

Considerable cloudiness and continued cool tonight and Sunday, some light rain Sunday and along the coast tonight.

Byrd Advises Dixie Democrats Against Haste

Declares South Must Make Decision On Basis Of Events As They Happen

Washington, Feb. 21—(AP)—Senator Byrd of Virginia gave the Democratic party's Dixie rebels this advice today:

Hold your fire—but keep your powder dry.

Byrd told a reporter he wants the South to be sure where it is going before its cuts long-standing political ties in the argument over President Truman's civil rights proposals.

"We must make a calm, deliberate decision, on the basis of events as they happen and then be prepared to go through with it to the end," he said.

Byrd told a party gathering at Richmond, Va., Friday night that the South won't stand for laws setting up a fair employment practices (no race or color line) commission, making lynching a federal offense and banning poll taxes and race separation.

But he added that it would be time enough to decide what to do if Southerners should lose their fight against enactment of such legislation by Congress.

Several House members from 11 Southern states have adopted a resolution condemning the President's program. They will confer with five Southern governors here Monday.

The five are Governors Lanes of Arkansas, Cherry of North Carolina, Thurmond of South Carolina, Jester of Texas and Tuck of Virginia. They will meet later Monday with Senator McGrath of Rhode Island, Democratic National chairman.

The Southern governors conference on Feb. 8 gave the National Democratic headquarters 40 days to lose out the civil rights program.

McGrath has promised to relay their complaints to President Truman.

Southern House members hoped to have the resolution signed by 75 of their number and ready by that time to be sent to the President.

They got about 50 signers yesterday at a meeting called by Reps. Clark of North Carolina, Smith of Virginia, Clegg of Georgia, Richards of South Carolina, Harris of Arkansas, Gossett of Texas, Hobbs of Alabama and Sikes of Florida. Rep. Colmer of Mississippi was named chairman of the group. Tennessee and Louisiana also were represented.

Greek Coalition Government Wins Confidence Vote

Athens, Feb. 21—(AP)—Premier Themistokles Sophoulis' coalition government has won a 190-90 confidence vote in its war on guerrillas.

The ballot yesterday followed a five-day debate on liberal leader Sophoulis' regime. The coalition comprises Liberals, Royalists and minor parties.

When Sophoulis took office last September, his cabinet received a 79 to one vote of confidence.

Action will be taken Monday on a hotly contested bill to suspend the Greek parliament for two or three months.

FIRE ALARM TODAY

The fire department was called to a negro dwelling at First and Greene streets this morning when an oil stove flared up. Damage was slight.

LATE WINTER SNOW

London, Feb. 21—(AP)—Snow fell thickly in Britain and Western Europe today. Weather forecasters said the late winter cold wave would continue at least until the middle of next week.

Violent Tactics Eased

Relative Quiet In France And Truce Declared In Italy; Red Tactics Changed But Goal Remains; Reasons For Switch; Strong-Arm Methods To Be Last Resort

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

Moscow seems to have soft-pedaled temporarily the violent Red tactics aimed at establishment of Communist governments in Italy and France.

The general strategy of course remains the same. This is to sovietize these two strategically important countries whose control would bring Russia immediately nearer her goal of dominating western as well as eastern Europe.

For some weeks things have been relatively quiet in France after a long period of violence and disorganization due to Bolshevik strong-arm methods. Now we have the unusual development of a peace truce in Italy among the warring political parties, pending the election for the Republic's first Parliament on April 18. This pact provides for a campaign "without hate" and for abstention from the use of force, which caused more than a score of deaths and much property destruction during the latter part of 1947.

The most unusual—and consequently significant—aspect of the

Mississippi Flood Threatens Highway, Railroad



Flood water from the Tombigbee river swirls over the countryside on the outskirts of Aberdeen, Miss. U. S. highway 45 (background) is barely above the water, and railroad track (foreground) is nearly covered. This picture was made from an airplane. (AP Photo).

Food Prices Drop, But Other Items Keep Peak

Some Retail Food Prices Reduced By 3 1/2 Percent Average; Other Cost-Of-Living Items Rise Or Retain High Levels

New York, Feb. 21—(AP)—There appeared to be more smoke than fire to those price cuts today.

The big break in the commodity markets has reduced retail food prices an average of 3 1/2 per cent from January highs. Other cost-of-living items either clung to post-war peaks or headed upward.

This was the picture presented by the government's bureau of Labor Statistics in its first official report on the effect of the market slump on retail prices.

The government study covered 30 foods in 12 cities. It represented a cross section picture of grocery and meat prices between the highs of mid-January and February 17.

The big break in commodity prices began February 17.

The BIS report stated 18 of the 30 foods showed declines. Five showed increases. Two—bread and navy beans—showed no change.

The government bureau found the biggest drops in pork chops, lamb, bacon, eggs and lettuce. Prices for fresh fruits and vegetables rose, the report said.

Price cuts have differed widely between cities and between stores in the same city. Some independent grocers said they cut some prices to meet chain store competition, regardless of profit margins.

Washington buzzed with strongly worded criticism of Thursday's \$5 a ton boost in steel prices.

Senator J. Howard McGrath (D-R.I.) chairman of the Democratic National committee, called it a "dangerous burden" on the cost of living. James J. Patton, president of the National Farmers' Union, termed it "shameful profiteering" and demanded anti-trust action of Attorney General Clark.

Twenty Executed In Athens Today

Athens, Feb. 21—(AP)—Twenty persons, including a woman, were executed in Athens today.

Nine were convicted by an Athens military tribunal Feb. 17 of being involved in the killing of a policeman and plans to assassinate Greek political leaders.

The others were found guilty of having been members of a Communist execution squad which killed hundreds of civilians near Athens in the 1944 civil war.

Ashida Elected Premier Japan

Tokyo, Feb. 21—(AP)—Hiroshi Ashida, suave former newspaperman and diplomat, was elected prime minister of Japan today, but a dissenting vote in the upper House of Councillors will delay him taking office.

Ashida, foreign minister and president of the middle of the road Democratic party, polled 216 votes in the House of Representatives to 180 for former Premier Shigeru Yoshida, head of the conservative Liberal party. A majority of 211 was required.

The meaning of this, in my view is that the Communists are going to pursue the course of least resistance pending political developments in Italy and France. They are gambling that a swing of fortune in elections may give them the control they want without their having to employ force. That would endow them with a beneficence which would be calculated to win friends in other Western European countries.

Then I called the another point to which I called attention in yesterday's column. Bolshevik tactics which were possible in countries of Eastern Europe, under Russian military occupation, can't be used in Western Europe where the Reds

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Resume Effort To Halt Strike

Thomasville, N.C., Feb. 21—(AP)—Management and union officials at Amazon Cotton Mills today resumed their efforts to settle the 11-month-old strike at the big textile plant here.

The two groups, who have opposed each other in numerous court rounds since the strike last March, sat down around the conference table yesterday.

At the end of the day's deliberations, however, there were still no positive signs that an agreement is being neared.

Opposes Jailing Rent Violators

Sen. Cain Joins Foes
Of Heavy Penalties
In Rent Law

Washington, Feb. 21—(AP)—Senator Cain (R-Wash.) said today he may join opponents of a proposal to jail and fine rent control violators.

Cain headed a banking subcommittee which helped write the new rent bill. He was appointed to steer it through the Senate.

"I don't want a law without any enforcement teeth in it," he told reporters after listening to the first day of debate.

"But if we are going to drop anything, I would be for dropping the criminal provision first."

The bill would extend controls 14 months with some changes. One senator says violators could be put in prison for a year, fined \$1,000, or both.

There is nothing like that in the existing law. But there was a similar provision under OPA during the war.

Senator Millikin (R-Colo.) yesterday assailed plans to restore the criminal penalty. He told the Senate he fears it might be used as a "bludgeon" against "honest" landlords.

Millikin told a reporter OPA had "scared hell out of people" with the threat of criminal action.

Greenville Oculists In Public Statement

Three Greenville physicians, Dr. W. M. B. Brown, Dr. M. P. Hoot, and Dr. James B. Hawes, eye, ear, nose and throat specialists, issued the following signed public statement today:

"The practicing oculists of Greenville wish to publicly certify that there is not, nor has there ever been, any rebate or price-fixing between them and the Ridgeway Opticians or other dispensing opticians."

Babson Discusses Money

Babson Park, Fla., Feb. 21—Since my recent column stating that high prices are largely a matter of "supply and demand," I have received many letters of protest. These letters claim that the "amount of money in circulation" is the main cause.

Money In Circulation

There is about three times as much money in circulation today as there was ten years ago. This, doubtless is a factor in the situation, but it makes no difference how much money is in circulation or the rate of circulation if people do not buy goods.

Ten men may be sitting around a table where each one owes the other a hundred dollars, or a total of \$1,000. By presenting one of these men a hundred dollar bill he can pass it to the next man, and so the next man to the next man, and so on; then this one hundred dollar can "pay up" the entire debt of \$1,000! But this does not effect prices one penny.

Russia's Cure

What Russia has recently done in

Czech Premier In Demand For New Government

Benes Not Yet Accepted Resignations; Communists Mass In Demonstration

Prague, Czechoslovakia, Feb. 21—(AP)—Communist Premier Klement Gottwald, speaking to thousands at a public rally, demanded a new government from top to bottom today in this buffer state between Russia and the West.

His followers, standing in the old town square, cheered him. They cried, "We are prepared," and "Long live the government of Premier Gottwald without the reactionaries."

Gottwald insisted last night that President Eduard Benes, an Independent, let him name a new cabinet without the ministers of three parties that turned in their resignations from the coalition government yesterday.

President Benes sat tight in the presidential palace. He had not accepted the resignations. Technically his broad national-front government still existed.

