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Gen. Dentz Enters Into Direct Armistice Negotiations

SYRIAN CHIEF ACTING ON OWN

Beirut Delegation Declared To Have Left Capital City to Meet British Authorities Concerning Negotiated Peace; General Acts Soon After Vichy Declines British Terms

Beirut, Lebanon, July 12. (AP) — General Henri Dentz, the Vichy commander-in-chief in Syria, has entered into direct negotiations with the British looking toward an armistice after the refusal of the French government to accept British terms, it was announced officially today.

A French delegation left Beirut this morning to meet British authorities and negotiate conditions of a settlement. London sources said fighting had stopped last midnight. The Cairo headquarters of the British Middle East command said the British and Free French were ordered to cease fire at that time, after Dentz agreed to negotiate on British terms.

General Dentz acted as soon as he received word from Vichy that the 11-point British armistice terms had been turned down by the government. In declaring the terms unacceptable, Vichy left General Dentz free to negotiate an armistice if he thought it essential from the military standpoint.

J. Q. Andrews, 62 Claimed By Death

J. Q. Andrews, 62, died at his home in Parmele at 8:30 Friday morning. Funeral services will be conducted from the late home Sunday afternoon at 2:30 by Rev. Daniel E. Bell, Methodist minister of Robersonville, and interment will follow in the Andrews cemetery near Bethel.

Mr. Andrews is survived by his wife, the former Miss Mattie Whitehurst of Beaufort county, and three daughters, Mrs. N. Burch of Portsmouth, Va., Eloise and Janie Andrews of Parmele; four sons and two daughters by a former marriage, M. L. of Belhaven, J. D. of Bethel, J. Q. Jr. of Parmele and Bernice of Raleigh, Mrs. S. G. Bradley of Savannah, Ga., and Mrs. Nicholas Roberson of Parmele. He is also survived by two sisters and two brothers, Mrs. N. W. Shoe of Greenville, Mrs. M. M. Graham of Scranton, S. C., T. B. and L. L. Andrews of Bethel.

Merchant Directors Meet Monday Night

The regular monthly meeting of the Greenville Merchants Association will be held in the Board of Aldermen's room at the Municipal building Monday night at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Cora S. Powell, executive secretary, urged all members to be present. For their convenience, she has arranged with Lieut. Lester Jones of the State Highway Patrol for the use of the patrol telephone in case members desire to use it. In case members desire to leave the number for possible important calls it is 3323.

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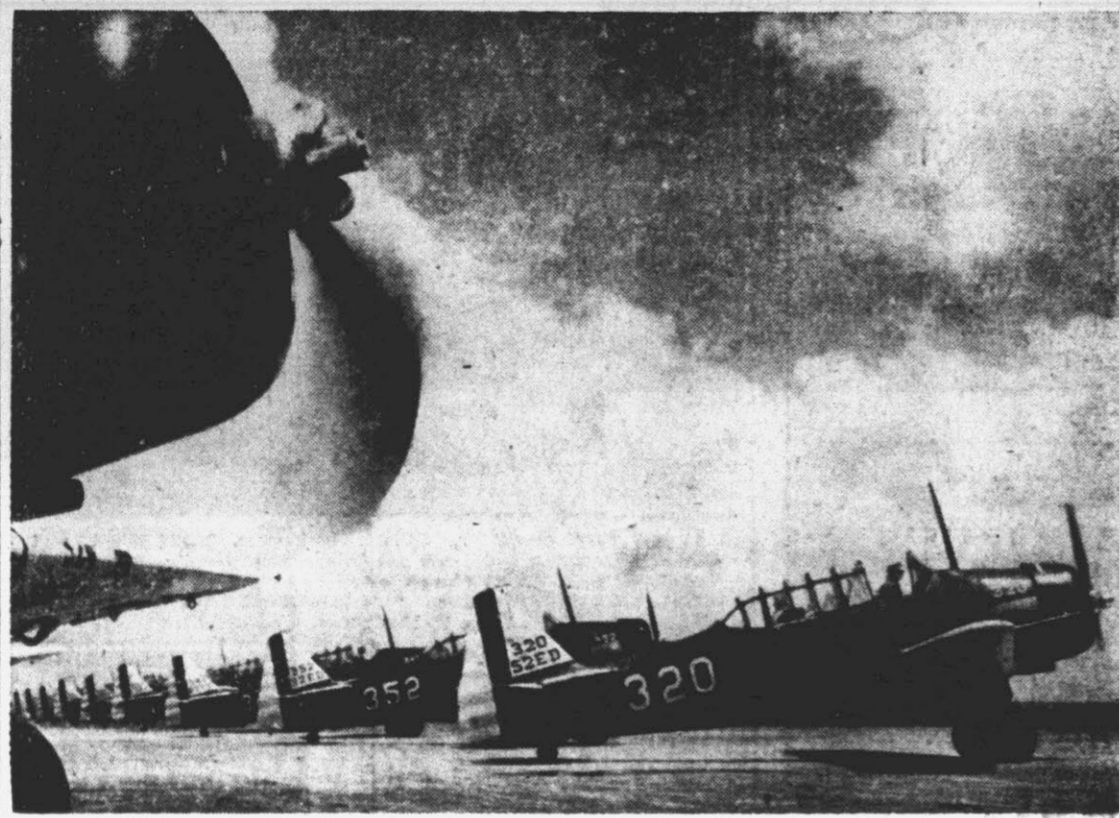
Washington, July 12.—(AP) —The Maritime Commission announced today it had taken over 16 more Danish cargo vessels laid up in United States ports, bringing to 31 the number of Danish ships acquired under the recently-enacted ship requisition act. In addition, the Commission has taken possession of one Italian vessel under the act, and President Roosevelt last night ordered forfeited 15 Italian and one German vessel under the espionage act of 1917.

All the ships are part of the 80-odd "idle" foreign vessels which recently became subject to the jurisdiction of the United States.

The Maritime Commission said its representatives in four Atlantic ports boarded the 16 Danish ships today and assumed title and possession.

This made available for the defense needs of this country more than 95 deadweight tons of shipping.

Whirling Propellers Set Air Corps Training Tempo



Propellers whirl on a seemingly endless line of basic training planes at the "West Point of the Air" as Army Air Corps instructors, each with his Flying Cadet student, wait on the ramp the signal to take off for another training period in Texas skies. Completing their ten weeks and 6 hours aloft at Randolph Field, Texas, classes of almost 400 Flying Cadets leave this south Texas school every five weeks for advanced fields to complete their training for wings and commissions. Follows then active duty, as the young flying officers "Keep 'em Flying" with the Army Air Corps.

Georgia Tobacco Farmers Would Delay Opening Date

CHOIR IS BACK AFTER 36 DAYS

Eighteen States Visited and 25 Concerts Presented

Forty smiling, joyous students of four Eastern Carolina high schools — members of the North Carolina Symphonic Choir — returned to Greenville yesterday following a trans-continental tour during which they visited 18 states, giving a total of 25 concerts. Late yesterday afternoon the large bus, following Choir Director Lewis Sidney Bullock's car, parked on West Third street in front of the court house, the exact spot from which it left on June 5. A large number of friends and relatives had gathered to greet the young artists. The choir is made up of students of Ayden, Winterville, Snow Hill and Hookerton. It was North Carolina's official representative at the 22nd biennial convention of the National Federation of Music Clubs and the American Musical Festival held at Los Angeles. The choir carried a letter of greeting from Gov. Broughton to Gov. Olson of California and although the California chief executive was not in the capital, the choir members were received by the official representative of the governor.

The principal highlight of the trip, and one which will long be remembered by members, was the trip to Santa Catalina Island as guests of Kay Kyser. A picture of the noted North Carolina band leader entertaining Mr. Bullock and members of the choir recently appeared in The Reflector.

Between the time the party left here on June 5 after having been given an official send-off by Mayor Sugg and the time it returned late yesterday afternoon, members had travelled approximately 8,000 miles. The first concert was presented in Charlotte, with the first major out-of-state presentation being at the Southern Methodist University, at Dallas, Texas. A thrilling experience for members was the trip from El Paso, Texas, into Mexico. The choir sang at the Carlsbad Caverns in Texas en route to California.

At the Los Angeles convention the Carolina choir was one of three to take part; the others being Capital University of Columbia, Ohio, and Columbia College, S. C. The local choir, the last on the program, sang "The Benediction" and there was hardly a dry eye in the audience of more than 500 as the number was concluded. This was regarded as the principal feature of the entire tour.

Other concerts or impromptu programs were given all along the route, including one at Cavalry Presbyterian church in San Francisco to an audience of 1,000, another in a beautiful setting on the (Continued On Page Six)

Protest To Be Heard In Durham Next Wednesday

Atlanta, July 12.—(AP)—Protests of Georgia tobacco growers on the proposed August 5 opening of bright leaf auctions will be heard Wednesday at Durham, N. C., by the Sales Committee of the Tobacco Association of the United States Agriculture Commissioner Tom Linder announced today.

Linder made public a telegram from H. R. Pettus, chairman of the committee, inviting Linder and representative growers to appear at the Washington Duke hotel at Durham at 11 a. m. Wednesday, to present their arguments for postponement of the auctions. The Georgia commissioner said he expected to invite "75 or 100" growers to accompany him to Durham.

Linder last week appealed to the Tobacco Association for a 10-day postponement of opening day, contending that adverse weather conditions in May and June had retarded the crop and asserting growers would not have time to grade their stock properly, thus making them liable to lose up to \$2,000,000 in marketing their leaf.

Rev. L. R. O'Brian Dies In Oxford

Oxford, July 12.—The Rev. L. R. O'Brian, aged 55, of Asheboro, for 30 years a Baptist minister in North Carolina, died suddenly at 1:30 Friday afternoon while visiting in the home of his daughter, Mrs. R. M. Ray, Jr., in Oxford.

Funeral rites will be conducted at Oxford Baptist church at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon by the Rev. M. L. Banister, pastor. Interment will be in Elmwood cemetery here.

Mr. O'Brian attended Wake Forest college and as a young man entered the ministry. He had been pastor of Asheboro Baptist church for several years until his recent resignation.

He was a native of Granville county, a son of Solomon O'Brian and Jennie Lee Meadows and was one of 11 children.

Surviving are his wife; a son, Dr. L. R. O'Brian of Lynchburg, Va.; a daughter, Mrs. R. M. Ray, Jr., Oxford.

Surviving brothers and sisters are Mrs. J. M. Blacklock, Mrs. T. M. Knott and Brodie O'Brian, Oxford; Mrs. M. E. Green, Williamsburg, Va.; Mrs. G. C. Howard, Portsmouth, Va.; Mrs. B. M. Graham, Atlanta, Ga.; Mrs. L. L. Carpenter, Waco, Tex.; C. L. O'Brian, Chatham, Ont., Canada, and Mrs. L. C. Ferrell.

Rev. O'Brian was for a number of years pastor of the Immanuel Baptist Church in Greenville, where he gained a host of friends who regret to learn of his death.

52 TAKEN FOR WASTING FUEL

District Police Crack Down On Gas-Wasting Drive

Washington, July 12.—(AP)—Fifty-two motorists whose exhaust pipes fumed so much that police felt they were wasting gasoline needed in the new petroleum conservation program, fell into the hands of the law today.

No formal arrests were made but, at the direction of Petroleum Coordinator Ickes, park police escorted the 52 drivers to the District of Columbia police headquarters, where their vehicles were inspected.

"Red stickers" were issued against 50 and their operators given 10 days in which to make necessary mechanical adjustments. In two instances the police test resulted in clearing the vehicles of any violation.

As part of the campaign to conserve oil in the East, where a shortage has been predicted, Ickes told his last press conference he proposed to ask city and state officers in the East to arrest persons using what he termed "oil burner" cars and making "jack rabbit" starts.

No arrests have been made for motor racing starts, it being understood the District of Columbia now has no law definitely describing such an act as a traffic violation. However, the District code carries a 15-year-old rule making the operation of a smoking vehicle illegal.

What About Stocks? Babson Believes Them To Be Very Cheap

Babson Park, Mass., July 12.—It is not the function of this column to forecast the stock market. It is, however, my duty to give certain facts to readers. This week, these pertain to the stock market.

Prices Very Low The dividend-paying stocks, listed on the New York Stock Exchange, are now selling at less than 14 times their dividends compared with nearly 20 times in August, 1939.

And perhaps 27 times in August 1929. This means that if you shut your eyes and blindly put a little money in every dividend-paying stock, you would get a yield of over 7 per cent! With the exception of the 1917 break, the 1920-21 panic, and the 1931-33 depression, at no time in the past 41 years have good stocks been so cheap in relation to dividends as today.

After The War? Four main reasons are given for the very low prices: 1. Present "boom" business is artificial due to the war.

PERU CHARGES ECUADOR WITH NEW INCIDENT

Declares New Attacks Made Along The Frontier

TROOPS ARE SENT TO REPULSE FOE Communique Declares That Neither The People Nor The Government Of Ecuador Prepared Talk Peace

Lima, Peru, July 12.—(AP)—The Peruvian foreign office declared today that fresh Ecuadorian attacks had been experienced at seven places along the eastern frontier and that since it would be useless to protest, an order had been issued to Peruvian troops to repulse with arms any new aggression.

The communique declared the government's belief that "neither the government nor the people of Ecuador are prepared to discuss peacefully the conflict."

"The commander-in-chief of the fifth division of the army, whose seat is at Iquitos (in the Amazon jungle), announced that at 9 a. m., July 10, Ecuadorian forces appeared on the Tigre river and attacked the Peruvian force at Bartra," said the communique.

