

Mostly cloudy, with scattered showers tonight and Wednesday, not much change in temperature.

BELGIUM CAPITULATES

Leopold's Action Expected To Hasten Move By Italy

DUCE DESIRES TO SHARE GAIN

Believed To Be Preparing To Hasten Into War To Help Germany Finish Off Allies In Hopes Of Sharing Victor's Gains; French Citizens Prohibited from Leaving Nation.

Rome, May 28.—(AP)—The surrender of the Belgium army was expected in foreign circles here today to hasten Italy's entrance into the war to help Germany finish off the Allies and win a share of the victor's gains.

Official Italian comment on the new disaster for the Allies, however was not immediately available.

It was disclosed that French citizens attempting to leave Italy had been stopped because they had no exit visas.

Allied sources said the requirement for exit visas was new and that thus far it had been invoked only against Frenchmen.

The stopping of the visa-less Frenchmen suddenly and without notice allied informants said gave rise to rumors that Italy had closed her frontiers with France and Switzerland.

Fascist militiamen among university students were ordered to gather with their arms throughout Italy tomorrow for "especially significant military ceremonies" marking the 16th anniversary of the establishment of the university militia.

County Will Send Many To Meeting

Pitt county will send 200 delegates to the combined annual meeting of the members of the North Carolina Cotton Growers Cooperative Association and the patrons of the Farmers Cooperative Exchange in Raleigh on Wednesday, June 5, according to word received here today from M. G. Mann, general manager of the two cooperatives.

The meeting, which is held annually, will start in the Raleigh Memorial auditorium promptly at 10 o'clock and arrangements have been made to take care of an expected crowd of 5,000 farmers and farm women representing every section of the state. The state-wide gathering climaxes a series of 38 local meetings at which delegates were selected.

Congressman Graham Barden of the Third North Carolina district will deliver the principal address. His subject will be: "How National Legislation and Farm Cooperatives Can Aid the Farmer."

A full and detailed report on last year's operations of both the Cotton Association and the FCX will be presented to the assembled members by Mr. Mann and the meeting will then be thrown open for a general discussion from the floor.

One of the highlights of the day will be the induction into office of the cooperatives' directors. John T. Thorne of Farmville is one of the directors of the Cotton Association for the coming year.

"We hope to have every county in the state represented as well as a number of FCX patrons from South Carolina," Mr. Mann said as he issued a blanket invitation for all cooperative members to be present and learn more about their farmer-owned and farmer-controlled cooperatives—the Cotton Association and the FCX.

Action Brought In Car-Cow Collision

Civil action seeking to recover \$500 damages allegedly suffered when an automobile struck a cow at large on the public roads was filed in Superior court yesterday afternoon by E. T. Norville against Mark Owens.

The complaint alleges that the plaintiff's son, James Norville was driving along the Tarboro-Fountain road, about a mile and a half from the latter place, when a cow owned by the defendant ran directly into the path of the car, causing the collision.

The complaint further alleges that the defendant unlawfully and carelessly allowed his cows to run at large.

Allies Preparing To Wage "Now or Never" Offensive

King Leads England In Prayer



This cablephoto shows King George and Queen Elizabeth of Great Britain being greeted by Dr. Paul Labilliere, dean of Westminster Abbey in London as they arrived at the Abbey to lead the British Empire in a day of prayers for peace. While Englishmen back home prayed, British land and air forces in France continued to strike hard blows at the invading Germans.

Administration Split Seen For 2nd Primary

A. J. MAXWELL VERY ILL MAN

Condition Much More Serious Than Is Reported

Reflector Bureau. Raleigh, May 28.—Commissioner of Revenue Allen J. Maxwell, who just missed finishing second in last Saturday's gubernatorial primary is a very ill man.

His condition is much more serious than has been allowed to get into the public prints, and it is almost a certainty that had he been entitled to call for a second primary he would have been unable to make any campaign because of his illness.

Your reporter expects that the statements above will be denied in many quarters, but the information comes from sources regarded as completely reliable and, certainly unbiased by political considerations.

There are reports indicating that the commissioner's condition may even be regarded as critical and some who ought to know profess to believe he'll be very fortunate indeed if he recovers at all. There is, however, no authentic information that he is in that bad shape; (Continued on Page Six)

Surrender Heavy Blow For Allies

Paris, May 28.—The Belgian army surrendered unconditionally to the Germans today under orders from King Leopold, III, breaking the back of the allied armies of the north and bringing the battle of Flanders to its culminating point.

The blow was as heavy as the collapse of the army of general Corpas in the battle of the Meuse May 15, which permitted the Germans to break through France to the English channel and split the northern and central allied forces.

The French and British remnants of the northern army carried on the Flanders fight, but a military spokesman acknowledged their resistance was "extremely difficult."

WILL ATTEMPT RESCUE DRIVE

Reports Reaching Berne, Switzerland, Declare 30 Allied Divisions Moving Into Position For Major Offensive

Berne, Switzerland, May 28.—(AP)—Thirty allied divisions were reported moving into position tonight south of the Aisne river near Rethel for a "now or never" offensive to rescue French and British forces trapped in the Germans' Lille pocket.

Reports reaching here from both sides of the war zone indicated that Allied Generalissimo Weygand had placed a major part of this force in position before the Belgians surrendered.

Allied divisions range from about 15,000 to 18,000 men—450,000 to 600,000 in the 30 divisions reported massed for attack.

Both Allied and German sources here believed that if Weygand found that he had time he would strike within the next 36 hours.

The center of the French concentrations was reported to be midway between Rethel and Montmédy.

Allied German and neutral military attaches in Berne generally agreed that Weygand must strike now or lose, not only the encircled armies of the north, but risk a German offensive in the Rethel area, 95 miles northeast of Paris. A German blow in this area might cut under the Maginot line to Reims and Paris.

German sources said that when the Belgian line was broken yesterday fresh Nazi reserves were moved immediately into the Sedan sector to block an expected Allied counter offensive.

Final Rites Held For Mrs. Williams

Mrs. Macy Williams of Shelmerdine, died Monday night at 10 o'clock in Pitt General hospital. She had been ill for several weeks.

Funeral services were conducted from the late home at 3 o'clock this afternoon by Rev. D. J. Little, Holiness minister of Bear Creek. Burial followed in the Walter Smith cemetery near the home in Shelmerdine. Mrs. Williams was born in Pitt county December 26, 1874, daughter of the late Jim and Nancy Harper Street, widow of the late Josh Williams. She was a member of the Black Jack Free Will Baptist church.

Surviving are three sons, Heber Williams, Wake Forest; Robert Williams, New York City, and Oscar Williams of Shelmerdine; three daughters, Mrs. Nannie Gaskins Greensboro, Mrs. Blanche Lewis Greenville, and Miss Gladys Williams of the home; four brothers, Johnnie, Jimmie, Alex and Ed Sutton of the Shelmerdine community, and a sister, Mrs. Johnnie Mills, Vanceboro.

C. Of C. Directors After New Roads

The board of directors of the Greenville Merchants Association, at regular monthly meeting last night discussed a number of projects, but devoted most of the session to consideration of the various road projects proposed for the county.

A determined effort is being made to bring about the early completion of the several projects. The program includes the Belvoir road, Pactolus road, Stokes-Beargrass road and extension of No. 11 north of Bethel. Some of these roads have been under consideration for two years and are on the highway commission's map for work when the money is available.

FUND BOOSTED FOR PROVIDING FARMER LOANS

Senate Group Raises Sum By Total Of \$500,000,000

Washington, May 28.—(AP)—The Senate Banking committee approved unanimously today a \$500,000,000 increase in government funds for crop loans intended to protect American farmers from war-time price shocks.

Sen. Byrnes (D-SC), who sponsored the legislation which was advocated by Secretary Wallace, said he would seek prompt Senate action on the bill which would add \$500,000,000 to the authorized lending powers of the government's Commodity Credit Corporation.

Officials of the crop loan agency said the present lending limit of \$1,000,000,000 was nearly exhausted and that the additional funds were needed to cushion 1940 crops against war-time disturbances.

Senator Taft (R-Ohio) made some comment on past government losses on price supporting crop loans, but he said that "you ever had a justification for making loans you have it now because of the cutting off of exports."

Taft noted that the government agency now owned outright about 6,500,000 bales of cotton on which it made loans. It has pending loans on another 2,000,000 bales it may have to take over, he added.

"How are we ever going to get rid of this cotton," Taft asked. "I don't know," Senator Byrnes replied. He explained that Congress had directed that loans be made on cotton, corn, wheat and other crops whenever market prices fell below certain levels.

Government loan officials estimated these funds would be needed for new crop loans: \$150,000,000 to cover 3,300,000 bales of cotton; \$150,000,000 for 260,000,000 bushels of corn; \$80,000,000 for 140,000,000 bushels of wheat; \$40,000,000 for tobacco loans and \$60,000,000 for loans on other crops.

Farmville Citizen Addresses Rotary

"He aims too low who aims below the stars" and Rotary ideals inspire one to the highest, declared Irvin Morzan of Farmville last night in his brief address to The Mechanics and Dynamics of Rotary at the Monday night weekly dinner session of the Rotary club. Mr. Morgan delivered an inspirational address integrating his inspirational ideas with the actual accomplishments of Rotary inspired men in fields of service.

The Greenville Rotary club is planning a meeting on June 17th as a Memorial to J. C. Gaskins, beloved Rotarian who died last year. Jack Spain, the program chairman is working out details of the program for the occasion.

Guests of the club last night, besides the speaker, were John A. Staton of Bethel and Dr. W. I. Wooten Carl Adams, club president, presided.

Local Lions Club Buys Road Signs

The Greenville Lions club, youngest civic organization in the city, has purchased three single-faced highway signs bearing the official emblem of the organization. The signs have arrived and will be put up within a few days. Under the official emblem will appear the date, hour and place of meetings. 7 o'clock Monday night at the Woman's club.

King Leopold III Issues Orders To Lay Down Arms

REVOKE AWARD TO LINDBERGH

American Volunteer Group Assails May Speech

Paris, May 28.—(AP)—Honorable membership in the Lafayette Escadrille conferred on Col. Charles A. Lindbergh after his 1927 Atlantic crossing was withdrawn today by order of the French and air association of the American Volunteer Combattants in the French army in 1914-18, representing former pilots of the Escadrille.

The association announced its action was the result of Lindbergh's speech May 10, which it classified as "definitely" opposed to the spirit of the American volunteers of the Lafayette Escadrille and Foreign Legions who rushed to the defense of France in 1914.

