joined in playing games. There were prizes awarded to the high scorers, after which the many presents were presented the honoree. Misses Edna and Pauline Taylor served as hostesses.

**Fashion Show.**  
There will be a fashion show given at Chicod high school Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, sponsored by the P. T. A. Come one, come all.

The estimated fire loss in 1939 in the United States, topped the estimated loss in 1938 by \$15,000,000.

The American Public Works Association reports that according to a recent experiment in Boston, traffic congestion increases gasoline consumption on short city trips by 50 per cent.

# GREENVILLE City of Sunshine

By MRS. JAMES T. LITTLE

Quite in keeping with the festivities of Easter and the parade of flowers which is so prevalent this year, it is a great pleasure to print several of Mrs. Earnshaw's poems, which have been inspired by flowers.

I am sure as each of us enjoys the beauty of this Easter, we too may see a symphony portrayed in many a dainty, colorful bloom.

We of Greenville are indeed indebted to Mrs. Earnshaw for her very complimentary and sincere description of "Our Town."

**TO A DOUBLE PINK HYACINTH**  
Dear, you are prim and old-fashioned, you bet!  
Straightlaced and formal. You never would set  
Blood a-tingle.

Daintiness, gentleness, neatness—ah, me!  
Wonderful qualities, charming to see.  
Here commingle.

Double pink hyacinth, queen of the row.  
How you remind me of someone I know—  
But she's single!

**GARDEN MENACE**  
I seem to have conquered the usual pest.  
The cutworm, the aphid, the slug and the rest.

But what can one do with a Menace that goes  
In little pink sunsuits on little pink toes?

Beholds your best tulips with chubby hands small  
And brings them in smiling with no stems at all?

That pulls up your favorite seedlings with care  
And then plants them back with the roots in the air.

That hold to the bells of the lilies so tight  
That curfew can't ring in the garden at night?

Yes, what can one do? Well, I did it today.  
I dealt with my Menace a spanking new way!

I'd found him disabbling my roses, and oh,  
I won't have a blossom to out in the Show!

He seemed such a penitent, meek little soul,  
I think my small menace is under control.

But heavens! Just look at him! Look at him now!  
He's feeding delphinium plants to the cow!

**GARDEN FINANCE**  
The mint in the garden—I never did dream  
How vital it was to  
The currency scheme!

But would you believe it!  
I just had a hint  
That Marigold's coming, fresh  
Coined from the mint!

If this is authentic,  
I'm glad it's the case  
That Honesty's growing, all  
Over the place!

**THE SMELL OF FOUR O'CLOCKS**  
O, the smell of four o'clocks,  
Takes me back to childhood nights  
Crickets proding in the grass,  
Fireflies making fitful lights.

Sleepy, blinking bedtime stars;  
Rush of wind through summer frocks;  
Here and there and ev'rywhere—  
O, the smell of four o'clocks!

Mother's voice: "It's time for bed!"  
Then my eager: "Mother, dear,  
Can't you smell the four o'clocks?  
Let me stay awhile out here!"

Nursery, and small white bed;  
Evening prayer at mother's knees;  
Goodnight kiss and room all dark;  
Dreamy drowsiness for me.

Then the smell of four o'clocks.

**COLDS**  
Relieve misery as 3 out of 5 mothers do. Rub throat, chest, back with VICKS VAPORUB

**NOTICE!**  
THE Dry Cleaners and Laundrymen of Greenville will close their plants on Easter Monday, March 25th, for a one day holiday.

Carolina Dry Cleaners  
Cascade Laundry  
College View Cleaners  
Eureka Laundry  
Rainbow Cleaners  
Scott Dry Cleaners  
Sunshine Cleaners

# MODES of the MOMENT

by Adelaide Kerr

## MY NEXT DOOR NEIGHBOR'S GARDEN

My next door neighbor's garden was artistic and correct. She had it planned and planted by a landscape architect.

She said when someone told her that her garden was so fine: "I never lift a finger so I couldn't call it 'mine'!"

Then sorrow, poverty and pain fell to my neighbor's lot. And by and by she went to work within this lovely spot.

And through the long spring days she toiled, as busy as could be. And soon she found her health again but NOT serenity—

So I could see quite plainly why her days unhappy were— She did not own her garden but her garden it owned her!

That year, Madonna Lilies were not blooming well. I'm told: My next door neighbor had a few, and treasured them like gold.

One radiant May morning while she knelt as if in prayer. Her garden gate clicked suddenly and someone joined her there—

It was her washerwoman from the cabin in the lane— Her footsteps lagged, her shoulders dropped, her face was creased with pain.

I heard her sob: "My baby's DEAD! I begs you, Miss Louise, For one small sprig of lilies for her little casket, please!"

With that, my next door neighbor rose. I do not think she spoke. She stood stone-still. Then, suddenly one single stalk she broke—

One single stalk—about to fade—a puny thing and small. And gave it to the mother so, but did not turn at all.

The poor black woman walked away, her apron to her eyes; The garden gate clicked shut again. O then, to my surprise.

I heard my next door neighbor's voice—I heard her calling "Wait!" I saw the other lean and sob against the garden gate.

I heard the sound of snapping stems and oh, My breath came fast for she was breaking all her lilies—all!

She laid them in the mother's arms with tenderness and grace And tears like gentle summer rain flowed down her pallid face—

And then I knew as well as if by heralds 'twas made known My next door neighbor's garden was at last her very own!

**I KNOW A TOWN**  
I know a town of wide, tree-shaded streets,  
Of pleasant homes which clean green lawns surround,  
Of busy, brightly-lighted mart's of trade

Where leaders in the world of trade abound;  
A town where church bells ring from lofty spires,  
Where children skip to school on happy feet

Where college buildings lift their classic walls  
Where culture and the world of commerce meet.  
Where gardens bloom in grace and elegance,  
And eager flower-lovers come and praise,  
And magic seems to touch the earth again

Through golden, dreaming Carolina days!  
I know a town where kindness reigns supreme,  
A town of ideal size—and known as such—



A bolero suit and a bonnet of blue make this New Yorker's Easter costume. It's made of lightweight gray wool with a blouse and jacket facing of dark blue. Atop it goes one of the spring's favored off-the-face hats of dark blue straw with a gray and Kelly green headband.

**NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION**  
NOTICE is hereby given that the firm of R. E. Harris, Jr. & Company has this day been dissolved by mutual consent; that W. E. Warren is retiring from the said business and the same will be continued by R. E. Harris, Jr.

**WANT ADS PAY**  
And all your happy days call GREENVILLE "home!" —EDITH EARNSHAW.

**DIAL 2121**  
—for your—  
Easter Meats - Groceries - Produce

Oxydol ..... 2 for 15c

Rath's Black Hawk Hams ..... lb. 21c

Hens, dressed, lb. 20c

Fancy Steer Steak .... lb. 35c

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**CITY MARKET**  
914 Dickinson Ave Prompt Delivery

Notice is further given that any be presented to R. E. Harris, Jr. and all amounts due said firm are to be paid to the continuing partner, R. E. Harris, Jr., and that all accounts due by said partnership will 3-11-40-1twk4wksp.

