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Europe Hopeful Over Diplomatic Note Exchange

Regard Possible Soviet-American Talks With Cautious Optimism

London, May 12-(AP)—Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin told Parliament today only the Communists are standing in the way of world peace.

"I am anxious for peace; anxious for a settlement with Soviet Russia," he said.

He added that there could be no settlement until "the ground has been cleared."

"Bevin was replying to a question by Anthony Eden, wartime foreign secretary. Eden had asked whether he could make a statement about the American-Russian diplomatic exchange which the Moscow radio disclosed early yesterday.

The Russian pronouncement had aroused hope among official and unofficial Europeans that Soviet willingness to talk things over with the United States was a hopeful sign for lasting peace.

The general reaction was that there may be much to gain and little to lose by such talks, no matter whose ideas it was.

The French expressed optimism. Maurice Schumann, president of France's Popular Republican Movement party, said:

"American firmness and the promises with which the 16 (Marshall plan) nations pushed their efforts to union and organization, the Cominform's setback in France and Italy, all are beginning to bear fruit."

Leon Blum, former Socialist premier of France, said it was possible that there may be a "frank and loyal entente between Washington and Moscow" which could mean peace and security for all humanity.

Florence Bonte, a member of the French Communist party's central committee, said "It is certain that the announcement of the negotiations is going to raise a great hope in the world."

Carlo Storti declared: "Silences are dangerous, and conversations never are. It is for this holding peace above all else, that I am happy contact has been made between Washington and Moscow."

European newspapers echoed these views.

Jews Announce Arab Port City Is Taken Over

Jerusalem, May 12-(AP)—A Jewish civil administration announced it took over the all-Arab port city of Jaffa today.

Israel Rokach announced that as mayor of all-Jewish Tel Aviv, he has taken over the administration of Jaffa, once a main port of Palestine Arabs. Jaffa's own municipal government collapsed last week following Jewish attacks which included the city, thousands of Arabs had fled.

The Jews already control Palestine's biggest port, Haifa, which has been taken over by Hagannah, the Jewish militia.

The Jaffa move apparently resulted in talks between Jewish military leaders in Tel Aviv and Abu Leben, who was named head of the Jaffa emergency committee last week after the collapse of the municipal government.

CLAIM VICTORY Nanking, May 12-(AP)—The government today said its forces killed 9,300 Chinese Communist troops in Sian Province, captured 4,126 more and scattered the balance of Red Gen. Peng Teh-hui's army.

What Is Next Move? The Railroad Unions Which Threatened Strike Are On A Spot; They Probably Don't Know Yet, Their Next Move; "Take It Or Leave It" Proposition

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, May 12 (AP)—At this point the three railroad unions, which threatened to strike, are on pretty much of a spot.

The big question for them is: Now what do they do?

At this point they probably don't know themselves.

They're in a box. One of the men connected with the unions admitted as much to this writer.

The three unions—engineers, firemen, switchmen—marched steadily uphill to the point where they called a strike.

After all that buildup—it got the country into a kind of crisis mood—they had to call off the strike.

The railroad wouldn't give in to them. And the government took over the roads. It did more. It got a court order forbidding a strike.

That stopped it, at least for the time being. There wasn't anything for the unions to do but stay on the job, after the court order.

If they hadn't, they would have faced possible heavy fines for contempt of court, like the one John L. Lewis got for not calling off his coal strikes.

The railroad no-strike order is only temporary. It ends May 19. The unions could argue then against the court's issuing a permanent no-

Dulles Tells Congress Time Not Right To Attempt Revision Of UN Charter

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Will Abdicate

Amsterdam, The Netherlands, May 12-(AP)—Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands will abdicate toward the end of September in behalf of her daughter, Princess Juliana, the queen announced in a radio broadcast tonight.

The Queen, 68, has been in poor health for months.

Wilhelmina took a seven-week vacation from her royal office last fall and special legislation was drafted for Juliana to act as regent. Wilhelmina resumed her royal duties Dec. 1.

A government announcement Saturday said she planned to yield her powers for a second time next Friday, with Juliana again to serve as regent.

Two Days Remain For UN Action

Lake Success, May 12 (AP)—With only two days left to act, the United Nations struggled today to reach some decision on what is to happen to Palestine.

The deadline is midnight Friday, Palestine time, or 5 p. m., Eastern Standard Time, when the British drop their old League of Nations mandate over the Holy Land.

No agreement is in sight here, either on the Palestine problem as a whole or on special measures to safeguard the holy places of Jerusalem, although a special session of the United Nations assembly has been sparring with both questions for nearly a month.

A special sub-committee received last night a proposal from the United States and France that Jerusalem be placed temporarily under the authority of the United Nations until the British mandate ends. Under this proposal the UN trusteeship council would be the administrative authority. It would be empowered to name a high commissioner for the city, site of holy shrines of three religions.

Jewish agency sources here disclosed meanwhile that the agency will emerge in a new role after it loses its official standing as spokesman for the Holy Land's Jews Friday.

Details of the Jewish agency's plans for the future still are being worked out, but a broad general program has been agreed upon. It takes in account plans to proclaim a Jewish government in Palestine this week-end.

Goldboro, N. C., May 12-(P)—Reduction from three to two of the number of Episcopal Dioceses in North Carolina was before the 65th annual convention of the East Carolina Diocese today.

Support for the proposal was voiced at a laymen's dinner last night. Charles Davis of Wilmington testified to the economic need for such a move by pointing out the present Eastern, Western and North Carolina Dioceses. He said that the church would be strengthened by a rearrangement of division lines to provide for only two Dioceses.

F. D. Duncan of Greenville was elected president of the laymen's league succeeding William G. Gaither of Elizabeth City.

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Cease-Fire Pact In Jerusalem Is Broken; Sniping Arabs And Jews Blame Each Other For Truce Violation; Sporadic Shooting

Jerusalem, May 12-(AP)—The cease fire was broken in Jerusalem today when Arabs and Jews exchanged shots in the Holy City's suburbs. Each side blamed the other for breaking the truce.

The main shooting was in the southwest corner of Jerusalem, where Arabs have been sniping at the Jewish Mekor Haim settlement for the past five months.

Scattered shooting also was heard in the Yemin Moshe Quarter. Hagannah militia returned fire from the Katamon Quarter, which they recently wrested from the Arabs. There were no actual attacks, only sniping and return fire.

The Jewish Agency said it was lodging a protest with the United Nations consular truce commission against rupture of the cease fire order.

Arabs accused Jews of opening fire with rifle shots from Mekor Haim at the Arab section of Upper Bakaa on the Bethlehem road.

Little news reached Jerusalem today from embattled Bab El Wad gorge on the vital Jerusalem-Tel Aviv convoy route, where the Jews are striving to reopen their supply link to Jerusalem from the coast.

Fighting still is raging in the hills, but Hagannah said the road itself is clear of resistance. Jewish sappers are clearing mines along the highway.

Fawzi Bey Al Kaukji took to the field at the head of his Arab volunteers today as they sought to regain control of the Bab El Wad area.

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Marshall Declines U. S. - Soviet Talk

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In a news conference statement, Marshall ruled out the possibility of a direct two-nation settlement on general problems between the United States and Russia.

Marshall said in the statement that Ambassador Walter Bedell Smith had not asked Soviet Foreign Minister Molotov "for any general discussion or negotiation."

Molotov had said that Smith proposed discussion and negotiation and publicly announced that Russia had accepted. That was in a world-startling Russian broadcast Monday night (Moscow time).

"We have had a long and bitter experience with such efforts," Marshall said.

"This government had no intention of entering into bi-lateral negotiations with the Soviet government on matters relating to the interests of other governments."

"The discussion of any proposals in regard to outstanding issues which the Soviet government may have in mind, must, as a matter of course, be conducted in the body charged with responsibility for these questions."

This was a clear reference to the United Nations and to the various allied bodies set up during and after the war for handling such problems as the future of Germany and Austria.

Marshall then arrested the post-

side of the American attitude. He asserted that "what we want is action in the fields where action is possible and urgently necessary at the present time."

He specified issues before the United Nations Security Council and other UN agencies, such as the Korean situation, as well as German issues before the allied control council in Berlin and Austrian treaty negotiations.

After he read his statement, Marshall answered a series of questions from the 100 or more reporters in the State Department auditorium.

In these he brought out ideas additional to those he had in his normal statement.

He read at length from a paragraph of Molotov's May 9 statement to Ambassador Smith in which Molotov declared that the policy of the Russian government has always been "a peace-loving policy and one of collaboration with regard to the United States" and that the U. S. S. R. intends to carry out this policy "with complete consistency."

Marshall declared that he thought that the statement with reference to the future is extremely important; that the entire world will look on to see what will happen about it.

He was asked whether in view of this he thought that the Soviet government might now be ready to take action which the United States considers necessary in the United Nations and other existing agencies.

Marshall replied that he has the hope that the world now will see evidence in those fields of the spirit of reaching an accord.

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It was the auto industry's first major strike since November, 1945, when the UAW-CIO walked out at General Motors Corp. to begin a 113-day siege.

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Overcast Skies Return To State

By The Associated Press Showers and generally cloudy weather returned to the Carolinas today.

The weather man said the overcast would be broken only spasmodically. And he added that the indications were that the condition would become more showery.

Railroad Unions Await Effort To Settle Dispute

Washington, May 12-(AP)—Union members under a court order to keep the nation's trains running for the Army today awaited the government's next move to settle their wage dispute.

When or in what form the move will come was not clear.

The government has a full week of grace before the threat of a nationwide railroad strike may arise again.

During that week the three unions involved must decide whether to fight the anti-strike edict in court or simply leave the whole burden of proof up to Justice Department lawyers.

Federal Judge T. Alan Goldsborough, who averted yesterday's threatened walkout by issuing a temporary restraining order after the government had seized the railroads, set a hearing for next Wednesday on whether the injunction should be made permanent.

Brotherhood attorneys said today the union strategy decision has not yet been reached.

Policy committees were standing by to pass on that and any other developments in the 11-month-old pay battle.

The union chiefs met with Secretary of the Army Royal yesterday and came away saying his authority to umpire the dispute remained a question.

The three brotherhood leaders—Alvanly Johnston of the locomotive engineers, David B. Robertson of the firemen and engineers and Arthur J. Glove of the switchmen—contended to a news conference earlier that the government wanted to transform an emergency board, recommended settlement into compulsory arbitration.

They said that in the final stages of the wage talks before the government seizure order they had offered to "ask" for a 30 percent wage increase demand. Instead, they said they had agreed to take the 15 1-2 cents an hour suggested by the presidential board plus a few operating rules changes which they said would not involve much money.

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Social and Personal

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Mrs. R. T. Burnette has returned from Charleston, W. Va., where she visited her daughter, Mrs. G. C. Smith, who has been ill in a Charleston hospital. Mrs. Smith is convalescing and has returned home.

