

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy and somewhat unsettled tonight and Wednesday; possible showers in the mountains Wednesday; slightly warmer in the west portion tonight.

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NORWAY'S KING IS FACING WITH NAZI THREATS

Haakon, VII, Given One More Chance Save Throne

MUST RECOGNIZE NEW GOVERNMENT

Nazi High Command Reports Strengthening Of Positions In Norway; British Reports Denied

Berlin, April 16.—(AP)—Authorized German sources intimated today that King Haakon, VII, of Norway, whom they described as the "captive" of his advisors, has one more chance to save his throne—by recognizing the interim government established at Oslo with Berlin's approval.

This government, it was said, derived its authority from the president of the Norwegian Supreme court, who set up the new regime through powers regarded as devolving upon him under the Norwegian constitution when the regular government is unable to function.

Such a condition, authorized sources said, now exists in Norway.

The explanation of the German position followed an announcement by the German high command reporting further strengthening of the Nazi position in Norway and denying that British troops had gained a foothold in German-occupied areas.

The communique said that "strong" British naval forces accompanied by troop transports, had been observed yesterday off Narvik, but said there had been no attempts to a landing there.

Two British planes were reported shot down in raids on Narvik and Stavanger, and "pacification" of southern Norway, was said to be "proceeding on schedule." North of Kristiansand, on the Southwest coast, 2,150 officers and men of the third Norwegian division were said to have surrendered after a "short attack" by Nazi troops.

Motorists Warned Dim Their Lights

Members of the State Highway Patrol, continuing their relentless drive on motorists who fail to dim their lights when meeting another car at night, declare that the campaign is meeting with much success.

Patrolmen report that motorists are beginning to follow the practice of dimming their lights, realizing that by so doing they not only enable the driver they are meeting to see better, but also enable themselves to see the road better. Bright lights are said to have caused a number of serious accidents and it is the aim of the patrolmen to cut down the toll from head-on collisions by their campaign.

Patrolmen also report that many drivers who fail to dim their lights find themselves in serious trouble. On numerous occasions patrolmen turn around and overtake a motorist who failed to observe the light-dimming law only to find the driver under the influence of whiskey, while numerous others have been found with no driving license.

Persons arrested and convicted for failure to dim their lights are required to pay a minimum of court costs.

Prominent New Bern Lawyer Dies In Sleep

New Bern, April 16 (AP)—A. D. Ward, 80, prominent lawyer and dean of the New Bern bar, died in his sleep last night. Mr. Ward had been in normal health and Monday attended to business as usual at his office.

He was a former state senator and at one time was a law partner of former Senator F. M. Simmons.

Exports Up

Wash., D. C. April 16 (AP)—America's war-stimulated foreign trade sent export figures climbing again in March to \$35,000,000—30 per cent above a year ago.

The March total was about \$6,000,000 over February figures, but still about \$14,000,000 under the December-January level.

Secretary of Commerce Hopkins today attributed the increase to larger sales of machinery, trucks, iron and steel products, chemicals and airplanes. Sales of cotton, meat, lard, corn and fruits, however, dropped off slightly.

Geographically the principal gains were made in Canada, France, Japan, Russia, Argentina and Finland.

Sources In Berlin Suggest Roosevelt Would Do Well To Mind His Own Business

War Developments in Norway



Based on official British and German reports, this map highlights the Scandinavian war developments. The British reported: (A) Landing troops at several points in Norway. (B) Firing of a German transport in an air raid on Bergen. (C) An air raid on Stavanger. (D) Two German transports sunk in the Skaggerak. Germany reported: (1) An acknowledged British blockade of Narvik. (2) Defenses strengthened at Bergen, Stavanger, Trondheim, Kristiansand, and two British planes downed at Bergen. (3) Further successes in the Oslo area. (4) Two allied submarines sunk in the Skaggerak.

Officials And Students Attend High School Day

FARMERS LATE WITH PLANTING

Tobacco Crop To Be About 3 Weeks Later

Tobacco planting in general will not get under way until the first week in May, although a small amount will be set out the last week in April, Sales Supervisor R. C. Rankin declared in his monthly bulletin today.

The planting time this year will be from two to three weeks later than last year, according to the bulletin, covering crop conditions within a 5 mile radius of Greenville. Blue mold may even further delay the planting period, it was pointed out.

The disease is making its appearance in Eastern Carolina and, although not widespread at the present, it has been reported in Beaufort, Greene, Craven, Pitt, Duplin, Edgecombe, Lenoir and Onslow counties.

While it is impossible to estimate the damage likely to be suffered by blue mold, it is the general opinion of tobacco growers throughout this section that it will not threaten the plant supply unless the disease is much more destructive than in former years since sufficient plant bed yardage has been sown to provide plants, for the 1940 crop even though many plants are lost.

Despite the recent cold weather, plants in this section are declared to be green, healthy and growing "fairly satisfactory." Growth was unusually rapid during the warm weather preceding the recent cold snap, which reached freezing proportions.

Dr. Frank Speaks To Local Lions Club

Dr. A. D. Frank, member of the faculty of East Carolina Teachers College, addressed the Greenville Lions club at its regular meeting last night on the European situation.

Dr. Frank is one of the city's best advised citizens on the background of the European crisis and enlightened the club members on many points.

Frank Brown was received as a new member of the club, the youngest of the city. Two visitors, J. S. Day and J. W. Kirkpatrick were guests.

Reply Made to Chief Executive's Recent Disapprobation Of Nazi Invasion As-sets Striking Parallels Between American Needs In Past And German Needs Of The Present

Berlin, April 16.—(AP)—Commenting on President Roosevelt's recently expressed disapprobation of the Nazi invasion of Norway, authorized German sources suggested bluntly today that he would do well to mind his own business.

"All we ask," these sources said, "is that American history be examined from the viewpoint of necessities at various times for national expansion. We believe that fair-minded Americans will then realize there are striking parallels between America's needs in the past and German needs at present."

"In urging that nobody mix in the affairs of another country, Mr. Roosevelt, perhaps unwittingly addressed himself to the allies for it is they who keep saying Hitlerism must go."

"That certainly is mixing in the affairs of another nation. But beyond that, Europe demands that European affairs be regulated in a European manner and not according to American principles or interpretations."

GREENLAND IN WESTERN AREA

Danish Possession Therefore Under Monroe Doctrine

Washington, April 16.—(AP)—Secretary Hull, citing President Roosevelt's description of Greenland as a Western hemisphere land, implied today that the Danish possession comes within the scope of the Monroe Doctrine.

Hull, asked about the Monroe Doctrine angle, told his press conference that the president had this indicated the slant of opinion of this government.

To a question as to whether the United States would extend a protectorate over Greenland, the Secretary of State said he knew of no plan in that connection.

Lord Lothian, the British ambassador, said neither Britain nor Canada would move into Greenland or Iceland and unless it seemed certain Germany was about to attempt to seize the island.

The ambassador expressed his belief that Greenland "comes clearly within the Monroe Doctrine, being in the Western hemisphere." He said the status of Iceland was probably different.

Club Offers Help In County Clinic

The Greenville Maternal and Infant Welfare clinic has in the past few months grown to the point where the services of another physician is demanded, it was declared at the health office today.

As great as is this need, the State Board of Health has been unable to meet the expense of an additional physician.

The Junior Woman's club learned of this situation and volunteered through its president, Mrs. R. H. Evans, to furnish a clinician for the next three months with the possibility of this service being continued.

The health officer, Dr. N. Thomas Ennett, stated that this action on the part of the Junior Woman's club is one of the finest pieces of community health work which has come to his attention in a long time. He was loud in his praises of the Junior Woman's club.

COMMUNISM AT UNC TO BE INVESTIGATED

Washington, April 16.—(AP)—Chairman Dies (D.-Tex.) said today that his House committee on un-Americanism planned hearings the next several months on "communism in universities and schools."

The Texan asserted that he had reports, "but I don't know whether they are true," that Communism is "very strong" at the University of N. C. He said that institution would come under committee study.

Traveled Far



Mary Louise Sheffer (above), 11, was described by her father as completely recovered in Boston after a delicate brain operation for which she traveled 15,000 miles from Sydney, Australia. She was brought to Boston last month for treatment of a rare ailment which had rendered her unconscious at intervals for more than a year.

ACTION TAKEN BY BUCHAREST

Bill Provides Application of Military Measures

Bucharest, April 16.—(AP)—Navy Minister Paul Teodorescu introduced a bill in the Chamber of Deputies today calling for the immediate application of "extraordinary military measures" in all Rumanian ports and territorial waters.

The reasons for and significance of the bill were not immediately disclosed. It was introduced as Rumanian relations with Germany were again in a critical stage.

Germany's chances of filling her granaries with Rumanian wheat appeared doomed by a government decree banning wheat exports for an indefinite period to avert a domestic shortage.

The Rumanian economic council which announced the decree last night, said that the severe winter followed by Spring floods had threatened to cut the wheat harvest below the amount needed for home consumption.

Announcement also was made that Rumanian transport for oil, wood and coal would be given pre-emptive over deliveries abroad.

Rally Committees Named At Meeting

Plans for the district YDC rally to be held here Monday night of next week were discussed by officials of the local club at a meeting last night, at which time those attending pledged their efforts to make it one of the biggest political gatherings in Eastern Carolina of the year.

Sen. Josh Lee of Oklahoma, a noted speaker and staunch New Dealer, will deliver the principal address, following a banquet. The affair will be held in the Armory building.

S. B. Underwood, Jr., president of the county YDC club, today announced the following committee assignments: Arrangements—Eli Bloom, L. C. Skinner, Uran Cox and Bruce Sugg, Jr.; Publicity—Paul Liverman of Plymouth, James Whitfield and David W. Mosier; Entertainment—T. E. Wilson, Ed Waldrop, M. O. Blount, H. J. Taylor of Ayden and Jack Edwards; Tickets—Jack Hadley, chairman.

Next to sing was Sonny Stockton—quite a young looking fellow who hails from Norfolk—who did three solos. Though he only sang roman-tic and normal numbers for the Rotarians, he revealed a strong tenor voice which has been receiving a good press.

Dean Hudson took a moment to tell how this same orchestra had played their way through the University of Florida and now in broadcasting had a sixteen voice capella choir as well as orchestra. Bill Lee presented the orchestra men as part of his program for the meeting.

Hayward Dail introduced Reginald Harris to the club as one of those seeking nomination for lieutenant governor in the coming primary and who is not a lawyer but one who knows the tobacco farmers problems, is a business man and Rotarian in Roxboro having served in the North Carolina House of Representatives five times, one time being Speaker.

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PROPOSE FUND FOR SUFFERING IN WAR AREAS

\$15,000,000 Outlay Favored By House Committee

AGENTS OF U. S. TO HANDLE FUND

Congress Meanwhile Urged Appropriate More Naval Funds in Face of Present Crisis

Washington, April 16.—(AP)—Authorization of a \$15,000,000 relief outlay to alleviate suffering in the invaded countries of Europe and Asia was recommended today by the House foreign affairs committee.

The President would be empowered to spend the money upon being satisfied that it would reach the persons for whom it was intended. Legislation approved by the committee also specified that administration of funds should remain in the hands of United States government representatives.

Chairman Bloom (D.-N. Y.) said the measure would make it possible for the President to send medical supplies, food and clothing to the suffering of Finland, Denmark, Norway, Czechoslovakia, China or any area where there has been occupation by outside forces.

The legislation was advocated by former President Herbert Hoover.

Appearing before the Senate naval committee, Admiral Harold R. Stark, meanwhile, declared that the nation faced an emergency situation because of the war in Europe and that Congress should therefore appropriate \$45,000,000 more for the navy than the \$95,000,000 voted by the House. This additional money, he said, should go both for shore facilities and for actual ship building.

Official Rate Of Pound Is Adopted

Washington, D. C. April 16 (AP)—The Treasury, acting to stave off possible harm to American business, adopted today the British government's "official" valuation of the pound.

The customs bureau ordered its collectors to value British merchandise at the fixed "official" price of \$4.02 1/2 per pound when assessing customs, instead of the free market rate, currently about \$3.50.

In effect, the action will make some British merchandise more expensive in this country and prevent the British from increasing sales here through currency depreciation.

