

YUGOSLAVIA-TURKEY-SOVIET TREATY IS TALKED

DEFENSE AIMS TO BE RUSHED BY ROOSEVELT

Chief Executive Back At Desk Following Cruise

GREEKS TO GET FT. BRAGG GUNS

President Also Expected To Add Impetus To Efforts To Bring Halt To Labor Disputes

Washington, April 1. — (AP)—President Roosevelt, rested after a short fisherman's holiday in southern waters, returned to the White House today.

He was met at the station by his son, James Roosevelt.

The President had indicated he would return to see a prompt series of steps to increase the flow of military supplies to Britain and Greece.

There also was reason to believe that Mr. Roosevelt's home-coming might impart renewed impetus to efforts to end labor disputes which have been troubling industries contributing to the national defense program.

This belief was encouraged by the fact that the President, while en route, brought his personal influence to bear in an effort to forestall a threatened tie-up in the soft coal industry—a number one fuel source for the steel mills so essential in the defense production scheme.

The hint was strongest, however on the subject of a quickening tempo in the administration's "all-out" aid policy.

In fact, it became known that Mr. Roosevelt, in a conference with Major General James Burns, War Department munitions expert, had discussed methods for accelerating the British and Greek aid programs, as he covered the final lap of his trip back to Washington.

Furthermore, when he disclosed at Fort Bragg, N. C., late yesterday that a number of 75 millimeter guns were waiting there for early shipment to Greece, the President had let reporters know that the World War field pieces were not the only military equipment earmarked for the Greeks.

General Burns joined the presidential party at Fort Bragg, and rode on up to Washington.

Vichy Protesting British Shelling

Washington, April 1. — (AP)—Gaston Henry-Haye, the French ambassador, today delivered to the State Department for transmittal to the British government a protest from the Vichy government against the shelling by British warships of a convoy of French merchantmen off the coast of Algiers.

The ambassador explained to newspapermen that since there was no direct diplomatic intercourse between Vichy and London, the French government was asking the friendly cooperation of the United States in transmitting the note.

Henry-Haye also said he would explain to State Department officials the details of the barter arrangements under which foodstuffs have been exchanged between occupied and unoccupied zones in France.

U. S.-Mexico Pact

Washington, April 1. — (AP)—The United States and Mexico today signed a convention providing for reciprocal use of air fields which will permit American military planes to speed to Panama in the shortest possible time.

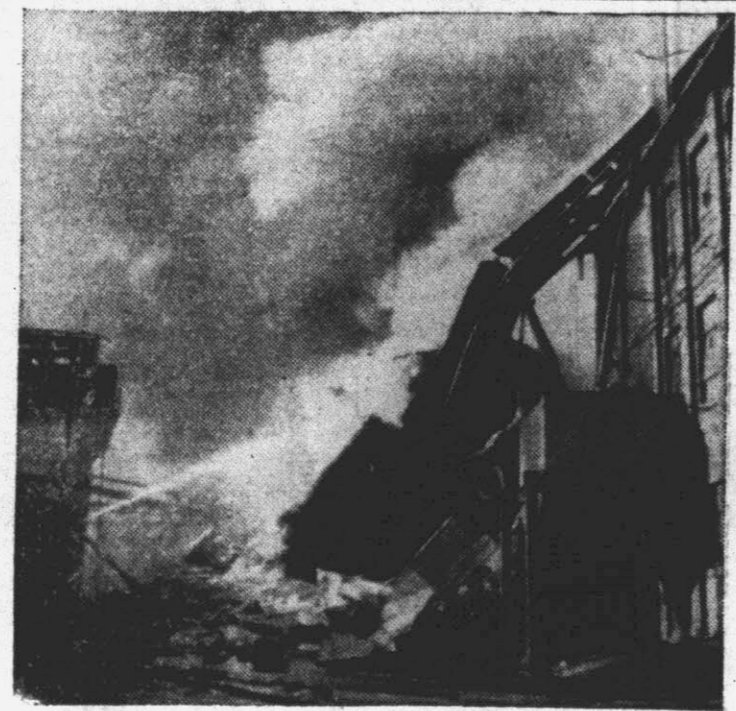
Washington, April 1. — (AP)—The United States and Mexico, it was learned authoritatively today have concluded negotiations of a defense agreement providing for reciprocal use of air fields and bases.

The agreement, qualified authorities stated, would greatly strengthen the aerial defenses of the Panama Canal, by making it possible for the United States to shift air force reinforcements rapidly southward from this side of the Rio Grande if danger threatened the Canal Zone.

This new defense compact, officials said, is now ready for formal signing by representatives of the two governments, and will become operative once it has been ratified by Mexico's Congress.

Two Shot In Disorders As Miners Go Out On Strike; More Disorders Elsewhere

\$100,000 Oil Plant Fire



Twisted wreckage of a conveyor or boom against a background of smoke as firemen pour water on a filter house in the Quaker State Oil Refining Corporation plant at Emontion, Pa., where an explosion and fire killed two men and caused damage estimated at \$100,000.

Germany, Italy Demand Release Of Axis Ships

WRECK FATAL TO PEDESTRIAN

A. Cannon, 67, Killed When Struck By Auto

Alonzo Cannon, 67, of the Chapman crossroads section near the Pitt-Craven line, was instantly killed last night when he was struck by a car being driven by Troy Lee Jones of the Clay Root section. The accident occurred about 7:30 o'clock at Shelmerville.

A coroner's inquest was conducted at the scene shortly after the collision and resulted in a verdict that the man came to his death through his own negligence. It was brought out that the man had been drinking during the afternoon and that a broken whiskey bottle was found on his person following the accident. Jones, who was said to have been driving toward Greenville at about 50 miles an hour, was absolved of any blame.

Cannon was said to have been in Greenville during the afternoon and was walking home when he stepped from the side of the left of the highway directly into the path of the oncoming car.

Funeral services will be conducted at the grave in the Cannon family cemetery near Littlefield Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. J. B. Roberts, Primitive Baptist minister of Farmville.

Call District Meet Of Wildcat Division

A district meeting of members of the 81st (Wildcat) Division has been called for Washington, N. C., Sunday and all members of the unit living in this section are urged to attend.

Plans will be made for the annual convention of the Wildcat Division. The meeting is scheduled to get under way at 3 o'clock, with a barbecue supper to follow at 6 o'clock. Following the supper, an open meeting will be held at 7 o'clock.

Diamond back terrapins are being bred at the rate of 15,000 a year at the U. S. marine laboratories at Beaufort, N. C.

Also Call On United States To Free Crew Members

Washington, April 1. — (AP)—Germany and Italy have demanded that the United States release Axis ships taken into protective custody during the week-end and also members of the crews, it was relayed today.

The demands were made in notes of protest lodged with the State Department by the Axis embassies late yesterday.

The State Department and the embassies alike declined to make public the contents of the notes.

In neither note was there any mention of sabotage—the grounds which the government gave for taking over the ships—it was understood.

Secretary of State Hull indicated that the protests were receiving scant consideration and would have no effect on the government's policy.

Vanceboro Now In Greenville System

The Greenville Utilities Commission today formally took over the Vanceboro electric system and from now on will provide that Craver county town with power.

Martin Swartz, superintendent of the local utilities plant, Larry Brown, another official, and R. B. Lee, city attorney, went to Vanceboro this morning to complete the deal. The transfer was signed by A. L. Blow, mayor of Vanceboro, to whom the \$25,000 purchase price was presented.

There are approximately 400 customers served in the Vanceboro area and it is estimated that there are equally that many more potential customers.

For a short while the Greenville Utilities will continue to get power from the Washington plant, buying it at wholesale and selling it to Vanceboro customers, but it is expected that the local plant's lines can be extended by the latter part of the month and the new area served directly from this plant.

Heretofore Vanceboro has been buying electricity wholesale from Washington and retailing it to the customers of that town. All legal phases of the transfer were concluded today, however, with the delivery of deed and actual transfer of property.

Two Men Wounded As Picket Lines Are Formed In Harlan County Coal Fields

Following Strike Order Effective at Midnight; New Labor Difficulties At Allis-Chalmers Milwaukee Plant

Harlan, Ky., April 1. — (AP)—Two men were shot and wounded today as picket lines formed in the Harlan county coal fields after the United Mine Workers, of America ordered miners to quit work last midnight until a new working contract is negotiated for the Appalachian area.

Earl Jones, about 52, a mine guard was wounded at the Mary Helen Coal Corporation.

At the Harlan-Central Coal Corporation, Frank Joyner, 34, identified by police as a picket, was shot in the leg. It was not immediately determined how Joyner was wounded, police said.

The sheriff arrested and charged with the shooting of Jones a man identified as Bill Gibbs, about 40, a miner from the Black Mountain mine.

Milwaukee, April 1. — (AP)—Disorder broke out again today at one of the main gates of the Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Company as striking CIO United Automobile Workers attempted to halt a back-to-work movement.

Follicemen and deputy sheriffs batted a crowd which stretched for two blocks along South 7th street, which runs along the company's main office. One officer was emceed with yellow paint from a bottle thrown from the crowd.

Several fist fights between returning workers and members of the crowd broke out shortly before the first shift started to work at 8 a. m.

Apparently no one was hurt seriously.

Many Expected At High School Day

Over 2,000 prospective guests have already signed their intention of visiting East Carolina Teachers College on the sixth annual High School Day, to be held next Tuesday, April 8, and many more replies are expected today and tomorrow. Those who have already accepted will bring in visitors from a wide range, as they represent 66 schools in 25 counties.

The program will follow in general the plan of former years, except that the order of events on the morning assembly program may be altered to allow for broadcasting, for which arrangements are now being made with the local station. Also, greater prominence will be given to exhibits of work in the various departments by arranging for more time to visit them in the morning.

There will be extensive exhibits in many fields. The dramatics rooms alone will have a fifteen-unit exhibit, and there will be displays in other English work, in commerce, science, history, and many other fields.

The program follows: Registration—9:30 to 11:00; visiting of exhibits on the campus—10:00 to 11:45; softball game, Pitt vs. Wilson county—10:30; program in Wright building, with music by the Ahsok band, roll call of counties, and welcome by President Meadows—11:45; luncheon—12:45; and entertainment features from 1:30 on through the afternoon, including moving pictures, dancing, and a baseball game.

Suggests That U.S. Take Over Plants

Washington, April 1. — (AP)—Chairman Vinson (D-Go.) of the House Naval Committee introduced today legislation to permit the government to take over the Allis-Chalmers and other strike-bound defense plants upon determination merely that such stoppages are interfering with the defense program.

Authoritative sources have hinted that such a measure might be offered with administrative backing. Vinson said, however, that "I am doing this on my own hook."

In a statement to newsmen he added that the legislation was designed to apply to strikers who the conscription act now applies to plant owners.

NAZI TARGETS ARE ATTACKED BY RAF CRAFT

Four German Cities And One In Holland Raided

NEW TYPE BOMB USED BY BRITISH

British Shipping Losses Down, But London Spokesman Warns Against Too Much Optimism

By The Associated Press

British Royal Air Force raiders were declared today to have smashed at five cities of Germany and German-occupied territory, injected a new type of high explosive bomb into aerial warfare with "devastating" results, and bombed and machine-gunned German troops on parade.