The association's announcement said the title of honorary member was conferred on Col. Lindbergh "in a moment of enthusiasm—mistaken but understandable."

The former pilots of the Lafayette-Escadrille announcement concluded: "We believe that his words are an insult to the memory of the comrade who fell on the field of honor."

Paul Rockwell of Asheville, N. C., member of the Escadrille in the World War who joined the famous Foreign Legion in the present war, is president of the association.

Rites Held Today For Levi Ball, 69

Levi Ball, 69, died Monday afternoon at 4:10 at the home of his son, W. R. Ball, of Hanahan, following several months of declining health. Funeral services were conducted this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home by Rev. Duff Toler, Free Will Baptist minister of Chocowinity, and the Red Men of the Washington Tribe, of which he was a member.

Interment followed in the Grifton cemetery. Mr. Ball is survived by his wife, Mrs. Amanda Ball; two sons, W. R. Ball of Hanahan, with whom he made his home, and D. W. Ball of Halifax county, and eight grandchildren.

Kinston Tobacconist Is Claimed By Death

Word was received here today of the death of Allen Knott, prominent tobacconist of Kinston, who died this morning following a brief illness.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hobgood of this city, relatives of Mr. Knott, left here for Kinston immediately upon learning of the death.

No details were known here regarding the funeral services.

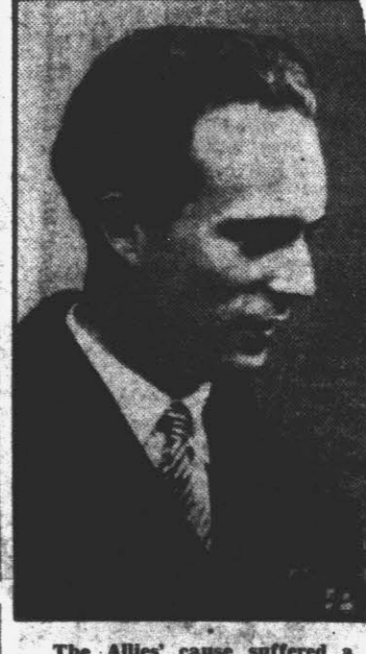
In Agreement On New Taxes

Washington, May 28.—(AP)—New taxation to finance an immediate \$3,000,000,000 increase in the national debt for emergency defense outlays was agreed upon today at a conference of administration and congressional leaders.

A special issue of "national defense obligations" would be offered the public to supply funds for strengthening armaments in a program approved by President Roosevelt which would require lifting the present \$45,000,000,000 debt limit to \$48,000,000,000.

Belgian King Is Deposed By His Own Government

Surrenders



The Allies' cause suffered a severe blow with the capitulation of Belgium, King Leopold, III, commander of the Belgian forces, ordered his soldiers to lay down their arms in face of German invaders. The action brought the battle of Flanders to the culminating point.

VOTE IN PITT IS CANVASSED

Only Few Changes From Unofficial Tabulation

Any candidate desiring to call a second primary in the county must file his intentions in writing within a five-days period. J. H. Harrell, chairman of the Pitt County Board of Elections stated this afternoon in making public the official canvass of the voting in Saturday's primary.

The election officials met at 11 o'clock this morning and completed the canvass this afternoon.

The largest number of votes in one race in the county was for Register of Deeds in which a total of 9,700 persons voted. A check of the poll books revealed that a total in excess of 10,000 Pitt County voters took part in the primary.

The official canvass showed but few minor changes in the unofficial tabulations compiled and published by The Reflector Sunday morning, and in no instance did the variations affect the standings of any of the candidates.

The only three changes to exceed 10 votes were an addition of 88 votes for Thad Eure for Secretary of State, three from Carolina township and 85 from Chicod No. 2; the addition of 99 votes for Pittman for Commissioner from the third district.

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Prime Minister Churchill Declares Allies Ordered To Continue Campaigns, With Indications Main Belgian Army Will Continue In Strife; Nazis Claim New Successes

By The Associated Press King Leopold of the Belgians ordered his army of approximately 300,000 men to surrender to the Germans today, was promptly "disowned" by his own government and British Prime Minister Churchill told the House of Commons that allied generals had been ordered to continue their campaigns.

The action of the refugee Belgian government, now in Paris, means, in effect, that the Belgian king has been declared deposed.

Premier Hubert Pierlot announced contrary to the monarch's order to lay down arms, that Belgian forces which could be reorganized would continue their fight on the Allies side.

All indications were, however, that the main Belgian army—the Germans said between 400,000 and 500,000 men—had ceased to fight, and that only minor units or new levies raised from among the throng of Belgian refugees in France would be at the disposal of the Belgian government.

While Frenchmen in the streets of Paris cried "treason," at the news of King Leopold's capitulation, Churchill told the House of Commons that the British and French governments would ignore Leopold's action.

The Allies, he said, will carry on with all vigor.

Churchill was widely cheered as he declared: "Nothing which may happen to us in this battle can in any way relieve us of our duty to defend the world cause to which we have bound ourselves."

With the German high command declaring that the allied armies "pocketed" in Flanders were doomed, British navy spokesmen hinted that the British expeditionary force was preparing to withdraw from the battle in Belgium.

It was not immediately indicated whether the British contemplated complete withdrawal from the continent or merely a shifting of their trapped armies south to aid France in her defense along the Somme river front.

At the height of the furor created by King Leopold's sudden surrender, the German high command announced a new series of smashing Nazi successes.

Hitler's mechanized columns broke through strong French border fortifications "on a broad front," the high command said, and captured numerous towns and villages in the

Weather Report

Table with weather data including temperatures (High yesterday 85, Low yesterday 61, At 1:30 p. m. today 81), precipitation (For 24 hrs. ending 1:30 p. m. T. Total for month 1.31), and barometer (7:30 last night 29.82, 7:30 this morning 29.88). Prevailing winds and velocity: 7:30 a. m. 17, 1:30 p. m. 17.

# Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey A. Hall of Weston, W. Va., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard McGinnis. J. C. Gilbert, of Washington, D. C., is spending several days in Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Honeycutt and Travis Finagan attended the graduating exercises at Presbyterian Junior College at Maxton where Gattis Honeycutt was a member of the graduating class of the high school department.

Miss Jane Cox is getting along nicely following a tonsilectomy in Pitt General hospital this morning. Mrs. Frank Taylor and niece, Miss Irene Lane, of Pineola, returned yesterday from New York and the World's Fair.

**Daily Vacation Bible School**  
The Winterville Baptist Church will have the Daily Vacation Bible School parade Friday, May 31, 1940, at 9:30 o'clock. All children in Winterville community are urged to come.

**Birth Announcement.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Darr announce the birth of a son, Robert Alva on Monday, May 27, 1940.

**Bride-Elect Honored**  
Mrs. Larry Averette and Miss Iola Bready were joint hostesses at bridge Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Averette, honoring Miss Mary Belle Fleming, bride-elect of June.

The home was artistically decorated with summer flowers of pastel color. The honor guest's place at the bridge tables was marked with a corsage of sweet peas.

After several progressions Mrs. Russell Knowles was presented the high score prize, and Miss Doris Tucker received the low score prize. The floating prize went to Mrs. Knowles. The hostesses remembered the honoree with China and crystals in her selected patterns. A sweet course was served.

**Winterville Alumni Meet.**  
The Winterville chapter of the Eastern Carolina Teachers College Alumni Association will meet Wednesday night, May 29, 1940, in the home economics building at 8 o'clock. Every alumnus is urged to be present.

**Honored At Bridge**  
Honoring Miss Mary Belle Fleming, bride-elect of this month, Miss Doris Tucker entertained at bridge on Friday.

Five tables were appointed for the games in rooms beautifully decorated with peonies and the guests found their places marked with bridal bouquets.

The place of the honor guest and that of Miss Edith Harris, bride-elect of July, were designated with old fashioned nosegays.

**Little Theatre**  
The Greenville Little Theatre presents its final production of the season, the three one-act plays on Thursday night, 8 p. m., at the Third Street school auditorium. They are "Red Flannels" by Sylvia Spook, "Rosaland" by J. M. Barrie, and "Cottie Mourns" by Patricia McMullan. The casts follow:  
"Red Flannels" - Louise Hooker, Clyde Bunch, James Hawes, Grady Bell, Edward Conway, Louis Skinner and Lucinda Hollowell.  
"Rosaland" - Harriet Lloyd, Mrs. W. J. Hall and Lindsay Wilchard.  
"Cottie Mourns" - Annie Laurie Akew, Richard Walser, Sara Stella Woodward and Charles Woodward.  
The public is cordially invited. Tickets are on sale at Bissette's Drug Store and may be purchased from members of the cast.

## Winterville News

Brooks Cox is spending some time in Norfolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Kittrell, Jr. of Richmond, spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Kittrell.

W. B. Cox, student of Wake Forest, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Moore spent the week-end in Edenton. Miss Gusie Cox returned with them to spend a few days with Miss Alice Moore.

Mrs. R. L. McLawhorn spent Friday evening in Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hunsucker, have returned from St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ogleby, Mrs. May and Miss Catherine Ogleby were Griffin visitors Sunday.

Mrs. H. J. Jolly and Mr. and Mrs. Meekins McLawhorn left Tuesday for Washington, D. C.

Rosennie Malison of Oriental was in town Sunday afternoon.

Miss Rebecca Stafford and Bruce McLawhorn of Ayden were quietly married at the Baptist parsonage last Tuesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. McLawhorn will make their home in Ayden.

Mrs. Paul Keel and children spent last week in Greene county.

Miss Mima Mayo of Greenville is spending a few days with Mrs. J. H. Evans.

## Library News

Another display of club books on the tables in the children's room at Sheppard Memorial Library. See them today and tomorrow. Visit the "Join The Club Here" table if you are thinking about joining a summer reading club.

The first club meeting will be held soon after the city schools close, probably on June 13.

-Mrs. W. C. Vincent.

## Grimesland News

Friends of Rufus Galloway will be glad to learn that he has returned home from the hospital and continues to improve.

Sylvester Fleming has returned home from Elon College, where he had been attending school this winter.

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## Social Calendar

**TUESDAY**  
7:30 p. m.—Meeting of the faculty of the Vacation Bible School of the Memorial Baptist church. The members of the faculty are urged to be present for this initial meeting.

8:00 p. m.—Withia Council degree of Poochontas meets.

**WEDNESDAY**  
1:00 p. m.—Miss Mary Council Horne will entertain at luncheon honoring Miss Frances Harvey, bride-elect.

7:30 p. m.—The choir of the Methodist church will meet for rehearsal.

8:00 p. m.—Mrs. C. A. White will present her piano pupils in recital at the Third Street School.