Club Has Preview Of Dance Program

BY WYATT BROWN
Upstairs applause greeted the singing of the entertainers who are to play for the Service League ball tonight when they gave a glimpse of their talent to the Rotarians last night at their regular weekly dinner meeting on Rotary avenue. First Dean Hudson, leader of the orchestra group who will play tonight for the dance and broadcast, sang a funny parody on the song "Trees" accompanied at the piano by the orchestra pianist, Dick Humber.

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Britain Reports Soldiers Landed On Faroe Islands

One-Third Of Navy

Paris, April 16 (AP)—Premier Paul Reynaud told the French Senate today that Germany has lost almost one-third of her navy in the past week of fighting in Scandinavian waters.

Specific figures, the premier declared, are officially 30 per cent of the Nazi navy, including 20 per cent of Germany's cruisers and 25 per cent of her destroyers.

Reynaud placed the Nazi sea losses at 75,000 tons during the past week.

The senators stood and cheered when Reynaud referred to President Roosevelt's pan-American speech yesterday.

"No one asked whom Roosevelt meant when he said he condemned force," the premier said. He mentioned Roosevelt by name and his statement brought prolonged applause.

OSLO SNIPERS TO FACE DEATH

Germans Recognize Newly Established Regime

Oslo, April 16 (AP)—The death sentence has been proclaimed for snipers in Oslo and several groups of Norwegian are liable to this penalty for forming bands and fighting German soldiers in the streets of the capital.

Most of them are young men who, German authorities say, "believed they had the right to fight the Germans."

The Germans point to the new government commission appointed today as the first constitutional authority in Oslo since the ministry of Premier Johan Nygaardsvold left last Tuesday.

The occupation of Oslo was almost without incident, although the German commander proclaimed a court martial to deal with cases in which attempts were made to wreck public communications and utilities.

The Germans today handed over to Norwegian police control of all public communications. They said they did this as a sign of good will.

Oslo and surrounding districts believed when the German troops marched into Oslo last Tuesday that Norway had capitulated. The general public was not aware that King Haakon and his government had left.

White Home Badly Damaged By Blaze

The home of Mrs. H. A. White on Greene street, between Fourth and Fifth, was gutted by fire this morning, the building and furniture having suffered damage estimated at several thousand dollars.

The fire, which started about 8 o'clock, was said by Chief George Gardner to have started when flames from a blow torch being used to heat paint on the house so it could be removed preparatory to repainting the building leaped through a hole in the side of the building and immediately sprang to the attic. The roof and upper part of the building was completely destroyed.

The downstairs and furniture suffered heavy water damage. The two tarpaulins owned by the fire department were put in use and protected the furniture in two of the rooms, but elsewhere it was badly damaged.

Although firemen extinguished the blaze in about an hour, the building burned so rapidly that it was practically a complete loss.

Alumni Officials Of University Elected

Chapel Hill, April 16.—(AP)—Fred I. Sutton of Kinston has been elected president of the General Alumni Association of the University of North Carolina.

The results of the balloting by members by mail were announced today by the alumni office.

Sutton won over Judge J. Will Pless of Marion.

SEEK PREVENT NAZI INVASION

Action To Prevent German Forces from Establishing Stronghold On Island Taken With Consent Of Governor; Chamberlain Reiterates Intention To Crush Germany

London, April 16.—(AP)—Britain announced today she had landed troops in the Danish Faroe islands as Prime Minister Chamberlain in a fighting speech, declared Britain's resolve to "crush" Germany.

The arrival of a British expeditionary force in the Danish possession between Scotland and Iceland was announced to the House of Commons by R. A. Butler, under-secretary of foreign affairs.

Before Britain thus fulfilled the plan made public last week by the First Lord of the Admiralty, Winston Churchill, the governor of the Faroe islands, agreed to the British intervention to prevent German forces from establishing themselves there, Butler said.

Chamberlain told the Free Church Council that Germany's invasion of Norway and Denmark showed that "no people, however meek, however peaceful, however harmless, they may be, can be safe until this mad dog is destroyed."

Meanwhile with a strong British expeditionary force crossing the North Sea to reinforce the first all-ied troops reported landed in Norway yesterday, Reuters, British news agency, quoted Swedish reports of a "considerable naval battle" in the Skagerrak.

The Admiralty listed 11 German transports and naval auxiliaries totaling 50,486 tons as sunk or sunk in the week's Scandinavian naval battle and four others totaling 9,498 tons captured. Naval sources estimated additional German losses of at least 18,000 tons by British submarine attacks.

For the seventh time since the Germans occupied the Norwegian port of Stavanger, British airplanes raided the Nazi air base there last night, the Admiralty reported.

A communique said that bombs had falling effect and that all the British raiders returned.

The Future Farmers club and Terraten club of Ayden will hold their annual Farer-Son banquet at the community building tomorrow night beginning at 7:45 o'clock.

The young farmers have prepared an interesting program and a number of invited guests are expected to be present.

Agricultural Teacher Peterson in charge of arrangements.

Nazi Sources Report British Cruiser Sunk

Berlin, April 16.—(AP)—The German high command announced today a British cruiser was attacked and sunk by German bombers yesterday off the Norwegian coast.

The high command said the ship heavily damaged, listed sharply and later sank.

It also announced that a British amphibious plane also had been destroyed.

Weather Report

J. A. CLARK (Airways Observer)
TEMPERATURES
High yesterday 8
Low yesterday 6
At 1:30 p. m. today 8
PRECIPITATION (Inches)
For 48 hrs ending 1:30 p. m. today 1.3
Total for month 1.3
BAROMETER (Pressure)
7:30 last night 29.4
7:30 this morning 29.4
Prevailing Winds and Velocity
7:30 a. m. SW 15
1:30 p. m. SW 15

Social and Personal

Mrs. T. G. Basnight, Sr., of Stokes, was here today.

T. D. Phillips of Wilson was a Greenville visitor today.

Mrs. J. E. Matthews and daughter, Mrs. Whiteford, were Greenville visitors.

Mrs. Whiteford of Washington, was Greenville shopper yesterday.

Mrs. Connell Garranton, of Bethel, spent the day here.

Little Miss Janie Ruth Davenport, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davenport, of Norfolk, Va., is visiting.

Miss Frances Glenn Cahoon, of Washington, D. C., is attending the Congress of the D. A. R.

Mrs. S. T. White left yesterday for Washington, D. C., to attend the Congress of the D. A. R.

Mrs. John H. Britt, Sr., who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. John A. Collins and Mr. Collins, has returned to her home in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reid and daughter, Peggy, have returned from Charleston, S. C., where they visited the Magnolia Gardens, Savannah, Ga., and Florida.

Mrs. Marvin Sugg is seriously ill at her home on East Fifth Street.

Ray Harrison, of Stokes, has returned from the Veterans' Hospital in Kecoughtan, Va., where he has been receiving treatment.

Miss Harriet Lloyd is a guest at the New Weston hotel in New York city.

Miss Ruth Mumford underwent a tonsil operation in Pitt General hospital this morning.

Alumni Association to Meet.

The Winterville Chapter of East Carolina Teachers' College Alumni Association will meet Wednesday night, April 17, at the home of Mrs. J. S. Liverman at eight o'clock.

Since there are several very important things to be discussed, all members are urged to attend.

Notice!!

Five Country Ham!! Given for door prize at Benefit Bridge Tournament Thursday night at 8 p. m., sharp at Country Club.

Also lovely and valuable high cut table prizes for both men and women.

This tournament is sponsored by the nurses of Greenville. Call Miss Mary Lee Smith at 3068 for further information. 25c per person. (adv.)

Child Study Group.

The Child Study Group which is to be held in the Third Street School, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 is open to all parents and friends who are interested.

Grimesland News

The Grimesland lunchroom will have open house all the week beginning Monday the 15th and continue until April 19th. We want all the parents of the school to visit us and everybody else that will.

Miss Minnie Tucker and Louise Wilson were shoppers in Greenville Monday.

The Seniors of Grimesland high school attended High School Day at E. C. T. C. today.

Mrs. Robert Wilson and Mrs. J. J. Lewis were among the shoppers in Greenville Monday.

Miss Virginia Allen and Peggy Moss were the week-end guests of Miss Merle Outlaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hale and daughter, Reba Dare, spent Sunday with Mrs. J. J. Elks.

Miss Reba Lee Elks has returned to Burlington after spending the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Elks.

Sylvester Fleming, who is attending Elton College, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Fleming.

R. D. Edwards is very ill at his home.

Miss Mary Jewel Porter spent Sunday in Grifton visiting friends.

Quite a number of Grimesland people visited the Tulp Farm at Terra Ceia Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Carr were in Washington on business yesterday.

The high school PTA will meet tonight. After the business meeting there will be open house for all the parents to visit the rooms and refreshments will be served.

Mrs. Lela B. Hoelle has returned to her home after having been a patient at Tayloe Hospital for the past four days.

Mrs. Dan White was hostess to a few of her friends, Mrs. Mary Ellison, supt. of Rocky Mount Sanitarium, Mrs. L. L. Lanham, her sister, Ben Proctor, her brother, and Ralph Fryer at dinner on Sunday.

Miss Mary Ruth Elliott was in Washington shopping yesterday.

Mrs. F. A. Elks went to Wilmington Sunday to see azalea gardens.

Mrs. C. E. Tucker continues ill in Fowle Memorial hospital.

Social Calendar

TUESDAY

7:00 p. m.—Supper meeting of the American Legion at Grimesland Seine Beach.

8:00 p. m.—Chapter 149 of the Eastern Star will meet.

9:30 p. m.—2:00 a. m.—1940 Service League Ball in Wright Memorial Auditorium.

WEDNESDAY

3:30 p. m.—Child Study Group at the Third Street School. Miss Lucy Nulton will speak on "The Physical Development of the Child."

5:00 p. m.—The Girl Scout council will meet in Sheppard Memorial Library.

7:30 p. m.—Methodist choir meets for rehearsal.

THURSDAY

7:30 p. m.—The Knights of Pythias will meet.

7:30 p. m.—The choir of the Presbyterian Church will meet at the Church.

FRIDAY

7:00 p. m.—The Senior Choir of the Christian church meets.

Cub Parents.

Are you interested in your Cub? If so, please try to arrange to attend our Cub Training Course tonight, April 16th at 7:30 in the Austin Building at the College. This course has been especially arranged for parents and leaders of Cubbing to give them a better idea of this wonderful program for young boys. This meeting will last about one hour, which I am sure will be well worth your time. We are expecting you so do not disappoint us.

Cubbing yours, Jake Hadley, Cubmaster.

Water Hyacinths.

Now is the time to replenish your pool with gold fish and hyacinths.—Baker & Davis Hardware Co. 15-3ts

FALKLAND NEWS

Mrs. C. H. Mayo and Mrs. Harold Willis were Wilson visitors Wednesday.

W. Jenness Moore and J. F. Parker went to Durham Tuesday.

Master Jerry Mayo of Lucama, N. C., has returned home after spending time with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mayo.

Forrest Moore went to Washington, N. C., Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jenness Morrill, Jr. spent Wednesday in New Bern, with Mr. and Mrs. David Morrill.

Woodrow Wooten, W. H. Wooten, Willard Wooten, R. B. Tyre, A. C. Fletcher, W. P. Bryan, H. C. Smith, J. T. Lewis and Richard Matthews attended the baseball game between the New York Giants and the Cleveland Indians Wednesday, which was played in Tarboro.

Miss Alice Newton, who has been spending some time with Watt Newton of Fountain, has returned home.

Dr. S. M. Crisp of Greenville visited Mrs. C. A. Lawrence Wednesday.

Miss Mattie Little entertained the young peoples Sunday School Class with a weenie roast on Wednesday night, given at the cave. A very enjoyable time was had by all.

Miss Venita Morrill who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. David Morrill in New Bern has returned home.

Mrs. Will Moore, Jr., Mrs. J. T. Bundy and little Miss Nancy Lee Moore visited Mrs. Woodrow Wooten Thursday.

The Belvoir-Falkland high school held Open House Thursday night. All of those who were present can surely say that this school year has proved to be a most successful and helpful year. There were some very interesting exhibits on display, which have been obtained by the help of the teachers and the people of the community as well as the students.

Mrs. W. A. Hearne of Tarboro was a Falkland visitor Thursday.

