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Solons Ask No Politics In Aid Plan

Republican And Democrat Call On Congress To Unite Behind Foreign Aid

Washington, Jan. 9—(AP)—A Republican and a Democrat urged today that Congress put party differences aside and join in support of a European recovery program.

Senator Smith (N.J.), Hatch's Republican colleague on the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, called for a "non-political" settlement of the administration-GOP argument over who shall operate the Marshall Plan for European recovery.

With Secretary of State Marshall standing firm on the contention that he must control vital policy decisions, Smith told a reporter he thinks a compromise is imperative with House Republicans who want a separate government corporation set up to administer the foreign aid program.

"But it must be a compromise without politics in it," the New Jersey Senator declared. Smith earlier had urged Congress to avoid "political implications" and make the assistance program an "all-American plan."

In a speech prepared for Senate delivery, Hatch proposed that the Republican and Democratic policy committees be invited to sit with the Foreign Relations Committee to consider President Truman's proposal for a 51-month program of economic aid for Europe expected to cost \$6,800,000,000 in the first 15 months.

The New Mexico Democrat said this representative group could agree on an "American policy" with regard to foreign affairs and predicted the House would back up such a decision and that it would be approved by the President.

"If party politics guides or directs any of us in these critical days of destiny," Hatch declared, "only disaster can or will result."

"The people do not want a Republican European recovery program. With equal vigor, I assert the country does not want a Democratic European recovery program. What the country wants and what the people are demanding is a united American program."

Name New Boy Scout Executive

Wilson, Jan. 9—(AP)—Freeman E. Self has been named scout executive of the East Carolina Council of Boy Scouts, it was announced here today. He will replace John B. Hackney, who resigned to become a deputy regional executive in Atlanta.

Colon M. McLean of Washington, N. C., announced the selection of Self, scout executive of the Georgia-Carolina council with headquarters in Augusta. Since 1943, he will report here next month.

Cost-Of-Living Index Going Up

Washington, Jan. 9—(AP)—The cost of living for moderate-income families in large cities rose 7.1 percent from mid-October to mid-November, the Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today.

The consumers' price index rose to 164.9 percent of the 1935-39 average, a new record high, the bureau said, confirming its preliminary estimate of index, made a week ago.

A Definite Cleavage

Differences Between Communism and Democracy More Clearly Defined By Marshall Appeal; A New United Nations? Brazil's Blow; Moscow's hand Seen In Milan

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

Daily the cleavage between Russian communism and Democracy is being more sharply defined. We had a blunt reminder of this in Secretary of State Marshall's appeal before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee yesterday for prompt implementation of the program for rehabilitation of Europe. The general didn't mince words:

"Without the establishment of economic health and vigor in the free countries of Europe x x x the nations of western civilization, of which we are by belief and in practice an integral part, will take on a new complexion in the image of the tyranny that we fought to destroy in Germany. x x x

"This great project x x x must be carried to success against the avowed determination of the Soviet Union and the Communist party to oppose and sabotage it at every turn. x x x

"The way of life that we have known is literally in the balance. x x x Apropos of the general tense situation, but having no immediate relation to the Marshall statement, a foreign office source in London yesterday threw out a thought about a possible new United Nations. He did this by hinting that the British may incline to the viewpoint attributed to certain elements in the American State Department who



GETS NEW PET—Carolyn Porter, 7, of Takoma Park, Md., feeds Sandy, a collie given her by a Baltimore restaurant man to replace her pet, Starlet, killed by a truck.

Insiders Profited In Grain Says Stassen

Accuses Administration Figures Of Using Information To Make \$4 Million Profit In Speculation Since The War

Washington, Jan. 9—(AP)—Harold E. Stassen accused administration "insiders" of using official information to make a \$4,000,000 profit in commodity trading since the war and called for legislation to prevent such activity.

The former Minnesota governor, now seeking the Republican presidential nomination, told a senate appropriations subcommittee that "I do not think any member of the government should be in the food commodity markets." He added that legislation apparently is the only way to prevent this.

Stassen also testified that: 1. Edwin W. Pauley, special assistant to Army Secretary Royal, profited to the extent of approximately \$1,000,000 from his trading, and "did not make a full disclosure" of his activities when he appeared before the committee last month.

2. Brig. Gen. Wallace H. Graham, President Truman's personal physician, was "not truthful" in a recent statement on his trading. "Our information is that, in fact, Dr. Graham used his position in the market immediately after the President's October 5 address on speculation. He did not leave the market until I very specifically said the executive branch of the government was involved."

Stassen also said that Graham did not lose money in the market, adding that "his profit was nothing compared with the Million dollars made by Pauley, but it was definitely a profit."

Stassen testified that market activity by government insiders has tended to force prices up. He also criticized what he called "the clumsy nature" of government purchasing operations, and said that a committee of congress should be set up to review purchases week by week "so they may be called to account."

But Stassen said he is not one to blame either political party for primary responsibility for higher prices, saying that "the primary cause is the worldwide shortage in the wake of war."

W.H. Taft Is Elected

Named President Of Merchants Association By Directors

By CHESTER WALSH The Greenville Merchants Association Board of Directors, at a called meeting at its offices in the City Hall today, unanimously elected William H. (Bill) Taft, of the Taft Furniture Company, president for 1948.

Charles B. Bisette, of Bisette's Drug Store was chosen vice-president; L. S. Garris, of Garris' Grocery and Market, treasurer. Cora S. Powell is executive secretary and Lois Edwards is assistant.

Judson H. Blount was named director of the North Carolina Merchants Association.

President Taft, who takes an active interest in the association's affairs, in accepting the gavel from retiring President John W. Glover, expressed appreciation for the honor and pledged his best efforts during the year.

Directors, in addition to the above named, are Reynolds May, C. R. McBrayer, B. S. Hodges, Jr., J. B. Webb, Jr., W. L. Allen, H. L. Ormond, W. L. Harrington, C. A. Plyler, Curtis Perkins, Van C. Fleming, Jr., John W. Glover and D. J. Whitchard, Jr.

In accordance with the by-laws directors of the Merchants Association are elected by mailing to each member a ballot for their vote, and those receiving the largest number of votes comprise the board. The new board of directors elects the president and other officers.

Prepares Fly To Manchurian City

Nanking, Jan. 9—(AP)—Chiang Kai-shek was reported preparing to fly to Mukden for a strategy conference as censored dispatches today said a new Communist drive pushed within eight miles of the Manchurian metropolis.

Although Chiang has ordered secrecy concerning his movements, widely circulated reports said he would fly to Mukden this month to make on the spot plans to cope with growing Communist strength in Manchuria.

Charge Attempt At Extortion

Los Angeles, Jan. 9—(AP)—A 20-year-old housewife was held in jail today on a federal charge of sending an extortion letter to actress Betty Grable.

Mrs. Jane Bean was arraigned before U. S. commissioner David B. Head yesterday and ordered held under \$1,000 bond pending a hearing January 15.

Richard B. Hood, FBI chief here, said his agents arrested Mrs. Bean after a letter was written to the actress demanding \$5,000 to prevent kidnaping of the youngest child of Miss Grable and her husband, Bandleader Harry James.

Move To Deport Unwanted Alien

Washington, Jan. 9—(AP)—The Justice Department today announced the seizure of Ferenc Vajta, 33, on a charge of using "false and misleading statements" to gain entry into the United States.

The department said Vajta's presence here is "prejudicial to the interests of the United States" and said he was en route to Ellis Island to await deportation proceedings. Why his presence here is "prejudicial" was not explained in the warrant against him.

Vajta was arrested in Washington by immigration agents on a warrant charging that he entered this country under an assumed name last Dec. 16.

FIRST FOUR FAULTY Fort Bragg, N.C., Jan. 9—(AP)—The first four cars to pass along North Carolina's first automobile inspection line were found faulty today.

Signals New Fight Over Tariff Laws

Rep. Knutson Asks Explanation Of Basis For Duties In 18-Nation Pact

Washington, Jan. 9—(AP)—(Rep. Knutson (R-Minn.) signalled the beginning of a "new tariff battle in congress today.

The Minnesota put before the house ways and means committee he heads a resolution calling upon the State Department to say how it arrived at the new duties, in the 18-nation trade pact which became effective January 1.

"If they sold us down the river," Knutson told reporters, "we are certainly going to put some safeguards in the reciprocal trade law before we renew it."

Knutson drafted his resolution as a preliminary step to committee hearings on extension of the trade agreements act, now due to expire in June.

President Truman told congress in his state of the union message Wednesday that continuation of the 14 year old statute is of "extreme importance."

