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JAP PREMIER TURNS IN HIS RESIGNATION

Shidehara And Cabinet
Quit In Move "to
Stabilize Political
Situation"

By RUSSELL BRINES

Tokyo, April 22—(AP)—Premier Kijuro Shidehara and his cabinet resigned in a group tonight "to stabilize the political situation" in Japan.

The action, predicted since no party succeeded in gaining a majority in the April 12 election, came after a series of political maneuvers so complex that they dazzled the ordinary Japanese and left the makeup of the next government obscure.

The 74-year-old premier took his resignation to the imperial palace shortly after 7 p. m. (Tokyo time) (5 a. m. EST). Emperor Hirohito accepted it in a one-hour audience but followed with the traditional practice of asking Shidehara to remain in office until his successor could be appointed.

Foreign Minister Shigemitsu Yoshida conveyed the resignation decision to General MacArthur previously through one of supreme headquarters staff officers.

This first full-time occupation cabinet, appointed soon after the surrender, ended its six months reign under fire from all but one political party, all Tokyo newspapers, most trade unions and other organizations.

Criticism has been almost constant the past four months over the cabinet's failure to solve the food problem and other difficulties connected with living under rehabilitation conditions.

Blame for the livelihood problems and growing distrust of what was called a "do nothing" cabinet were the basic factors in Shidehara's downfall. But organized political opposition finally forced the resignation—evidently made according to plan—after Shidehara repeatedly announced he intended to remain in office until the next Diet.

The Progressive party, of which Shidehara is scheduled to become president tomorrow, supplied the final push to the cabinet which teetered precariously in two other major crises in the past few months. The Progressives refused to accept Shidehara as president until he resigned as premier.

CROSBY'S RACE TRACK

Del Mar (Calif., April 22—(AP)—Bing Crosby has sold his 35 per cent interest in the Del Mar horse race track and Charles H. Carr, U. S. attorney here, has been named the new president.

Arsenic Is Found In Prison Camp Bakery

Nuenberg, April 22—(AP)—U. S. army authorities said tonight that more German prisoners of war had been stricken with arsenic poisoning in a mysterious attempt to kill 15,000 Nazi S. men.

The new cases raised the total of victims taken ill at Stalag 13, seven miles from Nuenberg, since last Monday to 2,283. No deaths have as yet been reported, however, and army authorities said none were expected.

The illness of 1,900 prisoners was announced Friday.

Four full bottles of arsenic and two empty arsenic bottles were found under the floor of the local German bakery which supplied arsenic-dusted bread to a regiment of prisoners last Monday.

Gen. Marshall And Wife In Tokyo



Gen. George C. Marshall (left), special U. S. envoy to China, and Mrs. Marshall (center) are greeted upon their arrival at Tokyo's Aisagi airfield April 16 by Maj. Gen. Lester Whitlock (second from left), deputy chief of staff; Maj. Gen. Wing, Chinese liaison officer, and Lt. Gen. Chu, China's representative to the Allied Council. The Marshalls stopped in Tokyo en route to China. (AP Wirephoto from Signal Corps radiophoto).

Army Asks For A Postponement

HOLDING MAN FOR SLAYING

Sheriff Arrests John
Stancil, Negro, For
Fatal Shooting

By CHESTER WALSH

John Stancil, 58-year-old Negro, shot and killed Ed Weaver, a Negro, Sunday night when Weaver entered Stancil's premises in a threatening manner, after Stancil had forbidden him to enter.

Pitt County Coroner Rouse said Stancil told him that Weaver had been at his home earlier in the night and was disorderly. When he ordered him to leave, Weaver threatened to "come back and get you all," Stancil told the coroner. The man left, but returned shortly thereafter. Stancil told him not to come on his premises. When Weaver continued to approach the house, Stancil shot him with a shotgun, he said. The charge struck the man over the heart and he died instantly.

Stancil is in the county jail with (Continued on Page Four)

Assassination Plot In Korea Broken Up

Seoul, April 22—(AP)—Police frustrated a plot by a Korean group to assassinate Dr. Syngman Rhee, a ranking political leader, and to organize a politically sponsored army, authorities here reported today.

American officials and the Korean police bureau said two of seven Koreans arrested at Taejon April 15 had admitted the plot to assassinate Rhee during a speaking engagement. The officers said the seven possessed a Japanese hand grenade, a bayonet and ammunition.

BYRNES TO GO TO PARIS FOR PEACE TALKS

Failure May Mark
End Of Efforts By
Big Three To Work
In Harmony

Washington, April 22—(AP)—Secretary of State Byrnes sets off for Paris tomorrow and another try at world peace-making, gravely aware by his own account of the possibilities of failure.

The Secretary is slated to reach Paris in ample time to begin on Thursday a series of critical conferences with Foreign Ministers Molotov of Russia, Bevin of Britain and Bidault of France.

Some of Byrnes' closest associates and advisers are talking of the meeting as a possible turning point in the history of World War II. They suggest that actually it could mark the end of efforts by Britain, Russia and the United States to work harmoniously to set up European peace settlements and to build the United Nations into a powerful agency for maintaining the peace once it is created.

Should this happen, and Byrnes himself is reported to have indicated the possibility to a meeting of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee last Friday, it probably would result in open and unlimited creation of spheres of influence—something the United States thus far has opposed wherever possible. Also it would link America and Britain even more tightly in common interests and policies than they now are.

In fact, even if these extremes do (Continued on Page Four)

Council Confronted By Two Issues This Week

Security Council Ends Easter Recess Tomorrow Afternoon; Early Solution Sought To Iranian And Spanish Problems

By FRANCIS W. CARPENTER

New York, April 22—(AP)—The United Nations Security Council has two major questions marks confronting it this week. One is whether to drop the Russian-Iranian case; the other is Franco Spain.

That is the order the cases are slated to come up. The council will end a long Easter weekend recess tomorrow at 3 p. m. (EST), with its program calling for immediate consideration of the Russian-Iranian case.

Upon a solution of that problem at least for the time being, the 11-delegate peace agency will plunge once more into the Spanish situation.

It appears there is little more than a formality left to the Iranian problem, unless some delegates choose to make long addresses to support their actions.

The problem, in brief, is whether the council will accede to a vigorous demand by Russia that it drop Iran forthwith from its agenda. The Iranians have formally withdrawn the complaint against Russia which they lodged in London last January 18. The Russians have reported an agreement with Iran and also have demanded that the council cease making Iran its business.

But the council apparently will sustain its action of April 4 in shelving the case until May 6, at which time it expects a report whether Russia has completely evacuated Iran as Russia promised.

Upon disposition of the latest angle of the Iranian case, the council next has on its docket the charges by Poland that Franco Spain is a menace to world peace and is harboring Nazi scientists devising new weapons of war.

World's Millions Join In Easter Celebration

The sounds of warfare gone, millions of Christians in all lands gathered yesterday (Sunday) in their places of worship to rejoice over the resurrection of Jesus Christ.

In churches, bombed-out cathedrals, on mountain tops and along the sea, worshippers heard the clergy tell again the poignant story of the first Easter.

President Truman shipped quietly into the First Baptist Church in Washington to lead the United States in observing the festival. Mrs. Truman and their daughter Margaret, attended St. Margaret's Episcopal Church.

Throughout this country, millions streamed out of churches after the service into warm sunshine for the traditional Easter Parade.

New York's Fifth Avenue had the greatest Easter parade of its history, with a many-colored crowd of 1,000,000 fashionable strollers.

Europeans, celebrating their first peacetime Easter since 1939, packed into churches and flocked to resorts for a weekend holiday.

Pope Pius XII remained in seclusion at the Vatican. Many American servicemen attended St. Sus-

Bulletins

Boston, April 22—(AP)—Two engineers were dead today, a third was in critical condition and approximately 300 persons reported injuries after two New Haven railroad passenger trains collided head-on last night in the Readville section.

Chungking, April 22—(AP)—General Marshall formally demanded today that the Chinese Communists either publicly retract or furnish details of their unsupported charge that American planes attacked Communist forces in Manchuria and that one was shot down.

Seattle, April 22—(AP)—Nicolai Gregorovich Redin, 29-year-old Russian naval lieutenant, pleaded innocent today when arraigned in federal district court on a five-count indictment charging him with espionage against this country. He was specifically charged with procuring plans for the new United States destroyer tender Yellowstone.

PLANES FIRE ON TRANSPORT

Soviet Fighters Make
Runs On U. S. Army
C-47 While Landing

By LYNN HEINZERLING

Vienna, April 22—(AP)—Four Russian fighter planes made runs on a U. S. Army C-47 transport and fired from two to four 37 millimeter shots off the plane's wing today as it came into the U. S. Army air-

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Banking Committee Hears Heavy Criticism Of OPA

Dad's Purple Heart For Orphan



In a simple ceremony at San Francisco, Joan Dewey MacKay (right), eight-year-old orphan, receives the Purple Heart won by her father before his death in a Japanese prison camp. In a letter to Gen. Douglas MacArthur, Joan wrote: "Please try and find his Purple Heart and send it to me. I have nothing of his." Gen. MacArthur issued an order—and so Maj. Gen. Homer M. Groninger (left) makes the presentation. (AP Wirephoto).

Senate Group Told OPA Supporters Guilty Of "Hokum"; Paul Porter Declares Widespread Public Sentiment Favors Continuation Of Price Controls

Washington, April 22—(AP)—President Arthur Besse of the National Association of Wool Manufacturers today called OPA supporters guilty of "hokum" and set off a loud word row in the Senate Banking Committee.

Testifying at the start of hearings on legislation to extend price controls beyond June 30, Besse observed that administration leaders wanted OPA extended without crippling amendments and called this hokum of the highest order.

Senator Tobey (R-NH) shouted for Besse to steer clear of confusion.

"Are you saying that anybody who favors extension of OPA is guilty of hokum?" asked Senator Barkley (D-Ky.). Told by Besse that was the case, Barkley roared: "Then I'm guilty of hokum. You will have to improve your testimony before I have any respect for it."

Besse said he called the administration stand against crippling amendments hokum, because OPA is crippled by its own inefficiency, stubbornness and lack of realism.

