

Cloudy, showers tonight and in east portion Saturday, colder Saturday and in west portion tonight.

FOUR-DAY CIVIL STRIFE QUELLED IN BUCHAREST

OFFENSIVE CHINESE ARMY IS CONSIDERED

Nation Heartened By Financial Aid From U. S.

ALL PEACE HOPE APPEARS FADED

Former Chinese Finance Minister Asserts Army Better Organized Now Than At Start Of War

New York, Jan. 24—(AP)

China, heartened by President Roosevelt's recent announcement of a \$100,000,000 Chinese aid program, may take the offensive soon in her three-year-old war with Japan, according to Dr. T. V. Soong, China's former finance minister.

"The Chinese army," he said last night at a dinner of the China Society of America, "is a rugged, redoubtable force of 2,500,000 regulars, supported by vast numbers of guerrillas. Although China has lost over 2,000,000 soldiers in the war, by all accounts she has today an infinitely better organized and more experienced army than at the beginning of the war."

"With the Japanese army strung out over a very wide area, demoralized and discouraged by a war that has no end, a determined offensive campaign could have far-reaching results."

Dr. Soong, chairman of the board of directors of the Bank of China, said all hope of a negotiated peace had disappeared when Japan allied her self with the Axis powers.

"Peace now," he said, "would only be a temporary armistice with all the advantage accruing to Japan and, as the Sino-Japanese conflict is a part of the general struggle, enduring peace can come only as part of a general world settlement."

Miss Murphy Dies From Brief Illness

Funeral services for Miss Darkis Murphy, 69, who died Thursday morning at 9:30 at the home of Mrs. Daisy Murphy near Farmville following a short illness, were conducted from the late residence Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Rev. C. B. Mashburn, Christian minister of Farmville. Interment followed in the Wainwright family cemetery near Farmville.

Miss Murphy, daughter of Jim and Allie Wainwright Murphy, was born in Greene county, September 2, 1871 and had spent her entire life in this community.

Surviving are a half-brother, Bill Murphy of Snow Hill and several nieces and nephews.

Two More From Here Leave To Enter Army

Jack Kilgo, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kilgo of Greenville, and John Carnegie Dixon of Tarboro, Route Three left here this afternoon for Fort Bragg for induction in the U. S. army if they pass final physical examinations.

The two young men are going from Pitt County Selective Service Board Number Two to replace rejections. They were the two top men on the voluntary enlistment list when the call came for the replacements and therefore were inducted into service before the next regular call for men from this county.

Nazis Hail Lindy

Berlin, Jan. 24—(AP)—"Hats off to Charles Lindbergh for the courage shown" was the reaction of authorized German sources today to the American aviator's deposition before a United States House committee yesterday.

"In view of the moral terrorism exerted by interventionists this courage shown is exemplary," Lindbergh testified at hearings on the lease-lend bill which he described as a "major step" toward hostilities. He said he wanted a victory for neither side in the war because "it would be a disaster for Europe if either side won."

"It is doubtful whether many individuals in the United States can be found in prominent positions who are willing to act as courageously, although many feel as Lindbergh does," they added.

Haile Selassie Raises Flag Over His Empire; Sets Off To Wage War

Pilot Dies In Crash



Capt. P. T. W. Scott (above), the chief pilot, was killed in the crash of a Transcontinental and Western Airlines plane near the Lambert-St. Louis municipal airport. One passenger was killed and twelve others were injured.

HURLS CHARGE OF 'GAG RULE'

Democrats And Republicans Wage Committee Row

Washington, Jan. 24—(AP)—Amid Republican cries of "gag rule," the Democratic majority of the House Foreign Affairs committee today ordered the top-ranking officers of the army, navy and air corps to testify in secret instead of public sessions on the administration's aid to Britain bill.

First there was an argument over the parliamentary situation; then the Democratic and the Republican committee members met separately to discuss secrecy vs. publicity and finally Chairman Bloom (D-NY) and Rep. Fish (R-NY), the minority spokesman, clashed angrily over the procedure ordered as the committee ended the hectic session for lunch.

Fish started the row by telling newsmen in Bloom's presence that a "practically unprecedented gag rule" had prevented him from making a motion for the appearance of the military and naval leaders.

"I deny it," shouted Bloom. "The decision was reached at a closed meeting of the majority after Republican members had refused to join in a discussion of the question."

When the full committee reconvened it voted down, 13 to 10 on strictly party lines an effort by Rep. Fish to have General George C. Marshall, chief of staff, Admiral Harold R. Stark, chief of naval operations, and Major General George H. Brett, acting chief of the army air corps, testify in public.

Before this decision, Chairman Bloom issued the following statement: "The full committee in a prior executive session had authorized Rep. Fish, the ranking minority member, to invite whatever witnesses he wished as minority witness. Rep. Fish invited Admiral Stark, General Marshall and General Brett."

"Subsequent to the invitations issued by Mr. Fish and after their names had been announced at Mr. Fish's request, the witnesses in conversation with the chairman of the committee asked whether or not the committee had invited them to appear as witnesses, to which the chairman replied that the committee had authorized Rep. Fish to invite such witnesses as he desired as minority witnesses."

"The witnesses suggested a committee invitation and stated that they preferred to be heard in executive session."

Weather Outlook From 7:30 p. m. January 24 to 7:30 p. m. January 29: Weather will be generally cloudy with light to moderate showers at beginning of period and with moderate to heavy showers during last half of period; temperatures normal or above for the period, except moderately colder in the Carolinas near end of period.

NO OPPOSITION IS VOICED TO 12TH DISTRICT

Assembly Approves Law Without Word Of Dissent

TABLE MEASURE ON BUS STATIONS

Bill Providing \$600,000 Bond Issue For Eastern N. C. Sanatorium Passed On 2nd Reading

Raleigh, Jan. 24—(AP)—The legislature approved creation of a twelfth congressional district out of the present tenth and eleventh districts without a word of opposition today, but House members refused to grant right of eminent domain to bus companies building union terminals.

Identical Senate and House bills to create the new congressional district were passed without a word of debate, but the fireworks broke out in the House a few minutes later.

Rep. Ward of Craven proposed exempting all places with less than 20,000 population from the bus measure, which was introduced by the Mecklenburg county delegation. Rep. Weeks of Edgecombe asked the House to exempt his county and quickly similar amendments went up for Hyde, Granville and Wilson counties.

A motion to table was made by Rep. Withrow of Rutherford and it carried 48 to 45.

The Senate passed on second reading, 43 to two, a bill to provide a \$600,000 bond issue for an Eastern North Carolina tubercular hospital. This was in line with a recommendation by the governor.

Representatives approved without opposition a Senate bill to permit the Highway Commission to negotiate contracts for roads deemed necessary for national defense, but an amendment was included on motion of Chairman Stone of the House Roads committee requiring that all such proceedings be approved by the governor and that notice of the negotiations be published in a Raleigh newspaper. The bill went back to the Senate.

The first bill to attempt control of highway hauling of gasoline was introduced by Representatives Uzzell of Rowan and Poole of Moore and would limit any truck load of gasoline hauled on the highway to 1,500 gallons.

Both divisions of the Assembly got bills to provide \$100,000 a year for state aid to libraries. Governor Broughton recommended such a course in his inaugural message.

Four senators introduced a bill to appropriate \$3,000,000 yearly in highway funds for allocation to municipalities for use in maintenance of streets used as highways within the municipalities.

The Senate passed and sent to the House Senate bill 29 relating to farm tenants in Pender and Duplin counties.

The Senate passed and ordered ratified into law House bill eight to shorten terms of several Harnett county officials and House bill 44 to change Superior court terms in Edgecombe county.

Prof. Earl Slocum To Direct Concert

North Carolina's all-state band under the direction of Professor Earl Slocum, director of the U. N. C. band at Chapel Hill, will give a concert for the benefit of the public of Eastern North Carolina tonight at 8 p. m. in the Wright Memorial building.

Fourteen schools are represented by three to nine of its best performers and band director from each school, approximately 100 students, reports A. L. Dittmer, chairman of the affair. Represented at the concert will be schools all over Eastern North Carolina.

Registration began at 10:30 this morning and rehearsal was at 11 o'clock. The rehearsal was conducted by Professor Slocum. Sectional rehearsals were held this afternoon by the following: W. T. Hearne of Henderson, Thad Jones of Durham, R. L. Martin of Roanoke Rapids, Floyd Steib of Washington, H. Vernon Hooker of Rocky Mount, J. Kimball Harriman of Chapel Hill, L. W. Zeigler of Plymouth and H. A. McDougle of Greenville.

The visiting band members and directors will attend a banquet tonight to be held in the College dining room. Members of the Greenville high school band participating in the concert are Betty Tyson, H. R. Goodall, Mary Lee Smith, Pat Waldrop, Billy Horne, J. Hicks Corely, J. B. Kittrell and Sydney Johnson.

Bethel Schools Plan To Re-open Monday

The Bethel schools will re-open Monday morning after having been closed since Wednesday on account of the influenza epidemic current in the county.

The schools were closed after more than 125 students were absent in one day on account of the epidemic. The situation has improved considerably since then, however, and only a few students are expected to be kept at home when the schools reopen.

To Widen Highway No. One

Raleigh, Jan. 24—(AP)—The Highway and Public Works commission today approved acquisition of lands to provide a 100-foot right-of-way for U. S. Route One in Vance county.