The London Air Ministry said the RAF made assaults on four cities in the Reich, and one in the Nazi-held port of Rotterdam, Holland.

Berlin said that British night raiders, flying over Western Germany, bombed the Bethel charity hospital, killing 11 patients and injuring five.

A London communique said the new type explosive bomb was introduced in the raid on Emden Nazi port and industrial city.

"Houses took to the air when the bombs burst," the British said. "Masses of debris flying through the air were outlined against the glow of the fires and the results appeared to be devastating."

A German destroyer was declared to have been hit, causing her to "slew around" and halt with a heavy list.

British shipping losses for the week ended March 23, as reported by the London Admiralty, dropped lower than for the previous three weeks—a loss of 17 ships totaling 59,141 tons.

"It would be unwise, however, to deduce that our troubles are nearly over or that we have mastered this great menace to our ultimate victory," a London spokesman said.

Blalock Said To Be Co-op Candidate

By HENRY AVERILL

Raleigh, April 1.—Representative U. B. Blalock of Anson county is reportedly reported to have pitched his hat into the ring reserved for those scrambling for the post of chairman of the State Rural Electrification Authority.

According to these sources he is more than just an individual seeking a state post for himself and with only such endorsements as he can drum up among personal and political friends. He is, 'tis said, the candidate of the electrical cooperatives which now operate in 85 counties of North Carolina.

Ever since establishment of the state REA there has been more or less "usually more" friction between it and the federal REA organization, due primarily to a basic difference in point of view—the state agency holding that its function is to get power lines built, no matter by whom, while the feds have seemed at times to have been as much interested in battling the "power companies" as in getting farm lines up.

It followed that the electric cooperatives set up through federal REA funds have not always been completely cordial in their relations with the state agency; and now that there is going to be a complete overhauling of REA machinery, these co-ops are anxious that the head man be one they approve.

Mr. Blalock is president of the Pee Dee Electrical Membership corporation and from that fact becomes a very logical choice of the cooperatives.

Some time ago it appeared that the cooperatives were boosting a Caldwell county man (name of Ice, your reporter is told); but trial balloons sent up for him could not be kept inflated.

Music Note.

Oklahoma City, Okla. — Reporting on the appearance of an accordion band before the student body and a parent-teacher audience, the Blackwell, Okla., Journal says: "The music was enjoyed, but the audience liked best of all the way the youngsters kept time with heads, mouth and feet."

One out of every four physicists in the United States, it is estimated, is working on problems of national defense.

Seized Ship's Propeller Sawed



When Coast Guardsmen seized the Italian freighter Ada O. in New Orleans harbor under government orders, they found the 14-inch propeller shaft sawed almost in two. Coast Guard Lieut. E. J. Roland inspects the damaged shaft with the hacksaw still embedded. The freighter was among more than 60 Italian, German and Danish vessels taken into custody by the Coast Guard in United States ports because some crew members were sabotaging their own ships.

Official Capitulation Of Asmara Announced

Capital Of Italian Eritrea Falls To British

Cairo, Egypt, April 1. — (AP)—Asmara, capital of Eritrea, capitulated to the British today, it was officially announced tonight.

Cairo, Egypt, April 1. — (AP)—Further extensive advances into Eritrea and Ethiopia were reported by British general headquarters today.

Hundreds of miles to the north-west, in Libya, British advance elements were reported to have been in contact with "enemy"—presumably Italian and German infantry and mechanized units in the Mersa Veroga area.

The latter, indefinite as it was the first report in several days of movements in the North African phase of the campaign against Italy's African empire.

The Ethiopian campaign was said to be rapidly nearing Addis Ababa capital of that part of Italian East Africa, with British forces astride both the Addis Ababa-Jibuti railway and a highway.

Trailers Sent To Wilmington Yards

Washington, April 1. — (AP)—After an inspection by government officials, 50 auto trailers, the first of 365 to provide temporary shelters for defense shipyard workers at Wilmington, N. C., moved out of Washington this afternoon en route to the North Carolina city.

The trailers, each towed by an automobile, were expected to begin arriving in Wilmington tomorrow and officials said all probably would be there by Thursday. Meantime, another group of 50 was reported on the way by another route from factories in Michigan.

The trailers are furnished with stoves, bunks, electric lights and other conveniences.

Pre-Easter Services To Be Held In City

Next week, April 7-11 inclusive pre-Easter services will be conducted as in former years at Jarvis Methodist church. The hour for this service will be 8 to 8:30 a. m.

The following ministers will conduct the services: Monday, Rev. W. A. Ryan; Tuesday, Rev. Clarence Patrick; Wednesday, Rev. Robert S. Boyd; Thursday, Rev. John Armfield; and Friday, Rev. J. D. Simons. These services have been arranged with the school children in mind, and it is hoped that the parents will attend and bring them. The service will be on schedule and the school authorities are cooperating with the churches in this religious service each day.

The public is cordially invited to attend each service, Robert S. Boyd, secretary of the Ministers' Alliance, declared.

Neutrality Declaration Considered

Such A Proposal Reported To Have Been Suggested Some Time Ago By Russia, But Ignored By Regent Prince Paul; Pact Would Have Psychological Effect On Germany

Belgrade, Yugoslavia, April 1. — (AP)—Government circles said today Yugoslavia's new government was seriously considering joining Soviet Russia and Turkey in a neutrality declaration.

Such a declaration was said to have been proposed by the Soviet Union, but ignored by Regent Prince Paul, who was ousted last week with the government that signed the Axis three-power treaty.

Belief was expressed in informed quarters here that such a declaration could have an important psychological effect on the critical relations between Germany and Yugoslavia.

Gabrilovic, former Yugoslav minister to Moscow and now minister without portfolio in the Yugoslav cabinet, was said to have been sent to Ankara as a special envoy to discuss the question, and then headed to Moscow.

Premier General Simovic, gradually reorganizing the country, appointed four men friendly to his regime as district governors.

The government also delivered its offer to the demands of the Croat minority. Terms were not disclosed. Croat leaders studied them at Zegreb.

Rumors which could not be confirmed said that British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden and General Sir John Dill, chief of Britain's imperial general staff, would come here soon. (Such reports also were heard in Berlin, but an authoritative source in London called them "feelers" to sound out British intention and said there was "no confirmation.")

Despite German-Yugoslav tension both countries continued to maintain relations and the opinion was expressed in some quarters that the situation might not be clarified for another 10 days.

Seeks Compromise On Argentine Beef

Washington, April 1. — (AP)—Senator Adams (D-Col.) sought today to compromise a Senate controversy over army and navy purchases of Argentine canned beef and other foreign products by offering an amendment to a \$4,000,000,000 defense appropriations bill permitting such purchases under restricted conditions.

With the administration planning to seek reconsideration of yesterday's 34 to 29 vote for prohibition of such purchases, Adams proposed that the army and navy be permitted to buy foreign food and clothing when similar articles could not be procured "of satisfactory quality and in sufficient quantities and at reasonable prices" in the United States.

Senator Byrnes (D-S. C.) an opponent of the restriction, said he did not consider Adams' substitute satisfactory and indicated that the administration would pursue its plan to seek a reversal of yesterday's vote.

Take Over Nazi Line.

Lima, Peru, April 1. — (AP)—Peruvian troops have occupied the workshop and hanger of the German Air Lines here. There are two Junkers airplanes at the hangar. The occupation was carried out last night.

Two Negroes were convicted of escaping from the county home and each was given a 30-day road sentence, to be served at the expiration of the sentence they were serving when they escaped. They were Lester Ellis and George W. Chapman.

Several other cases were removed from the docket by being continued indefinitely or through nol proseques.

Explosion On Destroyer.

Kearney, N. J., April 1. — (AP)—One workman was killed and two were seriously injured today in an acetylene gas explosion in the hull of a U. S. navy destroyer under construction on the Federal Shipbuilding and Drydock Company yards.

The cause of the accident and the extent of the damage has not been determined.

Ice of the Angel Glacier in Jasper National Park, Canada, is from 150 to 300 feet deep at the base.

Weather Report

J. A. CLARK (Always Observer) TEMPERATURES High yesterday 71 Low yesterday 53 At 1:30 p. m. today 57 PRECIPITATION In inches For 24 hrs. ending 1:30 p. m. .04 Total for month .04 BAROMETER (Pressure) 7:30 last night 29.91 7:30 this morning 29.72 Prevailing Wind and Velocity 7:30 last night E-3 1:30 p. m. today SE-4

# Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Buck, Mrs. Gay Harris and Mary Harris were visitors of friends and relatives in Fayetteville Friday.

Mrs. R. L. Braswell and children of Laurinburg spent the week-end with Mrs. Braswell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Eilers.

Marvin Buck of Fayetteville spent the week-end at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Buck of near Grimesland.

Mr. Robert Forbes of Fort Bragg spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Forbes of Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Eilers, Mrs. William Watkins and Miss Helen Eagles of Wilmington were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Eilers.

Mrs. R. R. Smith and family will return today from Tampa, Fla., and will reside at their home on Woodlawn avenue for the present. Mr. Smith has been transferred to Norfolk.

Law Sumner of Fayetteville spent today in Greenville.

F. L. Blount of Bethel was here today.

Jesse Franklin Mumford is seriously ill in Pitt General Hospital.

Mrs. L. M. Ernest and Mrs. Luna Dupree are spending a few days in Durham.

Miss Doris Benson of Nashville, N. C., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Pierson Hessel.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther West and children of Currituck spent the week-end with Miss Nellie Denny and Mrs. Edward Austin. Mr. West has returned to Currituck. Mrs. West and son Austin will spend the remainder of the week here.

Mrs. C. T. Reid is ill at her home on East Fourth street.

Mrs. Hortense Moye has returned from a visit in Tarboro.

Mrs. Robert McKenzie and Mrs. Fowle of Washington were here yesterday.

Coy L. Forbes of Stokes is getting along nicely following an operation in the Veterans' Hospital at Keoughtan, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Pierce and Robert Pierce of Farmville were Greenville visitors yesterday.

Mr. Keel III. Friends of R. V. Keel will regret to learn that he is in Pitt General Hospital, following an operation.

Mrs. Boyd Leaves Hospital. Mrs. Robert S. Boyd has returned to her home on East Ninth street from Pitt General Hospital.

In Sanatorium. Mr. W. D. Pruitt is a patient in Tacoma Park Sanatorium in Washington, D. C.

Quarterly Conference. The second quarterly conference of this year will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock at Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church. Rev. J. A. Russell, district superintendent of the New Bern district, will be present. Following the conference, the Board of Stewards will hold their regular monthly meeting. All officials of the church are requested to be present.

Spring Furnishings. Come in and see the spring furnishings. Cool, crisp fabrics for curtains, draperies and slip covers in new color combinations. Rugs, furniture and smart accessories. Lelia Higgs' Studio. 29-31-2-4

Miss Bray Gives Reading. "Family Portrait," beautifully read by Miss Ruth Bray, an English major and a senior at the college and pupils of speech under Mrs. J. H. Rose, was the drama appropriately chosen for the Lenten season and presented last night in Ragsdale Hall at the meeting of the drama-reading group of the American Association of University Women. A large attendance not only of members of the organization but also of other lovers of good drama attested the popularity of this form of cultural recreation.