Borah and Porter have declared that amendments to the price control law adopted by the House would be inflationary. The House changes, including a guaranteed profit clause and a progressive rate of subsidies, are before the Senate.

Downtown, Porter addressed a mass meeting of 3,000 OPA workers today, declaring:

"I believe the opposition has reached its high point. There is widespread public support for continued strong price control. Those who have attacked the OPA are, in fact, attacking some of our critics in Congress, agree that the bill has got to be re-adjusted."

Porter added that given adequate legislation and favorable circumstances, he was pretty confident that "we can hold the price line just where it is now."

Porter said that during the present transition period, OPA has three major responsibilities:

1. To prevent inflation.
2. To see that price controls do not hamper production.
3. To make speedy decisions on price adjustments.

Besse told the Senate committee that what administration leaders are asking is that OPA be continued as is and allowed for another year to cripple industry and delay the attainment of higher production levels.

The wool association chief said OPA is still insisting on regulations designed to enforce production of low-priced clothes.

He said if it had not been for the effect of these regulations on the wool industry, there would have been enough production in the last six months for 6,000,000 more men's suits.

Besse suggested the following as a worthy amendments:

"Whenever a new price regulation is promulgated, the price administrator shall establish ceilings which will provide prices which will exceed prices prevailing in 1941 to the same extent that the most of producing exceeds the cost of producing such items in 1941."

Housing Chief Eyes Building Cost Rise

Tobacconist Dies

Wilson Wyatt Says
Program Jeopardized By Approval
Of Amendment-
Plastered OPA Ex-
tension Bill by House



A. E. HOBGOOD

HEART ATTACK ENDS CAREER

Funeral Services For
Civic Leader To Be
Held On Tuesday

Archibald E. Hobgood, 66, prominent Greenville Tobacconist, died at his home, 621 Evans Street, at 4:30 o'clock this morning after suffering a heart attack a few hours earlier. Funeral services will be conducted at the Memorial Baptist Church at three o'clock Tuesday afternoon by the pastor, the Rev. R. E. Haraway, assisted by Rev. H. Frederick Jones, Appamattox, Va., and burial will follow in Greenwood cemetery. The body will be carried to the church one hour prior to the time of service. The honorary pall bearers will be members of the Board of Deacons of the Memorial Baptist Church, members of the C. J. Ellen Bible Class and members of the Greenville Tobacco Board of Trade. Active pall bearers will be R. M. Garrett, Carl Womack, L. T. Showell, Bert Greene, R. E. Fries, J. D. Gilliam, J. C. Duval of Richmond, Va., P. A. Tyson of Wilson, W. B. James and Joe Gaston.

Mr. Hobgood, son of the late Alfred L. and Sophia Hunt Hobgood was born and reared in Oxford, N. C. (Continued on Page Four)

The WORLD TODAY

An Analysis Of The News

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

The civil war which has broken out in Manchuria between Chinese Communists and Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek's Kuomintang government forces is hourly becoming more critical.

There we have a situation that might easily develop into a fratricidal struggle which would envelop all China with its five hundred millions. And this means that it is a terrible menace of our neurotic world.

It is a tense moment. There may be a chance of halting the conflict, but if there is it would seem to rest on the square shoulders of General George C. Marshall, America's special envoy, who has raced back to Chungking from the United States to employ his vast skill as a conciliator in trying to effect a truce.

Of course, a truce would be only half a loaf—but you know the old saying, "A little is better than nothing." Actually, any truce would be just the beginning of most difficult bargaining. The cleavage between the Chinese Communists and the totalitarian government of Chiang Kai-Shek is wide and deep.

One thing seems clear: the Chinese Communists, who are exceedingly strong in northern China and Manchuria, have every indication of

consolidating that under their own jurisdiction. The Communists are claiming an exceedingly rich area—both in natural resources and development—and the nationalists naturally covet it.

It's a hard nut to crack, but Marshall brought about one truce between the warring factions, and he may achieve another. Having accomplished that his troubles as mediator will really begin, and in this connection I can't escape the feeling that he may get indirect but nevertheless far-reaching support from an unusual source—F. H. La Guardia, director general of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration.

What I'm driving at is this: China is in the grip of one of the most terrible famines of history. Thousands are dying daily, and many millions are facing death by starvation. Hunger is a breeding of trouble, for there's nothing which can do more to stir passions and render folk incapable of rational thinking.

The UNRRA is shipping food to China, and if the relief gets there fast enough and in sufficient quantities, the famine may be relieved in the political situation, and be equally welcomed by all factions.

The NATION TODAY

By James Marlow

Washington, April 22—(AP)—President Truman is taking out a little national defense insurance with his "elder statesmen" plan.

He recently announced that five top wartime generals and admirals will be his elder statesmen. Some are on active duty, some are retired.

Mr. Truman will call on them individually or collectively—it's not a formal thing when he wants the benefit of their thinking.

The elder statesmen idea is not new. It's been used before in this country and elsewhere.

General of the Armies John J. Pershing, World War I hero, was consulted at the White House from time to time since he retired in 1924.

Bernard Baruch is the best known elder statesman. He was war production boss in World War I.

Since then he has been called to the White House by different Presidents—including Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Truman—to give his advice on current problems.

One of the strangest uses of an elder statesman is told by Richard Aldington in his biography of the Duke of Wellington, called the "Iron Duke."

besides serving as Prime Minister. In 1851, when the crystal palace was built in London, sparrows were allowed to get loose inside.

"This was all good clean fun until exhibits were placed in the palace. Then it became a problem to get the sparrows out."

Shotguns couldn't be used very well. The blasts might have killed the sparrows but would have blown out the glass.

The queen called upon Wellington to solve that one. The queen asked how the crystal palace could be rid of sparrows.

The Duke suggested sparrow-hawks.

Mr. Truman's ten elder military statesmen are:

Generals Eisenhower, Marshall, MacArthur, Arnold and Vandegrift; Admirals Nimitz, King, Leahy, Halsey and Waseche.

A couple of weeks ago Congress voted the first four generals and the first four admirals five-star rank for life with yearly pay of almost \$15,000.

Vandegrift, commander of the Marines, and Waseche, Coast Guard commander, were voted permanent four-star rank with yearly lifetime pay of slightly more than \$12,000.

Mr. Truman said the money the (Continued on Page Four)

Prominent Economist Dies In Sussex Home

London, April 22—(AP)—Lord Keynes, 62-year-old international financier who was one of the principal negotiators for Britain's proposed \$4,400,000,000 loan from the U. S. now pending in Washington, died yesterday after a heart attack at his home in Sussex.

The noted British economist, who has been credited by some observers with having an important influence on President Roosevelt's financial policies, returned two weeks ago from the international monetary conference at Savannah, Ga., where colleagues said he was under a considerable strain as the head of the British delegation. He had been ordered by his physician to take a complete rest.

In discussing the reported army request for a delay in consideration of universal training legislation, military committee members told reporters it was made at a recent conference attended by Secretary of War Robert P. Patterson, General Dwight D. Eisenhower, Chairman May (D-Ky.) of the committee and (Continued on Page Four)

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Duke Andrews and children, Sandra and Arthur, and Mrs. A. K. McGowan spent Sunday in Elizabeth City, with Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Wells, Jr.

Maj. Frank Banet of Warrenton spent the Easter holidays here with Mrs. Banet and son, Tom.

Capt. and Mrs. Thomas C. Phelps and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hicks have returned to Morehead City after spending the week-end with Mrs. W. W. Phelps.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bostic and daughter, Mary Sue, of Benson, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Perry Bostic.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sugg and Mrs. H. C. Sugg have returned from a northern buying trip for the Pickwick Shop.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Breth and daughter, Margaret Ann, of Akron, Ohio, arrived Saturday to spend a week with Dr. and Mrs. Paul Batton and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Teague and son, Billy, of Charlotte, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnston Dees for several days last week. Mr. Teague is president of Southeastern Air Lines. Mr. and Mrs. Dees returned to Charlotte with them by plane on Saturday.

Dr. Howard Wilson of Raleigh spent Easter with his mother, Mrs. Frank Wilson.

Miss Josie Barnes White, who is attending Katherine Gibbs school in New York, is spending the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. White.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bourgeois, have arrived from Chicago to spend some time with Mrs. Bourgeois' mother, Mrs. J. F. King.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Mashburn, Jr., and little son, Tommy, of Greensboro, spent the week-end with Mrs. Mashburn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Wilkerson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thomason, of Greensboro, spent Easter with relatives in Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hartwell Campbell will attend the meeting of the North Carolina Convocation of Churches in Charlotte, April 23-26.

Birth Announcement
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Williams announce the birth of a daughter, Dorothy Jean, on Sunday, April 21, 1946, in Pitt General hospital. Mrs. Williams is the former Miss Edith Rae Fleming of Greenville.

Junior Philathea Class
The Junior Philathea class of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church will meet with Mrs. C. E. Oakley, East Fifth Street, on Thursday, April 25, at 8 o'clock.

Ada Cherry Class
The Ada Cherry class of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church, will meet tonight at 8 o'clock with Mrs. W. J. Stell on Ayden highway.

B. and F. Women's Club
The Business and Professional Women's Club will meet at the Rotary building on Thursday night at 7 o'clock for its bosses' dinner.

Birth Announcement
Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Goodman of House Station announce the birth of a son, Linwood Ray, on April 17, 1946, at Pitt General Hospital. Mrs. Goodman is the former Miss Dorothy Taylor of Grifton, N. C.

Gaskins-Rouse
Mr. and Mrs. Griffin Rouse announce the marriage of their daughter, Katherine, to Roy Page Gaskins, on Sunday, April twenty-first, nineteen hundred and forty-six, Bethel, North Carolina.

Wild Life Club
The Pitt County Wild Life Club will meet Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the Municipal building.

Superior Court in Session
Judge Leo Carr of Burlington this morning convened the criminal term of Superior Court after a week-end recess.

Meets War Bride
William T. Bilbro left Friday for New York to meet his English war bride and little daughter, Susan, who were expected to arrive on the Queen Mary. Mr. Bilbro served a meteorologist with the U. S. army air force stationed in London. While there he married Miss Winifred Louise Sharpe of Richmond, England.