Two Killed, 12 Injured In Crash Of Airliner



The chief pilot, Capt. P. T. W. Scott, and a passenger perished and twelve others were injured in the crash of a big Transcontinental and Western airliner just before dawn barely a mile from the Lambert-St. Louis municipal airport. Wreckage of the sleeper transport, en route from Los Angeles to New York lies beside a building with the two motors thrown clear of the ruins. Repairmen are digging post-holes to replace shattered telephone and electric light poles.

FDR MAY MEET LORD HALIFAX

Believed to Have Left White House For Such A Mission

Washington, Jan. 24—(AP)—President Roosevelt left the White House grounds by automobile today, presumably for Annapolis, Maryland, to greet Lord Halifax, the new British ambassador, upon his arrival on the battleship King George V.

In the car with the President were his military and naval aides.

There was no announcement of the President's destination, but all indications were that he had gone to meet the new British ambassador personally.

The fact that the President made no afternoon engagements prompted speculation on the possibility that he might break precedent once more and travel 40 miles by automobile to greet the new ambassador.

Another factor lending strength to this belief was the presence in Chesapeake bay of the presidential yacht Potomac.

Mr. Roosevelt told his press conference that secrecy had surrounded Halifax's trip because publicity might have jeopardized human life.

The possibility was seen that the Potomac might be used to bring the distinguished visitor ashore. The 30,000-ton warship was reported proceeding slowly up Chesapeake bay.

Few Vacancies Open In CCC For Pitt Boys

K. T. Futrell, Pitt county welfare officer in charge of CCC enlistments in this county, revealed today that several vacancies were open for Pitt youths and asked any one qualified and desiring to enter camp see him at his office in the court house tomorrow.

Youths accepted will leave here Monday morning. In order to qualify a boy must be between the ages of 17 and 23 and one-half years of age.

Organize Movement Here On Bundles For Britain

Representatives of 36 Greenville civic organizations attended an enthusiastic meeting at the Municipal building last night called for the purpose of organizing a Bundles for Britain movement in this city.

Mrs. W. I. Wooten, president of the Sans Souci club, which sponsored the meeting, served as chairman. Various representatives spoke in behalf of the unit and each club unanimously pledged support and cooperation in the move.

A nominating committee composed of Mrs. J. H. B. Moore, chairman, Dr. K. B. Pace and Mrs. J. H. Blount, submitted the following slate of officers which was unanimously elected: President, Mrs. J. T. Little; vice-president, W. T. Kyzer; secretary, Mrs. B. B. Sugg; assistant secretary, Miss Elizabeth Skinner; treasurer, Miss Martha Lee Cowell.

Mrs. Little announced that she would appoint her committee at an early date and expressed hope that the aid for Britain movement could be started immediately.

Britain Preparing For Expected Nazi Invasion

Armed Forces Ordered To 'Close Ranks' For Attempt

London, Jan. 24—(AP)—Britain's armed services have been ordered to "close ranks" in preparation to meet an anticipated all-out invasion attempt against these islands in the spring, it was learned today.

The army guarding these shores—the most powerful force ever assembled by Britain—already is carrying out "dress rehearsals" to meet the expected blow.

Informed sources here said the British defense forces, in intensive training for more than a year against the day the Nazi legions might try to set foot on the British Isles, have been ordered to speed every phase of their preparations.

When—and if—the invaders strike, military quarters said it probably would be the greatest assault ever hurled by a military machine and, they added, Adolf Hitler would find this island seat of the empire ready.

Considerable stress has been placed on the part of the Royal Air Force is expected to play. The ranks of the RAF have been greatly increased by recruits drawn from the home front and by trained pilots turned out under broad commonwealth air training scheme.

Roach Appeals In Car Burning Case

Judge Leo Carr this afternoon passed sentence on several defendants convicted earlier in the week as the criminal session of Pitt Superior court, the first of the Spring term, drew toward a close.

Fred Roach, Swift Creek white man, convicted of burning his automobile, was sentenced to 18 months, but notice of appeal was given and bond was fixed at \$1,000.

Elmer Williams and Neal Williamson, convicted of breaking and entering and of larceny, were also sentenced today after having been convicted earlier in the week. Williamson was given a four months' sentence and an additional three-year term which was suspended.

Williams was given a six months' road sentence and an additional suspended sentence of two years. The two, who with members of their family had been making their home at a camp back of Lind Tucker's filling station on the New Bern highway, were convicted of breaking into a smokehouse and stealing meat.

John Weston, alias Geech, well-known Negro in police circles, pleaded his own case on a charge of larceny, but the jury evidently was not impressed by his examination of witnesses or arguments, and convicted him. Judge Carr sentenced the Negro to from three to five years in the penitentiary. It developed that the defendant had threatened the life of one of the State's witnesses, and although he made no mention of it in sentencing the man, observers believed Judge Carr took this into consideration in passing sentence.

Time was taken out from the criminal activities yesterday to grant divorce to Mrs. Callie Campbell, now of Roanoke Rapids.

Choice Made For McReynolds' Post

Washington, Jan. 24—(AP)—President Roosevelt said today he had chosen a successor for Justice James C. McReynolds, who will retire from the Supreme court February 1, but that the name would not be announced for many weeks.

The President told a press conference that he was divulging this much only to save a lot of headaches, speculation and a flood of recommendations and endorsements for the appointment.

6,000 Dead As Results Of Fighting

Rumanian And Germans Patrol Streets Of Bucharest, But Iron Guardists Continue Rebellion Outside Capital City; Believed Nazis Finally Will Have To Restore Order

By The Associated Press

First dispatches out of revolt-torn Bucharest, scene of four days of bloody civil strife, said many hospitals were full of wounded amid mounting death lists today as German and Rumanian troops patrolled the Balkan capital's streets.

"This is the first day since Sunday that the din of revolver, rifle, machinegun and artillery fire has not filled the air," wrote Robert St. John, Associated Press correspondent in Bucharest.

Reports reaching Sofia, Bulgaria, said casualties throughout Rumania totaled 6,000, with 2,000 dead in Bucharest morgues alone.

While the rebellion evidently was quelled in the capital, dispatches agreed that the insurgent Iron Guardists were still fiercely resisting outside Bucharest.

The revolt began after the assassination Sunday of a German officer attached to the Nazi military mission. Struggle for the Bucharest radio and other official posts has been a see-saw affair, with the government now claiming the upper hand, but still appealing desperately for restoration of law and order.

General Ion Antonescu, Rumanian chief of state, in an appeal to the army last night, said the condition was "critical" and the life of the state threatened.

Officially, the uprising has been charged to "misled" young Iron Guard hotheds and "communist-inspired" elements, but one traveler reaching Sofia, Bulgaria, from Bucharest, said the rebel Iron Guards wanted their leader, Horia Sima, to head the government.

"It is generally believed that German troops finally will have to establish order," the traveler said. British army units moved westward from captured Tobruk toward Derna, Libya, the next big Italian fortress on the Mediterranean coast.

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To Gather In New Farmville Church

Sunday, January 26, the Farmville Baptist church will begin holding services in its recently completed church and school building. This building, erected at a cost of nearly \$40,000, is of colonial design. Its simple beauty and fine architectural lines combine to make it a real community asset.

The opening day program includes morning, afternoon, and evening services. At the eleven o'clock hour Dr. I. G. Greer, superintendent of the Baptist churches at Thomasville, will bring the message.

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon the former pastors of the church will be recognized, and a program of music will be given by the Kennedy Home choir of Kinston. This choir is under the direction of Mr. Pat Alderman, also of Kinston.

At 7:30 Sunday evening the sermon will be delivered by Rev. J. M. Duncan, a former pastor of the church. At both the morning and evening services special music will be offered by the church's own outstanding choir.

All friends of the church everywhere are heartily invited to join in this day of fellowship and worship.

Rev. B. B. Fordham is pastor.

Weather Report

Table with weather data: J. A. CLARK (Always Observer), TEMPERATURES (High yesterday 66, Low yesterday 48, At 1:30 p. m. 49), PRECIPITATION (In inches) (For 24 hrs. ending 1:30 p. m. T. Total for month 2.9), BAROMETER (Pressure) (7:30 last night 30.12, 7:30 this morning 30.08), Prevailing Winds and Velocity (7:30 last night S-4, 1:30 p. m. W-6)

Social and Personal

Social Calendar

THURSDAY

7:30 p. m.—The T. E. L. Class of Memorial Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. Jack Boyd on Seventh street.

7:30 p. m.—Piano recital by pupils of Miss Eva Hodges at Third street school.

7:30 p. m.—The Church Planning committee of the Christian Church meets at the parsonage.

7:30 p. m.—Knights of Pythias meet.

7:45 p. m.—The Methodist choir meets for rehearsal.

8:00 p. m.—The B. and P. Women's Club meets in Shepard Memorial Library.

8:00 p. m.—The Junior Philathea Class of Jarvis Memorial Church meets with Mrs. J. B. Kittrell.

FRIDAY

3:30-5:00 p. m.—Puppet Guild for young people, 9 to 15 years of age. Free instruction.

6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club will meet.

7:30 p. m.—The Red Men will meet.

Ray Munford Ill.

Mrs. H. R. Munford, accompanied by Max Munford of New Bern, left this morning for Fort Bragg to be at the bedside of her son, Ray Munford, who is seriously ill with pneumonia at the government hospital there.

No Primitive Baptist Services. Due to so much sickness there will be no services in the Primitive Baptist Church on Sunday.

To Read Play.

The reading of Robert E. Sherwood's "And There Shall Be No Night" will open the series of drama presentations before the drama group of the A. A. U. W., at 7:30 on Monday evening, January 27, in Ragsdale Hall at the college. Mrs. Denver E. Baughan will present this timely play, which for two seasons has been on the Broadway stage with Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontanne as the star actors.