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"THE LADIES' STORE"

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FOR **Easter**

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A nation-wide style hit this week! The Frippie. A high-riding step-in, with perky circles of perforations, elasticized twill vamp and capricious leather bow poised above its pert open toe. Like all Red Cross Shoes, just \$6.50.

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**LADIES—**  
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**Easter**

And **The Attendant Joys Of The Season Are Here**

**We Hope It's Beauty Comes To You**

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BLOUNT-HARVEY

# N. C. POLITICS IN HIGH GEAR

## Candidates' Headquarters Hum With Activity

Reflector Bureau  
By HENRY AVERILL

Raleigh, March 22. — Commissioner of Revenue Allen J. Maxwell today harked back to his 1932 campaign for governor to name a county manager who eight years ago gave him a big lead in his ball-tack.

Meanwhile headquarters of both J. M. Broughton and Lieutenant Governor W. P. Horton, like Maxwell's continued to function in high gear in the matter of lining up their organizations in all sections of the state. Broughton came thru with something of an innovation by announcing that a twelve-man committee will have active charge of his Caldwell county campaign.

The Maxwell manager who will do a repeat performance of his 1932 act is Dr. O. C. McFadyen of Fayetteville who put the Commissioner in front in Cumberland eight years ago and will try to repeat this time.

Other Maxwell managers named today were George M. Pountain, prominent Tarboro attorney for Edgecombe and P. C. Froneberger, Gastonia lawyer, for Gaston.

Horton lined up another State Senator for active work. This time it was Frank H. Gibbs of Warren. He will be a field and headquarters worker as in the cases of Senators W. B. Rodman, H. P. Taylor, Ralph Gardner and R. A. McIntyre.

Old Mitchell was named Stokes county manager for Horton.

In announcing his unusual Caldwell county setup, E. B. Denny, Broughton's State manager said: "This committee will elect a chairman but the entire group will be actively in charge of pressing the Broughton campaign."

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE**  
Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Mrs. Hattie C. Skinner, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against her estate to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 3rd day of February, 1941, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. This 3rd day of February, 1940.  
DR. L. C. SKINNER,  
Administrator of Mrs. Hattie C. Skinner's estate.  
2-3-40-1tw6wks.

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**  
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed and delivered to J. J. White, Trustee, by J. F. Lockamy and wife, Novella W. Lockamy, on the 29th day of December, 1937, which said Deed of Trust is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book 7-21, at page 377, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, the undersigned will offer for sale, for cash, at public auction, before the Court House door in Pitt County, North Carolina, at 12:00 o'clock, Noon, on  
**Tuesday, April 23, 1940**  
the following described real property, located in the County and State aforesaid, and in the Town of Greenville, to-wit:  
"All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land, lying and being situated in the County of Pitt, said State, and in the Town of Greenville: BEGINNING at a point on the north side of Fourth Street, 83 feet from the northeast intersection of Fourth and Tyson Streets, and runs thence in an easterly direction with the north side of Fourth Street 50 feet to a point, the southwest corner of Lot No. 8; thence northwardly, parallel with White Street, with the line dividing Lots Nos. 6 and 8, 132 feet to the southwest corner of Lot No. 7; thence westwardly, parallel with Fourth Street, with the line dividing Lots Nos. 5 and 6, 50 feet to a point, the southeast corner of Lot No. 3; thence southwardly, parallel with White Street and with the line dividing Lots Nos. 6 and 4, 132 feet to the point of BEGINNING on Fourth Street, and being Lot No. 6 in Block Three in the plan of Greenville Heights, according to map recorded in Map Book 2, page 49, in office of Register of Deeds of Pitt County, and being a part of the same lot conveyed to L. J. Smith and E. G. Duke and wife, recorded in Book N-15, page 464, of the Pitt County records, and by L. J. Smith to Johnson and wife by deed recorded in Book E-17, page 36."  
This the 22nd day of March, 1940.  
J. J. WHITE, Trustee.  
J. B. James, Attorney. 1twk-4wks

# What Russia Got From Finland

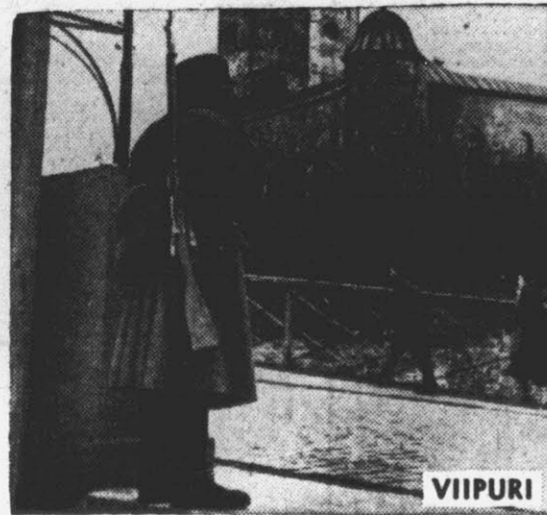
AP Feature Service  
Is the Russo-Finnish peace treaty another Munich agreement? Will Russia use her foothold to move into Finland, as Germany used her foothold to take over Czechoslovakia? Or will the Soviet and Finland (as the Russians assert) now live in Peace.

Time alone will tell. Meanwhile, Russia, in six months, has added territory from Poland and Finland, has signed trade agreements with Bulgaria and Iran, and has gotten military bases in Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania, and now in Finland.

From the Finns, Russia leased Hangö, the gateway to Leningrad, and a port with a harbor that can be kept open throughout the winter.

Czechoslovakia, to the Germans, was a dagger pointed at the heart of Germany. Finland, said the Russians, was a dagger aimed at Russia. The Russians said they were not afraid of Finland, but were afraid that Finnish bases would one day be used by a large European army (presumably British or German) to attack Russia.

These photos show what Russia got from Finland.



VIIPURI



LAKE LADOGA

The chief industrial, commercial, and distributing center of Eastern Finland was founded 650 years ago by a conquering Swedish war lord and has been a battleground many times since. A railroad and highway center, Viipuri (pop. 74,000) is 75 miles from Leningrad.

The largest lake in Europe is full of small islands. There is copper in the Ladoga district. Russia also got the Karelian isthmus, the land between the lake and the Gulf of Finland. The isthmus is dotted with small industrial towns, contains much timber.



FORTIFICATIONS



ARCTIC LAND

The Mannerheim Line, a band of fortifications similar to those on the western front, included tank traps like those shown here, forts and machine-gun pillboxes. The Red Army finally broke the Mannerheim line. So the Maginot and Siegfried lines may not be invulnerable, after all.

Northern territory ceded to Russia helps protect the ice-free Russian port of Murmansk, through which the Allies attacked the Bolsheviks in 1918. Russia also won a slice of land farther south and an agreement for a railroad running across Finland to Sweden.

# Hollywood Sights And Sounds

By Robin Coon

Hollywood.—The "discoverers" of every movie star are legion—even when the star is "discovered" only once.