Mrs. J. H. Nicholson, II, is a patient in Pitt General hospital.

Mrs. Frank Park has returned from a visit in New Bern with her daughter, Mrs. James Magill.

Radio Program
The Greenville Music Club will sponsor another radio program of serious music on Thursday afternoon from 3:30 to 4. Misses Marguerite Austin and Ellen Caldwell will be hostesses. Tune in on WGTC.

Card of Appreciation
The family of Mr. John Herbert Shelton, of Conetoe, wishes to thank all friends for the many kindnesses shown at the time of his death and for the beautiful floral tributes.

Participate in Morehead P. T. A. Program

Miss Nell Stallings of the faculty of East Carolina Teachers College and William Kittrell of Winterville, student at the college, attended on Tuesday evening a meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association in Morehead City. Both participated in the program, which was based on the theme of community recreation.

Kittrell, a sophomore at East Carolina Teachers College who is specializing in physical education, will be director during the summer months of a program of recreation in Morehead City and Beaufort.

Mrs. West's Father Dies in Faison
W. B. Hobbs, 82, father of Mrs. C. B. West, Jr., of Greenville, died Tuesday afternoon at his home in Faison. Funeral services were held at 3:30 p. m. this afternoon from the Rowe Funeral Home in Weldon. Interment was in Cedarwood cemetery in Weldon.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY

8:00 p. m.—Carrie Wilson class of Immanuel Baptist Church meets with Mrs. W. G. Rush.

8:00 p. m.—Annual dance recital, "The Magic Garden," by talented students of Miss Margaret Rose in Austin auditorium sponsored by the Junior Woman's Club. Benefit Watson Memorial Children's Wing of Pitt General Hospital.

8:00 p. m.—Greenville White Shrine No. 7 will meet in the Masonic Hall.

THURSDAY

3:30 p. m.—The Senior class and the Teachers' Playhouse of East Carolina Teachers College will present "The Man Who Came to Dinner," sprightly comedy by Moss Hart and George S. Kaufman, in the Austin auditorium. Two other performances will follow this initial presentation of the play.

4:00 p. m. to 5:00 p. m.—Registration for year 1948-49 at St. Raphael's School.

7:30 p. m.—Bosses' night dinner of the B. & P. Woman's Club in Masonic Hall.

8:00 p. m.—"The Man Who Came to Dinner" will be presented in the Austin auditorium in a second performance by the Senior class and the Teachers' Playhouse of the college.

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FRIDAY

9:30 a. m.—Meeting of Junior Class of Greenville High School at high school auditorium.

Announce Birth and Death of Son

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Peel announce the birth and death of a son, Michael Anthony, on Tuesday, May 11, in Rocky Mount Sanatorium. Funeral services were conducted at the Johnson funeral home, on Church street in Rocky Mount this morning at 10 o'clock by the Rev. Fortin McLaughlin, pastor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church. Interment followed in Pine View cemetery in Rocky Mount.

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The Moss Hart-George S. Kaufman comedy, long a success on the New York stage and also popular in the movie version, will have an attractive stage set designed and executed by members of the Teachers' Playhouse under the direction of Earl Sawyer of Jamesville and a corps of five assistants. Lighting effects will be in charge of Jack Howard of North Wilkesboro.

Special attention is being given to make-up. The college players have recently installed in their "green room" in the Austin building more than \$100 worth of equipment to improve their make-up department. Linoleum covered dressing tables and fifteen mirrors, each with a separate light, are included. Ruth Bostian of Wilmington will be in charge of making up the students for their roles.

Among those who are helping make the play a success are three students pictured above: Betty Jo Wilson of Greenville and Hu-



HENNIE RUTH WICHARD

bert Bergeron of Spring Hope, members of the cast, and Hennie Ruth Wichard of Greenville, publicity manager for the production.

Ballet to Feature Magic Gardener
Tonight's dance program, "The Magic Garden," play open with a party girls and boys number by the tiny tappers class, Lou Ficklen, Sara Collier Webb, Sue Ellen Hunsucker and Frances Moseley singing the solo parts. Alfred Forbes, Jr., who is the magic gardener, will then plant his magic seed and from it will grow flowers of every size and hue. Camella Henderson will be the lovely little butterfly to visit the garden. Following the ballet act, tap numbers will suggest happy ways to spend a vacation at the beach, at home in the garden, abroad, or picnicking in the park. The revue is being presented by the Rose School of Dance at 8 p. m. at Austin auditorium and sponsored by the Junior Woman's Club.

platter and other accessories which add to the beauty and interest of the compositions. And for a New England touch one will find an interesting painting of a fishing cove and several lobsters.

The gallery is open every afternoon from two until six, and the public is cordially invited to see this exhibit.

Piano Recital
Mrs. W. O. Freeland will present her older pupils in recital on Monday night, May 17, at 7:30 in Shepard Memorial Library.

Bake Sale
St. Anne's chapter of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will have a bake sale Friday morning at 10:30 at Folger Buick Co.

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Miss Wahl Gives Book Review

Miss Frances Wahl, principal of the Training School, reviewed the book "It's Greek to Me," by Willie Snow Ehrhridge on Tuesday afternoon at a meeting of the Literature Department of the Woman's Club. The author, wife of Mark Ehrhridge, a representative on the United Nations Commission of Investigation concerning Greek Frontier Incidents, tells of her experiences in Greece, Bulgaria and Yugoslavia while her husband was involved in the work of the commission. Miss Wahl read several entertaining passages concerning the author's experiences with Greek royalty and then pointed out the serious economic situation of the Greek people. The sharp contrast between the luxury enjoyed by royalty and the semi-starvation of the masses of people was clearly shown.

Preceding the program a refreshment course of punch, cookies and nuts was served with Mrs. James Worley, Mrs. J. N. Hart and Mrs. Robert Lee Lumber as hostesses. Following the refreshment course a brief business meeting was held at which Mrs. Dan Vornholt presided. Roll was called and sixteen members responded with a short resume of their summer plans. The meeting was held at the Woman's Club building.

Mid-Week Prayer Service
Mid-week prayer service will be held Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Carson Bible class room. The pastor will conduct the service.

40 Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR

40-Inch lawns of the best value were selling for 12 1-2 and 15c, men's shirts for 50c.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stator of Bethel came over Tuesday evening for a visit.
The grand opening ball at the Atlantic Hotel, Morehead City, on the first Saturday in June. This will be a brilliant affair and will attract from far and near.

NOTICE TO VETERANS

Members of the V.F.W. and the American Legion Greenville posts are urged to meet Walter Lewis, chairman of the Joint Funeral and Military Honors Committee at the home of the late Chief Buford Drum at 7:30 Thursday morning to participate in the full military honors to be provided for their old comrade. All members are requested to wear their respective organization caps. Chief Drum was a member of both local veterans' organizations, having been a charter member and trustee of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post. All members of both organizations, not participating in the military rites, will serve as honorary pall-bearers. Post Commander J. S. Jenkins stated today.

Had Enough Of Poached Smelt

Laconia, N.H., May 12—(AP)—The staff and inmates of the Laconia State School never want to see a smelt again.
They have been on a steady diet of the fish since last weekend when Municipal Court gave the school 700 pounds of smelt seized from poachers.
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'Open Letter' By Wallace Cheered At Large Rally

New York, May 12 (AP)—A crowd estimated at 18,000 cheered Henry A. Wallace last night as he outlined his ideas for ending the "cold war" and launching a "century of peace."

Addressing a Madison Square Garden rally, the third party presidential candidate said that there are no differences between the United States and the Soviet Union "which cannot be settled by peaceful, hopeful negotiations."

He presented his views in the form of an "open letter" addressed to Prime Minister Stalin. Wallace's running mate, Sen. Glen Taylor (Idaho) also spoke at the rally which was sponsored by the Wallace for president committee.

Between bursts of applause, Wallace enumerated six "definite, decisive steps" which he said must be taken to restore a "common ground of peace."

He called for general disarmament, outlawing of weapons of mass destruction, a ban against exports of weapons by any nation, and resumption of unrestricted trade between Russia and this country, except for war goods.

"The world was heartened this morning by the release of notes exchanged by (U.S. Ambassador) Bevel Smith and Foreign Minister Molotov," he said, but added that "hugh American authorities" had poured "cold water on these notes."

Wallace declared the exchange offered "great hopes to those of us who have consistently maintained that peace is possible."

Rev. Harold Dudley And Jack Spain To Speak Grimesland

Jack Spain, administrative assistant to U. S. Sen. Clyde R. Hoey, will deliver the graduation address at the Grimesland High School on Friday night, May 21, at 8 o'clock. Principal L. L. Murray will introduce him.

The program will include: processional; invocation by Rev. W. C. Felman; patriotic melody by High School Glee Club; presentation of awards by R. B. Wilson, chairman of the Grimesland School Board, and the Recessional.

Rev. Harold J. Dudley, Presbyterian minister of Wilson, will deliver the commencement sermon at the school next Sunday, May 16, at 8 p.m. A special program will be presented.

Campaigns conducted by 619 community chests in 1941 raised nearly \$96 million.

'Cautious Cheer'

Baker, Ore., May 12 (AP)—Gov. Thomas E. Dewey regards with "cautious cheer" Russia's readiness to accept an American bid for settlement of existing differences.

"If they mean it, it is the best news since V-J Day," he said. "If they don't mean it, well—it will be just what has happened about every six months."

German Farmers Exchanging Pigs For Bathtubs

Frankfurt, Germany (AP)—Which will you take: a pig or a bathtub? In Germany, city folk take pigs and farmers take bathtubs. For such deals, the farmer has become the most hated man in Germany.

"Better times will come when the carpets on the pigsty floors are returned to their owners"—the hungry industrial workers who traded them for food.

American and German officials say that not every farmer is a black marketer. Many do their best to help the needy town people. But experts say if all the pigs that vanished in 1947 had been legally distributed, the average German's meat ration would have been upped 50 percent.

Now the average man gets only eight pounds of meat a year.

John Stanley Dixon Dies After Illness

Johnnie Stanley Dixon, 50, died in Tayloe hospital, in Washington, this morning at 2:15 o'clock after several weeks' critical illness.

Funeral services will be conducted at Black Jack Free Will Baptist Church Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock by his pastor, Rev. J. R. Davis, of Davis, N.C., assisted by a former pastor, Rev. J. C. Griffin of Morehead City. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Mr. Dixon was born, reared and spent all of his life in the Black Jack community. He was a member of the Black Jack Free Will Baptist Church. He was also a member of the Grimesland Masonic Lodge and Woodmen of the World.