Mrs. Woodrow Wooten, Mrs. A. C. Fletcher, Mrs. W. H. Wooten, Nell Fletcher, Louise Wooten, Mrs. H. C. Smith, Mrs. M. L. Farris, Mrs. H. L. Brown, Mrs. Lester Baker, Mrs. C. H. Mayo, Mrs. Harold Willis, Mrs. Cora Farrier, Mrs. C. A. Marslender, Miss Anna Little, Mrs. Alton Moore, Mrs. G. H. Pittman, Miss Ella Raspberry and G. H. Pittman attended the Garden Club Pilgrimage held in Tarboro Thursday afternoon.

Dr. D. L. Moore of Winterville

MODES of the MOMENT

by Adelaide Kerr



Something new in the fashion world is a "half dress" of Et-ruscan tan silk jersey attached to a simple black crepe frock. It can be attached to the dress by means of a long scarf and the black grosgrain ribbon belt which helps form a cross in front. Bruyere designed it.

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR

April 15, 1900

SMALL CHAT

New Bern Fair Week.

The public school took a holiday today.

Frost is seldom seen after the middle of April.

Remember the excursion to the New Bern Fair Wednesday.

The Herald Square Opera Co., left on the freight train Saturday for Kinston.

The Osceola Band left this afternoon on the freight train to attend the New Bern fair. Some of the members of the band are S. T. Hooker, Gus Forbes, Ernest Forbes, A. F. Kennedy, John Moore, G. J. Woodward, John Horne and J. C. Lanier.

that all our friends in Greenville and elsewhere who are interested in us will respond to this invitation to have supper with us Friday night.

Red Oak has suffered another great loss this week in the death of Mrs. Robert Glenn Worthington.

Martha (as she was called by all who knew her), was born and reared within sight of the church. She was a faithful member of the Sunshine Class at Red Oak during all her young girlhood and for the past several years has been a loyal member of our church. She always took an active part in community affairs.

While she was a member of the Red Oak Home Demonstration Club, she not only was a faithful attendant but was always willing to lend her hand when there was any work to be done. She was a true lady, a faithful friend and a loyal worker.

We shall miss her. It is true, but her influence will long be remembered in Red Oak Church, Sunday school, club and community. We extend our deepest sympathy to the young husband and to her sisters and other relatives. Hundreds of sorrowing friends attended the funeral rites held at the church yesterday.

We hope to have an unusually large crowd at our program next Sunday night at Red Oak. A forty-five minute play "The Dawn", will be presented by nine young people, and "From The Cradle To The Grave", a story of the life of Christ will be shown with colored pictures. Community singing of some good old hymns will complete the program. A silver offering will be taken to help defray the expenses of the young people to the Youth's Conference.

The members of the Christian Endeavor will have charge of the seating arrangements and the offering. Again we extend a special invitation to all our Reddy Branch and Piney Grove friends and everybody in the community. The services will start at 8 o'clock and the seats are limited. Come early.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moore and family visited Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Eliss in Winterville Sunday.

The Women's Auxiliary Club meeting will be at the home of Mrs. C. A. Lawrence on Thursday afternoon. All members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Parker were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Watt Newton Sunday night.

Ruben Watson and Mrs. P. G. Mayo were visitors in Raleigh and Fayetteville Sunday.

The Home Demonstration Club held its annual meeting Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Alton Moore.

RED OAK NEWS

We are looking forward to our "Church Supper" Friday night, April 19th at the Community building.

The menu will consist of barbecue and all the accessories and will be served between the hours of six and 8 o'clock. A small charge for each plate will be used for the benefit of the church. Tickets are on sale now. If you wish reservations made for any certain number, call Mrs. B. L. Tyson, phone 3610-8. We hope

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THOMAS WILLIAMS

HIGH SCHOOL DAY

East Carolina Teachers College is having its annual high school day today.

The day's activities include a barbecue dinner, tennis match, softball game, movie, dance and a general inspection of the campus.

Over 2,500 students from 34 counties were present.

G. H. S. seniors were there also.

MUSICIANS LEAVE

Over 70 persons left this afternoon for the State Music Festival in Greensboro.

Approximately 60 Glee Club members, vocal soloists and piano soloists will make the trip tomorrow.

The band will return Thursday, but the others will remain through Saturday.

Results of the contest will probably be announced Saturday.

SCHOOL FAIR

Plans are being perfected for a school fair, the first of its kind, to be held in the high school auditorium May 3.

The purpose of the event is to give the parents a general view of the work being done in the school.

This is a faculty project and all departments in the school will have exhibits. A one-act play will be given as part of the entertainment.

Wallace Bourne is chairman of the committee in charge and Mrs. A. L. Dittmer is his assistant.

FACULTY MEETING

A meeting of the faculty was held in the high school library last night.

The principal topic for discussion was the nuisance of having students loitering in the hall between periods. It was decided that anyone wishing to move about during classes must have a signed excuse for doing so.

This rule went into effect today.

STUDENT COUNCIL

The student council will meet tonight at 7:30 in the high school library.

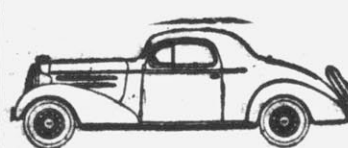
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Having qualified as Executors of the estate of Mayme Dawson, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned Roscoe Dawson at Grifton, R. F. D. N. C., on or before the 12th day of March, 1941, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 6th day of March, 1940.

ROSCOE DAWSON, Grifton, RFD, N. C.

RUTH TUCKER, Kinston, N. C.

Executors of the estate of Mayme Dawson,

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PAROLE

Notice is hereby given that the

undersigned, convicted of manslaughter at the October, 1937, Term of the Superior Court of Pitt County, and sentenced to not less than 5 nor more than 7 years in the State Prison, will make application to the Commissioner of Paroles and the Governor of North Carolina for a parole for the remainder of said sentence.

All persons who desire to oppose said parole are invited to forward their protests to the Commissioner of Paroles without delay.

This the 5th day of April, 1940.

LEREO MAYO.

Wm. J. Bundy, Atty.

A5-1twk-2wks

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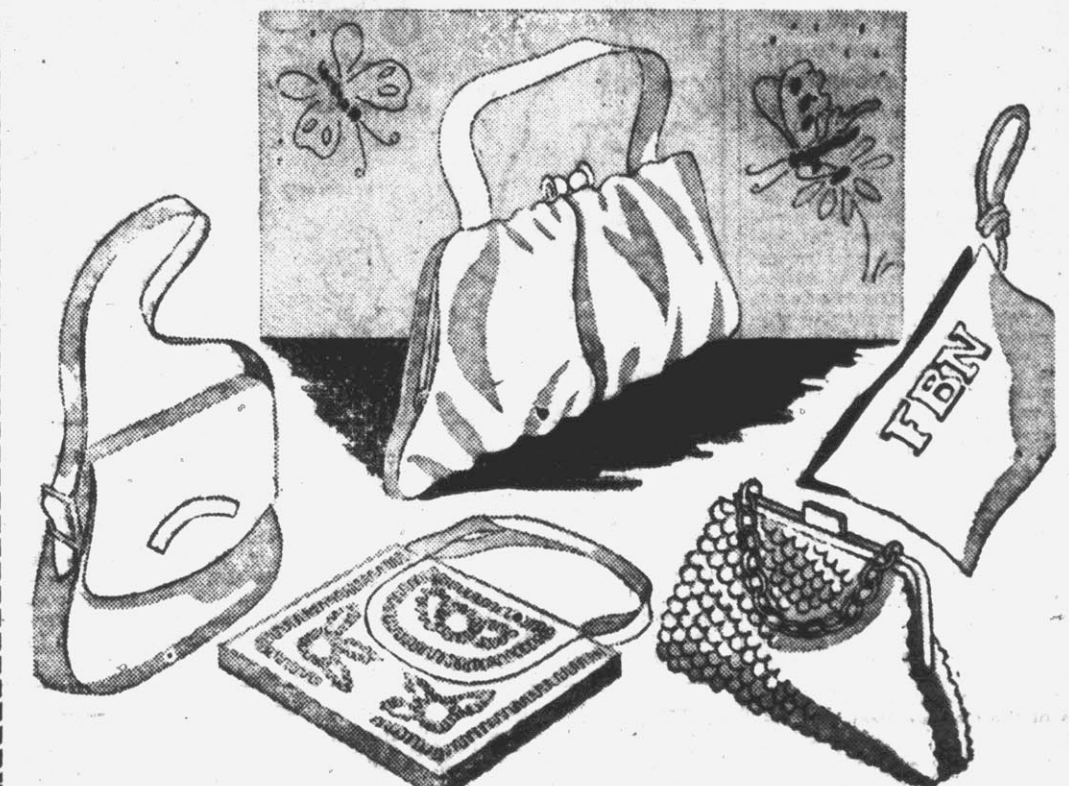
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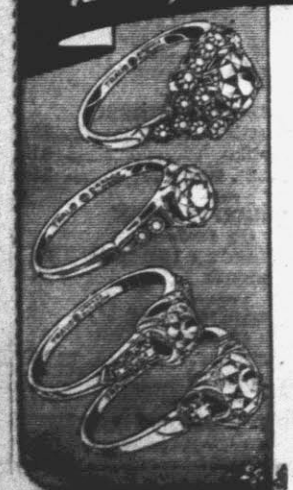
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Battle For Scandinavia Clears Way For Sea Power Vs. Air Power Test

How The War In The North Started

By MORGAN M. BEATTY
AP Feature Service Writer

Washington. — The battle for Scandinavia sets the stage for the world's first clear-cut test of sea power against air power.

For whatever reasons lay behind the battle, and whatever the day-to-day confusion may be, these two main facts stick out:

1. The Germans lured British sea power within close range of their big bombing planes, and are trying to get into a position to control the eastern rim of the North Sea. Victory might well be followed by invasion of Holland and Belgium—to control the southern rim of the North Sea. The next step would be air blitzkrieg against the British Isles, and an attempt to sweep the English Channel clear of blockading British forces. That would separate the Franco-British Allies, and clear the way for the food and raw materials the Germans so desperately need.

2. The British, on the other hand, have got the Germans in the open by their threat against Germany's Swedish iron ore supplies.

Now that the Germans are in the open, the British are in a position to establish a new front in the war by the use of their strongest force—their fleet. Victory would mean they had flanked the German west wall, and established a new front on the north.

Only the future can tell which of these two strategies will prevail.

I have discussed the North Sea strategy with half a dozen American experts—political and economic experts, as well as military men.

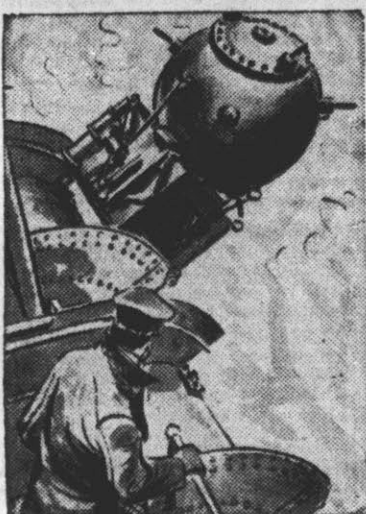
Most of these men agreed that the Scandinavian action by the Germans was dictated by Germany's need of Sweden's iron ore, and by Germany's coming food crisis. They believe the Germans themselves do not look up on Norway as the best possible hop-off for an aerial blitzkrieg against the Allies, but chose Norway because they hoped they could kill two birds with one stone. They might (1) beat the British to the draw, and prevent the complete blockading of Swedish iron ore, and (2) begin their air blitzkrieg preparations from Norway, and extend it to bases in Belgium and the Netherlands if and when they won an established position in the north.

At Stake: The North Sea

It all simmers down to a battle for control of the North Sea. And again the broad strokes of strategy are the same that produced the World War battle of Jutland.

The German strategy at Jutland was to lure the British fleet toward Denmark and then pick off the units of the fleet one by one. The British strategy was to lure the Germans out of the Heligoland Bight in large force, and administer a beating in the open North Sea.