Thomas Mitchell's "discoverers" could hold a good-sized convention. Mitchell has been "discovered" six times.

First time for Mitchell was in 1921 when he appeared in "Playboy of the Western World," got a nice press, and sank into comparative obscurity.

In 1926, playing in "The Wisdom Tooth," it happened again. A magazine ran a page of pictures of notable men and Mitchell was there. He says he was amazed—"as amazed as the magazine readers probably were."

In 1928 he wrote "Little Accident" and the literary world "unearthed" him as a coming genius.

In 1929 he was discovered as a great stage director, and shortly after that the movies discovered him—as a scenarist. They bought his play, "Cloudy With Showers," and took him to Hollywood with it but didn't make the picture. After 10 months he went back to New York and was discovered again as a stage director.

So he came to Hollywood to act in "Lost Horizon" and has been here since. He's discovered for keeps, this time—since "Stagecoach," "Swiss Family Robinson," "Three Cheers For the Irish," and "Our Town." He is one of the most-in-demand actors in town.

Some actors, like Mitchell, get themselves "discovered" over and over. Others, like James Dunn, have it happen only once and then have to do something.

Dunn was a hit in his first picture, "Bad Girl," when he came to town about 9 years ago. Since then he has done 43 pictures, none to

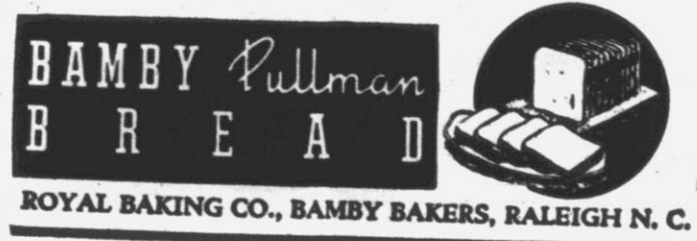
next Tuesday night at 7:30 in the Fleming Street school. Persons from all walks of life may

# "Mother Gives Me BAMBY BREAD"



"Eating BAMBY BREAD and Jam after play is, oh, so much fun. I like its taste. And Mother tells me that it's good for me. I'm glad it is 'cause I like to eat BAMBY BREAD and Jam often."

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# Colored News

**First Aid Course**  
The local Red Cross chapter will sponsor a free course in first aid for local Negro citizens, beginning

# Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR  
March 22, 1900.

**SMALL CHAT**  
This is a fine day. Shad were plentiful in market this morning.

The days and nights are now of about equal length.

According to the almanac Spring is now here, but Winter may show his presence some more.

Now that Spring has come the town authorities will require property owners along Evans street, who have not complied with the ordinance, to pave their sidewalks. Some have had a good long probation.

Mrs. E. O. McGowan is visiting Mrs. E. B. Higgs.

enter the course. It will be especially helpful to teachers, housewives, nurses, scouts and factory workers.

Persons who complete the course and pass the final examination will be awarded a standard First Aid certificate.

The instruction will be given by C. G. Mabry who is a member of the local Negro High School faculty. He was one of the first Negroes in Pitt county to complete the standard course, and qualified as an instructor in First Aid by graduating from the National Water School held in Durham last summer.

# TO REPLACE TOBACCO WITH ANOTHER PRINCIPAL CROP

(Continued from Page One)

average the total yield will be 440,480,000 pounds the shortest in five years.

Corn: While North Carolina is planting a slightly larger crop (last year 48,097,000 bushels were harvested from 2,488,000 acres) the United States as a whole shows a reduction of acreage which will make this year's the lowest in more than 40 years.

Hay: Prospective planting figures indicate another record tame hay crop for the State. The all-time record of 1,107,000 acres was set last year, and this year it looks like there will be a four per cent greater acreage planted. It will be the fourth consecutive year of increase.

Peanuts: The indicated acreage is the largest since 1932. While North Carolina and Virginia propose increased production, outlook is for decreases in the southeast area (Georgia and Alabama) and in the southwest (Texas, Arkansas, Louisiana and Oklahoma).

Soybeans: Largest crop in the history of the State is indicated, with the probability that it will run 39 per cent above the average for the past ten years.

Cowpeas: North Carolina and Missouri alone indicated increased production this year. The U. S. crop is expected to be about 5 per cent off.

Irish Potatoes: There is an indicated decrease in the early commercial potatoes, but the non-commercial early and the late commercial crop will result in total

# To Play For Towne Club Dance



Pictured above are Spence Hatley and his "Deans of Rhythm," who will furnish the music for the fifth annual Easter dance to be held in the High School auditorium Monday night, March 25.

The officers of the club have asked their dates as sponsors, and all is in readiness for a most successful dance. Bids have been distributed over most of this part of the state. All members interested in obtaining additional bids for out-of-town guests can be supplied by Tom Wilson.

plantings of 83,000 acres against 82,000 last year. Sweet Potatoes: Smallest crop since 1929 indicated by the prospective two per cent reduction.

Married people make up more than 42 per cent of the population of Stockholm. In 1900 the percentage was 27.

Census officials estimate that Alaska's 1940 population will top 70,000.

# Want Ads for Results



# Values In Fine Foods For Your EASTER DINNER

- Georgia Peanut Fed
- Hams lean smoked lb. 19c**
- |                               |                           |
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| Triangle Pure Creamery BUTTER | Large Strictly Fresh EGGS |
| Tub or Roll, lb 33c           | Dozen 17 1/2c             |
| 1-4-lb. Cubes.....35c         | In Carton, doz. ....19c   |

- ROYAL GELATINE and PUDDINGS..... 4 pkgs. 19c  
HEINZ BEANS WITH PORK..... 3, 12-oz. can 25c  
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER..... 3 cans 25c  
DEL MAIZ NIBLETS CORN..... 2 cans 25c  
PILLSBURY FLOUR..... 12-lb. bag 57c  
JOHNSON'S GLO-COAT WAX..... 1-lb. can 59c  
DROMEDARY GINGER BREAD MIX..... pkg. 21c  
HELLMAN'S or BEST FOODS
- MAYONNAISE, . . . . 16 oz. jar, 27c

- DRESS UP YOUR EASTER TABLE WITH Southern Manor Finer Foods
- |            |  |                  |     |
|------------|--|------------------|-----|
| PEACHES    | Sliced or Halves                       | Large 2 1/2 can  | 15c |
| Lima BEANS | Tiny Green                             | No. 2 cans       | 29c |
| PEARS      | Luscious Halves Bartlett—No. 2 1/2 can |                  | 19c |
| PEAS       | Fancy Green Sweet                      | No. 2 cans       | 23c |
| PLUMS      | Fancy Whole Fresh                      | 2 No. 2 1/2 cans | 25c |

- Season's Finest Fruits and Vegetables
- |                                     |     |  |     |
|-------------------------------------|-----|--|-----|
| Fancy Florida Strawberries— 2 pints | 29c | Black Twig Apples, 4 lbs.              | 15c |
| Florida Oranges 10 pounds           | 33c | Florida New Red Bliss Potatoes, 4 lbs. | 22c |
| Radish— bunch                       | 5c  | Texas Carrots— 2 bunches               | 9c  |
| Fresh Spinach Pound                 | 5c  | California Iceberg Lettuce 2 heads     | 19c |

- IN OUR MODERN MARKET
- |                    |     |                  |     |
|--------------------|-----|------------------|-----|
| Cottage Rolls, lb. | 23c | Sliced Bacon Lb. | 15c |
| Potato Salad Lb.   | 12c | Chuck Roast Lb.  | 14c |
| Smoked Picnics Lb. | 14c | Neck Bones Lb.   | 5c  |
| Bacon Squares Lb.  | 10c | Pork Liver Lb.   | 10c |
| Strip Bacon Lb.    | 14c |                  |     |

# ANNOUNCEMENT

I wish to announce to the voters of Pitt County that I am a candidate for re-nomination and re-election as Solicitor of the County Court of Pitt County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary on May 25th, 1940.

