

WEATHER

Clear to partly cloudy and warm tonight. Wednesday, mostly cloudy and mild. Scattered showers over west portion in afternoon.

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INCREASE IN RENTS UP TO 15% ON CONGRESS

OPA Under Fire In Proposed Fifteen Percent Rental Increases

By FRANCIS M. LEMAY
Washington, March 12 — (AP) — Congress, allergic to election-year hot potatoes, juggled a request today for a mandatory 15 per cent hike in the general rent level of residential property throughout the nation.

The recommendation was presented to the House Banking Committee by representatives of Rental Property Owners who argued that such a boost is essential in justice to the property owners.

They argued that provision for a compulsory increase be written into pending legislation to continue OPA price controls for another year after June 30.

A spot check of committee members indicated coolness to any such blanket increase, which obviously would affect a host of rent-paying voters. However, there were some signs an attempt might be made to have any revised OPA law carry an emphatic direction that rents must reflect a fair return on residential property value.

In addition to the touchy election-year aspects of the proposal, it also involved the consideration that the increase would mean higher expenses for members of Congress who rent homes in Washington, or in their own constituencies.

The rent increase was recommended by George M. Enzler of Baltimore, president of the National Apartment Owners Association, and Arthur D. Koppel, vice chairman of the Metropolitan Fair Rent Committee of New York.

They contended OPA has conducted a propaganda campaign, arousing tenants against owners and inciting class hatred.

Koppel declared OPA has "consistently pursued a policy of controlling rents without regard to the ability of the owner to earn a reasonable return—in many cases any return at all—on the fair value of his property at the level of rents." (Continued on page four)

Churchill To Visit Roosevelt's Grave

New York, March 12 — (AP) — Winston Churchill, former British Prime Minister, journeys to Hyde Park today to pay homage to the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

The cigar-smoking Briton arrived from Washington last night and announced he planned to lay a wreath on Roosevelt's grave.

Churchill, who will sail for England aboard the Queen Mary March 21, said he would have luncheon with Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt at Hyde Park.

Indonesian Premier Forms New Cabinet

Batavia, March 12 — (AP) — Premier Sutan Sjahrir of the unrecognized Indonesian Republic announced today formation of a new cabinet composed of 12 members of his old government and four newcomers, virtually all of whom were regarded as sympathetic to his publicly-proclaimed policy of moderation.

At the same time authoritative sources said Sjahrir would resume negotiations with Dutch officials within 48 hours, with Sir Archibald Clark Kerr, special British envoy presiding over the conference. The Dutch have offered the Indonesian commonwealth status with a promise of ultimate independence.

President Chosen

Raleigh, March 12 — (AP) — The Raleigh Times said today it had learned from "an authoritative source" that Everett Spikes, superintendent of Burlington city schools for nine years, had been picked for the presidency of East Carolina Teachers College at Greenville.

The Times said it had learned that the ECTC Board of Trustees had "unanimously picked Spikes for the post in view of his splendid record at Burlington, and also because he holds more degrees than any other North Carolina public school superintendent."

"It is understood that the entire membership of the board has approved the selection of Spikes," the Times story said. Spikes is chairman of the State Textbook Commission.

After a telephone conversation with Spikes, the Times said Spikes said he had not been officially offered the post, but that he had been "approached." He was quoted as saying he was "very interested" but declined to make a statement.

TRADE BODY IS ON ALERT

Chamber Commerce Swings Into Action For Progress

The Greenville Chamber of Commerce directors last night announced appointment of committee chairmen for the ensuing year, reviewed reports of the agriculture and transportation committees, adopted a budget, endorsed the proposal to build a modern hospital as a memorial to war veterans, and requested the city administration to take prompt action to procure for the government surplus housing to relieve the serious housing shortage in Greenville, as is being done by other cities.

Executive Secretary Willard T. Kyzer announced that the Agriculture Committee had bought sufficient hybrid seed corn for each 4-H family. (Continued on page four)

Bulletins

Washington, March 12 — (AP) — Former President Herbert Hoover said today supplies of cereal now available to avert starvation in war-torn countries are 8,000,000 to 9,000,000 tons short of minimum needs.

However, he told a news conference, that he believed all but 1,000,000 or 2,000,000 tons of the deficit could be made up through reduced consumption in the United States and other Western Hemisphere countries.

Rome, March 12 — (AP) — The Stars and Stripes reported today that a fire of undetermined origin destroyed over \$1,000,000 worth of U. S. Army engineering equipment at an engineering depot near Livorno, (Leghorn). Ten fire trucks manned by GI's and prisoners of war extinguished the blaze after three hours.

Chungking, March 12 — (AP) — Russian troops evacuating Mukden have insufficient transportation facilities to move directly to Soviet territory, consequently must make stopovers at Changchun, the Soviet chief of staff officially informed Chinese officials today.

A growing Chinese government force was reported in control of Mukden as the retiring Russians yielded barracks and factories of that Manchurian industrial center.

Vinson Opens Monetary Conference



Secretary of Treasury Fred M. Vinson, governor of the Fund and Bank for the U. S., is shown making the opening address at the International Monetary Conference in the Oglethorpe hotel at Savannah, Ga., March 9. Delegates or observers from 35 nations are participating in the conference which is expected to last about two weeks. (AP Wirephoto).

New Streamlining Of Air Arm Is Announced

Washington, March 12 — (AP) — The Army Air Forces were streamlined today into three major combat commands by Gen. Carl Spaatz, who declared the atomic bomb made it "almost" certain any future war would begin with air action.

The new chief of the nation's air arm announced the following combat groupings for the postwar setup:

The Strategic Air Command, composed of long range striking forces, the Air Defense Command, responsible for the aerial protection of the continental United States, and the Tactical Air Command, which will cooperate with surface forces.

These will be supplemented by five supporting commands, and by air national guard and air reserve forces. A revised "air university" system of schooling already has been put into effect.

Senator Connally Calls For Big Three Meeting

Chairman Of Foreign Relations Committee Wants Blunt Discussion Of Issues To Prevent Conflagration

By Jack Bell
Washington, March 12 — (AP) — Senator Connally (D-Tex.) called today for a new Big Three meeting to discuss "in language clear and plain and if not blunt," issues he said otherwise may blaze into world friction.

The chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee sounded an optimistic note on future relations with Russia — provided they are based on such plain speaking.

But he told his colleagues in a prepared address that Russia must understand that while she has the unchallengeable right to maintain any form of government she wants "these rights do not extend beyond her boundaries."

Connally called for maintenance by this country of "an adequate army, a superior navy and a superlative air force."

These, he said, would back up American determination not only to resist aggression by arms, but to (Continued on page four)

British Workers To Call Strike

London, March 12 — (AP) — Representatives of six engineering unions decided today to call a strike of approximately 50,000 workers in more than 80 motor and mechanical plants in Coventry in support of their demands that the Humber Automobile Company pay more for piece work and re-hire dismissed men.

About 4,000 Humber employees already were on a strike which a company statement said was "unofficial from the outset."

Sir William Rootes, chairman of the Humber board, said the 550 men fired were made unnecessary by a go-slow movement which cut production to less than 10 per cent of what it should have been.

A dozen representatives of the 11,000 Humber strikers in the Ford factory were appointed to call on members of Parliament for help in settling a minor wage dispute and in preventing the company from going through with its announced decision to close the plant March 16.

SKELETON IN BURNED CAR

Police Find Chained Skeleton In Bizarre Mystery

Bakersfield, Calif., March 12 — (AP) — Sheriff's technical experts were examining today the remains of a fire-blackened skeleton found chained by its neck to a burned car in an attempt to decide whether they are dealing with a grisly murder mystery or a particularly bizarre suicide.

The car was registered to Gerald D. Curtis, 34, Arcadia, Calif., service station operator who was reported by his wife as missing Jan. 8. But Sheriff John Loustalot said it had not been determined that the skeleton was a man's.

At Arcadia Mrs. Maxine Curtis, the missing man's wife, told authorities that since her husband was discharged from the Army he had vanished several times for two or three days and that he had been subject to spells of melancholia. (Continued on page four)

TODAY IN CONGRESS

A Review Of Your Government In Action

Washington, March 12 — (AP) — A break appeared imminent today in the six-weeks-old controversy over the nomination of Edwin W. Pauley, wealthy California operator to be undersecretary of navy.

The first indication of a development came when Robert E. Hannegan, Democratic national chairman, spent an hour and 40 minutes at the White House.

Then Hannegan and Pauley conferred at the capitol for two hours with two members of the Senate Naval Committee, which has been holding hearings on the nomination.

The committee members, Chairman Walsh (D-Mass.) and Senator Tydings (D-Md.), declined to disclose the outcome of the conference, but Walsh said he expected to issue a statement by 2 p. m. (EST). The status of a committee hearing set for 2:30 p. m. remained in doubt.

As the Pauley hearing resumed

UAW OFFICIAL BLASTS AUTO PRICE POLICY

Asserts OPA "Price Line" Has Opened Way To Impending Demands

By MARVIN L. ARROWSMITH
Washington, March 12 — (AP) — A CIO-United Auto Workers official blasted today at OPA's plans for new car price increases, saying this means "not a bulge in the price line but an explosion."

"If the OPA," said Donald Montgomery, UAW consumer counsel, "plans to give price increases to the auto industry, then they'll be dishing them out by the bucket."

Montgomery made these statements to a reporter after OPA announced that higher prices are on the way for Chrysler, Ford and Hudson cars. These companies applied for increases to offset pay boosts granted under the administration's wage-price formula.

Milk, butter and gasoline also are on the list of items on which pressure is being applied to OPA for higher prices.

Until the new car prices are announced for the three firms, they and their dealers must continue to sell cars at current ceilings, but they can require an agreement that customers will pay the increase when it is put into effect.

An OPA official who asked to remain anonymous estimated that the price hike for manufacturers probably will not exceed three percent (or \$45 on a \$1,500 model), and he predicted that dealers might be required to absorb part of it. Dealers' prewar profit margins already have been trimmed by OPA to prevent the full amount of earlier increases from being passed on to the public.

Montgomery said that "of all industries, the auto industry is least entitled to price increases."

He said OPA apparently was ignoring a provision of the policy which requires OPA to take into account an industry's prospects for increased production and lower costs.

"The auto industry," Montgomery declared, "is going to have to work hard to make less than it did in 1936-38."

The stabilization formula requires a level of prices which assures at least 1936-38 profits.

Meanwhile other possible price boosts nosed into the picture. OPA, flooded with applications for milk and butter, conferred with Agriculture Department officials on how to get increased supply and better distribution.

"Undoubtedly there will have to be some price increases to accomplish this," an OPA spokesman said. And refiners protested to OPA that they should not be expected to absorb any part of a 10-cent a barrel price increase granted to producers of crude oil. If OPA decides they can't, it may mean higher prices for petroleum products, such as gasoline and fuel oil.

Dairymen Assert Prices Unfair

Asheville, March 12 — (AP) — The OPA said that an investigation of the Asheville and Buncombe County milk situation revealed "a disorganization of distribution facilities" not indicative of a need for price adjustment, and added that it can take no action on a higher milk ceiling until formal request has been made.

W. A. Linehan, district OPA executive from the Raleigh office, was quoted here yesterday as saying that an undetermined number of Buncombe County milk producers had been shipping milk through other than regular channels and that steps were being taken to prevent the milk from reaching the black market.

Milk wholesalers in this area have indicated they would withdraw from the Asheville market because surrounding areas have a higher ceiling price on fluid milk.

United States Again Is Opposed To Soviet Aims

Bewildered War Bride



Looking at a picture of Charles A. Beckham are his wife, Edna, and daughter, Margaret Anne, who arrived at Los Angeles March 8 with other Australian war brides, but were not met at the station. Beckham, formerly of the Navy, met them later to explain the marriage was "all a mistake. My feelings for her just changed, that's all." He said he "ired her not to come, but the boat had already left." (AP Wirephoto).