Oddly enough, both strategies worked. When Admiral Beatty's cruiser fleet encountered advance forces of the German fleet off Denmark's Jutland, he gave battle, and the Germans retired toward their main fleet. He allowed himself to be sucked right under the guns of the main line of German battleships before he turned, and fled—toward his own main fleet further north. The



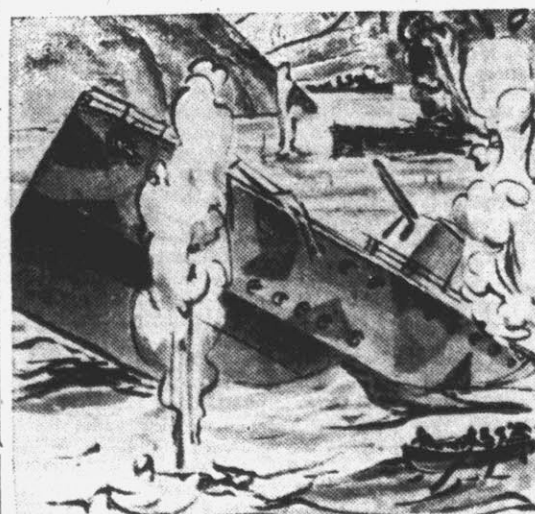
MONDAY, April 8, at dawn, the British mined Norwegian coastal waters, ostensibly to stop German shipments of iron ore from Narvik. Probably the real reason was to force the Germans into the open.



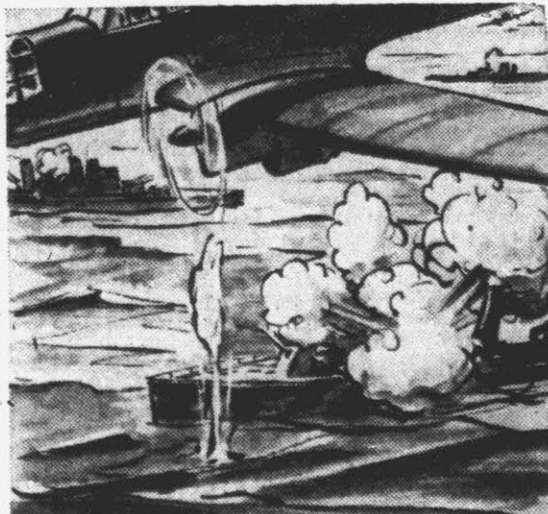
TUESDAY, at dawn, German troops disembarked in Norway. At Oslo, which the Germans captured that day, 1,000 soldiers arrived by plane. Germans also captured ports along the west coast, including Narvik.



TUESDAY, also at dawn, Germany took over her neighbor, Denmark. At only a few places was there even temporary resistance. The Norwegians, however, battled north of Oslo and in the far north.



THROUGHOUT TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY the British fleet engaged the German fleet from Narvik to Oslo. At Narvik, Wednesday, five British and six German destroyers battled. Britain lost two, claimed to have sunk one destroyer as well as seven supply ships.



A PRELIMINARY TEST of warplanes versus warships came during these battles. A German air attack, said the British, sank a destroyer and damaged two cruisers, but even a "very heavy" bomb failed to sink a battleship. The war's future depended on final outcome of the North Sea fights.

Germans pursued, and that brought both high-seas fleets together.

Darkness saved the German fleet from annihilation, but the German fleet never came out in the North Sea again, and the British blockade became absolute.

What's The Difference?

This time the pattern of the strategy is almost exactly the same. The difference lies in the fact that the Germans have no high seas fleet to speak of, but they do have a superior air force and mechanized

army equipment.

And by their invasion of the north countries, the Germans have lured the British fleet within close range of their big bombers, and are working from land positions with a mechanized army in Norwegian territory. Apparently the British, knowing there is no German high seas fleet worthy of the name, were willing to run the risk of big German bombers.

So they closed in on the Skagerrak and Kattegat and used their sea

Daily Cross Word Puzzle

ACROSS

- Large body of water
- Arabian garment
- Exclamation
- Poorer
- Horse
- Uncooked
- The chosen
- Reduce to fine spray
- Hawaiian wreath
- Bustle
- Poems
- Footlike part
- Repair
- Symbol for silver
- Stiffly proper
- Winged
- Depended
- Equilizer for a vehicle
- Pertaining to a certain continent
- Edge of a hat
- Smallest state
- Those who give titles to
- Sea eagle
- Roman emperor
- Danish island
- Tops humming bird
- Gift

DOWN

- Be under obligation
- Institutions of learning
- Dry
- Old tribe of Indians
- Town in California
- By birth
- Wreath; poetic
- Musical stick
- Gone by
- Smokiness or indistinctness
- Overcomes with magnificence
- Mohammedan
- Among
- Kind of rubber
- Scene of combat
- President of the Confederacy
- Musical instruments
- Edible turtle
- Ireland
- Island of New York state
- Sins
- Wearing a circle
- Food from heaven
- Ill
- Iridescent stone
- Set of three
- Rope fiber
- English musical composer
- Goddess of dawn
- Exhaustion of certain trees
- Female saint; abbr.

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

ACROSS

- BOLD
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Genesis Of State Drive For Roosevelt Not Clear

Reflector Bureau.
By HENRY AVERILL

Raleigh, April 16.—The North Carolina drive for Roosevelt is under way, with fully manned headquarters right here in the Sir Walter Hotel, but the genesis of the entire movement isn't yet quite clear.

Stated objective is selection of a Tar Heel delegation to the Democratic national convention which will be loyal "in toto" to the Roosevelt administration, but there is coupled with this the implied promise that the delegation's vote on the first ballot will be cast for Governor Clyde R. Hoey.

In view of the almost unanimous agreement on all sides that Roosevelt will get the nomination unless he comes out flatly and declares he will not accept it, and in view of the further fact that he will get the nomination on the first ballot if he gets it at all, the two proposed objectives of the pro-Roosevelt Tar Heel organization seem a bit contradictory. If they don't vote for FDR on the very first roll call, the ship will have sailed without them.

But getting back to the question posed about the genesis, there is even more contradiction. For instance, everybody who knows State Senator John D. Larkins, who will be in active charge of headquarters, knows full well he wouldn't be there unless he had at least the implied blessing of the governor and other party organization stalwarts like Chairman Gregg Cherry.

Yet everybody who knows the governor's mind at all, knows that he is definitely and determinedly opposed to a third term for Roosevelt. And so there you have another contradiction. Larkins, who would do it without gubernatorial consent, working for something the governor doesn't want.

There is, of course, one very simple explanation of this phenomenon. The governor is very much a realist when it comes to politics and he probably knows full well that Roosevelt is going to dominate the national convention no matter what North Carolina and its delegation do. FDR will either be nominated or will dictate the nominee.

Therefore, it is surmised, Governor Hoey and the other regulars of the party, think they might just as well get aboard the bandwagon and play in harmony with the Roosevelt music. To do otherwise would accomplish nothing except put them outside the pale in the event the Democratic presidential nominee (Roosevelt or his hand-picked choice) should win in November.

Some folks profess to see the

"fine Italian hand" of Max Gardner behind the whole thing, but this seems a bit too thick. Admitting that election of a Democratic president is essential to Gardner's happiness and well-being and further admitting that Max has never been known to overlook an opportunity to ride with a winner, it doesn't seem possible that he could have pulled the strings which set such folks as Ralph McDonald and National Committeeman Lon Folger into action in the behalf of President Roosevelt.

It is to be noted that there are representatives of almost every division of Democratic political opinion represented on the Roosevelt steering committee with one notable exception, the partisans who owe much to Senator Josiah W. Bailey.

All of which makes it look very much as though it has finally penetrated the political craniums of hard-headed politicians that not only in the country as a whole, but in North Carolina as well, Franklin Delano Roosevelt rank and file. And once again they are clutching at the Roosevelt coat-tails, even as did Senator Bailey in 1936.

UNC Grad In Movie

Shepherd Strudwick was educated at the University of North Carolina and wanted to be a doctor. When he became interested in college dramatics, his ideas about his future changed. His first Broadway appearance was in "Yellow Jacket" but he soon found himself playing the lead in the Theatre Guild's Pulitzer prize-winner, "Both Your Houses." Signed to a long-term M-G-M contract, he appeared in two short subjects, then returned to Broadway for two additional stage successes. Back in Hollywood he appeared in "Congo Male" and currently is seen as Dr. Lane in "Dr. Kildare's Strange Case," showing at the Pitt Theatre.

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LOCAL GROUPS PLAN BATTLES

Cities And Counties Map Legislative Programs

Reflector Bureau.
By HENRY AVERILL

Raleigh, April 16.—Some of the bitterly fought legislative issues of 1941 were given something of a preview by the program upon which the North Carolina League of Municipalities and the State Association of County Commissioners united after a series of joint regional sessions all over the state.

The urban and rural officials are said to have seen eye-to-eye on seven specific points, most of which are sure to be subject to acrid controversy in the next legislative session. The groups, of course, propose to do a lot of questioning of and suggesting to candidates in the May primary, lists for which closed last Saturday evening.

Here is the seven-point program:

- Return of \$3,000,000 annually of state-collected gasoline and vehicle license taxes to municipalities for maintenance of "those roads called streets" in corporate limits.
- Return of all state-collected in-

tantible taxes instead of the 60 per cent now returned to the local governments.

- Removal of the so-called "joker" in the local government employees retirement act of 1939 which requires a popular referendum before the system may be locally effected.
- Requiring payment of poll taxes before automobile licenses are issued.
- A stricter drunken driving law.
- An act to authorize county zoning powers.
- Opposition to any form of homestead exemption.

Objectives (3), (5) and (7) may get by without too much trouble, but on the other four there are sure to be battle-royals if they are seriously pressed.

On (1), for instance, the munis now get only \$500,000 annually, and it is a sure thing that the powerful highway commission isn't going to hand over an additional \$2,500,000 without putting up a grim, determined battle.

On (2) there will be even more desperate resistance. It is axiomatic that legislator's chief troubles are concerned with raising revenue and it is equally axiomatic that once the state has taken over any form of revenue it seldom, if ever, lets go. Two years ago the local units did succeed in getting their share upped from half to 60 per cent, and it is conceivable they might get another 10 or even 15 per cent next time, but hardly more than that.

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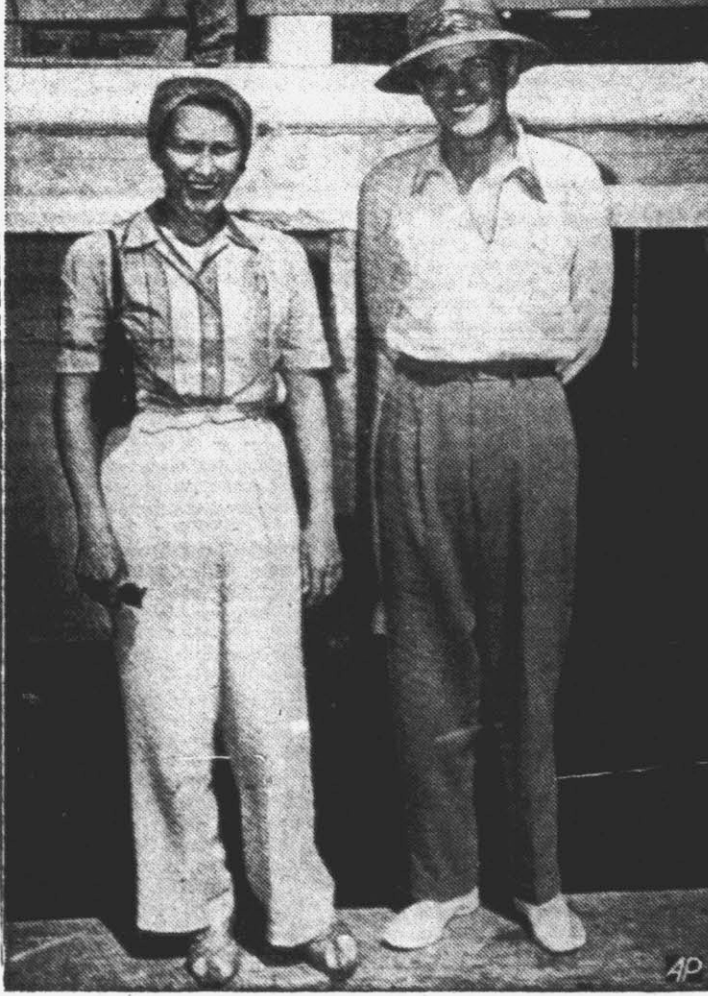
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They'll Never Go Back To Utopia



Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lawrence of San Francisco are shown at Miami after trying a month of "ideal existence" on a mosquito-ridden "Utopia" where wild jackasses bray. With nine others of 19 they left the remote British West Indian island of Calicos. Said Mrs. Lawrence: "I'll never go back; I've had enough."