Your vote, confidence and continued support will be appreciated.

Charles Harry Whedbee

# BANK HOLIDAY

Following Usual Custom The Banks In Greenville Will Not Be Open For Business Easter Monday, March 25th, 1940.

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## State Bank & Trust Co.

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## Strength For The Day

By EARL L. DOUGLASS

### GOOD FRIDAY

When I survey the wondrous cross  
On which the Prince of Glory died,  
My richest gain I count but loss,  
And pour contempt on all my pride.

"Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast  
Save in the death of Christ my God:  
All the vain things that charm me most,  
I sacrifice them to His blood."

"See, from His head, His hands, His feet,  
Sorrow and love flow mingled down:  
Did e'er such love and sorrow meet,  
Or thorns compose so rich a crown?"

"Were the whole realm of nature mine,  
That were a present far too small;  
Love so amazing, so divine,  
Demands my soul, my life, my all."  
—ISAAC WATTS, 1707.  
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### MARKETS NEEDED

Commissioner of Agriculture Kerr Scott continues his campaign for more and better markets for farm products in this state. We agree with the commissioner for we believe that the establishment of ready markets for these things that can and should be grown on our farms would prove an incentive to our farmers to get away from their present system of one crop farming. There is no farm product that cannot be successfully produced right here in eastern North Carolina and there is a need and demand for these products in other sections of our state and nation. The one thing most lacking now is a system of sale and distribution whereby these products can be placed before the buying public in the peak of condition. Ready markets for all kinds of products of our farms would no doubt solve the problems of our eastern North Carolina farmers who are at present enslaved by one crop farming.

### STOP THE IFS AND WHENS

We agree heartily with the Bertie County Herald that the job before America at this time, is not what we will do if and when we get into the present European war, but to devote our every effort to the task of staying out of the war, which we can and must do.

### SHORT SHOTS

Reflector Bureau.  
By HENRY AVERILL.  
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see in the papers or hear some speaker comment about the inevitability of the United States getting into this war that is raging in Europe. There should be an end to this 'if we get in', 'when we get in', 'we ought to do this', 'we ought to do that.'

"The United States can stay out of Europe's war. The United States must stay out if its citizens retain their reason."

"Reason should not be confused by sentiment or futile sympathy. Most of all it should not be confounded or defeated by fatalistic thinking induced by the propaganda of those who would like to drag us into Europe's slaughter."

"We have nothing to profit, all to lose. Let us put an end to thoughts of war, but rather concentrate upon efforts to maintain our peace. One way to do this is to put a stop to senseless repetition of dangerous phrases that have no place in our thinking. We do not want to be in, we have no reason to be in; and we are not going to get into the war on anybody's side. So let us stop talking about it's and when's."

## Washington Daybook

By Jack Stinnett

Washington—It's easier to get by with murder than it is to get a bill through Congress.

According to the International Association of Police Chiefs, if you commit a murder and the murder is discovered, you have from one chance in ten to one in four (depending on what city you're in) of getting away with it.

If you are in Washington and in Congress, you have about one chance in 25 of getting a bill written into the statute books as an honest-to-gospel law.

At a recent session of Congress, there were nearly 18,000 bills introduced. Of these, a few more than 700 got the President's John Hancock and went into the statutes to help or hinder you and me and Joe Doaks.

**The Objectors**  
Considering that there have been 76 Congresses, each sitting for a couple of years, that may seem like an infernal number of laws. It is. But consider that a vast number of these were private bills—measures which gave some worthy individual a life-time pension or provided Federal aid to a small district's river system—or did this and that for some individual or little group.

These bills are numberless, and to cope with them, the house has an Objector's committee, composed of three Democrats and three Republicans. One objection from the Objectors generally is enough to make a measure worth less than the paper it was written on.

In the Senate, bills can be introduced only in the last two hours of any legislative day. The catch is that if business is rushing, a legislative day may last for months of calendar days.

Bills introduced in the Senate are referred to one of the 37 standing committees by the Vice President. The committee may refer it to a sub-committee. There are hearings, redrafts, recommendations, majority and minority reports, the committee of the whole, and the interminable wait for it to show up on the calendar unless the steering committee prescribes that it should have preference over everything else.

A lot of bills go to committees and never come to light again.

**Both Houses Debate It**  
In the Senate, bills are introduced by being read. In the House, they merely are dropped into a hopper by the Speaker's desk, to be gathered up by the house parliamentarian and assigned to a committee. Many disappear into that hopper as to a grave.

Once a bill gets up on the floor, it has got to stand a Joe Louis barrage. In the House debate on a bill is limited to one hour and amendments must be germane. In the Senate, there's no limit on debate (hence the filibuster) and amendments can be made on any subject under the sun. The anti-lynching amendment is a favorite method of making the tail of the kite so heavy the kite won't rise.

If the bill is lucky enough to get by one House, it has to go to the other. Differences of opinion in the Houses generally are settled in a joint committee, the reports of which are undebated. Then if the bill passes it's ready for the President's signature—or veto.

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## LEAP BEFORE YOU LOOK

By Peggy O'More

**YESTERDAY:** Pierre tells Tomi that Allen is turning on his charm for mercenary reasons. Tomi is furious and decides that two can play at the same game. The whole Toland family then arrives for a visit.

### Chapter 22 Madhouse

TOMI ran to the rear door to see Abe yank Harold from the net enclosure. "So the rooster pecked you, did he?" Old Abe was saying. "Well, it's a shame he didn't peck harder."

"I wonder," mused Mrs. Dougherty from behind Tomi, "if I could prevail upon Gladys to break a leg so I'd have to go home and take care of her until these Tolands left."

"They won't be here that long," protested Tomi. "What time did they arrive?"

"Eleven-thirty," answered the housekeeper dryly. "But twenty-four hours of this is equal to a year of nice, quiet life in an insane asylum. I took your books away from the lawyer and locked them in your desk. I rooted the Major away from my household accounts. Two of the women were checking your linen and another one was trying on your hats."

"Maybe you hadn't better wait for Gladys to break a leg," Tomi murmured, timidly, as she helped the groaning housekeeper to her feet and began gathering crockery.