Mr. and Mrs. Bilbro will make their home with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Bilbro, 1303 Dickinson Avenue.

Birth Announcement
Mr. and Mrs. Plato Evans announce the birth of a son, Paul Burton, on Monday, April 22, 1946, in Pitt General hospital.

Women in the Church
by Mary Fowler

Mrs. Katharine R. Maurer, Methodist deaconess stationed for thirty years at the immigration station on Angel Island, California, and received an expression of gratitude from the "detainees" of the international group for her ministry.

"We are one big family and you, Miss Maurer, are our loving home," they wrote. "It is truly

Social Calendar

MONDAY
3:30 p. m.—American Legion Auxiliary meets at the home of Mrs. Sude Corey. Mr. Robert Lee Humber guest speaker.
6:30 p. m.—Rotary Club.
7:00 p. m.—Lions Club.

TUESDAY
3:30 p. m.—Mrs. C. S. Forbes will be hostess to the Sans Souci Book Club.
4:00 p. m.—Literature Department of the Woman's Club meets with Mrs. R. H. Grindler and Mrs. J. F. Brooks, 1102 Johnston street.

8:00 p. m.—Greenville Nurses' Club meets with Mrs. John Timberlake and Miss Allie Clark at 209 Rotary avenue.
8:00 p. m.—Withia Council Degree of Picochontas will meet.

WEDNESDAY
3:30 p. m.—Regular meeting of Garden Club at Woman's Club. Mrs. J. S. Mitchiner, guest speaker.

THURSDAY
7:00 p. m.—Business and Professional Women's Club meets at the Rotary building for its bosses' dinner.

8:00 p. m.—Junior Philathea class of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church meets with Mrs. C. E. Oakley.

FRIDAY
6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club.

said in the Bible, 'for we are all brothers and sisters.' The letter was signed by the Japanese, Samoan, Filipino, Cuban, Italian, Canadian, Hebrew, German, Honduran, Jugo-Slav and Estonian representatives.

Thousands of church women across America—and the members of their families, too—are signing this pledge for the conservation of food for the starving in Europe and Asia. "In response to the President's request to help prevent starvation overseas, I voluntarily pledge to conserve food and to buy less, waste less, use bread, cake, wheat products, I will conscientiously attempt to conserve during the next six months, or while the emergency exists, about 40 per cent of the wheat products our household is accustomed to use." The pledge is being distributed by the Church Committee on Overseas Relief and Reconstruction.

Six young women, missionaries and daughters of missionaries, and students at Scarritt College, Nashville, Tenn., are among the eight volunteers from the College that will assist Dr. Frank C. Laubach, "apostle to the illiterates of the world," in the translation of the book, "The Life of Jesus" into six languages. This book is one of the texts used by Dr. Laubach and the World Literacy Committee in teaching illiterates to read through the medium of picture and phonetic charts. The Scarritt students in this project are Miss Bronca Da Rosa of Brazil, Miss Joy Betts of Brazil, Miss Elena Edgar of Peru, Miss Mary Shearer of China, Miss Mildred Wright of India, and Miss Anna Abbott of India.

Social Security
When the Social Security Act was amended in 1939, provision was made for monthly benefits not only in old age but also in the event of the breadwinner's death. Old-age insurance became old age and survivors insurance. This insurance might well be called "family insurance," because sixty percent of the monthly beneficiaries are women and children. Preserving the family is a prime objective of the program. "To keep families together, to keep families independent to keep children in school, to give brothers and sisters the chance of growing up together, in normal home surroundings, under the care of their own mothers are the chief advantages of old-age and survivors insurance."

At present the system operates only for wage and salary earners in private industry and business. Even though an industrial or business concern has only one employee it is subject to old-age and survivors insurance provisions. The number of employees in the firm makes no difference.

Who can get monthly survivors benefits? Dependents of a deceased worker who was insured under old-age and survivors insurance provisions, listed as follows:

- 1. Children under 18.
- 2. Widows with children under 18 in their care, regardless of the widow's age.
- 3. Widows 65 or over.
- 4. Aged parents—if the worker leaves neither widow nor an unmarried child under 18, and if he previously supported his parents.

Before any one can receive payment of Old Age and Survivors Insurance he or she must file a claim for benefits, with the Social Security Board.

The claim—or application—for benefits should be filed at the field office of the Social Security Board. In the area the office is located in Rocky Mount, N. C.

Continue 113th Artillery Club
By RICHARD W. GAYLORD
The 113th Club of Pitt County enjoyed a real night of fellowship when they met at Respass Barbecue Stand for their monthly meeting.

After dinner the meeting was called to order by President Robert Carson to discuss the continuation of the organization. Richard Gaylord, Ed Waldrop and Jimmy Davenport were called upon to express themselves concerning the club. All

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
April 22, 1906

Greenville is soon to have a new enterprise, an ice factory, something that the town has long needed.

The threatened frost for tonight has had farmers busy today getting the young potato vines under cover. Over coats and wraps were comfortable this morning.

Greenville is not doing what she might do for the aid of the San Francisco sufferers. "A little help is worth a deal of pity."

three were in favor, and when the issue was voted upon by the members all gave their support for continuation of the 113th Club.

A committee of Marvin Hinson, C. K. Beatty and Ed Waldrop was appointed by President Carson to draw up the constitution and by-laws. Francis Brooks was appointed treasurer.

It was decided that persons who at any time belonged to the 113th Field Artillery are eligible to join. Senator Arthur B. Corey was called upon to say a few words regarding the 113th as he knew it in World War I. He made an interesting talk about activities with the regiment until 1927 when he had to draw out for business reasons.

Secretary James B. Tyndall spoke of the expansion of the club and the possibilities of future meetings. He spoke of the election of new officers and made a motion to appoint an officer committee. Charles Musselwhite, Jimmy Whitchard and Graham Stocks compose the committee. New officers will be discussed at the next meeting.

Johnnie Crandall and Quenton Jones made motions to hold one of the summer meetings at the beach or some similar resort where all members could take someone else along to add a feminine touch.

The club meets the third Friday of each month. It is hoped the members who found it impossible to attend this time will join their comrades the next meeting of May 17.

Humber To Address PTA Tuesday Night
The West Greenville Parent-Teacher Association will meet at the school Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. The topic of the meeting will be, "Together to Encourage World Understanding."

Robert Lee Humber will be the speaker. The meeting is being held at night to permit fathers as well as mothers to attend. A nursery will be available for the children. The public is invited.

Tractor Kills Child On Farm
John Stowls, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stowls, was killed Saturday afternoon when a tractor ran over her, crushing her chest.

She was riding on a trailer attached to the tractor and fell off. The machine, in turning, ran over her before it could be stopped. The accident occurred in the yard at her parents' home, in Carolina Township, near Oak Grove Church, Pitt County. Coroner Griffin H. Rouse said, "No inquest will be held."

Funeral arrangements had not been made.

Clayton Whitley, the girl's uncle, was driving the tractor.

Allen Fornes Died After Long Illness
Allen C. Fornes, 63, died in Pitt General Hospital at 5:27 o'clock Sunday afternoon after being critically ill several hours. He had been in declining health about 12 years.

Funeral services will be held at Wilkerson's Funeral Home Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The Rev. E. G. Cole, Baptist minister of Winterville, will officiate. Burial will be in Greenwood cemetery.

Mr. Fornes, son of the late Thomas E. and Elizabeth Fornes, was born, reared and spent nearly all of his life in Greenville. For about 22 years he was superintendent of grounds and buildings at East Carolina Teachers College in Greenville. He lived in Winterville the past six years.

Surviving are his wife, Naomi Tucker Fornes; a daughter, Mrs. L. S. Worthington of Winterville; a son, A. C. Fornes, Jr., of Orlando Fla.; a grandson, L. B. Worthington of Winterville, and a brother, Leon Fornes, of Cox's Mill.

Miniature Golf Is Coming Back Here
By CHESTER WALSH
Greenville is to have a miniature golf course. Cecil Perkins, ardent golfer and assistant manager of Proctor Hotel, is constructing a course, and will devote his off-duty hours to supervising play on the layout. The miniature golf course is being laid out on the site of the old Liberty Warehouse on West Ninth street.

Perkins said the need for recreational entertainment for the young people of Greenville prompted him to lay out the course. It will be operated for good clean sport only. No drinking, gambling or rough-necks will be allowed on the premises. Women and children are especially invited to use the miniature golf course, Perkins said. A nominal fee will be charged for playing.

Taxi Driver Was Victim Of Holdup
Claude Everette, operator of his own taxicab, reported to Sheriff Ruel W. Tyson late Saturday night

that two Negro passengers had robbed him of his wallet containing \$60 in currency. Sheriff's officers and highway patrolmen are investigating.

Everette told authorities that the two men hired his taxicab at the bus station to take them to a rural point near Bethel. He said, at their direction, he traveled along dirt roads until, at a lonely spot near Staton's Mill, the two Negroes threatened him with a gun and took his wallet. Everette said he went to Willie Barnhill's house after the robbery and later reported the matter to authorities. The wallet was found in the road, but the money was missing.

Vandenberg Makes Decision On Loan
Washington, April 22—(AP)—Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich.) called for unrestricted Senate approval of the \$3,750,000,000 British loan "for the sake of American welfare in a peaceful world."

Vandenberg told his colleagues that he had "struck my balance" in a "reluctant" decision that "the bill should pass for the sake of America."

The Michigan Senator said he had been more perplexed by the issue than any he had faced previously in 18 years as a senator.

"To pass the bill is a gigantic speculation," he said. "Not to pass the bill may be an ever greater speculation. Whether we like it or not, destiny may be in these scales today."

Galleries were crowded as Vandenberg took the floor to state his views before leaving tomorrow with Secretary of State Byrnes for the Paris conference of foreign ministers. Undersecretary of State Dean Acheson was in the audience.

Secret Plan For Peace Talks
Paris, April 22—(AP)—A curtain of secrecy will hang around the 'Palace of Luxembourg' during the four-power foreign ministers' conference late this month, according to French officials preparing for the meeting.