By popular request the reading of current dramas has been revived in the A. A. U. W. For several years this informative and delightful art was probably the best attended special group in the organization, and Mrs. J. H. Rose, chairman of this year's drama group, is happy to announce that monthly readings will again be given. Each drama will be abridged to be presented in about one hour—an informal hour that many listeners use not only for enjoying dramatic literature but also for knitting, needle-point or homely darning.

All interested members of the A. A. U. W. and other lovers of drama are invited to attend the readings.

The Clio Club.

Miss Jane Hadley entertained the Clio Book Club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

The president, Mrs. James Johnston, welcomed Mrs. John Raper, the guest for the afternoon, and presided over the business session. An extremely interesting and educational talk on "Medical Science, Man's Gift to Civilization," was given by Mrs. Roy Barrett. Tracing the history of medicine, she told of the most important developments in that science from pre-historic times to today's most recent findings.

It was interesting to realize that the Hebrew people of the early times recognized certain diseases as communicable and enforced laws of isolation and quarantine and that the Romans, a few years B. C., achieved

Man Garroted, Lover Accused



Police Captain John F. McCarthy said this woman under guard in a Boston hospital has identified herself as Mrs. Ruth Steadman, 26, and has confessed she gave sleeping tablets to the man she loved, Robert Emery, and then garroted him to death because she despaired of marrying. She was found unconscious from sleeping tablets near Emery's body. Mrs. Steadman is the estranged wife of a Pittsburgh insurance man and is the mother of a 10-month-old child. Emery, a real estate dealer was married and had two children.

much in the way of public sanitation with aqueducts, public baths, and sewers.

Mrs. Barrett called attention to the greatest figures in the history of medicine, Hippocrates, the Greek physician, known as the father of medicine, about four hundred years B. C. recognized the importance of studying the patient to find the cause of the illness and thereby knowing the better the necessary remedy. Visalinas, a Belgian, in 1543 published a very advanced book on Anatomy; William Harvey, an Englishman, about 1628 discovered the circulation of the blood; Louis Pasteur in the nineteenth century gave to the world the germ theory of disease, the aseptic technique, and anti-rabic treatment; Robert Koch, a German country doctor, discovered and described the germ which causes tuberculosis; and Edward

Livingston Trudeau demonstrated the value of environment and rest in overcoming tuberculosis.

The recent developments and discoveries of which she told are sulfanilamide, sulfapyridine, and the most recent derivative of sulfanilamide, sulfathiazol. Among other recent findings to which she called attention is the isolation of numbers of vitamins, one of which is vitamin K, which is very important in the control of hemorrhage.

It is astonishing that in this mercenary world all the discoveries of medical science are given freely without thought of monetary returns or national differences.

Following Mrs. Barrett's talk, which was thoroughly enjoyed, the hostess, assisted by Misses Mae Joyner and Sue Barrett, served a tempting salad and sweet course.

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
January 24, 1901
BILL READY

Will Be Sent To General Assembly
The Board of Aldermen met last night to hear read the bills prepared to be submitted to the General Assembly asking that Greenville be allowed to vote on the proposition of issuing \$75,000 of 5 per cent 30-year bonds for public improvements and graded schools.

After hearing the bills read the board approved them and instructed that they be forwarded to our senator and Representatives with the request that they be introduced in the General Assembly as early as possible.

Lights Turned On

Thursday afternoon the gas engine and dynamo in the new hotel were tested and the electric lights turned on in the building. Everything worked nicely and at night another test was made to try the lights after dark. A large number of people went around to see the lights.

GREENVILLE HI NEWS

By SIDNEY JOHNSON

All-State Band

The All-State band is meeting at the college today and tomorrow. The band is made up of around a hundred of the best high school musicians in the state. These are chosen by the North Carolina Bandmasters Association.

Tonight at 8 o'clock, the band will give a concert under the direction of Earl Stocumb, director of music at the University of North Carolina. Eight members of the high school band, Pat Waldrop, Betty Tyson, Mary Lee Smith, J. Hicks Corey, H. R. Goodall, Billy Horne and Layton Clark have received invitations to participate in the concert.

Phantoms Meet Ghosts

Although crippled by injuries and sickness the Flying Phantoms will take to the court again tonight against Elizabeth City's Grey Ghosts with revenge in their hearts for the 17-15 defeat the Jackets handed them last Tuesday night in Elizabeth City.

Only once out of five starts this season have the Phantoms been at their full strength, and again tonight the team will miss the assistance of Larry James and Jean

Johnston, center and forward for the team. The girls' team will play their first home game of the season tonight. Goldsboro will be their opponents. First game begins at 7:30 o'clock. A large and enthusiastic crowd is expected to be present.

Ballard's X Roads

(By Mrs. Clarence Little)
Mrs. Rosalie Bullock of Greenville is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. F. Worthington.

Mesdames Owen Tyson and Moses Tyson visited in Greene county Sunday.

Herschel Tyson attended the inauguration in Washington Monday.

Miss Maggie Tucker is making her home in Washington, D. C., with her sister, Miss Lilly Tucker.

Miss Myrtle Harris returned to Louisburg Wednesday to resume her studies at Louisburg College.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. May announce the birth of a daughter, Leota Nell, on December 15, 1940.

Mrs. Will Elks is ill in Pitt General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Allgood of Newport News visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bailey recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Little visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Little near Winterville Sunday.

The Ballard's Home Demonstration Club held its first meeting of the year on Wednesday with Mrs. L. E. Turnage. The new officers for the year '41 are: President, Mrs. L. E. Jones; vice-president, Mrs. E. Sims, Iron Guard chieftain, and M. Tyson; secretary, Mrs. R. J. other alleged leaders of the insur-

Ellis. Friends of Ray Crawford will be glad to know that he is able to be out again.

FOUR-DAY CIVIL STRIFE QUELLED IN BUCHAREST

(Continued from page one)
Motorized patrols already were reported near Derna and Bomba. The British said they took upward of 20,000 Italians in the assault on Tobruk. Another report from Australia said word had been received that 25,000 prisoners had been taken and that Australian casualties "would not exceed 300." In Albania, the Greek army captured another 250 Italian prisoners in bitter fighting north of Klisura Athens dispatches said.

By The Associated Press

Basement executions of scores of Jews during the four-day reign of terror in Bucharest and other Rumanian cities were reported today in the first full dispatches out of the revolt-torn Balkan kingdom.

Many hospitals were full of wounded and morgues crowded with dead.

At the height of the bloody strife dispatches said, Iron Guardist rebels twice commandeered the home of J. Webb Benton of Fort Myer Va., first secretary of the United States legation, and used it as a fort to shoot at supporters of Premier General Ion Antonescu's regime.

With the revolt apparently crushed, at least in the capital, the Rumanian government decreed severe punishment for Vice Premier Floria L. E. Jones; vice-president, Mrs. E. Sims, Iron Guard chieftain, and M. Tyson; secretary, Mrs. R. J. other alleged leaders of the insur-

rection. German and Rumanian motorized troops patrolled the streets of Bucharest today. Many Jews were said to have been seized in their homes, taken out and beaten or slain.



Now Use Improved Vicks Way

To Relieve Misery of Colds
Mothers everywhere are discovering how easy it is to relieve misery of colds with a "VapoRub Massage"—relieve coughing, muscular soreness or tightness.
With this more thorough treatment, the poultice-and-vapor action of Vicks VapoRub more effectively PENETRATES irritated air passages with soothing medicinal vapors... STIMULATES chest and back like a warming poultice or plaster... STARTS RELIEVING misery right away! Results delight even old friends of VapoRub.
TO GET a "VapoRub Massage" with all its benefits—massage VapoRub for 3 minutes on IMPORTANT RIB-AREA OF BACK as well as throat and chest—spread a thick layer on chest, cover with a warmed cloth. BE SURE to use genuine, time-tested VICKS VAPORUB.

January STOREWIDE VALUES

WE ARE STILL OFFERING AT BIG REDUCTIONS OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF WINTER GOODS!

Sale of Ladies Dresses

- 1 RACK DRESSES That Sold to \$7.95 **\$1 and \$2**
- 1 RACK DRESSES That Sold to \$14.95 **\$3 and \$5**
- 1 RACK DRESSES That Sold to \$7.95 **\$4.50**
- 1 RACK DRESSES That Sold to \$10.95 **\$6.50**
- 1 RACK DRESSES That Sold to \$14.95 **\$8.50**



ALL LADIES' WINTER COATS ON SALE AT 1/2 Price



Park Avenue Hose REG. 79c SHEER HOSE In All Sizes and Colors **Special 58c**
Jewelry
SPECIAL PURCHASE OF \$1.00 JEWELRY About 150 Pieces On Sale At—**29c**

Remnants
Assorted Materials Selling At Less Than 1/2 Original Price!

Men's Suits
ABOUT 75 MEN'S SUITS IN THIS GROUP Values Up To \$35.00 **\$7.50 to \$19.50**

Men's Overcoats
OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF MEN'S OVERCOATS That Sold Up To \$40.00! Now—**\$10.95 to \$29.50**

BOYS' SUITS and OVERCOATS Now 1/4 Off
BOYS' PANTS, JACKETS and SWEATERS Now 1/4 Off

Blount-Harvey

Pick Yourself a New Spring Print!

Lead fashion... feel gay... wear a new Spring print these bleak days! Pick a flower-fresh floral... a star-dot... a striped effect or patriotic print... all are happy notes 'neath Winter coats.



Young rayon crepe jacket dress with polka dot smooth midriff. White pique collar.