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that several other amendments to the Constitution rode to success on the coattails of this one, which the small property owner thought would give him some tax relief. So far he has had none, and there is no reason to think he'll get any more consideration next time than in 1937 or 1939.

The pneumatic type of rubber tire for farm machinery may be listed as one of the greatest developments in the field of farm equipment, says David S. Weaver, State College agricultural engineer.

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By EARL L. DOUGLASS

STYLES IN CRITICISM

There is a kindly way to criticize and a barbarous way. A friend who always agrees with you is not nearly so much of a friend as one who calls your attention to faults and even goes to the mat with you now and again on matters of vital importance. The best friends we have are those who step in now and again and prevent our ruining ourselves.

But always the criticism must be kindly. Sometimes in political circles two men who fight each other tooth and nail are the best of friends personally. This is because their criticism is generally confined to policies, and even when it does extend to personal criticism, it is never brutal or bitter. Men can stand a great deal of pounding from their opponents, if it is done in a spirit of give and take.

The person of continuous sweet speech often becomes saccharine. Don't be afraid to criticize your friends, but be careful the way you do it. As a friend of mine once says, it's all right to throw a few ripe tomatoes once in awhile, but be sure to take them out of the can. (All rights reserved—Babson Newspaper Syndicate)

THE "TAX RACKET"

A recent survey, reported to be among the most accurate ever made, concerned the proportion of income paid in taxes by a typical workingman earning \$20 a week. The survey found that \$4 of this modest wage went to the tax collector.

That \$4 was not paid directly, of course—it is probable that the average worker doesn't know he is taxed at all. He isn't concerned with income tax blanks and the other myriad and involved tax reports required by government of those in higher income brackets. His \$4 was paid indirectly, thru-out the entire week. High taxes make a loaf of bread cost a penny more than it would otherwise, a pair of shoes cost fifty cents more, a ticket to a movie a dime more, the monthly electric bill sixty cents more. So it goes, down your elbow—a highly expensive if unseen companion.

And here is the living proof of the fact that the real burden of taxation falls more heavily on the man of small means than the man of large. Four dollars a week taken out of a \$20 paycheck means that this typical worker's family must go without needed clothes, medical attention, entertainment, etc. It means less money for insurance or savings. It means

poorer housing, poorer meals.

We've heard much of that proportion of the population which is "ill fed, ill housed, and ill clothed." What we don't hear often enough is that the burden of debt and taxation is largely responsible for that, and in two ways. First, it takes a percentage of the small wage earner's income which he obviously cannot afford if he is to maintain a decent standard of living. Second, it deprives him of jobs and opportunities and the chance for better pay. An overtaxed business doesn't expand and hire men. Nor, when it is being drained to the limit by government, can it increase wages.

So the "little man" is getting it in the neck—as a result of those suicidal fiscal policies pursued by a group of politicians who weep copious crocodile tears on behalf of the people. It's time the "little man" woke up to the racket.

Washington Daybook

By Jack Stinnett

Washington.—Headwinds that forced the westbound Atlantic Clipper into Bermuda recently blew the top off a leak in United States naval secrets—a leak that leads to Nazi Germany.

The story has not been told. It's an official secret confined to international circles U. S. naval intelligence and perhaps the Federal Bureau of Investigation. All will offer in comment only that irritating Washington style: "Just say that we refuse to confirm or deny."

But here it is, from one of those newsmen's delights: "ordinarily reliable sources":

The Atlantic Clipper, winging west out of the Azores, fought headwinds that would have driven Columbus' armada back to Spain. All that happened was an alarming depreciation of the gasoline supply—but the skipper, figuring that safety was better than sorrow, put in at Bermuda for fuel.

The British government there, ever on qui vive, called its expanded censorship staff from basking on the beaches and riding bicycles in the warm winter sun. Within an hour or so, 1,638 pounds of mail had been taken off the Clipper for censorship. More than 800 pounds of it was mail from Germany.

Among this was a letter from some Nazi somewhere that left the British censors gasping. They forwarded it by cable to the United States naval intelligence department here.

The context of that letter left no doubt in any one's mind. U. S. naval secrets were being sold through some foreign espionage agency to Germany.

Investigations were started immediately and I have it on high authority that some person or persons already have been taken into custody—but there always is that: "We do not confirm or deny."

It's An Ill Wind.

This is a phase of the censorship and small seizure situation that has

been overlooked.

Not until a man (or woman) had come under suspicion could any officer investigating espionage or subversion activities plunder the United States mail.

It's another side of the picture that critics of British high-handedness (some even have called it hijacking) regarding the U. S. mails have ignored.

I don't say that the British (or any one else) are privileged to tap the single pipeline of foreign communications bearing an American stamp but I can't help repeating that it's an ill wind that doesn't blow somebody something.

It's Happened Before

This is merely history repeating itself. In the World War, it was Great Britain that pointed the way to disclosure of the Zimmerman notes, which allegedly built up a pretty big case against Germany's interest in the affairs in Mexico (supposedly to distract the United States from intervention in the European war).

Again, it was Great Britain that uncovered the reported perfidy of one Mr. Franz von Papen, attaché of the German embassy. Mr. Von Papen, so the story goes, had negotiated for sabotage of certain U. S. industries and waterways. For years Von Papen was under indictment in the United States—undoubtedly would be under suspicion if he returned today, although the indictment has been dismissed.

Both of these COULD have been the activities of British propaganda agents. SO COULD BE THE PRESENT disclosure of a leak in U. S. naval secrets to Nazi Germany.

But who's fooling who and why isn't important. What is vital to our interests is that something's up and in a big way. The British seizure of mail finally has disclosed a skunk in the woodpile and it's up to the F. B. I., naval intelligence, or somebody, to smoke him out and find out whose flag he's flying.

If Great Britain is up to one of her propaganda tricks—it's time we found out. If Nazi Germany is getting sticky fingers where U. S. naval secrets are concerned, then it's time some misguided soul went to jail.

It's all right to shush-shush these things as long as no one is sure about anything, but once the espionage die is cast, we, the Public, should have a look-in.

SHORT SHOTS

Reflector Bureau.

By HENRY AVERILL
Raleigh, April 16.—State Senator John D. Larkins, of Jones County, certainly holds the championship belt for professional "campaign managing" for one thing and another.

In 1938 he began by steering to success the campaign for a Constitutional amendment extending terms of sheriffs and constables to four years.

In 1939 and again in 1940 he handled the state-wide Democratic Jackson Day dinners.

Now he takes on the "Loyalty to Roosevelt" assignment as secretary, with John Folger as chairman.

In between times John runs for and gets elected to the State Senate. This year's his third consecutive race, and there is a strong probability that he'll be the next President Pro Tem of the upper legislative group.

It seems that a big majority of the 1939 House members want to come-back again. Getting a complete list of candidates for House seats all over the state is one of the biggest jobs confronting news men in Raleigh and as of Monday afternoon your reporters can speak for sure about no more than 34 counties.

In these incumbents (or in some

cases, incumbent) is a candidate in all but seven. In some multi-seat counties, not all are in this year's race.

The 1939 members who will not be back from these are: Brunswick, Cornelius Thomas; Buncombe, R. E. Finch; Cumberland, D. Lacy McSpill; Forsyth, Virgil Wilson and Spruill; Guilford, John Caffey; Lee, J. M. Wilcox; Mecklenburg, J. W. Alexander; Richmond, R. T. McNair; Rowan, Walter Murphy; Vance, W. A. Hunt; Wake, C. B. Park; Wilkes, David Sebastian; Yancey, D. W. Buck.

Entry of Bernie P. Jones of Alamance in the Sixteenth Senatorial race, increases the possibility that Durham may this time send both Senators to the 1941 General Assembly.

Last time the rest of the district rather "ganged up" on the largest unit, with the result that Orange and Caswell got the Senators. Now there are three Durham and two Alamance candidates—none for either Orange or Caswell, which have always stood for observing the former "gentleman's agreement" whereby there was a regular rotation system.

If Durham votes heavily for two of its men, to the exclusion of the third, and Jones cuts into the "Curly Sanders vote in Alamance, it could readily result that Durham would get both Senators—something that has never occurred, so far as your Raleigh reporter is aware.

A. J. Maxwell, one of the gubernatorial candidates, rose last night at the Wilson gubernatorial get-together to challenge the oft-repeated statement that there are no issues in the current campaign.

He claimed four such issues (quite naturally, argued he has the right side of all of them): Road building, primary markets for agricultural products, intensified public health service and adequate support for public schools.

Especially he claimed a unique stand on the school system:

"All candidates unite in advocating more liberal support of the public schools, but I am the only candidate specifically pledged to maintain our present tax structure until increased yields make it possible for the state to adequately meet its obligations to our public school system and other humanitarian causes. We cannot meet these obligations by reducing tax levies."

NOTICE
North Carolina, Pitt County
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
George Greene and wife,
vs.
Louis Bryant Mills

The defendant above named, Louis Bryant Mills, will take notice that an action, entitled as above, has been instituted against him in the Superior Court of Pitt County, for the purpose of foreclosing certain mortgages executed by Nasby Mills and wife, Harriet Mills, to Bullock, Worthington & Co., and others, for the purpose of foreclosing any right, title or interest of said defendant in said lands; and said defendant, Louis Bryant Mills, will further take notice that he is required to be and appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, on the 11th day of May, 1940, or within thirty days thereafter, and answer or demur to the complaint which has been filed in said suit, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief therein prayed.

This 10th day of April, 1940.

E. P. TUCKER,
Assistant Clerk of the Superior Court.
Gaylord & Harrell, Attorneys.
4-11-40—ltwk-4wks.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE OF LAND

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed on February

LITTLE SPITEFIRE

By Jean Randall

YESTERDAY: Brenda plunges deeper and deeper into the affairs of The Street. After talking to Ned Barrow, she promises to interest for him with Alaine's tush. About a while Ned is away on a business trip.

Chapter 11
Mrs. Arnold's Charge

"BRENDA, I feel disloyal in talking this way to you," said Adelaide. "It isn't as if Miss Ormond lived anywhere else in town, you know. Somehow The Street—we've been like one big family so long it gives us privileges."

"If you—if we were all under one roof it wouldn't give Miss Ormond the right to interrogate people about their private affairs as she does!" Brenda spoke with spirit. "I have a particular reason for wanting her to let Alaine alone just now. I have a plan for the poor girl."

Again the dreamy Mrs. Rostetter chuckled. "Looks as if you were taking an interest in the affairs of The Street yourself, my dear!"

At dinner that night Miss Burnham was exceedingly dignified. Adelaide's comment had acted as a pin prick in the tightly blown balloon of her concern for Ned Barrow. She who had enjoyed an urban amusement at the closely knit affairs of The Street had herself plunged perhaps more deeply into them than any other person living in the block.

She determined to spend the evening in her room, reading and writing letters. She reached the hall just as Mrs. Arnold, without bothering to ring the bell, stepped through the open screen.

"Brenda, I want to speak to you, please!"

It was too much! Brenda felt she had endured enough for one day. She murmured something about a headache and ran up stairs, shutting her door as though a kidnapper was after her.

In less than five minutes the inevitable knock sounded on those much-used panels.

"May I come in, dear?" Adelaide asked; and without waiting for an answer, she entered. Mrs. Arnold closed behind her. "A headache, dear?" she asked. "I'm so sorry! Mrs. Arnold is wonderful with headaches. She wants to rub your forehead. We'll send for her when we have aches and pains," chattered Adelaide. "She should have been a nurse; her fingers have real magic in them."

So it was that Brenda found herself presently between cool sheets while Mrs. Arnold set about massaging a forehead behind which whirled enough disturbing thoughts to make it ache. Not a word was said of Dorothy, or Hugh Saltus, or Alaine; not a word was said at all, in fact. Under the spell of those clever fingers Brenda's head cleared. Judge Harper's face floated before her, Ned Barrow's grin cheered her. She slept.

Dorothy

BUT if Brenda believed a mere headache could avert Mrs. Arnold's interest in her actions, she was doomed to disappointment. She was lingering over a second cup of coffee the next morning when her nurse of the night before appeared. There was nothing soothing about her now. On the contrary, she was alert and disapproving.

"Now, Brenda," she began briskly, "we'll talk about your visiting Hugh Saltus."

Adelaide murmured inarticulate, sugared heavily a third cup of coffee, and subsided into silence.