Washington Rejects French-Russian Proposal To Bring Generalissimo Franco Before Security Council; Incident Is Latest In Long Series Involving Soviet Relations

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
Washington, March 12 — (AP) — France is expected to submit fresh evidence on Spain to this country in a renewed bid for American support in carrying the case against Generalissimo Franco to UNO's Security Council.

The original French proposal drew a formal rejection from the United States, which thereby broadened the split among the permanent Big Five members of the Security Council. Russia has sided with France in agreeing that the United Nations agency should be given a complaint against Franco, while the United States and Britain are opposed. China has taken no stand.

The incident is the latest in a long series involving Soviet-American relations and bringing to light sharp differences in their approaches to critical world problems.

Another of the diplomatic fronts involving the United States and Russia, the State Department yesterday made public a note denying Russian contentions that the United States was trying to play a lone hand in influencing the make up of the Bulgarian government.

Also last night the department released the text of its note to France on Spain. This communication, however, left the way open for reconsideration of the American position provided there is new evidence on which to base a case now against Franco in the Security Council.

Diplomatic officials familiar with the French view, say Paris may seek to show:

First, that with approximately 2,000,000 men under arms in Spain, Franco has the largest army in relation to population of any country in Europe today, and

Second, that about the time that France closed the Spanish frontier recently Franco reinforced his frontier military units.

The French argue that these things are evidence of a menace of international peace and security.

The United States said it would consider any further information on the subject of the Franco government and would like to know particularly just what France has in mind for the Security Council to do. (Continued on page four)

Food Conservation Before The People

Five Hundred Millions Of Our Fellow-Men Face Famine; People Are Asked To Help, So Others Might Live

Washington, March 12 — (AP) — The best fed nation in the world heard a plea today to cut its food consumption by 40 percent in wheat and 20 percent in fats to help save a half-billion famine victims overseas.

The appeal of President Truman's Famine Emergency Committee said such a mighty, volunteer effort on the part of Americans was needed for the next 120 days to tide the hungry abroad over "a terrible four months until the next harvest."

The committee offered almost two-score suggestions on how the public could cooperate in the food-conservation campaign. They ranged from a 10 percent cut in the weight of bakers' bread to toppers sandwiches and open-faced pies.

The smaller bread loaf suggestion prompted Department of Agriculture officials to say that no lower price will result to consumers. They explained that the saving of ingredients per loaf will be small individually.

The appeal to America to respond to "a great human cry" for salvation was issued by the famine committee last night. The world faces a gigantic emergency of famine among 500,000,000 people due to war exhaustion of agriculture and drought," the statement said.

Three hopeful developments in the general food outlook, and one adverse one had been reported a short time earlier.

Top encouraging factor was the Agriculture Department's report that prospects continue to point to a near-record crop of winter wheat in this country, with a yield of 751,000 bushels indicated. The record was 759,000,000.

The Department also reported a record of 187,000,000 boxes in citrus (Continued on page four)

Mariana Ports To Go On Seven Day Week

Guam, March 12 — (AP) — A seven-day work week had been authorized for the Marianas Islands Command as an emergency measure to return large stock piles of surplus property to the United States Navy Navy reported.

The order applies to all ports where available supplies exist, such as Guam, Saipan, Tinian in the Marianas, and Manus in the Admiralties.

RUSSIA LOOKS OVER MEETING

Panama Ratifies Pact; Australia Awaits Soviet Reaction

Savannah, March 12 — (AP) — Russia and other Bretton Woods signatories who have been dilatory about entering the world bank and fund may be granted only six months in which to join the global lending and currency stabilizing agencies.

Secretary of the Treasury Fred M. Vinson, chairman of the boards of governors of the twin institutions, told a reporter that the membership committee of the International Monetary Conference on Wilmington Island near here probably would set such a deadline. After that time, even countries (Continued on page four)

Father Of Seven To Make Army Career

Harristown, Ill., March 12 — (AP) — A father of seven young children was back in the army as a private today — looking forward, he says, to 30 years service because "I can make more money in the army than I can at home."

Pfc Guy Standerfer, who was discharged from service last October after enlisting in 1943, left for Jackson, S. C., and overseas duty after reenlisting.

Standerfer, whose children range in age from one to 10 years, said he could make \$40 a week in private industry, but as a Pfc serving on foreign soil he will receive \$238 a month.

"I'll stay in the army for 20 years and then retire on half pay," he said.

The WORLD TODAY

AP World Traveler

Bern, March 12 — This is a revolution, Switzerland, for we must get ahead with our job of globetrotting. We've had a grand time, for you've been mighty fine to us and we are appreciative. Our feelings about you were well expressed by a Yankee sergeant with whom we were chatting last night—one of the 200,000 American soldiers who've been fortunate enough to get leave for a brief tour of Alpland. When we asked him how he liked it here, he raised his right hand and with shining eyes declared:

"It's 100 percent—hospitality, fine people, good food, wonderful scenery. What a change from Germany!"

Well, that's the way we feel about you, too, Switzerland. You're 100 percent.

There are many things we like about your glorious little state, but I think we must place first your sturdy character and fine principles. It's good to meet folk who think right and live right. I guess maybe it would be difficult to have mean thoughts up here on the peaks so close to heaven.

We like the way you cling to traditions and heirlooms.

You're modern and yet live in a setting of days gone by—combining

the old with the new so charmingly that the blend is perfect.

Mrs. Mack and I have spent hours among historic buildings which have grown gray from the centuries. We've been fascinated by that huge, 300-year-old clock in the stone tower of Bern's ancient city gate—still faithfully recording the seconds, minutes, hours, days and months, while the life-size figure of a man strikes the hours with mighty swings of his hammer.

And I don't know how many times we've stopped to look at the quaint statue of the fat ogre about to swallow a baby, with other squirming youngsters in a bag ready to follow. Mothers of days long past used to warn naughty children that the ogre would get them if they weren't good.

Some folk are inclined to brush aside traditions and heirlooms as too much out of date to be useful. But our observation is that these links with the past are part of the fiber of a nation.

We love your beautiful valleys with their lakes and streams and tidy farms—picture-book homesteads which have been handed down from father to son for generations. We're thrilled with the grandeur of your Alps. Sure, Mrs. Mack (Continued on page four)

The NATION TODAY

By James Marlow

Washington, March 12 — (AP) — Congress starts tomorrow to consider voting pensions for itself.

This is one of the proposals made by the joint committee of House and Senate which Congress set up to modernize the place.

But one thing Congress won't do—and the committee couldn't bring itself to suggest—is this:

Consider selecting the chairmen of standing committees on the basis of brains instead of longevity.

Chairmen in House and Senate now get their jobs through a custom called "seniority."

This hasn't anything to do with brains or special ability. It just means that if a Congressman hangs around long enough he'll go places.

A newcomer is appointed to a committee and stays on year after year, if he's lucky enough to be re-elected.

When those ahead of him drop out of Congress, or sometimes drop out of the committee, the newcomer moves up the list. At last he becomes chairman, automatically.

Chairmen are powerful. The job has great prestige. When they've spent a career trying to get such a job, they don't want to give it up.

Before a bill introduced in Congress can go before the full House or Senate for debate and vote, it

passes through a committee. There it is killed, changed, or approved.

When Democrats have a majority in Congress, all chairmen are Democrats. When Republicans have a majority, the chairmen are all Republicans.

The joint committee, mentioned above, recommended among other things that Congress cut down its top-heavy load of committees.

It said the 30 standing Senate committees should be reduced to 16 and the 48 standing House committees should be reduced to 18.

This, if it ever goes through and it very probably won't, would knock a lot of committee chairmen out of jobs.

But it would leave untouched the hallowed tradition of "seniority." The seniority rule doesn't mean that committee chairmen, past or present, lack brains or ability.

But the rule does mean that many committees can have chairmen who are far less able than some of the members on the committee.

A look at some of the committees shows pretty well how the chairmen's jobs go to the old-timers.

Take the Senate first, remembering that all chairmen listed are Democrats because Democrats have a majority.

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Social and Personal

Elbert Moore returned from Abington, Va., Saturday.

Mrs. H. P. Harris and children, Harold and June, have been to Providence, R. I., to visit Mr. Harris who is employed with the U. S. Rubber Co. Mr. Harris expects to be transferred to Burlington, N. C., in a short time where he will be in charge of one of the plants.

Captain and Mrs. R. L. Chantler, of St. Thomas, Ontario, Canada, enroute home from Florida, are spending a few days here with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Winslow.

Beverly Congleton and Hilton Carson of Stokes and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Evans of Winterville have returned from a visit to New Orleans where they attended the Mardi Gras festival.

Junior Woman's Club
The Junior Woman's Club will meet Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at the club house with Mrs. Billy Hodges and Mrs. George Wilkerson as hostesses.

T. E. L. Class to Meet
The T. E. L. Class of Memorial Baptist Church will meet on Friday night at 8 o'clock with Mrs. Percy Wells on Seventh Street. Mrs. Nan Moore will be assisting hostess.

Receives Honorable Discharge
Albert W. Teel, S. I. C. U. S. N. R., Greenville, Route 4, has received an honorable discharge from the Navy after 18 months service. He had six months over seas duty.

Religious Emphasis Week
The Rev. Paul Hardin, Jr., pastor of the Wesley Memorial Methodist Church in High Point, has been secured as principal speaker for Religious Emphasis Week at East Carolina Teachers College and will conduct a series of services on the campus from March 13 through April 2. The theme for the services, which are being sponsored by the YWCA and the YMCA on the campus, is "The Christian Life."

Mr. Hardin has been speaker for many similar observances in other colleges and is well known among college students for his work among young people. During the past year he has conducted Religious Emphasis programs at Greensboro college, Wofford college, and Tennessee State Teachers college.

E. C. T. C. Alumni Meet
Dr. Howard J. McGinnis was guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Greenville Chapter of the E. C. T. C. Alumni Association on Friday evening, March 8. Dr. McGinnis reviewed the future plans for expansion of the college and stressed the growing needs of a broader educational program.

A very interesting Founder's Day program was conducted by Mrs. Edna Moore Loftin, president, March 8th is known as Founder's Day. This is the date the first creating the college was passed and ratified in the General Assembly in 1907. Informative sketches on William H. Ragsdale, Governor Thomas J. Jarvis and James Lawson Fleming, the three founders, were read by Miss Grace Smith, Mrs. Loftin, and Miss Ruth White.

Hot Russian tea, cookies, sandwiches and nuts were served by the hostesses Mrs. Janie Simmons and Mrs. Chester Walsh.

Lecture Club Formed
A faculty lecture club has been formed at East Carolina Teachers College, the purpose of which is to present papers of interest and to exchange ideas among members. About 30 men and women from various departments of the college met on Friday evening, March 8, to complete plans for the organization and to elect officers to serve for 1946-1947.

Officers elected are Dr. W. A. Browne, president; Dr. W. S. DeLoach, vice president and chairman of the program committee; and Dr. Christine Wilton, secretary-treasurer. Dr. J. W. Picklesimer and Dr. Lucile Turner will serve on the program committee.

The programs will be papers prepared by members and discussions of the subjects presented. It is expected that topics will include reports of research by members; discussions of broad principles, fundamental theories, and influences on trends in a given field of knowledge; and creative writing by members. According to plans, a visiting speaker will be invited each year to talk to the group.

Six programs will be held during the school year, the first this year will take place during the spring quarter.

Future Homemakers of America
March 13, at 8 o'clock the Winterville Future Homemakers of America Club will meet at the school auditorium. The program will consist of a program on "Care and Grooming of Hair," and a moving picture entitled "400 Years in 4 Minutes," which is about cake making, will be shown. Patsy McGlohorn has charge of the program. Afterwards at the Home Economics cottage, open house will be observed, sponsored by the Club. The patrons of the school are invited to attend.