"Maybe you're right," agreed Dorothy Dougherty. "You lived with them for twelve years; you're injured. Besides, you'll need my room tonight. I'll wait until after the dinner things are cleared away, providing there are any left to clear."

Tomi thought dinner would never be ready, the family ever seated, but eventually everything was under Great-aunt Hannah's control. Even Harold was so quiet no one saw him leave the table.

They knew he had, because he was returned to the dining room by an Old Abe who seethed with indignation.

"The frogs are fed. The pens, the shelters, the chicken yards, the boat, the tool house and the garage are all padlocked. I'm going to Alameda and I'm not coming back till morning."

"What happened, Abe?" begged Tomi, following him into the hall. "I tried Little Sweetheart on a toy cart. Little Sweetheart, who never had an unkind hand laid to her since she was a polly-wog, nor before."

"Imagined him getting that close to her," marveled Tomi. "But then he was born in early June. You go on, Abe, have a good time, see a show!"

"Show," blurted Abe. "I've had all the show I want right here on these grounds."

Tomi rescued a jardiniere from the newel post, from Harold, and escorted Harold to the table with a firm grasp of his shirt collar. Half an hour later Harold used the long hall as a bowling alley and succeeded in knocking down three of the five crystal candlesticks he'd placed near the front door. The jardiniere broke on the lowest garden step.

The men of the family helped Tomi assemble the beds and sent them from the sheds. Major Toland fell down stairs, but somehow managed to light on the mattress he had been carrying up. Only his dignity was injured.

Long-suffering Carrington dropped an iron bedstead on Austin's foot and spent the rest of the afternoon apologizing. Agatha, given to hay fever, stuck her nose in a mass of tamarack blossoms and the old farmhouse rang with her sneezing. Parilla caught her flowing skirts on a bramblebush while she was bringing the aired blankets into the house. Tomi felt that all she did was run around in circles.

Only Great-aunt Hannah remained calm and unruffled. Enthroned on a straight-backed chair, she directed activities.

Tomi had no time to think of Allen Bartell, and because of this, the slight of him caused her heart to leap into her throat and remain there.

**'It's A Promise'**  
"Does this belong to anyone here?" he inquired pleasantly, from the door, and brought into view a small figure which dripped water from head to heels. "I fished it out of the bay with a gaff-hook."

"May hurried her young son upstairs and Bartell turned his charm on the Tolands.

"Well, this is a pleasure," he greeted.  
"And it's all yours," whispered Mrs. Dougherty behind him. Aloud, she asked if he would take her into town with him when he left.

Tomi saw the golden glints dancing in Bartell's eyes. "Abe," she explained with dignity, "took his car when he drove into town. Pierre is driving mine to Sacramento."

The lights continued to dance. The family smiled with pleasure. The young man wasn't as impossible as they had thought.  
Before he left with Mrs. Dougherty, Great-aunt Hannah had promised to knit him a skull cap to wear in his boat, and the male Toland had promised to try the boat immediately after breakfast. "You're having dinner with me tomorrow evening," Allen whis-

## Daily Cross Word Puzzle

**ACROSS**  
1. Word of sorrow  
8. Entry  
12. Masculine  
13. Australian bird  
14. Quarter acre  
15. Temporary occasions  
18. Place of occurrence  
19. Billow  
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**Solution to Yesterday's Puzzle**  
CAMP ACTOR SLEW  
ALICE CRONE TINE  
PARACHUTE TASTE  
ERE LESS FALLEN  
POST RUPEE  
DALES STORES PA  
ARISEN ODOR RID  
MOLY ENTER SOLO  
AMLY ASEA EDITOR  
NA LITTLE ELATE  
DELLS MAIL  
EPODEE HEMS IRE  
DAZED PERIMETER  
ACER SOAS REAR  
MASS OASIS GAPS

**ACROSS**  
1. Word of sorrow  
8. Entry  
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vote in the first primary.

No less than 25 of them said, with all outward evidences of sincerity, that they haven't even made up their own minds. The other two said they had decided, but even then they wouldn't confess who will be the winner by their decision.

"That's what makes all this talk about 'Broughton is in front'," Horton is leading. "It's Maxwell in a walk, etc. etc. just so much hog wash at the present time."

If more than ninety percent of the voter's haven't made up their minds, how under high heaven can anybody tell what they are going to do two months from now?

Not all North Carolina newspapers keep as nearly abreast of the times as they should.

Willis Smith, who almost announced for Governor but didn't, has just told your Raleigh reporter that within the last week he received from one of the State's weeklies a request for his picture—"so that we can run it with the other candidates for Governor."

Rocky Mount's Lee Gravelly has been endorsed for Governor by the volunteer members of the Rocky Mount fire department. They heartily endorse the candidacy of Mr. Gravelly and express to him wishes for a successful campaign.

Copies of the resolution are being mailed all the firemen in North Carolina.

Gravelly, himself a tobaccoist of long years standing, told Johnston county folks last night that the present tobacco situation is "extremely serious."

In this opinion he has the hearty concurrence of Bill Fenner, another Rocky Mounter who seriously considered running for Governor.

Fenner told your reporter a day or so ago that the tobacco situation is likely to develop into a real crisis although he added "but there's time for lots of things to happen before the crop is to be sold."

Tom Bost, Greensboro News correspondent, reports that some sections of the Piedmont and west are planning to bar Tom Cooper's sound trucking in the governor's race. If they do, it will really be a Godsend to Tom. Anytime anyone is made a martyr, he's the gainer.

### SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

Annie Mae Brown Jones vs. Wilbur Allen Jones.

The defendant, Wilbur Allen Jones, will take notice that an action has been instituted in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, by the above named plaintiff against him, for the purpose of obtaining an absolute divorce on the ground of 2 years separation, and for the further purpose of obtaining legal custody of their three children, namely, Virginia Dare, Wilbur Grover, Jr., and Louise. And said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, on or before April 2, 1940, and answer or demur to the complaint filed in this action, or the relief prayed for therein will be granted.

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This the 4th day of March, 1940.  
J. F. HARRINGTON,  
Clerk of the Superior Court.  
Gaylord & Harrell,  
Attorneys for Plaintiff.  
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### NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Having this day qualified as Administrators of the estate of D. C. Stokes, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent, to exhibit itemized and verified statements of



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Sliced Rindless Bacon, lb. 17 1/2c  
Armour's Star Hams— (Half or Whole), lb. 21c  
Western Beef Pot Roast, lb. 17c

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# ECTC To Open Season With Elon In City Tomorrow

## VISITORS WILL BE TOUGH FOES

### Martin Slated To Do Most Of The Mound Work

The baseball game scheduled here Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock between Coach Bo Parley's East Carolina Teachers College Pirates and the powerful nine of Elon College not only will be the first game of the season for the locals, but one of the toughest.

Elon is noted for producing exceptional teams various divisions of athletics and its baseball team is unusually outstanding. Little is known about the visitors' team for the current season, but judging past teams leads one to believe they have what it takes to make America's favorite summer sport more interesting.