Dispatches from Quito, Ecuador, at the same time said, however, that Peru was concentrating armed forces at Latina, Mount Maza and other border points, and that Peruvian warplanes were active in the frontier zones.

Guaranty Bankers To Attend School

Several executives of the Guaranty Bank and Trust Company and its branches are planning to attend the fifth annual conference to be held in Chapel Hill next week under the sponsorship of the North Carolina Bankers Association, the State Banking Department and the University.

The conferences will be in session Monday night through Friday. Among those from here planning to attend are Executive Vice President W. H. Woodard, Cashier J. H. Waldrop and Johnnie Overton of the home office, Harold Staton of the Dickinson Avenue branch and the following cashiers: H. S. Gurganus of Washington, J. E. Edwards of Belhaven, D. W. Clayton and Phillip Keel of Williamston, A. G. Small of Elizabeth City, D. R. Eyre and B. L. Stokes of Robersonville.

Several hundred bankers from all parts of the state will return to school for the four-day period to learn about new methods and techniques demanded by changing times. Discussions are to be led by the nation's foremost banking authorities.

Aerial Brunco Buster!



Flying Cadet Victor Woodrick, 23, from Three Oaks, Mich., demonstrates how he landed on the tail assembly of a training plane after he was thrown out of the rear cockpit accidentally while 500 feet in the air near East St. Louis, Ill. The plane was landed safely by civilian instructor David J. Matthis with Woodrick in this position.

Proposed Tax On Autos To Cost \$3,500,000

Measure Now Before Ways And Means Committee

Reflector Bureau. By HENRY AVERILL

Raleigh, July 12.—(Shoild) Congress finally adopt the tax plan recommended to the House by the Ways and Means committee, taxes paid into federal treasury by or through the 600 automobile dealers of North Carolina would be increased by about \$3,500,000 annually.

That, incidentally, is approximately the same sum which will be added to the motorists' tax bill in this state if the \$5 per private automobile "sticker" plan is approved. With \$3,500,000 added to the new car and accessories tax bill, the total of state and federal taxes paid by reason of the dealer's business would run to about \$8,500,000 a year, as the present yield on new car business is slightly above \$5,000,000 in the state at present.

Items going to make up this big total include \$2,975,000 in federal excise taxes under the present 3-1-2 per cent schedule, \$600,000 on accessories, tires and tubes; \$200,000 in state privilege and dealers tag licenses; and \$1,275,000 in state sales tax.

Of course it is true that the greater part of these taxes are, like almost all others, passed along to the hapless ultimate consumer, in this case the car buyer.

Here's how the figures for taxes are arrived at: Sale of new passenger cars in the state, as reported by the North Carolina Automobile Dealers Association reached 34,600 passenger cars and 8,009 trucks, a combined total of 42,609 vehicles for the first six months.

That's about 85,000 a year, which at an average value of \$1,000 per vehicle makes sales volume \$85,000,000 annually.

Applying the 3-1-2 per cent tax rate, the yield is \$2,975,000. This will be exactly doubled under the proposed new schedule.

Estimating the taxes on accessories, tires, tubes, etc., is a bit more complicated and difficult; but it is safe to figure that of the expected \$600,000 revenue expected from this class, North Carolina will contribute at least two per cent (that's about the proportion of registered vehicles in this state and in the nation). That would make the North Carolina part about \$1,200,000 under the 5 per cent rate. It therefore, is about \$600,000 under the current 2-1-2 per cent levy.

The sales tax is not hard to figure. All new cars being priced at more than \$450, each sale carries the North Carolina single sales tax of \$15. On 85,000 vehicles this would amount to \$1,275,000.

Therein lies something of a surprise. The figure means that almost ten per cent of the entire sales tax collections in North Carolina come from sale of new automobiles. With food for home consumption (Continued on page six)

HUTSON COMES HERE JULY 25

One Of Four State Meetings To Be Held In City

J. B. Hutson, president of the Commodity Credit Corporation and perhaps the best informed man in the United States on flue-cured tobacco, and Walter L. Randolph, president of the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation, will address one of four district meetings to be held in Greenville Friday, July 25.

Tentative arrangements for the meeting, to be held in the college auditorium, were made at a conference of business and farm leaders held in the Agricultural building last night. Another meeting will be held Monday night to decide on the hour and make other plans.

The district meetings are being called by the North Carolina Farm Bureau Federation, under the leadership of President J. E. Winslow of this city and Secretary R. Flake Shaw of Greensboro. Other meetings will be held in Asheville, July 22; Greensboro, July 23; and Gastonia, July 24.

The purpose of the meetings is to discuss with farmers of the state vital questions facing North Carolina agriculture as a result of present unbalanced conditions throughout the world. Business men as well as farmers are invited to attend.

President Winslow and Secretary Shaw state that these meetings are being called for the following purposes:

- 1. To explain Farm Bureau Parity Loan Legislation recently passed by Congress and the benefits each individual farmer will receive from this new legislation.
2. To plan organized movement throughout the state to get this temporary parity legislation made permanent.

Mr. Deal discussed the subject uppermost in everyone's mind at the present time—the war. He declared that if this country has to go to war he would prefer to see the conflict waged on foreign soil than in the Americas.

The professor asserted that this country was facing the gravest threats since the Civil war. He reminded of some of the things Kiwanis and other civic organizations could do in such trying times and urged each member to do his bit during the crisis.

He urged members to purchase defense savings bonds and stamps, declaring that by doing this individuals would be contributing and at the same time would realize the gravity of the situation.

Mr. Deal described Senator Wheeler (D-Mont.) as an arch enemy to the administration and also belittled the activities of Col. Lindbergh in behalf of the isolationist movement.

Little New Is Reported On Conflict

Neither Moscow Nor Berlin Issues Any Complete Statement On Progress of War; Precise Point Where Nazi Shock Troops Attacking Russian Main Defense Line Is Not Made Clear

(By The Associated Press) German reports declared today that Nazi shock troops were storming the northern wing of the Stalin line, but for the fifth consecutive day the German high command found it advisable to report only that the campaign against Russia was proceeding "according to plans."

The Red army command, either in triumph or in duplication of Adolf Hitler's official secrecy, declared that no major changes had occurred on Russia's western front.

DNE, official German news agency, whose bulletin quickly followed the German high command's communique, said the assault on the deep Stalin fortifications started yesterday and was reinforced early today by shock troops.

The precise point of attack was not specified, but the agency said cryptically it was in "the wet zone of the Stalin line," presumably the north-central sector where the line follows the Dnepr river between Orsha on the north and the Ukraine on the south. The Dnepr flows into the line from the northeast.

Perhaps talking about the same thrust which the Germans described as storming of the Stalin line, the Red army declared that its bombers, infantry and artillery had smashed German attempts to cross rivers along which Russians were massed in anticipation of a major assault.

One dispatch said the Germans laid nine pontoon bridges on "X" river, three of which were destroyed by bombers, while troops and heavy tanks were crossing.

A motorized infantry battalion was reported similarly destroyed after it had crossed another unidentified river on pontoons.

The Communist party organ, Pravda, reported that the city of Pinsk, deep in the marshes of the same name and far behind the German lines, remained in Soviet hands with forces there raiding the German rear. Pinsk lies 140 miles southwest of Bobruisk, the approximate front.

Despite German claims almost from the outset that the Luftaffe was the master of the air, the Russians seemed to have a great reserve in planes. An authorized German spokesman said that the Germans destroyed 188 of them in the past 24 hours—163 in air battles—and announced a ratio of German losses as one plane to seven Russian planes destroyed.

Deal Is Heard By Local Civic Club

Professor Ralph C. Deal of the Language department of East Carolina Teachers College, who is in great demand as a dinner speaker throughout Eastern Carolina and elsewhere, delivered the principal address at last night's meeting of the Greenville Kiwanis club.

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# Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Rives have returned from a motor trip to Washington, D. C., and through western Virginia. They came down the Shenandoah Drive and Shenandoah Valley, to visit the Caverns and Natural Bridge. In Washington they visited their son, Lomnie Rives.

Miss Miriam Ficklen of Mount Airy, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Moseley.

Miss Annie Laura Askew of Washington, D. C., is spending some time here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Askew.

Miss Rhoda Nunnally of Monroe, La., teacher of dramatics and the speech arts at Interment College in southwest Virginia, is visiting Mrs. A. A. Harrell, dietitian at East Carolina Teachers College.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson, Mrs. W. W. Moore and Miss Cleo Smith are spending the week-end at Carolina Beach.

**Bethel Methodist Church.**  
"I Go A Fishing" is the sermon topic at the Bethel Methodist Church tomorrow morning. Rev. J. G. Phillips, pastor, will conduct the service on the summer schedule with public worship beginning at 10:30 instead of 11 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

**Uncle Of Local Man Dies.**  
Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Wilson today received a telegram announcing the death of Mr. Wilson's uncle, Mr. J. S. Wilson, at Hurdle's Mills, N. C. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson attended a reunion of his eightieth birthday on Sunday, July 6.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will attend the funeral Sunday.

**Y. W. A. To Meet.**  
The Kate Ellen Gruver Y. W. A. of Memorial Baptist Church will meet in the Educational building on Monday night at 7:30, with Miss Elizabeth Holliday as hostess. Miss Maribelle Robinson will be in charge of the program. All members are urged to attend.

**In Local Hospital.**  
Mrs. Gordon Congleton of Liberty, N. C. in Pitt General Hospital, having undergone an emergency operation Wednesday.

**Debutante Ball Date Announced.**  
Raleigh, July 12.—The Terpsichorean Club has just announced that the twenty-first annual Debutante Ball will be given on September 12 and 13 in Memorial Auditorium, Raleigh. The club's coming of age ball is expected to be one of the most colorful in its history.

Vaughan Sharp Winborne has been appointed by the club as general chairman of the ball. Mr. Winborne is the son of the Hon. and Mrs. Stanley Winborne and received his education at the University of North Carolina and recently graduated from the law school.

Armisted Jones Maupin, president of the club, has appointed the following committees to assist the Debutante Committee in staging the ball:  
Entertainment, Joseph W. Yates, Jr., chairman, Robert Wynne, J. C. E. Ehringhaus, Jr., and James McKee; Music—Furman Betts, chairman, James Poyner, John Owens and Edwin Webb. Decorations—James Lynch, chairman, William Rose, James H. Pou Bailey, Wofford Humphries and Wm. Vass Shepherd. Lighting—William McPherson, chairman, Henry Hull McKinmon, and Dr. Hubert Haywood Jr. Flowers—William H. W. Anderson, chairman, John Bost, John Van B. Metz. Publicity—John H. Anderson, Jr., chairman, Patrick Healey, John A. Park, Jr. Concessions—Thomas Alexander, Jr., chairman. J. W. Work, Program. Arol T. Allen, chairman, G. A. Moore, Jr., T. A. Upchurch, and R. Mayne Albright.

**Dance At College.**  
The annual E. C. T. C. summer dance last night was the high spot of the social program of the summer school. It was pronounced not only by those managing it but by all participating as one of the most successful dances in a long time.  
The music was furnished by Bear Johnson and his orchestra of Washington. Among the musicians was one student, Gordon Stanger, Jimmie Johnson. The orchestra stand was placed below the stage near the dancers. Pink glads and green foliage formed the decorations back of the orchestra and around the refreshment tables. Punch and wafers were served.  
The light summer dresses and the sprinkling of light suits with an occasional military touch of uniform made a pleasing picture in the soft glow of lowered lights.  
There were a number of guests from out of town. Tables were furnished on the side for bridge and other games for those who did not wish to dance. An unusually large number of spectators remained on the sidelines throughout the dance.  
The chaperons were: Dr. and Mrs. B. E. Brandt, Dr. and Mrs. P. A. Toll, Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Hildrup, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McHenry, Miss Ruth White and Miss Frances Wahl.  
Miss Myrtle Conkock, chairman of the Social Comm. representative, greeted the guests at the door. The other members of the committee and the Student Government president were hostesses. These were Misses Elizabeth Smith, Dora Coates and Margaret Williams, Mrs. Agnes Washington Barrett, and Messrs. O. C. Hankner, A. L. Dittmer and W. H. McHenry.

## Social Calendar

**MONDAY**  
10:00 a. m.—Parent-Teacher Institute, East Carolina Teachers College; Education Building, Room 300; Mrs. E. N. Howell, field representative for N. C. Congress of Parents-Teachers, speaker.

11:00-12:00—Conferences with Mrs. Howell, Education Building, Room 100.

3:00 p. m.—Meeting of Parent-Teacher Institute, Classroom building, first floor auditorium.

6:30 p. m.—The Rotary Club meets.

7:00 p. m.—Meeting of the Lions Club.

7:30 p. m.—Memorial Baptist Y. W. A. will meet in the Educational building. Miss Elizabeth Holliday will be hostess.

8:00 p. m.—Russian Cathedral Quartette, Austin Auditorium, E. C. T. C.

**TUESDAY**  
8:00 p. m.—Witha Council Degree of Pochontas meets.

**WEDNESDAY**  
7:45 p. m.—The choir of the Methodist Church meets for rehearsal.

**FRIDAY**  
7:00 p. m.—The Kiwanis Club will meet at Wrightsville Beach.  
7:30 p. m.—Meeting of the Red Men.

**Red Banks N. E. Club.**  
July days are busy days for the members of the Red Banks Home Demonstration Club.

Twelve members attended the regular meeting which was held on July 1 at the home of Mrs. R. L. Little. We were glad to have Carrie Dahl Edwards, 4-H club girl, with us, and to welcome Mrs. E. B. Thomas as a new member.