Young star dot print rayon crepe jacket dress with pique touches as fresh as white violets.

C. Heber Forbes

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SAT.—MON.—TUES.

- One Group DRESSES, each **\$1.00**
- One Group DRESSES, each **\$1.95**
- One Group DRESSES, each **\$2.95**
- One Group DRESSES, each **\$3.95**
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In These Groups Are Dresses That Sold up to \$16.75.

HATS at **25c, 50c, \$1.00**

BLOUSES, Special **79c—2 for \$1.00**

SILK HOSIERY, Fine Quality **69c—2 for \$1.00**

Your Will Find Other Special All Through the Store!

LAST CALL ON WINTER COATS **\$2.99 up**

WILLIAMS'

"THE LADIES' STORE"

Magic Spring

YESTERDAY: David Wiley wants three things very much. He wants to marry Polly Jenkins. He wants to restore his little cousin Peter to health. And he wants to rehabilitate "Freddy's Polly," which is the old inn and mineral spring left him by his Aunt Julia. Now the visit of Dr. Warren McNeill to Ardendale gives him hope for the latter. David seems about to interfere in his romance with Polly. The four are on a picnic at the inn.

Chapter 21 Margo's Puzzle

"I don't think Warren's the sort of man to let his family go hungry," said Polly. "Mind getting those four cups out of the basket, I brought? They're odds and ends, but good enough for picnics."

Margo found the cups. She was placing them on a board near the oven when the two men joined them.

"Boy, does that coffee smell good!" Warren said.

"Ready for me to broil the hot dogs?" David asked.

"Yes," said Polly. "And don't waste any time. I feel as though I could eat six of them myself."

"And where," Warren asked looking at Polly's small form, "would you put them?"

"Maybe I've got a hollow leg!" said Polly.

Soon the meal was in full swing. The glow filled the sky. An indescribable peace settled over the scene.

Warren got out his cigarettes. He passed them around.

Soon they were all smoking, relaxed about the remains of the picnic supper.

"Get your banjo, David," said Polly.

"Yes, do," Warren urged. "Let's do some singing. I haven't done any in ages."

"Do you know any negro spirituals?" David asked.

"I used to. Let's see! Oh, how about the one about standing in the need of prayer?"

"It's a favorite of mine," said David.

"Mine, too," said Polly. "Then let's see if we can remember 'Aunt Dina's Quilting Party'—You know that one, don't you, Margo?"

"I think so," Margo answered. "I have a faint recollection of singing it in public school."

"Of course!" said Polly. "We had it once when we gave an entertainment."

David got up. "Swell!" he said. "We'll sing ourselves back into the good old horse and buggy days."

"Which," said Warren with a touch of wistfulness, "weren't bad days, by any means. More intimacy and friendliness than—and not so much mechanism. People got together and did things—danced, sang, played games, contributed bits of talent; and now—well, all people do now is sit around with their mouths open listening to a lot of asinine chatter that comes over the air. They don't even read any more. Just sit and sit and sit—and never use their brains or their hands."

"You sound," said Margo, "as though you had lived your life during those horse and buggy days."

"No," said Warren. "I came along a little too late for them. But just the same, I sometimes wish that I had lived them."

"That's another thing we agree on, Warren," said David. "He started for his car. 'I'll get the banjo and we'll pretend we're back when ladies wore rats in their hair, and men's shoes had buttons.'"

An hour passed, two hours, three. The four young people sat underneath the old apple tree and sang—tried this old song, that old one. Then they did some things that were more modern.

"No use," said David. "they just don't go with a banjo."

"No," said Warren. "they need silly-looking men tooting crazy-looking horns with plug hats stuck on them. A banjo was meant for songs that have feeling—meaning—sentiment."

Indecision

Margo was oddly quiet.

She had been watching Warren closely, watching David the same way. Two such handsome men, and with such old-fashioned ideas. To hear them talk, you'd think the modern world had nothing at all to offer. Both of them apparently perfectly content to go on living in a town like Ardendale. And Warren was waiting for her to make up her mind about marrying him; waiting while she hesitated, wondering, and not a little worried. Warren McNeill, David Wiley.

"Let's sing the one about all God's chillun having shoes," said Polly, "and then we'd better clear up this mess and go home."

David began to strum the banjo once more.

His voice, Warren's and Polly's blended nicely. Margo did not join. She said she didn't know the words.

"Then hum," said Warren.

"I'm an awful hummer," said Margo.

Warren reached over and took one of Margo's hands.

"Isn't this a lot nicer than the Riviera?" he said.

"No," said Margo. "I don't think so."

"I do," said Warren. And he released the hand he was holding.

Polly sprang to her feet. She busied herself gathering up the soiled dishes. The others helped her. Then when David had poured water on the fire, they went back to the cars.

Soon they were headed for Ardendale.

David drove slowly, but Margo at the wheel of her yellow roadster did not. She and Warren sped on ahead.

"Acts as though she were going to fire," David said.

Polly did not answer. But presently she said: "She's in love with you. You know that, don't you?"

"What in heck are you talking about?" David said, startled.

"You and Margo. She's in love with you. That's easy enough to see."

Willkie Off To England As "Private Citizen"



Wendell L. Willkie, the Republican presidential nominee in the 1940 campaign, waves farewell just before boarding the Yankee Clipper (background) at New York for a trip to England. He spoke of himself as "a private citizen—an individual determined to find out what is going on."

your mind about going through with our marriage."

"I'm not going through with our marriage," said Polly, "until I'm sure you know just what you want."

"I've known I wanted you ever since we were kids."

"But that was before Margo got back."

"Margo—Margo—Margo!" David said. "I'm sick of hearing you say the name. Good night." He got back into his car. "If it'll make you any happier, I'll find out for sure just how Margo feels about me."

"I wish you would!" Polly said. David released the clutch. He drove off without looking back. When he reached the Wiley cottage he went in as quietly as possible. But Peter heard him.

"That you, Cousin David?" he called out. And David detected excitement in the boy's voice.

"Yes, Peter. I thought you were asleep."

"Cousin David, I walked—I walked."

To Be Continued

NOTICE TO CREDITORS FOUNTAIN MOTOR COMPANY

This is to notify all creditors of Fountain Motor Company, that the business has been sold by the J. W. Redick Estate, and that the said J. W. Redick Estate and Mrs. Mollie Redick, have no interest therein, and will in no manner be responsible for any indebtedness incurred by said Fountain Motor Company. This the 15th day of Jan. 1941. MRS. MOLLIE REDICK, Individually and as Administratrix of the estate of J. W. Redick. John Hill Paylor, Atty. Jan. 18-19w-4wk.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having this day qualified as Administrator of the estate of Sarah A. Bright, deceased, late of Pitt County, notice is given to all persons holding claims against said estate to prove and file the same with the undersigned within twelve months from this date, or this notice will be plead in bar thereof. All persons indebted to said estate will make settlement with the undersigned. This the 15th day of Jan., 1941. J. F. STOKES, 24 Eden St., New Bern, N. C. Administrator of the estate of Sarah A. Bright. Jan. 15-19w-6wk.

"Aim the Plane—"



—and the bomb will take care of itself." A good deal has been written of "dive bombing" by airplane but it is not generally realized that this method of attack was developed in America. Above, Air Corps Flying Cadets at Randolph Field, Texas, are shown by an instructor (kneeling) how the line of flight of a diving plane controls the bomb's aim. Here, dummy planes, a toy ship and a piece of string suffice. Later, at advanced training schools, the embryo pilots will try the real thing as their ships speed over a target area. Use 'em Som needs more Flying Cadets.

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Strength For The Day By EARL L. DOUGLASS

A WORD IN DUE SEASON

When the war between the states was at its height, an old Quaker lady visited Abraham Lincoln at the White House and, taking the hand of the long-suffering giant in her own, she spoke these words of comfort: "Friend Abraham, there need not think these stands alone. We are all praying for thee. The hearts of all the people are behind thee and thee cannot fail. The Lord has appointed thee, and the Lord will sustain thee. As no man war ever loved before does this people love thee. Take comfort, Friend Abraham. God is with thee and the people are behind thee."

GERMANS SEIZE FRENCH FOOD

Soon after his arrival in France, United States Ambassador William D. Leahy expressed to the Vichy Government the hope that a relief ship from America bearing canned milk and medical supplies would soon arrive in France. The reaction to this statement was immediate. It was reported that within a matter of hours the Vichy Government, controlled by Berlin, established a more drastic rationing system and ordered increased shipments of food supplies to Paris, now occupied by the Nazis.

This immediate reaction to a gesture of good will was not surprising to those familiar with the present German regime. It was the same old story—the Nazis stripping an occupied country of all available supplies at every opportunity.

If the report is true, the supplies sent by this country and allowed safe conduct by the British through their blockade, will not benefit the French people. The Germans took it as a signal to transfer further foodstuffs vitally needed by the French people on the assumption that the United States and Great Britain have assumed the task of feeding its victims.

Commenting editorially on the rapacity of the Nazis, The Courier Journal of Louisville, Ky., stated, "Thus, bluntly Germany gives the answer to the rejected Hoover relief plan or any modifica-



tion of that plan. It announces in advance it will take away more than its given, whether canned milk for under nourished children or medicine for the sick. It reduces to futility the effort of the United States to win over the Vichy regime by the proffer of Red Cross supplies.

"No man can tame a tiger into a kitten by stroking it," President Roosevelt declared in his recent fireside chat, and if milk is put within its reach it will certainly be lapped up."