Coach Parley has been putting his hopefuls through the mill for the past two weeks, not only to shape them for Saturday's game but the season in general. When they tangle with the Elon team, they'll need all the extra polish they can get.

One of the principal weaknesses in the Pirate lineups is in the pitching division. It isn't the quality of pitching talent Coach Parley has that's causing the headaches, but the amount. Kelly Martin is the only hold-over from last season and the new staff is built around him. Kelly is the probable starter on the mound for the Pirates in the Saturday game.

The ECTC coach has not definitely decided about the starters for some of the berths of the team Saturday. Floyd Hinton has shown enough polish to give him exclusive claims at first base and Bill Shelton, star of previous seasons, holds an unopposed claim at short.

Norman Mayo, who handled the hot corner last season, likely will do most of the work at that berth this season. However, Sam Crandall, freshman, who likes the third base zone, is being eyed for possible action in that division. Nortcutt is competing with Bill Davidson for the catching division. Regulars from last season in the outfield are Charles Futrell and Walter Moritz.

## LOCAL ROOKIE HOLDS RECORD

### Many Honors Won By Catcher Sioned By Greenville

Another rookie, Nick DeLuca, of Newark, N. J., who will try out for catcher with the Greens this year, has written Manager Rube Wilson that he is looking forward to the opening of the season.

"I've been playing ball since I was a little boy," writes DeLuca, who said he would be here April 2 or 3.

The rookie is five feet, five inches tall and weighs 155 pounds. He played three years of high school ball and made both the all-city and all-state teams.

In his senior year in school he was voted the most valuable player of the team and is regarded as a good hitter. He has had two years experience with one of New Jersey's leading semi-pro teams.

### Hama To Have Young Backfield

University, Ala.—(AP)—If Alabama has a good backfield next year you can just about count on one as good or better the following fall.

Not a single one of the backfield candidates is a senior. The two lettermen, Jimmy Nelson and Paul Spencer, will be juniors. Most of the other candidates will be sophomores.

### Very Special Spring Training

University, Ala.—(AP)—Ray Reese, Alabama end, is taking his spring football training in an unusual way—climbing the steps of the stadium with a 40-pound weight on his shoulder.

The exercise is designed to strengthen a knee from which the cartilage was removed last fall.

# Whitehead Wages Great Comeback Battle Against Men Brought Up To Replace Him

By DILLON GRAHAM  
Sports Editor, AP Feature Service  
Winter Haven, Fla.—All last winter the baseball scribes were writing Burgess Whitehead out of the New York Giants' lineup. Whitehead hails from Eastern North Carolina.

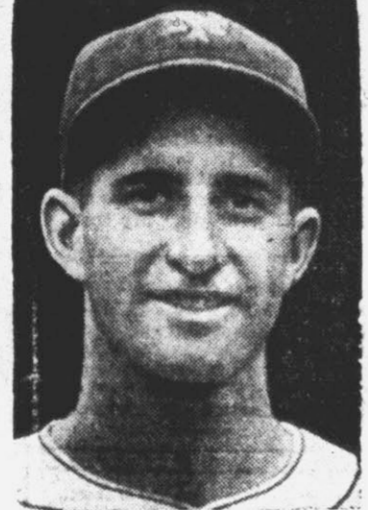
Manager Bill Terry joined in, too. He came out bluntly and said that Mickey Witek from Newark would be his second baseman and either Glen Stewart or George Myatt would play third. That left rookie Babe Young or Zake Bonura at first, Bill Jurgas at shortstop and

Whitehead out in the cold. But they reckoned without Burgess. He decided he was going to be a regular this year and his sensational play in a comeback attempt has been one of the features of the Giants' drills.

The others are younger than Whitehead, but Burgess has experience on them and makes plays they haven't learned to handle. Maybe he won't make the team. If he doesn't, though, you can bet that those rookies are quite a bit better than even Bill Terry thought.



GLEN STEWART



MICKEY WITEK

## High School Athletes Honored With Banquet

### Letters In Basketball And Football Awarded

By C. B. Rowlette  
Last evening in the Greenville Country club, an athletic banquet was given in honor of all the athletes of this year in Greenville High school.

Letters were awarded to the football team and the boys' and girls' basketball teams.

V. M. Mulholland presided over the meeting and R. C. Deal of E. C. T. C. gave a talk on "Athletes of Yesterday and Athletes Today," which was very interesting.

After the banquet and speech a movie was shown on some of the outstanding football games of the year, such as the Rose Bowl, the Sugar Bowl and others. It was all enjoyed by the audience.

Those receiving letters in football were: George Sakas, J. B. Kittrell, Marvin Stocks, George Tyndall, John Collins, Larry James, Russell Rogerson, Earl Kittrell, Paul Scott, Noah Lee Edwards, Polly Williams, Buddy Harrington, John Spearman, H. R. Goodall, Spencer Carroll, Dewey Page, Warren Parrish, Roscoe Cox and Jack Edwards, manager.

Those awarded gold footballs depicting more than one year of playing were Polly Williams, John Collins, Larry James, Marvin Stocks, Russell Rogerson, Earl Kittrell, Warren Parrish, Spencer Carroll, J. B. Kittrell, George Tyndall, and Paul Scott.

Basketball letters were given to Larry James, Burney Warren, Polly Williams, Marvin Stocks, John Collins, J. B. Kittrell, Snag Clark, Carl Whitehurst, J. Hicks Corey, and George Sakas.

Larry James, Burney Warren, Marvin Stocks, Polly Williams and George Sakas received gold basketballs for two years of service.

Letters awarded to the girls basketball team were to Betty Tyson, Joy Flanagan, Peggy West, Jane Harrison, Doris Roberts, Lib Wells, Guy DuPree, Helen Campbell, Louise Parks, Virginia Simpson, Margaret Futrell, Rebecca Move, Eleanor Nobles, Jane Scoville, and Ann Skinner, manager.

### New Vandy Coach



Henry (Red) Sanders, back field coach at Louisiana State University, succeeds Ray Morrison as head football coach at Vanderbilt University. Morrison resigned to accept the football reins of Temple University.

### BLONDIE — by Young



I CAN'T WAIT! I GET MY SLIPPERS ON... THESE SHOES ARE KILLING ME



WHERE ARE MY SLIPPERS?



DAISY WAS PLAYING WITH THEM... I THINK SHE TOOK THEM DOWN TO THE BASEMENT



THERE'S JUST ONE DOWN HERE... WHERE'S MY OTHER SLIPPER, BLONDIE?