Interesting reports were made by the leaders of the following projects: Poultry, Mrs. Oscar Hardee; 4-H Club, Mrs. Simon Tucker; Parent Education, Mrs. E. H. Boyd; and Food Conservation, Mrs. J. Brooks Tucker. Continued interest is being shown in the minor project "Use of the English Language," conducted each month by Mrs. Ola Tucker.

Miss Verona Lee Joyner home demonstration agent, reviewed the work of the past two years in the major project, Home Management. Miss Joyner displayed attractive curtains made from bagging at a nominal cost. These curtains would be ideal for a boy's room, sun room or every-day living room. Miss Joyner announced a canning demonstration would be held at the home of Mrs. J. Brooks Tucker on Tuesday afternoon, July 8. Farm and Home week at State College, Raleigh, the first week in August, and the annual club picnic will be on the lawn at the home of Mrs. Simon Tucker on the evening of August 14, with families of members as guests.

Club members were asked to encourage their children to develop habits of thrift and a spirit of patriotism by urging them to invest a part of their spending money in Defense Savings Stamps. The son of one of the club members has already invested part of his proceeds from an acre of cucumbers in an E. pamphlet, "Defense Savings for American Farmers," issued by the Treasury Department.

Following a brief recreational program the hostess served delicious and refreshing orange ice and frosted cup cakes. A small American flag was presented to each one.  
The Red Banks club women feel that the rural home is the nation's first line of defense and by conserving the winter food supply, all are doing a strong bit towards making America stronger by making Americans stronger. Nineteen women and girls attended the canning demonstration held at the home of Mrs. J. Brooks Tucker on July 8. Beets, string beans, and soup-mixture were canned, using the pressure cooker as recommended by the specialist in Food Conservation and Marketing of the Department of Agriculture. Three new pressure cookers have been purchased by club members, and seven pressure cookers are being kept in constant use canning acid vegetable products. Everyone present participated in a round-table discussion on the "Problems of Canning." A few short cuts were given. We were glad to have the 4-H girls present at this demonstration as food conservation is their project. The hostess served iced grape-lemmonade and cookies.—Reported.

**Presbyterian Announcements.**  
Services will be held at the Presbyterian Church and its outpost missions as usual, on Sunday, July 13th. Mr. Sidney Crane, the student assistant in well and illness, Mr. A. E. Gibson will teach the men's Bible class at 10 a. m. The subject for the morning message will be "The Lamb of God," taken from John's gospel, first chapter. Union services will be held in this church Sunday night at 8 o'clock. The subject will be "In Christ a New Creation." Dr. Robert S. Boyd, the pastor, will preach. Special music will be rendered by the choir at each service. Members and friends in all the churches are urged to attend these services.

At Hollywood school house, Sunday school will be held at 2:30 p.

## One Of These Girls Will Be A Princess



Pictures above are the eight Wilson, N. C. girls who will make up the Court of Honor of the fifth annual North Carolina Tobacco Exposition and Festival to be held in Wilson August 21-22 this year. Life magazine's art department will select one of them to act as Wilson Princess, official Wilson hostess of the event.

At Meadowbrook Chapel, the young people will meet at 7:15. Refreshments will be served by those recently attending the Y. P. Conference at Peace College, Raleigh. Rev. C. L. Crane, father of Mr. Sidney Crane, will preach at the evening service at 8 o'clock. The community is invited to attend. Sunday school will be held as usual at 9:45 a. m.

## Activities In Greenville Girl Scout

Another afternoon just for the Brownies is being planned by the Girl Scout office. Brownie-Scouts are to meet at the office at 2 p. m., on Tuesday, July 14. They are to bring a nosegay lunch and be for swimming in the city pool.

From the office the Brownies will go to the college woods where they will sing Brownie songs and give a play. At 4 p. m., they will all go swimming and afterwards eat lunch together. Parents who wish to call for Brownies to take them home may meet them at 5:30 p. m., at the Cotanche street playground.

## Seeing Through My Windshield

(By Verona Lee Joyner, H. D. A.)  
Some people say they can do only one thing at a time but Pitt county H. D. club members have shown this week that they could do more. With the harvesting of tobacco on all the farms, the duties of the club members have been doubled, yet at every club meeting there have been fifteen or more women present. In addition to regular H. D. club meetings there have been seven canning demonstrations in the county with twenty or more ladies present. Their eagerness to do their part in the national preparedness program has been expressed this week in their desire to learn more about canning at home. Surely there are no ladies in any county as efficient as our County Home Demonstration Club members.

**4-H Club Activities**  
Mrs. B. L. Tyson reports this article as I was unable to go on the tour and only attended the picnic supper with the group.  
On Wednesday afternoon, nearly a hundred 4-H boys and girls and their parents of Red Oak and Ballard's community gathered at the Red Oak community center for a tour of some 4-H projects and a picnic.  
They left in a body and stopped at Athletes' Tavern to see her bedroom modeled and had recently returned home after spending the week with Mrs. King's mother, Mrs. H. P. Congleton, Sr.  
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## STOKES NEWS

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Mr. John F. Clark has returned to Langley Field, Va., after spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Ethel R. Clark.

Miss Miriam Barnhill of Bethel spent the week-end with Mrs. George H. Roebuck, Jr.  
Mr. Will White and family of Scotland Neck and John White of Raleigh, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Roebuck, Sr., Sunday.  
Miss Ruela Roberson of Norfolk, Va., visited friends here during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Sutton spent the week-end at Atlantic Beach.  
The Sunday schools of the Stokes churches held their annual picnic at Riverside Park Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Walter Cherry and family of Raleigh is visiting his mother, Mrs. Caddie Cherry.

Miss Anne Lamb of Lumberton is the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. O. Congleton, this week.

Misses Margaret James and Rebecca Cherry have returned to Pamlico after visiting Mrs. C. L. James for a few days.

Rev. Gilbert Davis will preach at the Stokes Christian Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Evening worship is at 8 o'clock.  
Misses Carolyn Stokes and Virginia Congleton left Tuesday for Camp Bailev Hastings to spend the summer.

## Seeing Through My Windshield

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joyed very much.  
A little farther on we stopped by John Wyatt Tyson's, where we saw a lovely green lawn, white painted fence and well-kept grounds around the home. John Wyatt deserves a lot of credit for keeping his yard lovely. He showed the boys his hog project. He has sold several hundred dollars worth of hogs since he became a 4-H boy. His mother served candies and toasted peanuts, which of course hit the spot.

Next, we visited Mimi and Grace Tripp. These girls have two very attractive bedrooms. Their color schemes are lovely and it must be a pleasure to have such beautiful rooms in which to sleep. The yard is well-kept and they have a very attractive fish pool and rock garden.

On our way to Farmville we stopped at Mrs. Turnage's. She graciously showed us her whole house, which has recently been done over, and her lawn and gardens were lovely. Her daughter's bedroom, which at one time served as a rear porch, was one of the most attractive rooms in the house. The color scheme was well chosen in every room and the built-in cupboards added an attractive spot to the front hall and dining room.

The children could hardly wait to get to the picnic grounds and swimming pool at Farmville. Slides, swings, merry-go-rounds, see-saws, etc., were in use every moment of the time and the pool was full of swimmers most of the time.

Just before sundown, a delicious picnic supper with iced tea was served, after which all departed for their homes. It was one of the nicest picnics this community has ever had.

Farmville Home Demonstration Club members organized a neighborhood 4-H group this week. Miss Elizabeth Lang opened the meeting with group pep songs, I explained 4-H club work and gave the goals that each 4-H club member would wish to obtain. After the pledge was learned, officer were elected as follows: President, Lou Nell Morgan; vice-president, Grace Lewis; secretary, Rachel Andrews. Mr. Griggs then told of the outstanding projects that had been done in Pitt county. We then adjourned for a 30-minute recreational program. The Home Demonstration members present were Mrs. J. R. Lewis, president of Farmville club; Mrs. Herman Baker and Mrs. Lenwood Tugwell, volunteer 4-H leaders.

**H. D. Club Activities**  
Pactolus Home Demonstration Club is sponsoring the building of a community house. With government help of about \$3,000 plus enough lumber and other donations given by the citizens of the community, they will soon have a community center to be proud of. Lumber is now being hauled to the lot so in the fall when the help from WPA funds arrive, they will start no time in beginning. All Pactolus citizens are really doing their part to have a needed community center for their many activities.

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## Ford's Grandson And Bride



Edson Ford, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Edsel Ford and grandson of Henry Ford, and his bride, the former Edith McNaughton, leave Christ church chapel at Grosse Pointe, a Detroit suburb, after their wedding. The 21-year-old bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn McNaughton.

H. D. Club, with Mrs. H. D. Gurganus.  
Tuesday, 3 p. m., Winterville H. D. Club with Mrs. Mary Cox.  
Thursday, 3 p. m., Pierce H. D. Club in the club building.  
Friday, 3 p. m., St. Johns H. D. Club, with Mrs. E. W. Fleming.  
Sunday, 9 a. m., Older Youth Picnic at Atlantic Beach.

## CHURCHES

**JARVIS MEMORIAL M. E. CHURCH**  
Rev. Thomas McM. Grant, Minister  
9:45-11:00 a. m.—Unified services.  
9:45 a. m.—Church School classes meet for the lesson.  
10:20 a. m.—United worship.  
Organ Prelude: "Aubade."  
Anthem: "Guarded Love."  
Sermon by the Pastor.  
6:30 p. m.—Meeting of the Young People's Department.  
7:00 p. m.—The Children's and Intermediate Departments will meet.  
8:00 p. m.—Union services at the Presbyterian Church.

**IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Clarence H. Patrick, Minister  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School; R. H. Evans, Supt. A class for every age.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship.  
8:00 p. m.—Union services at the Presbyterian Church.

**EIGHTH ST. CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
(Disciples of Christ)  
William A. Ryan, Minister  
Unified Service—9:30-11:00 a. m.  
9:30-10:10—Study Period.  
10:15-11:00—Worship Period.  
Sacrament of Holy Communion and sermon.  
8:00 p. m.—Union service at the Presbyterian Church.

**PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Corner Cotanche and Tenth Sts.  
Rev. S. B. Denny, Pastor  
Services every fourth Saturday and Sunday.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Pitt and West Fifth Sts.  
Robert S. Boyd, D. D., Pastor.  
9:45 a. m.—Church School; J. Nat Harrison, Supt. A school for the whole family.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship.  
8:00 p. m.—Union services at this church.

Meadowbrook Chapel  
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.—F. L. Hunt, Supt. A school for the community.  
Young People's meeting, 7:15 p. m.  
8:00 p. m.—Rev. Sidney Crane will speak.  
Hollywood School House  
Sunday School at 2:30 p. m., each Sunday.

**ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Rev. John S. Amfield, Rector  
7:30 a. m.—Holy Eucharist.  
9:45 a. m.—Church School; Mr. Rodgers Smith, Supt.  
10:00 a. m.—Bible Class; Mr. C. Wallace Bourne, teacher.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning prayer and sermon.  
6:30 p. m.—Young People's Service League; Miss Mary Pat Waldrop, president.

**WINTERVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Preaching every First and Third Sunday mornings, and every Second and Fourth Sunday nights.  
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School; C. D. Ward, Supt.

**MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Dr. J. D. Simons, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School; E. R. Conway, Jr., Supt. Classes for all ages. Place for the babies.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship.  
Sermon subject: "The Greatest Thing in the World."  
7:00 p. m.—Training Union.  
8:00 p. m.—Evening worship.  
Sermon: "The Narrowness of Jesus."

**FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Corner Eleventh & Cotanche Sts.  
L. Everette Ballard, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School; W. P. Owens, Supt.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship.  
Sermon by the pastor.  
7:00 p. m.—F. W. B. L. meeting.  
8:00 p. m.—Evening worship.

**SALVATION ARMY MEETING**  
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m.—Holiness Meeting.  
6:00 p. m.—Young People's Meeting.  
8:00 p. m.—Salvation Meeting.  
Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting.  
Thursday, 7:30 p. m.—Women's Sewing Club.

**PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS**  
Corner 13th and Reade Sts.  
Rev. J. G. Spivey, Pastor  
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School; W. B. Peele, Supt.  
Services every Sunday by the pastor at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.  
6:30 p. m.—P. Y. P. S. meeting.  
Tuesday and Friday—Prayer services at 7:30 p. m.

**CHURCH OF ST. PETER THE APOSTLE**  
Rev. Charles J. Gable, Pastor  
The Holy Sacrifice will be offered at 8 and 9:30 a. m.  
Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament at 5 p. m.

**THE LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
(Rotary Club Building)  
Robert L. Landeck, Pastor  
(503 W. Fourth St.—Phone 3840)  
8:00 p. m.—Evening worship.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE**  
Dickinson Avenue  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m.—Lesson-Sermon.  
Wednesday—Reading Room open from 2 until 5 o'clock in the church building.  
Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.—Testimony meeting in the church edifice, 1008 Dickinson Avenue.

**BETHEL F. W. B. CHURCH**  
Rev. J. C. Gardner, Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.  
Preaching every third Sunday at 11 a. m., 3 p. m., and 8 p. m.