By offering a formal resolution for the full committee's approval Knutson evidently sought to underscore his insistence for the information. Congressional committee members simply invite government departments to submit testimony. (Continued on Page Eight)

VA Expenditures At Record Level

Washington, Jan. 9—(AP)—The dizzy-spiraling expenditures of the Veterans Administration reached a total of \$7,805,335,201 during the fiscal year ended last June 30, more than 12 times the pre-war rate, Administrator Carl R. Gray, Jr., reported to congress today.

A formal report submitted by Mr. Gray, who only recently became administrator showed the agency had spent:

\$6,609,161,862 in the United States in amounts that can be traced as state by state: \$2,304,213 in P. S. Possessions; \$18,512,003 in foreign countries; and

\$1,127,377,123 in miscellaneous amounts that do not yield to a state by state analysis, such as insurance fund transfers, certain readjustment benefits, personal funds of patients and canteen operations. VA expenditures remained comparatively level before the war, rising from \$514,979,421 in 1920 to \$639,126,697 in 1940.

The VA estimate of its expenditures in each state during fiscal 1947 include: North Carolina \$156,099,100; South Carolina \$77,672,411.

Would Cancel Permits In Zone

Washington, Jan. 9—(AP)—Immediate cancellation of a government order permitting citizens of Panama to qualify for U.S. Civil Service jobs in the Canal Zone was demanded today by Rep. Rees (R-Kan.).

"For the protection of our own country, it ought to be rescinded," he said in a statement.

Rees, chairman of the House Post Office and Civil Service Committee, added that he has asked the Civil Service Commission to hold up the appointments of 192 Panamanians who recently passed Civil Service examinations.

Report British Troops Clash With Arabs

Jerusalem, Jan. 9—(AP)—Jewish sources said British troops clashed today with 300 volunteers of an "Arab Border Army" which crossed the border from Syria and attacked a Jewish settlement in Upper Galilee.

These informants said two settlers were injured in a two-hour battle with the Arabs in the first large attack by forces from across the Syrian frontier. The informants speculated whether the Arabs were led by Fawzi Kaukji, one of the chiefs of the Palestine Arab revolt of 1936.

Jewish sources said the Arabs arrived in trucks and before attacking Kfar Soid, a collective settlement named for the American philanthropist Henrietta Soid, struck at the nearby settlement of Dan and blew up a water pipeline.

Indicted Ten Plead Innocent

Washington, Jan. 9—(AP)—Ten Hollywood movie writers and producers pleaded innocent today to charges of contempt of congress and were ordered to stand trial separately beginning Feb. 9.

John Howard Lawson, movie freelance writer, will be the first to go on trial.

The 10 entered their pleas upon arraignment before Federal Judge Richmond B. Keach on indictments charging them with refusing to tell the House Committee on Un-American Activities whether they were or had been members of the Communist party.

Five-Nation UN Group In Action

Palestine Partition Body Calls For Consultations On Strife-Torn Holy Land; Trygve Lie Expects Security Council Success

Lake Success, Jan. 9—(AP)—The United Nations Palestine Partition Commission today called on Britain, the Jewish Agency for Palestine and the Arab Higher Committee for immediate consultations on the situation in the strife-torn Holy Land. Moving swiftly at its first session, the five-nation partition commission decided to talk with representatives of the three vitally interested parties as the first step toward implementing the U.N. plan to cut up Palestine into Jewish and Arab countries by next Oct. 1.

The commission acted as dispatches from Jerusalem reported the first instance of infiltration of sizable "volunteer" bands from Arab country territory adjoining the Holy Land. One report quoting Jewish sources said 300 such "volunteers" had entered Palestine from Syria and attacked a Jewish settlement.

Secretary-General Trygve Lie opened the meeting here by expressing confidence that the Security Council would exercise "every necessary power" to see that partitioning is carried out by next Oct. 1 without fail. Lie did not mention the creation of an international military force

as a specific partition enforcement measure, but this was implicit in his statement, since the council has the power to set up such a force.

In an address prepared for delivery at the opening of tense deliberations by the five-country U.N. Palestine Partition Commission Lie declared:

"You are entitled to be confident that in the event it should prove necessary, the Security Council will assume its full measure of responsibility in implementation of the assembly's (partition) resolution. You have the right to assume, as I assume, that in such a situation the Security Council will not fail to exercise, to the fullest and without exception, every necessary power entrusted to it by the charter in order to assist you in fulfilling your mission."

Lie underscored in his prepared text the words "to the fullest and without exception."

The secretary-general pointed out that the partition plan had been approved by more than the necessary two-thirds majority vote of the General Assembly last Nov. 29 and added: "Your mandate, therefore, is firm and clear."

Tribute To USO

Washington, Jan. 9—(AP)—President Truman awarded an "honorable discharge" today to the United Service Organizations (USO), which for seven years provided entertainment and comfort for the U.S. armed forces and their allies.

"The USO has fulfilled its commitment and discharged its wartime responsibility completely and with signal distinction," Mr. Truman said in a statement distributed in advance of a White House ceremony.

Alternatives To Told Senators European Relief

Washington, Jan. 9—(AP)—Ambassador Lewis Douglas told senators today that he has alternative proposals to the "cost of living" program. He said the "alternative if congress fails to vote an adequate European recovery program."

Testifying before the senate foreign relations committee, the American ambassador to London said some critics have argued that spending \$6,800,000,000 to help Europe in the next 15 months would have inflationary effects here at home.

If congress provides no aid, or inadequate assistance, Douglas went on, the United States may have to become an "armed camp relatively isolated in the world."

He said the cost of armaments may be such as to have just as great an effect on living costs at home as would expenditures for foreign aid. He argued:

"We should calculate the cost of this program in its effect on the continued inflationary conditions at home against the calculated cost of doing nothing or doing something inadequate."

Douglas sat with Secretary of State Marshall yesterday when Marshall had been presenting the administration's case for its proposed four-year program of helping Europe. There are reports that Douglas may be assigned to administer the program if congress votes for it.

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Taft Speech Challenges Demo Goals

Says Truman Program Is Road To National Bankruptcy, Totalitarianism

Washington, Jan. 9—(AP)—A new Democratic plea for congressional unity raised a faint whisper today among the echoes of a speech by Senator Taft (R-Ohio) condemning President Truman's program as the road to "national bankruptcy" and a "totalitarian state."

Senator Hatch (D-NM), longtime close friend of the Republican and Democratic Policy Committees of the Senate form "one policy committee for the nation" to deal with inflation and foreign aid.

His olive branch apparently was withered on the vine, however, by Taft's steaming radio attack last night describing proposals in Mr. Truman's State of the Union message as "the ghosts of the old New Deal with new trappings."

Taft, who is chairman of the Republican Senate Policy Committee and a candidate for his party's presidential nomination, said flatly:

"The Republican Congress proposes to go on with its program."

Meanwhile Chairman Taft (R-NY) of the House Appropriations Committee estimated the Truman program would cost \$30,000,000,000 and said this would make tax reduction—a prime GOP target for 1948—an impossibility.

Taft centered his fire mainly on the President's domestic proposals, including a \$40-per-person "cost of living" tax cut with an offsetting \$3,500,000,000 boost in corporation taxes, compulsory curbs on inflation, and a ten year plan to adjust the social welfare of the nation.

Who else could fail to agree with the President's objective of improving the lot of the people, the Ohio senator said. But as for the President's ideas on how this should be done, he asserted:

"Taken together they add up to national bankruptcy."

"Taken together they will add up to national bankruptcy."

Calling Mr. Truman's tax plan "about as discriminatory a proposal as could be made," Taft added:

"If followed to its logical conclusion he would ultimately exempt a large proportion of all income and shift all taxes onto a very small proportion of the population."

Anti-Inflation Act May Cover Lumber Industry

Washington, Jan. 9—(AP)—Congress appeared likely here today that the Republican anti-inflation act be broadened to cope specifically with sky-high lumber prices.

The method would be a special law granting temporary anti-trust immunity while the industry gets together on voluntary price cutting agreements.

Rep. Gamble (R-NY), chairman of the Senate-house committee investigating housing costs, called lumber leaders to closed door session today.

Gamble did not divulge his purpose, but persons familiar with industry developments gave this clue privately:

Some lumbermen, alarmed at the towering level of prices, have said they would be willing to cooperate in a concerted reduction if assured that such an agreement will not bring them new prosecutions for price fixing.

Republican Strategy

For Things That Go 'Wrong' They Plan To Attack Truman, Pres. Roosevelt and New Deal, 15 Years Of Democratic Administration; Taft Talk Follows Line

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, Jan. 9—(AP)—The Republicans' strategy, or some of it, in trying to win the 1948 elections, is pretty clear.

It became a little clearer last night, although it's not new. They've used the same strategy before.

For the things that go wrong or they don't like, they'll attack: 1. Not only President Truman.