IT'S UPSTAIRS IN THE BATHROOM... I WAS USING IT TO TACK BACK THE CURTAINS



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### THIMBLE THEATRE (Starring Popeye)

MY DECISION AND MINE

WELL, YOU ARE THE JUDGES BUT—

—THE FIGHT ISN'T OVER—YET

THAT'S OKAY WE MADE UP OUR MINDS BEFORE IT STARTED

I KNOCKED YA OUT ONCEY AN' I KIN DO IT AGIN

UNANIMOUS

WHOP

LET EM COUNT A MILLYUN, YALL STAY DOWN NOW

YES, MOST UNANIMOUS

THE WINNAH AND STILL THE CHAMPION OF SAGASKIA—ETC—

HEY JUS'A MINNIT

HELLO, MOM, HELLO, POP. TOUGH FIGHT. GLAD I WON

### Now Showing: Local Boy Makes Good!

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## SAYS SHERIFF WAS "BIASED"

### Cabarrus Man Therefore Seeking New Trial

Reflector Bureau  
By HENRY AXERILL  
Raleigh, March 22—Attorneys for Homer McManus, Cabarrus man under death sentence for killing the man who had been his bunkmate for three months, will next week seek a new trial for their client on the grounds that the Sheriff of Cabarrus county selected the jury after having paid a \$200 reward out of his own pocket for McManus' arrest.

The McManus case is the only capital felony conviction from which an appeal will be heard by the Supreme court when it takes up cases from the Sixth and Fifteenth judicial districts next week. On the calendar is one other criminal appeal in addition to nine appeals in civil actions — one of them from a decision by Judge R. Hunt Parker refusing to halt the City of Kingston from proceeding with its housing project.

The alleged bias of the Cabarrus sheriff against McManus was put in issue only after the jury had convicted the defendant, whereupon counsel moved the presiding judge to set aside the verdict.

Defendant's brief alleges that the sheriff was ordered to summon a special venire of 50 men, instead of drawing the jury from the jury box. It developed later in the trial that the sheriff had paid a \$200 reward for McManus' arrest. The sheriff, in addition, was a corroborating witness to material evidence and during his examination said from the witness stand: "I have been trying to convict him (the defendant) and have been stymie by the Solicitor the whole time."

"In other words," said the McManus brief, "the sheriff of Cabarrus county was so interested in the conviction of this defendant that he paid \$200 out of his own pocket; that he selected fifty men out of a possible 5,000 qualified jurors; that he was the principal witness and that he was the real prosecutor."

Residents of colonial New York who refused to clear or repair their chimneys were fined three shillings a chimney.



MICKEY WITEK

fast ever since. The Giants, whose outfield isn't the best in the league and whose pitching is doubtful, may find that their success or failure rests largely on these rookie infielders—Witek, Babe Young, Glen Stewart and Glen Myatt. And don't forget Whitehead. He may make a lot of difference in the ball club.

### DUKE PLAYING OPENER TODAY

Engage Pennsylvania Both Today And Tomorrow

Durham, March 22—Duke's Blue Devils of baseball, engaging the University of Pennsylvania in their season's opener at Duke park this afternoon, will wind up their weekend bill tomorrow afternoon, meeting the Quakers on the same site.

Tomorrow's game will start at 3 o'clock—the starting time for today's game and for all games on the Blue Devils grounds until April 6.

It is probable that Coach Coombs, beginning his twelfth season as the Duke diamond mentor, will continue his three-pitcher policy against the Penn nine tomorrow. He is expected to send Bill Peters, a senior Kilmer Bortz, a junior, and Bob Vickery, leading fliker among the 1939 corps, to the hill for three inning tricks. All are righthanders.

Pennsylvania, whose starting pitcher for today's game was problematical, will likely nominate one of three experienced moundmen for the starting job. Tony Caputo, an outstanding athlete in two sports, J. Linwood Fawley, and Leo Kahn are mainstays of the Quaker staff.

The Pennsylvanians are on a brief southern swing in preparation for their campaign in the Eastern intercollegiate league. They opened against Wake Forest yesterday before coming here for their brace of contests with the Blue Devils. They will meet the University of North Carolina's Tar Heels at Chapel Hill on Monday and Tuesday of next week.

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### That's Enough Of That!

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UNCLE SI SAYS



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BABY CHICKS - U. S. - N. C. Approved pullover tested. Hatches each Tuesday. Purina Feeds and Poultry supplies. Drum's Electric Hatchery and Feed Store, 303 Alameda Ave., phone 2537. 18-1mo

YOU CAN FIND JUST THE Style, Color and Fit You Want in Master Footwear at Coburn's Shoes, Inc., "Your Shoe Store." 20-3ts

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MOVED! Pitt Poultry Co., is now located on Fifth Street, opposite New Fair Grounds. Sell with us for top prices at all times. PITT POULTRY COMPANY 10-1mo

FOR SALE - FURNISHED APART- ments, furnished room, and we serve meals. 436 W. Fifth Street, Dial 3473. 22-3t

DIAL 2815 for Schraff's Easter Candy Pound Boxes 60c and \$1.00 EARL BROWN Next to Morton's Bakery Delivery Service 7:30 a. m. till 11:00 p. m. 22-2ts

BUY YOUR EASTER DRESS, coat, sweater or evening dress at Bloom's big sale which continues through Saturday. 22-1tp

CHEVROLET 1939 TRUCK - 1 1/2- ton, 700x20 tires front and 825x24 dual rear. Blue finish. It has 1940 license. Excellent for trailer or dump. Only \$485.00. White Chevrolet Co., Inc. 22

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BIG SALE CONTINUES THRU Saturday at Bloom's on dresses, coats, sweaters and evening dresses. 22-1tp

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Markets Closed New York, March 22. (AP) - All stock and commodity markets were closed today in observance of Good Friday.

HOG MARKETS Richmond 5.40 Rocky Mount 5.25 Kingston 5.25

Richmond Livestock Richmond, March 22. - Hogs, market steady and unchanged, quoting good and choice 180 to 225 lbs. \$5.20 to \$5.40 the top; 100-120 lbs. \$3.40-\$3.90; 120-140 lbs. \$3.90-\$4.60; 140-160 lbs. \$4.60-\$4.90; 160-180 lbs. \$4.90 to \$5.20; 225-250 lbs. \$4.70-\$5.20; 250-300 lbs. \$4.50-\$5.00; over 300 lbs. \$4.20-\$4.70. Sows under 350 lbs. \$4.65-\$5.15; over 350 lbs. \$3.15-\$3.65. Cattle, market quotable about steady with former days this week. Steers, strictly good fat butcher steers mostly \$8.25-\$8.50, mediums around \$6.50-\$7.50, common down around \$5.00 to \$6.00. Heifers, average run nearby medium heifers from \$5.50-\$6.50 and good beef bred heifers around \$7.50-\$8.00 with poor grades as to value. Cows, good fat butcher cows mostly \$5.25-\$5.75, mediums \$4.25-\$4.75, common and canners \$3.00-\$4.00. Bulls, good fat butcher bulls \$6.00-\$6.50 with extra choice a little higher; lights around \$5.00-\$6.00. Vealers, good and choice vealers steady with \$10.00 the practical top; poor quality as to value.

Federal Receipts Shown By States Washington, March 22. (AP) - State-by-state figures showed today that income tax collections in the first 20 days of March varied from increases of 81 per cent in Michigan to small decreases in Texas, Maine and Oklahoma.

The comparison was with the corresponding period of last year. The average national gain was 31 per cent. In the 20-day period, representing the bulk of first quarter, federal income tax installments produced \$611,448,616 this year, compared with \$473,122,052 last year.