**SYCAMORE HILL BAPTIST**  
Corner Greene and First Sts.  
Rev. J. A. Nimmo, Pastor  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School; W. D. Miller, Supt.  
We invite all Bible lovers to take advantage of this hour of Bible  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship.  
6:30 p. m.—B. T. U.; Mrs. Mary I. Butler, Director.  
8:00 p. m.—Evening worship.  
Sermon by the pastor.  
Thursday, 7:30 p. m.—Hour of prayer.

**JOE'S BRANCH F. W. B. CHURCH**  
Ayden, N. C.  
Rev. M. C. Windley, Pastor  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School; E. A. Chapman, Supt.  
Regular preaching service every first Sunday at 11 o'clock.  
Prayer meeting every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.  
The public is cordially invited to attend services at this church. The church is located on Highway 43, one mile south of Calico crossroads.

**ST. JOSEPH'S CHAPEL**  
Jameboro, N. C.  
Rev. J. C. Gardner, Pastor  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m.—Services every first Sunday.

**ST. PETER'S F. W. B. CHURCH**  
Vanceboro, N. C.  
Rev. J. C. Gardner, Pastor  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m.—Services every third Sunday.

**CEDAR GROVE BAPTIST**  
Rev. C. C. Sharp, Pastor  
10:30 a. m.—Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m.—Services every fourth

**ELOHIM HOLINESS CHURCH**  
Pitt Street  
Elder J. N. Batten, Pastor  
Services at 11:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., Sunday.  
Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Prayer meeting.

**ENGLISH CHAPEL F. W. B. CHURCH**  
Rev. S. Hemby, Pastor  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School; Sam Hemby, Supt.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship.  
The public is invited.

**ST. JOHN'S C. M. E. MISSION**  
Sheppard Street  
Rev. W. F. Jones, Pastor  
Residence, Bethel, N. C.  
10:45 a. m.—Sunday School.  
Preaching every first Sunday at 11:45 a. m., and 7:45 p. m.  
Preaching every third Sunday at 3:30 p. m., and 7:30 p. m.

**ST. GABRIEL'S COLORED CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Father Maurice, C. P., Pastor  
Mass each Sunday at 9:00 o'clock.  
Mass each morning at 7:15.

**MT. CALVARY F. W. B. CHURCH**  
Rev. E. M. Hill, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School; Jos. Killbrew, Supt.  
Preaching every fourth Sunday at 11 a. m.  
Evening worship every fourth Sunday at 7:30 p. m.

**PHILIPPI CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
(Disciples of Christ)  
Corner 13th and Greene Sts.  
Rev. O. T. Uley, Pastor  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School; J. L. Leary, Supt.  
Preaching every second and fourth Sunday at 11:30 a. m.  
7:30 p. m.—Evening worship.  
We cordially invite all to come and worship with us.

**YORK MEMORIAL A. M. E. ZION**  
Albemarle Avenue  
Rev. Solon P. League, Pastor  
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship.  
6:30 p. m.—Christian Endeavor.  
7:30 p. m.—Evening worship.  
Prayer and class meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

**SELVIA CHAPEL F.W.B. CHURCH**  
Rev. J. W. Wilkins, Pastor  
Services every first Sunday at 11 a. m.  
2:00 p. m.—Sunday School; Sam Weathing, Supt.

**CORNERSTONE BAPTIST**  
Thirteenth and Railroad Sts.  
Rev. J. T. Tillet, Pastor  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School; Milton Carr, Jr., Supt.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship.  
7:30 p. m.—Evening worship.  
Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Prayer meeting.

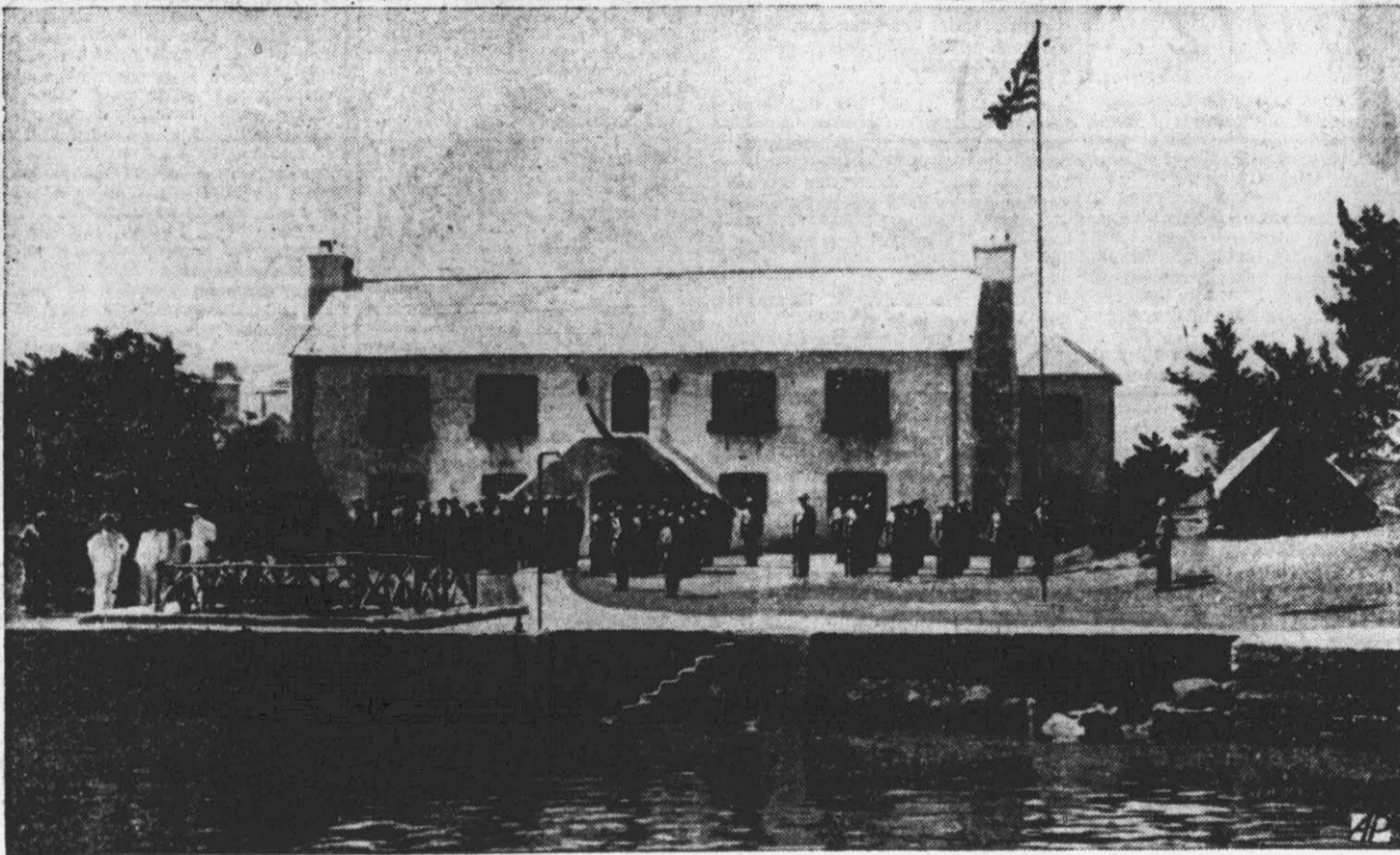
**SIMPSON F. W. B. CHURCH**  
Rev. John Harden, Pastor  
Services every fourth Sunday  
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School; C. L. Hardy, Supt.  
11:30 a. m.—Morning worship.  
7:30 p. m.—Evening worship.  
Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Prayer meeting.

**PHILIPPI BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Railroad Street—Simpson, N. C.  
Rev. J. H. Harris, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School; J. H. Taft, Supt.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship.  
7:30 p. m.—Evening worship.  
Wednesday, 2:00 p. m.—Women's Home Mission meeting; Mrs. R. A. Moore, president.  
Thursday, 7:30 p. m.—Mid-week prayer service.  
Friday, 7 p. m.—Y. of T. meeting; Mrs. H. G. Thompson, president.

**SWEET HOPE F.W.B. CHURCH**  
Rev. E. H. Cox, Pastor  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School; C. C. Chapman, Supt.  
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**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE**  
Having this day qualified as Administrator of the Estate of Emma C. Smith, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the deceased to file the same duly itemized and verified with the undersigned Administrator, Greenville, N. C., R. No. 3, within twelve months from the date hereof, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereon.  
All persons indebted to said estate will please make payment to said Administrator without delay.  
This the 16th day of

# ASSOCIATED PRESS PICTURE NEWS



**U.S. TAKES OVER AT BERMUDA**—Uncle Sam's marines line up before headquarters on Tucker's Island, site of new U.S. naval base at Bermuda, for commissioning ceremonies of base. Site is a key point in the hemisphere defense plan.



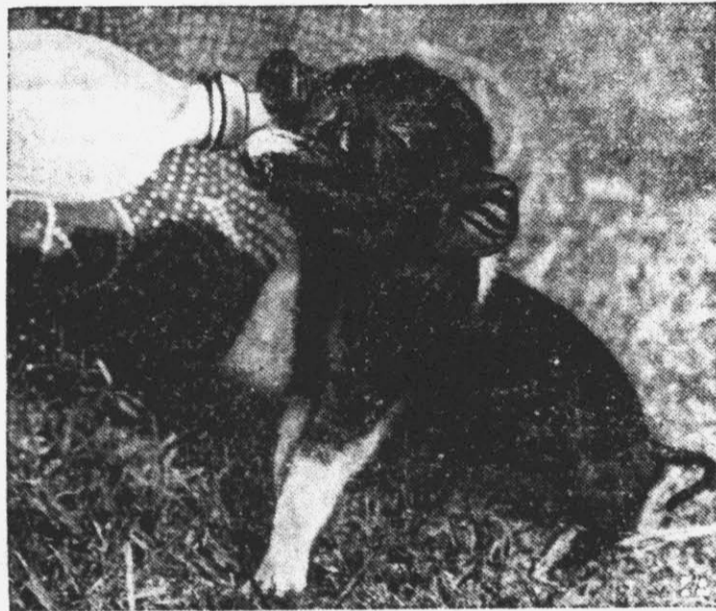
**HAIL**—These hail stones, big as eggs, fell during a 20-minute bombardment of Pueblo. Mrs. Marion Currence (above) gathered pans full, the better to make iced drinks.



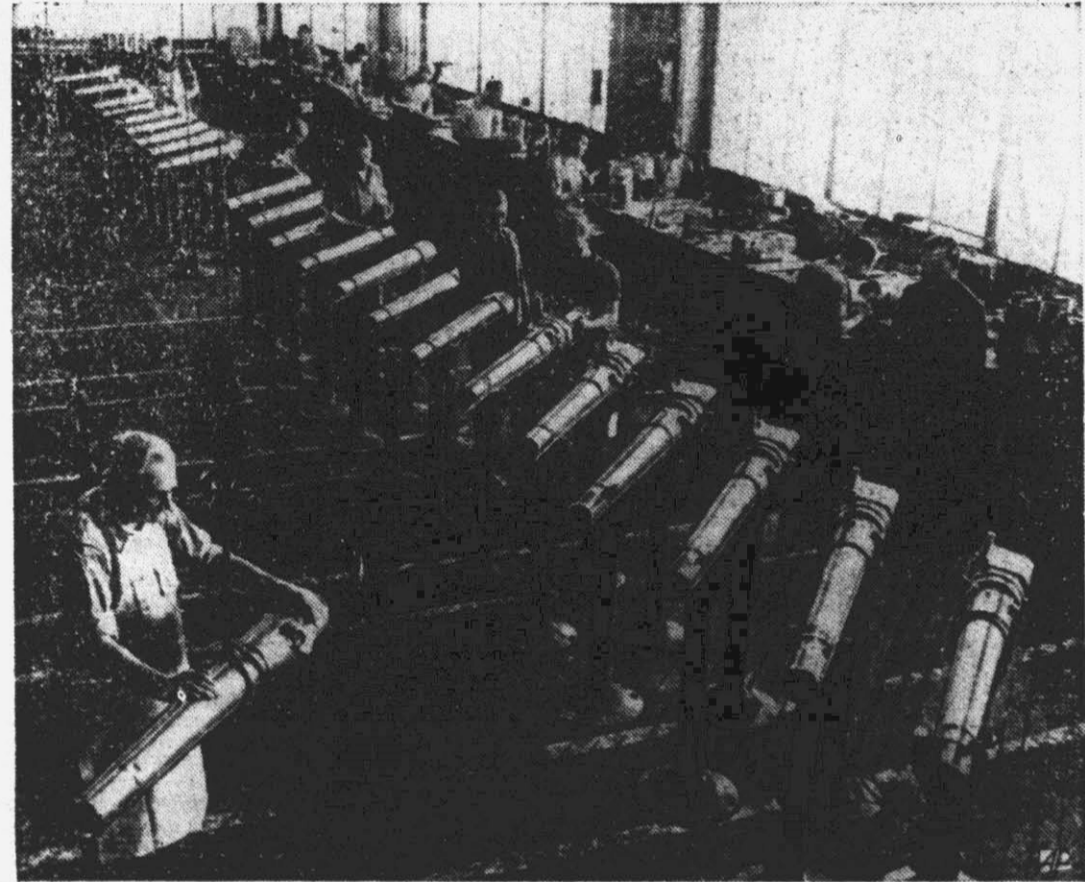
**COOL, CONTENTED AND CONCENTRATING**—Patsy Jenkins of Philadelphia just can't be bothered with the heat as she relaxes at Gustine lake, concentrating on business at hand.