"What shall we say about it?" Brenda inquired. "That you didn't approve? I'm sorry, Mrs. Arnold, if that's the case; but you see, my conscience is perfectly clear on the subject. It was a broad daylight, Mr. Saltus has a house-keeper who acted as chaperone—if a chaperone was needed, which I do not admit!—and—she looked the early caller squarely in the eye—I am old enough to be responsible for my own actions."

Mrs. Arnold sniffed. "Meaning, I take it, that I'm to mind my own business! Well, that's exactly why I'm here this morning, Brenda, my dear! Your business is my business—when you live on the same street with Dorothy. I'm responsible for her—more so than if she were my own daughter. She—"

"Why?" the small author demanded. "Why are you more responsible than if she were your own daughter? Why are you responsible at all at her age? If she hasn't learned by now to take care of herself, she never will. I hope you'll forgive me—or saying Mrs. Arnold, but I do think your attitude toward Dorothy is so foolish it is almost farcical!"

A seething silence fell upon the dining room. Adelaide held her breath, her eyes steadily on her coffee cup. Mrs. Arnold closed and unclosed her hands, opened her lips but to fold them tightly again. Only Brenda went calmly on with her breakfast.

"You know really," she continued presently, "either you've got to admit that Dorothy is a subnormal or else that your guardianship of her is—abnormal! At her age, she should be married and seeing her children off to school. If the fact that I drop in to talk

to a famous cartoonist who happens to live on The Street has a bad influence on her, then something is radically wrong somewhere."

"Brenda!" Mrs. Rostetter breathed, and took a long sip of her coffee.

"Dorothy!" began Mrs. Arnold. "Dorothy is—she isn't—Brenda Burnham, you're impossible! This," she told Adelaide sternly, "is what comes of being a writer! 'abnormal'—'abnormal!' Psychological expressions, both of them! I have no doubt," she went on in a voice from which all hope had departed, "that it was one of those 'her books would find Freud and Jung! A perfect child like this one—with curly hair, too!' Her gaze dwelt bleakly on the curls. Somehow they seemed to enhance the awfulness of the situation. Brenda, I regret more than I can say having to tell you this; having to seem to be rude to your grandfather's granddaughter; but for the present—until you get over the modern idea of yours, or until Dorothy is strong enough mentally and morally to hold her own against you, I think it would be well—"

"And when do you think that will be, Mrs. Arnold? Dorothy is in her thirties now, I understand. About ten years older than I am. When do you think she'll be able to hold her own against my ideas?"

Again a silence fell upon the room. Brenda, gayly triumphant, looked up. Mrs. Arnold's eyes were deeply sorrowful. Adelaide looked stricken. And suddenly the girl's victory seemed to her a cheap thing; certainly not worth what it was costing these two kindly women. She jumped up from her chair and put her arm about Mrs. Arnold.

"Different Atmosphere"

"I'M SORRY—truly sorry to have talked so! I'm sorry you don't approve of my calling on Hugh Saltus! From my point of view, you know, there's no harm in it. I really can't promise to give it up. But I do promise to keep away from Dorothy!" She thought of the stolid, cow-eyed woman who was Mrs. Arnold's charge, and her lips twitched; but she went on. "You see, I've been brought up in a different atmosphere than those of you who live on The Street, Mrs. Arnold! No one in New York disapproved of me because I wrote. Some of them even thought it was—was creditable. I'll try to understand you here if you come halfway. I mean—if you'll try to get my point of view occasionally, too!"

To her surprise Mrs. Arnold said: "That's fair! Adelaide, you do see that it's fair for us to try to get Brenda's point of view?" and added dismally: "Even though she's a writer?"

Adelaide emerged from her cue long enough to say: "I... I think perhaps I'm a little more modern in my views than—than most of us on The Street. Having young folks in the house all the time, you know..." She mentioned Eric and Isolde and Mac in a disjointed sort of way, murmured something about having to speak to Grenadine, and drifted from the room.

The two who were left regarded each other in "businesslike" fashion. Mrs. Arnold said: "All right, Brenda! Maybe there's no harm in your dropping into a married man's studio and spending two hours there; more particularly a married man who can't, or won't, say why his wife doesn't return to him. Anyhow I'd like you to explain your views on the affair."

Brenda smiled, the alluring dimple on the left of her mouth captivating even Mrs. Arnold's attention.

"My views are very simple. I think Hugh Saltus' personal life is his own—as mine is—as yours is—as your Dorothy's should be. I'm interested in an artist so talented that he would create a riot if he came to New York City. I regard it as a piece of unparalleled good luck that he should be living on this street. I intend to take advantage of the fact, to see him as often and for as long a time as he will permit."

"We talk," she went on musingly, "of all sorts of things: modern art and literature; of politics; of national issues generally; I think I have never known a better conversationalist than Hugh Saltus. It's a liberal education just to listen to him."

"H'm," remarked Mrs. Arnold. "And what does he say of his wife?" Brenda made no answer beyond a steady look before which the older woman's eyes dropped. Surprisingly she said: "That's where you're right and I'm wrong, Brenda. No person of really fine feeling would ask Hugh about Mrs. Saltus." She rose and started toward the door, halted halfway and said: "I don't mind your talking to Dorothy if you happen to meet her on the street. But mind!" she added sharply, "you're not to ask her to see you; at I above all you're not to take her to Hugh's studio!"

A few minutes later Adelaide sidled in.

"Gone?"

"Yes, she's gone!" The girl played with her teaspoon. "Tell me, Adelaide, why does she think I'd be so interested in her Dorothy? Is she so clever—sensitive? Dorothy, I mean. Why must she not be asked to my room?"

Continued tomorrow

of the W. B. Wingate heirs, and the McLawhorn heirs land, on the south by H. J. Jolly's land, on the West by J. B. Stocks' heirs' land, and on the East by H. J. Jolly's land, and beginning at an iron stake on the old County Road leading from Greenville to Kinston in H. J. Jolly's North boundary line, thence running N. 89 W. with H. J. Jolly's line 34 chains to a gum in J. B. Stocks' heirs' line, thence N. 6 W. 5.4 chains to a poplar formerly known as the B. P. Stocks corner, thence with the line of the W. B. Wingate heirs land and continuing with the McLawhorn heirs' line N. 37 E. 41 chains to a stake, H. J. Jolly's corner on the line; thence with H. J. Jolly's line N. 35 W. 17 chains to the iron stake on the aforesaid road, the beginning containing 47.5 acres as is shown by map of survey of said land made by J. D. Cox, Surveyor, dated January 26, 1929, and being the same land described in deed recorded in Book C-15 at page 570 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County.

The successful bidder will be required to make a cash deposit with the substitute trustee in the amount of 10 per cent of the bid at the time of the sale.

This 11th day of April, 1940.
R. B. LEE, Substituted Trustee.
4-12-40—ltwk4wks

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF LAND

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon the undersigned Commissioners by that certain judgment entitled, "Beulah Hines et al. vs. W. E. Flanagan and Lonnie Oakley," which was signed and entered at the October Term, 1937, of Pitt Superior Court by His Honor, N. A. Sinclair, Judge Presiding, and which is recorded in J. D. 36 at page 80, and C. M. Docket No. 32 at page 208 in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, the said commissioners will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash on Monday, the 13th day of May, 1940, at 12 o'clock, Noon, at the courthouse door in Pitt County, the following described real property, to-wit:

1. One lot situated in the Town of Grifton, containing 1 acre, more or less, being the same property conveyed to James Simmons by J. B. James and wife, recorded in Book P-13 at page 550.

2. One lot adjoining the J. Z. Brooks heirs and others in the Town of Grifton, containing 2 acres, more or less, and being the same land conveyed to James Simmons by J. C. Gaskins and wife.

3. One tract of land in Pitt County beginning at a stake on the run of Perry Branch and runs N. 31 E. 18 poles to a stake, thence N. 68 E. 14 poles to the public road leading to Elizabeth Carney's to the Town of Bell's Ferry (now Grifton), thence with said road in a southerly direction to the aforesaid branch, thence down said branch to the beginning and containing 19.16 acres, more or less, and being the same property conveyed to James Simmons by C. C. Dunn.

This 11th day of April, 1940.

R. B. LEE,
D. M. WILLIFORD,
Commissioners.

4-12-40—ltwk-4wks.

NOTICE OF NEW REGISTRATION FOR PITT COUNTY

Under and by virtue of the authority of Chapter 263 of the Public Laws of 1939 on March 23, 1940, the Pitt County Board of Elections passed the following resolution:

"Whereas, Chapter 263 of the Public Laws of 1939 provides that prior to the 1940 Primary Elections there shall be a revision made of the registration books and a re-listing of the voters in each and every precinct in the State, or in lieu thereof, a new registration, and

"Whereas, Section one of said Act provides that each County Board of Elections, at its first meeting on March 23, 1940, shall determine whether there shall be a re-listing

of the voters or a new registration held in the county, and shall make the necessary preparations therefor, and

"Whereas, this Board is of the opinion that a new registration of the voters of the county is both necessary and advisable,

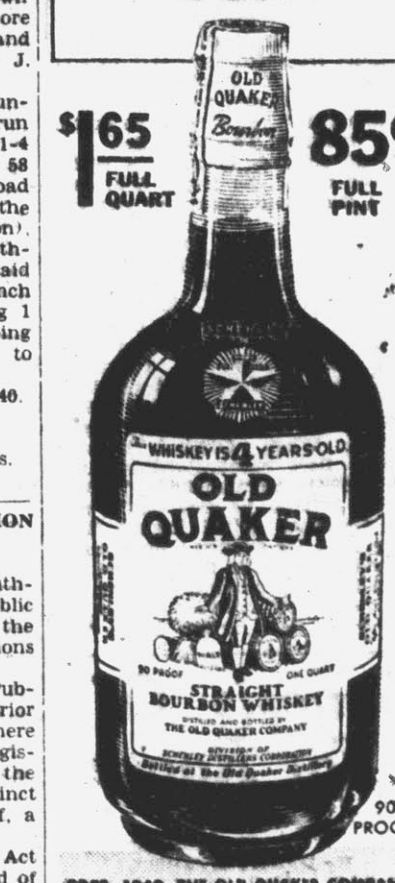
"THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

"That a new registration of the voters of this county shall be held in all the precincts of this county during the regular registration period beginning at 9 o'clock A. M., on Saturday, April 27, and closing at sunset on Saturday, May 11; That the Chairman of this Board shall deliver to each registrar in the county two new primary registration books and one new general elections registration book, together with a copy of Chapter 263, Public Laws 1939, setting for the procedure for the new registration, and shall also furnish to each registrar complete instructions with respect to the holding of the new registration. That the said Chairman of this Board shall immediately give the 20 days public notice of the new registration as required by C. S. 5954. And that the said Chairman of this board shall immediately furnish to the State Board of Elections a copy of this resolution."

The registrars will be at the voting place of each precinct on Saturdays, April 27th, May 4th and May 11th, from nine o'clock A. M. until sunset, and any eligible voter can register on days other than Saturday during said period by seeing the registrar of his precinct.

This 1st day of April, 1940.
PITT COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS,
By: J. H. HARRELL, Chm.
ltwk3wks—April2.

THIS WHISKEY IS 4 YEARS OLD



SOPE, 1900, THE OLD QUAKER COMPANY, LAWRENCEBURG, INDIANA

DO YOU SING

Or Dance, Play a Musical Instrument, Do Imitations, or do you have some little act or stunt you are proud of? If so, here is your chance to gain recognition. On Thursday evening, May 2, 1940, at 7:30 o'clock in the Robert H. Wright Memorial Building, the Tau Chapter of Phi Sigma Pi Fraternity of East Carolina Teachers College is sponsoring a city-wide amateur show.

There is no age limit. Everyone from baby to great-grandpa is eligible for competition. This may be YOUR chance to realize a cherished ambition. Don't delay. Fill out the entry blank now! Entrants will be notified by mail when to appear for auditions.

ENTRY BLANK

Contestant's Name..... (Please Print Plainly)

Address..... Age.....

What do you do?

() Sing?

() Dance?

() Give Imitations?

() Play a Musical Instrument?

Or what do you do?

If you sing, dance, or play a musical instrument, will you furnish your own accompaniment?

() Yes () No If not.....

What is the title of the number you will use?.....