The Winterville Future Homemakers Club was organized in January and the advisor is Miss Alva Ray Taylor, the Winterville Home Ec. teacher. The officers elected were: president, Barbara Dall; vice president, Anne Worthington; secretary, Magdalene Wainwright; treasurer, Annie House; and reporter, Peggy McGlohorn. The motto for the club is "We, the Future Homemakers of America, intend to make the homes of America happier, healthier places to rear future Americans." It was contributed by Joyce Hardee, a club member.—Peggy McGlohorn, Reporter.

Social Calendar

TUESDAY
7:30 p. m.—Witha Council Degree of Pochontas meets.
8:00 p. m.—St. Mary's Auxiliary of Episcopal Church meets at the parish house.
8:00 p. m.—The Patient Circle of The King's Daughters meets with Mrs. W. L. Best.

WEDNESDAY
8:00 p. m.—Junior Woman's Club will meet at the club house.

THURSDAY
4:30 p. m.—Lenten services at St. Paul's Episcopal Church.
7:30 p. m.—Executive Board of the B and P Woman's Club meets with Miss Novella Exum.

FRIDAY
3:30 p. m.—American Home Department of the Woman's Club meets at the club house.
6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club.
8:00 p. m.—T. E. L. class of Memorial Baptist Church meets with Mrs. Percy Wells.

Masonic Notice
Greenville Lodge No. 284 A. F. and A. M. will hold a special communication Wednesday evening at 7:30 for work in the entered apprentice degree. All Master Masons are invited.

W. F. OWENS, Master
N. R. JOYNER, Secretary

Arrives in Panama
Headquarters Panama Canal Department—Pvt. George W. Griffin, 19-year-old son of Mrs. Dora L. Griffin, Route 2, Greenville, has arrived in Panama for duty with the Sixth Air Force. It has been announced by Headquarters Sixth Air Force, Albrook Field, Canal Zone. He is assigned to the 307th Bombardment Squadron, Rio Hato Army Air Base, Republic of Panama.

Pvt. Griffin graduated from Winterville High School in April, 1943, and attended East Carolina Teachers College. He entered the Air Corps June 5, 1945 at Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

Notice Tennis Fans
If you are interested in playing tennis and in forming a tennis association in Greenville, please come to Sheppard Memorial Library Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Plans are under way to see if courts can be lighted for night playing.—Mrs. Vance Perkins.

Third Street School News
The seventh grade of Third Street School produced a movie about health. First the seventh grade started drawing pictures about healthful foods and other things. These pictures were put on paper and made into a film. The film was rolled up on broomsticks and put in a box. This box was the theater. The front of the box was cut out so that the pictures could be seen by the audience. As the film was turned, each boy and girl told the story of the picture he had drawn.

Then a play was given by Mattie Brown Stancill, Mollie Jean Hester, and Dorothy Putnam. Mattie Brown played the part of the nurse. Mollie Jean Hester played the part of Annie, a girl who would not eat anything, but coffee and chocolate cake. Dorothy Putnam played the part of Annie's mother, who was always worrying about what she was going to do with Annie. Mattie Brown, the girl who played the part of the nurse, was the one who convinced Annie that milk and Graham crackers were much healthier for the human body than coffee and chocolate cake. The play ended with Mollie Jean Hester giving advice for boys and girls to drink a quart of milk each day.

Marie Briley and Hilda Speight gave a short oral report on milk. They showed by the posters how milk could be taken apart.

The seventh grade first gave the play and the moving picture to the grades of Third Street school. The play was a success so the seventh grade decided to give it to the grades of the West Greenville school.

We took the moving picture and other things that were needed in the play and went to West Greenville. We gave the play, showed the moving picture and also showed our movie. We ordered these mice from Duke hospital. The boys and girls of West Greenville did not get a good chance to see our movie, so we left them there overnight. By this experiment the seventh grade has been able to show many boys and girls that food makes a difference.

We, the seventh grade, are sincerely thankful to the boys and girls of West Greenville for being so co-operative all during the play. Their behavior was excellent.

We owe much of our success to Miss Mary Hines Leonard who co-operated fully with us. She is, by the way, health educator for the city of Greenville.

The play, as well as all of the program was an original production.—Johnny Sideris.

Christian Science Service
"Man" was the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Christian Science Churches and Societies on Sunday, March 10.

The Golden Text was from Psalms 37:23, "The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord; and he delighteth in his way."

Among the citations comprising the lesson-sermon were the following from the Bible: "Ye are my servants, saith the Lord, and my servant whom I have chosen; I have made the earth, and created man upon it; I, even my hands, have stretched out the heavens, and all their host have I commanded. I have raised him up in righteousness, and I will direct all his ways." (Isaiah 43:10 to 45:1-5)

The lesson-sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "God

Forty Years Ago Today

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The town of Maupin was incorporated by the General Assembly of 1905 and it is a part of the town of Pactolus which includes all on the north side of Grindool creek. It is in a prosperous and growing condition and has a population of about two hundred.

It is getting time of year for everybody to grumble about his neighbor chickens. They are about the biggest nuisance that runs at large.

expresses in man the infinite idea forever developing itself, broadening and rising higher and higher from a boundless basis. He is the compound idea of God, including all right ideas; the generic term for all that reflects God's image and likeness; the conscious identity of being as found in Science, in which man is the reflection of God, or Mind, and therefore is eternal; that which has no separate Mind from God; that which has not a single quality undervived from Deity; that which possesses no life, intelligence, nor creative power of his own, but reflects spiritually all that belongs to his Maker.

Miss Honeycutt, Chief Marshal
Margaret Honeycutt of Clinton was chosen chief marshal at East Carolina Teachers College in a runoff election held here this week. Miss Honeycutt has served as a marshal during the past three quarters and this year heads the college cheer leaders. Chosen also as a marshal in the recent elections was Puel Krank of Poplar Branch.

Georgia King of Durham won the position of vice chairman of the Women's Judiciary. Newly elected vice president of the Student Cooperative Government Association is Mary Buckmaster of Swansboro.

These students, along with about 70 others chosen in the regular school elections last week will begin their terms of office during April.

Miss Gibson in Recital
Josephine Gibson of Wilmington, student of voice at East Carolina Teachers College, appearing on Monday evening, March 11, in her graduating recital, sang a program of songs for an audience of about 500 people from Greenville and neighboring towns. Mrs. Eleanor Ethridge Toll, of the department of music at the college, acted as accompanist and played a group of piano solos.

Selections chosen by Miss Gibson for her song recital included a variety of songs ranging from Verdi's "Pace, Pace, Mio Dio" to the popular folk song "O No, John."

During her four years at East Carolina Teachers College Miss Gibson has taken part in many musical events on the campus and in the eastern section of the state. Two years ago she appeared here as soloist with the North Carolina Symphony Orchestra. She is a pupil of Dan E. Vernholm of the college music department and has studied also under Lewis Sidney Bullock and Arthur Craft, oratorio singer of New York, and at the Eastman School of Music.

U. D. C. to Meet
The George B. Sineley chapter, U. D. C., will meet Thursday afternoon at 3:30 with Mrs. P. E. Wells.

THURSDAY
3:30 p. m.—George B. Sineley chapter, U. D. C., meets with Mrs. P. E. Wells.

Clio Club
Mrs. W. L. Whedbee was hostess to the Clio Book Club on Tuesday, March 5th at her home on Latham Street. Guests for the afternoon were Mrs. G. B. Starling, Mrs. Archie Suga, Mrs. G. M. Jones and Mrs. Charles Whedbee. Upon arrival of the guests, the hostess, assisted by Mrs. James Haves, served delicious sandwiches, cakes and drinks.

After the minutes were read the new officers were presented. They are: President, Mrs. W. L. Whedbee; vice president, Miss Jane Hadley; secretary, Mrs. Robert Arthur; treasurer, Mrs. F. B. Haar.

At the conclusion of the business meeting, Mrs. Whedbee introduced the guest speaker for the afternoon, Dr. De Loach, of the Science Department of E. C. T. C., whose subject was atomic energy. Dr. De Loach's presentation of this widely discussed subject was concise and clear. He explained the origin of the idea as coming from Professor Einstein in his belief that matter could be changed into energy. He said that scientists had been working on it for years but that all of them actually involved were astounded at the news of the first atomic bomb. It will in the eyes of science, mean the greatest change the world has known in years. He told of the elements used in its construction, its case and of all the different materials used at research centers to produce the finished product. He then told of some of the peace-time uses of atomic energy, though he said it will be many years before its benefits are realized.

Dr. De Loach then briefly discussed the pros and cons of whether or not we were justified in making use of the bomb and the part it will play in any future wars. He said any secret about it will be impossible as there is so much known about it and scientists of other nations almost had it when we perfected it.

He concluded by reading from an article by Robert Hutchins, the gist of which was that education is the answer to the questions raised by the release of atomic energy.

Books were exchanged and the club adjourned.—Reported.

Girl Scout News

Minutes of Troop 8
Last Friday, March 8, one of the regular Girl Scout meetings of Troop 8 was held at 3:30 o'clock in

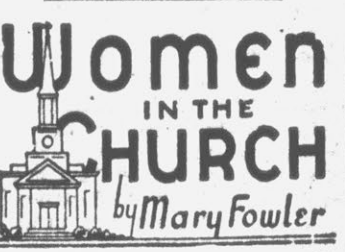


FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL—Karen Hamm, 4, surveys her black eye in a mirror and contemplates the uselessness of attempting to camouflage it with a powder puff as she gets ready to attend her first day of school. The black eye is the result of a playmate's rock. Karen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hamm of San Francisco.

the Rotary club.

The meeting was called to order by the leader, Mrs. J. G. Riddick, who said we had much business to attend to. First she said we were going to give a program over the radio next Friday at 5 o'clock. Everyone was given a part and are all looking forward to giving it. Next she told us of a Juliet Low party to be held Tuesday. We are to have charge of decorating. After that we had our patrol meetings. There the roll was checked and the dues collected. After this song reported on badges while the rest played games. Then our meeting was over.

—Kitty Cosby, Scribe.



Dr. Cora I. Kipp, of Forest, Ill., returning to the United States for retirement after 29 years of medical service under the Methodist Church in India, died recently at sea and was buried in the Mediterranean. Dr. Kipp first came into fame as head of the Tuberculosis Sanatorium in Tiluania, North India, where she specialized in the treatment of women suffering from this disease. She developed the Public Health Service now extending all over northern India and helping save many thousands of lives annually. Under the service each girl in school is examined annually, and many beginning cases of this most prevalent of diseases in India are checked.

"Mother" Brewster (Mrs. William N.) "the grand lady of Hingwa," now eighty-three years of age, has been the subject of much ceremony and celebration by Chinese Christians of Hingwa Province, China, because of the arrival of her sixtieth year of missionary service there—sixty years being a great cycle in their calendar. The Chinese celebrated with speeches, firecrackers, silk banners, and feasting. Although retired, and a widow for 30 years, Mrs. Brewster continues to lead all educational and evangelistic work in the city and province. She is the founder of several orphanages and leper homes. Three of her seven children are missionaries.

"The conflicts of ideas that divide our world are essentially religious, as well as economic, social and political, in character," says Miss Katherine F. Demott, chief of the Children's Bureau, U. S. Department of Labor. The question of whether people of different races shall have equal opportunity is basically religious, for our answer is

Scouts Featured On Rotary Program

By WYATT BROWN
Boy Scouts and their activities filled the Rotary Club program last night. Frank Diener showed some of the things he had made to pass Scout merit badges and a quartette composed of four Scouts—Howard proctor, Sam Northrup, Rufus Stark and Carl Denton—sang four selections accompanied at the piano for three of them by Miss Ona Shindler and the last was done a capella.

Frank Diener showed a pair of candlesticks made of wood which he had turned on a lathe. Also he exhibited a vase made of lead cable shaped into a suitable form and a metal box he had fabricated. Then he held up a basket he had woven with oak splints.

The quartette first sang "O Son of My Soul." This was followed by a novelty number something about a "skelele," then they did some barbershop favorites. Finally without accompaniment they sang "Friendship's Flowers."