**LIKE SEEM' DOUBLE**—From dozens of twins at the International Twin association convention in Chicago, judges selected Patricia Hallet (top) and her sister, Marcy (bottom) as "most identical." They're 17 and from LaGrange, Ill.



**BLISS**—This youngster's face is wreathed in bliss as he goes after the bottle. The little pig!



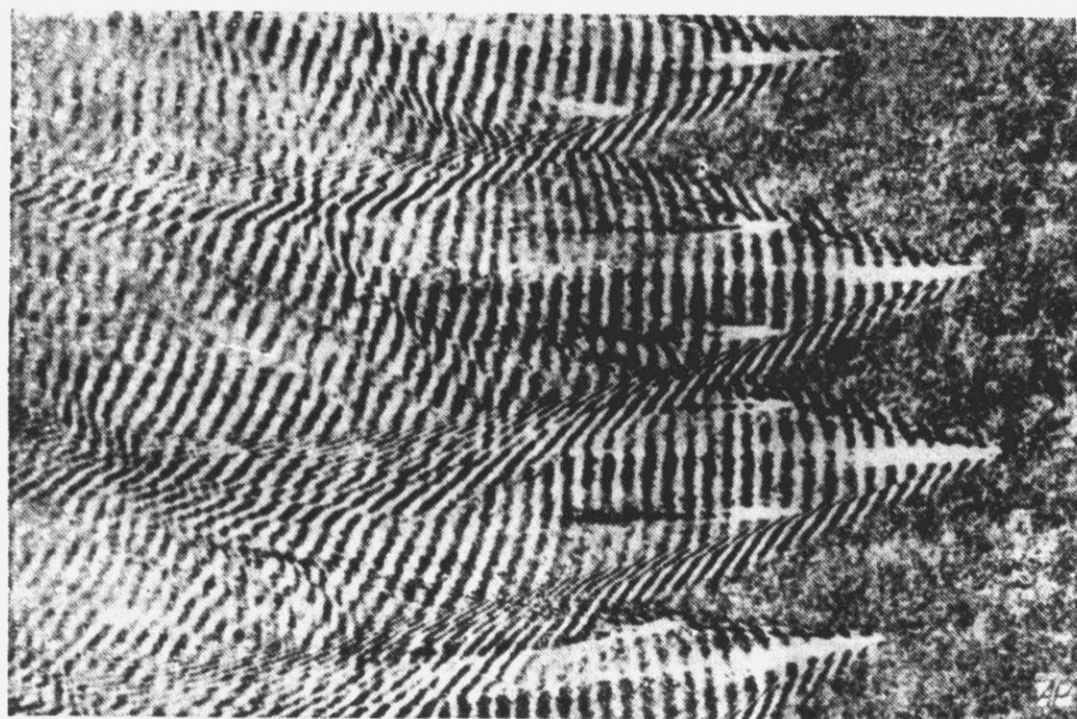
**HOWITZERS FOR UNCLE SAM**—These 75 mm. howitzers, all hand finished, are under construction at the General Electric company plant at Erie, Pa. Army inspectors supervise assembly.



**IMPOUNDER**—As assistant to the secretary of the treasury, John W. Fehle (above) administers the \$7,000,000,000 in foreign funds "frozen" by order of the White House.



**ABANDONED**—This forlorn cub, abandoned by its mother, was found nearly starved near Williamsport, Pa.



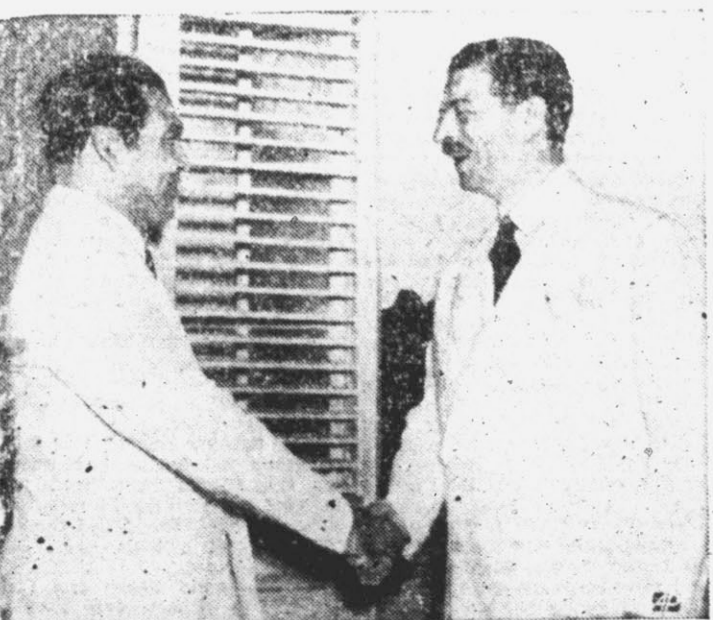
**WAR PATTERN ON THE HIGH SEA**—A Royal Air Force plane caught this closely woven pattern made by German minesweepers and their trailing paravanes on the surface of water.



**NEW HELMET**—Maj. Gen. Bruce Magruder, commander of First armored division at Ft. Knox, wears new type helmet, which affords greater protection than present "tin hat."



**HUMAN BRIDGE**—British shock troops train in the technique of crossing a barbed wire fence by stepping on the back of an officer who has thrown himself across the entanglement to make a human bridge. Scene is somewhere in Northern Ireland.



**REGAL THANKS**—Rumania's former King Carol (right) thanks Cuba's President Batista for Cuban refuge.



**'MINER'**—Joyce Bronson, one of showgirls in centennial celebration at Scranton, Pa., from July 23 to 30, carries accessory a comb, hat and hat power.



**'SUGAR' SWEETENS SURGERY**—A jar of 700 nickels and a canister of 3,500 pennies paid for the tonsillectomies of Edward Nimerich, Jr., 5 (left), and brother, Richard, 3, of Omaha.



**A YANKEE AIDS THE U. S. O.**—Joe DiMaggio autographs hat he used in breaking record of hits in consecutive games. Air Stewardess Polly Ann Carpenter waits in take-off to Frisco, where it will be sold July 12. Proceeds go to the U. S. O.

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## Strength For The Day

By EARL L. DOUGLASS

### THREE-LEAF CLOVERS AND FOUR

It is very interesting to find a four-leaf clover, but the world is fed on three-leaf clovers. There are probably not enough four-leaf clovers in a whole state to feed one cow. The great milk trains which roll into our city in the early hours of each morning are laden with milk produced from plain, ordinary three-leaf clovers. Four-leaf clovers are interesting; three-leaf clovers are practical.

Once in a while we find a four-leaf clover among people, and while they are interesting and rare and have about them an indefinable charm, the world is kept going from day to day not by its four-leaf clovers but by its three-leaf clovers. Any country worth living in is ruled by its common people. Indeed most of the progressive ideas have their origin in the needs and very often in the brains of quite ordinary people who, because they follow the dictates of common sense, produce things that are useful. The average man of the street would deny any knowledge of philosophy, yet practically every one of them we meet has a definite philosophy of life, and without knowing it many people think in the terms of the great philosophical concepts.

Many people take great pride in the fact that there is one member of their household who is definitely a four-leaf clover. But if you hang around long enough, you will see that it takes a lot of three-leaf clovers to provide the food, money, and comfort for the four-leaf clover.

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A state-wide drive is on to raise \$75,000 for the purchase of a flying ambulance as a gift from this state to Great Britain. Such a plane in the hands of the British might mean the saving of many lives and every North Carolinian should want to have a part in making the gift possible. Within the next few days the drive locally for funds will get under way and it is to be hoped that every Pitt County man will give something, no matter how small. Our county's quota of the total fund is set at \$1,250 and this amount for such a worthy cause should be raised quickly.

Of course at this distance one cannot tell just how much truth there might be in the reports from the European battlefields, but at any rate most every American hopes that the reports that Russia is holding Hitler's feet to the fire are based on truth. The Russian campaign might provide just the breathing spell that Great Britain needs to get ready for an all-out attack on Hitler that will turn the tide against the Nazis.

The purchase of Defense Bonds will not only aid our government in its preparedness efforts but will provide the purchasers with a savings nest egg that might come in handy when the depression that surely must follow the present war boom comes. Any bank or postoffice

## How Officers Advance In The Army



will be glad to give you full information regarding defense savings bonds and stamps.

## Washington Daybook

By Jack Stinson

Washington.—In the next six months, you are going to hear a lot about "the second line of defense workers"—the woman power of the nation.

Over in the women's bureau of the Department of Labor things are humming and almost any journalist war horse can smell the smoke of battle. The first guns have been fired. The objective—to get that "second line of defense workers" trained and ready to step into the labor market and fill gaps caused by rapidly expanding industry.

At the end of the World War, 23 per cent of the workers in 40 airplane plants in this country were women. In Germany and Great Britain, it is believed 40 to 50 per cent of the workers today are women. Women's bureau officials recognize that conditions are different here from those in Great Britain and Germany and conditions are different from 1917-18.

The male workers have been against it; the industrial managers have been against it. But Miss Anderson decides that an almost overnight change has taken place in the attitude of management and attributes it to four things: (1) the backlog of unemployed men is rapidly shrinking; (2) the draft is taking considerable toll from the labor force; (3) industrial expansion is still on a steep upgrade with the peak far ahead; (4) the "unlimited emergency" has widened our defense horizons.

guns, powder, tanks, machine tools and other war materials.

There is a very small amount of within-industry (apprenticeship) training of women so far. The two agencies doing most of the training are the National Youth Administration and the vocational division of the office of education.

It's only a start, but it is that, and the labor ladies here certainly have a determined glint in their eyes.

## Short Shots

Reflector Bureau.  
By HENRY AVERILL

Raleigh, July 12.—If and when Congress adopts the recommendations of the House Ways and Means committee about excise taxes, here are some of the things Elliphar (or Eliza, or Joe) T. Heel is going to find out.

If he goes to the 10, 15, or 20 cent movies where he hasn't had to produce a penny for the tax gatherer, he's going to have to use some of his sales tax change, because the amusement tax of ten per cent will be applicable to all admissions down to nine cents. Twenty cents is now exempt.

## Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1. Bark of the paper mulberry
2. Girdle of the harvest
3. At a distance
4. In a line
5. Knock
6. Air passage
7. Case for a ship's compass
8. Good by
9. Not professional
10. Gloss
11. Busy clump
12. Fruit ending
13. Any monkey
14. Light touch
15. Prominent
16. Tipping to one side
17. Kind of rubber
18. Stated
19. Discolored by partial decay
20. Biblical priest
21. Made a mistake
22. Pedal digit
23. Be carried
24. Parts of an airplane
25. Have effect
26. At no time
27. Swab
28. Swindler; slang
29. Compass point
30. Cry of the cat
31. Missile weapon
32. Men of letters
33. Cipher
34. New Zealand tree
35. Dry
36. Whirlpool
37. Color
38. Alcoholic beverage
39. Operative
40. Small horse
41. Musical chain
42. Musical organization
43. Velocity
44. Asteroid
45. Machine which initiates the beginning of living creatures
46. Have ambitions
47. Moist liquor
48. Poor
49. European fuch
50. Moving mechanism
51. Air-cooled form
52. Slid. Scotch
53. Division of a fabric
54. Affirmative
55. Contrive
56. Corded stroke
57. Tennis stroke
58. Archlike
59. Glimpse
60. Omit in pronouncing
61. Division of a city
62. Kind of bird
63. Hindu woman's garment
64. Laid
65. Uncooked

Here's a new sort of ceremony, as reported from the bustling city of Williamston in Martin county: Robert E. Manning, superintendent of the city's water department, "took the first drink" from the new deep well built for the city's better supply.

## DEFENSE BOND QUIZ

Q. If I have several Defense Savings Bonds, or one Bond of large denomination, may I obtain part of my money should I need it, and leave part invested?  
A. Yes. For example, a Series F Bond may be redeemed on demand at any time after 90 days from date of its purchase at its cash redemption value. Upon payment in part, the remainder will be resued and will be of the date of the original Bond.

## Man About Manhattan

By George Tucker

New York.—Moe Gale, the "Great White Father" of Harlem, owes much of his current affluence to a talent for looking at raw, untried Negro musicals and detecting whatever greatness may be lurking beneath the surface.

Once he looked at an obscure drummer in a small-time band, a band that was going nowhere and found Chick Webb. Again he looked at a black chorus boy in an all-Negro review, and found Cab Calloway. He found Erskine Hawkins in an Alabama college. Ella Fitzgerald he plucked from the dreary confines of the old Harlem opera house. It was Moe Gale who took the Four Ink Spots from nowhere to greatness. It isn't an art; it's a gift, like falling in the mud and coming up with diamonds, or building a better mousetrap.

To be sure, you have to be savvy, too, and a good business head. Gale, in his working moments, is a music publisher, and a manager of talent. His stables include such talent as Sister Rosetta Tharpe, the famous colored "Holy Roller-singer." He has Tiny Bradshaw, he has the Savoy Sultans; he has Maxine Sullivan, who rose to fame on the swing arrangements of "Loch Lomond."

Gale, who is white, for a decade or more has operated the Savoy Ballroom in Harlem, a celebrated tourist's point and a hub of Harlem swing-life that has been mentioned by poets and composers. A famous dance was named after it, "The Savoy Stomp," and from this dance came the song, "Stomping at the Savoy." Not only is Moe justly called Harlem's Great White Father, he is also known as "The William Morris" of the Negro band industry. Morris is one of the largest and most successful bookers and agents in the U. S. A.