**THURSDAY**  
7:30 p. m.—Knights of Pythias meet.

7:30 p. m.—The choir of the Immanuel Baptist church will meet.

7:30 p. m.—The choir of the Presbyterian church will meet in the church.

8:00 p. m.—Mrs. W. H. Tolson will present her older piano pupils in recital at Sheppard Memorial library.

**FRIDAY**  
6:30 p. m.—The Kiwanis Club meets.

6:45 p. m.—Rehearsal for the Carville-Harvey wedding at the Presbyterian church.

8:00 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds May will entertain the Carville-Harvey wedding party and out-of-town guests at a buffet supper at the home of Mrs. E. B. Ferguson.

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**SATURDAY**  
1:00 p. m.—Mrs. P. T. Anthony will entertain the Carville-Harvey wedding party and out-of-town guests at luncheon.

5:30 p. m.—The wedding of Miss Frances Harvey to Mr. William Edward Carville will be solemnized in the First Presbyterian church.

7:00 p. m.—The Senior choir of the Christian church will meet.

**World's Best**  
Buy the new 1940 Florence-Mayo—the World's Best Tobacco Cigarette. Over 5,000 in use. Maury, N. C. (adv.)

**Christian Science Church**  
"Soul and Body" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science Churches and Societies Sunday, May 26.

The Golden Text was from Psalms 84:2. "My soul longeth, yea, even fainteth for the courts of the Lord; my heart and my flesh crieth out for the living God."

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon were the following from the Bible: "O wretched man that I am! who shall deliver me from the body of this death? I thank God through Jesus Christ our Lord. So then with the mind I myself serve the law of God; but with the flesh the law of sin." (Rom. 7:24, 25).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy: "If the material body is man, he is a portion of matter, or dust. On the contrary, man is the image and likeness of spirit; and the belief that there is soul in sense or life in matter obtains in mortals, alias mortal mind, to which the apostle refers when he says that we must 'put off the old man' . . . The material body and mind are temporal, but the real man is spiritual and eternal. The identity of the real man is not lost, but found through this explanation; for the conscious infinitude of existence and of all identity is there-by discerned and remains unchanged." (Pages 172 and 302.)

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# Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR  
May 28, 1940

**North Carolina's "Summer Capital"**  
The gayest place in North Carolina for the next four months, and the most comfortable and enjoyable, will be Morehead City—and when we say Morehead City we mean, of course, the Atlantic Hotel there, which is the biggest part of the "city" and the mecca of pleasure-seekers and tired and worn-out business men and their families on the hunt for a suitable place to recuperate. For several years the "Atlantic" has been one of the most popular seaside resorts in the South, but this season it will eclipse all former records and vie and compete in the splendor of its entertainment with any similar resort north or south.

Mrs. J. L. Little left this morning for Nashville, Tenn., to spend some time with relatives.

Miss Pattie Skinner returned on Monday evening from Tarboro where she had been spending a few days.

Miss Bessie Jarvis left this morning for Henderson, to attend the convention of The King's Daughters this week.

ington, spent Sunday with Miss Junanita Hoelle.

Miss Martha Moore of Norfolk, Va. spent Sunday with Mrs. C. F. Gallo-way.

Mrs. G. H. Hale of Washington, N. C., was the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. J. Ellis Saturday.

P. W. Majet was in Greenville Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Caten of Greenville are spending several days with Mrs. Emily Caten.

Mrs. Cecil Tucker and son, Billy, were in Kinston Saturday on business.

Mrs. V. A. Jackson was in New Bern Sunday.

## FALKLAND NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Carey Mayo of Greenville were visitors here Sunday.

Mrs. Will Moore, Jr., and Mrs. W. H. Moore visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moore Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Morrill and little Miss Olive Venita Morrill were here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Powers of Fayetteville, N. C., visited Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Mayo Sunday.

Dr. S. M. Crisp and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Laurence.

Rev. D. A. Clarke of the Methodist Church in Farmville, will be with us Sunday night, June 2nd at 8:00 o'clock. Come out and bring others.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown and daughters, Ruth and Eleanor, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Brown Sunday.

Miss Doris Williams of Rocky Mount visited Mrs. C. H. Mayo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Parker spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Ellis in Winterville.

Preston Pierce was here Thursday.

We are very sorry to learn that P. G. Mayo is sick. We hope for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Jennie Morrill, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. David Morrill, Jr., are leaving tomorrow for New York's World Fair.

## Cox Mill News

**Mrs. Venters Honored**  
Honoring Mrs. William Earl Venters, who before her recent marriage was Miss Ina Daphne Tatum of Elizabethtown, Mrs. Newman Lewis and Miss Mildred Becton entertained at a surprise miscellaneous shower at the Chicod teachers' May 17. About 20 guests were present. Bingo was played and prizes given. Mrs. Venters was called to open her gifts. Ice cream and cake were served by the hostesses. Goodbyes were said by Mrs. Newman Lewis.

Mrs. Uran Cox entertained at her home the Michigan Club May 18th. The guests were met at the door by Mrs. Cox. They took their places at the table. Mrs. Newman Lewis won top score. An ice course was served by the hostess. Goodbyes were said by Mr. and Mrs. Cox.

The Monthly Meeting of Chicod Home Demonstration Club met on May 23 at the Home Economic building. The president, Mrs. Newman Lewis, opened the meeting and roll was called by the secretary (Mrs. Bruce Tyson). An interesting report was given by Mrs. Ed Venters on poultry. Mrs. Bruce Tyson also gave a very good report on fashion. Miss Ethel Nice then gave a talk on arranging furniture in the living room, which was enjoyed very much. The hostesses, Mrs. Lena Smith, Mrs. Marvin Smith and Mrs. Harvey Smith, served frozen salad, nuts, cup cakes and tea. The meeting then was adjourned until the next meeting which will be in June. We will have an all day affair, taking our lunch with us. Our object will be refurnishing furniture. We invite you to visit our club.

A rally was held at Cecil Williams' Service Station Monday evening, May 20th. Several candidates made speeches. Barbecue was served to about 450 guests.

Mrs. T. S. Tyson, Miss Annie Carroll, J. J. Carroll and Noah Warren Carroll attended the funeral of Mr. Lewis Carroll in Norfolk, Va., May 24th.

Miss Myrtle Mae Tyndall is ill at her home.

Little Bobby Carroll, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carroll is ill at his home.

Friends of Mrs. Cora Stokes will be sorry to learn that she is ill at

# MODES of the MOMENT



A must for travelers is a casual suit—tailored, comfortable, not too conspicuous for daily wear. Either of the two shown here would qualify. Elizabeth Earl, a newcomer to the movies, models the soft gray wool skirt with matching cable-knit sweater. Rosemary Lane, also movies, wears a suit of this summer's popular pastel plaid wool.

## No Hero's War Medals For Them



This mother and her three children, according to the British caption, are shown wandering through the smoldering ruins of a Belgian town after a German air raid. They are typical of thousands left destitute by the Nazi invasion.

## GREENVILLE HI NEWS

By C. B. ROWLETTE

**Math Club Yearbook**  
At the last meeting for this year, members of the G. H. S. math club, Gamma Fau, worked on its yearbook. The meeting was held in the high school last evening. The club charter, club colors, reports on great mathematicians and a personal page for each charter member will be included in the contest on the book. These personal pages on the members will include the number of courses taken in math by the member, where he will go to college and his general history. Work on the

home.  
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Miss Helen Smith of Fountain visited her uncle, Will Smith Sunday.  
Billy Cox is spending the week with Clayton Williams, Route 3, Greenville.

Sunday School and Church was held at Hollywood Sunday at 2:30 o'clock. We have Sunday School every Sunday. Take your family and join us.

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meeting of the organization for this year. This year's council has done many fine things for the betterment of the school and students and the students and faculty are very proud of it. Miss Helen Dugan, faculty advisor for the organization has done much in helping out for the past school year, and should receive much credit when the credit is handed out.

**Open Forum**  
Students were dismissed at 2:30 this afternoon in order to get the school ready for the open forum held at 3:00 in the high school auditorium. The subject of the forum will be "School and Home Policies for Next Year." V. M. Mulholland principal, will conduct the meeting.

**Green Lights**  
The final issue of Green Lights, high school paper will be distributed to the students on Thursday. Due to unforeseen circumstances the paper was not published last Friday as before announced.

**Baccalaureate Sermon.**  
The 1940 Baccalaureate Sermon will be delivered Sunday evening by Dr. R. S. Boyd, pastor of the Presbyterian church, in the G. H. S. auditorium. All citizens are invited to attend.

**Junior HI Commencement.**  
Friday morning at 9:15, 122 ninth graders will graduate into senior hi school. Dr. B. C. Deal of E. C. T. C. will speak at the program.

**Report Cards.**  
Report cards for the last three months work will be sent out Thursday.

## B-L Associations Set New Record

Monthly home loans of the building and loan and federal savings and loan associations of North Carolina made a new all-time high during April. It was stated by Wheeler Martin of Williamston, president of the North Carolina Building and Loan League, when the record-breaking total of \$2,974,327 of loans were made by these institutions. He explained that this represented more than 1,700 home loans of which 594 were for construction of new homes, thus aiding the construction industry, labor, the local business firms, and all the others who supply directly or indirectly the materials going into the construction of a home. This loan figure topped the March volume by more than \$437,000 which up to this time was considered the best month that these home financing institutions have ever experienced from the standpoint of loans. Martin attributed much of the credit for this tremendous loan volume to the Newspaper Advertising Campaign which was conducted by the associations during the latter part of March and April to explain to the public the advantages of getting home loans from their local building and loan and federal savings and loan associations.

In a breakdown of the loan figures he revealed that construction loans amounted to \$1,301,373, while 358 new homes were purchased amounting to \$660,330. In addition, 212 loans, to the amount of \$373,304 were refinanced on the long term building and loan plan. The remainder of 560 loans, totaling \$639,020, were for the repair, modernization, and other miscellaneous purposes.

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I sincerely appreciate the great honor that has been bestowed upon me.

**J. CON LANIER**

**How's That?**  
Columbia, S. C.—(AP)—The prisoner, charged with looting and loitering, told Recorder Heyward Brockinton that he had just com-

pleted a sentence on the county chain gang. The judge asked why the defendant was sentenced. The man replied, "Provocable carelessness."

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# FEWER DEATHS ON HIGHWAYS

## Pedestrian Fatalities Especially Show Decline

Reflector Bureau.  
By HENRY AVEBELL.  
Raleigh, May 28.—Elaborate North Carolina automobile drivers are losing their accuracy in running down pedestrians or those who walk in the streets and roads are beginning to show greater ability at ducking and dodging.