Miss Bray, by her sympathetic interpretation of the drama and her fine responsive voice, made familiar all members of the family of Joseph and Mary of Nazareth, created a deep sympathy with them in their human sufferings because of the noble but strange deeds of the eldest son Jesus, and deepened the sense of reverence for the crucified Christ. Particularly touching and real was "Mary the Mother in her love of Jesus and her difficulties with the other members of her family because of this strange son; and as the play closed, the listeners knew that "Family Portrait" would for all time help fulfill Mary's wish "I don't want them to forget Him."

Miss Bray, who is from EL,abeth City, is specializing in speech and dramatics. Last year she studied these subjects in the University of Kentucky. In East Carolina Teachers College, where she will be graduated in June, she has been prominent in dramatics, having played the part of the leading lady in "The Skull" presented last fall, having served as assistant director of "Rama," the recent successful play by the senior class, and now being cast to play the part of Catherine in "Wuthering Heights" to be presented early in May.

## Social Calendar

**TUESDAY**  
7:30 p. m.—St. Mary's Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church will meet.

7:30 p. m.—The Official Board of the Christian Church meets at the church.

7:30 p. m.—Chapter 149 of the Eastern Star meets.

7:45 p. m.—Camille Gray Guild meets with Miss Margaret Wilson, in the Colonial apartments. Miss Mamie Ruth Tunstall will be assisting hostess.

8:00 p. m.—Miss Thelma Jones will be hostess to the Business Girls' Circle of Immanuel Baptist Church.

**WEDNESDAY**  
10:00 a. m.—1:00 p. m.—Bundles for Britain workshop.

7:30 p. m.—Mid-week prayer service at Presbyterian Church.

8:00 p. m.—The members of Memorial Baptist Church will meet in the church auditorium to receive and consider the report of the building committee.

8:00 p. m.—Mrs. W. J. Gordon of Spray, N. C., will speak at the Episcopal Church on "Family Life."

**THURSDAY**  
10:00 a. m.—1:00 p. m.—Bundles for Britain workshop.

1:30 p. m.—The Chatham Book Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Harvey Clayton for a garden tour.

3:30 p. m.—General meeting of Woman's Club. Mrs. J. B. Joyner, president of the 15th District, will be guest speaker.

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

7:30 p. m.—Modern Woodmen meet.

7:30 p. m.—Knights of Pythias meet.

**FRIDAY**  
10:00 a. m.—1:00 p. m.—Bundles for Britain workshop.

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

6:30 p. m.—Greenville chapter of the E. C. T. C. Alumni will meet on the college picnic grounds near the former college lake.

7:00 p. m.—The Greenville Kiwanis Club meets at Chico school.

**SATURDAY**  
10:00 a. m.—1:00 p. m.—Bundles for Britain workshop.

Mrs. Gordon To Speak Here. Mrs. William J. Gordon of Spray, N. C., will speak at St. Paul's Episcopal Church Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock on "Family Life." The Christian Social Relations department of the parish is offering this discussion of the subject in an effort to bring about a fuller understanding of the importance of the family in the life of individuals and in society.

The family is the most important unit in society today. It is not an end in itself but a means of training each member in such a way that he may go out to take his place as a Christian member of society. For personal as well as economic reasons the family is a subject that concerns every individual. The general public is invited to hear Mrs. Gordon Wednesday evening.

Church Members To Meet. The members of Memorial Baptist Church will meet on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the church auditorium to receive and consider the report of the building committee. Members are urged to be present.

In Local Hospital. Friends of Mr. Leon S. Hardee will regret to learn that he is very ill in Pitt General Hospital.

**FALKLAND NEWS**  
(By Mrs. Woodrow Wooten)  
Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Mashburn of Farmville visited Miss Venetia Morrill Tuesday.

Mrs. Daisy Carson and daughter of near Robersonville visited Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Parker Tuesday.

Sixteen members of the Leggett's Woman's Auxiliary were guests of Mrs. C. A. Lawrence on Monday afternoon.

Mr. Alton Lawrence of Tennessee were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lawrence.

Mr. Will Wyatt of Raleigh was here on business Friday.

Among the Greenville shoppers Thursday were: Mrs. M. L. Farrior, Mrs. H. C. Smith, Mrs. Woodrow Wooten, Miss Elizabeth Bryan, Mrs. Morris Duke, Mrs. Boyette, Mrs. Henry Wooten and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Fletcher.

Master Jerry Mayo of Lucama is spending the week-end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mayo.

Miss Mavis Parker, a member of the Falkland school faculty, resumed her work Tuesday after being confined to her home due to a minor operation in Pitt General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Brown and

## Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR  
Tuesday, April 1, 1901

April. Fourth month. One-fourth of the year gone. Only a few fools were trying to fool folks today.

The first April shower was an all-day rain.

A number of libraries are being established in various counties under the new law, which provides that when the people of a school district give \$20 or more for this purpose, the state will give \$10.

There was nothing lion about the exit of March. The month was very mild at both ends.

Betty Jean Brown spent Wednesday in Rocky Mount with Mrs. Brown's son, Benjamin Mayo, who is ill with pneumonia.

Master Baxter Savage of Rocky Mount spent Wednesday night with Mrs. H. L. Brown. He returned home Thursday because of illness.

Mr. Chapman Wooten of Rocky Mount spent Friday night with Mr. Atlas Wooten. Mr. Wooten competed in the Music Festival which was held in Greenville Friday and Saturday.

Miss Delphia Satterfield of Greenville spent the week-end with Mrs. F. O. Mayo and Mrs. Susie Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carey Gaynor of Fountain visited Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Parker Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Mayo of Lucama spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mayo.

Mrs. Willard Whitehurst and little son of Bethel visited Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Parker Sunday.

Mr. Horace Leonard of Greenville spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Leonard.

Mr. and Mrs. Carey Mayo of Greenville visited Mrs. J. B. Newton, Mrs. Maude Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Jenness Morrill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jenness Morrill and Horace Leonard attended the farmers' meeting for the deaf and dumb Saturday, which was held in Goldsboro.

**GREENVILLE HI NEWS**  
By SIDNEY JOHNSON

**Dramatics**  
Today several members of the dramatics class traveled to Chapel Hill to attend the North Carolina high school dramatics contest. The group will stay in Chapel Hill through Friday.

The senior high dramatics gave their play "The Devil is a Good Man" this afternoon, while the junior high will give their play "The Apothecary" tomorrow.

James Briley, Margaret Mills, Tom Rowlette, Carlton Wilson, Leonard Ernest, Louis DuPre, Doris F. Brown, Leonard Briley, Bob Adams and Floyd Williams make up the cast of "The Devil is a Good Man" while Eustace Conway, Joyce Corbett and Ralph Fleming make up the cast of "The Apothecary."

**Student Council**  
The Student Council will hold its regular weekly meeting tonight at 7:30 in Miss Buchanan's room.

**Apprentice**  
Rachel Fleming and Janet Gowen began their apprenticeship under Jean Rush and Louise Wooten as managers of the school store, this morning.

Jean and Louise have done a fine job managing the store this year and the school owes them many thanks for their hard work.

**POTATO SEED ARE CERTIFIED**

Growers Are Protected Through Inspections

Raleigh, March 31.—A definite contribution toward the protection of North Carolina's commercial early Irish potato industry has been made this year under a program of seed inspection to assure farmers that they are buying "certified and selected seed." N. P. McDuffie, seed potato inspector of the State Department of Agriculture's markets division said today.

Enforcing a State Board of Agriculture regulation requiring that seed potatoes sold in the state "must be labeled and meet the requirements of U. S. No. 1 grade," McDuffie has just completed an inspection tour of North Carolina and can be assured that the potatoes they plant as seed are of the best quality, generally, than at any time in the history of the state.

In addition to the labeling requirements, the regulations enforced provide that "certified seed" must meet the requirements of the state from which they were shipped and "selected seed" must conform to the guarantees of the shipper. Both selected and certified seed must meet U. S. No. 1 grade or better.

"Thousands of women are helped to get smiling thru distressing days by this cream in a woman's life (28 to 32) with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—Famous for over 60 yrs. Try it!"

**WANT ADS PAY**

## HEAVEN

YESTERDAY. Just about everything possible has happened to frighten the shivering group marooned on an island off the North Carolina coast. Mrs. Marbury had taken her party there to look at an old house—they have been shot at, clammy caretakers have grasped them, the caretakers have been minimal. Now, while the men of the party are trying to build a raft strong enough to get to the mainland, a smuggler's ship is bearing down on the island. Only the party on the island does not know.

**Chapter 18**  
**Escape Ship**  
Eve and Gina went hesitantly into the kitchen, where Eve explained to Mrs. Jackson that they were going to prepare a lunch for the men working down on the shore.

"No need to cook anything," the caretaker finally agreed. "There's cold ham, and plenty of bread there in the box. Pickles, too, if you want them in the pantry. I hope the men don't expect Mr. Jackson to help them. He has enough to do."

"I'm sure he has," Gina said sarcastically, glancing out to where that overworked individual was lolling in the sun, a pipe in his mouth and his hat pulled down over his eyes.

Mrs. Jackson's eyes followed the girl's and her face became almost purple with anger—not at her husband, Eve noted with amusement, but at Gina.

"Do you want me to make coffee?" she demanded sullenly.

"Oh, no!" Eve approached the huge pot competently and tried to smile at the grim face of the caretaker. "I'll just make some sandwiches for ourselves—then you can forget me for a while."

Mrs. Jackson, far from looking pleased, seemed to become more glowering at this. But she only sniffed and the picture of injured dignity, stalked from the kitchen. The girls heard her bang the door as she went through the hall.

"I was afraid to let her make the coffee," Eve giggled. "She might have put poison in it."

"I can't make out why she resents us so," Gina said, attacking the ham with more vigor than fitness. "You'd think she'd be glad to see the end of us, but she's just as resentful today, when we're really trying to make an effort to get away, as she was when we were all cooped up here by the rain."

"Maybe we've spoiled something for her by staying so long," Eve said sagely. "Perhaps it won't matter, by tonight, whether we go or stay forever."

Gina, absorbed in her carving, did not answer, and when Eve saw how perilously close to her fingers the sharp knife came, she tiptoed around the kitchen. They got through the sandwiches without mishap, however, although it took them longer and was more arduous than they had thought. Even when the basket was packed, they found the difficulty in carrying it to the beach.

"Do—do you think they can eat all this?" Gina panted as they went along the sand. "Maybe—maybe they aren't hungry."

"They'd better be!" Eve retorted with determination. "After we slaved like that, they'll eat and like it."

Almost A Raft  
Arriving at the most wooded spot on the island, they found a group of men more than ready to eat everything they had brought. Brett Rodman was looking hot and tired but more pleased than at any time during the visit. Eve thought Ned's blonde hair ruffled wildly and perspiration dripping from his forehead, wiped his face on the sleeve of a grimy shirt and shouted: "You're a couple of sweethearts! This Simon Legree here is making us chop trees so fast we can't even think. I'm just about ready to give up the raft idea and starve to death on this blasted five acres of nowhere."

Ham and Jim Drossard were less articulate, but equally glad to see them. Eve was pleased to note that Gina found time to say softly to Ham: "You look tired, my pet. I'll be it's the first honest work you've done in years."

Ham grinned, as delighted as if Gina had pinned a medal on his sweat-stained shirt.