At this point John G. Fleming, chairman of the Greenville District of the Boy Scouts of America, proposed that the Rotary Club sponsor a Sea Scout Ship in a Senior Scouting program in Greenville. He told the Rotarians that one of their members, Dr. J. B. Haves, would be the Skipper—the adult leader—of



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the ship; explaining that Dr. Haves had skipped the Sea Scout Ship that was active before the war and had had great success with the older boys for whom the program is designed. After some discussion the Rotarians voted to become sponsors of the Scout Ship.

Sherman S. Parks, chairman of the Camping and Activities Committee in the Greenville district, had charge of the program put on by the Boy Scouts. John Fleming represented the Boys Work Committee who put on the program. Guests of the club were S. B. Underwood, Otis Morton, and Herbert Wilkerson. John Proctor, club president, presided.

Girl Scout Leaders Plan Court Awards

The Girl Scout leaders of Greenville met Monday night to make plans or the Court of Awards to be held at Eighth Street Christian Church next Sunday afternoon at 3:30.

"Friendship bags" have been sent to Girl Scouts in Belgium and Poland, which carries out the plan for Girl Scouting "Citizenship in Action Around the World."

The 33rd year record of Girl Scouting is one to make every member of the organization proud. The 34th year, which began today March 12, is full of opportunity and challenges. With more than a million Girl Scouts, the plans for post-war action and for establishing international troops, point the way to a future full of service and active interest, said Mrs. W. P. Moore, Girl Scout Commissioner for Greenville.

THAT DID IT
Kansas City, March 12—(AP)—Floyd Harvey, deputy collector of internal revenue, tried to explain to a taxpayer that money paid to a veterinarian for care of the man's dog was not deductible from his Federal Income Tax.

The taxpayer insisted the dog belonged to his family, was dependent on the family, and that its medical expenses should be deducted.

"Well, I'll put it this way," Harvey sighed. "Just how is the dog related

to you? It is by blood, marriage, or adoption?"

That ended the discussion.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
North Carolina
Pitt County

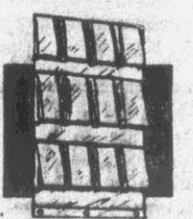
The undersigned, having qualified as administratrix c. t. a., of the estate of G. R. Whitehurst deceased, late of Pitt County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them itemized and verified to the undersigned on or before the 9th day of March, 1947, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This 9th day of March, 1946.
MARIE ANDREWS, Bethel, N. C., Administratrix c. t. a., of the Estate of G. R. Whitehurst, deceased.
March 12-11w-6wks.



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The Fall Guy

BY JOE BARRY

Chapter 13
Sunlight streaming through the open window crept down the wall of Rush's room as the sun itself rose higher in the morning sky. The bright light hit Rush's eyes and brought him half awake seconds before the alarm clock on his bedside table completed the job. An arm detached itself from the single sheet that covered him and turned off the alarm with an ease born of long practice. He looked around and his eyes widened until he remembered he wasn't in his own room. The color scheme and shape were the same but it lacked the familiar feeling his own apartment. He wondered if the home feeling would be there when they put it together again.

The sun was warm and he turned his head away from the window to shade his eyes. He let his mind drift over the facts he had stored there. There weren't many of them and they didn't make much sense the way he had them fitted together now. It was easy to see that there were some very valuable emeralds floating around somewhere

loose. Jago, Hope, Wilmer, the sultry Myrna, all seemed lumped together. Brin, obviously, was on his own. But where did Paul Germaine, the younger, enter the picture? What did Leslie know? Because Rush was sure she knew something. He looked at the alarm clock and found that a full half hour had slipped by since it had first rung at eight o'clock. He stretched, threw back the sheet, and slowly, with no jerky motions, raised first his head and then the rest of his lean length from the bed.

Rush caught a cruising cab after walking a block from his apartment. It deposited him twenty minutes later in front of his office building. He entered the coffee shop on the ground floor, found his favorite table by the window, and opened the paper he found lying there. He learned from a column on the first page and a half-column on page five that the police knew nothing that they didn't know the day before. He wished that he didn't know so much more than they did. He disliked holding out on the legally constituted authorities but he didn't see how he could tell them anything without violating his agreement, in spirit at least, with Germaine.

Rush held the paper aside and looked at the menu the waitress put before him.
"Fry me a couple of eggs straight up. Side of Americans, dark toast and coffee."
"Make that two, except for the potatoes," said a voice from the chair opposite him.
"Morning, Hope," Rush said.
"When did you arrive?"
"While you were reading the paper. You would make a very poor husband."
"I have no intentions of making any kind of husband at all."
"Mr. Henry!"
Rush ignored her. "What's on your mind?"
"Must there be something?"
Rush looked at her. It wasn't hard. "In my books, lady, you are a babe who never does anything unless she has reason."

Hope smiled and the momentary hardness at the corners of her mouth relaxed. "That might be true, most of the time."
"And the rest of the time?"
"I have my moments."
"Is this one of them?"
"No," Hope said. "No, it isn't. I want something. Or rather, I want to know something."
"Shoot."
"Why are you double-crossing me?"
Rush could only look at her.
"I gave you a thousand dollars for protection and you went directly to my stepfather and told him about it."
"My dear—" Rush started.
"And while you are supposed to be protecting me I get knocked out

THIRTY-FOUR YEARS OLD



They may not look it but these Brownie Scouts are celebrating a thirty-fourth birthday. It's the anniversary of Girl Scouting, of course, which was founded in the United States on March 12, 1912.

and left on the floor in your room."
Rush cocked one eyebrow and looked at her. She didn't blush.
"Yes, who took off my clothes?"
"I imagine the same person that hit you on the head."

"And why did he hit me?"
"That I am pretty sure of. He wanted to search you thoroughly." This time she blushed. But it didn't halt her.
"What was he hunting for?"
She was blushing and Rush knew it. He wondered why and in the same second called her bluff.
"For a pair of very special emeralds, I think."

She called the bluff. Her eyes opened in an expert edition of a startled stare. Her mouth hung open just the right distance. It was good, too good.

"What in the world would I be doing with a pair of emeralds?"
Rush was saved an answer by the arrival of their breakfast. The waitress set it before them and departed.
"Who searched me?"
"Otto Brin."
This time Rush struck home. Hope was honestly surprised and completely terrified.
"Otto—is he here?"
"Yes. Haven't you seen Jago since yesterday?"
"Jago, then he told you?"
"Yes, my dear, he told me something at least. And that's a very pretty act you do."

"Why did you let me go on if you knew I was lying?"
"I was interested in how well you did it. I always like to know the full abilities of people I'm protecting."

To Be Continued

Our Farm Folks

By VERONA LEE JOYNER
Home Demonstration Agent
and
ELLA RUTH BIZZELL
Asst. Home Demonstration Agent

Joint Meetings in Pitt County
Approximately one thousand hours of serious thinking and discussion on a most timely subject, "Homestead Planning" and one thousand hours of good, clean, wholesome entertainment enjoyed by 799 Home Demonstration Club women of Pitt County and their husbands at the February club meetings is bound to make "Pitt county a better place in which to live."

Mr. F. F. Hendrix, our county agent, Mr. W. H. Pruden, our new assistant county agent, Miss Verona Lee Joyner, our Home Demonstration agent and Miss Ruth Bizzell, her assistant, took turns in presenting the topic for the month. Slides were used showing the proper location of farm buildings in relation to the home, the proper planting of lawns, shrubs and trees and how minor repairs and remodeling can make an otherwise unattractive house into a home of beauty and make life for the family more enjoyable.

Colored slides showing several attractive farm houses that had been remodeled and the surroundings made more attractive, added much to the effectiveness of the demonstration.

Practically every club enjoyed a supper prepared by the ladies in honor of their husbands who were their guests at these meetings. Practically every club had 90 per cent of the members present. This is not surprising though for who could resist the huge platters of crisp fried chicken, the generous slices of cold fresh corn-corned ham, the big fat hens baked just right and stuffed with delicious oyster dressing topped with thick giblet gravy, the hot rolls, and flaky brown home-made milk biscuits and the crisp cucumber pickles, the pretty red beet pickles, the pattern of carrot and celery sticks and tomatoes and lettuce, apple sauce, gallon after gallon of hot coffee with "sure enough sugar and real country cream; the freshly baked cakes and pies, peaches, whipped cream, ice cream and other delicacies too numerous to mention. It was at the St. John's Club that Mr. Hendrix remarked that he had never seen a more beautiful table of food. It was at this same club that old and young joined together in singing and playing.

An hour of fun was enjoyed after each demonstration. Mrs. B. L. Tyson, recreational leader for Pitt County Home Demonstration Clubs, was present at 10 of these meetings and conducted the games, etc.

There are a few things that Mrs. Tyson says she will never forget. Chief among these things is the spirit of good will, friendliness, co-operation and good sportsmanship shown in every meeting she attended.

Mr. Johnnie Edwards declares he stayed sore for a week after attending the meeting at Chisod. Mr. Blanco Ross said that he hurt himself laughing at the Sweet Gum Grove meeting which was held at the most attractive home of Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Nobles, Jr.

At the Ballards Club meeting held in the Country Club at Farmville two fat ladies were doing a "hobble

race" and just as they reached their goal they fell and it took quite some time to get them untangled and get them on their feet.

The Littlefield Club held their meeting at the Community building in Ayden and Mr. Grover Garis hasn't quit laughing yet. You should have seen Mr. Garis dressing in ladies clothes in the "suitcase relay." He got some of the clothes on wrong but that did not matter, he got there just the same.

At the Rotary Club in Bethel the Bethel Club held their meeting. Mr. Ruel Tyson, who was a guest at this meeting nearly choked Mr. Van Taylor to death on a banana in the "banana-eating contest." An elderly man remarked after this meeting, "I have never had a better time in all my life."

The Renston-Nobles Club used the Red Oak Community building for their meeting. The long banquet tables were lovely with their decorations of flags, candles and red, white and blue ribbons. It was at this meeting that the County Council officers, Mrs. D. N. Nobles, Jr., vice president, Mrs. Wilbur Worthington, secretary and treasurer, and Mr. John Harris, horticulturist of State College were present. Games, contests and the "Virginia Reel" were enjoyed by the 75 who were in attendance.

No better time was had by any group than the Seven Pines Club. They had their meeting in a large tobacco grading room which had been scrubbed until it fairly shone and it was here that a real honest to goodness old fashioned party was enjoyed after the demonstration.

Mr. W. H. Pruden who has charge of 4-H Club work in Pitt County assisted Mrs. Tyson with the recreation and both old and young joined in singing "Ain't Owine Study War No More" and many other old favorites. In a "find the bottle" contest the excitement was so great when Mr. B. L. Tyson and Miss Verona Lee Joyner, who had been blindfolded, were looking for the bottle that four of the ladies who were not even supposed to have their seats could not stand it any longer and they went over to the home agent almost lifted her clear of the floor and sat her on top of the bottle.

The Red Oak Club meeting was conducted by Miss Ruth Bizzell. The men won in an "air plane contest," "bubble-blowing contest," "honey-moon relay" and "pillow case relay."

The Bell Arthur Club held their meeting at the Home Economics cottage and enjoyed a discussion by Mr. Hendrix. This was followed by an hour of fun. We hope the Methodist minister who was present at this meeting did not make himself sick laughing. Mr. Robert McArthur made the statement a few days later that he had never laughed so much in one hour before in his life.