His office said he had seen no one this morning nor had there been taken any action toward dissolving the constituent national assembly and calling an election of a new parliament.

Communist party officials said more than 200,000 followers massed in the square. For hours before the meeting began, men, women and children came by trolleys and on foot. Big buses brought miners and factory workers from nearby towns.

The demonstrators jeered the mention of the three anti-Communist parties that quit the government over the issue of Communist control of police.

Gottwald called the eight ministers that resigned "agents of foreign reaction." He said they must not be allowed to return to the cabinet.

He called for reorganization of local and regional action committees of the national front with new progressive personnel and "without underminers and those who hinder progress."

The cabinet holds powers from a constituent national assembly elected in May, 1946, when the Communists polled the biggest vote. The assembly was set up to serve until a new constitution could be put into effect.

But the belief grew last night that the anti-Communist withdrawals might bring an emergency election of a new assembly even before this constitution could become effective.

Cold Weather

Winter temperatures prevailed here today after several warm spring-like days of sunshine. It was cloudy here this forenoon and a stiff north wind was blowing. The thermometer at the local Weather Bureau registered 35 degrees, three degrees above freezing, at 8 a. m. today, and the mercury was falling.

Mrs. C. E. Maiden, weather observer, said.

Friday was the warmest day of the month, when the temperature was 75 degrees.

Babson Discusses Money

reducing the amount of money in circulation was done at the suggestion of her economists who, through advance notice, had their savings in land, commodities, and other real things which were not deflated. This program of Russia, however, does not increase the amount of food, clothing and shelter available to the Russian people which are the things in which they are really interested.

President Truman could accomplish the same thing in a gradual way by paying off Government debt, increasing bank reserves, raising interest rates, and forbidding installment sales, but for political or other reasons the Administration shies away from sound recommendations.

Babbling Us Of Gold

Readers will remember that during the early part of the Roosevelt Administration when we held more gold than any other nation, President Roosevelt made us turn in all of our gold coins. At that time gold was worth \$20.67 per ounce (Continued on Page Six)

D. M. Clark Dies Of Heart Attack

Solicitor Of Fifth Judicial District Succumbs In Medical College Of Virginia Early This Morning; Last Rites Monday

D. M. Clark, 61, of this city, solicitor of the Fifth Judicial District for the past 21 years, died of a heart attack in the Medical College of Virginia hospital in Richmond shortly before five o'clock this morning. Funeral services will be conducted at Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock followed by interment in Greenwood Cemetery. The services will be in charge of Rev. Robert W. Bradshaw, pastor of Jarvis Memorial Church, assisted by Rev. Richard E. Hardaway, pastor of Memorial Baptist Church. The body will lie in state at the church for two hours prior to the services.

Active pallbearers will be his nephews and honorary pallbearers will include members of the Fifth Judicial Bar Association and close friends.

David MacKenzie Clark was born in Halifax September 21, 1886, the son of the late Edward Thorne and Margaret Lillington Clark. He received his early education in the public schools of Weldon where he attended State College where he received training in civil engineering. On leaving college in December 1906 he became staff engineer for the Carolina Clinkfield and Ohio Railroad Company for western North Carolina. He came to Greenville as engineer for the Norfolk-Southern Railroad. When that line was built through this section in 1907, later he became state engineer located at Greenville and was appointed engineer for the city and county. He followed the engineering profession until 1910 when he went to Wake Forest College to study law. Upon finishing his law course he was admitted to the bar in the fall of 1911 and began his practice in Greenville.

Mr. Clark represented Pitt County in the General Assembly from 1913 to 1917 at which time he resigned his seat to volunteer for service in World War I. He served as first lieutenant assigned to the chemical warfare division and was stationed in Washington. In June 1919 he was elected Mayor of Greenville and was reelected in 1921, 1923 and 1925. In the primaries of 1926 he was nominated for the office of solicitor of the Fifth Judicial District and following election in November of that year, qualified for the office on January 1, 1927. He had continued in Page Three



DAVID M. CLARK

Truman Speaks Before Islanders

Cites Relationship As
Example Of "The
Democratic Way"

San Juan, Puerto Rico, Feb. 21—(AP)—President Truman told the people of Puerto Rico today that the appointment of an island-born governor was just a step toward an "increasing measure of self-government."

He greeted Gov. Jesus T. Pinero, his own appointee, and others gathered at San Juan's island Grande Airport in this fashion:

"Freedom is a word which is found in every language. Equality means more than mere political emancipation."

"I have said to the Congress several times—and I repeat it here—that the Puerto Rican people should have the right to determine for themselves Puerto Rico's political relationship to the United States." He described the relationship between the United States and Puerto Rico as an example of "the democratic way of cooperation between friendly people."

"It represents," he said, "what the American people are trying to encourage in the world at large."

It was Mr. Truman's sixth visit away from the United States mainland since taking office in April, 1945. He attended a "Big-Three-Conference" at Potsdam that year and visited Bermuda in 1946. He went to Mexico City, Ottawa and Rio de Janeiro last year.

Lays Condition On His Return

Newark, N. J., Feb. 21—(AP)—Henry A. Wallace says he will be glad to return to the Democratic fold if his old party "proves it's a peace party."

But the third party presidential aspirant told reporters at Newark Airport yesterday there was "no present indication" the Democratic party would revise its foreign policy and become a "peace party."

To Take Protest Before Anderson

Raleigh, N. C. Feb. 21—(AP)—Greene County tobacco farmers plan to carry their protest over this year's crop allotments straight to the Secretary of Agriculture.

A group from that county yesterday asked Governor Cherry to arrange a conference with Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson regarding the possibility of reducing the acreage cut. Cherry said he would be in Washington next week and would attempt to arrange the conference.

REUTHER TO TESTIFY

Detroit, Feb. 21—(AP)—CIO United Auto Workers President Walter P. Reuther will be called by General Motors to testify Monday when the National Labor Relations Board resumes its hearing on "unfair" labor charges against the corporation.

Claimants Race To Strengthen Antarctic Holds

Chileans Encounter
Argentine And British
Vessels Heading
South

Santiago, Chile, Feb. 21—(AP)—President Gabriel Gonzalez Videla's visit to land Chile claims in Antarctica was viewed by some diplomatic observers here today as an effort to strengthen popular support of his anti-Communist government.

In Santiago, news of President Gonzalez's trip was greeted by cheers. Chileans regarded it as defiance of British protests against occupation by Chile of the two bases.

The cabinet met today to plan a triumphal welcome for him. He is expected back next Thursday. He is aboard the transport Pinto, headed toward Punta Arenas in southern Chile.

Two Santiago newspapers yesterday declared the Western Hemisphere Defense Pact should keep Britain out of Antarctic regions claimed by the two South American countries.

Aboard the Chilean Transport Pinto, Feb. 21—(AP)—The Pinto encountered two vessels in the Drake Strait last night identified by their lights as Argentine. One was traveling south toward the Antarctic.

President Gabriel Gonzalez Videla is aboard the Pinto, en route for Punta Arenas, on the Strait of Magellan. He is returning from a trip to land that Chile claims in the Antarctic.

The meeting occurred shortly after the Pinto's radar indicated the presence of ships. One of the Argentine vessels was the cruiser Admiral Brown. It was steaming south.

A dispatch from Hugo Eccilio, correspondent of the Santiago newspaper El Mercurio aboard the transport, said that yesterday two small warships, one British and one Argentine, sailed the Pinto in the Drake Strait last night. Deception Island is claimed by Britain and Argentina.

President Gonzalez watched the blinker-light salute of the two ships. The Pinto continued without stopping.

Bulgars Announce
Will Return Two
Turkish Airmen

Sofia, Feb. 21—(AP)—The Bulgarian government announced tonight that a captured Turkish airman and the body of another were being returned to Turkey as a "token of interneighborly good will."

Their Spitfire planes crashed Feb. 9 near the Bulgarian seaport town of Sopot, about 40 miles inside Bulgarian frontier. Lt. Polat Yurks survived and Sgt. Kemal Mendere drowned.

Their planes will be returned in their present condition, thus concluding the incident, the announcement said.

The Turkish government said the two planes were shot down by a Bulgarian coast guard battery after they had lost their way and were circling to land in compliance with rocket signals.

Report Hundreds
Drown In Flood

Istanbul, Turkey, Feb. 21—(AP)—Flood waters inundating South Central Turkey were reported today to have drowned hundreds of persons.

Press dispatches said several villages had disappeared beneath the waters, released when the Seyhan and Ceyhan rivers burst their dykes Tuesday.

Eyewitnesses said numerous bodies seen floating with the debris.

Government sources at Ankara said crippled communications prevented an accurate casualty count.

Break On Income Tax

Married Couples In Community Property States Get a
Break On Tax Returns Again This Year; Twelve
Such States; How It Works; Wanted For All

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, Feb. 21—(AP)—Once more married couples in the community property states get a break on their federal income tax.

There are 12 community property states:

Married couples there will pay less income tax than couples in the 38 states which don't have a community property law.

That's because couples in those 12 can divide their income to get a lower tax rate.

(Note: The deadline for everyone—for filing a return and paying any tax owed on 1947 income—is March 15.)

The 12 community property states are: Arizona, California, Idaho, Louisiana, Nevada, New Mexico, Texas, Washington, Oklahoma, Michigan, Nebraska, Oregon. The territory of Hawaii also has a community property law.

Here's how the community property law works in paying federal income tax.

Take a couple with no children

and no dependents. The husband worked in 1947. The wife didn't. The only income was the husband's salary.

Say that income was \$100,000 after deductions.

This is what would happen in any one of the 38 states which don't have community property law.

The husband had to claim all that \$100,000 income. The wife couldn't claim any.

The tax—it was a tax on the full \$100,000—was \$63,128.