For the first four months of 1940 records of the State Highway Safety Division show that there were only 90 pedestrian fatalities, as compared with 95 through April 30, 1939—a fine reduction of approximately 20 per cent.

This far surpassed improvement in all other types of fatalities, though only train-car collisions showed an increase over the first four months of 1939. The figures: Pedestrians 90 against 95 last year; other vehicles 126 against 132 in 1939; bicyclists seven compared with 9.

Trains 18 compared with 17. Grand total 231 for the first four months of 1940 against 257 for the corresponding months of last year; giving an overall reduction in motor vehicle fatalities of 10 per cent this year—a rate which if maintained would cut the year's death toll by almost a hundred. (There were 957 fatalities in all during 1939).

Percentage of pedestrian deaths to all motor vehicle fatalities fell from 39 per cent to 35 per cent in the state as a whole, but in many counties the pedestrian deaths ran much heavier in proportion.

In 15 counties, for example the only deaths were of pedestrians. Beaufort and Lincoln had three each; Brunswick and Surry two apiece; and the following had single pedestrian deaths as their only motor vehicle fatalities: Ashe, Avery, Cleveland, Greenville, Hertford, Macon, Madison, Orange, Pamlico, Stanly and Swain.

By counties the pedestrian deaths and total deaths from all motor vehicle accidents during the first four months of 1940 were (first figure pedestrian, second figure all deaths):

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# Hollywood

Sights And Sounds  
By Robin Coons

Hollywood.—Today's smart boy: Joe Penner, asking for no higher than third billing on "The Boys From Syracuse," in which he ranks under Allan Jones (top) and Marjorie Reynolds. . . . Joe, minus beard, ducks and black sheep, looks very, very cute in a toga, but not so cute as Allan Jones. . . . Penner figures he's not the one to "carry" the picture or even lead with his chin on his first venture out of the B's. . . . Rodgers and Hart have written a new song, hit-bound, for the picture. Listen for "Who Are You?"

As a correspondent in comparatively peaceful Hollywood, I've always wondered how it would feel to be in the middle of a revolution. Carmen Morales, who was, tells me it feels like nothing at all.

Miss Morales ("The Primrose Path," "The Long Voyage Home") is a Spanish girl, born in the Canary Islands, long-time resident of Mexico, educated in the U. S. mid-west.

She was dancing around Europe and happened to be in Barcelona shopping, one day when a great riot broke out. It was like siesta hour, the merchants having drawn down their iron blinds and retreated inside their shops. One of them hailed her, invited her in, warning, "There's going to be a demonstration!"

Protesting, she followed him. Then there was pandemonium outside, shouts and shots and missiles crashing. In half an hour all was still. The shops opened, the people came out—and saw the wreckage of a street brawl. Miss Morales continued her shopping, unconcerned. . . . A short time later, Barcelona and all Spain were embroiled in civil war.

Martin Krosleck ("Foreign Correspondent") is a young German who left Hitler-land a couple of years before Adolf took over. He is slight, ascetic, nervous-looking—an artist. He was painting pictures before he was discovered, on an eastern stage, for "Confessions of a Nazi Spy," in which (because he had relatives in Germany and also because he thought not too much of his role) he used an assumed name. He played a Goebbels-like propaganda official, so sinisterly offensive as to inspire an audience desire to punch his face in. He never had seen Goebbels, enjoyed creating the character from imagination. His roles since (in "Espionage Agent" and the present) have been cut from the same cloth. In Germany he used to play juvenile roles (with Albert Basserman among others), and he would like to bring to pictures a characterization of the dancer Nijinsky—an ambition held, I hear, by John Garfield also.

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Ap Feature Service Writer

Washington.—It was a gala day to the driver's seat among all the bicycle chains, levers, and sticks. "Let 'er go," he said.

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The world's first military airplane headed for the sky. There was nary a weapon aboard, nor yet a place to mount one. Foreign observers

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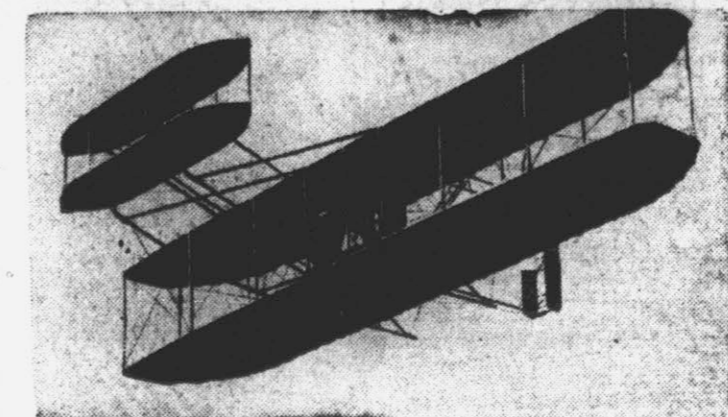
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# TOUR IS MADE OF SPUD CROPS

Growers and Shippers From Other States In N. C.

Elizabeth City, May 28.—Potato growers, shippers and seedsmen of North Carolina and several other States were inspecting Irish potato fields of Currituck, Camden and Pasquotank counties today on the first day of a demonstration tour sponsored by the State College Extension Service, in cooperation with the N. C. Agricultural Experiment Station, and the State Department of Agriculture. L. P. Watson, Extension horticulturist, is in charge of the tour.

The group will spend Tuesday night here, and tomorrow will visit the Pantego section of Beaufort county. On Thursday, the tourists will be in the Aurora section of Beaufort in the morning, and the Bayboro section of Pamlico in the afternoon. The final day of the tour, Friday, will take the group through Wayne and Duplin counties.

Farms visited Tuesday include those of C. L. Baum of Poplar Branch, Manley West of Currituck, T. C. Sawyer of Belcross, H. C. Ferebee of Camden, Robert Benton of Elizabeth City, Route 1, and H. F. Sample of Elizabeth City, Rt. 3.

On Wednesday the group will inspect demonstrations on the farms of F. P. Latham, H. V. Latham, A. D. Swindell, R. Y. Wilkinson, J. M. Benson, S. W. Wilkinson, H. Van Dorp and C. F. Cowell. On the F. P. Latham place hereford cattle, hogs and corn will be seen in addition to potatoes, and on the Van Dorp place the stop will be made to inspect tulip bulbs.

Assisting Watson in conducting the tour are: A. E. Mercker, chief of the potato section of the A.A.A., Washington, D. C.; Buxton White of the State Department of Agriculture; and county farm agents of the Extension Service.

California Relaxes  
San Francisco.—(AP)—California has removed the requirement for visiting motorists to obtain non-resident permits and has abolished the state-line "checking stations" which were long a source of annoyance to tourists. Incoming drivers must still stop for plant quarantine inspection, however, a precaution against introduction of farm insect pests.

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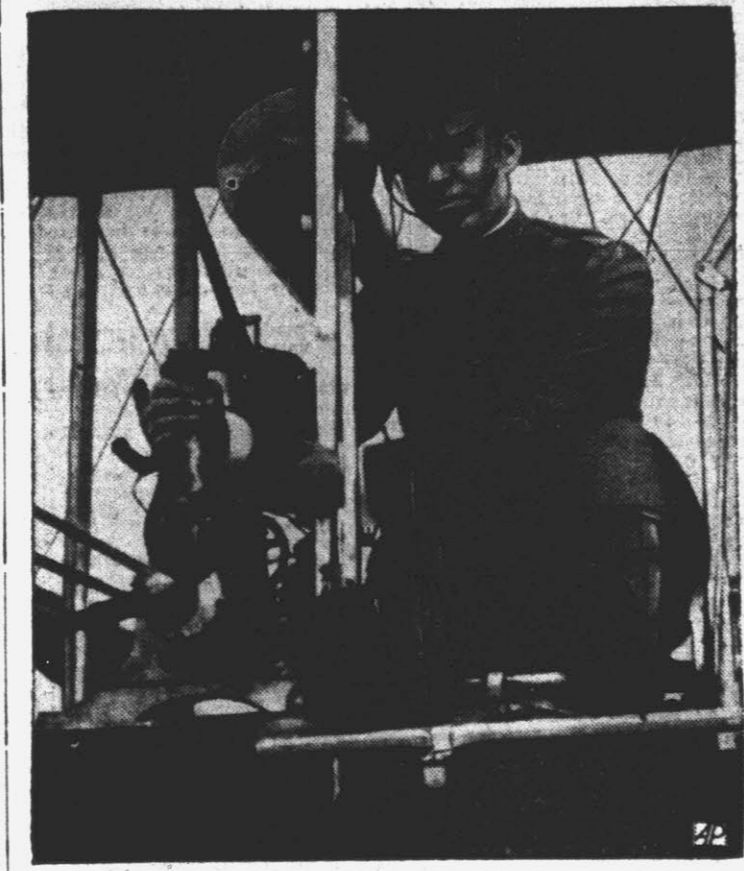
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First airbomb was tried out in San Francisco in January, 1911. The bomb, fastened to a stick and held together by tire tape, is held here by Lieut. M. S. Crissy, who's seated in a Wright plane.

# Your Screen Test

1. Identify the film producing companies that are represented by these trade-marks: (a) a lion; (b) a shield; (c) a mountain peak above the clouds; (d) the earth revolving on its axis.

2. (a) If we told you that Jane Folk (shown in the picture) and Albert Heimberger were soon to be seen in "Angel From Texas," about whom would we be talking? (b) In "Angel From Texas," the actress is married to Ronald Reagan; to whom is she married in real life?

3. Texas has contributed several well-known actresses to the screen. Name four.

4. (a) In what picture does a biologist kill a rival scientist after performing an unusual experiment? (b) What finally happens to the biologist? (c) Who plays the biologist and who plays the rival scientist?

5. One of the outstanding directors in movie annals is D. W. Griffith. Name three pictures he has directed.

Count 20 points for each question correctly answered. A score of 60 is good, 80 is excellent, and 90 or above is colossal.

of his popularity. Hughes Panassie, the French authority, insists he is the most important thing that ever happened to Swing.

All I know is that he is a big (240 lbs.), easy-going, mild-mannered product of the gulf states who found his medium, created a style, and has become rich. He has arrived at that point where most people think of relaxing and looking for a little fun.

"Me," says Lunceford, "me, I'm just getting started. I'm just beginning to find out what music is."