"It's almost as bad as the time I ran away from home," he admitted "and got work in a steel mill. I decided then that I'd never try manual labor again—but look at me now!"

The men washed up, as far as fashion in the calm water that lapped at the shore—as different as possible from the angry, lashing waves they had seen for the last few days. While they were getting ready, Gina and Eve spread their feast under the shade of a nearby tree and poured the coffee into tin mugs. It was gratifying to see the food disappear, once the men had settled on the grass. They all seemed to take added zest in criticizing the way the meat and bread were cut, and the lack of variety on the menu.

"But I noticed there's nothing but an empty basket to carry back to the house," Gina said triumphantly. "As the Chinese philosopher once said: 'He who eats even the last crumb is a poor critic.'"

"What Chinese philosopher?" Ham demanded, relaxing on the sand.

"How should I know?" asked Gina. "One of them. The Chinese always say something to fit every occasion."

They all lingered for a few minutes after the meal was done, but

finally Brett Rodman, with a meaningful glance as the sky, reminded the men that the trees still had to be trimmed and lashed together, if they were to assemble anything that looked like a raft before darkness descended.

The girls started back to the house. There was nothing else to do, since the men were obviously unwilling to have their amateurish efforts watched. Both of them dreaded the return, because Eve knew that Julie would fret and hint broadly that she ought to be more encouraging to Neil Bowron. Gina remembering her aunt's indignation about Uncle Theodore only that morning, tried to make the walk last longer.

"Anyone would think he was glad to get rid of me," was what Aunt Helen had wailed, according to her niece. "The next time I look at an old house, he comes with me. And see how he likes being marooned in the middle of nowhere!"

However, when they returned Julie had persuaded Mrs. Marbury to play bridge, and had moved a table to the old but still lovely veranda. Glad of a chance for placating the two women, both Gina and Eve agreed to play, too, although their eyes strayed longingly back to the beach.

**Almost Saved**  
The afternoon wore on somehow. While Eve could no longer stand it, she went in and braved Mrs. Jackson, demanding some tea. This was served, with no good grace, by the shuffling Mr. Jackson himself. It put a period to the afternoon, and kept them from being hungry as the hours went on, and still the men failed to return to dinner. Mrs. Jackson had been asked to serve this meal at 8 o'clock; but at 7:30 when there had been no sign of the men, Julie began to worry.

"They ought to at least report how they're getting on," she said aggrievedly. "It isn't as if we knew exactly how long it takes to make a raft. Oh—Mr. Howe!" she exclaimed as that gentlemanly emergency from the house, looking very pink and white after his nap. "I wonder if you'd mind walking down the beach and telling the boys it's time for dinner, and they'll have to work on the raft tomorrow?"

"Certainly not," Mrs. Emerson, the lawyer said punctiliously. But before he could start, there was the sound of flying feet, and the dirty figure of Ham burst onto the porch from the path.

"Come right away—bring matches!" he panted. "There's a ship off shore. Ask Mrs. Jackson for kerosene. Hurry!"

"Whoops! Saved—at last!" shouted Gina, jumping up from her chair and diving toward the kitchen with Eve at her heels. A few seconds later they were running toward the beach, a can of kerosene swinging between them. Julie had paused only long enough to gather a few pieces of wood lying near the house, and Mrs. Marbury, Ham and the lawyer brought up the rear of the procession.

By the time they reached the shore they could make out a small schooner, standing offshore about to round the point. It was dimmed by the late afternoon haze, but when Eve suggested a mirage, Neil looked at her so disdainfully, she retired meekly to the background. Everyone's help was needed. The logs felled at so much effort that some of them already lashed together as a raft, were sacrificed for the fire, and other sticks and

## American Oil Agents Attend Conferences

Returning today, from a sales and advertising conference held at John Marshall hotel, Richmond, Va., E. W. Harvey and E. W. Harvey, Jr., local distributors for the American Oil Company, stated that through the completion of the world's first commercial hydroforming unit, his company is marketing a new type gasoline.

Pioneers did not pass with the covered wagon. Scientists and chemists are pioneering in new fields daily. For many years, petroleum chemists have been searching for efficient methods to "reform" or convert low octane naphthas into high anti-knock gasolines. Hydroforming, which is a new process involving the use of high temperatures and pressures, carried out in the presence of hydrogen gas and a newly discovered catalyst, has now solved this problem.

The hydroforming process, he stated, is of great interest to National Defense because it not only produces a new high anti-knock gasoline for automobiles, but it opens a new source for the production of high octane aviation gasoline and a large potential supply of toluene—a substance vitally needed in the manufacture of T. N. T.

Officials of the company, he said, told of the new control board used in the manufacture of this product. The Control board removes the element of chance during manufacture and guarantees precise uniformity of the product. The product from the Texas City Plant will be blended into the principal grades of gasoline marketed by the American Oil Company.

Mr. Harvey further stated that comprehensive tests of the product indicated that it would give smooth-

logs were dragged to the spot. So furiously did they work, that no one even looked up until the fire was a tall column of flame above their heads. Then an exclamation from Mrs. Marbury stopped them short.

"Look!" she said tearfully. "The ship's going away."

"Hey, you—ship ahoy! Come back here."

In spite of the sadness of the occasion, Gina could not help laughing at Ham. His normally good-humored face was covered with a layer of dirt from his unaccustomed labors. And the dirt had tracks through it from sweat, and in addition his cheek bore a great smear which was, most likely, a relic of the fire and the kerosene.

"You look like a newsboy just after he dropped his papers in the mud," Gina said, and Ham smiled crookedly.

"I feel a lot worse," he admitted. "A whole lot worse."

The party stood helpless, except Mrs. Marbury, who subsided upon the largest stump she could find. Although it was evident the ship's crew must have seen the signal—"They'd have to be blind, not to see it," as Brett said bitterly—it had turned away and was heading out again, into the thickening mist.

To Be Continued

er, more efficient high octane road performance. He concluded his remarks by stating that this new hydroforming process has been enthusiastically acclaimed by the petroleum industry, not only for its contribution to the manufacture of quality gasolines but as a distinct scientific advance.

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEES' SALE OF LAND UNDER POWER IN DEED OF TRUST**

Under and by virtue of the power and authority conferred by a certain deed of trust dated November 8th, 1923, from D. M. Clark (unnamed), and T. T. Hollingsworth, and wife, Carolina D. Hollingsworth, to the Raleigh Banking & Trust Company, Trustees, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Pitt County, North Carolina, in Book B-15 at page 501, said Raleigh Banking & Trust Company having been duly removed and the Commercial National Bank of Raleigh and Leon S. Brassfield, substituted therefor as Trustees thereunder by instrument recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Pitt County, North Carolina, and the Commercial National Bank of Raleigh and Leon S. Brassfield having been duly removed and R. W. Winston, Jr., and J. Granberry Tucker, substituted therefor as Trustees thereunder by instrument recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Pitt County, North Carolina, all as provided in said deed of trust; default having been made in the payment of the debt secured by said deed of trust and the owner and holder of said indebtedness having duly requested said substituted trustees to institute foreclosure according to the provisions of said deed of trust, the undersigned trustees, R. W. Winston, Jr., and J. Granberry Tucker, will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash at the Pitt County Courthouse door in Greenville, North Carolina,

at 12 o'clock M. on Monday, April 14th, 1941

All that certain tract or parcel of land situate in Pitt County, Beaver Dam Township, State of North Carolina, and described as follows:

A certain tract or parcel of land situate and being in Beaver Dam Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of W. P. Clark on the north, the lands of R. W. Valwright on the east, the lands of Joshua Tripp on the South, and the lands of the Amos Blount heirs on the West, and more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a stake on the old Plank Road and running North 60 East 37 poles to pine stump, Joshua Tripp's corner; thence North 1-30 East 77.5 poles to a stake; thence North 74 East 30 poles; thence North 1 East 122 poles; thence North 20 East 65 poles to a stake in the old Nichols line; thence South 88 West 80 poles to a stake; thence South 2-30 West 282 poles to a stake; thence South 88 East 8 poles a straight line to the BEGINNING, containing 100 acres of land, according to survey made by W. C. Dresbach, C. E. and Surveyor.

The graveyard wherein Cilla Patrick and four others are buried is

excepted from the operation of this conveyance.  
This the 12th day of March, 1941.  
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# Even A Two-Time Champion Has His Own Dog's Life



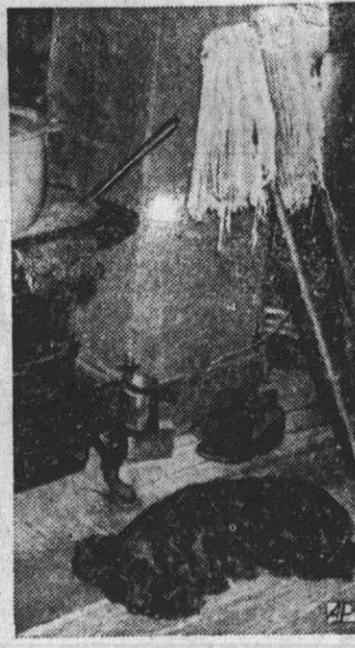
"My Own Bruce," the cocker spaniel who walked off with best-in-show honors two years running at New York's big Westminster show and then retired, can strike a regal pose when occasion demands.



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But "My Own Bruce," says his trainer, Sterling Yoder, is treated the same as the hundred or so spaniels he lives with near Wheatley Hills, L. I. Bruce loves to hunt, especially likes to flush rabbits.



He also loves his rest after a run in the woods. A spot near the stove is swell, even for a champ.



**DOESN'T MAKE SENSE**—Perseverance didn't bring its usual reward to this determined sparrow who for several days fought the shiny hub caps of a new automobile in St. Louis, Mo. Steadily the bird would fly at the hub caps, fighting the bird he saw reflected there. The auto belonged to Adam Schneider. The sparrow finally gave up its futile attack.