Now take that same couple in any one of the 12 community property states or Hawaii:

Although the husband earns the \$100,000, the wife claims half of it.

So she files a return, reporting she had \$50,000 income. The husband files a return, reporting he had \$50,000 instead of \$100,000.

Her \$50,000 is taxed. So is his \$50,000. But the tax on each person's separate \$50,000 is lower than on a single income of \$100,000. (Continued on Page Six)

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Expert Talks Over 'Home Of Tomorrow' Prospects

Chicago—(P)—Charles G. Wright, construction analyst for the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and one of the speakers for a series of talks at the University of Chicago by housing specialists on "tomorrow's home," stated that a common ratio between cost of land and the cost of building is one to five. For the \$6,000 house, improved land would cost approximately \$1,000. For his more up-to-date brother, the \$12,000 house, it would cost \$2,600.

Wright bases the cost of building on the amount of cubic feet of living space. A conventional frame house including full basement and ranging between 12 and 20 thousand cubic feet, will cost at today's best prices, about 80 cents per cubic foot to build. If brick construction is used in building fireplace, bay windows, two tile baths, the cost will increase to 75 or 80 cents per cubic foot. Added to this is the cost of the land and mortgage expenses.

How much should one pay? A common rule has been that one should not pay more than twice his annual income, he said. Some say two and one-half times. But Wright thinks a more accurate estimate is to see to it that the part of one's monthly payment which represents interest mortgage insurance, taxes and house insurance does not exceed 20 percent of your take-home pay. The total payment of take-home income.

How about the prefabricated house? A study by the Bureau of Labor Statistics on prefabricated war housing indicated a 10 per cent overall man-hour saving by this method, Wright said. But its chief obstacles are building codes, possible opposition by building trades, contractors and material suppliers, and obtaining public acceptance of dry wall interiors in place of plastered walls.

"By waiting, you won't be likely to get lower construction costs," he said. "But you'll have the advantage of knowing in advance what is to go into your house and what it will cost."

Where To Get Home Know-How

The average home owner seldom is prepared for his new job as master of a house. Schools haven't taught him how. He is expected to learn by experience, which can be costly.

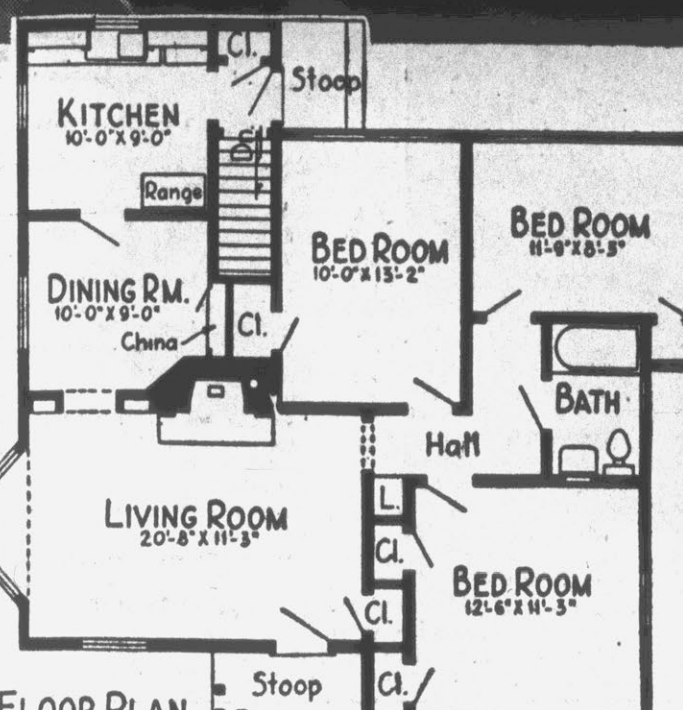
However, there are various sources of information. Supply dealers usually can be consulted. Manual training teachers and neighbors familiar with similar problems may have valuable advice.

Many books have been written on the subject, among which Roger B. Whitman's "First Aid for the Ailing House" is now available in a popular paper cover edition.

The Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C., issues a price list of government publications. This list is entitled "Publications of Interest to Suburbanites and Home Builders." It is distributed free and the prices of the publications range from free to about 25 cents.

Many state universities and material manufacturers' associations issue pamphlets on various subjects in this field. In Canada the Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, Ont., fills this function.

HOMES FOR AMERICANS

FLOOR PLAN

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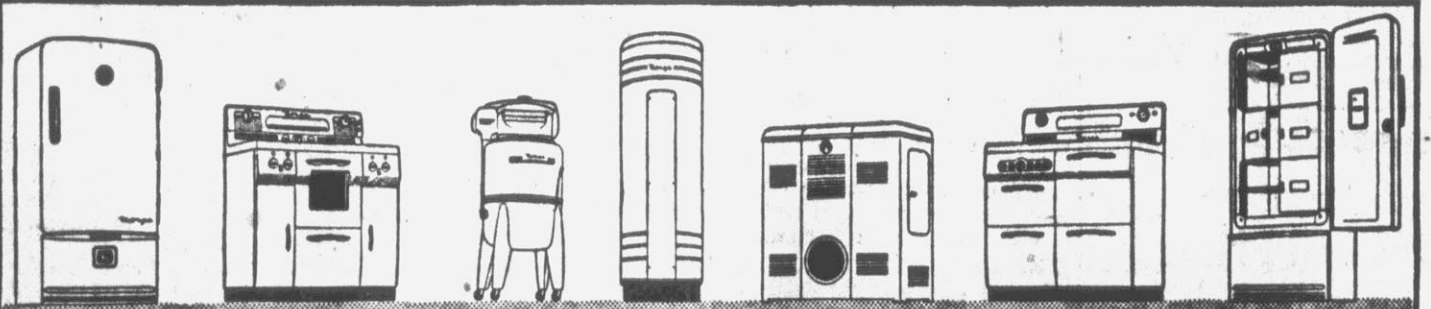
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Social and Personal

All items for this page received after 10:00 A. M. will be published the following day. Dial 3366 9:00 A. M. to Noon - 1:00 to 4:30 P. M.

Mr. C. B. West is quite ill in Pitt General Hospital.

John Louis House is a patient in Pitt General Hospital.

Miss Johnnie Grey Currin, Miss Mae Bear and Mr. Henry Sprout, of Washington, D. C., are week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Currin.

Friends of A. G. Warren, who is seriously ill in Pitt General Hospital will be glad to know that his condition has improved, but he is still unable to receive visitors.

Birth Announcement
Mr. and Mrs. William Edward Hemmingsway, of Bethel announce the birth of a son, William Andrew, Wednesday, February 11, 1948.

Caviness-Smith
Mr. and Mrs. William Richard Smith request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Leni Mae, to

Mr. Wallace Arthur Caviness on Saturday, the twenty-eighth of February, 1948, at half after four o'clock, Immanuel Baptist Church, Greenville, North Carolina.

No invitations sent in Greenville.

Dunn-Pilgrimage
Mr. and Mrs. John R. Pilgrimage of Winterville, N. C., announce the marriage of their daughter Phyllis Gertrude, to Mr. William E. Dunn, of Greenville, N. C., on Thursday, February 12, 1948.

Mr. Dunn is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Dunn, of Greenville.

Inter So Book Club
The regular meeting of the Inter So Book Club was held on Tuesday, February 17, at the home of Mrs. Vance Perkins.

Mrs. Burke Stancill, president, presided over the business meeting and introduced the speaker, Rev. H. Frederick Jones, of Kingston.

Mr. Jones gave a very interesting talk on the history of Appomattox and told about plans for its restoration.

At the conclusion of the program members and guests were invited to the dining room and from a table carrying out the George Washington motif, salad and accompaniments were served. Mrs. Kroll Webb and Mrs. J. L. Winstead assisted in serving.

GOES TO ATLANTIC CITY
June H. Rose, superintendent of city schools, will leave tonight for Atlantic City, N. J., to attend the annual meeting of the Association of School Superintendents. The convention starts Sunday night and will continue through Thursday.

To Attend Conference
Mrs. R. P. Rogers, Miss Frances Groves, Miss Bernice Powell, Mrs. Rose Herring and Miss Annie Turner will leave today to attend a conference of the Wesleyan Guild which convenes today and Sunday in Fayetteville.

Greenville Shrine Club
The Greenville Shrine Club held a regular dinner meeting Thursday night at 7 o'clock at the Air Port Inn. The meeting was a surprise birthday party honoring Mr. William J. Bundy, past potentate of Sudan Temple.

The president, Mr. James W. Brewer, was master of ceremonies and asked the club to sing "Happy Birthday." The musical program that followed was very entertaining. As this time Mr. Bundy was presented with a birthday gift from the Shrine Club. A beautiful decorated birthday cake was presented and the honoree served the cake to the members and guests.

The out of town guests were welcomed and recognized as follows: Dr. George E. Bell, potentate of Sudan Temple and Mr. William Lucas, potentate of aid of Wilson. Mr. Doug Aycock, director of Wrecking Crew of Sudan Temple, and Mr. Moser Stadium, Kingston.

The president introduced the guest speaker, Dr. George E. Bell, who made a short and interesting talk on the great plans for the spring carnival to be held in Wilson in May. Mr. Doug Aycock also gave a few short remarks on how the Wrecking Crew were making plans for new stunts and promises to make this the best carnival yet.

The 51 members attending expressed that this was the best meeting yet.

Third Street School P. T. A.
On Wednesday afternoon the parents and teachers of the Third Street School held one of the most interesting meetings of the year.

The fourth grade had charge of the devotional. Betty Sue Shelton read the 121st Psalm, and the Lord's Prayer was repeated in unison. The entire class sang two hymns, "I Would Be True," and "This Is My Father's World."