On recent evenings I have been a little amazed at the rashness of certain well known, and highly paid commentators, who dramatize events without first bothering to ascertain whether they are fiction or fact. Where there is doubt, that doubt should be stressed. These commentators have not always em-

phasized this doubt. I think this is a mistake. We are living in an age when institutions are crumbling and when national boundaries are fading out like whitewash in the rain. With their access to untold millions, radio commentators can render a service of inestimable value by merely exercising a little caution, and temperance.

I mention this because radio, at this point, is going through its first big war. It is still an infant industry. Never before have its reporters and its commentators been put to such a task as it now faces. The experiences it gains from these undertakings now will go a long way in developing its technique and in maturing its judgment, at this writing, is not yet as mature as is desirable. I say this with regard to the commentators themselves, who under pressure of world-shaking events, are prone to seize microphones and offer pure rumor as fact.

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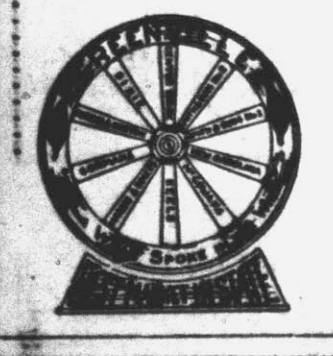
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Strength For The Day

A LITTLE KNOWN BOOK The Book of Revelation is a closed book to the average Christian. This is largely because people fail to read it in the light of the historical situation amid which it arose.

It was written by the apostle John about the year 90 A. D. and was addressed to churches in Asia Minor which were suffering extreme persecution.

Too often the book has been used as an almanac in an attempt to forecast the future. It undoubtedly has much to say about the future, but its chief aim is not to disclose what is going to be, but to encourage and sustain believers amid the challenge of present trials.

Washington Daybook

VOTERS RESPONSIBLE FOR WASTE

It's a rare person who doesn't consider the price when he makes a purchase. Whether it be a home, an automobile, a suit of clothes or a can of beans, he weighs the related factors of cost and quality before deciding whether he is getting his money's worth.

But take a thousand or a million or a hundred million such otherwise sensible people, in their collective role as citizens and taxpayers, and they exhibit an entirely different point of view when spending their money for governmental purposes.

If We Lend Again - -



comes to spending our tax money.

It's easy enough to blame the politicians for this, and certainly they have been a factor in favor of reckless prodigality. But the fact remains that we elect the politicians, and they can't keep their jobs without our approval.

The responsibility comes straight home to the voters. In the long run, they make all public policies. And they have made the present policy of fiscal insanity that has brought with it the most serious debt and tax problem in our history.

SHORT SHOTS

Reflector Bureau By HENRY AVERILL Raleigh, May 28.—Final results may change a few of the county leads, but on a basis of returns available as this is written, J. M. Broughton led in 44 counties in Saturday's first primary; W. P. Horton was top man in 25; A. J. Maxwell was first in 16; Lee Gravely was high in 11; Tom Cooper captured three; and Paul Grady was plurality choice of the voters in his home county.

Another took some time to expound on "the benefits" of what he described as "nice, orderly lynching."

Another recounted the scandalous amours of a certain senator. Out of simple curiosity, I asked: "Suppose it developed that I were a good friend or relative of the senator?"

The Jehu just grinned. "If you were, you'd know just how darned right I am."

All of this conversation pours forth in a spirit of pure friendliness. The Washington taxman may have his indignations, his pet philosophies and his civic pride, but none is pronounced with any bitterness. You are just a pal who happens to be going his way.

Short Change in Weather. Sugar City, Colo. (AP)—"Crowley County Gets \$999,998 Rain — It Was a Couple of Burks Short in the West End," said a headline in the Sugar City Gazette.

Vernon Sechrist, gravely publicity chief, was around Monday night in the least downhearted, from all outward appearances. Asked how long he'd be around

Daily Cross Word Puzzle

ACROSS Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle 1. Pieces of millinery 2. Bugle call 3. That from which maple syrup is made 12. Arid 13. Fish sauce 14. Recline 15. Echoing 16. Relieve 17. Flowering 18. water plant 19. Declares 20. Saucy 21. Grown boy 22. Peel 23. Withered 24. Insects 25. Grassland 26. Metalliferous rocks 27. In this place 28. Requests 29. Take solid food 30. Siamese coifs 31. Priest or monk 32. Division of a quart 33. long poem 34. Support 35. Made a preliminary survey 52. Metric land measure 53. One eighth of a quart 54. City in Nevada 55. Genus of the cow 56. American cent plant 57. Lateral

Grid for the Daily Cross Word Puzzle with numbers 1-57 indicating starting positions for words.

HIGH TIDE

By Frances Hanna

YESTERDAY: Rose Cornwall, a sophisticated divorcee, rents the extra room. She tells Jan she wants to see her money to join the Surf Club where she hopes to find a rich husband.

Chapter 14 The Roomer

AFTER dinner Norma and Lance and Frank, Derek and Jan, formed a warm, contented circle around the big stone fireplace in the living room, watching red-yellow flames lick over the driftwood. Outside it was dark and cold. The shades were down but through an open window came the salt and fish smell of the sea, the incessant boom of the surf.

Jan, sitting cross-legged on the floor, squirmed self-consciously in the flowered silk dress she'd worn home from school two years before. It was a becoming dress with ruffles about the neck and short sleeves, but she had accused herself so long to slacks and sweaters and shorts that she felt like a plover horse on Sunday parade. Her taffy curls, used to riotous unrestraint, balked at the confining white satin ribbon, and her usually clean, scrubbed face felt heavy with powder and lipstick.

She looked at Derek, sprawled full length beside her, his hard jaw propped on his hands, his deep eyes brooding into the fire. His long, well-muscled legs protruded from beneath the robe of toweling Jan had provided until his clothes, which he had grudgingly but thoroughly scrubbed, were dry. She watched the flickering flame play over his lean, burned face and copper hair. How close his ears bugled his shaggy head—only she dared to reach over and run her fingers through that red thatch of hair.

"I hurt all over," he said ruefully, "but at least I've stopped smelling like a mackerel."

"How you gettin' along with Cap?" Frank asked.

"He seems to think little of my ability," Derek's tone was dry and non-committal. "Have you all met the new roomer?"

Lance stirred drowsily in his wheel chair. "No. From Jan's description I gather we've captured a bird of paradise."

They all heard the door upstairs open and shut. "Here she comes," Norma whispered excitedly. "I'm dying to see her! Do turn on a light, Jan."

"I will," Frank pulled the tasseled cord of a floor lamp.

"Oh, don't stare," Jan begged. "She's very pleasant and friendly."

No one heeded her, however, and when Rose, wearing a white flannel suit topped by a white lamb coat, a sweeping white hat pulled over her eyebrows, rounded the newel post she saw judgment awaiting her. Drawing on white gloves, holding a cigarette between her heavily rouged lips, she looked at them with evident amusement.

"Hello, everybody," she smiled, coming into the room, taking the cigarette in her fingers. "What is this, a shadow box lineup?"

"I should stand up, but I'm much too comfortable here," Derek greeted her lazily over his shoulder.

She laughed, a rich, generous, throaty laugh. "What is this? A fisherman with mappets and a continental accent! You intrigue me, young man."

"I won't for long," he mocked. "I don't own a suit of clothes and I haven't a dollar."

"Aid! I'm no fairy god-mother," she said.

Their eyes met, challengingly. His said: "I suspect your game, beautiful!" Hers said: "Just what are you doing here?"

Unhappy Norma JAN saw this interchange and misinterpreted it. Rising to her feet, she introduced Rose to the other four by "the fire. Rose, exuding an aura of expensive, tantalizing perfume, stepped close and offered her hand to Lance. He looked up at her with hungry eyes.

"I'm glad you're staying here," he said. "I hope you'll come in and talk to me sometimes. It gets terribly dull."

"I will," she promised. Her glance rested a moment on Norma, flicked over Frank, passed on indifferently. "May I have a key?" she asked Jan. "I'm dining at the Club and I sincerely hope I don't come home until the wee sma' hours."

"You won't," Derek murmured, turning his face back to the fire. When Jan handed her a key she suggested, "if you are afraid to walk over alone from the garage late at night, I'm sure Johnny will be glad to drive

a week or so sooner" and "if Lee could ever have dispelled the can't win propaganda," their business man would have been elevated to the Governor's chair.

As for the others, about the only "mighty have been" is that they hadn't paid their \$100 entry fees. Apparently they got nothing but exercise and sad experience.

None polled enough votes to do him any good in future races, and Paul Grady completely blew up the idea that he is a vote getter.

The first after-election statement issued by Lee Gravely gave absolutely no indication of what stand, if any, he'll take during the second primary.

It was a straight word of thanks and appreciation to his workers and supporters:

List of prospective Speakership candidates was reduced by one as a result of Saturday's voting when Joe Carruthers of Greensboro failed of renomination to the House.

This confirms reports reported in this correspondence more than one, that powerful factions had the knife open for Carruthers.

Rupert T. Pickens will be the only repeater from Guilford, the High Point man leading the county's House ticket despite the fact that he had incurred the ire of his city's generally accepted "boss", Wade Renfrow.

The next House will miss the noise that U. S. (Bombshell) Page used to make, but it is doubtful that his absence will affect the fate of any important piece of legislation. He was finally beaten in his native Balden.

OLD POSTMASTER BEGAN AS EXPRESS RIDER AT 12 Benson (Ariz. AP) — Leonard D. Redfield recently started on his 45th year as postmaster here.

Redfield actually began his postal career as a pony express rider at the age of 12. He was originally appointed postmaster by President Grover Cleveland on March 17 1896.

When Redfield was 12, his father resigned as postmaster at Redington in Pima county (Ariz.) to handle, at the request of the government, pony express mail from Tres Almos to Riverside, now both extinct. The distance was 218 miles and trips were made twice weekly.

The elder Redfield found that grown men riding his speedy but slightly-built steeds were killing them off and putting a nick in profits which he anticipated from the government's contract. So he drafted his son for the job. Redfield admits he was "scared aplenty" in crossing the rough, unbroken country in the old days.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS Gladys E. Burney and Ruth E. Peed having this day qualified as Administratrices of the estate of Ruth Ange Easterlin, late of the County of Pitt and State of North Carolina, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate settlement with the undersigned. Administratrixes within 12 months from the date hereof, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery on said claims.

This the 28th day of April, 1940. GLADYS E. BURNEY, RUTH E. PEED, Administratrices. Harding & Lee, Attorneys. 4-27-40—1twk-6wks.