From the time Secretary of State James F. Byrnes, Foreign Minister Georges Bidault, Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin and Foreign Minister, Vyacheslav Molotov begin their deliberations here on peace treaties with former enemy states and other inter-allied issues, no newspapermen will be permitted to approach the palace.

The meetings will be secret and there will be no announcements made after the sessions to indicate what was discussed or the progress made. Press attaches from each of the four delegations will confer, and perhaps issue a one or two line communiqué on each session, stating simply that the ministers held a meeting.

Russia Will Join Aviation Talks
Washington, April 22—(AP)—Russia has agreed to discuss mutual commercial aviation problems with the United States, the State Department announced today.

A department official who may not be named told reporters that although no conference has been scheduled to date, the Soviet Union recently had indicated its willingness to conduct negotiations which would follow the pattern of the British-American discussions at Bermuda. This would involve consideration



AIR MINDED—Airline hostesses Irene Brown (left) and her twin, Eileen, examine a model of a Bell P-63 King Cobra with Maj. Don Gentile (second from left) and Maj. John Godfrey, Army air aces, at the New York aviation show.

of rates between the two countries, and frequency of flights of airliners, as well as the other subjects involved in the so-called "fifth freedom" aviation concession. The "fifth freedom" provides that planes passing over a country may make landings in it to take on or discharge passengers.

No U. S. commercial airlines operate into Russia at present, but American Overseas Airlines, Inc., a branch of American Airlines, Inc., has received certification from the Civil Aeronautics Board to fly into Leningrad and Moscow whenever an agreement is reached with the Soviet Union.

The two routes for which American Overseas has been certificated would go from Amsterdam to Berlin to Moscow, and from Oslo to Stockholm to Helsinki to Leningrad to Moscow.

Iranian Premier Hopes For Unity
Tehran, April 22—(AP)—Premier Ahmed Qavam announced today a seven-point program under which Azerbaijan province might return to the Iranian national government and said that his cabinet had "decided to permit the people of the province to have their ideals realized as far as the constitution and laws of the country permit."

He said that no action would be taken against leaders of the "Democratic party" in Azerbaijan, and that the party would be free to operate.

Qavam's announcement followed a report here last night that P. Bakhtian, a wealthy Tehran merchant with holdings in the Azerbaijan capital of Tabriz, had gone to that city to invite Azerbaijan representatives to confer with the central government.

Qavam yesterday ordered the Iranian army and gendarmic troops on the Azerbaijan and Kurdistan borders to remain in their garrisons to avoid any possibility of trouble, because a satisfactory solution of the problem without blood-

shed" was expected.

Korean Trusteeship May Not Last Long
Seoul, Korea, April 22—(AP)—It may be possible to dispense with the four-power trusteeship for a divided Korea or to limit it to less than five years, Lt. Gen. John R. Hodge, commander of American troops in southern Korea said today.

Hodge, in a translated radio broadcast, pointed out that the only limitation indicated is that "it will not run beyond five years."

The general said he spoke in "an effort to stop irresponsible, loose talk and political misinformation about terms of the Moscow agreement."

Huge Grain Crop In Soviet Is Expected
Moscow, April 22—(AP)—Cheering grain news was received here today from Southern Russia, where farmers have been toiling for many weeks to complete the sowing of what is expected to be a large grain crop.

A dispatch from the Krasnodar area—one of the most fertile sections of the Soviet Union—said the sowing had been completed two

weeks ahead of schedule and that the area planted had been increased 321,000 acres over last year. Observers took this report as an excellent sign for the entire southern sector. Krasnodar is at the exact center of the Kuban wheat district, which often is referred to as the Soviet Illinois.

Toscanini To Conduct Once Again In Italy
New York, April 22—Arturo Toscanini, 79, one of the world's leading symphony conductors, was on his way back to his native Italy—

where in 1931 he was beaten by Fascists because he refused to play their hymn.

Toscanini, who left yesterday by plane, will reopen the La Scala Opera House in Milan.

"I am very glad to go back after so many years," he said.

The white-haired musician left Italy in 1938 in voluntary exile, and dedicated himself to a fight against Fascism in his homeland.

The conductor was accompanied on the plane by his wife, Carlotta, 69, and his son, Walter. He will rededicate the famous opera house on May 11 and then give six concerts.

The word woman comes from the old English "wifemann," meaning the wife-half of man.

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Women in the Church
by Mary Fowler
Mrs. Katharine R. Maurer, Methodist deaconess stationed for thirty years at the immigration station on Angel Island, California, and received an expression of gratitude from the "detainees" of the international group for her ministry.

Greenies Pound Out Win Over Goldsboro

Locals Show Hitting Power In Exhibition Game; Trim Gold Bugs By Lop-Sided Score Of 18-3

By BERT MOYE

Virgil Payne's Greenville Greenies pounded out a 18-3 win over the Goldsboro Bugs here yesterday afternoon in an exhibition tilt at Guy Smith Stadium. The game was featured by homers by Mario Secciani of the locals and Naccari of the Bugs.

Goldsboro scored two of their runs in the second frame when Secciani singled and Naccari parked a homer over the left field fence. Their only other score of the game came in the fifth on two single and infield out.

Greenville started off scoring in the initial frame when Charlie Futrell walked, Mayer singled out to right field and was fumbled by DeCamp enabling Futrell to score, and Mayer later scored on a long fly to centerfield by Payne.

Three more runs were tallied in the second frame when Secciani, Ranweiler walked, Futrell doubled to bring in Secciani and Ranweiler and later scored on an infield out.

Not content with their five to three margin, the Greenies came back in the fifth and put across four runs. Earl Smith and M. Narron singled in session, Payne reached first on a fielder's choice, and then Mario Secciani stepped to the plate and parked one over the left field fence to empty the bases.

Through the courtesy of Tierney, Goldsboro's second hurler in the game, the Greenies scored six more runs in the sixth frame without getting a single hit to help the cause. But rather than go into details on this inning let's say that the six tallies came as the result of five wild pitches, walks, and two hit batsmen—enough said for that inning.

Greenville finished her scoring in the seventh frame when they put across three more runs off four hits, walk and an error.

The box score:

Greenville	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Futrell, cf	3	2	2	0	1	0
M. Smith cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mayer 3b	6	2	2	0	0	0
E. Smith lf	6	2	3	0	0	0
M. Narron c	3	3	1	3	0	0
Persinger c	1	0	0	1	0	0
Payne 2b	3	2	0	2	2	0
Fraser, 2b	1	0	0	1	2	0
Carlson, ss	4	2	0	0	5	0
Secciani rf	3	3	2	1	0	0
Ranweiler lb	2	2	1	13	0	0
Fulton lb	1	0	0	4	1	0
Benton p	1	0	0	0	2	0
Moskal p	1	0	0	1	0	0
Hallam, p	1	0	1	1	2	0
B. Narron z	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	38	18	11	27	15	0

z—Hit for Benton in 4th inning.

Goldsboro	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Salver, cf	3	0	0	2	0	1
Lingle lf	4	0	0	2	1	1
Dufau, lb	2	0	0	5	0	2
Seller 2b	4	1	1	3	0	3
DeCamp, rf	2	0	1	0	0	1
Mark rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Hunt ss	2	0	0	2	0	0
Markel ss	2	0	1	1	4	0
Naccari, 3b	3	1	2	1	4	0
Collins c & lb	4	0	2	8	0	0
Vick, c	2	0	0	1	0	0
Smith, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Tierney p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jones, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Herrine p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dunnack x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	3	7	24	9	7

x—Hit for Jones in 8th inning.

Score by Innings

Goldsboro	020	010	000
Greenville	230	046	30x

College Baseballers Resume Trophy Play

The battle for the Bohunk Trophy, waged for several years between East Carolina Teachers College and Atlantic Christian College, will get off to a new start when the ECTC Pirates play the ACC team here on Tuesday afternoon, April 23, at 3:15 on the college athletic field. ACC brings a strong team to meet the ECTC nine, who as yet have not hit their stride this season.

This game, formerly scheduled for April 22, has been postponed until April 23 because of the Easter holidays at the college, which are scheduled to last through Monday of next week.

Los Angeles, April 20.—(AP)—Beautiful Hedy Lamar is more dangerous than ever.

The screen siren, who lost thousands of dollars worth of jewels and clothing to a burglar two nights ago, yesterday was granted a gun permit with her husband, John Loder.

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Sports

By the Associated Press

The two Carolinas divided a pair of southern conference track meets Saturday, while two of the top North Carolina track and field outfits were halving their meets with outside opposition.

Outstanding individual performance of the day was turned in by Charlotte's Floyd "Chuck" Simmons of North Carolina, who rolled up 16 points as the Tar Heels defeated Virginia's trackmen, 87 to 39, at Chapel Hill. Simmons captured both hurdles events and the broad jump, and placed third in the javelin throw.

Duke's intersectional match with Navy at Annapolis was less successful, as the tars ran up an 89 1-2 to 41 1-2 margin of victory. Duke's only firstplaces came in the 200-yard low hurdles and the javelin throw, with a tie for first registered in their favor in the pole vault.

In a southern conference meet at Columbia, South Carolina defeated N. C. State, 85 1-3 to 40-2-3. The Gamecocks' Jimmy Ratliffe and Andrews of N. C. State, engaging in an individual scoring duel, registered 15 points each.

The fourth conference meet of the day, at Davidson, saw Clemson box, 75 to 56, to the Wildcats. Ward Lasley of Eurlington was the best point-getter for Davidson, with 13 tallies to his credit.

Three tennis matches were played. North Carolina took a close 5 to 4 decision from Navy; Duke lost to Georgia Tech, 7 to 3, at Atlanta; and N. C. State bowed, 4 to 3, to Davidson at Raleigh.

North Carolina and Duke continued along their winning baseball way during the weekend, but three other southern conference teams of the Carolinas failed to do as well.

The Tar Heels, behind the brilliant pitching of Monk Whiteheart of Winston-Salem, blanked Maryland in a conference game at Chap-

el Hill, 2-0. Whiteheart fanned 13 old liners, allowing only five hits.