He was married to Miss Martha Williams in 1910. Mr. Dixon was a prominent farmer and active in county affairs. Surviving are his wife; three sons, Clarence W. and Frank S. Dixon, and Woodrow H. Dixon, all of the home; three daughters, Mrs. Clarence Little of near Greenville, Mrs. Norman Dall of near Ayden, and Mrs. James Page of near Greenville; nine grandchildren; and a sister, Mrs. W. Les Buck of Black Jack.

Members of the Johnnie Dixon Sunday school class will be honorary pallbearers.

Ninth Gallopade Starts Thursday

Rocky Mount, N.C., May 12 (AP)—The ninth annual Gallopade, Rocky Mount's spring festival, will get underway Thursday, running through Saturday.

A baby May Day festival, pet parade, costume parade, carnival street dance, a floral parade, air show, coronation ball, dog show and an old-fashioned square dance have been scheduled.

Castle Is Robbed Of Art Objects

Coburg, Germany, May 12 (AP)—Military government officials said today thieves have robbed historic Coburg Castle of art objects which German police valued at \$200,000.

The loot included two silver clocks presented to the Duke of Coburg by Queen Victoria of Britain, and three paintings.

WORKSHOP STORIES The Radio Drama Workshop of East Carolina Teachers College will present on Thursday afternoon for the third time a program of stories for children over the facilities of station WGTC of Greenville.

Scheduled for the broadcast at 5:00 o'clock are the old favorites among young people "Cinderella" and "The Three Bears." The stories have been arranged for radio production and will be narrated by college students belonging to the workshop.

What Is Next . . .

(Continued from Page One) pay—in addition to the \$3 a day—for certain men doing certain jobs under certain conditions.

Months ago President Truman appointed a board of fact-finders to look into the dispute. The board recommended:

That the unions take 15 1-2 cents

an hour, like the other 19 unions, and drop some of those demands for 23 changes in the rules.

The unions said "No." Over last weekend, as the strike drew near, the union leaders and company people were called to the White House.

Now, one of the union leaders says, at the White House the unions agreed to settle for 15 1-2 cents an hour but wanted more rule changes than the President's fact-finders had recommended.

The companies have issued a statement saying they'll accept the fact-finders recommendations. That's pretty much a "take it or leave it" proposition. The railroads can thus sit back and let the union leaders try to find a way out.

So, all in all, the unions find themselves in a lot worse bargaining position than before the deadline for the strike they called off.



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These animals are called lemmings. Scientists say that their instinct to migrate causes these vast swarms, dating from a time when southern Norway was connected to Europe by dry land. The lemmings know instinctively in which direction to travel, but of course they do not understand that the land is no longer there. They rush blindly forward to their own destruction. Many people alive today resemble lemmings in their effort to get somewhere in life. Their energy and determination are admirable, but they do not know where they are going. Some of them make money tremendously fast, without ever discovering how best to use all the money they make. Some strive to rise in society, without any idea what will be accomplished when they become prominent. Life is important enough so that we all can afford the time to see where we are going, before we rush blindly into what may be for us, as for the lemmings, destruction.

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WASHINGTON LETTER

By JANE KARS

Washington—Though the new half dollar, just released for circulation, has Benjamin Franklin's profile on it, Franklin himself was against having anyone's portrait on coins.

Mrs. Nellie Taylor Ross director of the Mint, who is personally responsible for the design of the new coin, says so. "But probably it is royal heads he objected to," she explains.

"Had he known in his day that 150 years hence his image would be placed on a coin of this, his native land, to whose service his life was consecrated, we may assume, I believe, that he would not have been seriously displeased."

Mrs. Ross says she has been a "Poor Richard fan" all her life. She has made a hobby of studying Franklin's writings as well as the books other men have written about him. Franklin already appears on the \$100 bill of the current series. She says it seemed a good idea to put him on a piece of currency which the average citizen sees more often.

The late John R. Sinnick, engraver, sculptor and designer at the Mint in Philadelphia, had practically finished the design at the time of his death, in May a year ago. His assistant, Gilroy Roberts, completed it.

The new half dollar is being minted both at Philadelphia and Denver. Mrs. Ross says the Denver production of 3,500,000 will be marked "D." Each coin is individually struck. Twelve presses are turning out 3,000,000 at Philadelphia. The new coin will probably replace the Liberty fifty-cent piece.

Mrs. Albert Wedemeyer, wife of Lt. Gen. Wedemeyer, is "up to her ears in clay" most of the time in her Fort Myer residence. She is very modest about her accomplishments and insists she works in a "very amateurish" way, but her friends say her portrait busts are quite good. The General is a severe critic. Mrs. Wedemeyer says, but he won't pose for her.

The Postoffice Department's income for this year is estimated at \$1,450,000,000—about double what it was in 1940—and it was tallored to fit an \$800,000,000 annual business. Department officials say it needs more office space, employes, mail cars and equipment. The Postoffice is the world's largest business and its largest single employer, with about 600,000 employes. It's the largest savings bank, with more than \$2,000,000,000 in postal savings. It's the largest real estate owner and renter, with offices in 42,000 cities and hamlets. It will transport more than 40 billion pieces of mail, weighing more than 9 billion pounds, this year.

Washington—(AP)—There are about three widows for every widower in the United States.



Boyle's Column

By HAL BOYLE
New York—(AP)—"If you push enough doorbells, you'll sell enough brushes."

That is the simple sales formula on which Alfred C. Fuller, the original Fuller Brush man, has built a gigantic house to house his business.

Fuller, now 63, started in the basement of his sister-in-law's house in 1905. He made the brushes on a \$15 second-hand machine in the afternoon and evening, peddled them the next morning.

He doesn't have to push doorbells himself anymore. He's so wealthy he doesn't even have to answer the door himself when a Fuller Brush man rings his doorbell to try to sell him a brush.

But this year some 7,000 Fuller Brush men across the nation will push approximately 43,750,000 doorbells to sell housewives nearly \$30,000,000 worth of brushes.

Today the Fuller Brush man has become a familiar figure on the American doorstep. Red Skelton has just made a move about him and The Saturday Evening Post featured him this week in one of its "Men at Work" series.

What's he like—this door-to-door salesman who has taken the place of the old-time itinerant peddler and knocks more often than the postman?

The Brush Company recently pulled some of its 7,000 dealers and came up with this picture:
The average Fuller Brush man is 40 years old, has a high school education, gets his own hours, earns \$70 a week. He has been married 12 1-2 years, has a boy and a girl, owns a 1 1-2 room house and a low-priced car 7 1-2 years old with 52,000 miles on the speedometer.

He owns two radios, has been selling brushes for four years. His favorite hobbies are fishing, gardening and hunting, but he may collect seashells or pictures of steamships. This probably reflects a get-away-from-it-all feeling.

Some 35 percent saw military ser-

vice, 56 percent belong to a fraternal lodge, one out of five has held a public office, three have been mayors, three were ministers and one was a Royal Canadian Mounted Policeman who woreid of the horse.

The Fuller Brush man works five days a week, pushes 25 door bells a day, gives free to every prospect a vegetable scrubbing brush that costs him three cents. He has at least 2,000 families in his district, calls on them three or more times a year, sells to one out of every two households who come to the door.

The door is his big problem. He isn't allowed to put his foot in it, but once he gets past it he generally figures he's in—physically and in a sales sense, too. He then has 135 items to sell—from nail brushes to furniture polish.

In one out of 25 cases the Fuller Brush man isn't a man at all. He's a Fuller Brush lady. The percentage of women salesmen rose during the war.

Strange things happen to the Fuller Brush man. He has helped deliver babies, rushed stricken people to hospitals. One saved a child strangling on a coin by upending the baby and slapping her bottom until the coin dropped out. One was picked up by a policeman looking for a robbery suspect. The Fuller Brush man sold the cop a clothesbrush.

The Fuller Brush man can't bristle when a door slams in his face, has to try, try again.
"One superintendent told me I could never get into his building while he was alive," a Fuller Brush man wrote cheerfully. "But he dropped dead, so now I can go into the building."

Many Fuller Brush men go on to bigger things. One of the company doesn't mention much in Landon C. Kellogg of Westfield, Mass. He began pushing doorbells for Fuller in 1922. Two years later he began manufacturing brushes himself, built the business to a \$3,000,000 annual volume by 1946.

Kellogg sold out three months

Crossword Puzzle

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| 2. Part of a foot | 35. Giant |
| 3. Lateral | 36. Number |
| 4. Philippine mountain | 37. Symbol for calcium |
| 5. Winklike | 38. By the side of |
| 6. Sufficent | 39. Bowler's target |
| 7. Melody | 40. Founded on excitement |
| 8. Coastal | 41. Party |
| 9. Stableman | 42. Exist |
| 10. Endure | 43. Most meager |
| 11. Biblical priest | 44. Revive |
| 12. Slender | 45. Turkish |
| 13. Flowering plant | 46. Imperial standard |
| 14. Gain | 47. Trouble maker |
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 - Singing bird
 - Strong winds
 - Careening
 - Light brows
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 - Decide
 - Starlike substance
 - Accomplished
 - Pitcher
 - Chart of ground grain
 - Unruffled
 - Silence of bodies at rest
 - Once and again
 - King of Tyre
 - Toward the mouth
 - Style of architecture
 - Concerning
 - Cubic meters
 - Unless law
 - Worked
 - Ancient galleys
 - Forebear
 - Bristle
 - Heather
 - Elector
 - Slam
 - Century plant
 - Bugle call
 - Large volume
 - Gaile
 - Opening

ago and retired at 48. He has a private plane and an estate in Florida.

Now he's like Fuller—doesn't even have to answer his own doorbell.

VFW Commander Says Great Need Is Preparedness

Raleigh, May 12—(AP)—Now, more than ever, America needs national preparedness, national commander Ray Brannaman of the Veterans of Foreign Wars said here last night.

Russia's expressed readiness to work for international peace, he asserted at a dinner in his honor, "gives point to the VFW's formula for peace—national preparedness." "The language of strength is the kind of language Russia understands and respects," he went on. "Thus, it becomes more necessary than ever that America become strong and remain strong."

E. C. Sneed of Wilmington, state VFW commander, introduced Brannaman, who is from Denver, Colo.

Railroad Official Issues Statement About Rail Strike

Charles A. Robertson, local agent for the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, released the following message from C. McD. Davis, president of the company today:
"C. McD. Davis, president of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, informed the press Tuesday evening that in the belief the strike which has been called by Alan Johnston, Davis B. Robertson and A. J. Glover, heads of the three organizations, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Switchmen's Union of North America, respectively, for 6 a.m. Tuesday morning, May 11, would be called off as a result of a restraining order issued by Federal Judge T. Alan Goldsboro, at the request of the government, the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company is rescinding notices of curtailment of forces extended by its management and is cancelling outstanding embargoes issued by that company, the notices of curtailment of forces referred to were extended on May 5, and which the attitude of the three organizations named made cessation of train service on May 11 a real probability, such notices having been extended under Atlantic Coast Line agreement with its organized employes. Davis stated that even though the roads were taken over by the Department of the Army at noon today he had delayed rescinding notices of curtailment of forces and cancellation of embargoes because of the uncertainty of the strike situation until the federal restraining order was issued."