Speaking of musicians, a man who knows them well is Ray H. Potter, manager of the Forrest hotel. Perhaps you should say he knows their appetites, for recently he analyzed the menus of five thousand meals served musicians over a period of five years, and he came up with this chart of the average tooter:

He is aged 23. He dines four times a day—at noon, at 6 p. m., midnight and 4 a. m. For breakfast he has orange juice, bacon and eggs and coffee. At 6 p. m. he orders chicken liver, onion soup, roast beef, peas and potatoes, coffee and strawberry shortcake. Usually at midnight comes a steak sandwich and coffee. His favorite beverage is scotch and soda.

Two hundred and thirteen lives were lost in Sixth Avenue the other day when a friend of mine accidentally dropped a chemical in a goldfish aquarium. They were goldfish lives, of course, but several of the fish were what the proprietor called imported specimens. He figured the accident set him back about \$60.

New York wasn't always a teeming metropolis. For instance, Alexander Hamilton's "country" home—The Grange—is still standing at 14th Street and Convent Avenue. This neighborhood hasn't been considered "uptown" in more than 75 years.

## STATE VACATION TRAFFIC APPEARS TO BE AT PEAK

By HENRY AVERILL

Raleigh, July 11.—It may be the result of the defense "boom," it may be the fruit of the advertising program they have reported conducted for the last few years, but whatever the cause there seems no doubt that tourist and vacation traffic in the state is at an all-time peak this summer.

Your reporter has read the papers from all sections of North Carolina and found that with practical unanimity they have reported record traffic on the highways and record crowds at the resorts for the Fourth of July.

Asheville papers said there was an all-time high crowd at the recreation park there. Carolina Beach and Morehead City at the other end of the state proclaimed that never before in history were there as many on the strand.

The national forestry service reported more than 200,000 visitors (more than ever before) to the Pisgah National Forest. The national park service released figures showing record-breaking number of visitors to the Great Smoky Mountain National Park (some 150,000 in June). The state park officials at Morrow Mountain in

## U. S. Back-Tracks Leif Ericson

AP Feature Service

The United States government is retracing the route by which Leif Ericson reached the western hemisphere nearly 1,000 years ago.

Establishment of a defense outpost in Iceland carries the U. S. defense lines as far eastward as the home of Leif, the first white man credited with reaching the continent on which this nation eventually was founded.



Even when Leif set sail about 1000 A. D. on his trip to Greenland and North America, Iceland was the home of a prosperous republic developing a distinctive culture. Already in operation was its parliamentary form of government, a system that continued to function down through the centuries, surviving anything ever set up in Europe.

Though the King of Denmark was also the King of Iceland, the island was technically independent from 1918 until May, 1941. Then the Icelandic government cancelled its union with Denmark and proclaimed independence.

Iceland's 40,000 square miles make it about the size of Ohio. Its population of 118,000 is near that of Wichita, Kas., Fort Wayne, Ind., or Knoxville, Tenn.

Fishing is the principal means of livelihood and most people live along the coast. Nearly a third live in Reykjavik, the capital. Hay potatoes and turnips are about the only crops. Vegetation is sparse and a tree is a giant if it is 15 feet high. Cattle and sheep graze on the rocky hills.

Iceland's climate really isn't as icy as might be supposed. Warmed by the Gulf Stream, the island en-

joys higher winter temperatures than many parts of the temperate zone. Underlying hot springs prevent inland lakes from freezing over and make them ideal seaplane bases. July temperature ranges around 50 degrees.

Iceland is 2,600 miles from New York, 630 miles from Bergen, Norway, and about 500 miles from the northernmost tip of Scotland.



BACHELOR BOYS.—No wives would these two ever have—Fred K. and Frank P. (right) Butler, twins, who believe they're the oldest living bachelor twins in United States. They celebrated their 89th birthday recently at Atascadero, Cal.

Stanly county reported a new high in visitors on the Fourth.

These are but a few examples, which could be stretched to great length.

Enough has been said, however, to prove the point that tourist and vacation travel is at a new high.

Many will credit the advertising program with the accomplishment. It remains to be seen whether this in the face of a \$20,000 reduction in the advertising fund (diverted to the commerce and industry division by gubernatorial decree).

## HEARTBREAK HONEYMOON

By WATKINS S. WRIGHT

HEARTBREAK HONEY M M

YESTERDAY, Luella Pell has read books about "office widows," but she never thought that she would be one when married less than a year. But Henry works a great deal, both at his regular job, and at writing songs for Marie Mason to sing on the air. And of course writing songs for Marie means writing songs for Marie's mother, and that Marie makes the most of that fact. Henry is very good looking, unfortunately, Luella and Henry just have given a dinner.

## Chapter 15

"Well," said Henry after their guests had departed, Fred and Mae a bit uncertain on their feet after three "mint juleps" apiece, "now that you've met the men I work with and their wives, how do you like them?"

"It's hard to say," Luella replied. "They've got me a little confused." "Confused? How do you mean?" "Talking about so many things so rapidly." Luella looked about the disheveled room, and then said: "It would seem that even in a city of nearly eight million, people hear things and gossip."

"Meaning—what?"

"Meaning you and Marie," said Luella. "Marie actually grew sympathetic. 'Keep a stiff upper-lip, Luella, darling,' she said. 'I know exactly what you're up against. Why when Fred and I first came to New York I darn near lost him to a little blonde huzzy, third from the end in a revue.' Swear of her wasn't it, to be so understanding?"

Henry frowned. "She probably had too much to drink," he said.

"That was very obvious," said Luella. "But she evidently knew what she was talking about. How do you suppose she ever found out about you and Marie?"

"Good Lord, how should I know?" Henry exclaimed. "Besides, there was nothing for her to 'find out,' as you express it. Marie calls the office now and then to discuss the songs—and one day she came up

## Birds Of A Feather

"I could actually see his ego swelling," said Luella. "Goodness gracious, Henry darling, it's all right to praise your husband, but you don't have to use a whole week-end doing it, do you?"

"Perhaps we'd get along better if you sang my praises a little more and criticized my new friends a little less," said Henry, annoyed.

"I'm sorry, darling, really I am," Luella said. She sat down upon the arm of the chair into which Henry had slouched, and ran her finger through his thick hair. "It's just that I know nothing about opera—less about golf and tennis, and as a nobody, my new friends play."

"I see," said Henry. "But one has to progress socially as well as financially in New York. You can never broaden yourself by picking out only the people who seem to your kind."

Luella got up somewhat wearily. "Maybe it's just a case of birds of a feather," she said, "or what that seeks its level."

"There, that's it exactly!" said Henry, sitting up. "Bromides! People who get about, Luella, do spout old saws and recite worn-out adages. They learn to express themselves in a more original manner."

"Yes, sir," Luella said. She gave Henry a quick kiss. "Let's not talk about it any longer. I'll say this, though, being invited out to hobnob with some of your associates and their wives made it possible for me to see quite a bit of you, my darling!"

"What do you mean by that?" Henry wanted to know.

"I mean that our social lurch forced you to go places with your wife," Luella replied. "It kept you from spending your evenings planning radio programs with Marie."

Henry eyed Luella intently. "Marie again," he said. "You don't mean to tell me that you take any stock in what Mae told you?"

Luella shook her head. "Of course not, even though I am the product of a gossipy little town down South," she said. "I don't have to take any stock in what gossips say to realize that you spend a lot of time with Marie," she motioned Henry to silence as he started to say something. "Oh, I grant you it's all innocent enough, but—but I still feel neglected at times, Henry. Surely you can understand that."

"As a matter of fact, I can't," said Henry. "A wife who really wants her husband to get ahead is willing to make a few sacrifices, such as spending some time alone while her husband is working—trying to get ahead in the world."

"But, Henry, you neglect me for the radio songs!" Luella reminded, "not your really job. You get home from that all right, but then you plunge right into the work Marie's got you interested in."

"That won't last much longer," Henry said. Then, gently: "Learn to adjust yourself, honey—be more self-sufficient. Although now that you've met the girls, you ought to find plenty to do in company with them."

"I doubt it."

"Why?"

"We have so little in common," Luella replied. "I can't drink with Mae because it makes me ill the next day, and I don't like it anyway—alcoholic drinks, I mean."

"I thought you were getting so you enjoyed a cocktail now and then."

"Oh, in a way, I do—but two is my limit. Then there's bridge. You know we can't afford to play for the stakes Mae plays for, and she's not the type to play for—'for-pennies.'"

## What To Do?

"Then play some tennis with Irene. There are courts near us, so invite her over some day for lunch with tennis afterwards."

"She'd die of boredom," Luella said. "I'm hopeless at tennis, and I know little or nothing about golf. And don't tell me to go to the opera, because I've had a few more tears. I love good music—Schubert, McDowell, Chopin, things like that wrote—but opera strikes me as downright silly."

"That may be very true—all of it," said Henry. "But one can cultivate a taste for opera, just as one can learn to play a good game of bridge, golf, or tennis. I have had to adjust myself to a lot of changes, Luella, and you'll have to do the same."

"You mean to learn to play a good game of bridge, golf or tennis?"

"Yes."

Luella sighed. "All right, my Lord and Master," she said resignedly. "I may learn to play bridge, golf and tennis, but I'll never learn to like opera—especially Wagnerian opera the ones Fran and Van talked so much about."

Henry made a gesture of hopelessness. "I'm going out for a walk around the block," he said. "I'm er-ate, and don't like to go to bed on a full stomach."

"All right," Luella said. "That goodness we got all those people together for a Saturday night. You can sleep late in the morning."

"Not me," said Henry, as he left his hat from the entry closet. "I got work to do tomorrow. I've to slave like the devil on the sofa as well as study some leases."

"I suppose Marie will want you to help her also."

"Naturally," Henry put on his hat. "She's doing all she can to help so why shouldn't I cooperate?"

"No reason at all, I reckon," Luella. "Only I don't see that helping you any in the work came up here to me."

"I shan't be in work much longer."

"What do you mean?" Luella eyes widened, as a sense of uneasiness gripped her.

"Oh, nothing much," said Henry carelessly. "Only I'm beginning to feel that there's more future for me than my training in radio than in real estate." He opened the door. "I'll see you a little later. Don't wait up for me."

He was gone. Down one flight. Down two flights. Out into the night.

To Be continued.

# Fine Program Of Baseball Ahead For Next Three Days

## HERE TONIGHT AND SUNDAY

### 1-Star Contest In Wilson Monday Night, 8:15

With the Greensies playing at tonight and tomorrow—their permitting—and the all-star game scheduled for Wilson on Monday night, baseball fans here have three days of real sport ahead. The Greensies meet Rocky Mount tonight and will entertain the Martins Sunday afternoon. Ladies night will be observed by the local club at tonight's contest and all fans will be admitted for 10 cents tax and service charge. Greenville's own Lefty Joe Long slated to start the all-star battle in the northern term and many Greenville fans are expecting to be the Wilson park when the game gets under way at 8:15 o'clock Monday night.

Kelly Kee also was picked on the all-star hurling staff. Charlie Scagg will be in left field and Harry Jenkins will be at third base for the team to be managed by Frank Rodgers, who eased out ahead of Rube Wilson in voting for managers.

Rodgers' all-star Northern team will be composed of the following—with the first named nine being slated to take the field and bat in the order listed: Harry Hendershot, Tarboro, ss; Frankie Ware, Rocky Mount, 2b; Eddie Sudol, Tarboro, 1b; Tommy Kurst, Rocky Mount, rf; Charlie Scagg, Greenville, lf; Harry Jenkins, Greenville, cf; Red Mincy, Rocky Mount, c; Charlie Wilcox, Williamston, c; Lefty Long, Greenville, p. Reserves will be Bud Cayton, Tarboro, and Chet Sparr, Williamston, infielders; Freddie Hoyte, Williamston, outfielder; Steve DeCubellis, Tarboro, catcher; Kelly Kee, Greenville, Pete Kunis, Williamston, and H. Wilson, Rocky Mount, pitchers.

Bill Herring's Southern team will be as follows, named in the batting order:

Charlie Meterski, Kinston, cf; John Fessler, Goldsboro, ss; Doyt Morris, Wilson, 1b; Red Averette, New Bern, rf; Jack Clifton, Goldsboro, lf; Bill Upchurch, Kinston, 3b; Jack Ridings, Kinston, 2b; Ray Murphy, Wilson, c; Monk Webb,

## Ladies Night

The scheduled game between the Greensies and the Leafs at Rocky Mount last night was rained out, but local fans will have a fine week-end program right here in Guy Smith stadium.

Tonight, Rocky Mount will invade the Greensies and tomorrow afternoon the locals will play host to the Williamston Martins.

Ladies night will be observed by the local club tonight. Then on Monday comes the all-star game, scheduled to start at Municipal park, Wilson, at 8:15 o'clock.

The only game played in the Coastal Plain last night was the 9-5 victory scored by Williamston over Kinston.

Wilson, starting pitcher. Reserves: Don Parker, Kinston; Julio Acosta, Goldsboro, and Worth Hamilton, New Bern, pitchers; Lyle Thompson, New Bern, and Gales, New Bern, infielders; Carl Carnahan, Wilson, outfielder, and Sandy Peels, Goldsboro, catcher.

Ray H. Goodson, coastal prexy, has decreed that the Rodgersmen will be the "visiting" team and the Herringmen will be the "home" team for the fracas.

Umpires designated to "work" the game are Tom Hanna, up-in-chief; Harring King, Jim Bagby and Greene.