2. But President Roosevelt and the New Deal.

3. And the 15 years of Democratic administration.

On Wednesday Mr. Truman laid a number of proposals before congress for 1948.

And last night Senator Taft of Ohio, who wants to be Republican president, went on the radio to take a poke at Mr. Truman's ideas.

He took 14 cracks at the New Deal in his 3,000-word talk. He mentioned Roosevelt a couple of times. For most of the rest he criticized Mr. Truman.

Taken by itself, that talk might merely indicate that Taft was finding a lot of fault with Presidents Truman and Roosevelt and with the New Deal.

But he was just repeating, in more detail, a line taken the day before by New York's Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, who also wants to be Republican president.

Said Taft: "We all join with him (Mr. Truman) in wishing the country x x x a happy new 10 years, happier than the 15 years of New Deal administration. x x x

"The old New Deal has been revised in a more global form than ever before (meaning Mr. Truman's proposals Wednesday). x x x

"He has raised all the ghosts of the old New Deal. x x x The first point that occurs to me is that the New Deal Administration has been in control of this country for 15 years. x x x

"What has the New Deal Administration been doing for 15 years? x x x

"They demanded and obtained from Congress infinite power so great that President Roosevelt said it would only be safe in his hands. x x x

"But what has the New Deal been doing with all our money? x x x

"There are few indeed who don't equal the New Dealers in their sinners and earnest desire for uplift and progress in America. But we do question the effect of New Deal measures and philosophy. x x x

"The Mr. Truman says that millions of children do not have adequate houses or enough teachers. And that millions of our youth live in city slums and country shacks. (Continued on Page Three)

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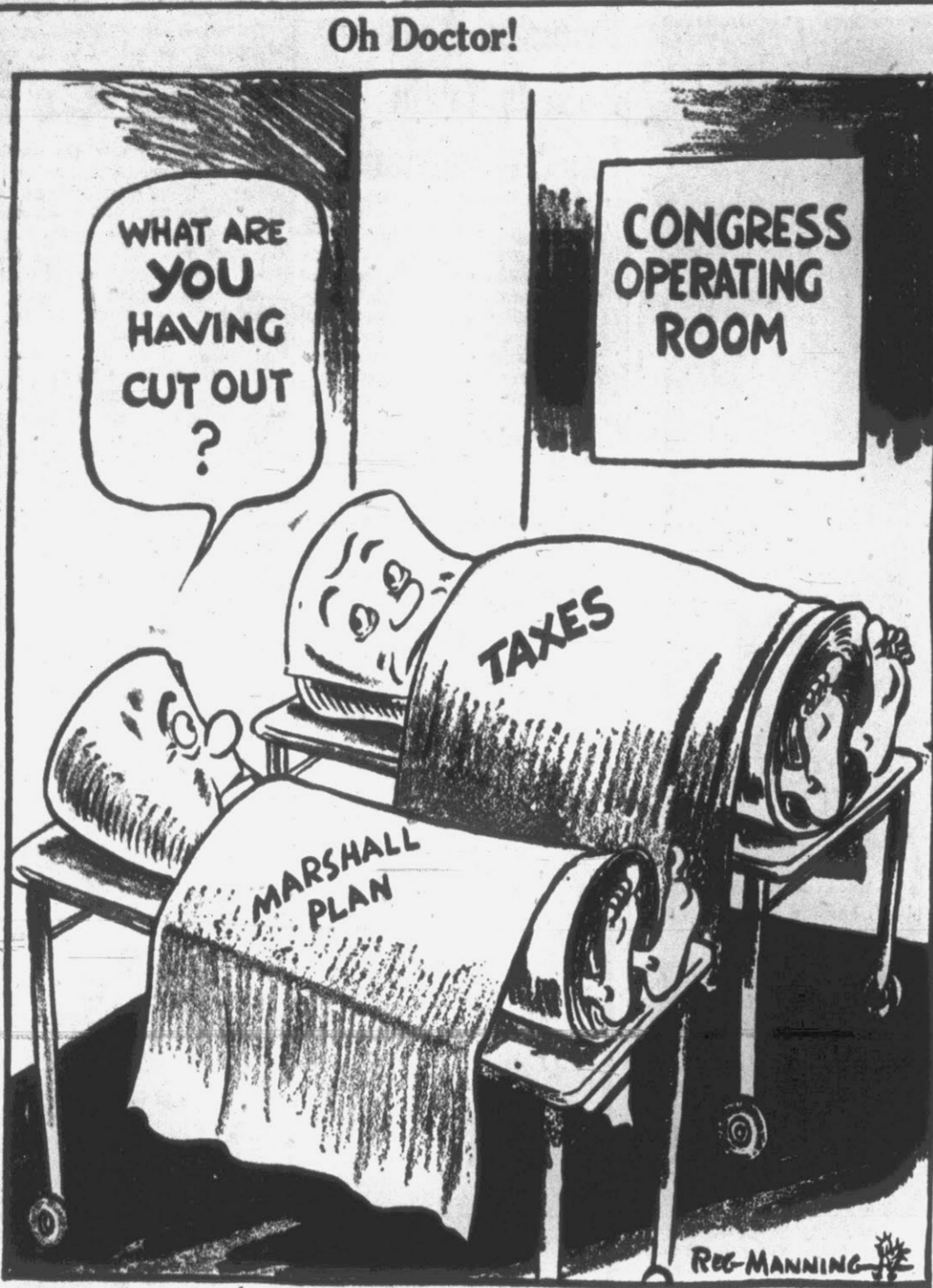
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Strength FOR THE DAY

THEIR FAITH STILL LIVES

A visitor to Holland last summer went one Sunday morning to a cemetery where a number of Allied soldiers, including Americans, had been buried. While he was there, a group of men wearing the threadbare clothes which so many of the Dutch have to wear in these days walked up through the pathways of the cemetery and finally assembling at one spot began to sing. Their voices rose in joyful triumph, and these were the words they sang: "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from henceforth: yea, saith the spirit that they may rest from their labors; for they work no more."

Reflect on this scene for a moment. Holland is a particularly devastated country. Every man and every woman of the land has been reduced to a state of poverty. Yet a group of men were going through a cemetery on a Sunday morning cheerfully proclaiming in song their belief in the immortality of the soul. They did not mourn and cherish in their minds the bitter memories of oppression and cruelty. That was behind them now, and through the struggle they had kept their faith.



Life is stronger than death. Love is stronger than hate. Hope thrusts despair aside. Men gather about graves and sing joyful songs. Courage and faith cannot be swept out of men's hearts even by the cruel devices of tyranny.

WASHINGTON LETTER

By JANE EADS

Washington — Courtesy always pays off, says big, handsome Wil-

liam J. Broderick, who is rounding out his first year as captain of the Capitol Police Force.

Capt. Broderick, who had been a member of the Pennsylvania State Police for 19 years before taking over the job on Capitol Hill, started out by insisting on fine manners in his men at all times.

Among other things, he told his men it had to be "Yes sir, no sir, yes ma'am, no ma'am" all the time, and no wise cracks ever that drinking on the job would not be tolerated.

The result, he says has been a "number of nice comments from visitors, and from Senators and Congressmen themselves."

A batch of 15 new long-armers just sworn in, have increased the force to 187 men. They are all veterans, picked for their service in the Army, and their average age is about 23 years.

The Capitol police get an average of \$2,000 base pay, with overtime and other allowances, bringing it up to \$2,900. They are divided into three shifts of eight hours each—8 a.m. to 4 p.m., 4 p.m. to midnight, midnight to 8 a.m.

All the men must be at least five feet, seven inches in height, and must weigh at least 145 pounds. They must be free of color blindness, deafness, or impediment of speech.

The men are now getting their first training in Washington's Metropolitan Police School. Later, Capt. Broderick hopes they can go to the Police Academy.

Capt. Broderick says the hardest job his men have is handling an average of three or four persons a week who seem to have a grudge against the government.

"They come to the Capitol to get even, any way they can," he says, "and they have to be handled with care. Sometimes it takes three or four men to handle a single case."

Their worst trouble in the past year was occasioned by the shooting of Senator Bricker by a man who claimed some sort of injustice had been done him.

Capt. Broderick came to Washington to head the force after four years in the Army, which included 20 months in the Aleutians. He is a modest man and says his 19 years' police service is "not long in this game."

Announce Chicod Postmaster Exam Will Be Held

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to fill the position of fourth class postmaster at Chicod, North Carolina.

The examination will be held at Greenville, North Carolina.

Receipts of applications will close on January 29, 1948. The yearly salary is \$1,080.

The examination is open to all citizens of, or nationals who owe allegiance to, the United States who reside within the territory supplied by the post office for which this examination is announced and who are at least 21 years of age, but not yet 65, on the date of the close of receipt of applications for this examination.