A very interesting and helpful panel discussion was led by Mrs. Burke Stancill, Mrs. Burt Greene, and Mrs. R. B. Lee. The topics discussed were "Training Children for Citizenship in the Home," "Music and Reading in the Home," and "Arts and Crafts in the Home."

The president, Mrs. Vance Arnold, presided over the business session. Mrs. James Brewer, secretary, read the minutes and gave the treasurer's report in the absence of Mrs. T. F. Smaw, treasurer.

Members were urged to attend the meeting of the Greenville Parent-Teacher Council at the High School Library Thursday night at which time Dr. Allen Winston of Raleigh, state commissioner of welfare, was the principal speaker.

Five dollars was donated to the Seeds of Peace, which is sponsored by the Greenville Garden Club and provided garden seed for the needy people overseas.

Mrs. Jasper Jones presented Mrs. F. R. Bowen a lovely gift in appreciation of the splendid work she has done in our association.

The prize for attendance was won by the first grade, whose teacher is Miss Elizabeth Norman. Refreshments were served.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

MONDAY

6:30 p. m.—Rotary Club.

7:00 p. m.—Lions Club.

7:30 p. m.—The Woman's Auxiliary of the F. W. B. Church will meet at the church.

8:00 p. m.—Wesley Philathea class meets at the home of Mrs. H. T. Smith.

8:00 p. m.—American Legion Auxiliary meets at the home of Mrs. Nash Joyner.

8:00 p. m.—Torch Bearers Sunday School class of Memorial Baptist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Ruel Tyson, 312 W. Second street, Mrs. Rommie Mallison, co-hostess.

TUESDAY

7:30 p. m.—Witha Council Degree of Pochontas meets.

WEDNESDAY

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

FRIDAY

6:30 p. m.—Klwanis Club.

Chi Pi Players Give Children's Program

A program of fairy stories and a short play was presented to children of the Training School on the college campus by the Chi Pi Players of the college on Thursday afternoon in the Austin auditorium on the campus. Approximately 500 pupils of grades one through seven were present.

The stage setting was a fireside scene, around which a group of players set as they read for the children three favorites among fairy tales, "Thumbelina," "The Frog Prince," and "The Sleeping Beauty." Rose Fyfe's one-act play for young people, "Darby and Joan," was also given during the afternoon under the direction of Helen Winslow, student from Goldsboro. Dr. Lucile H. Charles, director of speech and dramatics at the college, acted as mistress of ceremonies.

American Legion Auxiliary Meets
The regular monthly meeting of the Greenville American Legion Auxiliary will be held on Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Nash Joyner on Woodlawn Avenue. The Auxiliary is planning extensive child welfare work. At this time a program on child welfare will be presented by Mr. K. T. Futrelle.

Torch Bearers Class to Meet
The Torch Bearers Sunday School class of Memorial Baptist Church will meet Monday night, February 22, at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Ruel Tyson, 312 W. Second street. Mrs. Rommie Mallison will be co-hostess. Each class member is cordially invited and urged to attend.

Woman's Auxiliary of F. W. B. Church
The Woman's Auxiliary of the Free Will Baptist Church will meet Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the church.

Eighth Street Christian Church
The annual observance of the Week of Compassion by the Disciples of Christ comes to its climax on this Sunday, Feb. 22. The Eighth Street Church is serving a free supper to all the membership and the friends of the church at 6 in the basement of the church. At this time an offering will be taken for the relief of suffering peoples.

The members of the Christian churches throughout this section of the state are urged to attend a Crusade Rally in the Kingston church next Wednesday afternoon and night. The sessions begin at 2:30 and will continue through the night session. Young people are urged to be present at 6 in the Kingston church, taking some sandwiches with them. It is an important meeting in the progress of the crusade.

At the service, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock the pastor will speak on "Steadfastness of Purpose" and Mrs. Herbert Carter will sing as solo "Great Peace Have They" by Rogers.

A feature of the program Sunday evening at the church will be an original skit arranged by Miss Evelyn Lee entitled "Little Gretchen." The following young people will take part: Hannah Dixon Proctor, Louise Batson, Betty Sue Harris, Marjorie Carr, Ray Sears, Sarah Adams, Magnolia Duckworth, Mary Jane Forrest, Donald Conley, David Evans and Roy Martin.

Winterville P. T. A.
The Winterville P. T. A. will meet in the Winterville Auditorium on February 24 at 7:00 P. M. All parents and friends are urged to attend. The primary grades will present a special February program.

An award of \$10.00 will be given the room having the highest percentage of fathers, or men patrons, present. However, all parents or patrons will be counted for the February count toward the grand prize. The grand prize will be given the room having the highest average percentage of mothers, fathers, and patrons attending the meeting during the months of December, February, March, and April.

Come and vote for the room of your choice! Help them win the grand prize!

D.M. Clark . . .
(Continued From Page One)

continued as solicitor since that time and had made an outstanding record in the office. During the entire 21 years he never missed a term of court.

Mr. Clark had been active in civic affairs of Greenville and the community. He was a member of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church and teacher in the Sunday school. He was a member of the local order of Red Men and a charter member of the Notary Club.

On July 10, 1928, he married Miss Myrtle Brogdon of Winchester, Tennessee, who, with a son David M. Clark, Jr., student at Wake Forest College, and a daughter, Miss Catherine Brogdon Clark of this city, and a sister, Mrs. Nell Graves of Mebane, survive him.

40 Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR

February 21, 1908

Ayden is among the good towns in Pitt county and is going ahead at a fast rate. It possesses the largest store in the county.

Washington's birthday tomorrow. Mrs. W. J. Boyd of Ayden spent Wednesday afternoon here.

Unless poll taxes for last year are paid by May 1st those who are delinquent cannot vote.

The Acme Theatre had a splendid program Thursday night, but the machine broke right in the midst of the most interesting part and the management had to return tickets as it took some time to fix it.

BPW Club Said Now Largest In North Carolina

The Business and Professional Woman's Club held a regular dinner meeting at the Employment Security office on Thursday night.

A most tasty and delicious barbecue dinner was served buffet style by Mrs. Cora Powell, Miss Novella Exum and Mrs. Clara Gower and their assistants.

Mrs. J. B. Spilman, president, opened the meeting and Mrs. W. R. Jones gave the invocation. The president recognized a new member, Miss Beasley, who offered quite a few suggestions on ways to make some money for the club project.

The guests were welcomed by the president, Mrs. Georgia James, honorary charter member, was recognized. Announcement was made that the district meeting will be held in Roanoke Rapids, Sunday, March 4, at 1 o'clock. All members are urged to attend. Mrs. Frances Hoffman, first vice president, is expected to be present. The state convention will be held June 18, 19, 20, Mayview Manor, Blowing Rock, N. C., and the national convention will be July 4-10 at Fort Worth, Texas.

Mrs. Spilman was happy to announce that the Greenville Club has reached a goal and is now the largest club in the state of North Carolina. Miss Novella Exum, program chairman, will make several talks over WGTG in the near future.

Mrs. Susie Ragdale invited the Club to visit the fine art festival to be held April 8, 9, 10, 11.

Mrs. Chester Walsh, district director, made quite an interesting talk concerning the state project to build a home for retired business women.

Miss Ada Jones, state probation supervisor, gave the most interesting talk on "Delinquency." She stated moral health is the cornerstone of real character. Moral sickness leads to delinquency and crime and is a danger to the public. Physical sickness is a casual factor in moral sickness or what is called delinquency. The fact that mental sickness is costing the American people entirely too much in support of institutions where terminal results are treated has, at last, begun to shock us to an awakening.

Delinquency and crime in America will become preventable only when we realize that society is responsible for their continuation, in that society is responsible for seeming willing to go all out for prevention of delinquency and so little about parental delinquency as Monsignor Flanagan or better known as Father Flanagan of the famous "Boys Town" has been noted for saying, "There is no such thing as a bad boy," and more recently amplified that statement by saying, "There is no such thing as juvenile delinquents but parental delinquents."

Together build tomorrow today! There is great talk about improving the social, economic, political and even religious problems in that world of tomorrow, but our attention to better health services is far more important for a people with physical health, moral health and mental health. In laying this foundation today for tomorrow, we are looking much farther than just another generation.

NEWCOMERS AND REMOVALS
Mr. and Mrs. Erskine Duff who have returned from Raleigh are living at 910 East Third Street.

Mr. and Mrs. George Laurens have moved to 333 Library Street, in the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Alex Cuthrell, who have moved to Newport News, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Friend, formerly of Greensboro, are living in Hillsdale.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bryan have moved here from Bensenville, Vermont, and are living at 705 W. 3rd St. Mr. Bryan is employed by the National Carbon Company.

Mr. B. C. Johnson is employed by Bissette's Drug Store, and lives at 207 Greene Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dall are living at 705 E. 4th Street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clark have moved to Route 4 from 1112 W. 4th St.

Mrs. Ward Moore Tripp has moved to 305 E. 2nd St. from 215 W. 8th St.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Carney have moved to 622 Pitt Street from 515 Greene.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Neal have moved to 706 Dickinson Ave. from Route 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen M. Marshburn have moved to Hillsdale.

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CHURCHES

EIGHTH STREET CHRISTIAN

Dr. H. G. Haney, Pastor

9:45 a. m.—Sunday School, Robt. S. Mays, Supt.

11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.

6:30 p. m.—Youth Fellowship.

MEMORIAL BAPTIST

Fourth and Greene Streets

Rev. Richard E. Hardaway, pastor.

9:45 a. m.—Sunday School, E. R. Conway, Supt.

11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.

Special Music by Men's Chorus.

Sermon by the pastor, subject: "What Jesus Began to Do and to Teach."

6:30 p. m.—Training Union.

7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship.

Sermon by the pastor, subject: "The Vine-dresser."

Wednesday 7:30 p. m.—Midweek prayer service.