Similar meetings were held in all the clubs. The Belvoir Club met in the High School auditorium. Farmville Club had a buffet supper at their attractive club house. Mrs. L. R. Jones, recreational leader of the Ballards Club, led the group in 30 minutes of games and stunts after the program on "Homestead Planning." Pactolus Club members entertained their husbands at a barbecue supper at Respass. The Winterville Club members and their husbands enjoyed a buffet supper meeting at the spacious home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Weatherington. Pierce Club met at their club house for an afternoon meeting. The spacious everyday living room of the J. H. Barnhills made an ideal place for the Stokes Club members and their husbands to enjoy a delicious meal, the discussion on Homestead Planning, and fun. The Cannons Club met at the home of Mrs. Wilbur Worthington with 20 of the 23 members present. Mesdames Walter Cherry and A. W. Bizzell were hostesses to the Red Banks members and their husbands at the home of

Mrs. Cherry. Following the program Mrs. R. B. Starling, recreational leader, entertained the group with games, stunts and songs. The Falkland Club members and husbands held a dinner meeting at their new Community center. About 70 citizens of this community were present. Mrs. J. E. Meeks of the Seven Pines Club experienced the sentiment of many of the club members when she said to the home agent, "Miss Joyner, every Home Demonstration Club meeting gets better."

Yes, Pitt County is a happier and better place in which to live after having experienced such wonderful Home Demonstration Club meetings during February 1946.

(This report was written by Mrs. B. L. Tyson, Pitt County Recreational Leader for Home Demonstration Clubs.)

Schedule
Bell Arthur 4-H Club, Bell Arthur School, Wednesday morning, March 13, 9:20.
Bethel Home Demonstration Club, Home of Mrs. W. R. Bullock, Wednesday afternoon, March 13, 2:30.
Belvoir Home Demonstration Club, Belvoir Teacherage, Wednesday afternoon, March 13, 2:30.
Falkland 4-H Club, Falkland School, Thursday morning, March 14, 9:20.
Farmville Home Demonstration Club, club house, Thursday afternoon, March 14, 2:30.
Farmville 4-H Club, club house, Thursday night, March 14, 7:30.
St. John Home Demonstration Club, club house, Friday afternoon March 15, 2:30.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Camille L. Willoughby, deceased, late of Pitt County, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 5th day of March, 1947, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 5th day of March, 1946.
R. E. WILLOUGHBY, Administrator of the Estate of Camille L. Willoughby, deceased.
J. B. James, Attorney
March 7-14w-6wks.

NOTICE

The undersigned, having qualified as executor of the estate of M. L. Wright, deceased, late of Pitt County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned at Greenville, N. C., on or before the 8th day of March, 1947, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This 8th day of March, 1946.
DR. DAN WRIGHT, Executor of the estate of M. L. Wright, 405 E. 4th Street, Greenville, N. C.
Sam B. Underwood, Jr., Atty.
March 8-14w-6wks.

SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

In The Superior Court Before the Clerk
North Carolina
Pitt County
F. C. Harding, Executor of the estate of Lula Joyner Forbes
Vs.
Edith Mabel Forbes and Matthew Anderson

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Pitt County made in the above entitled Special Proceeding I will on Saturday, the 6th day of April 1946 at 12 o'clock noon expose to public sale before the Court House door in Pitt County to the highest bidder for cash that certain parcel of real property described as follows:

Situated in the Town of Greenville and on the North side of Fifth street extended and being a part of the property formerly known as the R. A. Tyson property and being lot No. 2 in Block F as shown on the map of the subdivision known as Riverdale, said map made by David C. James in 1914 and recorded in Map Book 2 at page 36 and being the same lot that was conveyed by R. C. Flanagan and wife, to West Murphy by deed recorded in Book S-12 page 609 and subsequently conveyed by S. O. Worthington and wife to Lula Joyner Forbes.

This sale will be made for the purpose of making assets of the estate of Lula Joyner Forbes, to be applied to the indebtedness of said estate.

This the 4th day of March 1946.
F. C. HARDING, Executor of Lula Joyner Forbes.
March 5-14w-4wks.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed by J. S. Harvey and wife ranches Harvey to W. H. Woolard, Trustee, under date of January 26, 1943, of record in Book W-23, Page 598 of the Pitt County Registry, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured thereby, and other stipulations in said instrument violated, and the owners of

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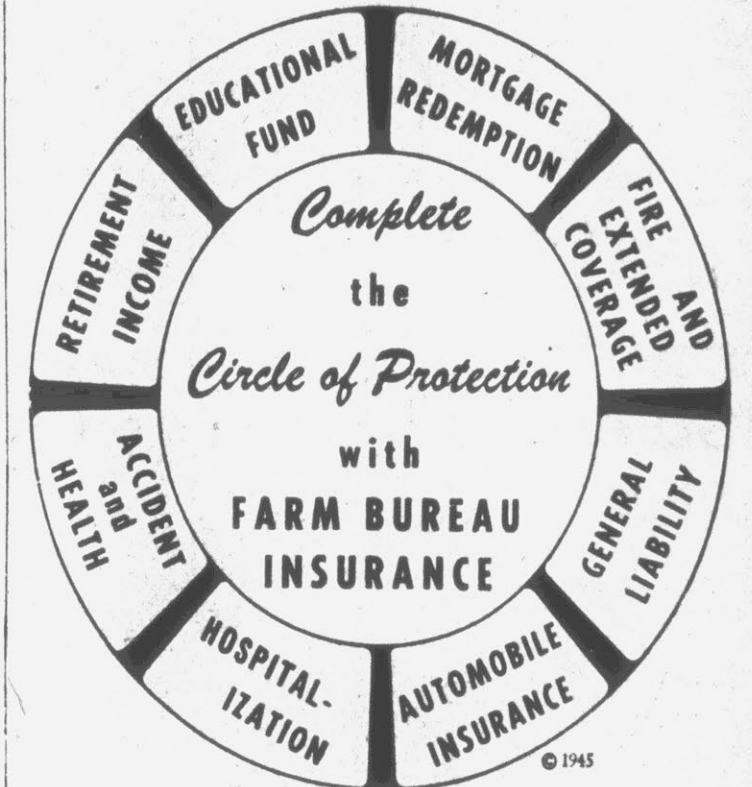
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said indebtedness having requested this foreclosure, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash, before the Court House door in Greenville, North Carolina, on Wednesday, April 3, 1946, at twelve o'clock noon, the following described real estate, to-wit:

That certain lot or parcel of land lying and being situated in Greenville Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, near the city of Greenville, N. C. and on the east side of the N. C. State Highway leading from Greenville to Kinston, and being Lot No. 7 in Block "A" in the subdivision known as "Hillsdale" as shown on map of said subdivision made in March 1940 and duly recorded in Map Book No. 3 at page 135 of the Pitt County Registry.

The above lot is conveyed subject to the conditions and restrictions set out and contained in that cer-

tain Declaration of Restrictive Covenants executed by the said C. W. Harvey of record in Book J-23 at page 559 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County. This is the 1st day of March, 1946.
W. H. WOOLARD, Trustee
Blount & Taft, Attys.
Mar. 2-9-16-23.



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Strength FOR THE DAY

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

TEST OF CHRISTIAN BELIEF

What does it mean to be a Christian?

The New Testament states the requirements by saying that we must believe on Christ if we would be saved, and believe with such earnestness that we forsake our type of life and seek after another.

But what does it mean to believe? Jesus on one occasion spoke of his disciples as friends. "No longer do I call you servants; for the servant knoweth not what his lord doeth; but I have called you 'friends'." To believe in Christ, therefore, means to accept his offer of friendship.

A humble Christian who had had a long experience in spiritual things used to sum up all his Christian theology in these words: "Jesus and I are friends." And since friendship is not only a privilege but a responsibility, this human-divine relationship involves some solemn responsibility on the part of any who accepts and acknowledges it.

"Ye are my friends," said Jesus, "if you do the things I have commanded you." So to be a Christian means to believe in Christ, and to believe in Christ means to be his friend, and to be his friend means to obey him. It all comes down, in the end, to a personal relationship with Christ which induces us to be obedient to his commands.

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WASHINGTON DAYBOOK

By JACK STINNETT

(Second of Two Articles)

Washington—A few nights ago in the Capitol's House caucus room there was a strange meeting. It was the organization meeting of a "Veterans' Alaska Co-operative Corp."

Its purpose is simply to establish a co-operative effort by which veterans with a yen to settle in Alaska can pool their funds, talents, knowledge, etc., to make less slippery the foothold they are seeking in America's northwest territory.

About 50 persons were present. Among them was the Alaskan delegate, E. L. Bartlett, and several other federal officials. Educational slides on Alaska were provided by the Department of the Interior Land Office. Present also were a few Alaska business men like Carl Eubanks of the Aleutian Livestock Co., with headquarters on Unimak Island.

The rest were all World War II veterans who have a deep interest in seeking their fortunes and establishing permanent homes in Alaska.

Bartlett's office and Interior seem convinced that these aren't just restless, fly-by-night G.I. Principal speakers and leaders of the movement were Steve Larsson, Home Army Navy aviator who served in Iceland and the Pacific, but who had worked his way through the University of Washington by toiling in Alaska; and T. D. (Ted) Greer, late of Navy Photo Intelligence, who spent most of his stretch in the Aleutians and the Alaskan mainland.

So far their plans are to open their rolls to all serious, healthy veterans (or their friends or relatives) to a non-profit co-operative organization the primary objectives of which would be:

(1) To set up a central information service with a co-op representative in Alaska to answer specific questions of prospective settlers. Surprisingly enough, this information is very hard to get.

(2) To purchase outright or contract land, sea and air transportation for moving the members, family and equipment to Alaska and providing year-around low-cost service within and outside the territory. (Surplus LSTs or LCTs and a C-47 plane.)

(3) To set up a housing program, using Sabree construction methods in erecting engineered-for-Alaska homes and purchasing surplus barracks or canteen huts as temporary quarters for new arrivals. Alaska's

Churchill's "V" Salute



present housing problem is serious.

(4) To reduce living costs through producer-consumer buying and marketing.

(5) To set up an employment and placement service that will practically blanket the territory.

(6) To establish a mutual bank to serve settlers' financial needs at lower rates than now prevail in the territory and guarantee full participation in credit benefits of the G.I. Bill of Rights.

As one of the members put it, "It's just the old forty-niner co-operation train idea brought up to date a hundred years later."

The World Today

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and I went up just under the peak of the towering Jungfrau among the clouds where the breath comes short and the heart hammers from the altitude. There was a fierce blizzard screaming across the heights—a fearsome sight—and the bearer of death to any who got caught in it.

We went to the heart of the great glacier in which men have carved tunnels and marvelous caverns. Yes, you have a wonderful country for sight-seeing, but even more impressive is the spirit of cordial friendliness everywhere. Let the visitor pause at a street corner to get his bearings and immediately he will have an offer of assistance. It was a Swiss—a stranger—who bought Mrs. Mack and me breakfast at a frontier railway station when we had no Swiss francs.

We've had a memorable experience here, but we must be going. It's so long for now, Switzerland. Good luck, we'll be seeing you.

The Nation . . .

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Carter Glass, Virginia, is 88. He's chairman of the Appropriations Committee. He's been in the Senate 26 years. Because of illness, he's

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Nonsensical pieces
5. Asiatic nomad
9. Drink slowly
12. Lapsed
15. Bill of fare
18. Argument in favor of
21. Soft drink
24. Sent
27. Crude
29. Pay attention to
32. Painter
35. Color
38. Boring tool
41. Constellation
44. He who flew too near the sun
47. Climbing plant
50. Assistance
53. Salutation
56. Sunburnt
59. Creek island
62. Not so much
65. Great Lake
68. Piece of
71. Mission
74. Sleep
77. Prolific
80. Hang down
83. Twisting
86. Tear apart
89. Rodent
92. Airplane
95. County in Nebraska
98. Peer Gynt's mother
101. Mail bird
104. Widow's coin
107. Foodlike part

DOWN
1. Ready money
2. Medicinal plant
3. Becomes less violent
4. Garden implement
5. Cupid
6. Interpret: archaic
7. Presently
8. Dresser
9. Device to keep a wheel from turning
10. Turkish decree
11. Strength
12. Talk effectively
13. Prima donna
14. Russian sea
15. Wander
16. Go by again
17. Order of frogs and toads
18. Ingredient of varnish
19. Vigorous
20. Be fond of
21. Bard
22. Spreads loosely
23. Prophet
24. Go by again
25. Discard as worthless
26. Aspect
27. Ceremonies
28. Fragrance
29. Pagan god
30. Roman emperor
31. Xibbie
32. Short letter
33. Antlered animal

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been away from his duties four years.