Behind the equally brilliant hurling of lefty Lee Griffith, Duke's Blue Devils blanked the N. C. State, 11-0, at Durham in another conference game. The lefthander, winning his fourth game of the year, held the Red Terrors to four hits while his mates piled up 13 safeties.

Of the other conference teams to see action, Davidson lost to Washington and Lee, 5-4, in a league tilt at Lexington, Va.; and Clemson dropped a 7-5 decision at Newberry in a non-conference game; and Wake Forest went out of its class to engage Burlington of the Carolina league on the pros' home field and lost, 19-2.

Two North State conference games were played. At Wilson, Atlantic Christian won its seventh engagement of the season, defeating Elon by 6-1. Catawba spotted Guilford a seven-run lead at Salisbury, then rolled back strong late in the game to win, 11-8.

In a non-conference tilt, Appalachian State lost, 5-2, to Chatjam at Elkin.

St. Louis, April 22.—(AP)—Loaded with talent of pre-war caliber and off to a fast start, the St. Louis Cardinals have attracted the largest advance ticket sales in the National League club's history, and owner Sam Breadon explains it this way:

"Fans have just decided we're going to win."

Never one to talk much, Breadon was prompted to words by the fact that sellout of ticket books—they assure purchasers of their World Series seats—was completed 17 days ago.

"It is the first time in history of the club we have sold out the allotted 10,000 books of five tickets each before the season opened," satisfied Sam announced cheerfully.

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 to the undersigned.

PEARL N. ROBERSON, Admrx. of the estate of L. H. Roberson, deceased.

Arthur B. Corey, Atty. March 26-1tw-6wks.

This the 5th day of March, 1946. R. E. WILLOUGHBY, Administrator of the Estate of Camille L. Willoughby, deceased.

J. B. James, Attorney March 7-1tw-6wks.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of L. H. Roberson, deceased, on the 5th day of January, 1946, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, to exhibit itemized and verified statements of account to the undersigned or his attorney, on or before the 25th day of March, 1947, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment to the administrator or his attorney.

This the 28th day of March, 1946.

PEARL N. ROBERSON, Admrx. of the estate of L. H. Roberson, deceased.

Arthur B. Corey, Atty. March 26-1tw-6wks.

NOTICE

In The Superior Court

North Carolina

Pitt County

Elizabeth Cates Dupree

vs.

John Abram Dupree

The defendant John Abram Dupree will take notice that an action as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, to obtain a divorce from the defendant on the grounds of two years separation; and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County in the courthouse in Greenville, North Carolina, within 20 days after the date of the filing of this notice.

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ter 7 days after the last publication hereof, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

This the 20th day of April, 1946.

E. F. TUCKER, Asst. Clerk Superior Court Pitt County.

Wm. J. Bundy, Attorney for Plaintiff.

April 20-1tw-4wks.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

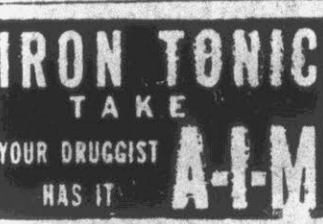
Having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of J. T. McLawhorn, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, to exhibit itemized and verified statements of account to the undersigned or his attorney, on or before the 11th day of April, 1947, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment to the administrator or his attorney.

This the 11th day of April, 1946.

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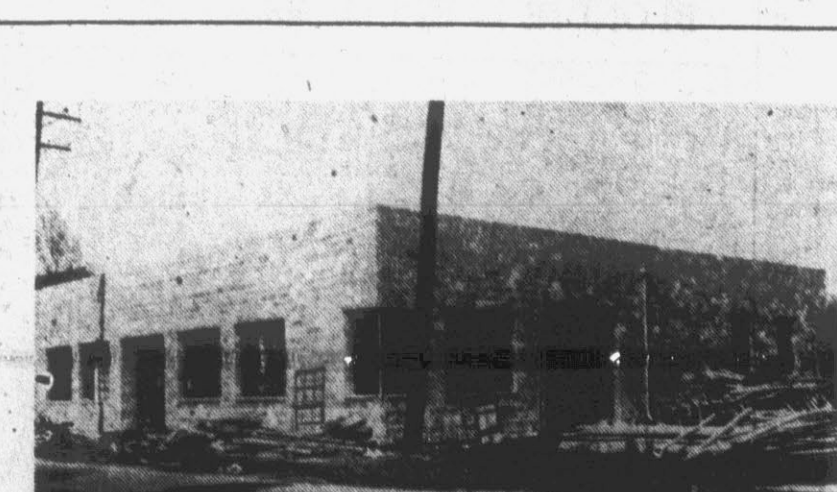
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By EARL L. DOUGLAS

THE CONTINUING EASTER
Easter day is past, and for many
people the significance of the day
vanishes when the singing stops
and the Easter decorations fade in
the vases.

But among the Christians of the
early Church, a sense of the signifi-
cance of the resurrection never
seemed to have died down. For
these early stalwarts of the faith,
every day was resurrection day. By
a great miracle God had impressed
upon their minds that life is every-
thing and death is nothing, that a
glorious heavenly kingdom sur-
rounds the pitiful little world of
men in which men live. Best of all,
the Christians of the first century
felt that as they walked through
life, they were in step with the un-
seen Christ. He was as near to
them as were their loved ones. The
sense of his presence and his pro-
found benediction upon their lives
increased with the passing years.

The Lord intends that it be the
same with us. Easter is past, and
yet for people of faith Easter is
never past. The resurrection was
not just an event; it was the re-
velation of a divine process, and
that process continues to this very
hour. Through it we are summoned
to joy. By it we are given strength
to meet life's reverses. The city
"He is risen" is meant to sound through
human hearts and minds every
hour of every day. Easter is never
past.

CLEAN UP

The people of our commu-
nity have an individual re-
sponsibility in doing their
best in the current Clean-
Up campaign. There are al-
ways a few who will fall in-
to the spirit of the Drive and
go "all out" in trimming
their hedges, raking their
yards, and touching up un-
sightly spots with a bit of
paint. But it isn't enough.
The results of the labors of
these few will only accentu-
ate the slackness of those
others who neglect the ap-
pearances of their homes
and places of business.

There is a week ahead of
us to devote to cleaning up
after a long winter. All
housewives are thoroughly
familiar with the dreaded
words "Spring Houseclean-
ing", but they carry it
through because they know
it must be done.

In a sense, the keeping of
our City in a clean and at-
tractive condition is one of
the means of building to-
wards a bigger and greater
Greenville. As the center of
population in Eastern Caro-
lina, countless tourists will
be passing through Green-
ville in the months to come,
and their impressions will be
based largely upon what
they see.

Citizens, to work!

WASHINGTON DAYBOOK

By JACK STENNETT

(Fourth of Six Articles)
Washington—What caused the
President Truman-Congress honey-
moon to go sour?
You can get as many answers as
you ask political leaders and Wash-
ington observers, starting with the
traditional antagonism between the
legislative and executive branches
of our government.

Some of it no doubt was due to
President Truman's statement in

Mac Is Still Doing The Driving



his September, 1945, message to
Congress when he flatly and un-
equivocally laid down the adminis-
trative domestic policy.

"The objectives which we seek in
our long-range plans," he said then,
"were summarized by the late Pres.
Franklin D. Roosevelt over a year
and a half ago in the form of the
Economic Bill of Rights."

The groan that went up from the
long-time anti-Roosevelt boys was
heard all over the land. Their hopes
that the new President would turn
the conservative right were given
a good dose of cold water with that
statement. The conservative Demo-
crats swung away and the fight
was on.

When President Truman took of-
fice, he was nearly 18 months away
from the 1948 Congressional elec-
tions. Today, we are far less than
that from the next election. The
Republi-
cans on which many of the Repre-
sentatives and a third of the Sen-
ators are leaning are not far off.

The chaotic condition of
the world and even more importantly
(from a political standpoint) of our
own economy, and the inexperience
of President Truman as a chief ex-
ecutive have made the last few
months a political heyday that has
been too tempting to pass up.

In his first year in office, Presi-
dent Truman has made some mis-
takes. He would be the first to ad-
mit it.

The opening he gave the opposi-
tion in insisting on Edwin A. Pauley
for undersecretary of the Navy who
could have driven a sledge-hammer
through. And that's just what the
opposition did.

The administration handling of
the labor situation and the price
control policies have been a source
of dissension.

But results show, as in Recon-
version Director John W. Snyder's
recent report, that production for
civilian use is at the highest level
in the nation's history, that it has
been more a quarrel over means
than a blocking of the ends desired.

In some of his appointments,
some of his little holiday trips, some
of his hasty statements, President

Truman has laid himself open to
the kind of political sniping that
hurts.

But I have had some of his out-
spoken opponents on the Hill tell
me "off-the-record" (perhaps with
an unspoken "except me" reserva-
tion): "I don't know of any one
who could have done better under
the circumstances."
(Tomorrow: Truman and Foreign
Policy)

The Nation . . .

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men will receive for life will make
it unnecessary for them to go into
the advertising business or to work
for airplane companies.

But the Pan-American Airways
Company says Halsey, retired now
from the navy, is under contract to
go to work for it May 1.

Arnold was boss of the Army Air
Force. He's retired too. He's living
on his farm at Sonoma, California.

Admiral King, also retired, is not
doing any active duty.

Of the others Eisenhower, Mac-
Arthur, Leahy, Nimitz, Vandegrift
and Waesche are still in active ser-
vice.

Marshall is retired but is serving
as Mr. Truman's special ambas-
sador to China.

Army Asks . . .

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President Truman earlier this
month reiterated the plea he first
made last year for legislation pro-
viding one continuous year of train-
ing in peace-time for all males be-
tween the ages of 18 and 21.

The armed services and veterans'
organizations supported the Presi-
dent's request, but organized labor,
educators, churchmen and farm
groups opposed it during lengthy
hearings before both the House Mil-
itary Committee and a special com-
mittee on postwar military policy.
The latter group approved the

principle of universal training, but
the military committee has made
no recommendations. There have
been no Senate hearings.