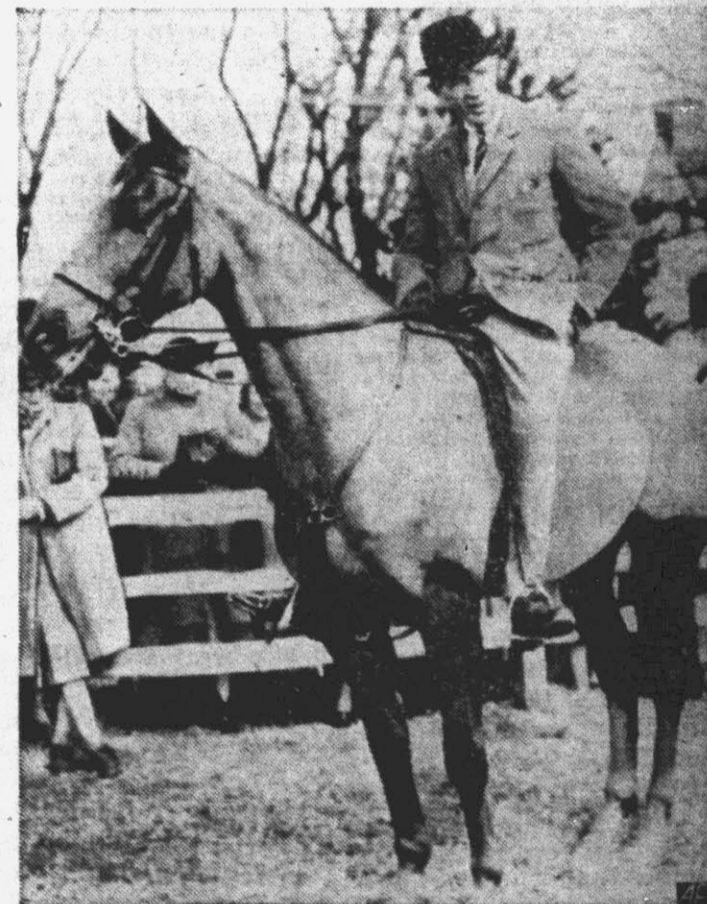


A group of American airmen, volunteers who formed their own Eagle squadron, walk away from one of their planes at an RAF field somewhere in England. Left to right: Pilot-Officer Charles Bateman, San Gabriel, Cal.; Pilot-Officer William H. Nichols, San Carlos, Cal.; Pilot-Officer Stanley M. Kolendorski, Lakehurst, N. J.; Squadron-Leader W. E. G. Taylor, New York City; Pilot-Officer Andrew Mamedoff, Thompson, Conn.; Pilot-Officer Eugene O. Tobin, Los Angeles; Pilot-Officer Nathaniel Maranz, New York City; Pilot-Officer Luke E. Allen, Ignacio, Colo.; two unidentified men; Pilot-Officer Gregory A. Daymond, San Francisco; Pilot-Officer Sam A. Mauriello, Astoria, L. I.



**DOCTOR'S ORDERS: BLOW!**—Intent Dr. Robert G. Vance, an X-ray man with a French horn, is a member of the doctors' symphony organized in Boston for doctors having a musical hobby. They rehearse every Thursday except during epidemics.

## Halifax Goes A-Hunting



Viscount Halifax, British ambassador to the U. S., took his first vacation in 15 months from foreign affairs at Unionville, Pa., to ride with the famed cheshire hornd pack of his week-end host, W. Plunket Stewart. He was mounted on "Andrew," termed a "lively bit" by the huntsman. At left, leaning against the fence is Lady Halifax.

## Are Kings Vanishing? The A To Z Of A Busy Institution

**AP Feature Service**  
FOR a world where kings are supposed to be disappearing, a lot of them are still in the thick of important events. Some, like Haakon of Norway and Queen Wilhelmina of Holland, have lost their thrones because of the war but hope to get them back. Haakon's brother, Christian of Denmark, still sits on his, but Germany runs the country. George of England, Victor Emmanuel of Italy and Emperor Hirohito of Japan are still working. Here are some other kings and some who claim thrones.



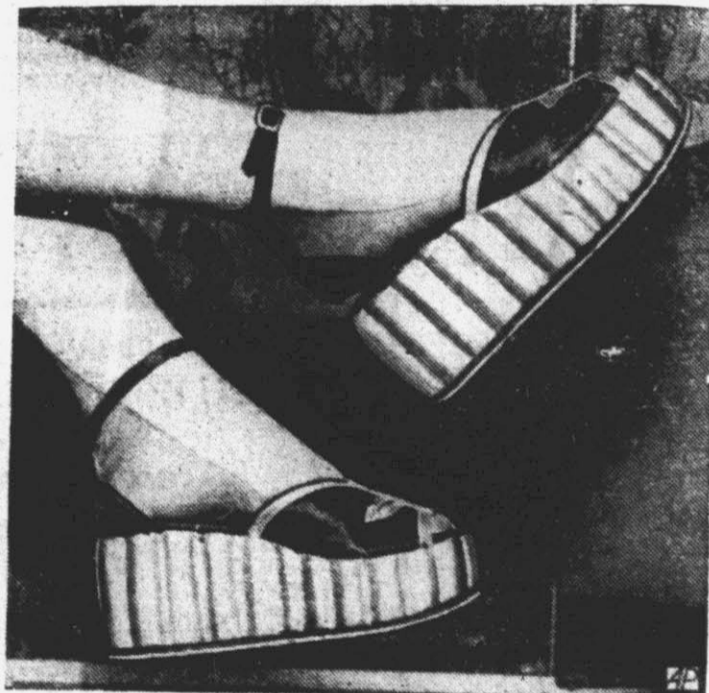
**AS** for Ananda, who will rule Thai (Siam) when he is old enough. Meanwhile, regents run the country. **Boris** of Bulgaria actively rules his country. He's a locomotive fan, runs one whenever he gets a chance. **Fareouk** of Egypt is young but is taking hold of things and is well liked. Egypt leans heavily on England.



**George** of Greece, ousted in 1925 by a revolution, was recalled in 1935. He's a fashion-plate, likes horses. **Gustav** of Sweden plays tennis at 82. He has led in setting up social legislation for his country. **Juan**, son of Alfonso, has eye on non-existent Spanish throne. In same boat are Austria's Otto, France's Henry.



**Mihal** of Rumania is popular but pretty much under the thumb of the Germans occupying the country. **Peter** of Yugoslavia is waiting for twenty-first birthday to take over from his uncle, Prince Paul. **ZIS** for Zog, driven out of Albania by the Italians. Another victim of Il Duce is Haile Selassie.



**FEET OFF THE GROUND**—Out of bombed London comes this example of the shoemaker's art, intended to show that war hasn't entirely eclipsed fashions. They're cocktail sandals of satin and gold kid, with a platform of gold kid.



**AS PLEASANT AS CAN BE**—Two of their nicest smiles did Sandra and Frances Hauck show, for a cameraman at Sea Island, Georgia. Lasses from Cincinnati, they show how becoming a "hankie hat" can be, worn with the Dutch-girl bobs.

## Croat Leader



Authoritative reports in Yugoslavia had it that Dr. Vladimir Macek (above), vice premier and a holdover from the Pro-Axis ousted cabinet, was insisting that the new regime publish a declaration affirming the kingdom's adherence to the Axis alliance. He is a leader of millions of Croats.

## Police And Pickets Battle In Strike



This was the scene as police and pickets battled at the plant of the International Harvester company at Richmond, Ind., which re-opened March 28 after having been closed since a CIO union called a strike February 17. Officers are using night sticks to open a path for workers who were invited by the management to return to their jobs. The pickets shouted "we will not be moved" and fought back with clubs.



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## Strength For The Day

By EARL L. DOUGLASS

**THE TRUE HEIRS OF LIFE**  
"Blessed are the meek for they  
shall inherit the earth."

Most people regard the word meek as synonymous with gentle and yielding. We begin to confuse in our thinking about meekness because we regard it primarily as an attitude which man maintains toward his fellow men when he would regard it primarily as an attitude which man maintains toward his God. Meekness is a spiritual virtue. Worldly people may appear to be meek because they know it to be to their advantage, but only religious people can really be meek. Meekness is the characteristic of that man who has given his heart completely to God, who bows before his Creator continually, who endures the buffetings of life, confident that all things work together for good to them that love God. The meekness of the truly meek, their patient, long suffering, and their unwillingness to indulge in retaliation—these things are not meekness but the fruits of meekness. Meekness is that spiritual power in the heart of a man for whom submission to God in thought and deed has become a habit.

When men bow before the sovereignty of God, they are unafflicted by the injustices of man. When they appreciate the depth of God's love they lose all desire to revenge themselves on their oppressors.  
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### BRITAIN FACES TEST AS RAIDER ACTIVITY RISES

The raider menace to British shipping is now graver than in 1914-1918, tonnage losses being one-seventh greater than during the first thirty months of the first World War, figures by Lloyds disclose.

Germany's biggest threat is in the combination of bomber and U-boat, which maintain radio contact with each other in mid-ocean. The threat is likely to increase as the weather improves. The long line of the British blockade, stretching from Narvik in the North Sea to the mouth of the Strait of Gibraltar, has not held as tightly as in 1914. German naval units operating in Atlantic waters are credited with sinking twenty-two ships in the course of a few days. (In the first World War only the submarines Deutschland and the U-53 were known to have reached the United States shores). As an added threat, the mass production of submarines in Germany promises to reach gigantic proportions.

In the first 18 months of the war, the British, allied, and friendly neutral shipping claimed to have been sent to the bottom by Germany totaled 4,962,257 tons, compared with German, Italian and neutral losses of 2,028,040 tons. The British themselves have lost 757 ships of 3,171,273 tons. On a tonnage basis—the important figure—15 per cent of British shipping has been destroyed, not counting

those ships replaced by British ship-building. "This is only the start," says Berlin. The British have three tactical defenses against the German underwater game—unremitting raids by Wellington and Hudson bombers on the French coast ports from where Germany launches its torpedo fleet; destroyer and cruiser protection for convoys; Sunderland long-range flying boats to escort merchant ships far into the Atlantic, and to meet them on their return. All three defenses against submarines have their defects. At present, the British have no effective way in which to ward off the German warships now admitted to be operating in western Atlantic waters.

### Why Can't They Sacrifice A Little, Too?



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Britain is short on escort vessels suitable for convoy use. To break away the main segments of the British fleet so as to hunt down the marauding German vessels would further weaken a blockade already stretched almost to the breaking point.

The United States Navy now possesses around 114 overage ships, including cruisers and 74 destroyers similar to the 50 already turned over to Britain. If the United States could turn over to the British any part of the overage flotilla, or that fleet of merchant ships belonging to conquered countries now idle in United States ports, the situation would be somewhat alleviated.

A number of mosquito boats and smaller craft are available if release from the United States fleet can be secured. Increased tonnage, more destroyers, more merchant marine help, is the crying need of the British at this stage. Any help the United States can muster would at this important turn of the war, provide Britain with its only strong sea ally. There is no question that the United States must now assume its share of the burden for seeing that goods, under the provision of the Lease-Lend Bill finally reach Britain. There is no point in rushing supplies across the water only to see them destroyed before reaching a British port. The Lease-Lend Bill does not state whether or not the President can

furnish the British with actual convoys, but this question will soon face the United States Government if supplying the British with ships for convoy use proves ineffective.

### Washington Daybook

By Jack Stinner

Planning a trip to Washington? Here are some tips for visitors to the national capital in the first of two articles on this subject.

Washington — In the last few weeks I have had many requests for information about "What should I do in Washington?" Judging by the mail, there are going to be more tourists in Capital City this spring and summer than ever before. I don't mean judging entirely by MY mail — I mean judging by the great number of queries that have come to departments of the government that have anything at all to do with directing visitors within the District of Columbia borders.

That means there probably will be between 2,375,000 and 3,000,000 visitors in Washington this year. The average has been around 2,250,000. So I'm going to divide my answer into two columns and lead off with:

#### "How To See Washington On Nothing A Day."

Of course, there is no such thing as that. But if you pay transportation in and out, make arrangements for moderate room and board, you can spend a long week-end here without putting out another penny and see more than you can

in any other city in the United States.