Kenneth McKellar, Tennessee next on the seniority list, is acting chairman. McKellar, 77, has been in the Senate 29 years.

Here are some other Senate chairmen, including their years in the Senate:

Finance—Walter F. George, Georgia, 24; Naval Affairs—David I. Walsh, Massachusetts, 20; Foreign Affairs—Tom Connally, Texas, 17; Agriculture—Elmer Thomas, Oklahoma, 19.

Now take some of the House chairmen, with their length of service:

Rules—Adolph J. Sabath, Illinois, 29; Naval Affairs—Carl Vinson, Georgia, 32; Judiciary—Horton W. Sumners, Texas, 33; Interstate and Foreign Commerce—Clarence F. Lea, California, 29; Appropriations—Clarence Cannon, Missouri, 23; Foreign Affairs—Sol Bloom, New York, 23.

Increase In . . .

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established.

In addition to a general increase in rents, the representatives of property owners proposed:

1. Exemption of all newly created housing units from rent control.
2. Withdrawal of OPA federal residential rent control from states adopting their own residential rent control laws.

3. Recognition "that an owner is entitled to a reasonable return on the fair value of his property."

Food . . .

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'fruit production was expected this season. But on the gloomy side, it asserted that "no end of the period of world scarcity of sugar" was indicated. It said the shortage may continue into 1947.

Meanwhile, 18 member nations of the United Maritime Board, were setting ready to put into action a shipping agreement aimed at speed-

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle
66. Lacking speed
67. Genus of the maple tree

ing the transport of food and other commodities to needy overseas areas.

Herbert Hoover, honorary chairman of the famine committee, was making plans to leave shortly for a new survey of food requirements in the needy European areas as representatives of Mr. Truman, and may depart Sunday.

In launching its call for food conservation and sharing, the famine committee addressed itself to every one who eats, serves, prepares or distributes food. It offered suggestions to housewives, waiters, cooks, bakers, restaurant proprietors, and the like.

Housewives, for example, were urged to substitute potatoes for bread, to use oat cereals and fruits more often, and to save excess fats for cooking purposes.

Restaurants were told they could cooperate by serving only a single roll or slice of bread with a meal, instead of putting a basket of rolls or platter of bread on the table.

Food distributors could help, the committee said, by pushing the use of more plentiful foods prevailing, such as the present abundance of potatoes, fish, eggs, poultry, citrus fruits and seasonal vegetables.

Congress Today...

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The House then proceeded with consideration of a measure authorizing the government to sell, lease or give to China another 271 surplus small vessels. They are intended to become the nucleus of a new Chinese navy.

The 100 vessels to be used as guinea pigs in the atomic bomb tests include four battleships. Their book value has been estimated at \$400,000,000, but most of them are now classed as obsolete.

The suggestion of a blank check in the nation's residential rents got a distinctly cool Capitol Hill reception. It was submitted to the House Banking Committee by representatives of rental property owners groups, who want it written into any law extending OPA beyond its June 30 expiration date. They said the increase was only justice to the owners.

Committee members indicated they weren't sold on the necessity for a 15 per cent overall increase. But there was some evidence an attempt might be made to have any new OPA law contain a strong provision for a return on residential property value.

Another touch election year item, the strike control legislation of Rep. Case (R-SD), meanwhile emerged from the surgical ministrations of a special Senate drafting committee.

But it emerged as a substitute which looked nothing like the stringent bill which passed the House.

The Senate group amputated most of the major provisions in the House bill. The version has the main idea of shifting most strike settlement work from the Labor Department to a new independent federal mediation board. The substitute must now be approved by the full Labor Committee before the Senate can act on it.

Sen. Connally . . .

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"oppose aggression by economic or political pressure or maneuver."

Pinning his hopes on the United Nations, the Texas Senator said that so long as Russia, Great Britain and the United States "remain loyal to the obligations of the Charter and adjust differences as they arise, there will be peace."

But, he added, "those who want peace must not commit acts that tend to provoke war."

Expressing the belief that the Soviet Union does not want war, Connally said he believes mutual understanding and cooperation with Rus-

sia "are not insuperable."

"Russia can have peace by supporting and cooperating with the United Nations," he declared. "Her responsibility is great because her power is great."

Connally's speech, which he said he discussed briefly in advance with Secretary of State Byrnes, carried on the newly-instituted policy of plain-speaking about Russo-American relations which Byrnes and Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich.) recently lent their voices.

United States . . .

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The bulk of the American note, however, was devoted to a rejection of the French bid for joint sponsorship in appealing to the council, mainly on the ground that Franco does not represent a threat to international peace and it therefore is up to the Spanish people themselves to get rid of him.

The Soviet charge of American activity in Bulgaria came in the midst of a barrage of American criticisms of Soviet conduct in Iran and Manchuria. This government still is awaiting replies to its notes on those two territories, in both of which Red army forces are staying beyond the time the American government thinks they should.

In the Bulgarian case the United States took the position in a recent note to Sofia that the two opposition political leaders to be added to the government there should be given real authority and not be ministers in name only.

In response to Moscow complaints about this action, the note released by the State Department yesterday said that the United States had not broken an agreement made in Moscow last December and that it had informed the Russian government in February of its views on Bulgaria which later were presented to the Bulgarian government.

Trade Body . . .

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Club member in Pitt County to plant a one-acre corn demonstration plot. President Walter L. Harrington presided.

In addition to the president, other officers are J. B. Webb, Jr., and E. Graham Flanagan, vice-presidents; David A. Evans, treasurer; Walter L. Harrington, national councillor to the United States Chamber of Commerce, and Willard T. Kyzzer, executive secretary.

Harrington, Webb, Flanagan and Evans, and J. H. Blount, John C. Proctor and Godfrey P. Oakley composed the Executive Committee.

Following is a list of the committee chairmen appointed: agricultural, J. H. Blount, chairman; civic affairs, Joe S. Moyer, chairman; commerce and trade, Thomas E. Wilson, chairman; health and sanitation, Dr. J. M. Barrett, chairman; industrial, E. Graham Flanagan, chairman; legislation and national affairs, John W. Glover, chairman; membership, J. B. Kitzell, chairman; program and public affairs, J. B. Webb, Jr., chairman; transportation and communications, N. O. VanNortwick, Jr., chairman.

Membership of all committees will be announced as soon as those appointed have accepted appointment.

J. H. Blount, chairman of the Agricultural Committee, reported that his committee was cooperating with organizations in the tobacco belt to assure a sufficient quantity of tobacco twine, flue iron, tobacco sticks and brick to house and market the 1946 tobacco crop, a committee having been appointed for the area at a meeting in Wilson recently. He reported prospects for an adequate quantity of twine as promising.

Chairman Blount reported that

his committee, as authorized in December, had bought sufficient hybrid seed corn for each 4-H Club member in Pitt County to plant a one-acre corn demonstration.

N. O. VanNortwick, Jr., chairman of the Transportation Committee reported that his committee is working with the N. C. Utilities Commission in efforts to get a reduction in freight rates on coal, the Utilities Commission having instituted such action before the Interstate Commerce Commission. He also reported announcement of a hearing before the Utilities Commission regarding increases in intra-state motor freight rates on April 18. The Transportation Committee was authorized by the directors to represent the chamber in this action. Chairman VanNortwick also reported cancellation of a hearing before the Interstate Commerce Commission for March 1, in which motor carriers were seeking increases in rates from Norfolk to Eastern Carolina points including Greenville.

On recommendation of the Finance Committee, the budget for the 1946 fiscal year was adopted. A slight increase over the last fiscal year was approved to care for the increased activities of the chamber necessary since the close of the war which has restricted the chamber's work for several years.

The proposal to build a hospital for the County as a memorial to veterans was endorsed, with the chamber offering its cooperation in carrying out the project.

To make an effort to relieve the shortage of homes for returning veterans, the directors voted to ask the city administration to investigate the possibility of securing surplus government housing as is being done in other cities, and appointed a committee composed of W. H. Taft, N. O. VanNortwick, Jr., and Godfrey P. Oakley, to work with the city on this project.

Skeleton In . . .

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The skeleton was found by hunters on a little used road southwest of Mojave in a car which interior had been blackened and melted by an intense fire. There was enough slack in the chain to have permitted the victim to secure himself, said Deputy Coroner Hugh Gallon. The chain was looped around the post of the closed door.

Gallon said identity may be established by dental peculiarities, although the heat was sufficient to melt fillings from the skull's teeth.

World Bank . . .

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which signed the 1944 agreements creating the \$9,100,000,000 and \$8,800,000,000 fund, would have to seek admission as new applicants.

This would subject them to entry on terms and conditions imposed by the governing boards, in which the present "Big Five"—the U. S., Britain, China, France and India—dominate the voting. The newcomers also would be subject to a re-fixing of their quotas of gold and currency to be subscribed to the bank and fund.

Panama's action in ratifying the Bretton Woods pacts, announced last night, was welcomed by the delegates of 35 nations who are working to launch the fund and bank.

Vinson said Nicaragua and El Salvador were expected to ratify in the near future.

Australia has hesitated to ratify until Russia does, officials in Canberra have stated. They fear that Russia's hidden gold reserves might upset the liberalized trading arrangements planned, unless the Soviet cooperates.

Russia's sat among the eight on-

looker nations, at a separate table.

V. Alton Respass Died Early Today

V. Alton Respass, 45, died suddenly Tuesday morning at 5:30 o'clock at his home, 311 Greene street, after suffering a heart attack.

Funeral services will be conducted at the home Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock by Dr. H. G. Hane, pastor of Eighth Street Christian Church, assisted by the Rev. Richard E. Hardaway, pastor of Memorial Baptist Church. Burial will be in Greenwood cemetery.

Mr. Respass was born and reared in Beaufort county near Pine-town. He attended Pinetown and Pantego schools. He was employed by the State Highway Department on bridge maintenance from 1921 to 1927. He moved to Rocky Mount and was associated with Bob Melton in the cafe business. In 1934 he came to Greenville. Since that time he had become known as a caterer throughout this section. He was a member of Modern Woodmen, Junior Order, and Eighth Street

Christian Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Margaret R. Respass; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Respass, and two brothers, C. M. and R. W. Respass, all of Greenville; two sisters, Mrs. Ora Gurling of South Norfolk, Va., and Mrs. Blanche Phelps of Hampton, Va.

Active pallbearers will be C. I. Teague, Raymond Williams, Kermit Highsmith, Pat Vanwright, T. F. Smaw, E. R. Dudley, W. H. Woolard and John G. Clark.

No End Seen To Sugar Rationing

Washington, March 12.—(AP)—Sugar will remain scarce the rest of this year and perhaps into 1947, says the Agriculture Department. It stressed this despite some prospective ration increases announced by the OPA yesterday. These apply to such users as bakers and hotels and restaurants and not to housewives.

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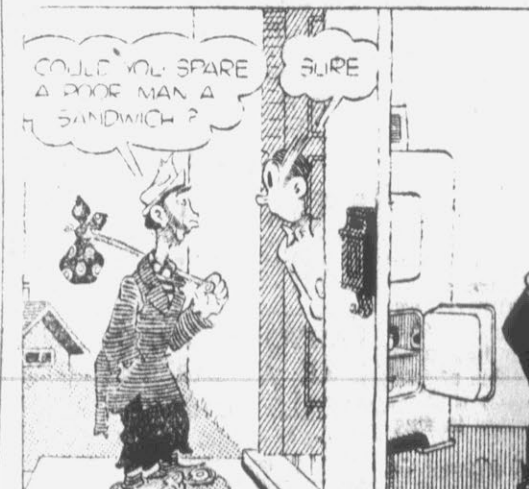
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Hog Market

Raleigh, March 12 — (AP) — (NCDA)—Hog markets active and steady, with tops at 14.90 at Richmond and 14.55 (ceiling) at Rocky Mount, Clinton and Lumberton.