Many Homes In U.S. Still Lack Plumbing

New York—(AP)—America's "age of sanitation" popularly supposed to have arrived 20 years ago, is still a long way off; according to A. R. McKanna, new chairman of the Tile Council of America.
Only 65 percent of the nation's dwelling units have private baths and 9,000,000 are without running water, he disclosed. Complacency about living standards is premature while there are 14,000,000 bathless homes, he said, and only since 1930 has the number of homes with baths exceeded those without them.

County Convention Here Next Saturday

The Pitt County Democratic Convention will be held at the courthouse next Saturday at noon. Chairman John P. Clark will preside. Precinct officials and delegates elected at the 20 county precincts last Saturday are expected to attend. The county convention will organize and elect delegates to the state convention to be held in Memorial Auditorium in Raleigh on Thursday, May 30 at noon.

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TONIGHT

- 6:00—News
- 6:05—Dinner Date
- 6:15—Erwin, State, Regional News
- 6:25—Musical Interlude
- 6:30—Sportscast
- 6:45—Claudia
- 7:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS
- 7:15—Today's Outstanding Citizen
- 7:30—Veterans News
- 7:45—Goldsboro in Greenville
- 8:00—Pitching horseshoes, MBS
- 8:00—Gabriel Heater, MBS
- 8:15—Ball Game Continued
- 10:30—2200 Club
- 10:45—Navy Band
- 11:00—All the News
- 11:15—Dave Le Winter's Orch., MBS
- 11:30—Woody Herman, Orch., MBS
- 11:55—News, MBS
- 12:00—Sign Off
- 6:29—Sign On
- 6:30—Judy Martin Show, TN
- 7:00—News
- 7:05—Pitt County Bookmobile
- 7:10—Yawn Patrol
- 7:45—News
- 8:00—Hymns of Faith, TN
- 8:15—Breakfast Frolics
- 8:30—Morning Meditations (Maj. Stanley)
- 8:45—Wait Time
- 9:00—J. C. Penney Co. Show
- 9:30—Hits for the Missus
- 9:45—Ozark Valley Folks, MBS
- 9:55—Lost and Found
- 10:00—Obituary Column
- 10:05—John W. Vanderhook
- 10:10—Program Resume
- 10:15—Block Party
- 10:45—Smile Time
- 11:00—Passing Parade, MBS
- 11:15—MBS, Tell You Neighbor
- 11:30—MBS, Heart's Desire
- 12:00—Farmers Exchange
- 12:15—Checkerboard Jamboree MBS
- 12:30—Taft Furniture Co. Show
- 12:45—Sun Crest Trio
- 1:00—Cedric Foster, MBS
- 1:15—Bing Crosby
- 1:30—Musical Interlude
- 1:35—Carolina Farm Features
- 1:45—News, TN
- 2:00—Queen for a Day
- 2:30—Afternoon Melodies
- 3:00—News
- 3:05—Women Today
- 3:15—Let's Dance
- 3:30—Music Club
- 4:00—Robert Hurleigh, MBS
- 4:15—The Johnson Family, MBS
- 4:30—Music in the Morgan Manor
- 4:45—Jive Before Five
- 5:00—Radio Drama Shop
- 5:15—Superman, MBS
- 5:30—Captain Midnight, MBS
- 5:45—Tom Mix, MBS
- 6:00—News
- 6:05—Dinner Date
- 6:15—Erwin, State, Regional News
- 6:25—Musical Interlude
- 6:30—Sports cast



BLOSSOM GIRL—Elna Wick, 11 months old, smiles at blooms in New York Rockefeller Center promenade.

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- 5:45—Claudia
- 7:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS
- 7:15—Today's Outstanding Citizen
- 7:30—News, MBS
- 7:45—Greenville in Goldsboro
- 8:00—Pitching horseshoes, MBS
- 8:00—Gabriel Heater, MBS
- 8:15—Ball Game Continued
- 10:30—2200 Club
- 10:45—Navy Band
- 11:00—MBS, All the News
- 11:15—Nick Stuart's Orch., MBS
- 11:30—Richard Himber's Orch. MBS
- 11:55—News, MBS
- 12:00—Sign Off

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RUSTY RILEY



MURCHISON WAS GOIN' TO SEND ME A COUPLE OF EXTRA HANDS... I'VE WAITED ALL DAY, AND NOBODY'S SHOWED UP...



HELP MUST BE SCARCE DOWN HERE. I THINK I'LL TALK TO SOME OF THE BOYS WORKING AROUND HERE. MAYBE THEY'LL KNOW SOMEBODY.



SAY, FRIEND, I NEED A STABLE HAND AND AN EXERCISE BOY... I KNOW PLENTY, MISTER... BUT THEY WON'T WORK IN NO. 4.

By Frank Godwin

THIMBLE THEATER — Starring Popeye



55 DIFFERENT JUICES LEFT! I'LL DRINK EACH SEPARATELY UNTIL ONE MAKES ME PRETTY!!



THAT'S LEMMING!! THIS IS CHERRY!!



GULP! OKAY, CHERRY! MISS OYL, I'LL TELL YOU WHAT KIND MADE ME PRETTY!!



POP!

THE PHANTOM



THE STUNNED CROWD WATCHES THE PHANTOM RACE ACROSS THE ARENA WITH THE PRINCE.



DON'T SHOOT! YOU'LL HIT THE PRINCE!



STOP—UH—YOU— HOLD TIGHT, KALI!



HE'S COMING THIS WAY FOR HIS HORSE! WHEN HE'S CLOSE ENOUGH, USE YOUR BAYONET!

BLONDIE — By Chic Young



THE VETERINARIAN GAVE ME THESE PILLS FOR ELMER TO TAKE



WOW— THE SIZE OF THEM! CUT OUT THE NONSENSE, ELMER, AND TAKE YOUR PILL.



COME ON, NOW, SWALLOW IT!



I WONDER WHAT THEY DO TO PEOPLE!

OZARK IKE



IT'S A DOUBLE PLAY FER SHORE...



LESSN' AH KW BREAK IT UP!



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Enlarging Penney's Store Seen As Benefit To Pitt Shoppers

Formal opening tomorrow of the J. C. Penney department store, newly remodeled and enlarged by the addition of an entire new second floor opened to selling for the first time, was announced today by Charles R. McBrayer, manager.

"Opening of the new second floor will add about 50 per cent more floor space than we had before," Mr. McBrayer said, "making possible larger stocks and ranges of merchandise than we could carry heretofore. Customers thus will benefit as a result of the increased space, which totals 2,500 square feet."

Another improvement will result from installation of new headers—large wooden cutout markers mounted against a light background—to make it easy for customers to find departments. At the same time, a new tube system will speed change and receipts, Mr. McBrayer said.

Improvements also have been made in the show windows for more dramatic presentation of merchandise and better lighting on all floors.

Featured on the new second floor are women's ready-to-wear, millinery, foundations, sportswear, a cotton shop, girls' and toddlers' wear, fitting and alteration rooms and lay-away offices.

The first floor, which has been rearranged departmentally, features men's and women's furnishings and accessories, men's and boys' clothing, work clothing, shoes, costume jewelry, infants' wear, slip and softie hat bars for women.

Balcony department include patterns and piece goods, domestics, curtains and drapes, and blankets and bedding.

"Fortunately, the work has been completed in time to supply our customers' summer needs," Mr. McBrayer said. "Many departments, enlarged as a result of the increased space or featured for the first time, are offering attractive and fashionable new merchandise for the entire family."

Enlarging and modernizing the store reflects the Penney Company's postwar aims in this section, Mr. McBrayer pointed out, saying "Penney's was never so well equipped as it is today to serve the needs of Greenville folks. We expect to do just that."

The Penney store, one of 31 in this State is part of a nation-wide chain of more than 1600.

Mr. McBrayer has been manager of Penney's here continuously for the past nine years. He first joined the Penney Company as a salesman in 1931 at Shelby, N. C., and was promoted to manager here in 1939.

The development of the J. C. Penney Company, of which the Greenville store is a part, is one of the great sagas of American business. Its central figure, James C. Penney, gives it a true Horatio Alger flavor.

The first Penney store opened in 1902 in the frontier town of Kemmerer, Wyo. The town had a population of 1,000—and Mr. Penney, \$500 and an idea. He expressed his idea in the name he gave his tiny enterprise: The Golden Rule Store. He wanted, he said, to give the public merchandise of higher than ordinary quality at lower-than-usual prices.

He had other ideas, too. He would



Founder
James Cash Penney was born in Hamilton Missouri. During his youth he clerked in a dry goods store and in 1902 opened a similar store in Kemmerer, Wyoming, as one of three partners. Out of this humble beginning—one small store in a Western mining town—grew the present Penney Company with stores in every State in the Union. The phenomenal growth of the Company is proof of the soundness of Mr. Penney's belief in the Golden Rule as the best possible business policy. He applied the principles of square dealing equally in merchant-customer and in employer-employee relations, and these policies have won for the Company the confidence of the public and the loyalty of associates, both so vital to success.

New Gov't Try To Avert Strike

Washington, May 12—(AP) A possible nationwide strike of long distance telephone operators hinges today on a new government try at settling the union-company wage dispute.

John J. Moran, president of the CIO American Telephone Workers Union, said a strike date will be set if the government negotiations fail.

"Nobody pays much attention to you until you inconvenience them," Moran told a reporter. "I guess John L. Lewis has the right idea."

Moran—whose union represents 23,000 long distance workers in 42 states—was due to meet with representatives of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and conciliators of the Federal Mediation Service at an afternoon conference.

The union wants a 30-cent wage boost, a shortened work week and larger pensions. It says workers now average \$1.21 an hour.

A.T.&T.'s proposal for a two-year contract extension with no immediate wage increase was rejected. The company said the country's economy now is stable and any wage increases would disrupt it.



The Daily Reflector again takes pleasure in publishing another in the picture series "Citizens of Tomorrow." Top row, from left to right: D. A. Johnston II, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Johnston, Harding street, Greenville; Betsy Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Smith, Route Three, Greenville; Wilton McLawhorn, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. McLawhorn, Route Two, Ayden. Bottom row, from left to right: Chuck Hudson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Hudson, west Fourth street, Greenville; Carolyn Barnhill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Barnhill, Route Five, Greenville; Sonny Bostic, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Q. Bostic, Eastern street, Greenville.