Awards to be given the participants this year will be necktie clasps and chains, with baseball plaques, suitably inscribed, in front. In past years the performers have been given silver baseballs in the form of watch charms.

## Aces Vs. Pepsi Cola On Sunday Afternoon

The Rountree Aces will engage the Greenville Pepsi Cola team at Rountree Sunday afternoon in a game which promises to be a hard-fought battle until the last man is out.

Little will be on the mound for the Aces, with Nobles doing the catching, while Peede and Paul will form the battery for the Pepsi Cola nine.

Remains of the Arctic walrus have been found in Georgia.

Angel Falls in Venezuela is 20 to 30 times higher than Niagara.

## Coastal Plains Notes

By BERT MOYE

The following tables shows all the games won (across) and lost (down) by whom and to whom since the opening of the season, including all the games through Thursday, July 10:

Team	W	L	Pct
Wilson	4	0	.733
Greenville	4	0	.692
Rocky Mount	4	0	.603
Goldsboro	4	0	.581
New Bern	4	0	.538
Williamston	4	0	.444
Kinston	4	0	.444
Tarboro	4	0	.333
W. W. W.	4	0	.333

Greenville club has announced the outright release of Ted Miller, who was signed by the club several days ago. Miller was with the Williamston Martins before joining the Greensies. The skipper also announced the signing of "Bloomy" Featherstone, who was released last week by the Wilson Tobs. Prior to joining the Tobs, Featherstone saw action with the New Bern club.

Frank Rodgers, manager of the Williamston Martins, announced officially the trade with Manager Bill Averette, of the Bluefield, West Virginia club, which sends Shortstop Bert Stotler to Averette's club and brings Louis Ritter, a limited service pitcher to the Martins.

Manager Bill Herring of the Wilson Tobs announced the signing of Hardin Hinton, rookie right-hander, who hails from Zebulon. The Tobs' manager also announced that Dave Fuller, the jack of all trades, has been traded to the Goldsboro Bugs for Ben McElhane, the hurler recently suspended by the Bugs for "failing to get in shape."

Kinston has signed Jim Nicoli, right-hander, cut loose by Rocky Mount over the past week-end. To make room for Nicoli the Eagles released Bud Mooney.

Goldsboro paid honor to Louis DiGaetano, hard-hitting outfielder, who suffered a fractured ankle in the Greenville-Goldsboro game on July 3 while sliding into second base, on Thursday night in the game between the Bugs and the Eagles. A collection was taken

up for him. The injury will prohibit further playing this season by DiGaetano and he will leave in a few days for his home in Milford, Mass.

Nineteen extra-inning games have been played in the circuit so far this season, with Wilson participating in almost half—nine. Rocky Mount, Williamston and New Bern have played in five each; Greenville and Tarboro, four each; Goldsboro, three, and Kinston, two.

For the first time in this year's campaign, home-run hitters were silenced on July 3. A bumper crop of 263 round-trippers has already been produced in the wheel, with 76 players contributing to the total. Tommy Kurst, Rocky Mount catcher-outfielder-first baseman, is tops with 14, and Harry Jenkins, Greenville, and Frank Rodgers, Williamston manager, runners-up with 11 each.

Of the 26 whitewash jobs in the Coastal Plain league to date, Wilson has turned in nine of them, and Greenville with six is runner-up. Tarboro has suffered the most goose-eggings, seven, and Kinston six and Rocky Mount four, behind in that order. Wilson is the only Coastal team not to suffer a horse collaring. Tied for honors in the number of shutouts are Monk Webb of the Wilson Tobs, Kelly Kee of Greenville, and Lefty Joe Talley with four each.

Tarboro of the Coastal Plain league has reached a working agreement with Baltimore of the International League whereby the Maryland outfit will invest \$1,000 in the Orioles with the understanding that they can take their pick of any three players on the Tarboro roster at the end of the season. Players on option, George Zitzler and Bob Hooker, are exceptions to the agreement, both having been sent to the Orioles by the New York Giants.

Eddie Schultz, Rocky Mount hurler, was married to Minnie Ruth Griffin of Rocky Mount, at Dillon, S. C., on July 7.

Judge W. G. Bramham, of Durham, president of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, has been invited to attend the Coastal Plain League's all-star game in Wilson Monday night by R. H. Goodson, Coastal Plain prexy. Henson prevented the minor league czar from attending last year and it is hoped that he will honor the Coastal Plain circuit with his presence this year.

If your sewing machine starts dropping stitches, possibly it needs a complete oiling. So go over it carefully and then sew an old cloth to remove all traces of oil.

## POSTAL ODDITIES



VALENTINES ONCE EXCEEDED CHRISTMAS CARDS IN MAIL VOLUME!



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Contributors: Philatelic Research Laboratories & Spencer Anderson, St. Valentine's Day has become a rather pale affair compared with what it was a hundred years ago. Letters in the early days were sent mostly C. O. D. and one never knew whether he was paying postage on a lay message of tender affection or a circular from a department store. The Pontiac Motors mail room handles from two to three tons of mail daily. This is more than our Federal postal system handled in its first year.

## LEAD IS HELD BY PEPSI COLA

### Pulls Away From Blount-Harvey In Softball League

STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pct
Pepsi Cola	13	6	.684
Blount-Harvey	12	7	.632
Carolina Sales	12	7	.632
Double Cola	1	18	.053

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS  
Carolina Sales 9, Blount-Harvey 5.  
Pepsi Cola 13, Double Cola 8.  
Pepsi Cola last night scored a 13-8 victory over Double Cola for their 13th win and Double Cola's 18th loss and thereby took the undisputed lead in the Greenville Softball league.

Singleton was on the mound for the winners, while Ed Wells pitched for Double Cola.  
Blount-Harvey lost to Carolina Sales, 9-5, and dropped from a tie for first place to a tie for second place.  
Last night's games were contests which had previously been rained out.

## S. A. Team Scores 20 To 18 Victory

STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pct
S. A. Team	6	1	.854
Third Street	2	2	.500
W. Greenville	4	5	.445
W. Campus	2	4	.333
Greenville P. F.	0	2	.000

By CHARLES BROWN  
Deciding to play on wet grounds, the Greenville F. F. Girls and Salvation Army teams met, with the latter victorious 20 to 18, to increase the league standing to 6 wins to one defeat. Wet slippery grounds and grass caused several errors on both teams. It was free base running on both sides. Barring stars for the league-leading S. A. Team were M. Smith, Audrey and T. Hammond, with timely hitting bringing most of the runs for Greenville F. F., Perkins and L. Sprayberry, and E. Burns, the latter getting 4 stolen bases, and was the fielding sensation at base.  
Score by innings:  
Greenville F. F., 0 1 8 11 9  
S. A. Team, 1 4 4 11 20 9 11  
Batteries: E. Baker and B. Williams for S. A.; B. Cannon, T. Hammond and N. Wingate. Umpires: George Garrett.

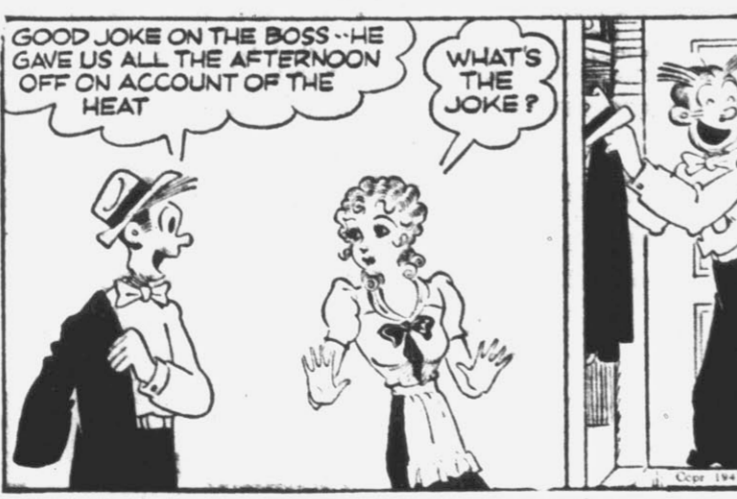
## Schedule, Hitters New Sports Event In Girls' League Opened Yesterday

The WPA Recreational sports events program, under the supervision of Mrs. Sarah Ann Proctor, was opened at West Greenville school yesterday with contests in bar-chinning, 50-yard dash and standing and broad jump.  
Fifty entries took part in the events, with G. A. Taylor winning first prize, trailed by Buster Eilers and Ray Nichols in the boys' bracket of ages 14-16.  
In the 9-14 age group, Harold Williams was first, trailed by Jimmy Brewer.  
The Third Street meet was postponed on account of rain and the program is scheduled for Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.  
Similar meets will be held on each Friday for several weeks, upon conclusion of which winners in each group will be awarded prizes.

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FOR SALE—TOBACCO FLUES—also tobacco sticks, \$6.00 per thousand. Greenville Flue Co., at Morton's Warehouse. 8-61

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SPECIALS FOR SUNDAY—HOT Rolls, Vitamin B-1 Bread and Potato Chips. People's Bakery.

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**"ROBBERS OF THE RANGE"**

Tuesday  
 James ELSON in  
**"They Met in Argentina"**  
 with  
 Maureen O'Hara

### N. Y. Stock List

American Radiator	7
American Telephone	156 1/2
American Tobacco B	73 1/4
Anaconda	29 1/4
A. C. L.	21 1/4
Atlantic Refining	23 1/4
Amoex Aviation	38 1/4
Bethlehem Steel	75 1/4
Chrysler	56 1/4
Col. Gas and Electric	3 1/4
Commercial Solvent	10 1/4
Consolidated Oil	6 1/4
Curtis Wright	9
Dupont	159
Electric Power and Light	1 1/4
General Electric	33 1/4
General Motors	39 1/4
Montgomery Ward	36 1/4
Reynolds Tobacco B	33 1/4
Southern Railway	13 1/4
Standard Oil of N. J.	43 1/4
U. S. Steel	58 1/4

### New York Cotton

New York, July 12.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened eight to 14 points higher.

Futures closed 14 to 22 points higher, middling spot 16.18, up 18.

July	15.29	15.37
Oct.	15.43	15.53
Dec.	15.58	15.68
Jan.	15.63	15.70
Mar.	15.68	15.72
May	15.66	15.73

### N.Y. Stock Market

New York, July 12.—(AP)—Stocks generally moved wearily in today's final market session of the week-end while there was little weakness in evidence, many leaders shuffled over a narrowly irregular terrain.

Hesitancy appeared at the start and, at the close, minor fractional variations either way was the rule.

Lively intervals were interspersed with slow-downs, but transfers of around 250,000 shares were the largest for a two-hour stretch in two months.

### Chicago Grain Market

(Courtesy Vernon Parrish)

WHEAT—	Open	Close	Pr. Cl.
July	105 1/4	104 1/4	105 1/4
Sept.	107 1/4	106 1/4	106 1/4
Dec.	108 1/4	107 1/4	108 1/4

CORN—	Open	Close	Pr. Cl.
July	73 1/4	73 1/4	73 1/4
Sept.	75 1/4	75 1/4	75 1/4
Dec.	78 1/4	78 1/4	78 1/4

OATS—	Open	Close	Pr. Cl.
July	37 1/4	36 1/4	37 1/4
Sept.	38 1/4	38 1/4	38 1/4
Dec.	39 1/4	39 1/4	39 1/4

RYE—	Open	Close	Pr. Cl.
July	58 1/4	58 1/4	58 1/4
Sept.	59 1/4	58 1/4	58 1/4

### PROPOSED TAX ON AUTOS TO COST N. C. \$3,500,000

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now exempt from the sales levy, it is likely that in the future the automobile sales' proportion of the total will be even greater.

Privilege taxes run from \$25 in the smallest localities to \$200 in the largest cities. The ad valorem taxes cannot be accurately estimated. A conservative estimate of revenue from privilege taxes and dealer license tag sales is \$200,000 annually.

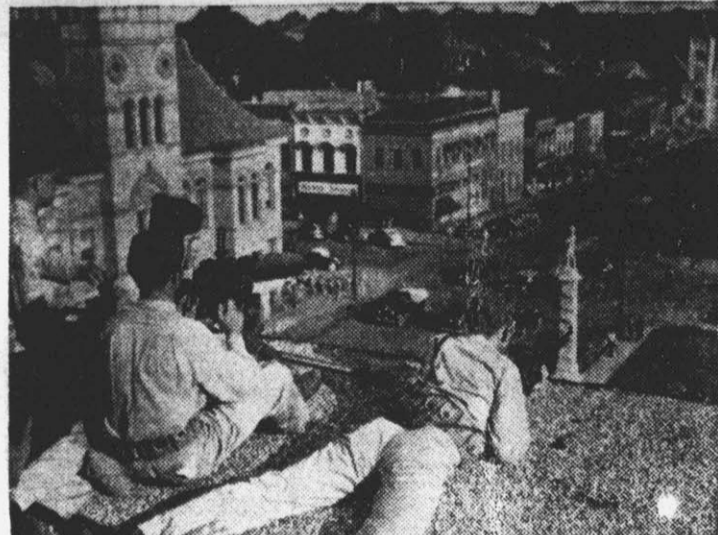
### Stolen Baths Are Cleaner

Oklahoma City.—(AP)—A boy burglar broke into a home here and stole a bath!