NOTICE OF SALE This is to notify all creditors of the business formerly owned and operated by the late W. E. McCowan, located at 111 Fifth Street, Greenville, N. C., that the same has been sold to Betty Mae McCowan on April 30, 1940. The Estate of the late W. E. McCowan will not be responsible for any debts made on or after April 30, 1940, and that all debts made since the death of the late W. E. McCowan are assumed by Betty Mae McCowan. This the 1st day of May, 1940.

Guaranty Bank & Trust Co., Executors of the Estate of W. E. McCowan, deceased. 5-1-40—1twk-6wks.

NOTICE Be it known to the residents of Pitt county that I will apply for license to operate a pool table for the 1940-41 tax year on June 1st, 1940, at Watson's Place, in Bruce, at the intersection of U. S. Highways No. 121 and No. 43. If complaints are forthcoming from the neighbors of said establishments let it be known at the meeting of the Commissioners of Pitt county at their meeting on the first Monday in June, 1940. If no complaints are heard, this notice will be cited as conclusive proof that no complaints were made after due publication having been made.

Signed, J. E. WATSON, Owner of Watson's Place. May 13, 1940 M14th 21st 28th

To The Voters of Pitt County I wish to extend my sincere thanks for your support in Saturday's Primary. A. B. COREY

TO THE VOTERS OF PITT COUNTY I wish to express my sincere appreciation for the support you so graciously gave me in Saturday's Primary. J. NOAH WILLIAMS

# Four Unearned Runs Give Wilson 7-3 Win Over Locals

## SKIPPER GETS CIRCUIT BLOW

### Homers In Third with Two On To Knot The Count

Last night's game between Greenville and Wilson at Guy Smith park should have gone into extra innings before the final outcome was decided, but errors provided the visitors with four unearned runs and the Tobs won 7-3.

Wilson scored first, Phil Morris homered with two on in the first inning. The lead was short lived as Skipper Wilson also got a three-run homer in the third frame.

Neither team was able to score in the fourth and fifth, but Wilson added one in the sixth, another in the seventh and two in the eighth.

The Wilson team, however, apparently was scheduled to win. Both the infielders and outfielders nabbed balls that looked like hits and their fielding otherwise was all but perfect.

Crowe, Greenville right fielder, however, made the prettiest catch of the game when he raced back against the fence and snagged one with a single hand. He struck the fence, but hung on to the ball.

The box:

Wilson	Ab.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Dickens, 2b	4	3	1	2	2	0
Stuart, ss	5	1	2	0	4	0
Morris, 1b	5	3	3	1	0	0
Olmo, rf	5	0	1	4	1	0
Carnahan, lf	5	0	2	4	0	0
Rodgers, cf	4	0	0	5	0	0
Murphy, c	3	0	0	2	1	0
Marians, 3b	4	0	1	0	3	0
Threlfall, p	4	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	39	7	10	27	12	0

Greenville	Ab.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Fishes, cf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Kracker, 2b	4	0	1	3	6	2
Wilson, 1b	5	1	1	12	0	0
Jenkins, 3b	3	0	0	1	2	1
Crowe, rf	3	0	1	4	0	0
Samocki, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Shelton, ss	4	0	0	1	2	1
Thornton, c	4	0	1	3	0	1
Sirocki, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wilson, p	3	1	1	0	4	0
Calliguri, p	1	0	1	1	0	0
Totals	32	3	7	27	14	6

Score by innings: R Wilson 300 001 102-7 Greenville 003 000 000-3  
Runs batted in: Morris 3, Wilson 3, Carnahan 2, two base hits: Wilson 3, Home runs: Morris, Wilson. Stolen bases: Crowe. Double plays: Shelton, Kracker and Wilson; Mariana, Dickens and Morris; Olmo and Morris; Jenkins, Kracker and Wilson. Left on bases: Wilson 8, and Greenville 7. Base on balls: Off Sirocki 1, Threlfall 2, Wilson 2, Calliguri 1. Hits, off: Sirocki 3 in 6 innings (none out in first) Off Wilson 4 in 7 innings (none out in 8th) Off: Calliguri 3 in 2 innings. Wild pitches: Calliguri 2. Losing pitcher: Wilson. Umpires: Moose and Rosend. Time: 2:19. Attendance 327; receipts \$117.95.

## Carl Pierce Awarded Duke Baseball Letter

Durham, May 28.—Letters of numerals have been awarded to 102 members on spring sports teams at Duke university.  
Recommendations of student managers for four teams for 1941 were also made and approved. Ernest Delaney, Jr., will be manager of varsity baseball and Aaron Bynum, Jr., manager of freshman baseball. William Keller will be manager of lacrosse and Clifford Fleming of tennis.  
The 102 awards were distributed as follows: 24 for baseball, 16 for lacrosse, marking the first awards for this sport which was officially recognized this spring, 15 for track and 13 for tennis and six for golf. There were 20 freshman baseball awards and 13 for freshman track. The award list included Carl Pierce of Greenville.

Vancouver, Wash. (AP)—A justice court jury of six women was chosen to hear a dog theft case. After three hours of deliberation, the six women filed out to report: "We are unable to reach a unanimous decision."

## TO THE VOTERS OF PITT COUNTY

I am grateful for the vote you gave me in Saturday's Primary as candidate for one of the seats in the House of Representatives and I take this method of thanking each and everyone of you.

In view of the close race between the second-high candidate and me I feel justified in entering the run-off race. While I would not cause the county to go to the expense of a second primary for this race alone, it is my understanding that there will be a second primary and if one is called I will again ask your vote and support of my candidacy.

**JOHN A. STATON**  
Candidate for House of Representatives

## Harri's Success Is No Surprise To Me

### Says Harris

By STEVE O'LEARY  
AP Feature Service

Boston.—Cocksure and capable Mickey Harris—who didn't cost a thin dime—is a real penny from Heaven for Tom Yawkey after the bundles of cash that young man has spent for pitching talent which couldn't deliver.

Left-handed Mickey made his major league debut with Yawkey's Boston Red Sox this year and he might as well be back in Scranton as far as his surroundings affect him. Jittery? Not Maurice C. Harris, of Queens.

"Naw," he says scornfully. "Why should I be jittery? All you can do is throw them in there the best you know—just like in Scranton. I beat them or they beat me. More likely I beat them!"

Mickey started off for the Sox by winning two, losing one. He has a ready answer for his showing.

"I've got plenty of stuff and I send it in there all the time." It's the sincere statement of a rookie with sublime belief in his own destiny, and not the popping off of a braggart.

"And don't forget," he adds. "I've got a real ball club out there behind me."

Mickey attracted some attention a few years ago when he tried to talk Bill Terry into giving him a chance with the Giants.

Terry, it seems, was in a churlish mood and bade the youthful pitching aspirant to be off.

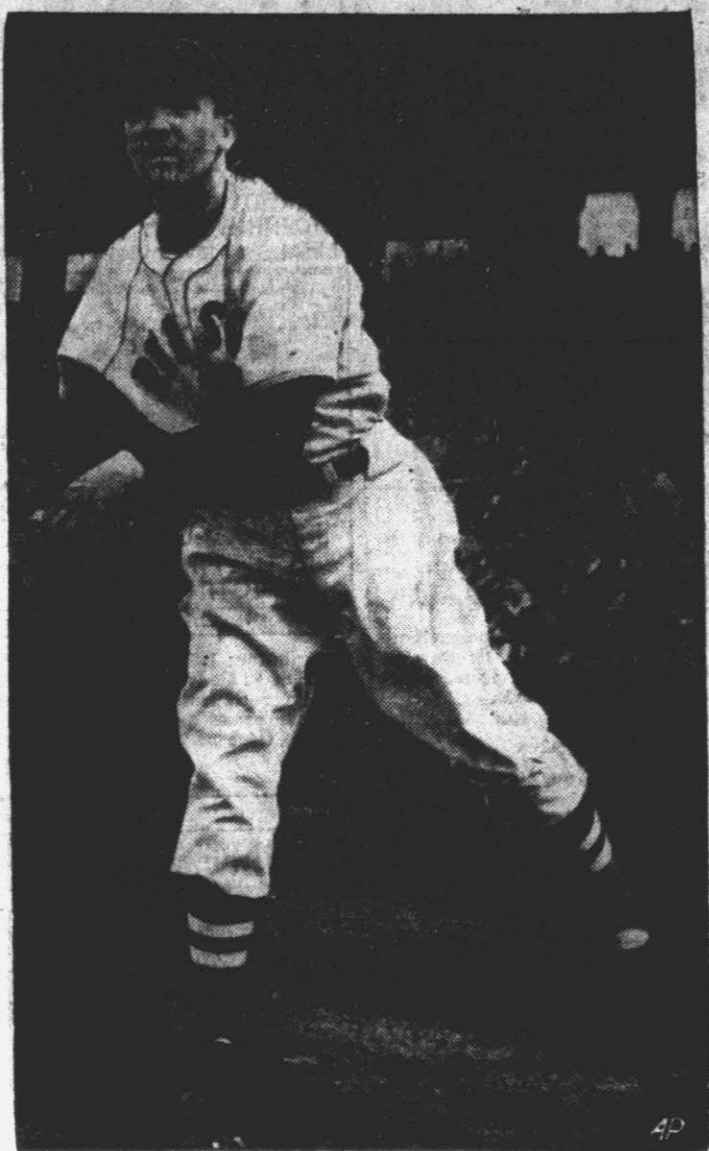
Mickey hid himself away but not until he had singed Terry's ears with a scathing blast.

Terry's loss was Yawkey's gain. Jack Egan, old American League umpire, saw Mickey work and tipped off Billy Evans, Red Sox scout.

Mickey was sent to Clarksdale for a year, then moved up to Scranton, where he won 17 and lost 4.

He went south with the Red Sox this spring an dwon his spurs, announcing that the club needed two left handers—"me and Grove."

His most ardent rooter? Tom Yawkey. And why not?



MICKEY HARRIS: I've Got Plenty Of Stuff.

## Standings

### COASTAL PLAIN LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Tarboro	22	10	.688
Wilson	21	10	.677
Kinston	17	15	.531
Snow Hill	15	15	.500
Goldboro	15	16	.484
New Bern	14	18	.438
Greenville	14	20	.355
Williamston	10	21	.323

### PIEDMONT LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Richmond	23	13	.639
Asheville	21	15	.583
Portsmouth	18	16	.525
Durham	17	16	.515
Rocky Mount	19	19	.500
Charlotte	17	18	.486
Norfolk	13	20	.394
Winston-Salem	13	24	.351

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	20	8	.714
Cincinnati	22	9	.710
New York	17	12	.588
Chicago	11	15	.423
Philadelphia	11	15	.423
St. Louis	11	20	.355
Boston	9	17	.346
Pittsburgh	8	20	.286

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	19	9	.679
Cleveland	20	12	.625
Detroit	17	14	.548
Chicago	15	17	.469
Washington	15	18	.455
New York	13	17	.433
St. Louis	12	18	.400
Philadelphia	12	18	.400

**Horse Medicine.**  
Helena, Mont. (AP)—What is good for man may be good for the beast, reasoned veterinarians who heard about sulfanilamide and its amazing results in the fight on pneumonia. They tried it against distemper and infected wounds on dogs and in the treatment of pneumonia in horses and reported cures.