Vote Increase Of City School Tax

Winston-Salem, N.C., May 12—(AP)—Winston-Salem voters yesterday approved, 2,498 to 1,347, a proposal to increase the special city school tax by 15 cents per \$100 valuation.

The additional tax, estimated at \$204,000 yearly, will be used for increased teachers salaries, addition of 33 teachers, replacement of equipment and salary increases for supervisory and clerical workers.

VFW MEETING
An important call meeting of the VFW, Wednesday night at 8:00 p.m. in the V.F.W. club house was announced today by Adjutant John B. Fleming.

Arrangements will be made to give a deceased comrade full military honors, and Adjutant Fleming is asking all members to be present.

SATURDAY IS LAST DAY TO REGISTER FOR MAY PRIMARY
Saturday, May 15, is the last day the lowest possible prices consistent with quality merchandise. The Golden Rule principle, Penney people say, will remain unchanged.

GREENVILLE'S NEW COLONIAL STORE

On The Air
Direct From The Store
During Opening Celebration
THURSDAY MORNING
10:15 A.M.
Station WGTC

Awards To Customers Interviewed

AT WAKE FOREST
Dr. W. S. DeLoach and J. O. Derrick, faculty members of the department of science at East Carolina Teachers College, attended a meeting of the North Carolina section of the American Chemical Society held on Monday evening at Wake Forest College. Also attending the meeting were four East Carolina students, Charles Connor and Carrie C. Gooding of New Bern, Morris Hill of Deep Run, and John Nelson of Morehead City.

The Washington Monument was started in 1833 but not opened to the public until 1885.

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KEEP YOURS THE WHITEST HOUSE IN TOWN WITH **VITA-VAR** 2-COAT SYSTEM HOUSE PAINT

VITA-VAR HOUSE PAINT contains TITANIUM, the whitest pigment known to science—its brilliant whiteness resists discoloration. What's more, Vita-Var House Paint has a special weathering action that actually causes the surface to clean itself. If you want to cut painting costs in half, see us today!

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We were meant for you
Sealtest REAL STRAWBERRY ICE CREAM

MAY'S FLAVOR-OF-THE-MONTH
Yes, here's a flavor meant for everybody who loves plump, red-ripe berries frozen all through rich, golden cream—the Sealtest way. It's so creamy . . . so smooth. Enjoy some soon!

Southern Dairies
Sealtest ICE CREAM

THE: The Sealtest Village Store, Starring JACK CARSON with Eve Arden, Thursday 9:30 P. M.

give friendly, considerate service; he would advertise honestly and without exaggeration or misrepresentation and he would cut costs by selling only for cash, making no deliveries and eliminating other unnecessary costs of operation.

For Mr. Penney, and the organization he founded, these were not merely phrases for wall decoration but the vital elements of a business philosophy. Guided by them, the Company earned an enviable reputation, grew and prospered. Last year with sales of more than 10,000 in all Penney stores, total sales reached nearly \$900 million—a triumph of faith in the rewards of hard work and fair dealing.

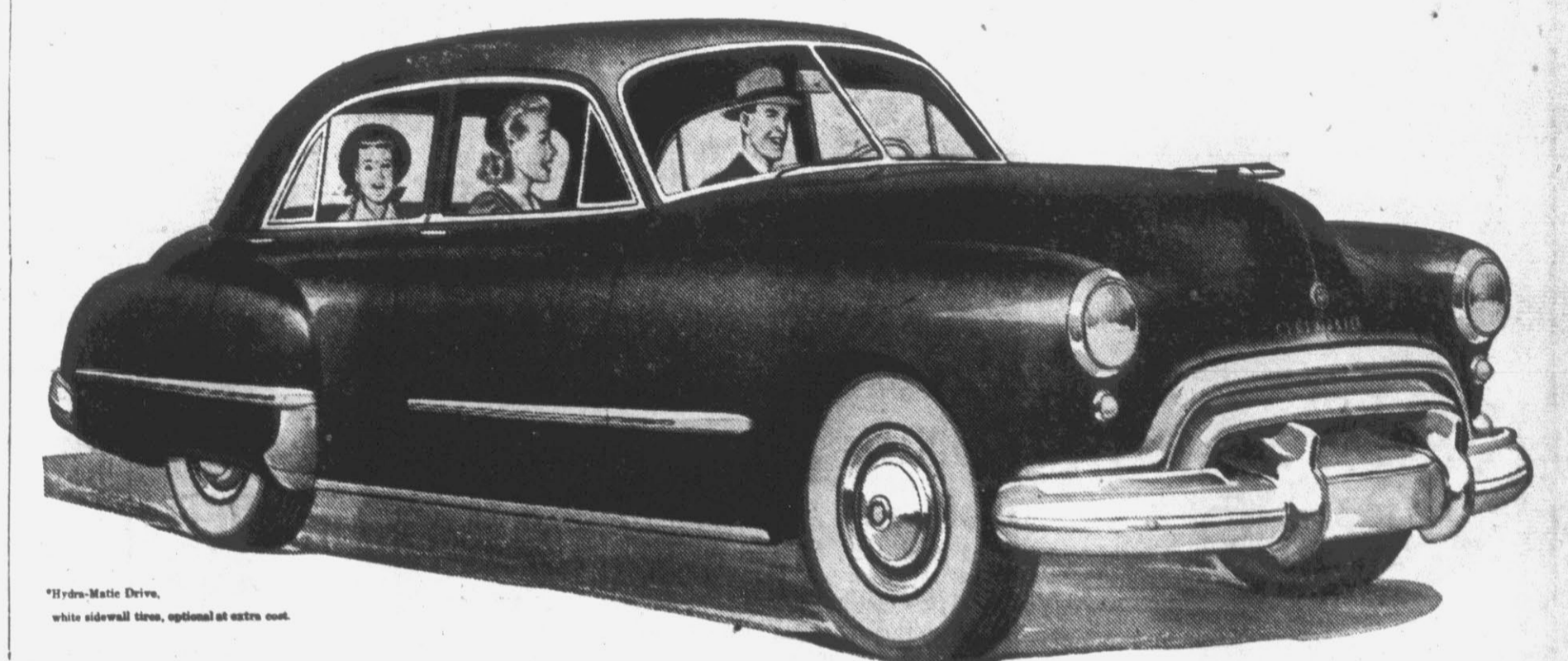
"Associates" as they have been called, rather than employees, recognize that they have a direct interest in the success of the organization benefiting in many ways. To them, the Golden Rule principle is today a living force animating all the Company's both within and outside the organization.

It has been said that business men welcome Penney's to a community competitors. "Penney competition" they say, "is honest and straightforward." Penney people welcome this warm and friendly attitude, inviting the spirit of healthy competition so essential to a vigorous economy and for the ultimate benefit of the American consumer.

Today, the Penney Company, serving millions of customers, look forward to bringing a higher standard of living to even more millions at

"Drive in Futuramic Style every Hydra-Matic Mile!"

Here's the car that's inspired new words for that all-time favorite—"In My Merry Oldsmobile." It's the Futuramic '48, a brand new model that's leading the way into a new Golden Era of progress and advancement!



Whirlaway WITH **GM HYDRA-MATIC DRIVE**

It's the smash hit of the year . . . the big success story of 1948 . . . the car that has all America singing its praises! For everywhere it goes, the Futuramic Oldsmobile goes over in a great big way. Just watch how people gather 'round to inspect that massive Futuramic front end . . . those flowing Futuramic fenders . . . that smart Futuramic interior.

Then watch the face of the lucky driver. He's got that "Futuramic Feeling." It's more than the smoothness of a coil-cushioned ride. It's more than the simplicity of "no-clutch, no-shift" Hydra-Matic Drive*. It's even more than the breath-taking thrill of stepping down on the gas and feeling that surge of power as WHIRLAWAY goes into action. That "Futuramic Feeling" is a combination of all these Oldsmobile features—topped off with a goodly measure of pride at driving the best looking of all the new cars on the roads today!

MORE TRADE-IN ALLOWANCE DURING THIS BIG END-OF-MAY TIRE SALE

Now is your chance to get MORE Trade-In Allowance on your old tires for new B.F. Goodrich Silvertowns during our big End Of May Tire Sale. You'll also get MORE in your new Silvertowns because they give more mileage than ever before and resist road shocks and blowouts better than ever.

GO SAFELY ON B.F. Goodrich Silvertowns

JUST \$1.50 Down 1.25 A WEEK PUTS A NEW 6.00-16 TIRE ON YOUR CAR

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Beautiful permanent finished Organdy curtains, large size 2 1-4 by 2 1-2 yds. long. Full 5" ruffles, you must see this special value today. See our large display of curtains for any room in the house.

\$5.00

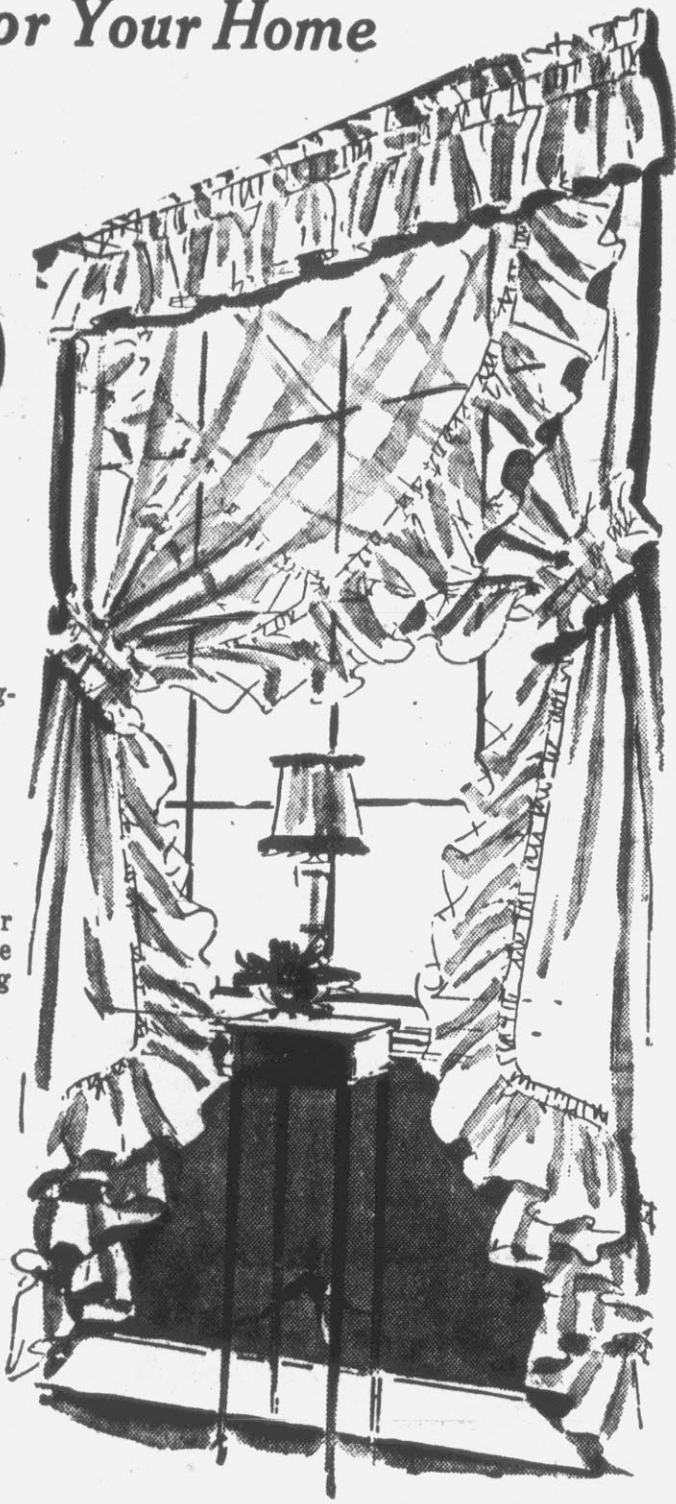
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PANELS

TAILORED LACE, Egg-shell, sizes 42" x 90"

\$1.49

A special value for special rooms. They are beautiful. See our big selection of curtains.