A cordial welcome to all services.

IMMANUEL BAPTIST

Rev. J. A. Nelson, pastor.

9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.

Wendell W. Smiley, superintendent.

11:00 a. m.—Morning worship.

The pastor will speak on the subject: "I Say Where They Set."

The Chancel Choir will sing an arrangement of "O God Our Help In Ages Past."

New Deacons will be ordained at this service.

5 p. m.—Vesper Service.

Message by the pastor. The ordinance of baptism will be administered at this service.

6:00 p. m.—Fellowship supper for our young people.

6:45 p. m.—Youth Fellowship program.

Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.—Business Woman's Circle will hold its study course at the home of Mrs. Snodgrass Parkerson. Theme of study course: "America Must Be Christian."

Thursday, 7:30 p. m.—The Chancel Choir will meet at the church for rehearsal.

Saturday 10:00 a. m. Junior Choir rehearsal.

Saturday 10:40 a. m. Melody Choir rehearsal.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

Leonard W. Topping, Minister

9:45 a. m.—Church School, Mr. Withers Harvey, superintendent.

11:00 a. m.—Morning worship.

Sermon: "God Has A Plan For Your Life."

Trilo: "I Waited For The Lord," Mervin—Alison Hearn, Mary Smith, Emily DuFre.

5:00 p. m.—Westminster College Student Fellowship and supper at the Manse.

6:30 p. m.—Young People's supper and vesper service at the Manse.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL

Rev. J. J. Houser, Jr., Pastor.

8:00 a. m.—Holy Communion.

9:45 a. m.—Church School.

11:00 a. m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.

3:00 p. m.—Holy Baptism.

6:30 p. m.—Y. P. S. L. meets in parish house.

Monday, 5:00 p. m.—Evening Prayer.

Tuesday, 7:30 a. m.—Holy Communion.

Tuesday 10:00 a. m.—Holy Communion.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m.—Evening Prayer and brief address.

Friday 5:00 p. m.—Liturgy.

JARVIS MEMORIAL METHODIST

Rev. Robert W. Bradshaw, pastor.

9:45 a. m.—Sunday School, J. H. Rose, Supt.

11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.

Prelude—"Nocturne," Well.

Anthem—"I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes," Rogers.

Offertory—"Adoration," Mayer.

Sermon by the pastor.

Postlude—"March," Pitcher.

2:30 p. m.—The Junior Department meeting.

6:00 p. m.—Youth Fellowship supper.

6:30 p. m.—Young People's Fellowship.

6:30 p. m.—Intermediate Fellowship.

7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship.

Monday, 8 p. m.—Wesley Philathea class will meet with Mrs. H. T. Smith.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m.—Boy Scouts Troop 30.

Friday, 7:30 p. m.—Church School Workers' Conference.

CHURCH OF GOD

Rev. E. D. Johnson, pastor.

10:00 a. m.—Sunday School

11 a. m.—Worship

4:00 p. m.—Radio Broadcast WGTG.

Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.—Prayer Service.

ST. PETER'S CATHOLIC

Rev. Charles J. Gable, pastor.

Holy Sacrifice of the Mass at 10 a. m.

CALVARY LUTHERAN

218 Pitt Street, Phone 4451

Rev. Erwin H. Goltermann, pastor.

Second Sunday in Lent.

Sermon: "Christ's Own Testimony Concerning His Incarnation."

The Lutheran Hour every Sunday 10-10:30 a. m. WRRP Washington.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting.

Wednesday, 8 p. m.—Choir practice.

A cordial welcome to all services.

MEADOWBROOK PRESBYTERIAN

10:00 a. m.—Sunday School, L. C. Powell, superintendent.

6:30 p. m.—Young Peoples League

7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship.

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS

Rev. Ralph R. Johnson, pastor

9:45 a. m.—Sunday School, C. J. Cannon, Supt.

11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.

6:30 p. m.—Junior Youth Society.

7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic Services.

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting.

Thursday, 8:30 p. m.—Senior Youth Society, Mrs. C. A. Rumley, president.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

9:45 a. m.—Sunday School

11 a. m.—Lesson-Sermon.

Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.—Mid-week service.

The reading room is open each Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. Visitors welcome.

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Strength FOR THE DAY

WITHOUT BENEFIT OF BOTTLE
Almost everyone who has come in contact with Alcoholics Anonymous is enthusiastic about the organization. Just recently I talked for several hours with a boyhood friend who had fought a losing fight with liquor for thirty years. Alcoholics Anonymous got hold of him seven years ago. Since that time he has been fulfilling the promise of his youth.

One statement he made lingered long in my mind: "What I do now," he said, "I do without benefit of bottle." For thirty years his every thought, desire, and act was dominated by an overwhelming polarity. If he wanted to be cheered or made adequate to a situation, or comforted after a well-deserved failure, his recourse was inevitably to the bottle. Here, he believed, he found everything he wanted and needed. To live a single day without this prop to support him would have been unthinkable. Now the picture is changed completely.

Here is one of the great handicaps of this addiction—it convinces a man of his inadequacy unless he can have a brace. It makes him rely upon a commodity for his happiness. It minimizes the importance of his own inner resources and leaves him in a sense of his dignity. A prop will quickly destroy any power a man may have.

WASHINGTON LETTER

By JANE EADS

Washington—Twenty years ago a graduate nurse in Copenhagen, Denmark, heard there was need for a nurse of the Seventh-day Adventist faith in the Amazon valley. "Add off I sailed, weeping many tears as I bid my sweetheart goodbye," says Anna Larsen.

Anna got salaria in the tropics, and was sent to the United States, where Bert Larsen, her minister sweetheart, joined her. They were married and while they waited for an assignment to Peru they got jobs as nurses.

"We were making \$15 a day together. When we went to Peru a year later our joint salary was less than \$50 a month," says nice-looking, quiet-spoken Bert Larsen.

The Larsens are returning to Lima after a year's leave. Part of their leave was spent in Denmark, which they had not visited for 12 years.

Also in Washington is their Danish schoolmate Emanuel W. Pedersen, his wife and small daughter, enroute back to Kenya Colony, Africa. Mr. Pedersen is superintendent of the Seventh-day Adventist mission at Nairobi.

Both families are part of the world organization of Seventh-day Adventist missions.

"We enjoy what we are doing," says little Mrs. Larsen, her merry blue eyes brightening as she talks. "It's certainly no sacrifice."

For the past eight years the Larsens have been working among the Kechua and Aimara Indians, directing 10 mission stations and 115 schools around Lake Titicaca, 12,000 feet above sea level in the Andes.

Besides preaching and teaching the Larsens say their nursing experience has stood them in good stead. They've done everything from pull teeth to help deliver babies.

"Mr. Larsen has pulled more than 3,000 teeth since we've been up there," says Mrs. Larsen. "One day he pulled 25."

"Mrs. Larsen has saved many a life," says Mr. Larsen.

"I nearly die laughing at some of the names the Indians give themselves," says Mrs. Larsen. "There's 'Dolores Puertes de Barrio' for instance. It means Strong Pains in the Stomach."

The Larsens are elated over the progress they've made. They have baptized 7,000 converts among the Indians, many of whom still worship the sun and earth. They've taught the people Christianity, cleanliness, sobriety and modern ways of living.

"We don't want to Europeanize them," explains Mr. Larsen. "We only want to make them better Indians."

The Little Savage



economy. The accord makes Saar exports to Germany payable in dollars. An exception is Saar coal, which will be paid in marks.

NEW "DEATH RAY"
New York, Feb. 20—(AP)—There's a new death ray on the market. It's aimed at bacteria and virus. Westinghouse Electric has developed the slimline germicidal sterilizer which it says doubles the number of ultra-violet bullets a lamp can throw at a germ. The bullets are invisible radiations of the precise wavelength known to kill instantly.

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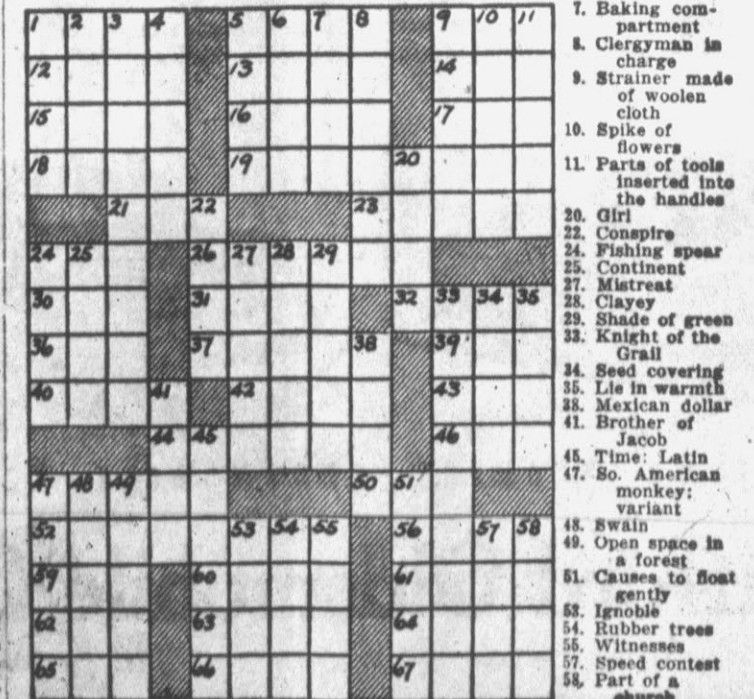
TONIGHT
5:00—Tex Street
5:30—True or False, MBS
6:30—News
6:55—Sportscast
7:00—Twilight Melodies
7:30—Manning Brothers
7:45—Evening Serenade
7:50—Front Page Drama
7:55—MBS, Twin Views of News
8:00—MBS, Twenty Questions
8:30—Musical Gems
8:45—State vs. Carolina, TN
9:30—MBS, What's the Name of That Song?
10:30—Columbia Records Show
11:00—News and Sports Final
11:15—MBS, Songs by Morton Downey
11:30—Victor Lombardo Orch. MBS
11:55—MBS News
12:00—Sign Off