On still another phase of con-
gressional-military matters, the
Senate expected to receive today a
counter proposal by Senator Bridges
(R-NH) to a pending bill to
merge the army and navy into a
single department of common de-
fense.

Bridges disclosed that he will pro-
pose the creation of a council of
common defense, with a new, sepa-
rate department for air.

Under Bridges' measure the de-
fense council, including the Secre-
taries of State, Army, Navy and
Air Operations under a Presidential
deputy as coordinator, would super-
vise agencies to conduct unified re-
search, intelligence, munitions and
resources control for the three
branches of the armed forces.

Heart Attack . . .

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C. He attended Horner's Military
Academy in Oxford. Prior to com-
ing to Greenville in 1914 as buyer
for Export Leaf Tobacco Co. he was
in the tobacco business in Burling-
ton, Creemore, and Smithfield. In
1926 he was made head of the Ex-
port Company in Greenville, and he
remained in this position until his
retirement last December. He was
a former president of the Green-
ville Tobacco Board of Trade. He
served on the Board of Alder-
men for a number of years and was
a deacon of the Memorial Baptist
Church and chairman of the Fi-
nance committee for a number of
years. He was a former Rotarian.

Mr. Hobgood was married to Miss
Willie Ernestine Ragdale, daugh-
ter of the late Prof. and Mrs. W.
H. Ragdale of Greenville, on De-
cember 5, 1917.

Surviving are his wife, three
daughters, Mrs. I. G. Murphy of
Rocky Mount, Miss Betsy Hob-
good of High Point and Greenville,
and Miss Frances Hobgood of the
home; a brother, A. L. Hobgood
and two sisters, Mrs. Hettie Jef-
fries and Miss Scotia Hobgood, all
of Kinston.

Housing . . .

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As announced Saturday, the or-
der provides that 25 per cent of all
newly authorized dwellings must
be built for rent. FHA directors
by controlling priorities, must see
that at least half of these houses
are to be rented at or below local
ceilings which range from \$40 to
\$65.

Half the remaining new dwellings
—in other words, those built for
sale purposes—must be sold under
newly imposed ceilings. These also
will vary city by city, ranging
from \$4,500 to \$9,000.

Housing officials estimate that
the average house which sold for
\$6,000 immediately before the war
now sells for between \$9,000 and
\$10,000.

Byrnes To Go . . .

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not develop, the Paris conference
may see the United States making

one of its strongest moves in de-
fense of Britain's empire interests.
There are increasing evidences—
among them grave American con-
cern over Russia's position in Iran
until the Red Army begins to get
out—that American officials cur-
rently regard the British Empire
system as one of the bulwarks of
world order which the United
States cannot afford to have weak-
ened at any strategic point.

Planes Fire . . .

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port at Tull, just outside Vienna.
Airmen at the field identified the
fighters as P-39s furnished to Rus-
sia by American lend-lease. The
four followed the transport right
to the field, leaving only after it
had touched ground. The C-47 was
on a test run and carried only a
crew.

Capt. James C. Baxter, the pilot,
said he saw two of the shots fired
and added he believed there were
others.

"That's all right in a cross-coun-
try flight when you can just sit
there and fly," he said, "but I do
not like it when you are in transi-
tion between flying and landing. I
saw two white puffs from the 37-
millimeter cannon in the type of a
fighter and we could feel the con-
cussion inside the plane."

Four other members of the trans-
port's crew corroborated Baxter's
report. The pilot said he was within
the 10-mile area around the air-
field prescribed for American planes
by the Russians when the fighters
appeared. Baxter was flying at 5,000
feet, and the Russians followed him
all the way down, diving over and
under his plane as he prepared to
land, he said.

Because the airport is inside the
Russian occupation zone, the Rus-
sians have prescribed strict regula-
tions for the operation of American
aircraft.

Today's incident occurred in full
view of a large crowd of soldiers at
the airport and correspondents who
had gathered there to greet a party
of 14 American publishers flying to
Vienna from Frankfurt. It took
place about a half hour before the
arrival of the publishers' plane,
which was not molested.

Much Interest In "Clean-Up Week"

By CHESTER WALSH

This is "Clean-Up Week" in
Greenville. All local organizations
and the city administration and
County Health Department are co-
operating to make this a cleaner
city and keep it clean, said Thomas
E. Wilson, president of the Junior
Chamber of Commerce, and chair-
man of the general committee.

Householders and business places
are requested to clean up their pre-
mises, place trash and other debris
in containers so that it can be col-
lected by the street department.

"Clean-Up Week" includes clean-
ing up basements and attics, under
houses and the rear of business
places.

Street Department Supt. C. T.
Mallison invites cooperation from
the public and pledges the best ef-
forts of the department in keeping
Greenville clean.

Over the Greenville radio station
tonight at 8:45 Mayor Jack Boyd,
Thomas E. Wilson, president of the
Jaycees and Mrs. Robert Lee Hum-
ber, president of the Woman's Club,
will speak on plans for making
"Clean-Up Week" a success.

Holding Man . . .

(Continued from Page One)
out ball until an inquest is held at
the City Hall in Bethel tonight at
8 o'clock.

Stancell is a tenant on the Rus-
sell James Farm, between Bethel
and the Edgecombe County line. Po-
lice Chief Martin and another of-
ficer of Bethel arrested Stancell,
Sheriff Ruel W. Tyson, Coroner
Rouse and Highway Cpl. John Laws
investigated the shooting. Stancell
told the officers he shot in self-
defense.

Individuals Asked To Help Program

Every person in the United States
will be asked to take a direct part
in helping feed people in starving
lands under a nation-wide contri-
bution plan outlined today.

Secretary of Commerce Wallace
will serve as chairman of the emer-
gency food collection campaign
which begins May 12 with every
community mobilized.

This country's people will be re-
quested to contribute either food
canned in tin or money to buy food.
Wallace said in a statement ac-
cepting the chairmanship.

"The proceeds will be distributed
through the United Nations Relief
and Rehabilitation Administration
on a basis of greatest need."

The drive will be conducted as a
private campaign but will work
closely with the government's fami-
nary emergency committee. No de-
ductions will be made for adminis-
trative or operating expenses.

"Big Apple" Trustee To File Usury Suits

Goldsboro, April 22.—(AP)—Civ-
il suits will be instituted in Wayne
Superior Court Wednesday or the
next day by Jule T. Flythe, federal
trustee in bankruptcy, against per-
sons alleged to have received usury
from Roderick Davenport in his
"Big Apple" loan business operated
in several Eastern North Carolina
towns.

Flythe will go to Greenville to-
morrow with attorneys for the trust-
ee, Jesse A. Jones of Kinston, H.
P. and R. E. Whitehurst of New
Bern, to study the Davenport books
preparatory to filing the suits.

Flythe said that suits would be
brought against 50 or 60 solvent
persons for double the amount of
interest they are alleged to have re-
ceived on money loaned to Daven-
port at his branch offices in Green-
ville, New Bern, Kinston, Rocky
Mount and Goldsboro.

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lina Utilities Commission for a
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express, mail and newspapers over
the following highways and between
the following points: (1) From
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cus, thence via unnumbered county
road to its junction with N. C. 11
and thence via N. C. 11 to Green-
ville. (2) From PatoCUS via N. C.
33 to its junction with N. C. 11 and
thence via N. C. 11 to Bethel. (3)
From Greenville via N. C. 11 to
junction of N. C. 11 and N. C. 903
thence via N. C. 903 to Roberson-
ville. (4) From junction of N. C. 11
and N. C. 903 via N. C. 11 to junc-
tion of N. C. 11 and N. C. 33, re-
turning over the same routes and
serving all intermediate points; that
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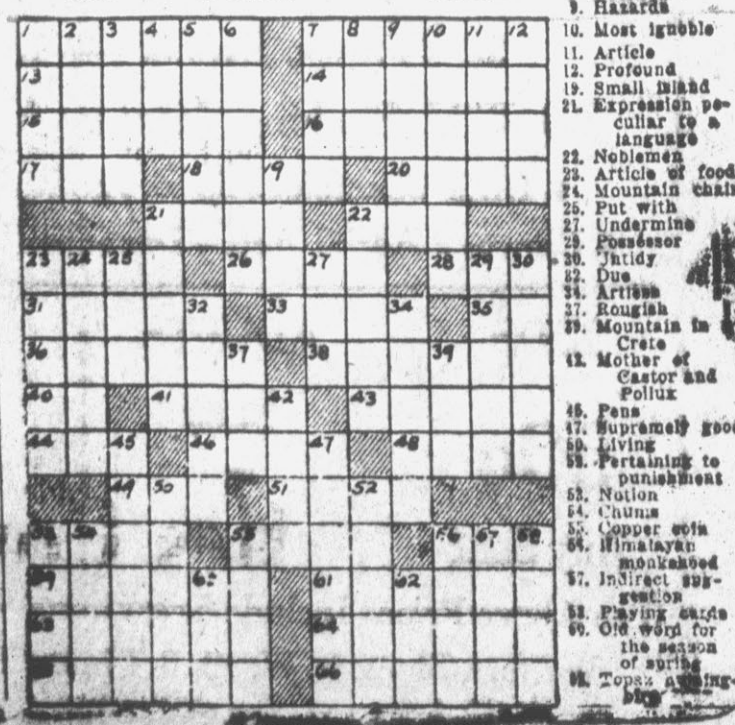
ACROSS
1. Get away.
2. Not sound and
wealthy.
3. Begin again.
4. Narcotic.
5. Delay or
impediment.
6. Tenant under
a lease.
7. Musical spring.
8. Philippine
island.
9. Refuse sepa-
rated from fur
fiber.
10. Evil.
11. English letter.
12. Small call.
13. Lohengrin's
wife.
14. The piper's son.
15. Wireless.
16. Acquire by
labor.
17. You and I.
18. Scolding money
upon.