Application blanks and full information about the requirements of the examination may be secured from the post office for which this examination is announced, or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C. Applications must be on file with the Commission at Washington, D. C., on the date specified above.

Says Depression Would Follow Farm Income Decrease

Washington, Jan. 9. — (AP) — Harry B. Caldwell of Greensboro, N. C., Master of the North Carolina Grange, cautions that "if we have a decline in farm income... it will be followed by a disastrous depression."

He told Grange leaders at a Middle Atlantic and Southern States Regional Conference here yesterday, however, "the current Grange program gives more promise to southern agriculture than any Grange policy in the past quarter century."

Grange representatives from 14 states heard him add "we must be concerned about the development of sound foreign trade programs and markets for agricultural products... as well as prices" at home and abroad.

Meet Denials Of Stalin Death With Some Doubt

Bern, Switzerland, Jan. 9. — (AP) — Two Bern newspapers which inquired yesterday whether Prime Minister Joseph Stalin of Russia was dead met denials today with doubt.

Above denials under London and New York datelines, Der Bund put a headline: "Denials but not from Moscow."

Berner Tagwacht headlined the denials: "Denials that are not denials."

Tass, the official Russian news agency, yesterday called reports of Stalin's death "nonsense" and Vladimir Pavlov, Soviet ambassador in London, declared the reports were "obviously a slanderous and monstrous provocation." He added: "I do not think it is true."

Colored News

Book Spring F. W. B. Church 9:30 Sunday School, W. M. Tatum, Superintendent.

11 o'clock, Sermon by the pastor, Rev. S. Hemby. He will use for his subject: "A New Creature In Christ Jesus."

7:30 o'clock the pastor will be at Arthur's Chapel, Arthur, N. C. The public is invited to worship with us.

York Memorial A. M. E. Zion Church Rev. P. H. Mumford, pastor. Sunday, 9:45, Sunday school, W. Hester, Superintendent.

11 a. m. message by the pastor, subject, "The Spiritual Investment for the Soul." Music by the senior choir.

5 p. m. V. C. E. meeting. 7:30 — Regular service. Wednesday night prayer meeting. Thursday night, quarterly conference, Dr. T. S. Maulsby presiding. This being the first quarter, we kindly ask, every member of the church to be present, and take part in the meeting.

Friday night love feast, all class leaders will please come prepared to register with their respective classes.

The general public is cordially invited to share in these services.

WGTC 1490 On Your Dial TONIGHT

6:00—News
6:05—Sportscast
6:15—Plantation Party
6:25—Your car
6:30—Erwin, State and Regional News
6:45—Claudia
7:00—Pulton Lewis, Jr., MBS
7:15—Evening Serenade
7:30—Henry J. Taylor, MBS

Orphaned By War—They Must Be Fed



In Bucharest, children, hungry and homeless are given food at a canteen maintained by Sisters for the War Relief Services-National Catholic Welfare Conference. Food collected during the Thanksgiving Food Collection in the United States will keep these canteens feeding the innocent victims of the war.

7:45—Your Veteran Reports
7:50—Musical Gems
8:00—Burl Ives, MBS
8:15—Navy Band
8:30—Leave it to the Girls, MBS
8:55—Pitching Horseshoes, MBS
9:00—Gabriel Heatter, MBS
9:15—Melodies for Today
9:30—Information Please, MBS
10:00—Meet the Press
10:30—2200 Club
11:00—All the News
11:15—Orrin Tucker's Orch., MBS
11:30—Nat Brandywine Orch., MBS
11:55—News, MBS
12:00—Sign Off.

12:15—This Week in Washington, MBS
12:30—Afternoon Melodies
12:45—News
1:00—Luncheon at Sardi's, MBS
1:30—Let's Dance
2:00—Warner Ruhl's Orch., MBS
2:30—Bob Leighton's Orch., MBS
3:00—To Be Announced, MBS
3:30—Macalester Radio Singers, MBS
4:00—Sports Parade, MBS
4:30—Emilio Reyes, MBS

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7:00 Yawn Patrol
7:30—Sports, TN
7:35—Fairy Tales
7:45—News
8:00—Jungle Jim
8:15—Breakfast Frolics
8:30—Morning Meditations
8:45—Waits Time
9:00—News
9:05—Stars on the Horizon
9:10—Morning Merry Go Round
9:55—Lost and Found
10:00—Obituary Column
10:05—John W. Vandercok
10:10—Program Resume
10:15—Block Party
10:45—Great Music for Children, TN
11:00—Guest Star
11:15—Voice of the Army
11:30—Say It With Music, MBS
12:00—Bubbles Brown show

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6:05—Sportscast
6:15—Twilight Melodies
6:30—News
6:45—Manning Brothers
7:00—Evening Serenade
7:30—Front Page Drama
7:45—MBS, Twin Views of News
8:00—MBS, Twenty Questions
8:30—MBS, Hospitality Club
9:00—Hospitality Time
9:15—Saturday Swing
9:30—MBS, What's the Name of That Song?
10:00—TN, Prof Quiz
10:30—Columbia Record Shop
11:00—News and Sports Final
11:15—MBS Songs by Morton Downey
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11:55—MBS News
12:00—Sign Off

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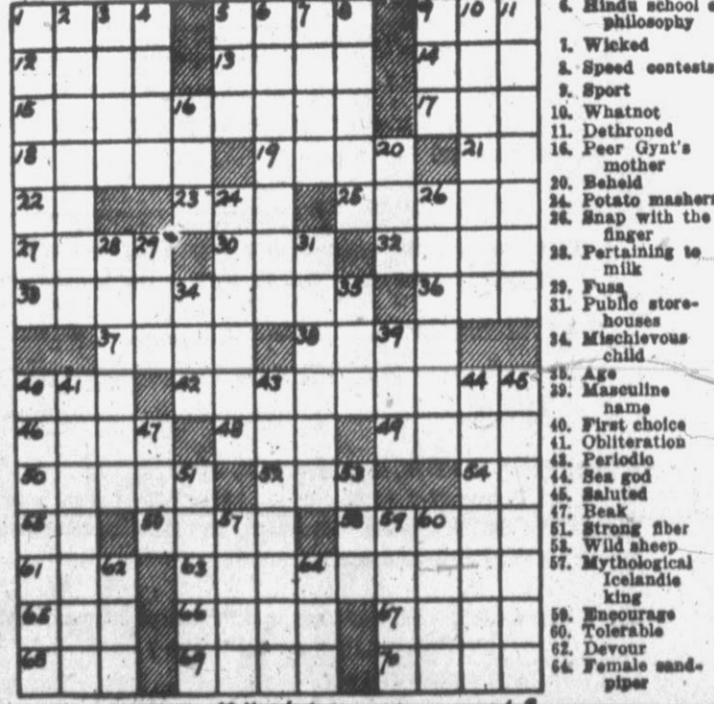
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1. In a line
5. Declare
9. Glacial snow
13. Said
17. Russian river
14. American Indian
15. Pertaining to North Atlantic island
11. Short sleep
18. Money factories
19. Malt liquor
21. Depart
23. Near
21. Sea eagle
25. Expositives for valuables
27. Tense
28. Follower of suffix
29. Telegram
31. Root out



DOWN
1. Heated chamber
4. Part of a shoe
5. Feminine name
6. Hinds school of philosophy
7. Wicked
8. Speed contests
9. Sport
10. Whattout
11. Dethroned
16. Pear Gyn's
20. Beheld
24. Potato mashers
25. Snap with the finger
28. Pertaining to
29. Fusa
31. Public store-houses
34. Mischievous child
35. Age
40. First choice
41. Obliteration
43. Periodic
44. Sea god
45. Sailed
47. Beak
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Ships Will Attempt to Tow Leaking Russian Vessel

Tokyo, Jan. 9—(AP)—The heavily-listering Russian ship *Dvina* and its 780 passengers waited today for 50-foot waves to subside so rescue vessels can tow them to some northern Japan port.

The 7,600-ton American-built ship had drifted about 50 miles from yesterday's position and was approximately 280 miles southeast of Hakodate, the nearest good northern port.

A Russian patrol boat succeeded in putting a line aboard the *Dvina* late today while seven other vessels stood by ready to lend a hand. Flying Fortresses flew overhead in relays.

Associated Press Photographer Charles Gorry, aboard one of the planes, reported:

"We saw 40 or 50 passengers, all heavily clothed. None of them waved or gave any other sign of recognition as we circled over the ship."

Vice Adm. R. M. Griffin, commander of naval forces of the Far East, said it would be hazardous to try to bring off the passengers because of bad weather and plans were made to tow the *Dvina*.