The variation in collections apparently bore no sectional characteristics. Thus, states showing the largest increases included Michigan, Rhode Island, 77 per cent; Delaware, 73 per cent; Ohio, 62 per cent and Indiana, 56 per cent.

New York state easily maintained its first rank with \$156,298,903. Collections in North Carolina for the period were \$2,377,749, as compared with \$5,960,773 last year.

The U. S. Forest Service distributed 3,082,111 trees for planting stock in Ohio in 1939.

FOR SALE - FIFTY CORDS OF tobacco wood, \$2.50 per cord. A. J. Taylor, 6 miles on Bethel highway. 21-3ts

DIAL 2815 FOR "LIGHTNING Service" from 7:30 a. m. to 11:00 p. m. Drug sundries, medicines, soda fountain service, sandwiches, tobaccos, magazines. Big milk shake with ice cream, 10c. Earl Brown. 22-cod-1mo

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY - Lemon Cheese Cakes, Easter Chick Cookies, Meringue Kisses. Peoples' Bakery. 22-1t

FOR SALE - THREE COLORED tenement houses. Each lot 40ft x 110 ft. Situated First and Pitt streets. BOB GREENE. 271t

BABY CARRIAGE FOR SALE - Like new, convertible. Mrs. Mack Hux, 1215 Chestnut St. 20-3tp

ROOM FOR RENT TO TWO MEN. One block from Five Points. Dial 3107. 22-2t

FARM REFUNDS BILL OPPOSED

Sec. Wallace Against Returning Sums to Farmers

Washington, March 22. (AP) - Secretary Wallace opposed today a bill authorizing return of more than \$50,000,000 to cotton producers who participated in the 1934-1935 federal crop control program.

He told a Senate Agriculture subcommittee in a statement that the legislation introduced by Sen. Russell (D-Ga.), was "not in accord with President Roosevelt's program."

There is "no equitable, moral or legal ground for the government" making these refunds to more than 1,200,000 individual cotton producers, Wallace said.

Advocates of the legislation contend that farmers seeking the refunds paid the money to the government in the form of cotton ginning taxes before the old Bankhead-Jones act was repealed by Congress as the result of a Supreme court decision.

Walter Randolph, assistant federal farm administrator for the Southern region, testified it would be a very difficult job to trace all these individual transactions of five and six years ago because many of the producers were tenants and share croppers who since have moved.

Man About Manhattan - By George Tucker

New York - For a guy who has a burning thirst for size and who thinks of living space in terms of warehouses and regimental armories Billy Rose has shown considerable restraint in choosing a home for his bride. It is a modest, 14-room chateau built entirely of imported Dutch brick, and is located at No. 33 Beekman place over on the East river.

The little Midas picked it for a mere \$140,000 cash, and while it is not what he originally had in his mind, it is, as he says, at least a roof over their heads.

For a while he thought of taking a 40-room "lodge" he found on a mountain top near Tarrytown, N. Y., but decided against it when someone pointed out how far Tarrytown was from Lindy's.

"We shouldn't go running off to the country anyway," the master says philosophically. "It would get so lonesome out there Eleanor and I might throw each other off a cliff."

This new house, from the Rose point of view, has only one defect. When he strolls to the broad bay windows and throws aside the curtains he finds that Billy Lee's yacht, which ties up there, ruins his view of the lovely muddy waters of the river.

But for those who can discipline themselves away from river-vistas, there are compensating distractions. Rose has turned No. 33 Beekman Place into a sort of personal museum of art masterpieces, and for a man who makes his money out of tigers and elephants the taste is exemplary.

He has a fine 18th Century canvas by Sir Joshua Reynolds, and at least four excellent studies by the old Flemish masters, one of which is a knight by Van Dyke. There are also paintings by Derain, the modern French painter, and one by Puga, a pupil of the Spaniard Valesquez. There is, finally, a portrait of Jean Cocteau, the French actor-writer-producer, and it is a face of such frightening aspect that

when Eleanor Holm saw it she burst into tears and said she would not stay in the same house with it. Only by swearing to hide it in his own private room was Billy able to placate her. After seeing the portrait, one has the hunch that maybe the logic was all on Eleanor's side. Modigliani's Cocteau is a weird thing with cross eyes and a neck like a swan.

The house itself blossoms around a magnificent Adams spiraling stairway. The dining room is in English paneling, with an open fire and mantel effects in porcelain and jade which came from Italy and Hindustan. John Murray Anderson, who produces all of Bill's extravaganzas, including his new Aquacade, which will open this year on May 11, was stunned by it. "None of your friends will fit in here, Billy," he warned, "unless you give them powdered wigs and satin britches."

Billy's own room, compared to the lavish guest rooms and Mrs. Rose's private boudoir, is a mere monk's cell. Besides a desk in the French Empire style, a bed, and the portrait of Cocteau there is nothing. Those guest beds, by the way, are only 13 inches high, but any of them would sleep the Marx bros. and Primo Carnera.

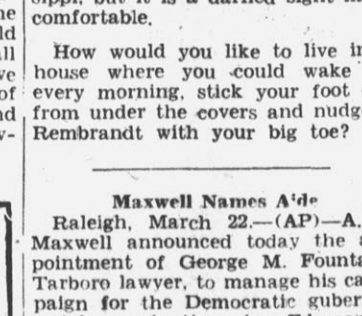
In sum, life on the East River may not be as exciting as Mark Twain pictured it on the Mississippi, but it is a darned sight more comfortable.

How would you like to live in a house where you could wake up every morning, stick your foot out from under the covers and nudge a Rembrandt with your big toe?

Maxwell Names Aide - Raleigh, March 22. (AP) - A. J. Maxwell announced today the appointment of George M. Fountain, Tarboro lawyer, to manage his campaign for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination in Edgecombe county.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION Having this day qualified as administrators of the estate of T. E. Langley, 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 or their attorney, on or before the 28th day of February, 1941, 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 of their attorney. This the 28th day of February, 1940. C. A. LANGLEY, W. F. LANGLEY, Administrators of T. E. Langley, deceased. Arthur B. Corey, Attorney. F29-1twk-6wks

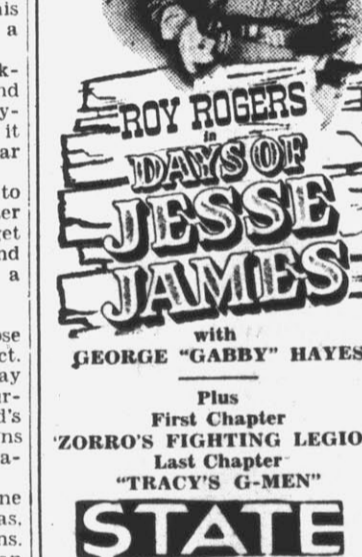
ANNOUNCEMENT - I hereby announce my candidacy for the County Board of Commissioners from the Second District (Bethel, Belvoir, Carolina and Pactolus Townships) subject to Democratic Primary, May 25. Your Vote And Support Will Be Appreciated - David T. House, Jr.



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