Washington Daybook By Jack Stinnett

Washington.—When this news gets around, the "pigeon protection" bill of Dr. Joseph L. Pfeifer, Brooklyn congressman, medic and fancier, is probably going to have a lot more chance of consideration than it has had in recent sessions.

The news is that the U. S. signal corps is interesting itself in the registration (for possible use in defense emergency) of the country's trained homing pigeons. The signal corps has dispatch riders, telephone and telegraph lines, wireless and radio but when all lines are out, the circuits dead, and riders can't get through, there's nothing so handy it seems, as a homer that can wing its way back to headquarters.

The signal corps has pigeons—lots of them—but as a means of building a reserve supply, the corps plans to ask all private fanciers to register their lofts. This way the army figures, it could, in an emergency, get about 50,000 trained pigeons in no time at all.

Used By Spies

Stories keep drifting in from England about the use of homing pigeons in the present war, particularly in getting information back from the continent, where it is reported Great Britain has an elaborate spy system, abetted by thousands of persons in German-controlled territory who are willing to take all sorts of risks to contribute to British victories. There has been some talk in army circles that carriers may be supplied to these spies in parachute cages. At any rate, it is estimated that 20,000 pigeons now are in use in Great Britain.

Would Fly To Front

As the signal corps explains, it these two-way pigeons, under modern battle conditions, would fly forward in groups of 12 from the message receiving point near headquarters to the front lines or outposts. Having delivered their messages there, they would be kept overnight in cages and sent on the return trip the following day.

All of the signal corps pigeons already have been trained to do their mile-a-minute stunt at night, a feat which the signal corps of other wars would have considered impossible.

The signal corps' largest carrier contingent is at Fort Monmouth, N. J., where more than 600 well-trained birds are kept in 20 loft-

So Is Mine, Son

There wasn't anything like as much argument over the establishment of an eastern tubercular hospital, the senate voting without hesitation a bond issue of \$600,000 for the purpose of building such an institution at or near Wilson. The proposed hospital will be practically a duplicate of the one built a few years ago at Black Mountain for the western part of the state.

A lobbyist and a newspaper man were joshing each other. The newspaper man threatened to write a piece about the lobbyist, a former house member, voting a certain way some bill years ago. The lobbyist retorted that it would be all right with him, that he would just get his friends around some night and put out the word that this newspaper guy won't do to talk to. Since lobbyists are a fruitful source of news, the newsman promised to be good.

It was noticeable that tickets for the East Carolina Chamber of Commerce banquet Thursday night went much faster in the House after it was made abundantly clear that they were free. A price of \$1.25 was printed on the tickets and until Speaker Mull told members "That means you are supposed to eat a dollar and a quarter worth for nothing," there had been no marked demand for them.

Lobbyists for the naturopath (whatever they are) have been observed in the legislative corridors; and a renewal is expected of the efforts to have them recognized as practitioners in North Carolina.

A bill to that end won a Senate committee okay in 1939, but was defeated on floor largely through the efforts of an M.D.—Dr. T. W. M. Long the veteran Senator from Halifax. He pointed out that the legislature had only just approved a measure for compulsory vaccination against small pox and diphtheria. "Now these people claim that all kinds of vaccines are wrong, yet you are about to legalize them," he pointed out.

Governor J. M. Broughton has been consulted for his views on a bill making appointment of a journeyman barber on the state board of barbers mandatory; but what he said is not known yet. The present board is composed of three master barbers, and labor forces contend that gives representation only to the employer class.

New Bern, which won the American Legion state convention for this year now finds itself with something of a white elephant on its hands. If the expected balloon base between New Bern and Morehead is actually approved, the housing situation in the Craven capital is going to be such as to make impossible its handling of the big veteran's meeting.

Odds are that Raleigh or Durham will wind up by having the convention; though the capital city Legionnaires aren't a bit enthusiastic.

The 100-year-old architectural beauty of the capitol building means nothing to Senator Palmer who gets tired climbing the steps. He offered a bill calling for elevators and escalators in the old building.

One of the peppiest debates of the session so far was started in the senate over Brooks' bill designed to protect counties from having to pay unjust hospital bills for indigents receiving care at hospitals in other counties. Objection was raised to the bill because some senators thought it would make it easier for hospitals to collect money out of counties. When Mr. Brooks explained that it was exactly the opposite and that it would protect counties, then members whose home communities have hospitals of which they are proud, protested because hospitals have had enough time now collecting such bills and they didn't want the matter further complicated. Just when everybody seemed satisfied with the probable effect of the measure, third reading was objected to and it was

Man About Manhattan By George Tucker

New York.—Albert Spaulding is the most gracious of great musicians. When he gets ready to play he makes a little speech, saying he is grateful for being permitted to add his "bit" to the occasion. Amy China, is an "outpost" and is so tough that white crews are warned not to go ashore there. Joe Meilzner, the scenic designer, is the brother of Kenneth MacKenna, who used to be married to Kay Francis.

Several Manhattan restaurants, but it is not the same as the bouillabaisse famous in France. The difference is the type of fish in the original only fish from the Mediterranean are used.

One wonders what has happened to Sidney Kingsley, who won a Pulitzer prize for "Men in White" and has come back with several other important plays. He seems to have dropped out of the Rialto news.

Judith Anderson dines only on milk toast between matinee and evening performances. There will always be a shortage of Lilian Gish's fragile type of beauty on Broadway. You can ransack the rolls of Equity, which hold thousands of names, without finding more than three or four names who suggest her type.

Dawn Powell, the novelist, is a native midwesterner. In private life she is Mrs. Joe Goncha. Booth Tarkington used to smoke enormous cigars which were monogrammed on the ends, made for him. But whether he does now I do not know. He almost never comes to New York, preferring to remain in his adopted home town of Kennepunkport, Me.

The return to Manhattan of the late Leon Trotsky's secretary recalls that that little man with the steely-rimmed spectacles used to plot the Russian revolution in an eastside cafe. He also lived in a little house in the Bronx, not far from the cottage where Poe used to live.

At 11 East 14th Street is a building that ought to be preserved as a shrine to the birth of the movies. It was here that the old Biograph company first came on the screen, films. Early one day 31 years ago a man named D. W. Griffith came in with a "crazy" idea. He wanted to make films a thousand feet long—and he proposed that "real" writers be hired, and, more important, be paid real money. Some of the early moguls were aghast. But from this start the movies grew, and the name of Griffith will live as long as there are motion pictures.

If there's anything you want to look up in a hurry, go to Columbia University's school of journalism. More than a million newspaper clippings are filed there. Central Park, pride of all New Yorkers covers 875 acres. It is valued at close to a billion dollars. The late Willard Mack often told cub reporters that he wrote 49 plays before he had one accepted.

The Professor Has Some Rivals

Arkansas City, Kas., (AP)—An Arkansas City pastor stopped in a drug store to buy aspirin and received a dime in change. He showed the aspirin in his pocket and plopped the dime into his mouth.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST

By virtue of power vested in me by that Deed of Trust which was executed to me on the 24th day of June, 1940, by L. H. Robertson and wife, Pearl Robertson, which is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in book M-23 at page 451, default having been made in the payment of the note therein secured, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash at public auction at the courthouse in Greenville, North Carolina, on Friday, February 7, 1941, at twelve o'clock, noon

the following described parcels of real estate lying, being and situated in Carolina Township, in the County of Pitt and State of North Carolina, to-wit:

FIRST LOT: A house and lot in the Town of Stokes, N. C., and beginning at a stake on the North side of Clark Street a corner between Mrs. Pearl Robertson and G. H. Roebuck; thence Northwardly with G. H. Roebuck's line about 300 feet to a stake, a corner between Mrs. Pearl Robertson and G. H. Roebuck and G. H. Roebuck and the J. L. Perkins line; thence with J. L. Perkins' line Eastwardly 93 feet to a stake, a corner between Mrs. Pearl Robertson and W. R. Harderson; thence with W. R. Harderson's line a Southerly direction about 300 feet to a stake on Clark Street, a corner between Mrs. Pearl Robertson and W. R. Harderson; thence in a Westerly direction with Clark Street 93 feet to the beginning, and being the same land on which L. H. Robertson and wife, Pearl Robertson, now reside.

SECOND LOT: Lying and being in Carolina Township, Pitt County, and bounded on the North by the land of W. K. Whitehurst and Jesse Tetterton, on the East by D. C. Barnhill, on the South by J. L. Barnhill, and on the West by Margaret Tetterton and containing 112 acres, more or less, and being what is generally known as the D. N. (Captain) Nobles, Sr., home place.

The above described property is being sold subject to those two certain deeds of trust of record in books G-21, page 398 and T-22, page 573. This January 6th, 1941.

J. H. BOYD, Trustee. Albion Dunn, Atty. Jan. 7-17w-4w.

NOTICE OF SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the power conferred upon the undersigned, as administrators of the estate of R. D. Harrington, we will offer for sale, for cash, at public auction on February 11, 1941, all the personal property belonging to the said estate, consisting of all kinds of farming equipment, one tractor, eighteen mules and a number of cows, hogs and other livestock.

The sale will be held at the respective farms owned and/or operated by the said R. D. Harrington at the following hours:

At the Forbes farm—about one mile from Manning's Service Station on the Falkland highway—at 11 o'clock.

At the McGowan farm—on the New Bern highway—about two miles from Greenville—at 12 o'clock.

At the Warren and Moore farms on the Washington highway—about two miles from Greenville—1:30 p.m. At the Ross farm or Grey farm—near Pactolus—at 2:30 p.m.

At the Barber's Landing farm—on the Pactolus road about four miles from Greenville—at 3 o'clock.

At the James Adams farm—adjoining the Barber Landing farm, at 3:30 p.m.