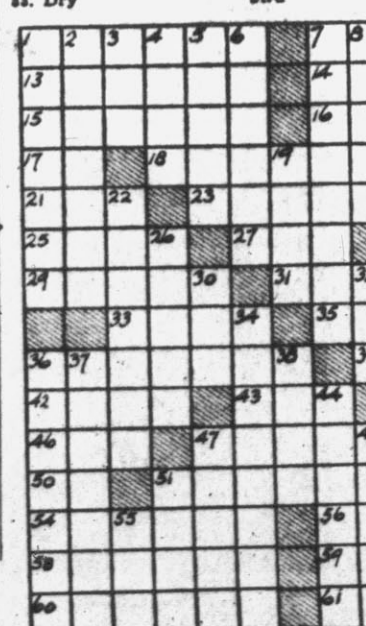
To begin with, if you arrive at Union Station with no advance information as to where to stay, call the Washington Board of Trade. It has a hotel and room information service, ranging from single rooms in private homes to splendid hotel suites. If you drive into the capital in a car and want to check with the Automobile Association of America (the AAA), you probably will get the same information. With that done and three days to spare and every hour to fill (without cost), you look up your congressman or senator. Why? Because he can see to it that you get passes to the House and Senate galleries in the Capitol, and special passes to the White House (10:30 a.m. to 12 noon). If you don't know any congressmen, you still can see the White House (10 a.m. until 2 p.m.) but you won't get in to so many rooms.

#### No-Permission Tours.

Now turn to the tours for which you have to ask one's permission. Start with the various divisions of the Smithsonian Institution — the National Museum, the Natural History Building, the Aircraft Building. Drop into the Library of Congress, where you can examine everything from the original manuscript of "Deadeye Dick" to the one-and-only Declaration of Independence and the Constitution. Here there are nearly 6,000,000 first editions and more than 2,500,000 maps, charts, etc. Here also is the "Gutenberg Bible" and more original prints from the plates of Joseph Pennell than can be found anywhere else in the world. Visit the Folger Shakespeare library — second to only one in the world in Shakespeareana. Drop in on the Botanical Gardens which don't have to dip a daisy to any when it comes to developing new flower species and improving on the old ones. Pop into the National

### Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS  
1. Say or do again  
7. Dried plums  
13. Come forth in to view  
14. Deep gorge  
15. Rock material accompanying an ore  
16. Incarnation  
17. Article Decides  
20. Two; prefix  
21. Strike dialect  
22. European snach  
24. Wing  
25. Greenland settlement  
27. Operated  
28. Son of Adam  
29. Greek island  
31. Former implements of war  
32. Dry  
35. Division of the Korean  
36. Predisposition  
37. Fortified  
42. Labor  
43. Moccasin  
45. Glacial snow  
46. field  
48. Old musical note  
47. Kind of monkey  
49. Saug room  
50. Artificial language  
51. Round and tapering  
52. Sun god  
53. Cover with something solid  
54. Long-legged web-footed bird  
55. Yeast  
56. Lower in value  
57. First born  
58. Experts



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DUN GLOVE ODE  
ARA ROBES TAR  
REVIEW RESUME  
INSET TUN  
POST RAP EDOM  
OTHER LAG APE  
ME REVISIT IT  
ERS PAP PRONE  
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INS TRICE  
BERATE OVERDO  
ERR ORONO EAR  
LIE RIPER ATA  
LAD MESSY TAN

- Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle**
- DOWN  
1. Entertain royally  
2. Issue forth  
3. Writing implement  
4. Units of work  
5. Chills  
6. Seesaw  
7. Nut confections  
8. Bird of the crow family  
9. Pulp fruits  
10. Insect's egg  
11. Made possible  
12. Continued stories  
19. Snare  
22. Febrile disease  
24. Worn off  
25. Hourly  
28. Brother of Moses  
29. Drink slowly  
32. Vat  
34. One who testifies under oath  
35. Unproductive  
37. Army officer  
38. Hindu garment  
40. World's highest mountain  
41. Legislative bodies  
44. Locust  
47. Is defeated  
48. Rescued  
50. Grotesque  
52. Rounded appendage  
53. Contentible fellow  
57. Headpiece

Zoological Gardens — better known as the Zoo — where there is the world's greatest collection of reptiles, and enough animals and birds and fishes to send you home reeling with zoological names.

**New The Monument.**  
Give the Washington monument a fling and look down from its 555 feet on Washington, D. C. Go to the Lincoln memorial and if you are not awed by the inward view, look east from the portico and gasp at the Reflecting Pool and the reflection of the Washington monument.

Take a tour through the Federal Bureau of Investigation — and learn why detectives are born. Give the same whirl to the National Bureau of Standards and discover why Junior has "just gotta be a scientist." Go to the National Gallery of Art (the Mellon museum) and see more old masters in a breathtaking setting than you can see almost anywhere in the world. Except for transportation, none of it will cost a cent, a twentieth part of a dollar — as they used to say in the old medicine shows. Do you know where you can see half as much — for nothing.

### Short Shots

Raleigh, April 1.—Comes the reorganization of the State Rural Electrification Authority and there is also likely to come something akin to a revolution in its policies as well as an almost complete change in its personnel.

That is because the ideas of Governor J. Melville Broughton on the subject are a bit more, let's say, aggressive than those of his immediate predecessors, Blucher Ehringhaus and Clyde Hoey, in inverse order.

In the past, the state REA has never moved actively to take the initiative in extending rural power lines. This is not to charge the agency with dereliction of duty, because it has worked long, hard and faithfully to give the utmost aid and comfort and its full support, moral and material, to every rural project placed before it.

What it does mean is that it has never conceived its function to be that of an original promoter. In short, the REA has been ready, willing and anxious to give a helping hand to anyone who thought up a project and came to it with even the vaguest sort of plans; but it has never felt that it should be a crusading unit, with toilers in the field for the purpose of originating projects.

There is strong reason to believe that the Governor thinks the REA should go out and seek converts rather than sit back and wait to minister only to those who come to it for its blessings.

And so it will be rather surprising if the new REA setup doesn't begin to follow closely the pattern set by its federal counterpart, which keeps a whole flock of field men out looking for new projects to initiate.

Most Miserable  
Of all the miserable men in Ra-

leigh Ronald Hocutt, director of the highway safety division, is probably the lowest in his mind right now.

Here's why: Donald wants the worst way to be the first North Carolina Commissioner of Motor Vehicles, under the new setup Governor Broughton pushed through the legislature. He has been working unceasingly to that end.

The Governor was cue back from Mexico Monday, and Ronald undoubtedly would have been among the very first to "pay his respects" to the returned executive.

But Monday morning Mr. Hocutt rose feeling none too well, though not really sick enough to brag about. He went about his usual marital duties until he got before a mirror to shave and then he discovered he was broken out with a grade "A" case of the red measles.

The quarantine is for not less than ten days—maybe longer.

**Browne Out Again**  
After spending in bed here the post-legislature vacation he planned to enjoy in Florida, T. E. Browne, director of vocational education, is back in his office—though working only a two-hour a day shift.

Mr. Browne's chief problem now is to make plans for utilizing the big boost given appropriations for vocational training.



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CIRCULATION BREAKDOWN BY TOWNS AND DISTRICTS:

	CITY	RURAL
Greenville	1,365	649
Ayden	60	81
Bellarthur	3	
Bethel	76	54
Falkland	14	
Farmville	113	43
Gritton	24	20
Fountain	22	60
Grimesland	25	73
Pactolus	7	
Simpson	31	
Stokes	25	73
Winterville	50	159
Parrale-Robersonville (RFD in Pitt County)	43	

Adjacent Counties in Greenville Trade Territory ..... 78  
Outside Trade Territory ..... 197

D. J. WHICHARD, Jr., Publisher.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 31st day of March, 1941.  
(SEAL) E. F. TUCKER, Asst. Clerk Superior Court.

## Pitt County's Leading Newspaper

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# Snow Hill Franchise Purchased by Rocky Mount Group

## OLD PIEDMONT CLUB IN LOOP

### McKaskill To Be Offered Position Of Manager

Rocky Mount, April 1.—(AP)—A group of local men today announced that they had bought the Snow Hill franchise in the Coastal Plain baseball league and will operate it here.

Rocky Mount definitely will be in the Coastal Plain baseball league this season, official announcement having been made in that city today that a group of business men had purchased the franchise held by Snow Hill since the club was organized.

The decision of the Snow Hill club to sell will see one of the smallest towns in the United States ever to maintain a professional baseball team without the sport this summer.

The purchase price was authoritatively stated as \$2,100. Under terms of the agreement Rocky Mount will receive 14 players. The \$600 forfeit advanced by Snow Hill will be transferred to the credit of Rocky Mount.

It also was disclosed that McKaskill, who had been signed as manager of the Snow Hill team would be offered a similar position with the Rocky Mount club, under the same terms as offered by Snow Hill.

Purchase of the franchise by Rocky Mount brought to an end several weeks of uncertainty. Snow Hill had failed to post its \$600 forfeit by the deadline and the report was circulated that Rocky Mount would be in the loop. Within less than 24 hours after the deadline, however, a group of Snow Hill fans tendered a check to League President Ray Goodman and asked that they be permitted to retain the franchise. A poll of directors was taken by the loop proxy and it was unanimously decided to permit Snow Hill to remain in the club, although late with the \$600 forfeit. Rocky Mount, meanwhile, had made it clear that it did not wish to secure the franchise if Snow Hill still planned to stay in and would not consider taking advantage of a technicality to secure a berth in the league.

## COLORED NEWS

### Pitt County School News

Miss Marie McIver, state supervisor of elementary schools will address the teachers at the regular monthly meeting of the Pitt County Teachers Association Wednesday of this week at 8 p. m. in the Fleming street high school auditorium. The teachers will meet at 6:45. After a short business session the groups will meet for 30 minutes and with a short intermission meet for the evening program. Music will be furnished by several choral clubs from different schools.

The public is invited to hear Miss McIver speak at 8 o'clock.

### Spring Festival

The Junior Class of G.I.H.S. will present the "Spring Festival" Tuesday night April 1, 1941, in the high school auditorium at 7:30.

Come out and enjoy an evening of fun and laughter with your friends.

Get your ticket at the door or buy it from the girl you would like to win a prize.

There will be many games: tossing rings, spinning the wheel, fishing in the pond, pinning the donkey tail, bingo and fortune telling. Good music and floor show.

Come, bring the whole family—there will be games and prizes for everyone.

Cooperate with your school and support it.