SUNDAY
7:58—Sign On
8:00—Old Fashion Revival Hour
9:00—Reedy Chapel Four
9:15—Spiritual Singers
9:30—Singing People
9:45—Timely Tune
10:00—Obituary Column
10:05—News
10:15—Bible Bible, Class
10:45—Spiritual Four
11:00—Church Services
12:00—David Rose Show
12:15—News
12:30—Melody Lane
1:00—Quiet Melodies
1:15—Clark Family Singers

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Moccasin
3. Make lace
12. Pronoun
13. Molten rock
14. Ancient wine
15. Vessel
16. California rockfish
17. Metric land measures
18. Chess pieces
19. Sprinkle loosely
20. Clothing
21. Demon
22. Hop kins
24. School of whales
26. Feet Gyna's mother
31. Ancient Greek coin
32. Broad thick piece
36. Flat projecting part
37. Flower

DOWN
39. Early English money
40. Destiny
42. Rescue
43. Pronoun
44. Cubic meters
45. Wild animal
47. Sea weeds
50. Possess
52. Discoverer of America
55. Site of the Taj Mahal
59. Topes hummingbird
60. Blanch
61. Tights
62. Color
63. One for whose use something is done
64. Nervous twitchings
65. Anger
66. Bar of soap
67. Old-time dagger



Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle
DOWN
1. Portion
2. Toward the sheltered side
3. Fungus seasoning
4. Paroxysm
5. Close forcibly
6. Ancient Irish capital
7. Baking compartment
8. Clergyman in charge
9. Strainer made of woolen cloth
10. Spike of flowers
11. Parts of tools inserted into the handles
12. Girl
13. Conspire
14. Fishing spear
15. Continent
16. Mistreat
17. Clayey
18. Shade of green
19. Knight of the Graft
20. Seal covering
21. Lie in warmth
22. Mexican dollar
23. Brother of Jacob
24. Time: Latin
25. So. American monkey: variant
26. Open space in a forest
27. Clothes to float gently
28. Ignoble
29. Rubber trees
30. Witnesses
31. Speed contest
32. Part of a

Superior Court of Pitt County, whereby the plaintiff seeks a divorce from the defendant, and the defendant will further take notice that he is required to be and appear at the office of the Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt County, Greenville, North Carolina, on or before the 12th day of February, 1948, or within twenty (20) days thereafter, and answer or demur to the complaint filed in said office or the relief prayed for will be granted.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
Having this day qualified as executor of the Last Will and Testament of Mrs. Hattie P. Shuff, this is to notify all persons having claims against her estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 31st day of January, 1948, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This January 30, 1948.
CHARLES W. SHUFF, III
Albion Dunn, Attorney
Jan. 31, 1948-6wks

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Having qualified as Executrix of the estate of Nellie Bryant, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, to file and exhibit the same with the undersigned or her attorney, L. G. Cooper, Edwards Building, Greenville, North Carolina, on or before the 9th day of February, 1948, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 6th day of February, 1948.
NELLIE L. BROWN WILLIAMS, Executrix of the estate of Nellie Bryant.
Feb. 9-19w-6wks

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of T. E. Gaskins, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned at Grifton, N. C., within twelve months from the date hereof; otherwise this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 3rd day of January, 1948.
W. A. GASKINS, Administrator of the estate of T. E. Gaskins.
Jan. 3-19w-6wks

NOTICE
In The Superior Court
North Carolina
Pitt County
D. L. Stallings
Vs.
Margaret S. Stallings
The above named defendant, Margaret S. Stallings, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, by the plaintiff to secure an absolute divorce from the defendant upon the grounds of two years separation; and the defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of Pitt County, in the courthouse in Greenville, North Carolina, on or before the 10th day of March, 1948, and answer or demur to the Complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said Complaint.

This 27th day of January, 1948.
DAVID T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk of the Superior Court.
January 27-19w-4wks

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Having this day qualified as administrators of the estate of Margaret Smith, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate to file them with the undersigned at the address given within twelve months from this date or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to the estate will please make immediate settlement.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
County of Pitt
The undersigned, having qualified as administratrix of the estate of C. H. Edwards, deceased, late of Pitt County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned or her attorney, Lewis G. Cooper, Edwards Building, Greenville, N. C., on or before the 19th day of January, 1948, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make settlement with the undersigned.

This 16th day of January, 1948.
MARY G. EDWARDS, Administratrix of the estate of C. H. Edwards, deceased, P. O. Box 437, Greenville, N. C.
Jan. 19-19w-6wks

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE
Under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in that certain deed of trust from George Mitchell to John F. Burton, trustee, Dated Nov. 1, 1946, and of record in Book P-24, page 122, of Pitt County Registry, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness therein secured, and the holder of the notes therein secured having requested the said trustee to sell the lands therein described, the undersigned John F. Burton, Trustee, will offer for sale on Friday, March 5th, 1948, at about 12:00 noon, at the courthouse door in Greenville, Pitt County, N. C., to the highest bidder for cash, the following described tracts or parcels of land:

First Tract: Bounded on the southwest by Louis Tilghman, on the northwest by the Allen Johnson lands, on the north and east by the Powell and Fleming lands, on the east by the lands of Elias Cox and known as the home place of the said J. W. Wooten and Virginia Wooten, and being the lands conveyed by Shade Wooten to J. W. Wooten, containing one hundred forty acres more or less; being the same lands described in Book G-3, pages 145, 146 and 147, Register of Deeds of Pitt County, N. C., and more particularly described as follows: "A certain tract or parcel of

land in the County of Pitt and State of North Carolina, on the north side of Neuse River, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake by the fence running N 31 1-8 E 156 4-5 poles to a stake, then S 55 5-8 W 124 poles to a stake, then S 52 1-2 W 146 3-5 poles to a stake, then S 49 3-4 E 180 poles to the beginning, containing 140 acres more or less.

Second Tract: Beginning at a popular in White's Branch, a corner of Allen Johnson's land in Elias Hazelton's line, thence with Allen Johnson's line N 67 degs 16' E 495 feet to a stake, a corner of said Allen Johnson's and J. M. Wooten, thence with said J. M. Wooten's line S 48 degs. E 706 feet to a corner, in Elias Hazelton's line the edge of said White's Branch, thence with White's Branch and Elias Hazelton's line N 67 degs. 30' W 1758 feet to the beginning. Being the same tracts of land described in deed from Helen L. Wooten et al. to W. C. Harris, as recorded in Book S-20, page 285, Pitt County Registry, and by W. C. Harris and wife, to George W. Knott and wife by deed recorded in Book X-21, page 270, Pitt County Registry. Also by George W. Knott and wife, to Ely J. Perry by deed recorded in Book G-24, page 101, Pitt County Registry.

This 3rd day of February, 1948.
JOHN F. BURTON, Trustee
Feb. 5-19w-4wks

NOTICE OF SUMMONS
In The Superior Court
North Carolina
Pitt County
Geraldine Ogburn,
Vs.
Harry B. Ogburn.
The defendant, Harry B. Ogburn, will hereby take notice that a civil action entitled as above has been instituted in the Superior Court of Pitt County by the plaintiff, Geraldine Ogburn, for the purpose of obtaining an absolute divorce from the defendant upon the grounds of two years' separation. And the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to be and appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, N. C., at his office

in the Courthouse in Greenville, N. C., within twenty days after the 5th day of March, 1948, and either answer or demur to the complaint, original and copy of which have been filed in said Clerk's office, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein."

Witness my hand this 4th day of February, 1948.
H. L. LEWIS, JR., Asst. Clerk Superior Court.
Harding and Lee Attys.
Feb. 5-19w-4wks.

NOTICE
In The Superior Court
North Carolina
Pitt County
Blanche Bell Roberson
Vs.
Isiah Roberson
The above named defendant, Isiah Roberson, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, by the plaintiff to secure an absolute divorce from the defendant upon the ground that plaintiff and defendant have lived separate and apart for more than two years next preceding the bringing of this action; and the 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, not later than twenty days after February 21, 1948, the last date of 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 said complaint.

This 30th day of January, 1948.
H. L. LEWIS, JR., Asst. Clerk Superior Court.
William J. Bundy, Attorney for Plaintiff.
Jan. 31-19w-4wks.

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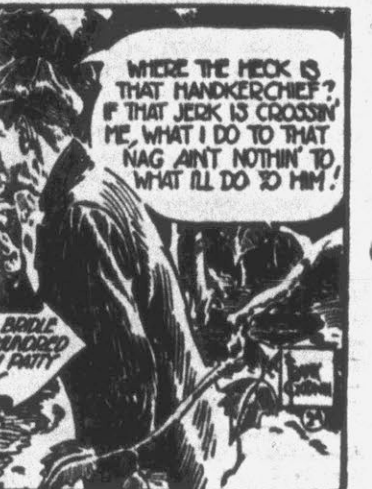
take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, in the courthouse in Greenville, North Carolina, not later than twenty days after February 21, 1948, the last date of publication hereof, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This 30th day of January, 1948.
H. L. LEWIS, JR., Asst. Clerk Superior Court.
William J. Bundy, Attorney for Plaintiff.
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make their last home game their
best to date. The Pirates were
defeated earlier in the season
by Erskine, 45-41, in an over-
time tilt.