DOWN
19. Expenses of
level land.
20. Symbol for
silver.
21. Factory.
22. Lateral
boundaries.
23. Condensed at-
mospheric
moisture.
24. Change.
25. Old piece of
cloth.
26. Swindler.
27. Pacific island
tree.
28. Steeple-
case.
29. Exclamation.
30. Grammatical
case.
31. Related
through the
mother.
32. Football team.
33. Gorge.
34. State of
blights.

**STOPS GIRL GOV
TULIP ROE HYE
ERASE ATABALS
AR ACETATES
LER SPOTS SPA
STEM ORE WEEP
SAUCY EAMES
BLUSH INTAKE
AUSLE AMER
SAGE ASP REAP
ERT ASSES EVE
TORTILLA ES
GZARDAS AVERT
HIT ORT TEASE
APE RES ESTER**

Solution Of Saturday's Puzzle

DOWN
1. Blunders
2. Percolate
3. State of pro-
found insen-
sibility
4. Philippine
mountain
5. Danger
6. Make possible
7. Shape
8. Unclose; peo-
ple
9. Razzard
10. Most ignoble
11. Article
12. Profound
13. Small blight
14. Expression pec-
uliar to a
language
15. Noblemen
16. Article of food
17. Mountain chub
18. Put with
19. Undermine
20. Possessor
21. Indis-
criminate
22. Due
23. Artisan
24. Roughish
25. Mountain in
Creta
26. Mother of
Castor and
Pollux
27. Pans
28. Supremely good
29. Living
30. Pertaining to
punishment
31. Nolon
32. China
33. Copper coin
34. Himalayan
monkhood
35. Indirect sug-
gestion
36. Playing cards
37. One word for
the season
of spring
38. Topsy turning



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KEEP A
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OF SALES?**

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NUMBERED—LIKE
THIS!**

**I GOT IT ALL
SET DOWN IN MY
BOOK!—YEP! THAT
ONE WAS 1-2-3-4-5!**

**AND THE
ADDRESS?**

**PSHAW, NOW! SEEMS
ALL HE TOLD ME WAS HE
LIVED ON BEACHWAY
ROAD!**

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LOST—MUSIC BOOK, "MY OWN Hymn Book," with name Danna Brooks Irving on it. If found please dial 2071. 19-3

MEADOWBROOK LOTS—OUT where it is cool for summer, city conveniences, school bus, community church. Large beautiful lots for only \$350 each on payment plan. Heber B. Tripp, Dial 2401. 19-3

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Ivanhoe

By Sir Walter Scott

Chapter 11

The reader cannot have forgotten that the event of the tournament was decided by the exertions of an unknown knight. This knight had left the field abruptly when the victory was achieved; and holding his course northward, paused for the night at a small hostelry lying out of the ordinary route. On the next morning he departed early.

The sun, by which the knight had chiefly directed his course during the day, had now sunk behind the Derbyshire hills on his left, and since every effort which he might make to pursue his journey was as likely to lead him out of his road as to advance him on his route, he resolved to trust to the sagacity of his horse. The good steed had no sooner found, by the slackened reins, that he was abandoned to his own guidance, than he pricked up his ears, and assumed of his own accord, a more lively motion.

He was justified by the event; for soon the tinkle of a small bell gave the knight to understand that he was in the vicinity of some chapel or hermitage.

The knight, thanking Saint Julian (the patron of travellers) who had sent him good harbourage, leaped from his horse and assailed the door with the butt of his lance, in order to arouse attention.

It was some time before he obtained any answer, and the reply, when made, was unpropitious. "Pass on, whosoever thou art," was the answer given by a deep hoarse voice from within the hut. "and disturb not the servant of God and St. Dunstan in his evening devotions."

"I pray you, reverend father, as you are a Christian, to undo your door, and at least point out to me

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my road."

"And I pray to you, good Christian brother," replied the anchorite, "to disturb me no more."

"Either open the door quickly, or by the rod, I will beat it down and make entry for myself."

The anchorite, not caring to expose his door to shock, called out aloud, "Patience, patience—spare thy strength, good traveller, and I will presently undo the door, though, it may be, my doing so will be little to thy pleasure."

The door accordingly was opened; and the hermit, a large strong-built man, stood before the knight. When his torch glanced upon the lofty crest and golden spurs of the knight, who stood without, the hermit, altering probably his original intentions, invited the knight to enter his hut, making excuse for his unwillingness to open his lodge after sunset, by alleging the multitude of robbers and outlaws who were abroad, and who gave no honour to Our Lady or St. Dunstan, nor to those holy men, who spent life in their service.

Having said this, he fixed his torch in a twisted branch of iron which served for a candlestick; placed a stool upon one side of the table, and beckoned to the knight to do the same upon the other.

"Reverend Hermit," said the knight, after looking long and fixedly at his host, "were it not to interrupt your devout meditations, I would pray to know three things of your holiness: first, where I am to put my horse; secondly, what I can have for supper;—thirdly, where I am to take up my couch for the night?"

"I will reply to you," said the hermit, "with my finger, it being against my rule to speak by words where signs can answer the purpose." So saying, he pointed successively to two corners of the hut. "Your stable," said he, "is there—your bed there; and, reaching down a platter with two handfuls of parched peas upon it from the neighboring shelf, "your supper is here."

"It seems to me, reverend father," said the knight, "that the small morsels which you eat have thriven with you marvelously. You appear a man more fit to win the ram at a wrestling match, than to linger out your time in this desolate wilderness, saying masses, and living upon parched peas and cold water."

"I see," said the hermit, "that thou art man of prudence and of counsel; and now I bethink me that the charitable keeper of this forest-walk left me some food, which, being unfit for my use, the very recollection of it had escaped me amid my more weighty meditations."

"I dare be sworn he did so," said the knight; "I was convinced that there was better food in the cell. Holy Clerk, since you first doffed your cow! Let us see the keeper's bounty, therefore, without delay."

After exchanging a mute glance or two, the hermit, out of the recesses of a dark closet, brought a large patty, baked in a pewter platter of unusual dimensions. This mighty dish he placed before his guest, who, using his poniard to cut it open, lost no time in making himself acquainted with its contents.

"By the true Lord," answered the knight, "everything in your hermitage is miraculous, Holy Clerk! For I would have been sworn that the fat buck which furnished this venison had been running on foot within the week."

The hermit was somewhat disconcerted by this observation; and moreover, he made but a poor figure while gazing on the diminution of the pastry, on which his guest was making desperate inroads; a warfare in which his previous profession of abstinence left him no pretext for joining.

"By my faith," said the knight, "thou art the most mysterious hermit I ever met; and I will know more of thee ere we part."

(To Be Continued)

Grain Market

Chicago, April 22—(AP)—With both professional traders and commission houses on the buying side, May rice soared another five cents today to a new all-time high. It was the second consecutive trading session in which the May contract has advanced the full five-cent limit permitted in one day.

At the close wheat, corn and barley were unchanged at ceilings. Oats were unchanged to 1 1/2, July 82 1/2, and rye was unchanged to 5 cents higher, May \$2.58 1/2.

New York Cotton

New York, April 22—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 15 to 70 cents a bale higher.

Noon prices were 15 cents a bale lower to 80 cents higher. May 27.91, July 28.07, Oct. 28.09.

Futures closed 55 cents to \$1.45 a bale lower.

Open Last Piv. Cl.
May 27.99 27.65 27.94
July 28.13 27.79 28.00
Oct. 28.07 27.83 27.94
Dec. 28.07 27.82 27.93
March 28.06 27.82 27.99
May 28.02 27.81 27.99

Middling spot 28.26, off 22.

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, April 22—(AP)—Individual stocks continued to make headway in today's stock market although many leaders were unable to override light offerings.

Transfers for the full proceedings approximated 1,200,000 shares.

Am Tob B 94 1/2
Anaconda 47 1/2
A. C. L. 73
All Ref 47
Aviat Corp 11 1/2
Baldwin 31 1/2
B and O 23 1/2
Barnsdall 50 1/2
Bendix Aviat 50 1/2
Beth St 108 1/2
Boeing Airpl 28 1/2
Borden 57 1/2
Cadd Mfg 21 1/2
Burl Mills 44
Bur Add Mach 19 1/2
Cannon Mills 73 1/2
Case J I 47
Caterpillar Trac 76 1/2
Ches and O 59 1/2
Chrysler 133
Coml Credit 57
Coml Solv 25
Consol Edis 35 1/2
Cont Can 48 1/2
Corn Prod 63
Curt Wright 7 1/2
Doug Airc 88
Dow Chem 184 1/2
Dupont 211 1/2
Eastman Kod 261 1/2
Firestone 79 1/2
Gen Elec 47
Gen Foods 53
Gen Mot 74 1/2
Goodrich 82
Goodyear 76 1/2
Int Rarv 95 1/2
Int Tel and Tel 162 1/2
Johns Man 59
Kennecott 97 1/2
Ligg and Myers B 39 1/2
Loews 29
Lorillard 29
Mont Ward 92 1/2
Nash Kely 22 1/2
Nat Bisc 36
Nat Cash Reg 41 1/2
Nat Dis 70 1/2
N Y Cent 27 1/2
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Packard 10 1/2
Param Pic 79
Penn RR 55 1/2
Penn RR 42 1/2
Peps Cola 34 1/2
Phillips Pet 68 1/2
Pullman 66
Pure Oil 38 1/2
Radio 33 1/2
Rem Rand 38 1/2
Repub Sil 33 1/2
Reynolds B 44 1/2
Sears 47 1/2
Soc Ry 55 1/2
Std Brands 51
Std Oil N J 75
Stewart Warner 22 1/2
Swift 38 1/2
Tex Co 64 1/2
Un Carbide 42 1/2
Unit Airlines 42 1/2
Unit Aircraft 29 1/2
Unit Corp 5 1/2
Unit Drug 38
US Ind Chem 79 1/2
US Rubber 74 1/2
US Smelt and Ref 74 1/2
US Steel 84 1/2
Vanadium 31 1/2
V. C. Kchem 44 1/2
Va Caro Chem 10 1/2
Warner Pic 47 1/2
West Un A 37
West El 34 1/2
Woolworth 61 1/2

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of V. A. Respass, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 15th 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 15th day of March, 1946.
MARGARET B. RESPASS, Administratrix of the Estate of V. A. Respass.
J. B. James, Atty.
March 19-17w-6wks.