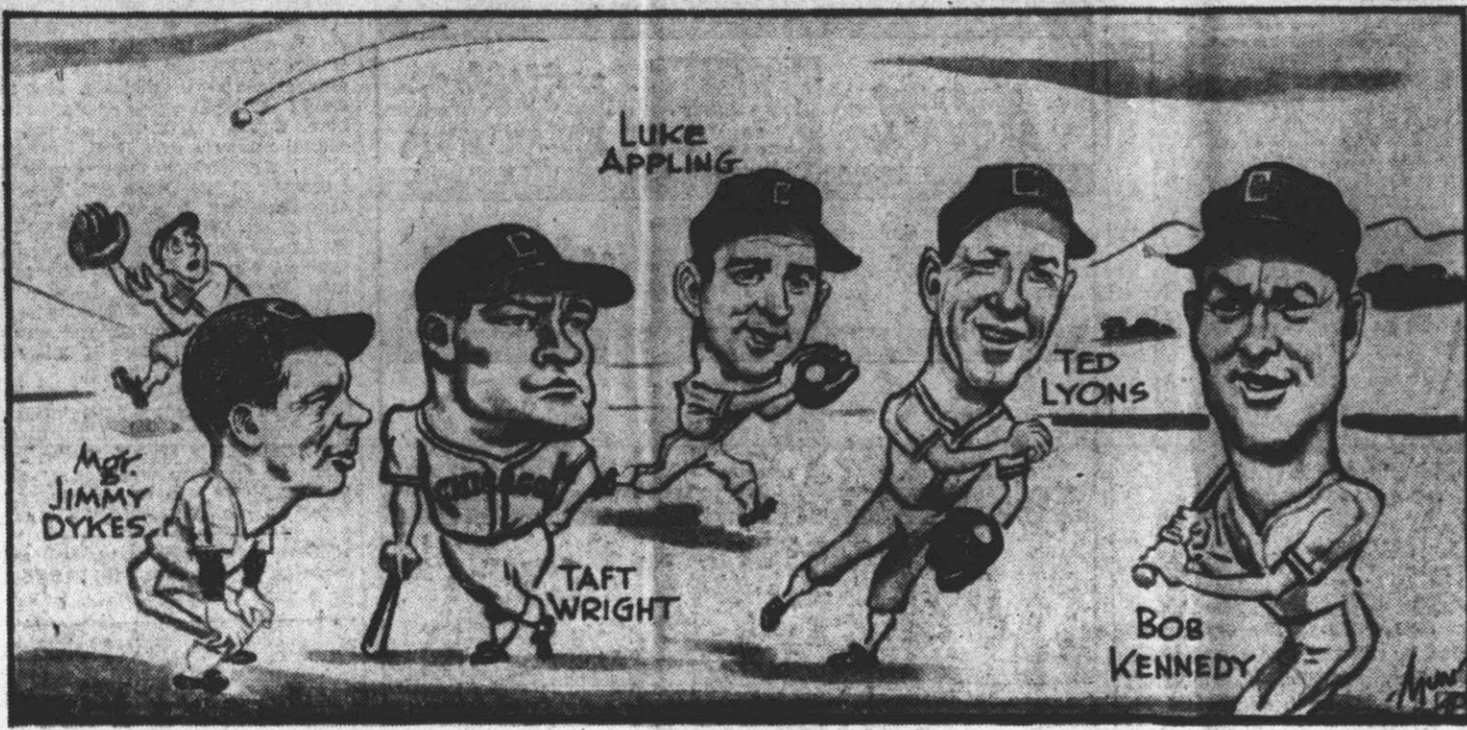
Three prizes to ticket sellers: 1st, prize, two cartons of drinks, second prize, one carton of drinks, and third prize, two drinks.

Come out and carry a prize back. This is no April Fool to anyone.

### How About Paper?

Paul's Valley, Okla.—(AP)—Ray Walker says his wife was in the habit of losing every pencil he brought into their cafe. So Ray began hiding pencils to have one when he wanted it. That was the start of a hobby. Now he has more than 2,000 pencils, no two alike.

## For The 19th Year: 'Chicago; Lyons Pitch—'



By ROBERT MYERS  
AP Feature Service  
Pasadena, Calif.—He's Mr. Baseball in person to those who know him. He is everything baseball should be. He's a credit to a great game and one of its greatest figures, our none. He's famous and has been for years, yet he's just as hard working, just as co-operative as he was when he broke in as a rookie pitcher, fresh from a university campus in Texas, 13 years ago.

### THUMBNAIL PREVIEW

Chicago White Sox	good
Infield	good
Outfield	good
Catching	fair
Pitching	fair
Hitting	fair
Finish	fourth or fifth

That is Ted Lyons. Everyone knows the story of Ted Lyons, how he has been the mainstay of the Chicago White Sox mound corps for 13 years, and how, like Old Man River he apparently is destined to go on forever. "Well, anyhow for a few more years," Lyons will tell you, grinning. For a man who has been in the spotlight these many years, he's the quietest, most modest guy in baseball.

Same Old Answer  
"Yeah, I feel pretty good this year. My arm's okay, I guess. Think how many times, season after season, Ted Lyons has answered that question."

He's one of baseball's best selling points—and something of a salesman himself. He is always willing to help out along the banquet circuit. You know, all the luncheons and dinners where the chairman, be it in Chicago or Whistler Stop, Ark., wants a diamond celebrity. Ted couldn't count the number of times he's been the honor guest at these functions, which ball players as a rule try to dodge.

No wonder the fans idolize him. There was a little scene in San Bernardino the other day. Lyons had finished his work and was walking out under the grandstand, still in uniform. Just as he reached the exit, a small voice squeaked out "Ted!"

Never Too Busy  
Lyons wheeled about and saw a young urchin of about eleven hanging over the stair railing, a program and a scrubby pencil in his hand and with perspiration dripping off his nose, took time out to autograph the sheet.

Lyons doesn't live or play in San Bernardino. That youngster couldn't mean a thing in his life. Yet he signed the program with all the care and ceremony of a magna charter. That was Ted Lyons—and he's done the same thing hundreds of times in little San Bernardino all over the country.

Lyons has made good money, but hardly at anytime, in baseball. Servers close to the club say they doubt if he ever made more than \$15,000 a season, even in his best years. Think of the salary he would have earned with a rich club like the Chicago Cubs or the Yankees in Col. Ruppert's days. What is more, while a bachelor, Lyons supports family dependents and, they say, "half of the parish he lives in down in Louisiana."

But does he have any regrets? Did he ever get sore, break training or threaten to quit baseball? No. He's never even been a hold-out.

NOTICE  
Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of Mrs. Mollie E. Whitchard, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 4th day of March, 1942, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

## Strikes May Be Boost To N. C. Labor Conciliation

Reflector Bureau  
By HENRY AVERILL  
Raleigh, April 1.—North Carolina is not presently troubled by the alarming strike situation worrying many sections but there is some likelihood that labor problems connected with the national defense program will give the new state "conciliation" setup a helping hand.

Currently there is only one major strike in North Carolina—at the Enka plant up west, and that may have been settled before this article gets into print; but there have been several instances in which bad situations have been averted by narrow margins and only by use of strong persuasive methods.

One threatened walkout in Winston-Salem was narrowly escaped, and there are reliable reports that a very ticklish situation exists in a Piedmont city much closer to Raleigh, on which conciliators are now working.

That means there are, or have been very recently, at least three major disturbances, or threats of disturbances, which needed delicate handling by trained conciliators.

At present the state department of labor, though armed with authority under a 1941 act to set up a conciliation service, hasn't any funds with which to employ able, experienced conciliators; and whenever requested to help Commissioner Forrest Shuford is obliged to switch an inspector from his important duties and put him into the conciliation fields. Obviously this is far from satisfactory.

The legislature gave the department authority to intervene in labor disputes, in its discretion, by sending in a conciliator (though there is nothing mandatory on either side to accept suggestions he may make) and it provided that the department "must" send one when directed to do so by the governor. But the law makers voted no funds whatsoever for the setup. If there continues need for conciliators, however, the Governor can be looked to for authorization to use money from the contingent and emergency funds.

### Asks For \$13,000



The Republican national committee has received a bill for \$13,000 from Dr. H. D. Barnard (above) of Beverly Hills, Calif., the specialist who treated Wendell L. Willkie's throat during the last presidential campaign. Dr. Barnard remained with Willkie almost two months after joining the GOP candidate when the latter became extremely hoarse.

### Revenue Division

Inheritance	\$1,109,367.24
Privilege	123,823.35
Franchise	213,064.57
Income	10,096,845.35
Sales	1,049,636.58
Beverage	228,516.62
Gift	81,363.06
Intangible	1,232,796.61
Miscellaneous	10.00
Total Rev. Div.	\$14,065,423.61

### Motor Vehicle Bureau

License	\$ 286,729.61
Driver's License	10,612.78
Title Fees	17,487.50
Bus and Franchise	19,013.84
Gasoline	2,261,490.65
Inspection Fees	113,297.27
Ttl. Motor Vehicle	\$ 2,709,231.65
Grand Total Rev.	\$16,774,655.63

That was \$2,758,748.70 above the previous record of \$14,015,906.93 set last March, making the proportionate increase 19.68 per cent, so far ahead of the old mark that there can hardly be said to be any second place.

The tremendous March increase sent the cumulative total for the first nine months of the fiscal year up sharply to \$68,833,802.28, a 13.19 per cent increase over \$60,833,313.03 poured into the state's coffers between July 1, 1939 and March 31.

1940. As was to be expected because of the big rise in income tax collections, the "Revenue Division" (general fund) collections were up much more than those of the "Motor Vehicle Bureau" on a basis of total revenue, but on a percentage comparison basis the motor vehicle division outstripped the general fund, 20.7 per cent to 19.49.

Total revenue division receipts in March were \$14,065,423.98 as compared with \$11,771,362.03 for last March, while motor vehicle receipts were \$2,709,231.65 as compared with \$2,244,544.90.

For the first three-quarters, total revenue division collections reached \$37,562,358.22 this year against \$32,852,022.83 last. Motor vehicle figures were the same periods were \$31,296,757.31 and \$27,981,290.20.

Of fifteen items on the tax lists only two failed to show increases over March of 1940. These were "miscellaneous" and privilege taxes, and in the case of the latter the drop was less than \$1,500.

Outstanding items included: Income tax collections above ten million for the first time in history; the sixth "million dollar" sales tax month in a row; and the twelfth consecutive "two million" month in gasoline tax collections.

## DAN DUNN - SECRET OPERATIVE 48



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To Be Included On Tour



Historic Calvary Church Yard is only one of the interesting things to be seen by visitors in Tarboro during the annual garden pilgrimage April 3rd and 4th.

Clark; Coolmore, home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Powell, begun in 1857, completed in 1861 with original furnishings; A city lot beautified at the home of Mrs. Anna B. Fenner; The Town Common; Rozalia, home of Mrs. S. S. Nash; The Parker-Cheshire house, home of Mr and

Mrs. Don Gilliam; The Community house, a colonial house containing interesting antiques — this house will be used as headquarters for the Garden Pilgrimage. A fee of 50 cents will be charged. Lunch will be served at the community house.

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Wants 1 1/2c per word, minimum charge 15c for 25 words, one insertion; all insertions \$1.50; one month \$7.00. Indented lines known as classified display, or larger than regular size type, double price.

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I AM PREPARED TO DO YOUR gardening and field plowing. If wanted, I am only waiting to get your order. Call 2589. R. P. Peyton, 316 Reade Street. Apr. 1-3

CUSTOM HATCHERY AND DAY-OLD chicks—Hatching \$2.50 tray of 135 eggs—chicks \$6.00 per hundred. Roebuck's Hatchery, Stokes, N. C. Mar. 11-1 mo.

FOR IMMEDIATE SALE, WITH use of license until September—Hat Shop doing good business. Reason for selling, owner with other interests out of state. Unable to give proper attention to this shop. If interested write P. O. Box 408. 31-34

FOR SALE—COTTON SEED. \$1.00 bushel; 200 strain—one year from the breeders. Lint 11-32. Blaney Sumrell, Ayden, N. C. 1-6t

FLOWERS JUST LOVE TO travel—place your out-of-town Easter order early and save the telegraph charges. Greenville Floral Co. Phone 2827. 1-6t

FOR RENT—ONE 5-ROOM DOWNSTAIRS apartment. Separate entrance back and front—newly finished and with hardwood floors—in Dickinson Ave., opposite Coast Line Depot. W. S. Moye. 1-2t

YOUR MONEY BACK IF YOU don't agree men's Jockey Underwear is the most comfortable you have ever worn. Varied leg lengths, masculine support. Originated and manufactured by Coopers. 50c. Blount-Harvey.