Can you furnish a copy of the music? () Yes () No

Fill in your entry blank now, and mail or bring to VERN KEUTMEYER, Co-Chairman

Rosters Of Eight Greenville Softball Teams Revealed

SEASON OPENS ON APRIL 25TH

Attempt Made To Equalize Strength Of Teams

President J. D. Simpson of the Greenville softball league today released the playing rosters of the eight teams entered in the loop this season, which opens on Thursday of next week.

None of the sponsors had enough players to compose a team and outsiders were divided among the various teams. President Simpson said the committee tried to equalize the teams as far as possible and also tried to put each man on the team he preferred, in so far as this was possible.

Everything was being made ready for the opening of the season and the various teams are training for the opening contests. Additional lights are being erected at the Third Street park and plans in general call for the most successful year in the sport, inaugurated here a few years ago.

The rosters of the various teams follow:

Blount-Harvey
A. R. Barrett, J. R. Pittman, Jack Tripp, Ramsey Potts, Howard Summrell, M. O. Blount, Burke Stancill, Aubrey Tilley, "Skinny" Gibbs, Johnny Walton, Dr. J. M. Barrett, George Clark, O. P. Matthews.

Carolina Sales
Jack Powell, Nelson Banks, Jimmy Umphlet, Withers Harvey, J. S. Harvey, Rogers Taylor, Ed Harris, Jim Patti, Weyland Semmons, Donald Brock, J. B. Tyndall, Walter Lewis, William Willard, Dan Satterfield, Harry Lee Stokes.

Carolina Sales
Louis Tebeau, Roy Campbell, Boyd Cox, Ed Hooks, Raymond Hart, Joe Gaston, Joe Proctor, R. G. Debnam, Billy Utley, Kenneth Gallup, Billy Dail, Bill Clark, Billy Nesbit, Tom Dennis.

Double Cola
Joe Dudley, George Clark, Jr., Ed Wells, Ernest Wells, Jim Wells, R. E. Griffin, Clifton Bullock, Buck Register, Dr. Aycock, Joe Hatem, Howard Harris, Ben Whichard, Robert Edwards.

Pepsi Cola
Max Minges, Ben Singleton, Raymond Moore, Herman Nobles, Dick Paul, Lester Ormand, L. G. Hamilton, Don Williams, Clarence Oakley, Hoyt Minges, Ed Sawyer, C. A. Bowling, Victor Cozart, W. L. Allen.

R. C. Cola
Howard Waldrop, Ed Waldrop, Dave Mosier, Oan Fetter, H. C. Armstrong, Sherman Parks, Charles Gaskins, Cary Warren, W. W. Corbett, Dr. Dan Wright, Clarence Whichard, Day, Staff Hill, Jesse Forbes.

Tadlock
J. H. Hales, M. P. Fox, Neely James, Fred Duncan, L. T. Jones, Bill Stewart, John Adams, C. L. Lipton, Bunch, John Williams, Tom Cox, Walter Sandy, J. A. Turnage, Douglas Butler.

Water and Light
N. A. Roebuck, W. E. Small, C. H. Barnhill, Jesse Brewer, Gene Meeks, Jim Seigler, Tom Bryson, W. F. Evans, Tommie Langley, Thurman Ellington, Bill Terry, Paul Fly, Milton Wilson, Harry Forbes, David Harris.

Colored News

The lunch room at Fifth Street school has been carried on now for more than nine weeks. It has been of great benefit to the pupils of the elementary department. It is often said, "Bread is the staff of life," and so it can be truthfully said of the lunch room, that a well balanced lunch is the staff of life. It has been instrumental in helping pupils to do more and better work. Better attitudes, dispositions and the general appearance in a number of pupils has been noted. Better habits have been acquired which helps the boys and girls to gain a more beautiful outlook on life. A number of boys and girls who have played truant are found in their seats, eager and ready for work each day, which means that the daily attendance has been increased.

The teachers, pupils and lunch room attendants wish to thank the patrons, friends and parents for their hearty support in helping to get equipment and supplies for the lunch room. Several merchants, business men and teachers have been instrumental in seeing that food for several days was given in order that meals could be supplied each day.

Please continue to help us carry on this project. We still need glasses, bowls, knives, forks, cups, saucers and cooking utensils, and materials for meals. The lunch room may be compared to keeping house, just as something has to be bought each day for the home, or for the preparation of a meal, so something has to be supplied daily for the lunches served each day.

Open house is being observed at Fifth Street school this week in the lunch room. Parents, patrons and friends are urged to visit the lunch room as well as class rooms this week.

You may see the lunch room and the number of children who are being served from 12:15 to 3:30 p. m. By visiting the lunch room you may be inspired to help us carry on this work which is of great benefit to the boys and girls of the community. S. I. Sautter.

Bearded Team Defeats Rube's Greenies, 13-5

Harry Jenkins Gets Four For Four For Locals

Nine bearded men combined seriousness with humor and baseball in the Guy Smith stadium last night and walked over Rube Wilson's Greenies 13-5 after a 19-hit spurge that produced a safety in every inning except the ninth.

Harry Jenkins, who showed the Greenie fans that he could hit last season, rejuvenated his batting activities last night by turning in four safeties in as many trips. Harry also handled the third-base zone in fine style.

Jim Brown limited the Beards to no runs in the first, but they jumped on him for four in the second verse. It was in this inning that Stigal, the pitcher, blasted a homer over the right field wall. This was the only homer of the game. Wimbro poked a blow to left in the eighth that looked like a homer, but it hit the top of the fence and rebounded back in the park.

One of the big attractions was the Pepper Game that preceded the play in the sixth inning. The alleged batters and hurlers puzzled the fans. Too, Moose Swaney assisted Umpire Vickers, who will call Coastal Plain games this season, behind the plate. Swaney is slightly past fifty, but displays the life of a schoolboy.

Harold Forbes, former Greenville high star, handled the left field doings last night. Another local boy also made his debut with the Greenies. This was Forest Minges, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Minges, who did some effective hurling both in high school and at Oak Ridge Military Institute.

Score:
Team R H E
Beards 041 032 030-13 19 0
Greenieville 003 202 006-5 15 4

Batteries: Beards — Stigal and Lanslat; Greenville — Brown, Minges, Curtis and De Luca.

The planting of forest trees on eroded soils and proper tree culture, such as thinning, have received increasing attention from North Carolina farmers in the past five years.

Farm agents of the State College Extension Service report that farmers are taking advantage of every adaptable soil-building practice offered under the Agricultural Conservation program.

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King Here

Don King, member of the hurling staff of the Greenville team last year and one of the ace hurlers of the league, was a visitor in Greenville today.

It was understood unofficially that Don would like to be back with the Greenies this year, but whether such terms could or would be arranged were not certain.

The club is allowed only three veterans and at present the club has Manager Rube Wilson, Freddy Calliguri and Morris Wilson, all veterans, and if King is retained either Wilson or Calliguri would have to go.

Don has been in Pensacola, Fla., for the past several weeks.

BATAVIA TEAM MEETS LOCALS

Game To Be Played At Smith Park Tomorrow Night

The Batavia team of the Pony League, a snappy Class D outfit with an international flavor, will engage the Greenies here tomorrow night, in the second after-dark contest here of the season.

The Batavia team now is on a tour of Eastern Carolina and already has played New Bern and is meeting Wilson today. From here it will go to New Bern for a three-day schedule, and then move on to Kingston, Goldsboro and Tarboro.

Manager Rube Wilson is shaping up his team for the opening of the season and his lineup for exhibition games from now on will have more significance than at the start of the training season.

Harry Jenkins, third baseman from last year, is showing up better this season and local fans are expecting him to be one of the main cogs in the local machine. Several of Skipper Rube's hurlers also are showing signs of coming through in fine form.

The league of which Batavia is a member derives its name from the fact that Pennsylvania, Ontario and New York are represented in the loop.

Man About Manhattan

By George Tucker

New York—Rubes, road apples and heel beaters... here we go on a Broadway Lexicon... You can't understand what the writers are writing about unless you know what the words mean... Let's borrow a pencil and take down a few words and phrases... They're words that are used every day, but they're peculiar to the theater, and only the insiders know what they mean.

Heel-beater—a hooper, or dancer. Angel—financial backer of a play... born in a trunk—a term meaning born into a theatrical family. Dicky Bird—an actor who prings as well as acts... sock and buskin—an old term for comedy and tragedy.

Turkey—a show that is a financial failure... tommers—actors who play in Uncle Tom's Cabin... a play... an assistant who does all the work... road apple—a player on

17 Winners Of Past Derbies Are Retired To Breeding Farms

Favored In 66th Derby

By KEN RUSH
AP Feature Service
Louisville, Ky.—Scattered among the nation's breeding farms are 17 former winners of the Kentucky Derby, survivors of rigorous turf campaigns which stamped most of them as the best in their day.

The biggest gold-digger of them all is William Woodward's great Gallant Fox, the 1930 Derby winner who amassed earnings totaling \$328,165. He still holds the record of \$308,275 for winnings as a three-year-old.

Omaha, son of Gallant Fox, won the 1935 Derby and earned a total of \$154,705.

Runnerup among Derby winners in total earnings is Rev. the Derby champion of 1923, Rev. \$303,040 was the world's record in his time.

Other Derby winners still alive and now retired:

1918—Exterminator, total earnings \$252,596.
1920—Paul Jones, \$64,771.
1922—Morvich, \$172,909.
1925—Flying Ebony, \$62,420.
1928—Rely Count, \$178,170.
1929—Clyde Van Dusen, \$122,112.
1931—Twenty Grand, \$261,790.
1932—Burgoo King, \$110,940.
1933—Broker's Tip, \$49,600.
1934—Cavalcade, \$127,165.
1936—Bold Venture, \$68,300.
1937—War Admiral, \$272,390.
1938—awrin, \$126,275.
1939—Johnstown, \$169,315.

Only three horses managed to sweep the "triple crown"—Kentucky Derby, Preakness and Belmont Stakes—for three-year-olds.

The first was Sir Barton, now dead, winner of the Derby in 1919, whose earnings totaled \$116,857. Others were Omaha and War Admiral.

Besides Sir Barton, other Derby winners of recent years now dead were Omar Khayyam, 1917 winner and only foreign horse ever to capture the Derby; Behave Yourself, 1921; Black Gold, 1924; Bubbling Over, 1926; and Whisker, 1927.

They're handcuffed—an authority on dramatic writing, called in to revise a faulty script... house full of paper—an audience admitted largely on free passes... baby spot—a small spotlight.

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COL. E. R. BRADLEY'S BIMELECH

cackle—British slang for dialogue casting agent—a middleman for actors and producers.

Note: For a complete lexicon of theatrical terms, see The Theatre Handbook, by Bernard Sobel, a superb summary of plays, players, and playwrights from Sophocles to Saroyan.

Toupee-tape—double-faced adhesive used to hold wigs and whiskers in place... two-a-day—vaudeville term meaning matinee and evening performance... twenty-four sheet—large poster or billboard used for advertising... doubling in tag—the final speech of a scene or an act, serving as a cue for the curtain.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Having duly qualified as Executor of the estate of R. C. Merritt late of the County of Pitt and State of North Carolina, before Hon. J. F. Harrington, Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt county, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate settlement with the undersigned Executor, of Greenville, North Carolina, and all persons holding claims against said estate are hereby notified to file claims, itemized and duly verified within twelve months from the date of this notice or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery.

This 2nd day of March, 1940.
MRS. GERTIE B. MERRITT,
Executrix of the Estate of R. C. Merritt, deceased.
M2-1twk6wks.

the estate to file them with M. B. Hodges, Griffon, N. C., or J. H. Brooks, Grimesland, N. C., within 12 months from this date or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to the estate will please make immediate settlement.