'BILL' BEVENS SIGNS

New York, Feb. 21—(AP)—Floyd
(Bill) Bevens, who came within
one out of pitching a no-hitter only
to have it turned into defeat in the
fourth game of the last World
Series, has signed his 1948 contract,
the New York Yankees announced
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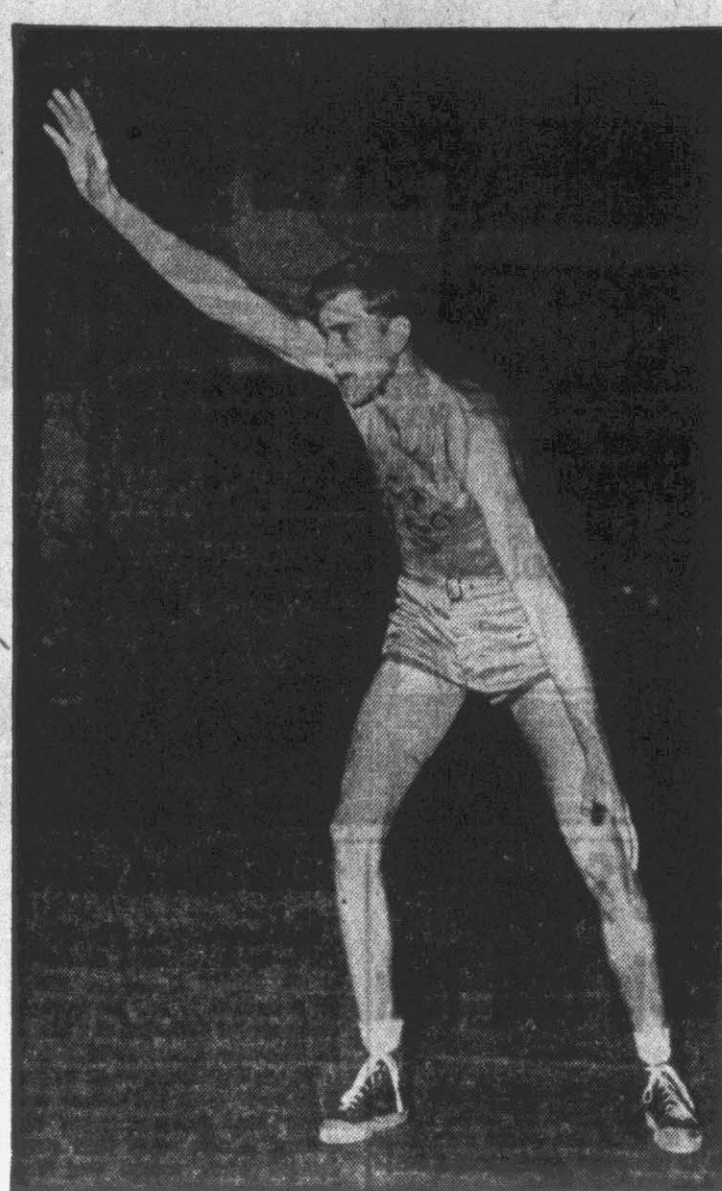
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Freshman Guard, Frank Maennle, of New Jersey, is one of the
main factors in the current success of the East Carolina Teachers
College pirates. Standing 6-2, Maennle uses his height and rugged-
ness to full advantage on rebound plays, where he is an excel-
lent performer. Maennle will be in the starting lineup tonight when
the Pirates face Erskine at 8 o'clock in the College Gym.

Beau Jack Loses In Split Verdict

New York, Feb. 21—(AP)—The
Beau Jack comeback is stalled. All
because of a tough East Side New
Yorker named Terry Young and a
lone point on the scoreboard of Ref-
eree Frank Pullam.

"The fight fans' favorite comment,
"It could have been a draw," was
appropriate last night. Even the
officials were split, to say nothing
of the crowd of 14,923 which paid
\$66,317. All agreed it was the best
fight of the winter season.

Judge Charley Shortell liked
Young and Judge Harold Barnes
found for Jack. Each had it 5-4 in
rounds with one even. Pullam
thought each boy won five rounds.
Ruling that Young took his rounds
by a wider margin, he gave Terry a
thin 6-5 edge in points.

Jack at 26 didn't look like the
old bouncing Beau who twice march-
ed to the lightweight crown. Some
of the old zip was missing, probably
because of his twice-fractured left
kneecap.

Young also had changed. He did-
n't look like the fellow who lost
recently to 19-year-old Paddy De-
marco. Terry took punishment
gamely, countered with effect and
scored the only knockdown of the
bout when he floored Jack for two
in the first with a left hook.

Baroudi Latest Boxing Fatality

Chicago, Feb. 21—(AP)—Sam Ba-
roudi, 20, New York and Akron,
light heavyweight boxer, died in
Columbus Hospital today, six hours
after he was knocked out by Ezard
Charles in the 10th and last round
of their bout in Chicago Stadium
last night. He died without regain-
ing consciousness.

Physicians had diagnosed his in-
jury as a cerebral hemorrhage but
decided against immediate surgery.
He had been rushed to the hospital
after firemen had failed to revive
him in his dressing room.

The young boxer, who had en-
gaged in 46 professional fights, was
knocked out for the first time last
night when he went to the canvas
under the withering attack of
Charles, who is ranked the leading
challenger to the 175-pound title.

Charles dealt out severe punish-
ment to the New York Negro in the
final round of their bout in Chi-
cago Stadium, which drew a crowd
of more than 11,000. After smashing
several blows to the body, Charles,
Cincinnati Negro who outweighed
Baroudi 176 to 169, ripped a left
to the chin, sending Baroudi to the
canvas near the edge of the ring.

Baroudi's death was the first this
year from ring injuries, although
last week the life of Eddie Franklin,
a Philadelphia heavyweight, was
saved by an operation for removal
of a clot on the brain following
his knockout by Bill "Chicken"
Thompson.

There were nine recorded deaths
in the ring last year and eleven in
1946.

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Phantoms Down Roanoke Rapids By 43-34 Score

By SPYRIDON SIDERIS

Greenville's Green Phantoms
made it two in a row over the Ro-
anoke Rapids Yellow Jackets, down-
ing them 43-34 in a Northeastern
Conference contest that wasn't de-
cided until the last minutes of the
game. It was the locals' seventh
conference win against three losses.

During the first half the battle
was nip and tuck, with neither
team able to build up a substantial
lead. At the end of the initial quar-
ter the score was tied at 8-8. The
Greenies forged ahead to 13-8, but
the Jackets knotted the count at
13-13. Then the score stood at 15-
15, and then the Jackets went into
the lead on a foul shot. From this
point on the lead changed five
times, with Greenville ahead at
half-time 21-20.

At the start of the third quarter
the Greenville quint ran up a 27-20
advantage, which the Roanoke Ra-
pids club could never overcome.
This was increased to 35-24 at the
end of the third period, with the
final reading at 43-34 favor the
Green five.

Joe Allegood and Glynn Perkins
forward and center respectively in
the Greenville line-up, shared the
scoring honors with 12 points each.
Ten of Allegood's points came in the
final half, while Perkins split his
with six in each half. Warren, Ro-
anoke Rapids forward, was runner-
up with 8 markers.

In the rebound department Min-
shew and Perkins were the leaders
for Greenville, while Bryant led the
losers.

Jimmy Cox, hustling G-Man for-
ward, and Joe Sawyer, guard, turned
in a good floor game with Cox
chipping in seven points.

In the preliminary game the Baby
Jackets upset the Phantom Juniors
26-21. Greenville led at the half
15-8.

Tonight the Greenville Phantoms
travel to Washington to meet the
Pam Pack. In the previous meet-
ing between these two clubs, Greenville
emerged the winner by a 38-29
score.

Greenville Phantoms
PG FT TP FI
Perkins 6 0 12 3
Cox 3 1 7 4
Minshew 1 1 3 2
Allegood 6 0 12 0
Farley 2 1 5 1
Sawyer 2 0 4 0
TOTAL 20 2 43 10

Roanoke Rapids
Warren 4 0 8 1
Clemmer 2 2 6 8
Bryant 3 1 7 1
Wood 1 1 2 2
Myrick 2 1 5 1
Rook 2 1 5 1
Wines 0 0 0 0
Waters 0 0 0 0
Wheeler 1 0 2 0
Hasty 0 0 0 0
TOTAL 18 4 34 13

Fouls missed: Greenville — Per-
kins (2), Cox (2), Farley (2), Saw-
yer (3).

Roanoke Rapids — Clemmer (1),
Bryant (2), Wood (2), Myrick (1).

UNC Swimmers Take 35th Straight Meet

Chapel Hill, Feb. 21—(AP)—Win-
ners over George Washington here
yesterday, the University of North

Carolina swimmers today
hosted its 35th consecutive South-
eastern Conference triumph.
The Blue outclassed their visit-
ors 61 to 14, won first-place honors
in all nine events, and estab-
lished three new conference records.

Carolina swimming team today
hosted its 35th consecutive South-
eastern Conference triumph.
The Blue outclassed their visit-
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Bedsheets Returned To Belgians Who Gave Aid

Hemroulle, Belgium, Feb. 21.—(AP)—The good people of Hemroulle got their bed sheets back today from the Americans.

Col. John Hanlon of Winchester, N. C., returned to Hemroulle with a pair of bed sheets in the name of his fellow townspeople.

It was a day of joy for this tiny town, where hamlet three miles south of Bastogne. The church bells pealed, bugles sounded and the children waved Belgian and American flags.

They called it "Winchester Day." This is the story behind the celebration.

On Christmas Eve in 1944 Col. Hanlon, then a major commanding the First Battalion of the 502nd Parachute Infantry, dropped out of the skies with his men onto the snow-covered fields surrounding Hemroulle.

It was during the critical battle of the Bulge.

Hanlon, went to the church and summoned the villagers by tolling the bell. He explained the Americans needed camouflage to hide them from the Germans.