Poultry and Eggs

Raleigh, March 12 — (AP) — (NCDA)—Poultry and egg markets steady, with egg receipts especially heavy.

Raleigh—U. S. grade A large 35; fryers and broilers 25.

Washington—U. S. grade A large 38½; broilers and fryers 29 to 30.

Grain Market

Chicago, March 12 — (AP)—Grain futures rallied mildly toward the close today, after following an uncertain course with trading mixed.

Wheat closed unchanged to ½ higher than yesterday's finish, May \$1.83½. Corn was unchanged at the \$1.21½ ceiling. Oats were ¼ lower to ½ higher, May 82½. Rye was unchanged to ¼ cent higher, May \$2.14½. Barley was unchanged, May \$1.26½.

New York Cotton

New York, March 12 — (AP)—Cotton futures opened 10 cents a bale higher to 10 cents lower.

Noon prices were 40 cents a bale higher to 60 cents lower. March 26.98, May 26.67, July 26.68.

Futures closed unchanged to 35 cents a bale higher.

March 26.92 26.97 26.90

May 26.72 26.77 26.73

July 26.78 26.80 26.80

Oct 26.62 26.63 26.62

Dec 26.58 26.58 26.56

March 26.53 26.56 26.51

Middling spot 27.38, up 6.

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, March 12 — (AP)—The bulls and bears apparently observed an undeclared armistice in today's stock market with the result that trend shifts were negligible and dealings among the slowest since last August.

The ticker tape frequently was at a standstill after a fairly active opening and transfers for the full proceedings dwindled to around 650,000 shares.

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US Steel	82½
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Warner Pic	37½
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West El	32½
Woolworth	56½

Sports

St. Petersburg, Fla., March 12 — (AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals are assured a fair-sized gallery for each of their exhibition games in Florida if they play only to the scouts of opposing National League clubs.

They say it is the first time the talent hunters ever have descended in such numbers on an individual big league outfit. Usually at this time of year ivory merchants either are keeping a paternal eye on their own "finds," or gum-shoeing around the minor league training camps.

This year, however, they can operate with a singleness of purpose. They know the Cards will be forced to begin selling soon, and it is the scouts' duty to keep their owners and managers advised when Broadway mounds his auctioneer's rostrum.

The galaxy of pitchers in the Card camp—a dozen or more of them either are proved big leaguers or are brilliant prospects—find themselves toiling not only to catch Manager Eddie Dyer's eyes, but to make an impression on the scouts in case they find themselves on the block.

In fact, the suggestion has been made that some rival managers, by their outspoken desire to land such St. Louis curvers as Howie Pollet, John Beazley, Harry Brecheen, Charles Barrett, Ernie White, Howie Krist, Max Lanier and the others have come very close to breaking the baseball rule against "tampering" with opposing talent.

The job of selection facing the new Card manager really is a fierce one, and he doubtless is experiencing nightmares in which he discovers he has cut loose a couple of 25-game winners. He only says, though, that "everything is going good," and declines to complain.

Miami, Fla., March 12 — (AP)—Manager Mel Ott of the New York Giants named lefthanded pitcher Dave Koslo and Warren Sandel to oppose the Brooklyn Dodgers today in an attempt to make it two straight over Leo Durocher's men. Ott was concerned over outfielder Bob Young's injured right thumb which refuses to yield to treatment.

Miami Beach, Fla., March 12 — (AP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers 3-4 defeat by the Philadelphia Phillies yesterday was softened by the fine work of pitcher Hal Gregg. The big right-hander gave up but one hit in three scoreless innings and faced only nine batters.

West Palm Beach, Fla., March 12 — (AP)—Vernon Benson, a 21-year-old outfielder, is putting smiles on Connie Mack's face. The Philadelphia athletics' manager says Benson—once an infliender—"may

be the man we're looking for." He has a good arm, is fast and can hit. He played with the Salisbury (Md) club in 1943 before going into the service.

New York, March 12 — (AP)—The return meeting between Tami Mauriello, New York heavyweight, and Joe Baksi, the Kulpmont (Pa.) clouter at Madison Square Garden Friday night has been cancelled for the second time because the Pennsylvania suffered an elbow injury.

Baksi appeared at the State Athletic Commission for his customary preliminary checkup yesterday and complained of a pain in his right arm. X-Ray pictures showed a chipped bone in his elbow.

New York, March 12 — (AP)—Back at its old familiar Park Avenue address after an absence of six years, the national indoor tennis tournament has one highbrow once more.

By tradition, tennis is a sport in which the spectators confine their approval or disapproval of the play they see to mere handclapping or the lack of same.

But it was different in 1941, the only year the indoor championships have not been held in the spacious seventh regiment armory on Park Avenue at 66th street.

Pushed out of the armory that year by military preparations which preceded this country's entry into the war, the tournament went to Oklahoma City.

In an atmosphere of informality, the spectators cheered a lot and jeered a little and everybody seemed to have a good time, including the players themselves.

Now, after being shelved five years because of the war, the tournament is back in more sedate surroundings and tradition is respected again. The folks in the gallery applaud politely but reserve their comments for the ears of their nearest neighbor.

Mrs. Maude Evans died at her home 400 Factory St. Sunday afternoon.

Funeral services will be held at the home Thursday 2 p. m.

Surviving are a mother, one child, one sister and one brother, all of the home.

Many guests were present at a surprise party on March 7, when Mrs. Mary Dixon and daughter, Rosa Belle Leary, honored her husband, Herbert L. Dixon, at home on New Highway just outside the city limits. A beautiful birthday cake made the center piece for the table. Guests were served chicken salad with crackers and punch and jello with cream and cakes and candy. Mrs. Mary Jenkins and Mrs. Elizabeth Thigpen helped with the serving. Most of the guests were members of the choir and chorists. Rock Spring and Warren Chapel. Many gifts were presented.

These who fly the airways know well the expression, "Riding the beam." This is one year we must ride the beam. Must not get off our course in producing more to eat. The rearing millions without food must be fed. Work without ceasing. This is your opportunity to help the man the farthest down, the man at the end of the road. So many things we can do this year with a new chance, even if we were discouraged by failure last year. Refuse to allow disappointments to embitter your life. Think for a moment that God gave thy soul brave wings.

Since the long winter is about over, let us begin our crops. Plant your garden right away. plant a

pasture for grazing to help out the shortage of feed for the livestock. In the pasture plant 15 pounds of Dallis grass, 15 pounds of lespedeza, three pounds of white Dutch clover and 6 pounds of red grass per acre. Plenty of tobacco plants are in the county but watch the blue mold.

My advice to you this year in selecting your corn late, please don't plant your poorest land in corn, but plant some of your best to increase the yield of corn. Place your chickens, fix up hen houses, mend all broken tools. Set your farm in order for work.

Dennis Dupree, Negro County Agent

Negro Girl Scouts will take part in celebrating the birthday of Juliette Lowe, founder of Girl Scouts. All Scouts will meet at Fleming Street School Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock where a birthday party will be held. Wednesday March 13th will be given over to games, art and crafts in each troop.

Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. a fly up exercise by troop 16 and a court of awards will be held at Fleming Street School. Parents are urged to attend the exercise.

Friday—A playlet given by troop 15 on World Friendship.

Saturday—Several troops will go on hikes and hold cook outs.

Sunday—All girl scouts will attend church in uniform. York Memorial A. M. E. Z. Church. Rev. P. H. Mumford, pastor.

Monday, March 18th, troops will visit each other to discuss plans and play outdoors.

Tuesday—Make scrap books—complete art work and crafts—review week's work.

Each Scout is asked to have pocket books completed and contribution to Juliette Lowe Fund in by Friday the 15th.

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Sealed bids will be received until 11 o'clock A. M. March 26, 1946, by the undersigned at its office in the City of Raleigh, N. C., for \$53,000 Public Improvement Bonds of the City of Greenville, North Carolina, dated April 1, 1946, maturing annually, April 1, \$2,000 1948, \$3,000 1949, \$3,000 1950 and \$5,000 1951 to 1959, inclusive, without option of prior payment. There will be no auction. Denomination \$1,000; coupon bonds registrable as to principal alone; principal and semi-annual interest (A and O 1), payable

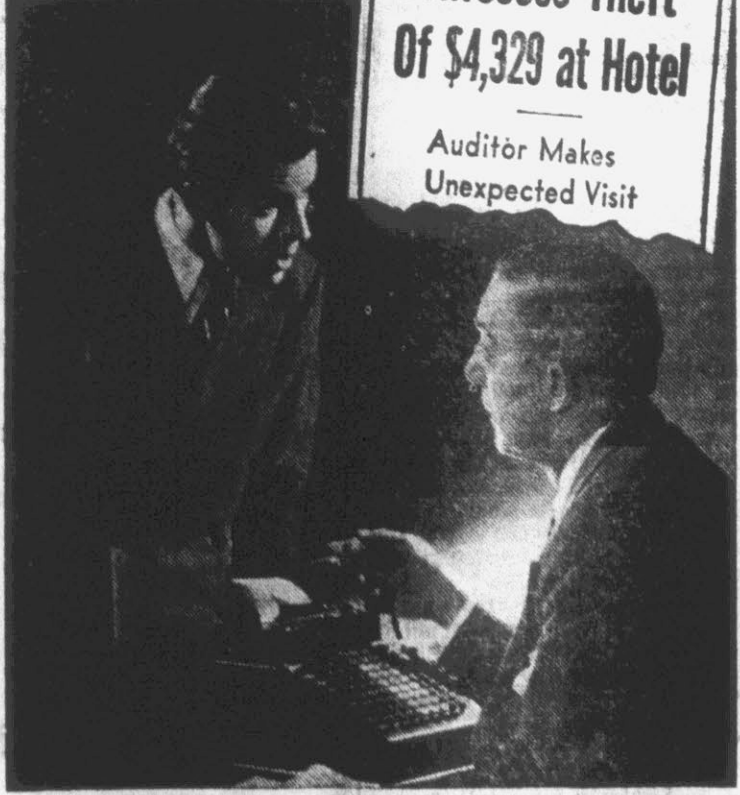
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HIGH CALIBRE TEAMS MEET IN PLAY-OFF

Greenville Team Plays Sanford Five In Chapel Hill Tonight

By JIMMY FUTRELL

The historic little village of Chapel Hill plays host to the Greenville High School Phantoms and the Sanford High Yellow Jackets tonight at 8:30 when these two quints meet on the hardwood of Woolen gymnasium in a contest which will determine the Eastern Class B winner and a right to participate in the state finals for the Class B championship.

These two basketball teams enter the important clash with very impressive records — the Sanford five having compiled a 17 win and 5 loss record while the Phantoms having won 15 out of 17 starts. Greenville's two losses came by the hands of Wilmington and Wilson, who

Union And Operators Open Wage Conference

By HAROLD W. WARD

Washington, March 12 — (AP) — A national bituminous wage conference, requested by John L. Lewis for presentation of postwar wage demands, convened today.

Esra Van Horn, of Cleveland, chairman of the Bituminous Operators Negotiating Committee, was nominated by Lewis to be permanent conference chairman.

Lewis, president of the AFL-United Mine Workers, described Van Horn as having served through the years "with distinction and eminent fairness to the joint contracting parties."

The conference heard immediately Lewis' notice, under provisions of the contract, of intention to terminate the present agreement April 1.

The conference did not hear at once Lewis' demands on the operators, but proceeded with electing officers and hearing reports from the credentials and procedures committees.

Charles O'Neill, the operators' chairman in the actual negotiations, nominated United Mine Workers' Secretary-Treasurer Thomas Kennedy for conference secretary. Van Joseph Ardigo, Williamson, W. Va., official of the Southern Coal Operators Association, assistant secretary, and John T. Jones, a UMW official, secretary pro tempore.

O'Neill likewise nominated M. L. Markel of Somerset, Pa. secretary of the Somerset County Coal Oper-

ators Association, for sergeant at arms with Clarence Donaldson, vice president of District 2, UMW, for assistant.