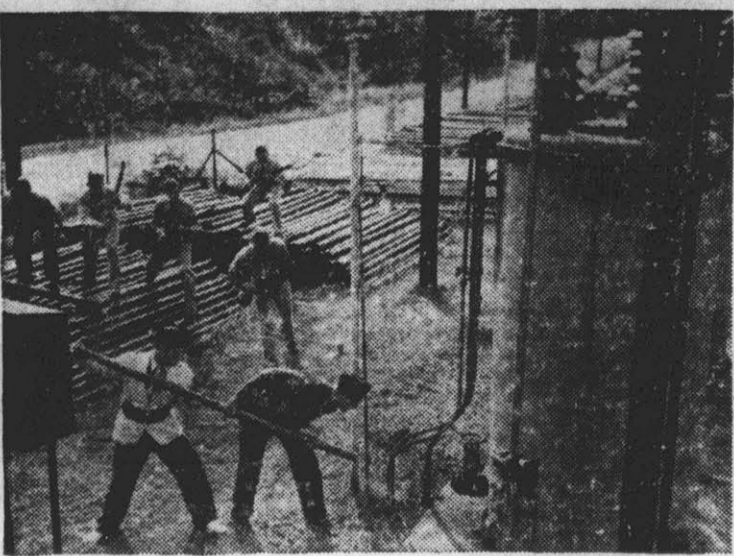
Awakened when the boy ran out the back door of his home, W. M. Broadgen looked around.

In the bathroom was a wet tub, a boy's slacks suit, a sport shirt, two sweat shirts and some highly colored socks, all abandoned by the intruder, who apparently carried another change.

### 'Fifth Columnists' Demonstrate How To Seize City



Taking a lesson in subversive technique, cadets from the Reserve Officers Training Camp at nearby Clemson college "invade" Anderson, S. C., and demonstrate how Fifth Columnists would go about seizing a city. Upper left: The "Fifth Columnists" seize the Anderson airport in a surprise attack. Upper right: Next they attack the power plant on the outskirts of the city and theoretically put it out of commission. Lower left: Members of the "invading" force take positions on a roof and train their weapons on the main street as "mopping up" continues. Lower right: Living "seized" the newspaper, "Fifth Columnists" Jack Nash (standing at left) and J. T. Manning (seated in center) stand guard with drawn guns as their colleague, T. E. Morris (standing at right) dictates a news story of the "invasion" to Reporter J. B. Hall.



The place for the afternoon meeting, at 3 o'clock, is the first floor auditorium in the new Classroom building.

Those attending the institute will be guests in the evening at the concert by the Russian Cathedral Quartette.

### All PTA Members Invited To Meet

All local members of the Parent-Teachers Associations and others interested in child and school problems are urged to attend the Parent-Teacher Institute that is to be held at East Carolina Teachers College on Monday morning and afternoon.

Representatives from various places throughout the eastern section of the State are expected here for the meeting.

All will want to hear the field representative from the State Congress of Parent Teachers, Mrs. E. N. Howell, who will speak at the opening session, at 10 o'clock, in Room 300 in the Education building.

Mrs. Howell will hold conferences with those who have individual problems they would like to discuss with her. Room 100 in the Education building is the place and the conference hour is from 11 to 12 o'clock.

The place for the afternoon meeting, at 3 o'clock, is the first floor auditorium in the new Classroom building.

### Carolinas District Kiwanis Meet Is Set

Florence, S. C., July 12.—Plans for the 22nd annual convention of the Carolinas district to be held at Myrtle Beach September 7, 8, and 9 are nearing completion, according to an announcement made public yesterday by Jack Wright of the Florence Kiwanis club, general chairman of the convention.

Included in the elaborate program for the entertainment of an expected crowd of eight hundred Kiwanians and their ladies, representing the 77 clubs in North and South Carolina, are a unique bathing beauty contest, a trip to Book-green gardens for the ladies and children, and an all-Kiwanis banquet in the beautiful Ocean Forest Hotel on Monday night.

### Russians To Present Quartette At ECTC

The Russian Quartette, in their concert, which will be given in the Austin Auditorium of the College on Monday evening at eight o'clock will make the audience feel as if a bit of old Russia has been brought to life.

Their picturesque costumes, of Russian blouse, rich in color and texture, bloomer-like knee trousers and shiny high boots help create the illusion before they start singing.

The heart and soul of old Russia is revealed in their singing of the folk songs, weird Slavonic tunes of savage strength, mystical religious chant, and stirring tunes of life and action.

Their concerts on their coast to coast tours have been very popular with the general public and at the same time highly pleasing to the musicians.

The public is invited to hear them.

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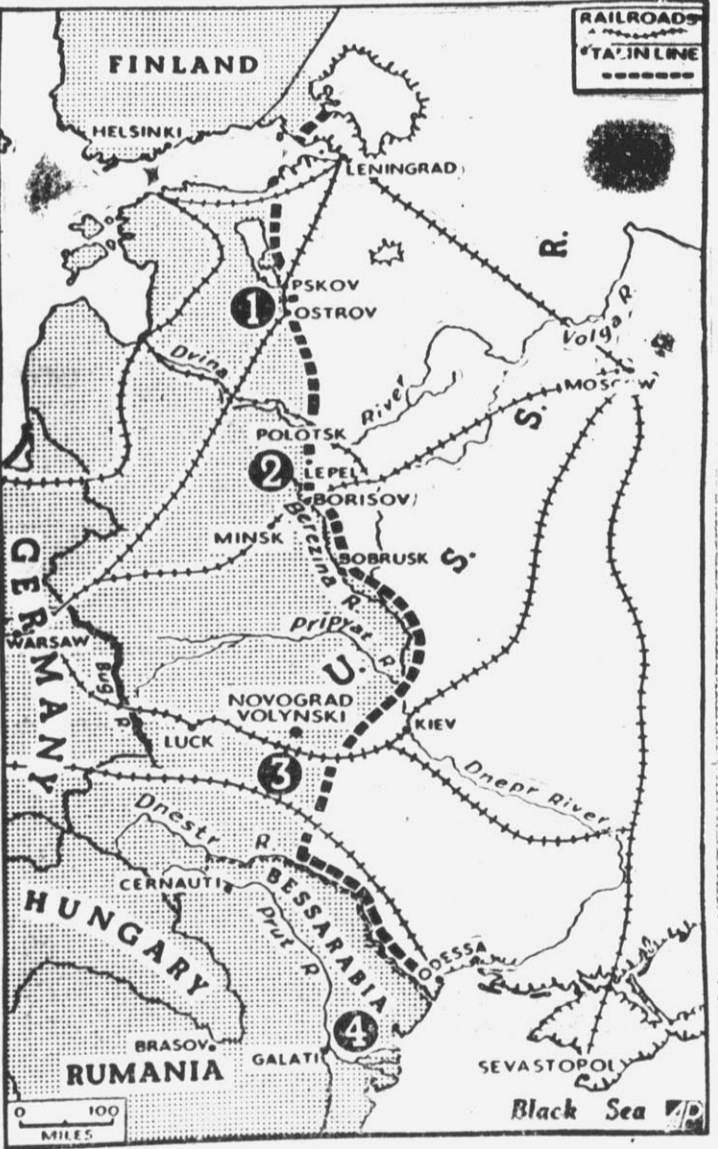
engaged in defense work. This percentage is too much and a disgrace; but are we not "making a mountain out of a mole hill?"

Of course, there has been considerable increase in wages in many industries. But why worry from an investment standpoint? Wage workers spend all they get. If your investments are properly diversified you get back in additional profits from your chain store and other consumer stocks what you lose on your stocks hurt by labor demands.

Besides, we investors are at fault if labor leaders win any unjustified strikes. We cowardly stick our heads under the bed clothes and let the labor leaders do all the shouting.

3. "The U. S. is going Communist and nothing can stop it." Let me reply to this by saying that Communism is distinctly on the decline—everywhere except in the newspaper headlines. Even there it is the fault of those supposed to protect your investments. Consider, for instance, the recent strike in

### New Nazi Offensive Reported



Reports are heard in London that a new German offensive is under way in Russia, aimed at Moscow, Leningrad and Kiev. Russians previously had indicated the Germans had been stopped cold and Nazi reports had conceded a standstill at some places. This map shows the main sectors to date on the battle front and principal Russian railways: (1) Where a drive at Leningrad was centered; (2) area of a Moscow push; (3) where a drive was aimed at Kiev; (4) the Bessarabian front.

### Battle Raging Unabated On Nation's Birthplace

Reflector Bureau.  
 By HENRY AVERILL

Raleigh July 12.—The Russo-Nazi war has faded into the background as the conservation departments of Virginia and North Carolina have rushed into mortal combat over the momentous question: "Which (if either) state is the birthplace of the nation?"

Director White of the Old Dominion forces is charging. Josh Horne of the Tar Heel advertising committee is countercharging. Newspaper writers are chucking as fiery statement is met with equally blazing reply and rebuttal.

If Brad Fearing over at Manteo, site of "The Lost Colony," isn't laughing out loud and getting ready to pay for the publicity then he's a sour puss of the worst order and a chap without a scintilla of gratitude.

Everybody is—or ought to be—happy, except Dr. C. C. Crittenden who has landed right squarely in the middle of the blitzkrieg without even a tin helmet, and who appears to be decidedly behind the eight ball.

How come? Well, it's this way. Mr. White after writing a number of polite and later, not so polite notes to Mr. Horne, has broken into print with a threatened "exposure to the world" of North Carolina's mendacity in advertising that it is the "Nation's Birthplace." The very idea! Remember Jamestown? Remember John Smith? Remember Pocahontas? Virginia, forsooth and egad, is the only authentic, guaranteed, dyed-in-the-wool "Nation's Birthplace," raises Mr. White and no upstart like North Carolina (first colony 1584) should dast to deny or dery this fact.

But Mr. Horne refuses to be acceded to dictation. So does Director Bruce Etheridge of the C and D's. So does Joe Zilch.

North Carolina, Mr. Etheridge proclaims loudly and loftily not only refuses to accede to dictation, but

### PARTNERS IN LOVE AND ADVENTURE



Crook meets crook—Clark Gable and Rosalind Russell in an adventure packed story of the Far East "They Met in Bombay," opening for three days at the Pitt Sunday.

CHOIR IS BACK AFTER 36 DAYS (Continued from page one)

The final concert of the tour was at a home-coming banquet in Roanoke on Thursday night, following a presentation in the Baptist church there. At the banquet the choir sang The Benediction in honor of seniors who are leaving the choir after this season.

Racy ROMANCE RIDES THE CHINA SEAS!

Clark GABLE Rosalind RUSSELL  
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 DICK POWELL in  
**"MODEL WIFE"**

FRI.-SAT.  
 Loretta Young in  
**"LADY FROM CHEYENNE"**  
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**MARCH OF TIME**

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 Eve. ... 10-35c  
 (Inc. Def. Tax)

### TODAY AT THE MOVIES

PITT—MILLION DOLLAR BABY—Priscilla Lane, Jeffrey Lynn

STATE—FONY POST—Johnny Mack Brown

Boston of office building elevator and other employees. Many of these buildings are being operated at a loss and are practically owned by the policyholders of insurance companies and depositors in Boston savings banks. Yet these insurance companies and savings banks do no picketing nor lifted a finger to protect them.

I forecast that after this war there is sure to be a reaction to the right—not further to the left. The return to common sense would come now if the heads of our insurance companies and banks had the courage and fighting qualities of the labor leaders.

What About Taxes?  
 4. Taxes will be so high this and following years that the companies will not have profits to distribute. Those who talk as above are making a great mistake. Most taxes are passed on to the ultimate consumer. The retired person living on fixed interest coupons has his net income cut down by taxes. But—as a rule—this does not apply to men in active business who have their money in well-selected common stocks. They are tax collectors—not tax payers. The ultimate consumer pays the taxes when buying goods.

There is also another reason why I do not worry about taxes. The whole Federal and Dominion tax structure depends upon U. S. and Canadian corporations making good money. Over 50 per cent of all government revenue receipts come from taxes on corporation profits and dividends. These governments have put their heads in a noose! Unless they permit these corporations to make good profits, the governments can get no money to pay their bills. Furthermore, the tax experts are now learning that the only way to collect more revenue is to help these corporations to make even greater profits!

Face The Facts  
 The simple truth is that none of these excuses are new. Go to your public library and ask for copies of newspapers published 25, 50, 75, or even 100 years ago, and you will find the same wailing and complaining. "Panic ahead!" "Labor becoming unruly!" "Taxes are too high!" etc. The very fact that most businessmen and investors are discouraged and fearful now may be proof that many prices are far too low. These same people were bullish in 1929. The great majority are wrong all the time.

Can we have a worse twenty years than from 1920-1940? These were made up of foreign wars, business depressions, reckless booms, presidential campaigns, and every known trouble. There never were twenty years of American history so crowded with uncertainties. Yet, these 20 years show that if one had invested each month in each of America's 24 chief industries—he would have received an average income of over 5 per cent in dividends during the whole 20 years! Moreover, his real "income," including undeclared earnings, would have been over 7 per cent. I say, if you will properly invest a small amount each month—good years and bad—you should come out all right whatever is ahead!

### What do women DESPISE most in a man?

Here's the answer that countless women give: Halitosis (Bad Breath)! Women simply won't tolerate it in a man. So if you want to make a hit with your girl friend, look after your breath before your next date with her. Be sure to rinse your mouth with Listerine Antiseptic. It's wonderful for combating bad breath due to food fermentation in the mouth. That, say some authorities, is the major cause of this condition, although bad breath is sometimes due to systemic disorders. Listerine Antiseptic halts the fermentation and overcomes its odors. The breath quickly becomes sweeter, purer, less likely to offend.

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