This 21st day of Jan., 1941. MRS. EVA S. HARRINGTON F. W. SATTERTHWAITE, Administrators of the Estate of R. D. Harrington. Jan. 24-17w-2wk.

SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

By virtue of a power of sale contained in that certain Mortgage executed by W. S. Mills and wife, Annie W. Mills, to Buna L. Arnold as appears of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book M-23, page 356, and dated the 22nd day of April, 1940, the undersigned Mortgagee will expose to public sale before the Court House door in Pitt County to the highest bidder for cash,

at 12 o'clock, Noon, on Monday, the 13th day of Jan., 1941 the following described real property, to-wit:

That certain tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in Pitt County, the State of North Carolina, and containing 131.20 acres, more or less, and known as the Sam Mills Farm, now the farm of W. S. Mills, situated on the South side of Tar River and on the North side of Cow Swamp, lying on both sides of the public road leading from the New Bern Highway to Black Jack, about 9 miles S. E. of Greenville, and bounded on the North by the lands of Mrs. Bettie Cox and Guy Dixon, on the East by the lands of Les Buck, Jesse Mills, Lester Mills and Jodie Williams, on the South by the School House lot, Roy Mills and Sam Smith, and on the West by Katherine Mills, Sam Smith and Griffin Rouse, and Ernest Williams of said lands made by W. C. Dressbach, C. E., on January 31, 1940, and being the same tract of land fully described in those two certain Deeds of Trust to W. O. McGibbony, Trustee, of record in Book D-23, page 597 and D-23, page 599 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County.

This sale will be made for the purpose of collecting the actual amount of cash loaned by Buna L. Arnold to W. S. Mills and wife.

Annie W. Mills, co-wit; \$400.00, together with the legal rate of interest thereon from the 12th day of April, 1940, and will also be subject to the lien of the two deeds of trust which appear in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book D-23, page 597 and Book D-23 page 599 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County.

This 14th day of Dec., 1940. BUNA L. ARNOLD, Mortgagee. Harding & Lee, Attys. Dec. 14-17w-4wk.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER EXECUTION

By virtue of authority of that certain execution issued out of the Superior Court of Pitt County by Hon. J. F. Harrington, Clerk of said Court, in the action of Herman Worthington et al vs. Pearl Sugg et al, and said Pearl Sugg having failed to pay said judgment which was declared a specific lien on the lands hereinafter described the undersigned sheriff of Pitt County will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash before the Court House door in Pitt County Greenville, N. C., on Monday the 3rd day of February, 1941, at 12 o'clock Noon the following lands:

Situate and being in Winterville township, Pitt County, being the southern end of the L. H. Worthington home place, joining the lands of Addie Worthington, A. W. Ange and others, Beginning at the intersection of the Greenville and New Bern road with a ditch, on the dividing line between the L. H. Worthington land and Addie V. Worthington, and running thence with the Addie V. Worthington line S. 85-50 E. 1872 feet to a corner.

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Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle DOWN 1. Tunnel or confusion 2. Large serpent 3. Firearm 4. Star 5. Thinly scattered 6. Wonderful or excellent 7. Limp 8. High tide at the first and third quarters of the moon 9. Euboeans 10. Tippling 11. Treason 12. Increases with grandeur 13. Pull 14. Cereal 15. Orientated 16. Lower part of a wall 17. First man 18. Toads 19. Toadstools 20. Departs 21. Inhabited house 22. Landslide 23. Son of Seth 24. Waste 25. Allowance 26. Lower part of a wall 27. Indiana 28. Laborers 29. Inhabitants of low lands 30. Inhabited house 31. First man 32. Toads 33. Toadstools 34. Departs 35. Son of Seth 36. Waste 37. Allowance 38. Lower part of a wall 39. Indiana 40. Laborers 41. Inhabitants of low lands 42. Inhabited house 43. First man 44. Toads 45. Toadstools 46. Departs 47. Inhabited house 48. Landslide 49. Son of Seth 50. Waste 51. Allowance 52. Lower part of a wall 53. Indiana 54. Laborers 55. Inhabitants of low lands 56. Inhabited house 57. First man 58. Toads 59. 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GHS Varsity Meet E. City; Girls Contest Goldsboro

FARLEY'S BOYS SEEK VICTORY

Farley Makes Change In Line-Up; John-On Sick List

By C. B. ROWLETT
Greenville High School's crippled varsity will meet the Elizabeth City Grey Ghosts tonight in the local gym under a grave disadvantage. This is the second meeting of the year for the two teams, Elizabeth City taking the first one.

Due to the fact that Coach Farley's proteges have lost three conference titles this season and one non-conference game a win has become almost a necessity for the Phantoms to have a chance in the championship play-offs, or to even get in the play-offs. This season's flue-ridden quintet has had one of the most unsuccessful years on the hardwood in the history of Greenville High School and two defeats of the three were by less-superior teams.

All the defeats this season are of disheartening nature, as they have been of two points or less. The first game of the season proved to be the most disheartening. Snow Hill topped the Phantoms 20-19. The next contest proved to be in the bag for the locals when they took the Roanoke Rapids Yellow Jackets 29-18, but the inferior jackets came back and threw the local varsity 18-16 the following week. Since then the Phantoms have dropped two more two-pointers. Goldsboro licked the locals 29-27 and Elizabeth City went ahead, 17-15.

Burney Warren, high scoring Phantom forward has returned to the varsity, but because of illness will not see much action. Larry James is still on the sick list and will not be in the game. Gene Johnson, suffering from a bruised hip will also be out.

Coach Farley's starting line-up will probably include, Corey, Turner or Spearman at forward, Andrews at center and Clark and Musselwhite at guards.

Among those who will see action as substitutes are Troy Riddle, Burney Warren and a host of others.

Hollywood Sights And Sounds

By Robbin Coon

Hollywood—Gene Autry's sensational climb is the big surprise of the latest box office star, rating, but equally remarkable is the return of another name that in the past three years was considered slipping.

This is Wallace Beery, rated eighth among the Motion Picture Herald's "top ten"—a group in which Autry, hitherto distinguished only as "top cowboy star" (which he still is) was placed fourth.

Both men point up strikingly the visual and mental log jam that is among Hollywood's curses.

Beery has been up and down in pictures for 30 years now, and around Hollywood he has been pretty much taken for granted. His pictures are never "colossal" and they frequently are dismissed hereabouts as "corny" and "the same old Beery stuff." Possibly most of Wall's films are both—but what Hollywood's complacency overlooked was that this year at least, paying patrons over the country loved his brand of "corn" and "stuff."

Beery for four years straight—until 1936—rated top ten and went into a decline until the new ratings revealed a remarkable comeback.

It's Official

D. C. Moore, Jr., secretary-treasurer of the Greenville baseball club today received a letter from Eddie Moore, owner of the Richmond team of the Piedmont league, stating that Greenville had definitely been selected as the spring training site.

Eddie Phillips, playing manager of the Colts, and the business manager of the team were in the city about three weeks ago and said Greenville probably would be selected, but promised to advise within a week.

A Richmond newspaper carried an article earlier in the week saying Greenville had been chosen and this news was relayed to Reflector subscribers. Today's letter, however, makes it definite and the Colts are expected to arrive here about the first of April for three weeks of training.

BASEBALL CLUB STOCKHOLDERS MEET HERE TONIGHT

Feller Signs With Indians, Flashes \$30,000 Grin



Bob Feller, the Iowa farm boy became one of the highest-paid pitchers in history when he signed a contract with the Cleveland Indians which is reported to call for \$30,000. The signing took place in Cleveland. Alva Bradley (left), president of the Indians, and Vice President C. C. Slapnicka (right) seem just as happy about it as Feller (center). But there's talk going around that Bob still isn't the highest-paid pitcher. Reports have it that old Buck Newsum of Hartsville, S. C., has signed with the Detroit Tigers at a price in excess of \$30,000.

SEXTET READY FOR QUAKERS

Jane Harrison, Lib Wells, Jane Scoville In Line-Up

By C. B. ROWLETT
Fresh from an early season defeat at the hands of the Kingston high school girls, the Lady Phantoms look for revenge in the game with the Goldsboro Quakettes tonight in the local gym. Game time is set for 7:30 as the girls are playing the preliminary to the boys' game. The local girls are favored to take the Goldsboro sextet.

Jane Harrison and Lib Wells guards and Jane Scoville, forward, have returned to the Phantomettes from the sick list. All girls are starters or alternate starters and will probably see action in tonight's contest. These three important links in the chain were absent for the season opener.

With the entire first string back from last season, Coach Robeson despite an early season loss, feels secure the girls will finish the season on top. Last year's Phantomettes lost only one game and tied one. Washington was the victor over the girls and Wilson managed to tie them.

Probable starting line-up for tonight's contest will include Jane Harrison, Doris Roberts and Lib Wells at guards, and Peggy West, Joy Flanagan, and Betty Tyson at forwards.

Slated to see action are Virginia Simpson, Jane Scoville, and a host of other capable reserves.

As William R. Weaver, Herald commentator, points out, he may have been helped by the "swing of interest to stories of America in the making," (such as his "Twenty Mule Team" and "In Old Wyoming") but he is still a star who "owes less than most to his material."

Autry, who has led the cowboy stars for three years, is in the peculiar position now of a "top ten" name which has practically no audience in this town that makes names. His new "Melody Ranch," budgeted at \$500,000 and boasting unusual supporting players for an Autry film—won showings at a downtown Los Angeles vaudeville house, but usually an Autry fan has to chase around among the suburban theaters to "find an Autry." The jolt from the poll may place him at last in the more elite show-cases, but our guess is that such a move would be shortlived.