Miles of FABRICS

Opening Special Honolulu Prints

For your summer dresses see our selection of cool HONOLULU PRINTS. Hand washable, many colors and patterns.

\$1.00

Yard

Super Special Summer Rayon Sheers

LOOK! LOOK! Unheard of values. For all the cool and comfort you have looked for. Hand washable, many patterns to choose from.

\$1.00

Yard

RONDO* PERCALES

A joy, indeed, to see modern plaids, tricky animal prints, sophisticated stripes... such a great variety of prints in such glorious colors! No wonder Rondo deluxe percales lead the cotton-conscious fashion parade! Washable.

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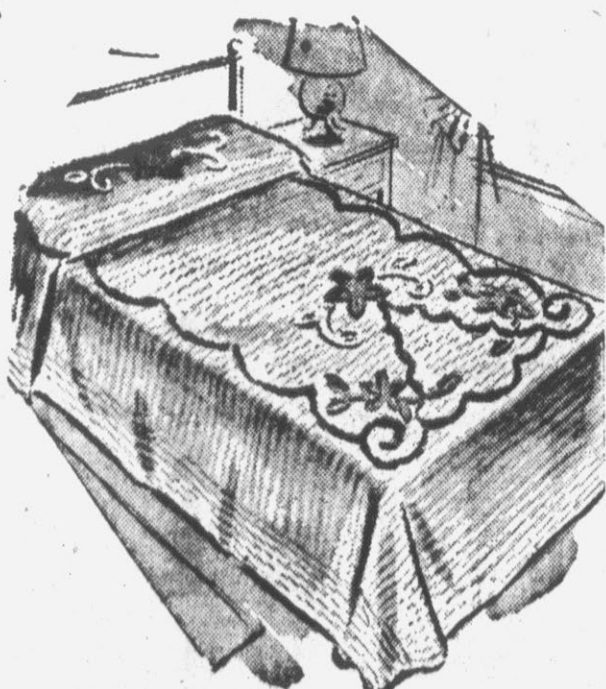
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WAIT AT THE DOOR FOR THIS ONE

Never Before Such a Value

Chenille Bedspreads

\$5.00



Our buyers went overboard to get us the best and most wonderful 10x10 1/2" Bedspread possible to offer for our grand opening. See this value. You will want several.

OPENING FEATURES

You Have Waited Nationwide

SHEETS
2.19

This is the first time in over a year that we have been able to offer Nation Wide Sheets. Only for our grand opening were we able to secure these Sheets.

Here You Are Ladies

ADONNA PANTIES

69c

Sizes 32 to 50

Ladies, here again we have been able to get those panties that you have been asking for. Only for our grand opening were we able to secure such Panties.

Never Before Has Such a Value Been Offered In Pitt County

51 GAUGE NYLONS

For the first 50 customers in our store Thursday morning—

1.00 pr.

Look! Look! Look! Beautiful Rayon

SLIPS

2 for \$5.

Special purchase for our opening. You will want several. They are lace and plain trimmed, white and tea rose.

Carloads Of Values For Men

Sport Shirts

3.98

Men! Get Set For Summer. Stock Up Now On

Rayon Sport Shirts

Here you are, men — stacks of cool Town-craft rayon sport shirts. Style the casual way you like. Built to take the punishment, designed for smart summer dress S. M. L.



SLACKS

Rayon Tropical and Hawk Skin.

4.98

Comfort for summer in summer Rayon Trousers. Brown, tan, blue, grey and Green. 28 to 42.

Men's Polo Shirts White & Colors **98c**

Everything For Girls & Boys

POLO SHIRTS

The most practical answer to what your boy will wear in the summer. Assorted stripes in a variety of colors. S. M. L. **98c**

DUNGAREES AND OVERALLS

The perfect matchmate for his Polo Shirts, Sanforized 8-ounce blue denim, copper plated rivets at points of strain. 4 to 16 **\$1.79**



All Vat-dyed Cottons

GAY DRESSES

2.98

When you find 80 square percale dresses for your size 7 to 14's—and the price is 2.98, you've found real value! Prints, stripes and plaids in new full swinging styles. Sanforized or preshrunk.



Boys' Rayon Trousers, cool for summer, Sizes 8 to 16 **\$3.98**

Boys' Sport Shirts, cotton, plaids and solids, Sizes 6 to 16 **\$1.98**

OPENS

TOMORROW

. It's Larger . More Modern

9 A. M. OFFICIAL OPENING BY MAYOR JACK BOYD

We're ready! A brand new second floor has been added! Yes, a new headquarters for Women's Fashions and for Girls' Wear too. Just imagine! A whole new floor — more than 2400 sq. ft. of additional selling space. This means so much more room for every other department in the store . . . and so many more of those wonderful Penney values. But that's not all! A complete "face lifting" throughout—bright new fixtures, wide aisles, easy-to-identify departments — all this for your shopping convenience. Come in on opening day and share in our many, many opening celebration values.

Here's Your New Second Floor! Values Galore!



BLOUSES

\$2.98 to \$4.98

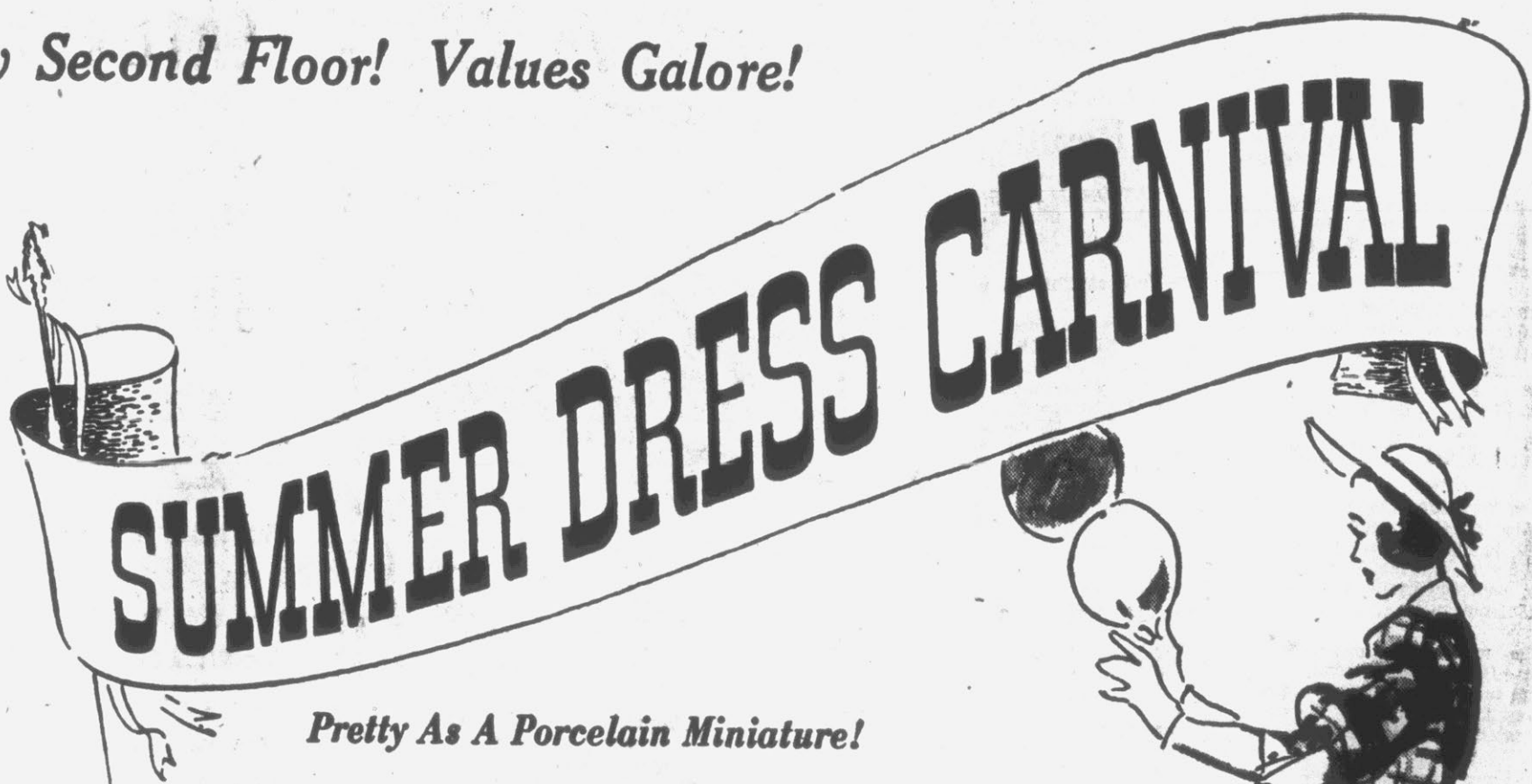
LACE TRIMMED BLOUSES, dainty suit-mates or pretty eye catchers above whirl skirts. Rayon crepe blouses with lace yokes, ruffles or eyelet trim. Sizes 32 to 38.

SKIRTS

\$2.98 to \$4.98

RAYON SWIRL SKIRTS

swinging, swirling skirts to wear with fluffy blouses. The skirts so wide they swing way out when you walk. Sizes 24 to 30.



Pretty As A Porcelain Miniature!