Naval officials reported an attempt would be made to tow the *Dvina* to Hakodate, unless the ship, which sprang a leak in a storm, was unable to stand the pounding seas. In that case the rescuers will head for the nearest port. The *Dvina* had a 40-degree list.

The Soviet embassy said it still was without information on the vessel or her passengers.

There was some speculation that the large passenger list suggested the Russians might be closing out labor camps on Kamchatka for the severe winter and returning the workers to Siberia.

VFW Membership Drive Contest

The Veterans of Foreign Wars held the first meeting of 1948 on Thursday night, January 8, over Carter's Primary. A barbeque supper was enjoyed by all present after which Commander Walter Lewis presided over a short business meeting.

A committee was appointed to form plans for a membership contest. The post will be divided into two teams, one team to be comprised of the veterans of the Asiatic-Pacific theatre, the other to be formed of veterans of the European theatre. The team getting the most new members or renewals of old members will receive a supper or some similar prize from the losing team. The European team outnumbered the Pacific team but the Pacific team has a great deal of confidence in its ability to increase the membership for the new year.

Commander Lewis also appointed a committee to work with the American Legion on plans for the observance of Armistice Day this year. This joint committee will try to make this day one of the most outstanding in the history of Greenville.

The post was reminded that new officers will be elected in March and installed in April. A nominating committee was appointed to suggest a list of candidates for election in March.

New State Board Of Agriculture Men Are Sworn In Today

Raleigh, N.C., Jan. 9—(AP)—A. B. Slagle of Franklin and David Townsend of Rowland were sworn in today by Associate Justice E. B. Denny of the State Supreme Court as members of the State Board of Agriculture.

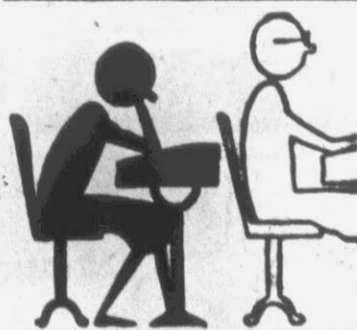
Slagle succeeds D. R. Noland of Clyde, who recently resigned when appointed to the State Highway and Public Works Commission. Townsend succeeds the late Charles Cates of Mebane.

The board, after the swearing in, took up proposed changes in the state's milk regulations and a report on the 1947 State Fair.

State Officials On Survey High Schools North Of Tar River

Dr. J. Henry Highsmith of the Department of Instruction, North Carolina Department of Education, Raleigh, and his assistant, A. B. Combs were here yesterday to make a survey of high schools north of Tar River in Pitt County.

The survey is being made under the program of future school planning. Don H. Conley, superintendent of county schools said.



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At Five Points

'Vapor Plugs' In Engines Blamed For Air Tragedy

Savannah, Ga., Jan. 9—(AP)—Co-Pilot Raymond Eck of the charter plane which crashed near here, killing 18 persons and injuring nine, said "vapor plugs"—the formation of vapor from gasoline similar to an air-bubble—hampered operation of the twin engines on the fatal flight.

Eck's statement was made from his hospital bed last night shortly after rescue workers returned with the body of the eighteenth victim.

The search for the eighteenth body was made after the Red Cross received reports that the plane may have carried more than the 26 persons known to have been aboard the plane after leaving New York and Philadelphia.

Co-Pilot Eck, a former naval flight instructor from Trenton, N.J., said that efforts were made to clear the block in the feed lines to the engines by switching fuel tanks.

Even as the eighteenth body was being removed from the desolate marsh area, the Civil Aeronautics Administration in Washington disclosed it was in receipt of two complaints against the operators of the plane, Coastal Airlines.

The complaints, said the CAA, covered violations of safety rules, maintenance of equipment and improper manifest lists. The CAA did not say whether the complaints involved the Savannah crash.

Narrowly Escape 'Shoebomb' In Arab Bus

Jerusalem, Jan. 9—(AP)—Two Arabs and a British policeman were injured today by the explosion of a crude shoebomb planted in an Arab bus in Jerusalem.

Passengers in the bus saw smoke curling from the shoebomb and hurried it from a window just before it exploded, thereby probably averting greater casualties.

The explosion blasted a hole in the sidewalk and shattered windows in nearby Arab shops, most of which have been closed for weeks because of Jewish-Arab strife over the impending partition of the Holy Land.

The incident touched off the first general alarm in Jerusalem in six weeks.

In the Jaffa-Tel Aviv area, an official announcement said, a Jewess was shot and killed by British security police in the "no man's land" between the Arab and Jewish cities.

Probable Cause Found Attempted Rape Case Here

By CHESTER WALSH

In Police Court today, Judge J. W. H. Roberts found probable cause in the case in which Mrs. Maude Briley, 59-year-old woman of the Mill Village, charged John E. Vernon, 24, her son-in-law, with attempting to criminally assault her at his home last Tuesday night while his wife was away. The court ordered Vernon held under \$2,000 bond.

Mrs. Briley testified that Vernon told her what he was going to do and threw her on a bed and attempted to rape her; that she resisted and later swore out a warrant for his arrest. Testimony developed that the woman, who made her home with her daughter and son-in-law, had contributed to the family's support and helped with the children while the parents worked. Vernon and his wife are employed at a factory in Kinston, but live in the Mill Village here.

In finding probable cause, Judge Roberts said he sympathized with Vernon's wife and that the court would like to help her; that she was married when she was 15 years old; has three children now, the youngest being a babe in arms, and that another baby is expected.

A dramatic feature of the trial (one of the most disagreeable he ever had to try, the judge said) was that Mrs. Briley, after testifying against her son-in-law, interceded for him, and asked the judge if he could put him on probation. The charge constitutes a felony and all the court could do was to give the defendant a hearing, send the case to Superior Court for jury trial and fix the bond, Judge Roberts said.

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Four Submarines to Be Transferred to Turkey



NO RECORDS—James C. Petrillo, (above) president of the American Federation of Musicians, announced union musicians would make no kind of recordings after Dec. 31.

Washington, Jan. 9—(AP)—The United States is transferring to Turkey four fleet-type submarines and Navy crews will deliver them to a port of this eastern Mediterranean nation.

The submarines are among 15 Navy vessels of various types which the Navy announced today are being transferred under the \$100,000,000 Turkish aid program voted by the last session of Congress.

The announcement came at a time that 1,000 marines are en route to strengthen crews aboard U. S. warships in the Mediterranean. Some of these ships are in waters about Greece where guerrilla warfare marks the conflict between the Communism stemming from Soviet Russia and her eastern satellites, and Western Europe and the United States.

Russia, Turkey's huge neighbor, has reportedly been reported by Navy officials here to possess one of today's largest submarine fleets.

While the transfer to Turkey of torpedo boats and minesweepers had been contemplated since the start of the Turkish aid program, there had been no previous official mention of submarines.

The Navy said Greece also has received six motor gunboats under the \$300,000,000 Greek aid program.

Ruhr Workers Protest Low Food Rations

Essen, Germany, Jan. 9—(AP)—Thousands of workers streamed out of the bomb-scarred remains of the huge Krupp plant and other factories in Essen at noon today in a general strike for more food. Five hundred coal miners also participated.

Trade union officials estimated that 50,000 persons had walked out, bringing to 85,000 the total number of Ruhr workers protesting against low food rations.

Police mobilized 400 men including mounted squads to patrol Burgplatz Square, where the strikers were called to a mass meeting.

British Military Government officials said the striking miners refused to heed appeals by trade union leaders to return to the pits at Essentary.

At Solingen, famed for its cutlery works, 35,000 workers began a two-day strike yesterday and held a mass demonstration in the town's main square this morning.

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N.C. Teachers Must Study Or Lose Ratings

Raleigh, Jan. 9—(AP)—North Carolina school teachers who haven't taken all the college or university work their certificate ratings call for had notice today they had better get back to the campus this summer or next or be dropped to a lower pay bracket.

The State Board of Education yesterday restored a rule, dormant for 18 years, requiring further higher education for many teachers. The rule was made effective next fall.

State school officials estimated it affects 7,500 of North Carolina's 25,000 public school teachers.

Teachers who don't take the additional training required to renew their certificates will be dropped one grade to a lower pay bracket, the education board declared. They won't get back to their previous pay scale until they have made up the required number of college or university semester hours credit.

From Dr. Clyde A. Erwin, state superintendent of public instruction, came this statement on the newly invoked requirement:

"If a thousand school teachers dropped out because of this, we'd be hard put to find replacements. But in the long run this will attract more young teachers."

The director of professional service for the State Department of Public Instruction asserted that colleges and universities in the state will be able to accommodate teachers at summer school. The director Dr. J. E. Hillman, said he made a survey recently and concluded that the institutions can take care of more than 7,500 teachers this summer.