A glance at the list of ten sacrosanct of the box office reveals that 1940 was preponderantly a man's year, with only Betty Davis and Judy Garland entering as ninth and

WILL BE HELD AT CITY HALL

Session To Convene In Aldermen's Room At 7:45

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Greenville Baseball Club, Inc., will be held in the Board of Aldermen's room at the Municipal building tonight at 7:45 o'clock.

The General meeting comes on the heels of two important meetings held by the Board of Directors of the club and each person owning stock in the local club is urged to be present tonight.

Final reports will be made on last year and plans will be discussed for the new season. The re-election of old officers or the selection of new ones may be reached at tonight's meeting in an effort to get things started in preparation for the opening of the new season—presuming of course that Greenville will be entered in the loop as is generally expected although no definite commitment has been made.

At its two meetings, the Board of Directors attempted to iron out all problems left from last year in order to present the stockholders with as near a clean slate as possible.

JOKER IS SEEN IN POWER BILL

Change In Wording Might Affect Municipal Plants

Reflector Bureau.
By HENRY AVERILL
Raleigh, Jan. 24.—Legislators from many counties in which there are municipalities in the electricity business are afraid they see a joker in the bill introduced by Representative Edwards of Swain.

It would change only three words in the existing law, but into those three little words these legislators are reading an effect far different from the purpose announced by the bill's author.

The present law provides that power businesses "owned or conducted" by municipalities shall not be subject to the Utilities Commission. The Edwards bill would change "owned or conducted" to "owned and operated."

First to see more than appears on the surface was Representative J. H. Cook of Cumberland, Fayetteville, in his county, owns the distribution system for its power; but does not generate it. Instead it purchases the juice from a utility. High Point is another city having something like the same setup.

There are many other cases in which the power business is "owned or conducted" by the municipality; but in which it is distinctly not "owned and operated."

The purported reason for the Edwards bill is to prevent utilities from masquerading under the guise of municipal plants and thereby avoiding and evading Utility Commission control; but Representative Cook is afraid the result would be that Fayetteville and other bona fide municipal purveyors of electric current would be unable to qualify for exemption from the commission under the "owned and operated" provision.

He, and others of his mind, aren't sure; but they think they spy a nigger in the wood pile. Anyhow the bill has been referred to as a subcommittee of which Cook is a member and will get more thorough study before it is reported to the House.

Houston, Tex. (AP) — Federal Judge T. M. Kennerly, en route to church, stopped at a hospital to visit a friend.

Coming out he absentmindedly dropped his church contribution envelope into a mail box.

Alaskan Capital Has 689 Aliens
Juneau, Alaska (AP) — Alaska's capital city has 689 alien residents, according to the registration completed at the end of 1940.

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Effective February 1st, Penalty of One Per Cent will be collected on all unpaid Taxes for 1940, as provided by law.

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MEAT SALT, SAUSAGE SEASON- ing, liquid smoke, pepper, sage, sausage grinders and stuffers, and all necessities for your hog killing. J. A. Watson, Seeds and Hardware, 2-1f

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WANTED - VACUUM CLEANERS to repair—Electrolux, Hoover, Eureka, or any make. We carry bags, cords and parts. Fleming Vacuum Cleaner Repair Service, Dial 2287, permanently located at 305 Paris Avenue. Jan. 9-1 mo.

THREE ROOM UNFURNISHED apartment for rent. 120 Albarne Ave. \$12.50.

FOR RENT - THREE ROOMS downstairs, sink in kitchen, bath, front and back entrance, garage and garden. Possession Feb. 1st. 409 Broad St., phone 2291. 21-6f

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STILL PAYING TOP PRICES FOR all kinds soybeans and shelled corn. J. B. Kittrell. 17-6f

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Groceries and General Merchandise
—on—
TUESDAY, Jan. 28
10:30 A.M.

At our Store, Hassell, N. C., we will sell at auction to highest bidder, our entire stock of General Merchandise, consisting of a clean line of "Peters" Shoes for men, women and children—Rubber Boots and Shoes—Dry Goods—Notions—Farm Hardware and Groceries. Each line will be sold separately and guaranteed as per inventory shown before sale. All Store Fixtures consisting of 7 Show Cases—1 pair Fairbanks Scales, 1,000-lb. capacity—1 pair New Toledo Computing Scales—One 280-gal. capacity Kerosene Oil Tank—Numerous Small Fixtures. Also Office Equipment consisting of 2 Adding Machines—1 practically new Portable Remington Typewriter—3 Steel Filing Cabinets—3 Office Desks and Chairs—1 large Iron Safe—One 1940 MODEL V-8 FORD TRUCK, V-8 H. P.—One 1941 MODEL V-8 FORD TRUCK, 95 H. P.

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SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY—Chocolate Marshmallow Roll—something different—something new. Chocolate Fudge Cake. People's Bakery.

Richmond Livestock
(Courtesy J. N. and J. L. Williams)
Richmond, Jan. 24.—Hogs, quotations are based on hogs producing hard carcasses after normal chilling. Hogs producing soft and oily carcasses are discounted 40 cents and 80 cents respectively from hard hog prices. Market 10 cents lower than Wednesday. Top \$8.15. Good and choice 180-225 lbs. \$7.95-\$8.15; 190-190 lbs. \$6.15-\$6.65; 120-140 lbs. \$6.85-\$7.15; 140-160 lbs. \$7.15-\$7.60; 160-180 lbs. \$7.60-\$7.95; 180-225 lbs. \$7.95-\$8.15; 225-250 lbs. \$7.45-\$7.65; 250-300 lbs. \$7.15-\$7.65; over 300 lbs. \$7.05-\$7.55. Sows under 350 lbs. \$6.40-\$6.90; over 350 lbs. \$5.90-\$6.40. Cattle, market on cows weak, around 25-50 cents lower. Practical top on fat dairy type cows \$5.75 with the bulk of canners and cutters \$3.50-\$4.50. Bulls weak to 25 cents lower, practical top \$6.50 with good beef breed a little higher; light weights around \$5.00-\$5.50 vealers weak. Good nearbys around \$12.00, strictly choice up to \$12.50, mediums mostly \$3.00-\$3.00, common \$6.00-\$7.00.

Chicago Grain Market
(Courtesy Vernon Parrish)
WHEAT—Open Close Pr. Cl
May 85 86 85 87
July 79 80 79 81
Sept. 80 81 80 82
CORN—
Dec. 63 63 63 63
July 63 63 63 63
Sept. 63 63 63 63
OATS—
May 36 36 36 36
July 33 33 33 33
Sept. 32 32 32 32
RYE—
May 45 45 45 45
July 46 46 46 46

Hog Markets
Richmond 8.15
Rocky Mount 7.90

New York Cotton
New York, Jan. 24.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened one to two higher. Midday quotations were ahead one to two points, March 10.43; July 10.35; October 9.93.

N. Y. Stock Market
New York, Jan. 24.—(AP)—It required no particular pressure to push leading stocks down fractions to a point or so in today's market. Slightly mixed tendencies persisted at the start in slow dealings. Scattered issues managed to cling to minor advances, but buying timidity was pronounced near the fourth hour.

N. Y. Stock List

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| American Radiator | 6 1/2 |
| American Telephone | 168 1/2 |
| American Tobacco B | 71 1/2 |
| Anacosta | 25 1/2 |
| A. C. L. | 16 1/2 |
| Atlantic Refining | 23 1/2 |
| Bendix Aviation | 23 1/2 |
| Bethlehem Steel | 84 1/2 |
| Chrysler | 67 1/2 |
| Col. Gas and Electric | 4 1/2 |
| Commercial Solvent | 10 1/2 |
| Consolidated Oil | 5 1/2 |
| Curtis Wright | 8 1/2 |
| Dupont | 154 |
| General Electric | 34 1/2 |
| General Motors | 44 1/2 |
| Montgomery Ward | 37 1/2 |
| Reynolds Tobacco B | 33 1/2 |
| Southern Railway | 13 1/2 |
| Standard Oil of N. J. | 34 1/2 |
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Pitt County Youth Makes Report On Now Able To Walk Seal Sale In City

Dr. N. Thomas Ehnert, Pitt county health officer, at the request of the committee in charge of the President's Birthday Ball, today submitted a report on a certain infantile paralysis case which has been greatly benefited through funds realized from former balls.

"The boy's first name is Dennis and for the purpose of the article prepared by the health officer, will be known as Dennis Doe. The report submitted by Dr. Ehnert follows:

"Dennis Doe at the age of one year, had farial paralysis which resulted in the paralysis of his entire right leg. He grew up without any use at all of his right leg, and as is the case with paralyzed limbs, the leg atrophied, or wasted away, until it was little more than skin and bone. The knee was simply a loose joint over which he had no control whatever.

"When Dennis was old enough to use crutches, he was able to get about from place to place, but of course, was unable to do any hand work, since his hands to be occupied in supporting himself.

"Dennis, whose home is on farm, entered the Greenville crippled children's clinic July 2, 1937, at which time he was 14 years of age. He gave no history of having been previously in the hands of an orthopaedist, that is, a doctor who specializes in treating cripples.

"Dr. Hugh A. Thompson of Raleigh, who conducts the Greenville clinic, first put this boy's leg in a plaster cast and later stabilized his right foot. Later still, Dr. Thompson put him in the hospital, and in order to give him weight bearing function in the right leg, decided to operate on the right knee-joint doing what is known as a fusion operation, that is, an operation that would cause the knee joint to fuse or become fixed so it would have no bending function whatever, and in this way give the boy a weight bearing leg which with a high shoe and a leg brace would enable Dennis to walk without crutches.