"STORY-BOOK" COTTONS

- Smooth-As-Silk Pastel Chambrays
- Woven Plaid Gingham, Seersuckers
- All Over Eyelet Embroidered Piques

8.90

The "new look" at its best in sweet, washable cottons! Wide skirts spread to complete circles, some with eyelet petticoat ruffles! Fitted bodices with short puffed sleeves release full, unpressed pleated skirts from their small waistlines. Even bright plaids are dainty with eyelet ruffles!

SUIT-DRESSES. PARTY TYPE COTTONS, ONLY—

Woven plaid gingham suit-dresses with bright white pique collars and cuffs, double for suits or dresses! Chambrays with wide skirts, cape sleeves. Juniors', misses', women's sizes.

10.90



10.90



8.90

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OPENING DAY SPECIAL

CRISP COOL COTTON DRESSES \$2.00

Cheerful Colors, Florals, Stripes, Checks, Polka Dots

Practical, and a treat to the eye! Printed 80 sq. percale, poplin, broadcloth, they tub in a twink and stay bright as posies. Whirling skirts, princess or pinafore models, youthful set-in belt beauties—bedecked with frills, eyelet trims, rick rack, MANY PENNEY EXCLUSIVES all so charming. Misses' and Women's sizes.



Greenies Topple New Bern With Power-Hitting, 12-4

Had Three Years To Play Baseball

Somerville, Mass., May 12—(AP)—Three years ago Robert W. Osgood was told he had less than three years to live and to give up playing his favorite—baseball.

However, Somerville High School Faculty Manager Robert Buckley said Bob didn't think he'd live anyway and wanted to continue playing ball.

At first Bob was turned down for the school team by Dr. David O'Brien. But the youth's parents thought it better that Bob's playing be supervised and permission was granted.

He went on to become one of the greatest catchers in the school's history and was chosen on several Massachusetts all-scholastic teams in his senior year.

After graduating last year, Bob signed with the Chicago Cubs and was assigned to a Fayetteville, N.C., club.

This year he was promoted to the Chicago farm in the Ohio-Indiana League, the Marion, O., Cubs.

He reported last Sunday after recovering from an attack of influenza.

Last night he was sitting on the bench during a rainstorm which forced postponement of a game at Richmond, Ind.

Bob suddenly slumped over. An hour later the 19-year-old catcher was pronounced dead of a heart attack.

Top Horses Will Gun For Styrimie

New York, May 12—(AP)—A star-studded band of around 12 of the finest handicap horses in training will try to squelch Styrimie's two-year monopoly in the rich Gallant Fox Handicap at Jamaica Saturday.

The mile and three-sixteenths event offers \$75,000 in added money as an inducement, and preliminary surveys indicate there will be plenty of contestants if the track remains fast.

There are now more than 2,500,000 acres of tree farms in the Douglas fir region of the Pacific Northwest.

VACATION SPORTS NEEDS

You will catch the big ones with fishing tackle from C. H. Edwards Hardware House.

- Lures
- Plugs
- Line

- Montague Fly-Rods
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- All Types of Fly Tackle
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See these and many other fishing and fishing tackle items and accessories at—

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Standings

COASTAL PLAIN LEAGUE			
W	L	PCT.	
Tarboro	13	6	.684
Rocky Mount	12	7	.632
New Bern	11	8	.579
Goldboro	11	8	.579
Kinston	10	9	.527
Wilson	7	11	.387
Roanoke Rapids	6	13	.316
GREENVILLE	5	13	.278

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
W	L	PCT.	
Philadelphia	13	5	.722
Cleveland	11	6	.688
New York	12	6	.667
Washington	9	10	.474
Detroit	9	12	.429
Boston	8	11	.421
St. Louis	6	9	.400
Chicago	3	13	.188

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
W	L	PCT.	
St. Louis	10	6	.625
Pittsburgh	11	7	.611
New York	11	7	.611
Philadelphia	10	10	.500
Brooklyn	9	10	.474
Boston	9	10	.474
Chicago	7	10	.412
Cincinnati	7	14	.333

Yesterday's Results

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Philadelphia 4 Cincinnati 3
Boston at St. Louis, postponed.

New York at Chicago, postponed.
Only games scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
New York 4 Cleveland 1
Detroit 4 Washington 1 (night)
Philadelphia 3 St. Louis 2 (11 innings, night)

COASTAL PLAIN LEAGUE
Roanoke Rapids 6-5 Wilson 1-11
Tarboro 9-7 Kinston 2-5
Goldboro 10 Rocky Mount 4
Greenville 12 New Bern 4

ECTC Golfers Defeated, 8-2

The Apprentice School golfers of Newport News, Va., handed the ECTC Pirates a 10-8 defeat here yesterday.

Bill Stalls, ECTC No. 1 man, kept his undefeated record clean and was medalist, with a 75. Sidney Tidd was low for the winners, with a 77.

The summary: Stalls (E) defeated Rappold 3-0; Best ball: ECTC 2 1-2-1-2. Dian (A) defeated Harrison 3-0; Robins (A) defeated Harper 3-1; Best Ball: ECTC 1 1-2-1-1-2.

'Ben Egan Day'

Sherrill, N. Y., May 12—(AP)—This community of 2,500 will pay tribute Sunday to Ben Egan, Babe Ruth's first catcher.

The 69-year-old retired baseball player, who spent 18 seasons in the big leagues, will be feted at a day-long "Ben Egan" celebration.

WHICH SOLDIER IS TALLEST?

Because the wonderful human eye can see near objects and far ones, and is accustomed to perspective, this drawing is deceiving.

You expect to be deceived on optical illusions. But — is faulty vision deceiving you on important and serious matters? Are you seeing poorly, thinking you see well? Countless thousands of people have faulty sight without realizing it.

Be sure your sight is right. Have it examined—now.

Ridgeway
At Five Points

BOXING THURSDAY NIGHT 8 P. M. AT ARMORY

8 Rounds — Main Bout — Colored

James Williams — Rocky Mount vs. James Carr — Greenville Preliminaries

Bill Parker vs. W. Cooper 3 Rounds

Louis Morrison vs. Kid Hawkes 3 Rounds

ADMISSION \$1.00

'Athletics' Fans Dazed By Recent Showing Of Club

Philadelphia, May 12—(AP)—The fans are leaving the Philadelphia Athletics' games of late looking like a bunch of city cousins after Thanksgiving dinner at grandma's—dazed but happy.

They were dazed by a taste of prolonged victory for quite a spell, the A's fans in the last two weeks have had one win after another tossed their way by Connie Mack's surprising combination—nine straight in fact.

Last night's 11 inning 3-2 conquest of the St. Louis Browns—after the game apparently was lost going into the ninth—had the members of the bleacher brigade talking to themselves.

The conversation overheard at one gate of Shibe Park after the game was a peculiar brand of chatter for Mack built. It was talk about the American League pennant and a World Series with a Philadelphia entry.

The middle of May is a long way from World Series time, of course, and the A's 13 victories to date will have to have a lot of company to end in a pennant—but the fans are talking as they haven't talked since the days of Lefty Grove.

"What a team," said a short, stocky man as he left the park last night. "I think maybe I'll put in a bid for some World Series tickets."

"Gee," commented a teen age boy, "they just can't lose for winning."

"That puts the A's in first place," a young man explained to his young lady, "and this year I think maybe they can."

"I'm supposed to go to the dentist's tomorrow night," a middle aged woman was saying, "but I just can't miss that game. I'll call up and cancel my appointment."

The A's themselves are not talking pennant yet—not yet anyway—but the way they've been playing is evidence enough of their confidence.

Cherry Point In 5-2 Win Against ECTC Ball Club

Cherry Point, May 12—The Cherry Point Marines jumped into a first inning 2-0 lead here yesterday and went on to defeat the ECTC Pirates, 5-2. Verbanic hit the first pitch for a single and moved to second as Cordova was hit by ECTC hurler McCotter. Watson moved them around with a neat sacrifice and Kersey sent them home when he slapped a long single to center.

Bob McCotter held the Marines to five singles and struck out nine but his own wildness contributed to his defeat. The Pirates managed to tag Vass, Marine pitcher for seven hits but Vass kept them well scattered.

Tom Benton and George Wood led the Pirates at bat, with two singles in three trips, while Verbanic and Kersey had two each for the Marines.

New Bern Nine Tops GHS With Score Of 9-0

New Bern High School whitewashed Greenville's Green Phantoms, 9-0, here last night in a Northeastern Conference contest. The game was limited to seven innings by agreement.

Westbrook, with a triple and two singles, and Russell, with a brace of doubles, sparked the visiting club. No Greenville player got more than one hit.

The game closed out the Greenville home schedule. New Bern 041 013 0-9 12 1 Greenville 000 000 0-0 3 3 Gaskins and Tillman; Flye and Tanner, Kittrell (6).

Sport Slants by Pap

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INDIANS' CHIEF

In his seventh season as manager of the Cleveland Indians, Lou Boudreau has come up with a club that promises to be in the thick of the American League pennant chase.

The 30-year-old shortstop-manager has been playing inspired ball in the field and at the plate with the happy result that the Indians got off to a flying start with half a dozen straight victories.

Boudreau has been hampered by the poorest pair of ankles in the major leagues yet he manages to make nearly impossible plays because he has the faculty of sensing where the ball is going to be hit.

Last season Lou topped the league's shortstops with a fielding average over .982, an amazing figure in any league. Boudreau has found an ideal double play partner in Joe Gordon, the former Yankee second base ace, and has been able to give his talents a full play in the field.

At the plate, Boudreau is hitting at a pace which indicates that he must be rated a serious contender for the individual batting title which he won in 1944 with an average of .324. Lou has an unorthodox crouch at the plate yet he packs plenty of power into his wallop, many of which go for extra bases. If the years have slowed him down a trifle, then he more than offsets this by hitting the ball harder than

Cleveland Pennant Hopes Wait On Yankees' Downfall

By JOE REICHLER

Associated Press Sports Writer
If the Cleveland Indians are to win their first pennant in 28 years, they had best learn to beat the New York Yankees. One of the principal reasons the Indians have been pennantless since 1920 has been their inability to win their share of games from the Bronx Bombers.

Only four times in the last 27 seasons have the Indians won a majority of their games with the Yanks.

During the 27-year span, Cleveland finished in the runnerup spot three times. Always it was the Yankees who kept them from winning the flag.

This harbor of long standing continued to haunt the Indians yesterday. Facing the Yankees for the first time this season, the Tribe absorbed a 4-1 licking which not only ended a five-game winning streak but knocked the team out of first place in the American League race.

The Philadelphia Athletics nipped the St. Louis Browns, 3-2, in 11 innings to push past Cleveland into the top spot. The Yankees remained in third place in the tight race, a game away from the top.

In other American League games the Boston Red Sox snapped a five-game losing streak by whitening the ball-and-strike Chicago White Sox, 8-0, and Detroit whipped the Senators in a night game at Washington, 4-1.