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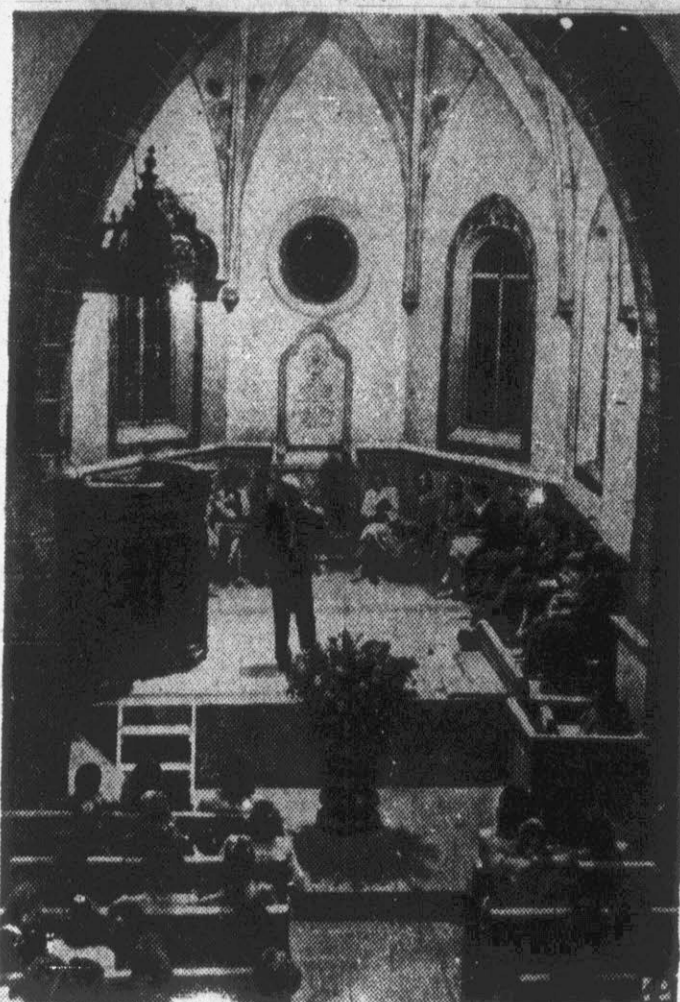
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MEDIAEVAL SETTING — In the church of Silvaplana, Switzerland, which dates from the fifteenth century, violinist Joseph Saigeti contributes his share to the Engadina festival staged in the Alpine valley.



TRIPLET TRAVELERS — Jettie Quinlan, TWA hostess, poses with the Dees triplets, Christina, Megan and Katha (l. to r.) of Washington, D. C., at La Guardia Field, N. Y., as the triplets and their mother explained for Cairo.

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New York, Jan. 9—(AP)—Henry Ford II, the Ford Motor Co. Dearborn Motors Corp., and seven other officers and directors of the company were named defendants in a \$251,000,000 damage suit filed yesterday in federal court by Harry Ferguson, Irish-born farm machine-

ry inventor. The suit charged that the defendants infringed on patents by copying the Ferguson line of farm tractors and violated anti-trust legislation by conspiring to drive the plaintiff's firm, Harry Ferguson, Inc., of Detroit, out of business. In a statement at Detroit, Henry Ford II described the complaint as "ridiculous," and "full of untruths." He said Ford officials would be "very happy to meet all of the allegations... at the proper time and place."

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STOCKHOLDERS MEETING NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

The annual meeting of shareholders of The First Federal Savings & Loan Association of Greenville, Greenville, North Carolina, will be held at the principal office of the Association at 320 Evans Street, Greenville, N. C., on Wednesday, the 21st day of January, 1948, at eight o'clock, P. M. Shareholders are urged to be present.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Directors on December 9, 1947, the Board made a proposal to amend the charter. Amendment of fourth sentence of Section 6 by striking the period at the end thereof and adding the following:

"or, if to be repurchased within fifteen months, as short-term savings share accounts."

and amendment of the tenth sentence of Section 9 by striking the period at the end thereof and adding:

"and short-term savings share accounts."

These amendments as recommended by the Board will be brought before the members for their approval on January 21, 1948.

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Annual CPL Meeting Stormy As Clubs Plan Ball Season

Salary Limits Adopted And Playing Roster Fixed At 16; Season To Consist Of 140-Game Schedule Beginning April 22; By-Laws Amended

The annual meeting of the Coastal Plain League Class D circuit was held at Glark's place last night, with the Greenville club acting as host. President Ray H. Goodman of Williamson presided over the meeting.



PRETTY TRAPSHOOTER — Movie actress Alice Faye, on a vacation trip to Sun Valley, Idaho, gets instruction on trap shooting from Carl Bradsher, an expert gunner.

L. D. Hines, president of the Roanoke Rapids club, was elected as vice-president of the league to succeed Jack Lee of New Bern.

J. Gaskill McDaniel, who had served as the league statistician for the past several seasons, tendered his resignation, which was accepted, and the Howe News Service will serve as league statistician.

The \$2,600 salary limit, exclusive of the manager, as adopted at the meeting in Miami, was adopted by the local league, and established the playing roster at 16.

This roster shall be composed of 4 veterans, 8 limited service men and 4 rookies but was decided only after a stormy session in which the league presidents voted 4-4 and President Ray Goodman was called upon to cast the deciding vote.

An early vote had been taken by the directors to have the roster composed of eleven limited service men and five veterans and after a tie vote by the directors, President Goodman cast a vote against this issue.

A 140-game schedule will be played this season with the opening date being April 22 (Thursday), and closing on Labor Day, September 6th. Double-headers will be played on Memorial Day and Independence Day, but the date has been moved forward one day due to the account that Memorial Day and July 4th come on Sundays this year. The Labor Day doubleheader will be dispensed with this year.

The same admission prices as used last year were retained by the directors — sixty cents for white adults, forty cents for colored adults, and twenty-five cents for children under 16 years of age. All prices to include grandstand privileges.

Several by-laws were amended as follows:

1. All parks must provide showers and dressing room facilities for umpires.

2. A player removed from a game will be allowed to assist in warming up pitchers, etc. but may not re-enter the game nor serve as a coach for that particular game.

3. If a manager suspends a veteran player can replace with a veteran but at all times 4 rookies must be on the active list. Last year when a veteran player was suspended he had to be replaced by a rookie only.

4. All double-header games will be two seven inning games provided they do not interfere with the national rules.

5. No inning shall be started on Sunday later than ten minutes to six o'clock and no inning shall be started during night games after ten minutes to twelve o'clock, the umpire's watch to govern. Last year the Sunday rule was twelve minutes to six o'clock.

6. Each club must file with the National Association the salary of each of their players and in addition the individual player must file an affidavit with the National Association stating the salary he is receiving. A heavy fine is subject to the player who makes a misstatement in his affidavit.

7. The admission price for the post-season games shall be the same as during the regular season.

8. The club finishing on top at the end of the regular season is champion of the league.

9. All suspended players shall be for 10 days rather than 7.

10. The protest fee was set at \$125 by the club making the protest.

Following the changing of the by-laws the question of the salary of the official score-keepers and after much discussion the salary was increased from \$2 to \$3 per game for the current season.

The directors also voted to increase the salary of President Ray Goodman from \$1,200 a year to \$1,600 a year.

Resolutions of respect were ordered to be drawn up for Mr. Raymond Turnage of Ayden, who was one of the organizers of the Coastal Plain League and served as its first president, and for Ed Davis of Wilson, sportswriter of that city.

Jack Lee, sportscaster of Radio Station WGBR appeared before the directors asking for the right to broadcast all games in each park but this matter was left to the discretion of the manager of the club and further action on the matter will be taken at the next meeting.

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Step Nearer

Miami Beach, Fla., Jan. 9—(AP)—Harry Volter, Miami Beach hotel operator, moved a step closer to his proposed Tony Zale-Rocky Graziano boxing match today after City Council agreed to lease him Memorial Field on Feb. 26.

Volter has tried for more than a year to match Zale and Graziano here. The field could seat 20,000.

Volter must now win City Board approval before the fight can be staged. He said proceeds would go to charity.

The pros will play for \$10,000 in cash and the amateurs for merchandise awards with Crosby footing the bills and the profits going to the Sister Kenny Foundation and the Monterey, Calif., Community Chest.

Sam Sneed and Roger Kelly, a former California amateur champion from Los Angeles, won last year's tourney but this year the Ben Hogan-Johnny Dawson baseball combination took the public eye.

Hogan was 1947's top money winner and won the \$10,000 Los Angeles Open. Dawson is a steady, former California Open and amateur title holder from Englewood.

Scores are not expected to be outstandingly low. Play is over three difficult courses on as many days.