WANTED—VACUUM CLEANERS to repair—Electrolux, Eureka, Hoover, or any make. Carry bags, cords, hose, floor brushes and parts. Permanently located here. Fleming Vacuum Cleaner Repair Service, 305 Paris Ave. Dial 2267. 17-1 mo.

MRS. H. L. ANDREWS—IF YOU will bring this ad to our place, it will be worth 5 cents in trade. Someone else's name will appear tomorrow. Look for yours. Smitty's Place, Dickinson Ave.

ATTENTION, FARMERS! Have your seed peanuts machine shelled and graded. 50 cents per bag. Blount Fertilizer Co., Greenville, N. C. Apr. 1-12t

IF YOU WANT YOUR EASTER order filled to perfection, call on The Greenville Floral Company. We do not annoy you with agents or solicitors. Save the commission and trade with The Greenville Floral Co. Phone 2827. 1-6t

FREE-SERVICE Baker & Davis Hardware Co., has installed a new paint shaker. Buy your paint from us and get it thoroughly mixed. Mar. 6-1 mo.

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WANTED—CLEAN RAGS at Reflector Office. Must be free of buttons and odor.

WANTED—THREE OR FOUR room, unfurnished, steam heated apartment. Call 3820. 31-3t

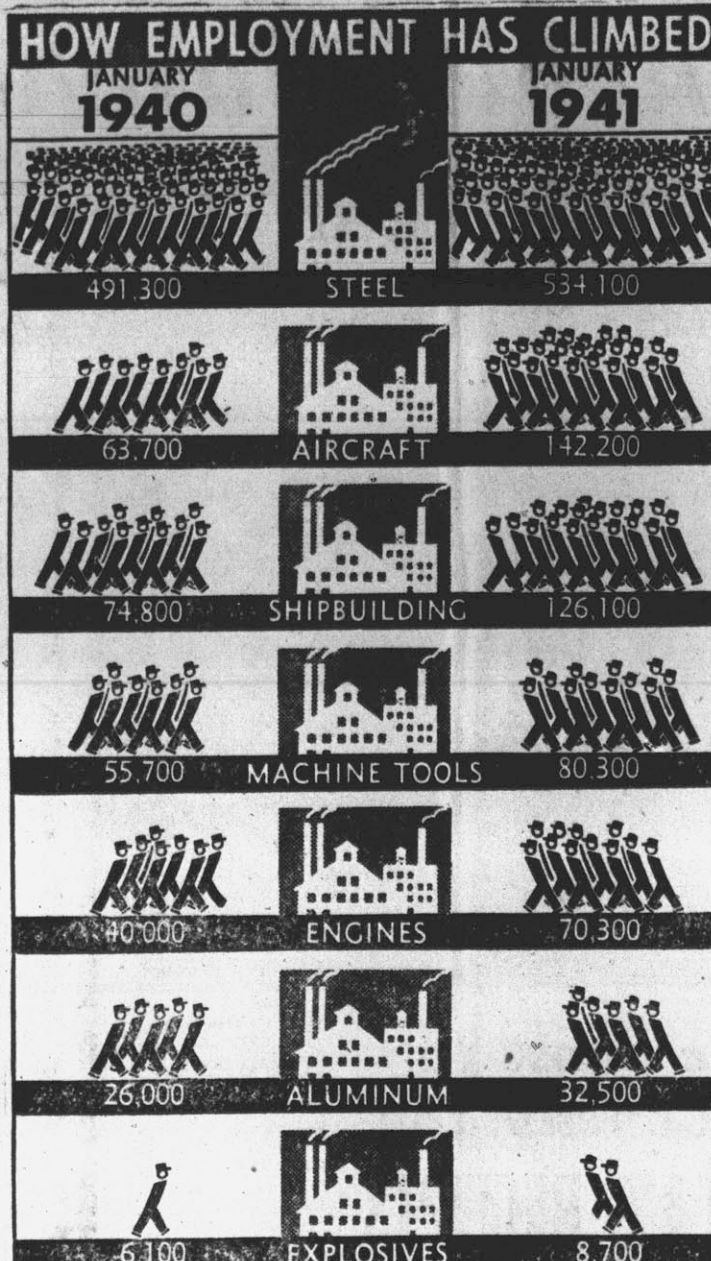
FOR RENT—COMFORTABLE bedroom in heated home. Colledge View. Mrs. Joseph Smith, Dial 3371.

FOR SALE—1935 PLYMOUTH Coupe in good condition. Motor recently overhauled. \$125.00. See J. W. Overton, Guaranty Bank. 27-3t

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GLADIOLAS—NOW IS the time to put out Gladioli Bulbs. Large variety of beautiful bulbs to select from. White's Stores. Apr. 1-1 mo.

SPECIALS FOR WEDNESDAY—Whole Wheat, Crack Rye and Wheat Bread, Fried Apples, Hot Dog Rolls. People's Bakery.



DEPARTMENT OF LABOR figures show a substantial gain in U. S. employment from January to January. Industries showing biggest gains are those allied with the defense program.

themselves, but is already a world community, in which all nations are inter-dependent upon one another, the fact that we already have such a world community must be recognized and the next step of the providing of a world government to regulate this world community be taken.

Among those participating in the discussion following the address, the Honorable F. C. Harding, in a characteristically lucid, logical and eloquent statement, outlined the legal steps necessary for the effectual working of such a world government—a plan in part like that for the League of Nations and the World Court, with an international armed force for land and sea adequate to the enforcement of such laws, rules and regulations as might be drawn up for the governing of the nations.

It is felt by those who have attended these forums that they are rendering a marked service to the community in making available the information, interpretation and evaluation of out-tending leaders in the various fields discussed and serve as a valuable clearing house for the thinking of the people of our community on matters that are engaging the attention of all thinking people of today.

In the past, women bought a winter's potato supply at one time, but now the favorite unit of purchase is a 15-pound sack, according to a study made at Ohio State University.

FROM THE HEART OF THE BLUEGRASS \$1.95 QUART \$1.00 PINT Cream of Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey. SCHENLEY DISTILLERS CORPORATION, N. Y. C.

Hog Markets

Richmond ..... 7.30 Rocky Mount ..... 7.15

New York Cotton

New York, April 1.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened three to eight lower. Prices at noon were off seven to nine points, May 11.19; July 11.15; October 11.03.

N.Y. Stock Market

New York, April 1.—(AP)—The stock market today stepped wearily into the second quarter and, while scattered favorites managed to tack on fractions, numerous issues failed to do anything.

N. Y. Stock List

Table listing various stocks and their prices: American Radiator (6%), American Telephone (16 1/2%), American Tobacco B (69%), Anaconda (24%), A. C. L. (13 1/2%), Atlantic Refining (22 1/2%), Bendix Aviation (36 1/2%), Bethlehem Steel (77 1/2%), Chrysler (63 1/2%), Col. Gas and Electric (3%), Commercial Solvent (10%), Consolidated Oil (5 1/2%), Curtis Wright (8%), Dupont (146 1/2%), Electric Power and Light (2 1/2%), General Electric (32 1/2%), General Motors (42 1/2%), Liggett and Myers (84%), Montgomery Ward (36 1/2%), Reynolds Tobacco B (31 1/2%), Southern Railway (13%), Standard Oil of N. J. (35 1/2%), U. S. Steel (56 1/2%).

Clinic For Cripples Scheduled For Friday

The State Orthopedic clinic will be held next Friday in Greenville from 12:30 to 4 p. m. This clinic takes all types of cripples, both white and colored, free of charge who are unable to afford private treatments. It is desired, though not required, that patients be referred by a physician or the welfare officer, and that the patient bring such note to the clinic.

Richmond Livestock

(Courtesy J. N. and J. L. Williams) Richmond, April 1.—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 steady with Friday. Top \$7.30. Good and choice 180-225 lbs. \$7.10-\$7.30; 100-120 lbs. \$5.30-\$5.80; 120-140 lbs. \$5.80-\$6.30; 140-160 lbs. \$6.30-\$6.75; 160-180 lbs. \$6.75-\$7.10; 180-225 lbs. \$7.10-\$7.30; 225-250 lbs. \$6.60-\$7.10; 250-300 lbs. \$6.30-\$6.80; over 300 lbs. \$6.20-\$6.70. Sows under 350 lbs. \$5.55-\$6.05; over 350 lbs. \$5.05-\$5.55. Cattle, steer market opening slow at around steady prices. Practical top \$10.00 on good slaughter kinds common to medium grades largely \$7.00-\$9.00. Receipts of cows and bulls light early with very little done. Market quotable steady. Fat cows \$6.00-\$6.50, canners and cutlets \$4.00-\$5.00. Practical top on sausage bulls around \$7.00 with good beef bred quotable higher. Vealer market not established. Undertone easy. Strictly good and choice nearby \$11.25; lower grades very dull with demand slow.

Chicago Grain Market

Table showing grain market data: WHEAT—Open, Close, Pr. Ct. May 90 89 1/2 91 1/4; July 89 1/2 88 1/2 89 1/2; Sept. 90 89 1/2 90. CORN—May 66 1/2 66 1/2 67 1/2; July 66 1/2 66 1/2 67 1/2; Sept. 67 1/2 67 1/2 67 1/2. OATS—May 37 37 37 1/2; July 34 33 1/2 34 1/2; Sept. 32 1/2 33 33 1/2. RYE—May 45 1/2 45 1/2 46; July 54 53 1/2 54 1/2.

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with which to wipe out the deficit incurred last year by the Democratic National Committee in the reelection of President Roosevelt. Joe L. Blythe, chairman of the State Jackson Day committee, announced today.

"These counties have gone over the top" and we have word from many more to the effect that they expect to raise their quotas by Friday at the latest," Chairman Blythe said.

There are more than 600 wild boars in North Carolina, according to a recent survey.

TODAY AT THE MOVIES. PITT—TOBACCO ROAD - Gene Tierney, Charles Grapewin. STATE—ALL THIS AND HEAVEN TOO - Bette Davis, Charles Boyer.

TODAY-WED-THURS ON THE SCREEN! Tobacco Road. CHARLEY GRAPWIN - MARJORIE FARMER - GENE TIERNEY - WILLIAM TRACY - DONA ANDREWS - ELLA KENNEDY - BOB SAND - GENE MARSHALL - ZETTA THOMPSON - PETER SMITH. PITTSBURGH SMITH Cartoon.

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY Jane's First Heart Throb! ALL YOU LOVE BEST IN JANE is here! JANE WITHERS at a Bowery spiff on her own in Park Avenue... befuddled by its splendor, but too spunky to admit it! GIRL FROM AVENUE A. KENT TAYLOR - KATHARINE ALDRIDGE - ELYSE KNOX - LAURA HOPE CREWS - JESSIE RALPH - HARRY SHANNON. Plus "MYSTERIOUS DR. SATAN" No. 14. Plus "FIRE CHIEF" Cartoon NEWS REEL. TODAY—BETTE DAVIS, CHARLES BOYER in "ALL THIS AND HEAVEN TOO"

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