## Royal Crown, Car. Sales Win Softball Victories

### Dairy, Pepsi Cola Losers in Last Night's Games

French all hopes of action, the Royal Crown softball team defeated Carolina Dairy last night by a 4-2 score. The game was pitched by Staff Hill, who let the Dairy team have only three safeties. Howard Waldrop, with three hits for four batting chances and a bang-up fielding game, starred for the winners. Fulkerson added a homer to the score.  
Lee Gaskins let the drinkmen off with 10 hits, while his mates committed four errors. Hill held them in check and only one of their runs was earned.

**SALESMEN WIN**  
Things were easy for the Carolina Sales last night, because Bill Dudash was in fine shape and offered a six hit job against a scrappy Pepsi Cola team. The final score was 11-1.

Debnam and Bishop, with two for four and Utley with two for three, were the big guns in the Sales win. Dennis hit a long homer for the winners. Seven runs were accounted for in the fourth frame when the Salesmen went on a free-scoring spree.

No Pepsi Cola player hit safely more than a single time. Phillips starred afield, however. Stryon and Bowlin let up 10 hits, while do-

**ROYAL CROWNS DAIRY**  
Under a sky that threatened to

## BLONDIE — by Young



## THIMBLE THEATRE (Starring Popeye)



ing the pitching.

The boxes:

Team	Ab.	R.	H.
Carolina Dairy	3	0	0
Breece, 1b	3	0	0
Dempsey, 3b	3	0	0
Powell, ss	3	0	1
Brock, c	3	1	0
Taylor, cf	2	0	1
Simpson, cf	3	0	0
Moye, rf	3	0	0
Sermans, 2b	3	0	0
Patty, lf	2	0	1
Gaskins, p	2	1	0
Totals	27	2	3

Team	Ab.	R.	H.
Royal Crown	4	1	3
H. Waldrop, ss	4	1	3
Phillips, cf	2	0	0
Whitchard, cf	2	0	0
Armstrong, 3b	3	1	1
Mosier, 2b	3	0	1
Warren, rf-lb	3	0	1
Fetner, lf-rf	2	0	0
Tebeau, cf	1	0	0
Gaskins, cf	2	1	1
Hill, p	3	0	1
Fulkerson, lf	3	0	1
Parks, c	3	0	2
Totals	31	4	10

Score by innings: Carolina Dairy 000 101 0-2 Royal Crown 210 100 x-4  
Home run—Fulkerson.

**Second Game**

Team	Ab.	R.	H.
Carolina Sales	3	3	1
Clark, cf	3	3	1
Debnam, 2b	4	1	2
Gaston, ss	4	1	0
Dennis, 3b	3	2	1
Hart, 1b	4	0	0
Tebeau, cf	4	0	1
Utley, lf	3	1	2
Proctor, c	4	1	1
Dudash, p	4	0	0
Bishop, rf	4	2	2
Totals	37	11	10

Team	Ab.	R.	H.
Pepsi Cola	4	0	1
Hobgood, cf	4	0	1
Paul, 2b	3	0	1
Sineleton, 1b	3	1	1
Phillips, cf	3	0	1
Hamilton, c	3	0	0
Bowlin, rf-p	2	0	0
Ormond, lf	3	0	0
Williams, ss	3	0	0
Minges, 3b	3	0	0
Stryon, p-rf	1	0	0
Cozart, rf	1	0	1
Totals	29	1	6

Score by innings: Carolina Sales 102 700 1-11 Pepsi Cola 000 100 0-1  
Home run—Dennis.

## Big Feed

Hominy, Okla.—(AP)—Hearing that rural residents appreciate their food in large quantities, the town boosters of Hominy, on giving a "feed" for 500 farmers, ordered: 2,400 buns; 1,600 slices of meat; 800 slices of cheese; 800 doughnuts; 50 pounds of onions; 12 gallons of mustard; 20 pounds of coffee and two boxes of toothpicks.

## By Pacific Post.

Aberdeen, Wash. (AP)—Frank Burke picked up a barnacle-encrusted bottle along the beach near here. Inside it Burke found a well preserved card printed in English and Japanese which revealed the object was set adrift just east of the Japanese islands by the government hydrographic department on Nov. 2, 1910.

## Yesterday's Results

**COASTAL PLAIN LEAGUE**  
Snow Hill 8, Goldsboro 0.  
Kinston 4, New Bern 1.  
Wilson 7, Greenville 3.  
Tarboro 11, Williamston 1.

**PIEDMONT LEAGUE**  
Charlotte 6, Norfolk 5.  
Winston-Salem 11, Rocky Mount 7.  
Durham-Portsmouth, rain.  
Others not scheduled.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
New York 5, Washington 0.  
Chicago 7, St. Louis 5.  
Detroit 6, Cleveland 1.  
Boston-Philadelphia, rain.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
Brooklyn 6, Philadelphia 0.  
Boston 7, New York 1.  
Cincinnati 2-7, Pittsburgh 1-3.  
Chicago 7, St. Louis 1.

## Today's Games

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Snow Hill at Wilson.  
Greenville at Goldsboro.  
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New Bern at Williamston.

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

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Washington at New York.  
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Chicago at St. Louis.

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

**Pleasant — And Safe.**  
Raleigh, N. C. (AP)—Children at the North Carolina Institute for the Blind are taught to swim. Officials say they love it and that it is an excellent way for them to exercise, since they cannot stumble, and fall.

"Our average drug bill has dropped from 60 to 5 per cent since the pool was built," says Supt. G. E. Lineberry.

## Depends Which Side One's On.

Bern (AP)—Scores of Swiss who joined the Spanish Republican International Brigade during the war in Spain got sentences ranging from one to six months in jail when they returned to Switzerland. Similar jail terms face any Swiss who enlists in the army of any European country at war.

Nevertheless, Charles Magistrali, a Swiss from Neuchatel now living in Corsica, obtained the Federal Council's permission to join the French army—to pray, not to fight. Magistrali, a Protestant clergyman, wanted to extend his parish to cover mobilized French Protestants in Corsica, but could not do so unless he joined the French army as a "captain-chaplain."

## TO THE VOTERS OF PITT COUNTY

Although I was unsuccessful in my campaign for County Commissioner from the Second District, I'm deeply grateful to everyone for their vote and support.

**Gordon W. Roebuck**

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**FOR RENT—ONE, THREE-ROOM**  
furnished apartment on first floor with all modern conveniences. Call Mrs. VanDyke at 2054-2548. 21-1f

**MOVED!**  
Pitt Poultry Co., is now located on Fifth Street, opposite New Fair Grounds. Sell with us for top prices at all times.  
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**BABY CHICKS—U. S. - N. C. AP-**  
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Conditioning Machine for thoroughly mixing paint. This insures a better paint job for the consumer and saves time for the painter.  
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Our work must please and a trial will convince you.  
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**WANTED—A TWO OR THREE**  
room apartment — furnished or unfurnished on first floor with private bath. Dial 2522. 27-21

**FOR RENT—1 TEN-ROOM HOUSE**  
—including a three-room upstairs apartment on Dickinson Avenue. Immediate possession. See R. R. Forrest. Dial 2468. 27-31s

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Cottage with modern conveniences close in. If suitable will be permanent. Reply P. O. Box 81, Greenville. 28and 28

**PORTO RICO POTATO SPROUTS**  
—\$1.25 per thousand, seed treated. Leon O. Cox & Sons, Grifton, N. C. 28-31s

**AM TAKING ORDERS FOR**  
Lime and Land Plaster. Place orders early as there is a shortage of land plaster. W. E. Warren, Phone 2687. 28-61s

**CALL MRS. B. L. TYSON, PHONE**  
3610-8 for all colors double larkspur, forget-me-nots, sweetpeas, phlox, poppies, pinks, etc. Prices very reasonable. 28-11

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—1932 Ford V-8, formerly owned by Mrs. Ruth Whichard. \$55.00 cash. ELKS' ESSO STATION  
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**WATKINS DEALERS MAKING**  
big earnings now with full line of home and farm necessities. Several good established routes available. For full particulars write The J. R. Watkins Company, Richmond, Va. 27-21

**FOR RENT — FIVE-ROOM RESI-**  
dence, convenient. Excellent neighborhood. M. B. Hearne, 710 Ward St. 28-31s

**SPECIALS FOR WEDNESDAY**  
—French Apple Jack, Cream Hops, Why not try hot dogs for supper? We have the rolls. Peoples' Bakery.

**COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE**  
will be in your vicinity soon and desires interview with either men or women who desire work in Greenville or Washington. Write at once giving full address. Rawleigh's, Dept. NCF 87-209, Richmond, Va.

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**SEE US FOR YOUR MIXED HAY**  
peas and late seed corn. Also have arsenate of lead, calcium, paris green, rotenone dust and other insecticides. J. A. Watson, Seed-Feed-Provisions. 28-1f

**HOG MARKETS**  
Richmond ..... 5.50  
Kinross ..... 5.25  
Rocky Mount ..... 5.25

**Chicago Grain Market**  
(Courtesy Vernon Parrish)  
WHEAT— Open Close Pr. Cl.  
July ..... 81 1/2 83 1/4 84  
Sept. .... 81 1/2 83 1/4 83 1/2  
Dec. .... 82 1/2 84 84 1/2

**New York Cotton**  
New York, May 28.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 32 to 48 lower. Futures closed six to 19 lower, middling spot 10.39.

**N. Y. Stock Market**  
New York, May 28.—(AP)—Traders dumped stocks into today's market as war bearishness, revived with the surprising capitulation of Belgium to Germany, but bought some of them back later and substantially reduced early losses running to seven or more points.  
At the close many issues which had slumped to new two-year lows more than halved their early declines. Transfers were around 1,300,000 shares.