"Dennis is now something over 17 years of age and when I saw him about a month ago, he told me how helpless he was for ordinary work on the farm when he had to use crutches, and said 'Now I can chop wood, load carts, and do most any kind of work on the farm as good as anybody else.'

"The history of this boy is an instance of where the President's Ball Fund has helped to convert a helpless infantile paralysis case into a happy, self-supporting individual. If you believe the age of miracles has passed, imagine a boy helpless from birth to the age of 14 and then through the aid of medical science, within a short period of three years, is restored to practically a normal person.

"If the citizens of Pitt county will but remember the story of Dennis, they cannot forget to support the President's Birthday Ball."

Seek Save Life Of Carolina Student

Chapel Hill, Jan. 24.—(AP)—Doctors used a rare type of blood today in intra-muscular injections in a desperate attempt to save the life of a young University of North Carolina student.

Mrs. Rose McMullen of Washington, D. C., who came here early today with the parents of the student, John Hinton Page, left some of her blood, described as a rare type, after it was found it would not match for a direct transfusion.

Young Page developed a dreaded type of pneumonia during the day yesterday. University infirmary attaches would say only that "he is still here."

Mr. and Mrs. Page chartered a plane in Washington late last night and brought Mrs. McMullen with them to Raleigh.

Waiting for the party at the Raleigh airport early this morning was Congressman Harold D. Cooley, who had come from his home at Nashville to arrange for a Highway Patrol escort for the Pages from the airport to Chapel Hill.

The elder Page is assistant to the architect of the United States, R. D. W. Connor.

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Melvin was not sentenced immediately. Defense counsel announced intention to appeal and the court allowed 60 days for perfection of the appeal.

Mrs. James S. Ficklen, Greenville Chairman of the Tuberculosis Christmas Seal Sale, Today Made a Report on the Sale.

The report reveals that to date \$850 has been raised through the sale of bonds and \$180.64 through the sale of seals, making a grand total of \$1,030.64.

Mrs. Ficklen stated that while the amount raised was not so large as that for 1939, at the same time in view of the fact that the campaign was late in getting under way and in view of the generally disturbed conditions throughout the country, she felt that the citizens of Greenville responded most generously.

Mrs. Ficklen expressed great appreciation for the understanding spirit in which the good citizens of Greenville supported this effort to raise funds for tuberculosis control.

The several chairmen who assisted Mrs. Ficklen were: Mrs. Ed Batchelor, chairman of bond sales; Mrs. Jack Edwards, publicity chairman; Mrs. R. J. Slay, chairman of clubs; Mrs. J. L. Winstead, chairman of schools, and Miss Jean Hodges, chairman of booths. Dr. C. R. Graves, chairman for the city negro population. To these chairmen, Mrs. Ficklen assigns much of the credit for the success of the Christmas seal sale.

Mrs. Ficklen explained that she hoped to make this report to the public immediately after January 1st but that it had been held up awaiting a report from the chairman of the negro population.

She stated that while she was still unable to secure this report, she was not willing to longer withhold her report to the public through the public press.

Eight Face Trial In Friday's City Court

Two defendants were convicted in Municipal court this morning of running over a water hose at the scene of a fire, but prayer for judgment was continued in each case. The two defendants were Carl Scott and J. A. Clark, both white.

Other cases tried at the session were: James Milton Butler, driving drunk, acquitted; Sam Vaughn, drunk, pay costs; Robert Whitchard, assault on female, action dismissed and prosecuting witness, Odell Anderson, taxed with one-half costs; Richard Raves, colored, larceny, 60 days on road; John D. Foreman, colored, disorderly conduct and damaging personal property, acquitted.

Macclesfield Farmer Given 15-Year Term

Tarboro, Jan. 24.—(AP)—Judge W. C. Harris today sentenced John T. Wallace, 60, Macclesfield farmer convicted of second degree murder of a young University of North Carolina student. He was convicted yesterday in connection with the slaying of Major Johnson of Rocky Mount at a filling station October 5.

Defense counsel announced intention of appeal and bond was fixed at \$6,000. Wallace pleaded self-defense at the trial.

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The superintendent also disclosed that the epidemic spread to the colored schools today for the first time since the recent outbreak.

Absences at the high school are back to about normal, it was explained by Mr. Rose, who added however, that the number of students out of the elementary schools was greater today and yesterday than on any day recently.

Model and his hand launch glider. His gas model "Nomad" placed third in the Raleigh contest. Interesting to note is the fact that his Kordia made a 20-minute out of sight flight on an unofficial test flight. These planes are included in the collection on view.

Duncan's other models include "Quaker Flash," a gas model with wing span of 5 feet 7 inches, weighing 3-1-4 pounds and powered by a 1-5 horsepower motor; "Clodhopper," a rubber powered model with a folding propeller, the original of which was an international champion two years ago; a rubber powered stick model, whose best flight has been one minute 13 seconds; an indoor model weighing approximately 1-50 of an ounce and covered with microfilm.

Phil Goodson's 7-foot tow line glider flew 1 minute 10 seconds on the first afternoon it was tested. His "Miss Tiny" gas model has a wing span of 46 inches and is powered by a 1-2 horsepower "Brownie" motor. Phil's Concord model, a 7-foot tow line glider, flew 1 minute 7 seconds on the first day it was tested. Other interesting models by this young craftsman include an autogiro, model of one of the first successful ones; P-26-A, a built-up model of a past army pursuit; a Kordia "Wakefield" the original of which was the international champion last year; another Kordia whose best flying time has been 1 minute 30 seconds.

Ralph Fleming contributes an original design in his "Hellcat Bomber" solid scale model. His "Mercury" with 1-7 horsepower gas model has not been flown yet but the original holds many national records. "Kadet," a rubber powered model making flights of 40 seconds; and "Jane," a streamlined 4-foot model sailplane boasting flights of over 1 minute are more of Ralph's contributions to the collection.

William Harris contributes "Jitterbug," said to be the most perfect model he has run right out from under his hand. He also shows two beautifully executed tempera paintings of a German Messerschmitt ME-109 and a consolidated PB2A.

G. A. Taylor, Jr., shows a Kordia model, which has not been flown yet, the original of which flew 54 minutes.

Dr. Stuart Ward is represented by an impressive looking red and white gas powered model "Kildie," with a 7-foot wing span and a 1-5 horsepower engine which is a veteran of the air, having made many fine flights.

A. C. Henry exhibits the fuselage of a "Mercury" gas model in the process of construction. Dennis Fleming's small model is the fourth in a series of planes to teach beginners to build models. Joe Goodson, in the beginners' class, has placed on exhibit an endurance model, an R.O.G. model, a baby R.O.G. model, and a hand launch glider.

These young aeronautic enthusiasts are to be highly commended for their splendid collection. It may be seen at the Greenville WPA Art Gallery in the Sheppard Memorial Library daily from 2 to 6 p. m., and on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 7 to 9 p. m., through Saturday, February 1.

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SAYS SCHOOLS NEED CHANGES

Appropriations Chairman Urges Complete Revamping
Raleigh, Jan. 24.—John Kerr, Jr., chairman of the House appropriations committee, sees a complete change in the educational aims of North Carolina's school system as a vital necessity. Vocational education he told the American Legion luncheon club, is not receiving the emphasis it should, while the "liberal arts" group has a strangle hold on the present educational setup.

"Unless there is a drastic change in objectives—and that right soon the so-called educational leaders of North Carolina are going to wake up wondering why their public schools are not doing better than they are," he said, while stressing his belief that the fear of the "teacher group" felt by many politicians is far fetched and fanciful.

He pointed to a growing demand from the public for a new and more constructive educational policy.

"Our whole system is now based on sending high school graduates to college, when all the time we know that three-fourths of them cannot and will not go there. The rest are turned out without knowing how to do anything to make a living," he declared. "The people are beginning

AIR FILLED BY TALK OF HOEY

Rumors Flying Fast Regarding Future Activities
Raleigh, Jan. 24.—Whether because of his continuing general personal popularity, or just because folks like to talk about somebody else's business, it is a fact that more rumors are flying around about what former Governor Hoey is going to do, than there are facts about what the legislature is doing.

One man passed it on yesterday as "absolute fact, just heard from Shelby" that Governor Hoey had been tentatively tendered presidency of Duke University and had accepted.

Another man with equal certainty to realize this and are asking pointedly if a system that costs more than \$27,000,000 a year and does more than is now being done is worth it.

"As for the teachers as a political threat—we've got as fine a group of teachers in Warren county as anywhere, but they never have carried an election down there and never will."

He gave no indication of his idea of the proper sized appropriations for vocational education, but he very definitely left the impression he favors a big increase over present figures.



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by advised that there is no truth in that "because Governor Hoey has a better job with the Duke Power Company." Still another feels sure that the ex-governor is keeping an eye single and peeled on Bob Reynolds' seat in Washington and will do nothing to interfere with plans to go to the senate in 1944.

One thing may be stated with emphasis: Clyde R. Hoey has had a lot of stationary printed and has fitted up an office for the practice of law at Shelby.

Another piece of news, with less certainty but upon excellent authority may be stated: Dr. R. L. Flowers, acting president of Duke University will be elected next week by the board of trustees as president. Dr. Flowers' age is against him, but he is doing the work and has the responsibility, to the trustees are going to give him the title Meritum, they will keep on the lookout for a suitable man to take over management of the rapidly developing institution some time within the next few years when Dr. Flowers has to give it up.

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