Ten Southern Conference Teams In Action

Richmond, Va., Jan. 9—(AP)—Ten Southern Conference quintets will know the current basketball campaign is in high gear tonight as they pair off in five games—the heaviest evening of activity between member teams in the current campaign.

The nightly round of play will have every team in action from the headliners such as North Carolina State and George Washington to the tall ends, Virginia Military Institute and Virginia Tech.

The Techmen gets in the conference fray for the first time by playing host to a North Carolina quintet which opens a Virginia tour at Blacksburg. The NC State five will be making its second appearance against a member foe in a game with Davidson at Charlotte.

The Wolfpack, 1947 winners of the circuit tournament, triumphed over George Washington in their first step towards retaining the laurels of the league.

President Ray Goodman presented to Mr. Allie W. Fleming, president of the Wilson club, a trophy for winning the 1947 championship.

The next meeting of the league will be held in Kinston, at a time to be named later by President Goodman.

Mites Will Play Edenton Midgets In Preliminary

By WAYNE SMILEY

Coach Bill Kittrell put his Midgets through a lengthy practice yesterday afternoon in preparation for the scrap with Edenton's Midgets. The strength of the Aces is unknown as the two teams have never met before. This game should be a good test for the Midget Phantoms as they have had no strong competition this season. They will have their undefeated record at stake and will be fighting to maintain it.

Sidney Briley, towering center for the Phantoms, will get the nod at center as he has shown a lot of improvement in practice.

Billy Wooten, high scoring forward, will start at one forward position as his scoring ability has been great this season. Wooten and Briley lead the team in scoring with 26 points each.

New strength was added to the team as Guy Smith, Jr. and Bill Aycock, Jr., two guards, showed up for practice for the first time this week. Guy Smith who was a star guard on the Junior Midgets last year, has been looking good and will see a lot of action tonight.

Starting line-up: Joe Rowland, Eddie Farley, guards; Billy Wooten, Jake Higgs, forwards; Sidney Briley, center.

Others who will see action: Glenn Scott, Guy Smith, Jr., Jimmy Cheatman, Sellers Crisp, Ben Singleton, Sam Hux Donald Tucker, Bill Aycock, Tommy Cox and Tom Smoot.

Pirates to Play Little Creek Amphibs Tonight

By JACK HEDGEPEETH

Coach Howard Porter's ECTC varsity Pirates play host tonight to the strong Navy five from Little Creek, Va., in the feature game of a twin-bill. In the preliminary tilt, Coach Johnson's JV's meet the Stokes All-Stars. Game time for the JV tilt is 7 o'clock, with the varsity battle slated for 8 o'clock.

Porter has had his aggregation hard at work since the resumption of school and the team appears to be in top form. The Pirates will be seeking to avenge a 45-44 defeat by the Sailors, suffered during the holidays. The Pirates were without the services of towering Frank Maennele for this tilt, and the big boy may be the difference tonight.

Three local boys will be in the starting lineup tonight. Charlie Bell Moye, probably the smoothest player on the club, is at one of the forward posts, with Ben Harrison, an excellent ball-handler, at a guard. In the pivot spot will be Larry James, who is one of the better set-shot artists in the game. Filling out the starting five is Roger Thrift, forward, a freshman from Chapel Hill, who has added power to the Pirates' offensive play. At the other guard spot is the tall boy from New Jersey, Frank Maennele, who plays the backboard as if he owned it.

In reserves, the Pirates boast power with Snag Clark, Jim Taylor, Blaney Moye, Jack Everston and Len Bowes ready for action.

Tunney Declares Heavyweight Race 'Wide Open'

Miami Beach, Fla., Jan. 9—(AP)—The world's heavyweight boxing title hangs by a slender thread and "any young man with a little ring savvy and a punch can pluck the championship right off that thread," former World Heavyweight Champion Gene Tunney said here yesterday.

Tunney was here to receive a trophy from the Rod and Reel Club for his 538-pound tuna landed in Miami waters last spring.

He told the club that Champion Joe Louis is a "battered old man" and the great mauler is now a second rater and showed it in his fight with Walcott.

Winterville Five Posts A Victory

Winterville, Jan. 9—(AP)—Coach Charlie Hooks' Intermediates topped Ayden's Juniors Wednesday night by a score of 13-10. It was a close game, with a 9-5 score at the half, and Winterville had to withstand an Ayden rally in the last half to post a win.

Donald McGlohorn led Winterville with 4 points, and Dunn for Ayden with 4. Hooks and Buck showed outstanding floor work for Winterville.

The lineups: Winterville—Hooks and Kittrell, forwards; McGlohorn and Buck, guards; Whitehurst at center; for Ayden—Dunn, Griffin at forward; Jackson and Bullock at guard and Harrington at center.

Youngsters Go To Baseball School

Barlow, Fla., Jan. 9—(AP)—A hustling bunch of 250 youngsters who hope to make baseball their career checked in at George Stirnweis' baseball school here today.

Stirnweis, second baseman for the New York Yankees, heads a faculty of major leaguers who will instruct the lads in the fine points of baseball in a six weeks' course.

The school opened at the old Barlow Air Force base.

Another 65 students are expected by Monday and school officials look for at least 50 prospective umpires to attend a special course in officiating.

Plaque Given To Fritz Crisler

New York, Jan. 9—(AP)—The nation's college football coaches, who voted Fritz Crisler of Michigan "1947 Coach of the Year," gave him a plaque at a dinner here last night.

Before more than 300 coaches, sports writers and sports personalities, Governor Thomas E. Dewey—himself a Michigan alumnus—presented the plaque to Crisler.

Olle Tandberg To Be Tested In Joe Maxim Bout

By JACK HEDGEPEETH

New York, Jan. 9—(AP)—How good is Olle Tandberg? That's the subject up for discussion at Madison Square Garden when the tall, blonde Swede from Stockholm, who upset Joe Baksi last July, meets the Cleveland "cutie" Joe Maxim in his American pro debut.

The 10-round heavyweight scrap has been lost in the shuffle while the Twentieth Century Sporting Club has been busy signing Joe Louis on the dotted line for a defense of his heavyweight title next June.

But there has been enough talk about the Swedish swatter to lure about 12,000 customers and an expected gate of \$60,000 to the Eighth Avenue arena.

If Olle can prove that his decision over Baksi was no fluke, he can win himself a piece of change. For the heavyweight situation is wide open, ever since the night Jersey Joe Walcott twice dumped Joe Louis on the seat of his pants.

Although it's a sure fire thing that Louis and Walcott will do an encore next June, there is nothing certain about the rest of the picture. If Louis wins and retires, there will be a wild scramble for the job in which tonight's bout might cut an important figure. If Louis wins, the boys will be jumping over one another to get in the ring with Jersey Joe.

Indoor Lights New To Kramer

South Orange, N.J., Jan. 9—(AP)—"The toughest thing about playing indoors is the lights," says Jack Kramer, last year's national amateur tennis champion, who now is making things hot for Bobby Riggs

Navy's Decision Within A Week

By JACK HEDGEPEETH

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 9—(AP)—Navy football fans will probably know within a week whether the academy will maintain its policy of using naval officers as coaches for three year terms, or whether the tradition will be jettisoned in favor of hiring a civilian.

A naval spokesman said eight former athletes were reviewing Annapolis athletics, and would turn in a report shortly. While it is unlikely that the report itself will be made public, Rear Admiral James L. Holloway, the academy superintendent, is expected to issue a statement in connection with it.

Get Orders For '49 Orange Bowl

Miami, Fla., Jan. 9—(AP)—Swamped with orders for the 1949 game, the Orange Bowl committee said today that it is adopting no policy for distribution of tickets until after the National Collegiate Athletic Association establishes a policy on post-season games.

Orange Bowl Business Manager Ernie Sells said that several thousand requests for next year's football classic had been sent to his office.

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Joe Page Agrees To Yankee Terms

New York, Jan. 9—(AP)—Joe Page, ace relief hurler of the New York Yankees, is the latest of the world champion key performers to agree to 1948 contract terms.

The 30-year-old Springdale, Pa. lefthander, who won 14 and lost eight games last year as he appeared in 56 contests, signed his contract yesterday. He won the final World Series game from Brooklyn.

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Commerce Body Mails Ballots For Directors

By CHESTER WALSH

The Chamber of Commerce Nominating Committee last night prepared the following ballot of nominees from which eight directors will be elected by mail for the term beginning February 1:

Cecil O. Bilbro, Van C. Fleming, Jr., Lee A. Folger, Jr., L. S. Garrig, E. W. Harvey, Jr., Floyd F. Hendrix, Billy S. Hodges, Jr., Bancroft W. Moseley, H. Lyman Ormond, John

C. Proctor, Forrest E. Riddick, R. E. Rogers, Joe N. Taft, Roger P. Taylor, W. Foster Young and J. B. Webb, Jr.

Executive Secretary Willard T. Kyser said ballots will be mailed to all Chamber of Commerce members on January 10, and they are returnable on or before Tuesday, January 20. Eight new directors are to be elected.