Lewis kept secret just what wage and other demands he has for the mine owners.

On the outcome of the negotiations may depend whether the nation will have a soft coal strike on its hands April 1 to add to its other reconversion headaches.

The United Mine Workers' chief-tain was ready to open discussions with the mine owners this morning (11 a. m. EST), but first he scheduled an eleventh-hour meeting with the 250 members of UMW's policy committee for a last review of the demands to be presented.

By putting off final action until minutes before he read the demands to a "town meeting" of the industry, Lewis added the element of suspense to the proceedings.

Airport Commission Will Meet Tonight

The Pitt County-City of Greenville Airport Commission, recently appointed to have charge of the airfield after the U. S. Navy gives up its wartime lease on the property, will hold its first meeting at the Chamber of Commerce tonight at 8 o'clock. Chairman J. Noah Williams will preside.

Other members of the commission are G. H. Pittman of Falkland, L. M. Buchanan and N. C. Brooks. Two of the commissioners are from the County Commissioners and two from the Board of Aldermen. Willard T. Kizer, the fifth member, is executive secretary.

The Airport Commission has authority to lease or operate the airport, its action subject to approval by the County Commissioners and the Greenville Board of Aldermen.

Funeral Is Held For Mrs. Georgie Elliot

Washington, N. C., March 12.—Mrs. Georgie Elliot died at noon Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. E. Gattis, on East Main street. She had been in ill health several weeks.

Funeral services were conducted today from the Christian Church. Mrs. Elliot was an aunt of J. and J. E. Collins, and Mrs. L. B. Tucker and Mrs. Malone Tucker of Greenville.

New Inducements Offered By Army

Recent changes in regulations governing the enlistment of former commissioned officers, warrant officers, and flight officers in the Regular Army in the first grade (master sergeant) were announced today by Lt. James B. Paget, commanding officer of the U. S. Army Recruiting Station, New City Hall Building, Greenville.

"An applicant for enlistment whose last active service was in a commissioned, warrant or flight officer status," stated the Lt., "and who was released honorably on or after 12 May 1945, may now be enlisted in the first grade (master sergeant) provided such enlistment is effected within three months of the last day of terminal leave and before June 30.

After the first of July 1946, the applicant must be enlisted within twenty days of the last day of terminal leave in order to be eligible for this grade. The Lt. stated that throughout this area a great many former officers, cognizant of the advantages which have been offered to men enlisting in the Regular Army under the provisions of the new Armed Forces Recruitment Act, have been reentering the Army as enlisted men. Particular appeal is offered by the financial security and retirement benefits of the Regular Army.

Early Placement Of Coal Orders Urged

Early placement and acceptance of stoker coal orders was urged today by J. V. Taylor, chairman, Pitt County AAA Committee, in order to assure farmers adequate supplies during the curing season.

"If orders are placed now and deliveries accepted as far in advance of the curing season as possible, it appears at the present time that sufficient supplies are available to meet the demands for tobacco curing, and the operation of hatcheries and brooders," he said.

The AAA chairman pointed out that since the Solid Fuels Administration is being discontinued, it is not anticipated at the present time that preference certificates, for the purchase of bituminous coal for these purposes, will be issued through the local AAA office, as last year.

"By placing orders with local suppliers immediately, as possible bottlenecks in deliveries may be prevented during the normal curing season in July and August," Mr. Taylor added.

Fire Prevention Movie At Schools

A motion picture showing methods of fire prevention is being shown at various schools in the county this week under the direction of County Forest Warden N. S. Tyson. The movie is interesting and shows many ways of preventing the spread of fire when burning brush.

The picture was shown at Chicod School this morning at 10 o'clock and at the Winterville School this afternoon. It will be shown at the Ayden Negro school Wednesday a. m. at 9 o'clock and at the Grifton Negro School at 1:30 in the afternoon. It will be shown at Fountain Negro School Thursday morning at 10 o'clock and at Falkland Negro School at 2:30. The fire prevention movie will be shown at the Bethel Negro School Friday morning at 10:30 and at the Pactolus white school in the afternoon at 1 o'clock.

College Gives Plans For Summer Term

Announcement of plans for the 1946 summer term at East Carolina Teachers College have been made by Dean Ronald J. Slay, and material describing courses and accommodations has been mailed over a wide area.

The summer quarter will be divided into two sessions, the first from June 6 to July 12 and the second from July 15 to August 23.

College authorities have announced that dormitory space will be reserved for married couples during both sessions. There will also be ample accommodations in the college dormitories for men and women students. The college dining rooms will operate as usual.

All departments of the college will offer courses giving credit toward graduation and certification in teaching. Graduate courses leading toward the master's degree and toward master's certificates will also be offered.

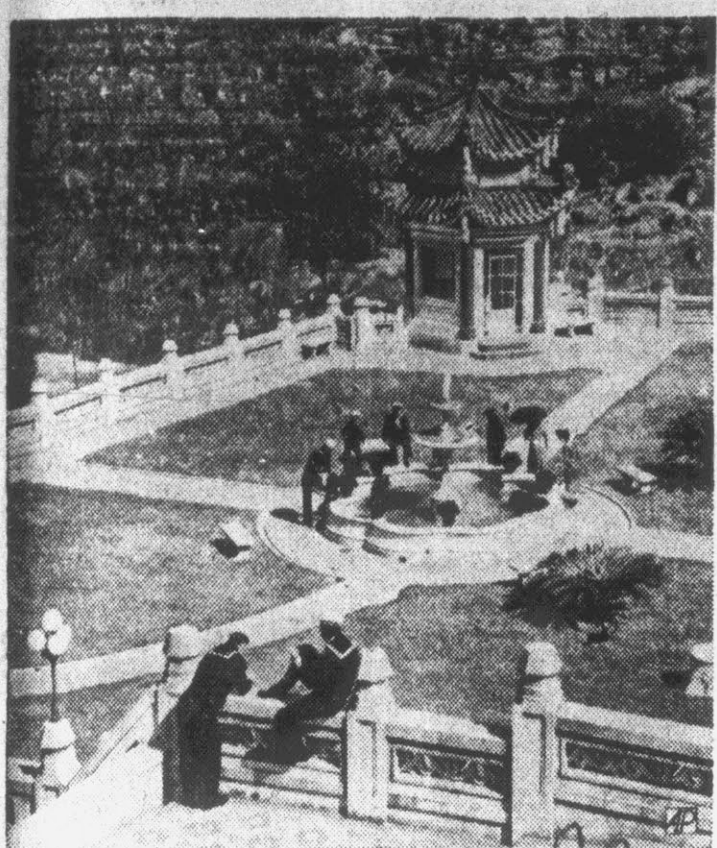
Practice teaching in only the primary and grammar grades will be offered. Only candidates for a degree at East Carolina Teachers College will be added to courses in practice teaching.

PRIVATE SHORTAGE.
San Francisco, March 12.—(AP)—The nine topkicks in Battery G of the Harbor Defense won't have any buck privates to kick around this week.

The last private in the outfit, Walter Orndorff of Cumberland, Mr., is being discharged, leaving 26 assorted sergeants, half a dozen corporals and four pfc's.

REWARD FOR A HOME.
Albuquerque, N. M., March 12.—(AP)—Salesman F. R. Corliss in search of a house for his wife and two small daughters, is hopefully dangling a new lure before home owners. A former army air forces instructor, Corliss has advertised as reward for an acceptable dwelling a round trip by air to Los Angeles and three days with all expenses paid at a swanky hotel.

COLD RECEPTION.
Philadelphia, March 12.—(AP)—Max L. Price, a butcher, literally put a housebreaker on ice until the police arrived. The man ran from Price's living quarters and attempted to hide in the butcher shop's refrigerator. Price bolted the door.



SHORE LIBERTY — Sailors lounge in the garden at the home of Aw Boon Haw, showplace in Hong Kong, China.

Kesseling Takes Stand In Defense

Nuremberg, Germany, March 12.—(AP)—Field Marshal Albert Kesseling told the international military tribunal today that he was at least partly responsible for bombing of Warsaw, Rotterdam and Coventry.

The militarist, who opposed American troops in Italy and France, testified for Herman Goering, one of 22 Nazis on trial as war criminals.

"The bombs on Coventry landed perfectly," Kesseling said. "Some times a whole area must be considered as a target."

He said the British city was a "technical and industrial center" and that German planners called it a "little Essen."

"I am very sorry as a soldier for 22 years if the attack on Rotterdam was not what it should have been," he testified, explaining he had heard the attack was made during Armistice negotiations. "But if this was the case—and I never was able to find out—it should be counted as an accident of war."

The marshal said he commanded the air attack on Warsaw. He described the Polish capital as a fortress and asserted that "everything possible was done to hit only military targets."

He described the Luftwaffe, which Goering commanded, as "a defensive weapon."

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SOVIET PRESS CALMS DOWN

Izvestia Attacks Churchill; Recalls U. S. Friendship

London, March 12 — (AP)— The Russian press printed today its second strong attack on Winston Churchill in two days and at the same time commented on the "traditional friendly nature of Russian-American relations."

The former British prime minister's speech at Fulton, Mo., last week calling for a virtual British-American military alliance was "marked by an ardor which hitherto no one has achieved since the death of Dr. Goebbels," asserted an article in Izvestia, the official organ of the Soviet government.

"In the future struggle which Churchill tries to fan with all his strength, he clearly reserves first place for America and not for England," said the article, quoted by Moscow radio.

"Consequently the ideal situation which he must imagine is as follows: the Soviet Union will without fail wrong England somewhere, and then the transatlantic brothers will holl up with indignation and rush to the rescue."

After commenting on exchanges of Russian and American literary culture, the article criticised "reactionary circles" in the United States for "inducing the government

The Movies Today

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to take part in supporting intervention against the young Soviet Republic" and also criticised former President Herbert Hoover for allegedly telling Japan in 1931 "that if her expansion spread north of Manchuria the government of the United States would not be opposed to it."

"However," Izvestia continued, "progressive forces won the upper hand over reaction, and for many years now Russo-American relations have again been acquiring their traditional friendly nature. The last world war and the common struggle against a foul and cruel enemy brought us together still closer."

Odd Explosion Rocks Pennsylvania Area

Bradford, Pa., March 12.—(AP)— Citizens today pondered the cause of a forceful explosion in the skies about two miles east of this petroleum producing city of 19,000.

The consensus after it was learned there had been no powder mill or oil well explosions was that a meteor had disintegrated.

The explosion occurred about 8:52 p. m., rocked buildings in a 10-mile radius, and left behind gray smoke, a sulphurous odor and some particles which resembled fused metal.

Bradford Hospital, about two miles away, reported it was rocked by the explosion and inquired of Bradford newspapers any "victims" were to be expected.

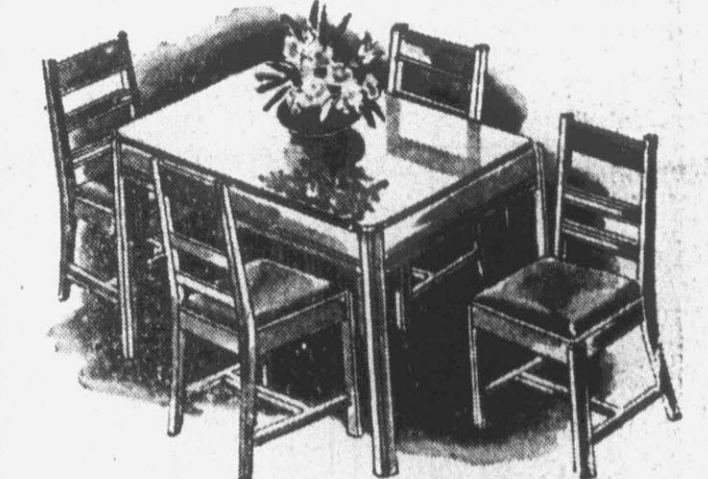
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