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Your Utilities Commission was allotted a thirty-five (35) day supply of coal on April 1st, 1946, by the Solid Fuels Administrator, to operate the Water and Electric Plants, due to the shut-down of the coal mines by strike, and it is extremely uncertain when additional coal will be available.

This condition puts us in a position of possibly having to curtail the use of electric service for non-essential purposes, so we are requesting all consumers to voluntarily conserve electric energy in every way possible now, so as to spread the existing coal supply over as long period as possible.

We trust you will cooperate by using current only for essential needs. For example, one 100 watt lamp represents one and one-half pounds of coal in ten hours.

Greenville Utilities Commission

SLAUGHTERER FOUND GUILTY

Heavy Sentence Given Wilmington Man For OPA Viola- tion

Wilmington, April 22—(AP)—J. T. Williams, proprietor of a Lumberton slaughtering business, was fined \$45,000 and given a 12-months suspended sentence in U. S. district court here today on charges of violating OPA meat price ceilings.

Judge Don Gilliam directed that \$10,000 of the fine be paid immediately and the remainder before the full term of the court in Fayetteville.

Williams did not appear in court but a plea of no contest was offered by his attorneys, Robert H. Dye and James R. Nance of Fayetteville.

Principal evidence for the government was given by Albert A. Corbett, attorney for the OPA, who termed Williams' alleged operations as "the most flagrant black market meat business in the eastern part of

the state.

Corbett told the court Williams sold pork, beef, and other meat products in Lumberton, Whiteville, St. Pauls, Wilmington, and various other points at OPA ceiling prices but "demanded and received additional side payments in excess of the ceiling."

He listed 168 cases in which the defendant was alleged to have collected \$9,372.59 above the ceiling prices. In addition, he said, the government charged Williams with collecting \$22,289.47 as alleged "kickback" although the defendant's records, he related, failed to show any kickback was actually involved.

In passing sentence, Judge Gilliam declared that, according to the evidence, Williams had "willfully and intentionally violated the price regulations for profit because it paid him to do so."

COPS AND A CAT

Chicago, April 22—(AP)—Twelve policemen surrounded the Ford Hopkins Company, a drug concern, on the near west side last night and began investigating the source of mysterious noises.

Guns readied, a half-dozen of the officers crept up the darkened stairs, floor by floor, as the noises continued.

Reaching the fourth floor, they suddenly came upon a big tom cat chasing a golf ball across the floor and then down the stairs.

BOWLES FACES COURT ACTION

Suit Filed To Void Recent Government Cotton Regulations

Washington, April 22—(AP)—A suit was filed today in Federal District Court here to void recent government regulations increasing margin requirements for cotton futures trading to approximately \$50 a bale.

It is directed against Economic Stabilizee Chester Bowles, OPA Administrator Paul A. Porter and Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson.

Plaintiffs include: J. E. McDonald, Texas State commissioner of agriculture; H. M. Dunscomb of Memphis, member of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange; and Edward J. Wade of New York City, member of the New York Cotton Exchange.

Secretary of Agriculture Anderson on April 3 signed an order setting the minimum initial margin requirements at \$10 a bale, effective April 9, and providing for increased margin according to the selling price of the futures contract if cotton advances in price.

The plaintiffs assert all cotton exchanges have increased their margin requirements in conformity with the order and they are now up to about \$50 a bale.

The suit alleges that the plaintiffs cannot without prohibitive cost sell cotton on the exchanges as a hedge against loss while their cotton is growing.

It also asserts Wade and Dunscomb are unable, except at a heavy loss, to sell cotton for futures delivery to protect themselves.

It charges that Bowles did not have authority to require Anderson to issue his order of April 3, and specifically requests:

1. An order be entered restraining the federal officials from attempting to enforce the order.

2. Entrance of a declaratory judgment declaring the April 3 order to be void.

When informed of the filing of the suit, Bowles said that he had no comment.

Chinese Reds In Manchuria Mass

Chungking, April 22—(AP)—Government reports from Manchuria said today that Chinese Communist troops are gathered like clouds in the Kungchulin district east of Changchun where the government's first army, apparently made slow progress in its efforts to reach the fallen capital.

Kungchulin is 36 miles from Changchun, captured by the Communists last week.

Lt. Gen. Chao Chia-Hsiang, acting commander of government armies in the northeast, was scheduled to fly from Mukden to the Changchun area today to report on the military situation there.

The New Life correspondent said five U. S. newsmen, including Associated Press Correspondent Tom Masterson, were safe in Changchun but without freedom of action. Approximately 100 government officials were also detained.

The capture of Changchun was reflected in increasingly jittery feeling among government quarters in Mukden and North China. Defenses were tightened at Peiping and Tientsin.

A demonstration at Central Park in Peiping Sunday resulted in eggs and stones being hurled at candidates to the National Assembly.

State News Briefs

Lumberton, April 22—(AP)—Appeals will be prepared here for four Negroes, convicted in Robeson County Superior Court Saturday on charges of rape and sentenced to die in the gas chamber at state prison on July 26.

Ninety days will be allowed defense attorneys to prepare an appeal for the Negroes, Clifton Inman, 37, Granger Thompson, 21, Stacy Hall, 23, and Clyde Covington, 18.

Raleigh, April 22—(AP)—County conventions of the Democratic party will be held next Saturday in each of North Carolina's 100 counties to select delegates for the May 2 state convention.

In a political "off-year," the state convention this year will have little to do except adopt a state platform and provide places for the various district committees to hold their biennial organization meetings.

Raleigh, April 22—(AP)—J. T. Taylor of Durham will head the North Carolina Teachers Association during the next year, following his election during a week-end session here of the Negro education group.

Other new officers include H. V. Brown of Goldsboro, vice-president; Ida Duncan of Beaufort, recording secretary; W. L. Greene of Raleigh, executive secretary; and H. S. Davis of Oxford, treasurer.

Greensboro, April 22—(AP)—Business teachers, principals, and superintendents from all parts of the state will attend a business education conference, sponsored by Zeta chapter of Delta Pi Epsilon and the Woman's College Department of Business Education on campus Saturday with Dr. Elvin S. Eyster, professor business administration and associate director of the Guidance and Placement Bureau of Indiana University as featured speaker.

In 1856 Pasteur experiments in milk started.

SOVIET NEWS MEN INVITED

Correspondents Asked To See For Them- selves How U. S. Ticks

By ALEX H. SINGLETON

Washington, April 22—(AP)—The State Department will extend to three Russian war correspondents a potentially significant invitation to take a look at how America works and thinks and lives in peacetime.

The three—Ilya G. Ehrenburg of Izvestia, Gen. Mikhail R. Galaktionov of Pravda and Konstantin M. Simonov of Red Star—came here to meet with the American Society of Newspaper Editors.

Their visit was planned by the newspaper organization to promote an exchange of ideas between the day by day historians of two of the world's greatest powers.

The Russian writers gave the country's top ranking news executives a bluntly frank idea of what they think about this country's press.

Some of it was favorable some of it, too, was sharply critical. That's the kind of a report the State Department hopes they will take home to Russia—one based on a trained newspaperman's first-hand observations.

So the department—primarily on the initiative of secretary of state Byrnes—conceived the idea of letting the newspapermen learn for themselves how the U. S. ticks. They will be given a free hand to

see how ready-to-go machines roll off the production lines, how people live in big cities and in small towns, how newspapers function without government control, how things are here generally.

Although it was confirmed officially that the invitation will be accepted, it was an unofficial ambassador to their American colleagues, the three Soviet newsmen presumably will have to await an okay from Moscow.

NOTICE OF SALE OF FARM LANDS

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon the undersigned Commissioner in a certain order duly signed and entered on the 16th day of April, 1946, by Honorable D. T. House, Jr., Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, in a certain Special Proceeding entitled, "R. B. Clark et al. Vs. Henry Norman Clark et al.," same being S. P. No. 4643 upon the special proceeding docket of said Court, I will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash on Saturday, May 18, 1946, at 12:00 o'clock, Noon, before the courthouse door in Greenville, N. C., the following described tract of land, to wit:

That certain tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in Chicod Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of H. H. Wren, Frank Harris, E. A. Stanley, and Indian Well Swamp, and beginning at the mouth of Long Branch Canal where it empties in the first canal of Indian Well Swamp, thence up the windings of said Long Branch Canal to the bridge on the main road, thence southwardly with the road 2 1/2 poles to a stake, thence N. 57 1/2° W. 84 poles to a stake centered by a white oak, thence N. 35 1/2° E. 18 poles to a stake, C. F. Harris' corner, thence down the canal in Long Branch 6 poles to Fred Cox's corner, thence with the said Cox's line N. 49° E. 30 poles to a pine, thence S. 55° E. 7 1/2 poles to a stake on the road, thence

S. 51 1/2° E. 90 poles to a stake centered by an ash and sweet gum on the first canal in Indian Well Swamp, thence down the said canal to the place of beginning and containing 44 acres, more or less, and being Lot No. 4 which was allotted to Viola Clark in the Division of the Windley lands as recorded in Book F-6 at page 556 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County.

Tobacco allotment for 1946 is 6.7 acres.

This sale will be made subject to lease for the year 1946, and the purchaser will be given possession January 1, 1947.

The sale will also be made subject to confirmation by the Court, and the proposed purchaser will be required to make a cash deposit with the commissioner of 10 percent of the bid at the time of the sale.

This 16th day of April, 1946.

R. B. LEE, Commissioner.

April 17-19w-4wks.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Having this day qualified as administratrix of the estate of W. J. Webb, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent, to exhibit itemized and verified statements of account to the undersigned on or before April 2, 1947, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment to the administratrix.

This 2nd day of April, 1946.

MRS. SUSIE W. WEBB, Patrix of the Estate of W. J. Webb.

April 2-19w-6wks.

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The Movies Today

Pitt—"FROM THIS DAY FORWARD," Joan Fontaine, Mark Stevens.

State—"HOUSE OF HORRORS," Robert Lowery, Va. Grey.

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