Directors whose terms do not expire this month are: Alton R. Barrett, C. B. Bisette, L. M. Buchanan, R. W. Davenport, D. A. Evans, L. S. Ficklen, J. O. Fleming, Walter L. Harrington, H. L. Hodges, Jr., J. B. Kirtrell, R. V. Keel, C. R. McBrayer, J. S. Moye, Edwin E. Rawl, R. F. Thompson and Tom Wilson.

Retiring directors are W. L. Allen, M. O. Minges, N. O. Van Nortwick, Jr., A. Tyson Bilbro, G. P. Oakley, John W. Glover, W. H. Taft, J. B. Webb, Jr.

Bundy To Officiate York Rite Meeting Next Monday Night

Greenville Chapter No. 50 and Bethlehem Commandery No. 29, York Rite Masons, will install new officers at the Masonic Temple, Fifth and Pitt Streets, next Monday night, W. J. (Dick) Bundy, past grand master of North Carolina Masons and potentate of Sudan Temple, Mystic Shriners, will officiate. Willie F. Owens was chosen to preside over the installation exercises.

Supper will be served at 6:30 and the exercises will begin at 7:30. F. Luther Whitehurst is the retiring high priest of the chapter. J. Archie Rogers retiring eminent commander of the commandery.

Took Bathroom Sink For Walk In Wee Hours

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 9.—(AP)—Police viewed Louis Hepler, 26, and his mother suspiciously and asked questions as the pair juggled a bathroom sink along a street at 3 a. m.

They were just taking it to a fire station, Louis explained. That was because the drain had clogged up and Louis, undertaking a little amateur plumbing at 2:30 a. m., got his finger stuck in the drain hole. When neither he nor his mother could extract the finger, they unscrewed the sink and started for aid at the fire station. The police, firemen and a male nurse were sympathetic but not very helpful until somebody thought of a chisel and a hammer. Hepler had his somewhat damaged finger treated, then juggled the sink home and sleepily re-connected it.

Judge E. Yates Webb of Shelby on recommendation of District Attorney D. E. Henderson of Charlotte and the Department of Justice, but a nol prosee was taken as to each individual defendant. The corporations were charged with conspiracy to violate the Sherman anti-trust act.

The judgment in the case was agreed upon by the district attorney and the attorneys for the defendants.

Seven Akron Men Charged With Series Crimes

Akron, O., Jan. 9.—(AP)—A 25-year-old high school English instructor and six other Akron men were held in city jail today on charges of burglary and larceny in connection with a series of local burglaries which netted \$10,000 in loot.

Detective Capt. John Struzenski identified the teacher as Edward J. Phillips, instructor and athletic coach at nearby Macedonia High School, and asserted the arrests had solved at least six cafe robberies. Phillips faced a specific charge of burglary of the Akron municipal golf course last July. He denied any implication in the other robberies. Capt. Struzenski said Phillips admitted receiving equipment valued at \$891 from the burglary, and quoted the teacher as saying "I was drunk that night and haven't taken a drink since. When I sobered up, I refused to take any of the equipment."

Bandits Escape With \$100,000

New Orleans, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Four armed and unmasked men held up the mid-city branch of the Hibernia National Bank today and escaped with an estimated \$100,000 in cash. Detective Joseph Tardo of the New Orleans police department said. Tardo said that \$60,000 which the bank kept in the vault was missing, and that bank officials estimated that \$40,000 was gone from other parts of the vault and the tellers' cages.

President Maps Budget Address

Washington, Jan. 9.—(AP)—President Truman went over his proposed budget with his cabinet today in brief White House session.

Members, leaving the regular Friday session, would not comment on the size of the appropriation request Mr. Truman will submit to Congress Monday.

Jesse Donaldson, the postmaster general, was asked by a reporter if he was "amazed at the size of the total." He replied, "I was amazed at the size of the cuts."

Would Not Serve In Civilian Post

Berlin, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Gen. Lucius D. Clay, U. S. military governor of Germany, said today he does not want to serve in a civilian post as high commissioner when the State Department takes over administration of the U. S. occupation zone. Secretary of State Marshall said yesterday in testimony before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee that the State Department hopes to take over administration of the zone from the Army June 30.

Agreement Over Anti-Trust Suit

Shelby, N. C., Jan. 9.—(AP)—A total of \$14,250 in fines was imposed on 13 mica corporations today by

Grain Market

Chicago, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Soybeans and lard advanced sharply and provided most of the interest on the board of trade today. Grains added minor gains to their current upward move and set several new seasonal peaks in doing it.

The record high for any oats contract, set by March just at the close, was \$1.32 1/2. All soybean contracts closed 8 cents higher, the daily limit, with March at a record of \$4.28 1/2. Lard was 35 to 50 cents a hundred pounds higher, January \$27.97.

Grains spurred at the close and finished on the day's highs with trading active. Wheat closed 1 1/4-3/4 higher, May \$2.97 1/2-3/4, corn was 1 1/2-3/4 higher, May \$2.60-\$2.60 1/2, and oats were 1/2-1 1/4 higher, May \$1.24 1/2-3/4.

N.Y. Cotton

New York, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 30 cents a bale lower to 15 cents higher.

Noon prices were 45 cents a bale lower to 5 cents higher than the previous close. March 35.61, May 35.50 and July 34.40.

Futures closed 85 cents a bale higher to 15 cents lower than the previous close.

Open Last Prv. Cl. March 35.54 35.72 35.60 May 35.45 35.66 35.50 July 34.47 34.49 34.48 Oct. 31.67 31.67 31.65 Dec. 31.33 31.27 31.30 March 31.13 31.12 31.14 Middling spot 36.58, up 12.

Hog Market

Raleigh, Jan. 9.—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog markets weaker with tops of 26.00 at Rocky Mount, Fayetteville, Clinton, Warsaw, Chadbourn, Lumberton; 25.75 at Washington, Smithfield, Fayetteville, Mount Olive, Goldsboro, and 26.00 at Richmond.

N.Y. Stock Market

New York, Jan. 9.—(AP)—A few oils put on a bullish performance in today's stock market while many leaders elsewhere failed to respond. Transfers ran to around 1,000,000 shares.

FINAL STOCKS

Allegheny	3 3/4
Ala. Chem and Dye	187 1/2
Alls. Chal Mfg	39
Am. Can.	79 1/2
Am. Car. Fdy	43 3/4
Am. Roll Mill	31 1/2
Am. Smelt and Ref.	55
A. T. and T.	152 1/2
Am. Tob. B.	68 1/2
Anaconda	34 1/2
A. C. L.	50 1/2
At. Ref.	37 1/2
Aviat Corp.	5
Baldwin	15
B. and O.	12 1/2
Bendix Aviat.	101 1/2
Beth. St.	29 1/2
Boeing Airpr.	24 1/2
Borden	41
Budd Mfg. Co.	10 1/2
Burl. Mills	21
Bur. Add. Mach.	14 1/2
Cannon Mills	44
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Caterpillar	59 1/2

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Aldermen Transact Routine Business

The Board of Aldermen was in session at the City Hall last night to pass on reports from the various city departments which were not ready on January 1, when the board was in regular meeting, to pass on bills and consider some other matters. Mayor Jack Boyd presided.

The aldermen adopted an ordinance providing for no left turns at certain intersections on Evans street between Five Points and Third street. The text of the ordinance will be published later.

Wildlife Club Will Meet Next Tuesday

The Pitt County Wildlife Club will have its annual meeting at the Community House at Red Oak next Tuesday night, January 13, at 7 o'clock. Supper will be served with treat. President Jesse R. Moye Jr. will preside.

New officers will be elected and some important matters are to be considered. All members are invited to attend.

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Eastman Kod.	49
Firestone	35 1/2
Gen. Elec.	38
Gen. Foods	57 1/2
Gen. Mot.	56 1/2
Goodrich	56 1/2
Goodyear	92 1/2
Int. Harv.	13 1/2
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Loews	53 1/2
Lorillard	30 1/2
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N. Y. Cent.	9 1/2
No. Am. Aviat.	21 1/2
Packard	11 1/2
Param. Pic.	21 1/2
Penn. J. C.	11 1/2
Penn. RR.	26 1/2
Pepsi Cola	61 1/2
Phill. Pet.	92
Pullman	92
Pure Oil	9 1/2
Radio	14
Rem. Rand	26 1/2
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Reynolds B.	36 1/2
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