The villagers went to their homes and returned with precious snow-white bed sheets. Hanlon promised the sheets would be returned.

Today Hanlon fulfilled his promise. He returned to the village again, summoned the villagers to the church by tolling the bell.

He presented each of the villagers with a pair of crisp new bed sheets—the gift of the people of Winchester in appreciation for the generosity of the villagers of Hemroulle.

In addition more than 600 sheets were presented to the old people's home in Bastogne. All of the sheets were marked with the names of the Winchester donors.

Cases Tried In Police Court

Judge J. W. H. Roberts disposed of the following cases in Police Court this morning:

Fornication and adultery: W. H. Ward Jr., costs; Russell D. Haddock, called and failed, capias issued and bond forfeited; Edith Joyce Roach, paid costs and was ordered to leave the Greenville Hotel and find other employment; Mary Oliver was fined \$15 or to serve 30 days in jail, capias not to be served outside of Greenville.

Assault on a female: R. B. Watson was not guilty. Robert Lee Taylor, colored, transferred to Superior Court, bond \$100.

Operating motor vehicle without operator's license: Alton Lee Brown and Ernest H. Joyner, each paid \$5 and costs.

Drunkenness: Cary Tucker, colored, fined \$25 and ordered to pay \$5.25 to Mary James; James Belcher, layup of bicycle, 90 days on roads.

Vagrancy: Adele Heath, not prosecuted.

Driving while drunk: Alton Lee Brown, \$100 and costs and license ordered revoked for a year.

W. H. Harris, drunk, \$155.

A. Mae Barrett, colored, assaulted with a deadly weapon (shotgun) with intent to kill, probable cause, bound over to Superior Court under \$100 bond.

Farmer Makes His Living Three Acres

Oxford, Feb. 21.—A large acreage may be required for some farmers to make a living, says C. V. Morgan, county agent for the State College Extension Service, but three acres is all that is necessary to provide a nice income for Ira W. Hawkins of Northside, Route 1, Granville County.

Mr. Hawkins planted one acre of turkeys last August and sold them for more than \$800. He has a laying flock of around 400 hens, and has recently bought 900 baby chicks. Up until about 3 weeks ago he was getting about 12 dozen eggs a day, but now he is getting 23 dozen per day.

Winston-Salem Is G. O. P. Mecca

Winston-Salem, N.C., Feb. 21.—(AP)—Winston-Salem was a mecca for North Carolina Republicans today.

Assembling from all parts of the state for a full day's program which will be climaxed by the annual Lincoln Day dinner tonight, many party members expressed optimism over coming elections.

They were gleeful over dissent in the South over President Truman's civil rights program and saw in it hopeful signs for the year.

A hint of what might be expected in speeches at several meetings today was given last night by Charles R. Jones, former national committeeman at Burlington, N.C., in an address before the Alamance County Lincoln Day dinner, declared that American voters "must clean house" in Washington to secure the principles "on which the government was founded."

The day's program opened with finals in a high school declamation contest on the subject "The Republican Party and the Future."

The state's young Republicans held their annual convention this afternoon. The party's state executive committee met separately at the same time.

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Bill Aycock Is Promoted; Goes To Rocky Mount

By CHESTER WALSH

William W. (Bill) Aycock, popular group manager here for the Carolina Telephone and Telegraph Company, has been appointed group manager at Rocky Mount. He will leave shortly to assume his duties there.

Frank Harrington of Louisville will succeed him in Greenville. Mr. Aycock has been with the telephone company for 19 years. He came to Greenville from Henderson 14 years ago and has been manager here for 12 years. The company's business has practically doubled under his administration. He is prominent in business, civic, fraternal and other circles here and is widely known for his community activities.

He has been a member of the Kiwanis Club 12 years and is a charter member and officer of the Greenville Elks Lodge, being No. 7 on the application for the charter.

Mr. Aycock's family, Mrs. Aycock and two children, William W. Jr. and Priscilla, will continue to live in Greenville until he obtains a house in Rocky Mount.

4-H Clubs In State Observe Anniversary

College Station, Raleigh, Feb. 21.—North Carolina's 106,131 4-H Club members will be centering their thoughts around "Creating Better Homes Today For a More Responsible Citizenship Tomorrow" when they observe National 4-H Club Week from March 1-7.

L. R. Harrell, State 4-H Club leader for the State College Extension Service, says that members and leaders of the 2,028 clubs throughout the state are making plans for full participation in observing the special week.

MRS. C. S. FORBES' BROTHER DIED IN SHELBY FRIDAY

Benjamin Suttie of Shelby, a brother of Mrs. C. S. Forbes of Greenville, died Friday morning at his home in Shelby. Funeral services were held this afternoon at 2:30. Surviving are his wife and two children; one sister, Mrs. C. S. Forbes of Greenville, and one brother.

THERE OUGHTA BE A LAW!

By FAGALY and SHORTEN

POP SAID HE'D NEVER USE HIS POLITICAL INFLUENCE TO HELP JUNIOR OUT OF TRAFFIC SCRAPES—

SURE! I KNOW THEM PRETTY WELL DOWN AT CITY HALL. BUT IF YOU EVER GET A TICKET, DON'T EXPECT ME TO 'FIX' IT FOR YOU! IF YOU GET CAUGHT IN A TRAFFIC VIOLATION I HOPE THEY THROW THE BOOK AT YOU TO TEACH YOU A LESSON—

BUT POP HIMSELF GOT PULLED IN TODAY AND—OH BOY! DID HE THROW HIS WEIGHT AROUND!

SPEEDING? HAROOMP! YOU EVIDENTLY DON'T KNOW WHO YOU'RE TALKING TO! ONE WORD FROM ME DOWN AT CITY HALL AND YOU'LL FIND YOURSELF SELLING SHOE LACES—

Thanks to EVELYN JEAN WANDERLEE CHICAGO, 28, ILL.

Little Success In Big Four Talk

London, Feb. 21.—(AP)—Russia "refused to get down to brass tacks" today on what she wants from Austria in the peace settlement, a British spokesman said.

An American observer at the second session of the Big Four Foreign Ministers' Deputies termed the meeting "not altogether successful."

Russia's deputy was evasive on such questions as the Soviet Union's demand for 25 per cent of the Danube Shipping Company's interests in Austria, according to the British spokesman.

The conference is still in its preliminary stages, however. The British observer said the point has not yet been reached for assessing the merits of Russia's claims against the Austrians.

Soviet delegate N. P. Korkotov declared Russia's proposals are explicit enough to allow agreement without prolonged discussion. In general terms, Russia seeks payment by Austria of \$200,000,000 in cash within two years; two thirds of Austria's current and undeveloped oil production for 50 years; and a quarter of all the Danube Shipping Company's interests in Austria.

The Russians also want all Germany's former assets in the company in Hungary, Romania and Bulgaria. This would be in return for German assets in Austria, which Russia claims as reparations from Germany under the Potsdam agreement.

Kiwanians Enjoy Wonderful Picture At Supper Meeting

Dr. H. Glenn Haney provided the program at the Kiwanis Club's weekly supper meeting last night, the motion picture, "This Road We Walk," filmed by Church World Service, Inc., to show the tragic conditions prevailing over the world, especially in Europe. Donald Rose operated the picture machine.

President N. C. Brooks presided. J. B. Kittrell announced that a Boy Scout council will be held in Greenville April 16 and invited the Kiwanians to share in entertaining the 2,000 or more Boy Scouts who will assemble here.

Announcement was made that Carolina District Governor, Gene Coltrane of Brevard had appointed Wyatt Highsmith on the District Attendance Committee, and Eli Bloom on the district Music Committee.

W. J. (Dick) Bundy, a past president of the club, had a birthday and donated a nickel for each year of his age for the general fund.

Dr. Robert S. Boyd, a former president, was a guest last night and received a warm welcome.

Two Junior Kiwanians, Paul Stokes and Rufus Stocks, were welcomed into the club.

Colored News

The Matron's Social Club met Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. Minnie Edwards, Douglas avenue, with the president, Mrs. Gertrude Latham, presiding. After business the hostess served a dainty repast. Those present were Mesdames Vivian Shivers, Amey Whitehead, Gracey Anderson, Annie Streeter, Mary Beady, Rosa Hinton, Allie James, Eleanor Brewington, Emily Wilson, Leana Brewington, Cora Burnette, Julia Barnhill.

Mrs. Beady reported from her community the unfortunate family the club sent a donation to. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Brewington, Pitt street.

You are cordially invited to a program at the Church of God in Christ, 1500 Clark Street, Sunday night. The program will begin at 8 o'clock. The title of the program is "The Sewing Bee."

Come early if you want to get a seat.

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Violent Tactics . . .

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have no armed forces. In the West, for example, there could be no such occurrence as was testified to this week before the un-American activities subcommittee of the House of Representatives in Washington by Soviet refugee from Bulgaria. He declared that after the Bolsheviks seized control of the country they killed without trial more than 50,000 natives. A thing like that could only be done with the backing of an army.

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Regulations For Shad, Herring Inland Waters

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President Roosevelt then robbed the American people of billions of dollars which they had honestly earned. It was as bad as what Russia is doing today. The gold which the citizens of the United States then held was not used for circulation. It was in the bureau drawers of our wives and children; it was carried in our own pockets for luck and emergency; and much of it was in safe deposit boxes throughout the country. When, however, President Roosevelt forced us to turn in all of this gold and exchange it for paper currency, this paper money was spent, and hence, greatly inflated the amount of currency outstanding. As the swapping of gold dollars for paper money then increased the amount in circulation, why wouldn't the reverse be true today if Washington is really serious in reducing the amount of money in circulation, why not offer people their gold dollars back again in place of the paper dollars which they would turn in? The U.S. Treasury certainly has gold enough buried in the ground.

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