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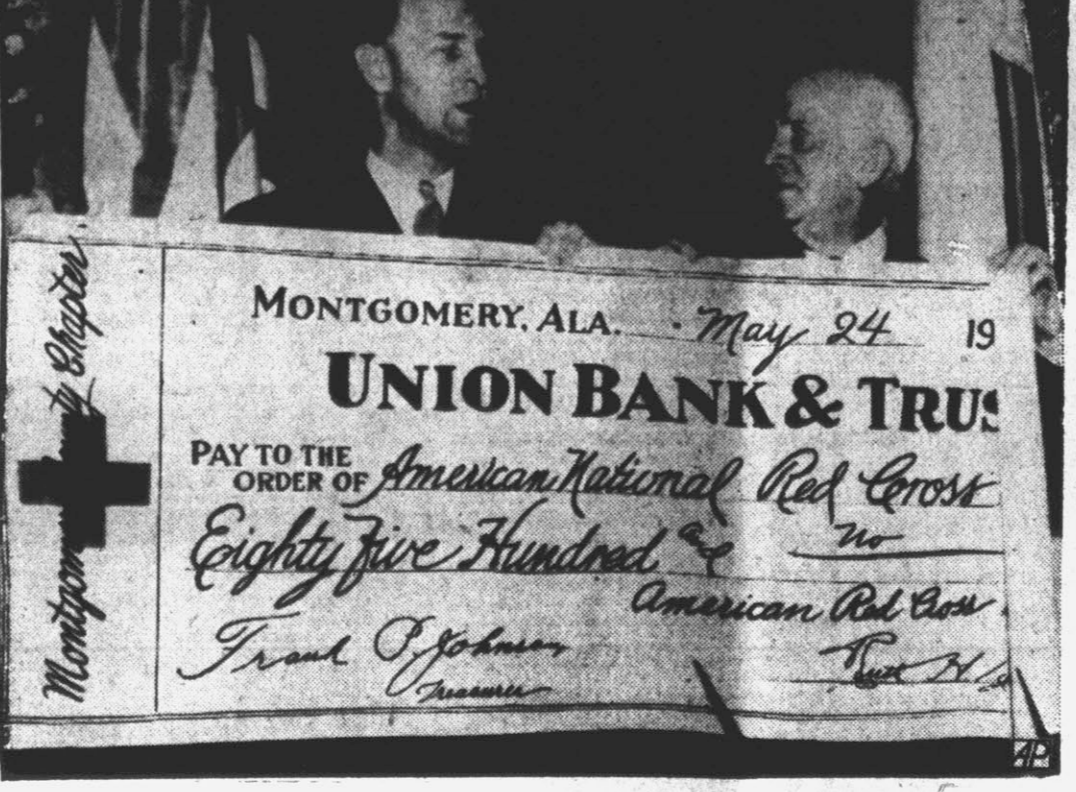
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## Alabama Capital Does Its Bit For War Refugees



The first contribution in the war relief drive of the American Red Cross after President Roosevelt's nationwide appeal for funds last Sunday night was received by Red Cross Chairman Norman H. Davis in Washington the next day. It was a check six feet by two feet printed on muslin for \$8,500 from citizens of Montgomery, Ala. Senator Lister Hill of Alabama (left) is shown presenting it to Davis.

### N. Y. STOCK LIST

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

A. C. L.	10 1/2
Anacosta	21 1/2
American Radiator	5 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	68 1/2
Chrysler	56 1/2
C. I. T.	35
Coca Cola	101
Commercial Credit	30 1/2
Consolidated Oil	8 1/2
Continental Can	35 1/2
Electric Bond and Share	4 1/2
General Motors	39
Gillette	4 1/2
International Telephone	2 1/2
Lorillard	19 1/2
Nash Kelvinator	3 1/2
National Dairy	12 1/2
Otis Steel	7 1/2
Packard	2 1/2
Paramount Pictures	18 1/2
Pullman	7 1/2
Pure Oil	4 1/2
Radio	4 1/2
Reynolds	35
Simmons	13 1/2
Southern Railway	9 1/2
Standard Brands	5 1/2
Sperry Corporation	37
Texas Corporation	34
Texas Gulf Sulphur	29 1/2
United Aircraft	43 1/2
United Corporation	1 1/2
United Drug	4
U. S. Alcohol	45 1/2
Warner Pictures	2 1/2
Western Union	15 1/2
Douglas Aircraft	76 1/2
N. Y. Central	9 1/2
Phillips Petroleum	28 1/2
American Tobacco	74 1/2
U. S. Steel	5 1/2
Aviation Corporation	5 1/2
Curtis Wright	8 1/2
American Telephone	147 1/2
Atlantic Refining	20 1/2
Bendix Aviation	27
Col. Gas and Electric	4 1/2
Dupont	150 1/2
Electric Power and Light	3 1/2
General Electric	29 1/2
Liggett and Myers	93
Montgomery Ward	34 1/2
Standard Oil of N. J.	31 1/2

### Many Trades In Making, Nothink Definite As Yet

By HENRY AVERILL  
Raleigh, May 28.—There were more political "deals" on in Raleigh Monday than there were transactions on the New York Stock Exchange, but so far little or nothing has leaked out about the outcome of the attempted trades.  
Posted in the Sir Walter lobby the keen-eyed observer could see scores of the state's best-known political figures hurrying either to the mezzanine floor (where are the offices of J. M. Broughton, leader in the first primary) or to the ninth, where runner-up Lieutenant Governor Wilkins P. Horton has his staff located.  
There was no apparent weakening of the Lieutenant Governor in his intention to call for a runoff with Broughton, but outside his headquarters there could—and still can—be found supposedly wise guys who doubted if the Pittsboro man will ever get around to making formal demand. They probably aren't as wise as they pretend, because one of Horton's most outstanding characteristics is involved in the decision.  
The Lieutenant Governor is conceded on all sides never to have "let down" a friend and it is obvious that some of his most loyal followers are out on a limb which is sure to be saved off under them unless (1) Horton can manage to overcome that long Broughton lead or (2) Horton can make a deal whereby they are taken care of.  
Mr. Broughton undoubtedly already has as many of his own supporters to take care of as can readily be done, therefore it is almost a foregone conclusion he isn't looking for others to raise. Wherefore, again, he isn't likely to make any such deal with the result that a second running seems a cinch bet.

The official tabulation follows:  
**For Governor**  
J. Melville Broughton..... 3376  
L. Lee Gravelly..... 3060  
A. J. Maxwell..... 1703  
Wilkins P. Horton..... 728  
Thos. E. Cooper..... 510  
Paul Grady..... 315  
Arthur Simmons..... 43  
**Lieutenant Governor**  
R. L. Harris..... 5666  
W. Eskine Smith..... 1713  
L. A. Martin..... 991  
Dan Tompkins..... 336  
**Secretary of State**  
Thad Eure..... 6890  
Walter Murphy..... 2057  
**Auditor**  
Geo. Ross Poul..... 5254  
Chas. W. Miller..... 3048  
**Commissioner of Agriculture**  
W. Kerr Scott..... 5183  
C. Wayland Spruill..... 3242  
**Insurance Commissioner**  
Dan C. Boney..... 5915  
William B. Oliver..... 2472  
**State Senator**  
J. C. Lanier..... 4919  
Arthur B. Corey..... 4565  
**House of Representatives**  
Dr. W. T. Wooten..... 5286  
Sam O. Worthington..... 4134  
J. A. Stator..... 3885  
J. W. H. Roberts..... 3631  
**Register of Deeds**  
Amos O. Clark..... 3590  
Roy T. Cox..... 3220  
John H. Manning..... 3000  
**Solicitor County Court**  
Charles H. Whedbee..... 6127  
Sam B. Underwood, Jr..... 3098  
**County Commissioners**  
(First District)  
J. Noah Williams..... 5927  
Harvey Tripp..... 3503  
(Second District)  
David T. House, Jr..... 6097  
Gordon W. Roebuck..... 2831  
(Third District)  
G. E. Pittman..... 5532  
G. E. Trevathan..... 3295  
(Fourth District)  
G. S. Porter..... 5427  
Marvin W. Smith..... 4575  
(Fifth District)  
M. Brown Hodges..... 4791  
J. Dixie Cannon..... 4174

**Eight Get Licenses To Wed During Week**  
Licenses to marry were issued to eight couples, four white and four colored, at the offices of Register Deeds J. H. Manning during the past week, bringing to 109 the total issued so far this year.  
White couples R. S. Robinson of Greenville and Athalia Sumrell of Ayden; Thomas Harris and Virginia Dare Strickland of Greenville; Vernon G. Norman and Pauline Manning of Ayden; E. F. Brown of Marion and Dorothy Smith Walstonburg.  
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**THIS U.S. STAMP IS THE FIRST ISSUE DEPICTING DEATH!**

Contributor: J. R. Wilson, postmaster, Sacramento, Calif. ... Colonel William F. Cody (Buffalo Bill), when a very young man, was one of the Pony Express riders. He was perhaps the most famous of all. His narrow escapes from wandering bands of ruthless Indians were many. Once he rode 824 miles without sleep, stopping only for meals and to change horses. Odd, isn't it?

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**One Sign That's Hard to Believe**

Trenton, Mo. — (AP) — Several times a month, Trenton officers are called upon to explain to curious passersby that the sign on the city jail window doesn't mean exactly what it says. The sign says "Keep Out—This Means You." It is aimed at loiterers who might want to talk to prisoners through the bars.

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**To The Voters of Pitt County**

I sincerely appreciate the fine support of the people of Pitt County in giving me the largest number of votes of any of the candidates for Register of Deeds at Saturday's Democratic Primary.

I solicit your votes in the Second Primary, to be held Saturday, June 22, 1940, which was requested by the runner-up in Saturday's contest.

I have pledged the people of Pitt County my best and faithful service if nominated and elected Register of Deeds. I believe training and business experience qualify me for the office of Register of Deeds.

Standing by my statement at the opening of the campaign, I will, if elected Register of Deeds, appoint Mr. John H. Manning, who has been faithful in office for many years, to serve as deputy.

I solicit your active support and your votes for Register of Deeds at the Second Democratic Primary on June 22, 1940.

Yours Truly,

**Amos O. Clark**

Leading Candidate for Register of Deeds of Pitt County

**To The People Of Pitt County**

I am very grateful for the splendid vote given me in the primary Saturday.

It is now indicated that I may be called for a second primary. If this should be done, I most earnestly solicit your vote and support in such primary.

**Sam O. Worthington**

**To The Voters of Pitt County**

Please accept my sincere thanks for the excellent support you gave Mr. Lee Gravelly in Saturday's primary.

Since Mr. Gravelly was eliminated from the race in Saturday's primary and in view of Mr. J. M. Broughton's lead and his high qualifications to fill the office of Governor, I believe it is to the best interest of Pitt county to support Broughton in the second primary and I shall vote accordingly.

**George F. Hadley**

Pitt County Manager for Lee Gravelly

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