This March 21st, 1940.
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W. G. (BILL) RUSH is now located in the Tire retreading building of Scott's Service Station. Repairs to all makes cars are guaranteed and prices are reasonable. 27-lf

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FOR SALE — SEVEN-ROOM House. Location: Main Street. Grimesland. \$250 Cash. Balance like rent. Large lot. Buy it today. L. J. SMITH, Real Estate-Insurance. 16-1f

See Typewriters
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Richmond Livestock

(Courtesy J. N. and J. L. Williams)
Richmond, April 16.—Hogs, market 15 cents higher than Friday, quoting good and choice 180 to 225 lbs. \$5.30 to \$5.50 the top; 100-120 lbs. \$3.50-\$4.00; 120-140 lbs. \$4.00-\$4.70; 160-180 lbs. \$5.00-\$5.30; 225-250 lbs. \$4.80-\$5.30; 140-160 lbs. \$4.70-\$5.00; 250-300 lbs. \$4.60-\$5.10 over 300 lbs. \$4.30-\$4.80. Sows under 350 lbs. \$3.75-\$4.25; over 350 lbs. \$3.25-\$3.75. Cattle, market active on steers, with prices generally strong to 25 cents higher. Bulk of good fat butcher steers around \$8.50 to \$8.75, extra choice a little higher; mediums mostly \$6.75 to \$7.75, common around \$5.25 to \$6.25. Cows, about steady with most good fat butchers around \$5.25 to \$5.75, mediums \$4.25 to \$4.75, common and canners generally \$3.00 to \$4.00. Average run of nearby medium heifers from \$5.50 to \$6.50, good beef breed heifers mostly \$7.50 to \$8.00. Good fat butcher bulls \$6.00 to \$6.50, with choice a little higher; lights around \$5.00 to \$6.00, weaners fairly active, steady, good and choice \$10.00 to \$10.50, poor quality selling as to value.

New York Cotton

New York, April 16.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened one to six higher. The list held net gains of one to six points in mid-morning trading. May (old) 10.73; October 10.10; March 9.86.

Courtesy E. A. Pierce and Co., Dial 3161—Wilson, N. C.

	Open	Close	Pr. Cl.
May	10.74	10.77	10.72
July	10.46	10.50	10.44
Oct.	10.09	10.18	10.07
Dec.	9.98	10.10	9.95
Jan.	9.96	10.03	9.90
Mar.	9.84	9.96	9.80

Chicago Grain Market

(Courtesy Vernon Parrish)

	Open	Close	Pr. Cl.
WHEAT—			
May	10.84	10.87	10.83
July	10.84	10.87	10.83
Sept.	10.81	10.87	10.73
CORN—			
May	61	62 1/2	60 1/2
July	62 1/2	63 1/2	61 1/2
Sept.	63 1/2	64 1/2	62 1/2
OATS—			
May	42	42 1/2	41 1/2
July	37 1/2	38	37 1/2
Sept.	34 1/2	35	34 1/2
RYE—			
May	68 1/2	69 1/2	68
July	70 1/2	70 1/2	69 1/2

HOG MARKETS

	Richmond	Rocky Mount	Kinston
May	5.50	5.30	5.30
July	5.50	5.30	5.30
Sept.	5.50	5.30	5.30

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, April 16.—(AP)—Speculators took an assortment of specialties, while cashing some aircraft profits in today's stock market. Fractional advances ruled at the start, but light selling soon gave the list a spotty appearance. Trends near the fourth hour were definitely mixed.

N. Y. STOCK LIST

2 P. M. PRICES

American Radiator	17 3/4
American Telephone	173 1/2
American Tobacco B	91 1/2
Anaconda	30 1/2
A. C. L.	17 1/2
Atlantic Refining	22 1/2
Bendix Aviation	34 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	80 1/2
Chrysler	86 1/2
Col. Gas and Electric	6 1/2
Consolidated Solvent	15 1/2
Consolidated Oil	7 1/2
Curtis Wright	107 1/2
Dupont	187 1/2
Electric Power and Light	5 1/2
General Electric	37 1/2
General Motors	53 1/2
Liggett and Myers	109
Montgomery Ward	51 1/2
Reynolds Tobacco B	43
Southern Railway	16 1/2
Standard Oil of N. J.	40 1/2
U. S. Steel	60 1/2

CLOSING PRICES

A. C. L.	17
Anaconda	29 1/2
American Radiator	8 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	79 1/2
Chrysler	86 1/2
C. I. T.	53 1/2
Commercial Credit	46 1/2
Commercial Solvent	15 1/2
Consolidated Oil	7 1/2
Continental Can	48 1/2
Electric Bond and Share	6 1/2
General Motors	54
Gillette	6 1/2
International Telephone	3 1/2
Lorillard	24
Nash Kelvinator	6 1/2
National Dairy	17 1/2
Otis Steel	10 1/2
Packard	3 1/2
Paramount Pictures	7 1/2
Pullman	25 1/2
Pure Oil	10 1/2
Radio	6 1/2
Reynolds	43
Simmons	21 1/2
Southern Railway	16
Standard Brands	7 1/2
Sperry Corporation	44 1/2
Texas Corporation	46
Texas Gulf Sulphur	74 1/2
United Aircraft	51 1/2
United Corporation	2 1/2
United Drug	6 1/2
U. S. Steel	60 1/2
Warner Pictures	10 1/2
Western Union	22 1/2

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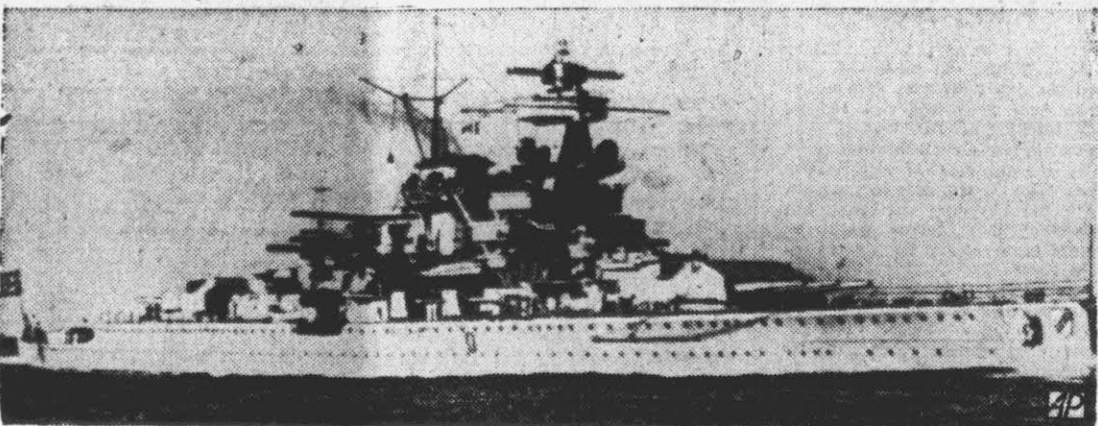
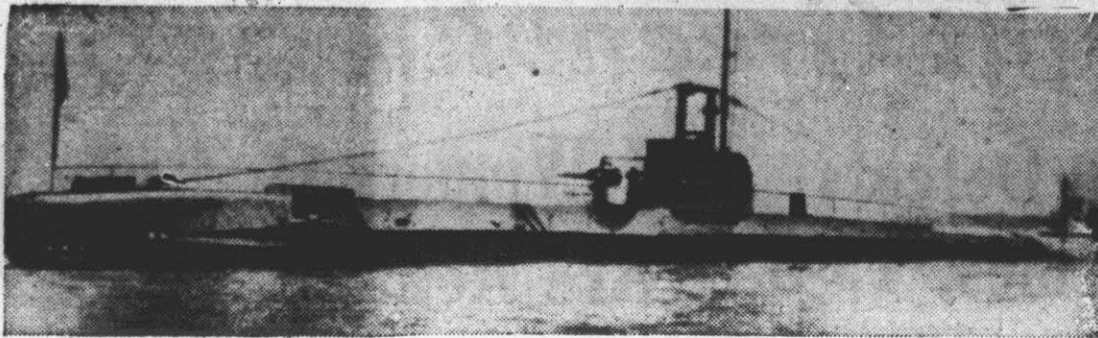
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British Report Admiral Scheer 'Successfully Attacked'



The British Admiralty has announced the English submarine Spearfish (top) "successfully attacked" the German pocket battleship Admiral Scheer (bottom). It was not said whether the Admiral Scheer was sunk but the announcement asserted the probably was hit by "more than one torpedo." The German vessel was a sister ship of the Admiral Graf Spee which was scuttled by her crew off Montevideo after a naval battle off South America last December.

Given Long Term Dr. Idleman Heard On Assault Count By Large Number

Mose Jenkins, Pitt county Negro, tendered a plea of guilty to breaking, entering and burglary and assault to commit rape and was given from 25 to 30 years by Judge Walter J. Bone in Pitt Superior court here this afternoon.

Charlie Lewis was acquitted of a liquor charge.

Jasper House, convicted to a liquor charge, was given 12 months, but was allowed until Monday to get his business straightened out before beginning serving the term.

C. B. Barfield pleaded guilty to driving drunk and was given a six months sentence, suspended upon payment of a \$50 fine and court costs, and upon further condition that he remain sober, of good behavior and law-abiding for a year. The defendant's driving license was revoked for 12 months and he was required to give bond of \$100 for his appearance in the October term of court to show that the fine and costs had been paid.

Shorty Evans was given a road sentence on an assault charge, the sentence suspended upon condition that the defendant pay court costs and remain law-abiding and of good behavior for 12 months.

Wilbur Brown, and Douglas Williams, colored youths, were convicted of forcible trespass and were given 12-month sentences each. Brown was convicted on two charges.

Contend Air Line Would Help State

Washington, April 16.—(AP)—Pennsylvania Central Air Lines told the Civil Aeronautics Authority in a brief today its proposed air mail and passenger route across North Carolina from Norfolk, Va., to Knoxville, Tenn., would remedy an inadequacy of rapid east-west transportation now confronting that state.

The brief was filed in support of the company's application to establish such a service with an extension at Knoxville to Cincinnati, Ohio. North Carolina stops would be at Elizabeth City, Rocky Mount, Raleigh, Greensboro, Winston-Salem, Hickory and Asheville.

The company said there was no existing rapid transportation system across North Carolina from the East to the West and that this tended to impede business.

OFFICIALS AND STUDENTS ATTEND HIGH SCHOOL DAY

(Continued from Page One)
ing of "The Old North State" by the audience.

A soft-ball game between Pitt and Wilson counties this morning was won by Pitt.

After the barbecue luncheon on back campus, the visitors scattered to visit the exhibits of work of the various departments and enjoy the entertainment features of the afternoon. The central committee responsible for the plans for the day is composed of Carl L. Adams, Miss Lois Grigsby, A. L. Dittmer, O. A. Hankner, Miss Rosaline Ivey, Miss Mary Greene, Mrs. Roy Barrett, and R. C. Deal.

A number of sub-committees have looked after various parts of the program—Miss Mamie Jenkins having been chairman of the publicity committee; Miss Mary Greene, of invitations committee; W. A. Browne, seating committee; Miss Kate Lewis, decorations committee; J. B. Cummings, receptions committee; O. A. Hankner, campus activities committee; E. R. Browning, campus visiting committee; Miss Katherine Holtzclaw, picture show committee; R. C. Deal, dance committee; F. W. Pickens, marching committee; President L. R. Meadows, luncheon committee; H. C. Haynes, serving committee; E. C. Hollar, parking and traffic committee; Mrs. Agnes W. Barrett, program committee; F. D. Duncan, ticket committee; Miss Mary Greene, registration committee; and Dean C. Tabor, music committee. Many students also served on the various committees.

Ratings Of Cafes In Pitt Revealed

Eighteen eating places in Pitt county, all in Greenville, received a grade of 90 or above in the recent inspection conducted by J. T. Welch city inspector, and J. H. Moore, county inspector.

Dr. N. Thomas Ennett, county health officer, called attention of the managers to the fact that warm weather is approaching and that they must be more diligent than ever in an effort to keep their establishments safe as eating places. He added "particularly will the managers have to exercise great care with food which easily spoils in warm weather and to the matter of keeping down the fly menace."

The ratings follow: Bissette's Drug Store, 94.5; McLawhorn's Cafe, 94.5; Capt. Willis' Oyster House, 92.5; Smitty's Place, 92.5; Kares Bros., 92.5; Busy Bee Cafe, 92; Laura Bell's Cafe, 91.5; Dixie

The services will continue through Friday night and the people of Greenville are cordially invited to attend.

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While Major Vidkun Quisling, Norwegian Nazi leader, worked with invading Germans to set up a Nazi puppet government in Norway, his brother, Arne Quisling (above) went ahead quietly with his work as a steel construction engineer in New York. "For me, I like it here," said Arne Quisling.

Exports from Ceylon to the United States increased 80 per cent in 1939 over the preceding year. Rubber and tea accounted for 95 per cent of the total.

North Carolina's principal cash crops are cotton, peanuts, potatoes, flue-cured and burley tobacco, and commercial vegetables, says Dr. L. O. Schaub, of State College.

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