Only one National League game was played. The Philadelphia Phillies came from behind to defeat the Reds in Cincinnati, 4-3, and make a sweep of the three-game series. New York at Chicago and Boston

in New York and Washington, and 10 inches in St. Louis. In the National League Boston has a 15-inch hill, Brooklyn 14 1/4, Chicago, New York, Pittsburgh and Cincinnati all 14 inches. In Philadelphia and St. Louis the National League clubs rent the American League parks.

Had a lengthy chat with prey Ray Goodmon today regards that protest yesterday. The president wouldn't commit himself either way but, at the present time, it looks as if the cards are stacked up against Tarboro and on a technicality, it all adds up to a cheap way for Greenville to win a ball game, Bob Doty, Greenville president, who has had some conversation with Goodmon on the matter, has five days to file his formal protest, via the mails, and post his \$125. Checking national rules and league by-laws it seems Greenville has a leg to stand on, one made of cheap wood or paper. If Greenville wins the protest, forfeiture is automatic. If they lose the league treasury will be richer by 125 bucks. But what is more important, it does seem, is that Bull Hamons is trading on some mighty thin ice. Perhaps, because he is a successful manager bringing winning teams to the smallest town in the circuit, the "guns" are aimed at him, ready to fire at the slightest touch. His fiery temperament is a conversation throughout the circuit and rival managers and presidents would be only too glad to be rid of him and the firm opposition he brings with his Tarboro club. Towns like Greenville, Wilson and Roanoke Rapids don't like the idea of a town as small as Tarboro turning them back on every hand. Without sense of personal respect they'll go to any length to see him out of action. And his touchy temperament doesn't help things. However, it is important that Tarboro fans get behind him. We learned that one reason Phebus filed the protest was because he heard Tarboro fans condemning Bull. That is a flimsy excuse, but one which must be taken into consideration . . .

Something that few baseball enthusiasts know: There is no standard height for pitching mounds. In the American League the "hills" are of various heights, 15 inches in Detroit and Philadelphia, 14 1/2 inches in Boston, 14 inches in Chicago, 13 1/2 inches in Cleveland, 12 inches

Mound Problem Faces Boudreau

New York, May 12—(AP)—Despite Cleveland's early season success, Player-Manager Lou Boudreau still has his basic problem. After Bobby Feller and Bob Lemon, what next?

"Up to now it's been Al Gettel, Don Black, Bob Muncrief and Gene Bearden," said Boudreau who, like most managers, is acutely embarrassed by a lack of capable starting pitchers. "We're still hoping that one of them will come through. But there's no use kidding, we still need pitching."

It was suggested that Russ Christopher, the thin man acquired from Connie Mack's Athletics, had been a most welcome addition.

"That was one of our better moves," said Lou, "he's helped us a lot and he'll help more."

Boudreau reports he has found no reluctance on the part of Christopher to working as a relief man. When Connie sold him to the Tribe, he announced that Christopher had his mind set on becoming a regular starter.

"He'll relieve and relieve only for us," said Boudreau. "That's where he can help us most."

Caught His Fish 'Second Hand'

Ogallala, Neb.—(AP)—George Hoover of Ogallala says he wouldn't tell this fish story except that he had two witnesses. He had snagged a 21-inch trout. But it was a second hand catch.

The trout previously had been hooked by someone else. The broken leader still hung from the fish's mouth. Hoover's hook had caught in the eyelet of one of the sinkers on the broken leader. The fish was alive but his scrappiness was gone when Hoover reeled him in.

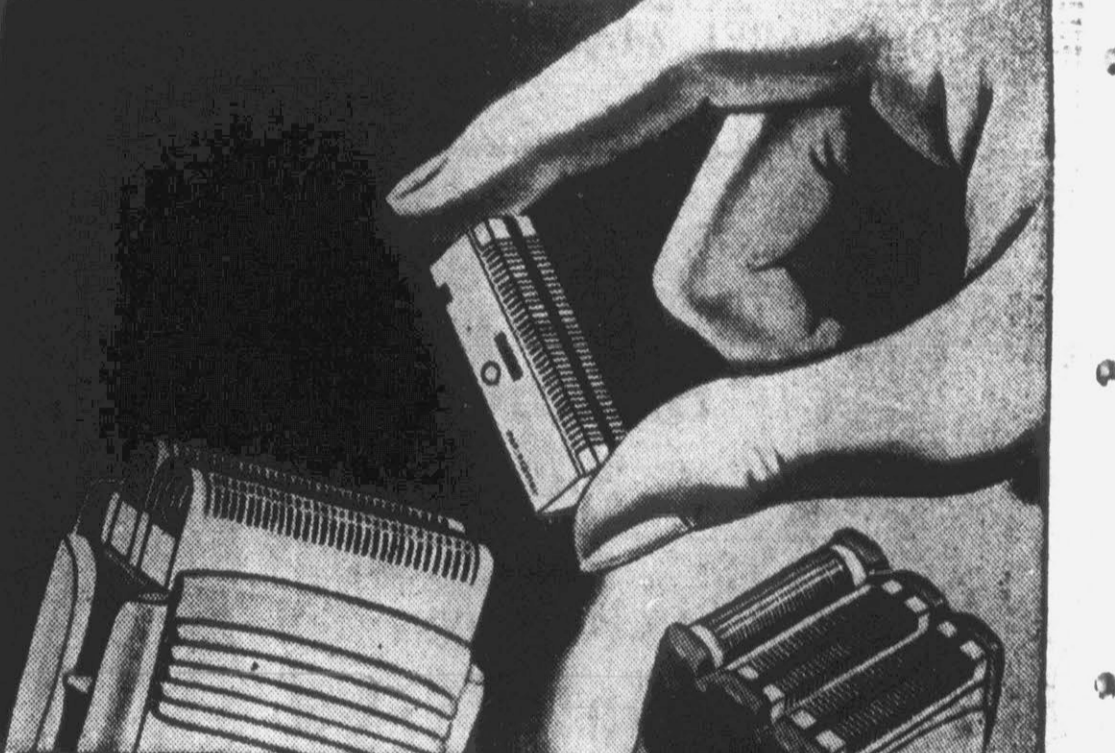
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Visiting Nurse

By Kathleen Harris

Chapter 8
"Why don't you make some tea or hot chocolate, Mummie?" she suggested. "And a plate of those cookies you made the other day." It would scarcely compare to the elaborate feast served at the great house, but it would be a gesture of hospitality.

Mrs. McNaughten said she would. She added, "I'm sorry the cake is all gone. Hildred is our cake-baker. She is a much better cook than I, really."

"I cannot believe it," Lucien smiled. "For one girl to possess so many charms and talents besides so much beauty."

"Lucien is always laughing at me," Hildred said, but she saw, with a little snatch of surprise, that he was not laughing this time, except in his teasing banter. His dark eyes, resting on her flushed face, were full of admiration, as if he suddenly found her much more lovely than he had hoped—or wanted—to.

To substantiate this, when he was getting ready to take his leave, Lucien said to her mother, "I'm glad I came. Not just because it has been so delightful and for the pleasure of meeting Hildred's mother, but because I feel now that I know your daughter much better than before. I hope, Mrs. McNaughten, that you will allow me to come again?"

Mrs. McNaughten said she hoped he would drop in whenever he wished; he would always be most welcome. Her daughter, as she accompanied him to the door, did not embellish this invitation or its cordiality.

She had a feeling—a decidedly strong one—that Lucien had called this time just to make certain for his own satisfaction that Hildred was all—no more, no less—than she claimed to be.

Well, she hoped he was satisfied now that he had seen how eminently respectable she was. He must have seen, too, that her mother was a lady. Mrs. McNaughten had been a Porter from Virginia. In some people's opinion that was every bit as impressive as being a countess.

"You did not say I might come again?" Lucien reproached, his eyes smiling down into her blue ones.

Hildred said, "I cannot keep you from coming if you want to." She knew that was not a very kind thing to say. But those barriers between them were up once more.

Which was exactly what he said now, speaking in a lowered tone. "Is that the way you feel? I thought we were friends, Hildred."

"You did not come out of friendship." Here eyes did not waver before his. "You came because you wanted to see how I lived—if I am the little nobody I claim to be—not a scheming girl who might take advantage of friendship between a man like you and herself."

"You are almost brutally frank." His glance did not flinch from hers, either, but there was a satisfied gleam in their dark depths. "Again I claim I do not deserve it—not in full, anyway. I am wary of friendship. I do hold suspicions of persons I dare not trust. But you are not one of them. I trust you implicitly, Hildred. And, as I told you before, I admire your frankness."

He was so evidently sincere in this that she felt a little bit ashamed. She said, "I'm afraid it won't work, Lucien. There is too vast a space between us. And, to be frank again

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Ghost Town May Yield Lost Heir

London—(AP)—The ghost town of "Anstruther, Canada West" may yield the heir to an old Irish baronetcy—if anyone can find it. At stake is the Lynch-Blosse title, created in 1623, and dormant since 1942 when Sir Robert Lynch Blosse, twelfth baronet, died. The title is claimed by Robert Cyril Lynch-Blosse, a distant cousin, but the home office declined to make it official on the ground that lineage was in doubt. Someone with a better claim to the title is thought to be alive.

C. F. J. Hankinson, editor of De-Brett's Peerage who is helping to run down both heir and town, said. All that can be gathered from family records is that Francis, second son of the tenth baronet, who may have married and had children, died in this peculiar "Anstruther, Canada West," July 26, 1864. Maybe the town name was changed years ago. Maybe it was some fleeting settlement in North America in the early days; maybe it never existed and the records are all wrong. If anyone knows anything about Anstruther we haven't been able to find him.

'Super Babies' For Super World

London—(AP)—The way to meet the threat of the atomic age is to develop super-babies, the senior medical officer of the London County Council says.

Dr. Letitia Fairfield told the National Baby Welfare Council: "The very future of the universe depends upon our breeding a people so able to control their instincts and to regard the welfare of others as well as of themselves, that they can even overcome the menace of the atom bomb."

with Lucien. She could try to reach him and explain, or tell Robin, when he called for her that it was impossible for her to come. But she dared not do that, not after what had taken place the evening before. Besides, it might do Randy good to be disappointed.

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New Super Market Opens Here Tomorrow; All Modern Features

Greenville's beautiful new Colonial Super Market, conveniently located at 1012 Dickinson Avenue, just beyond the Coastline railroad, formally opens its doors tomorrow morning at 8:30 a. m. Completely modern throughout, incorporating the latest merchandising facilities and equipment for efficient food distribution, it brings to the homemakers of Greenville a glamorous new self-service store, offering complete food shopping under one roof. Well-known and nationally advertised groceries, fresh fruits and vegetables, fresh seafood, guaranteed meats, fresh dairy products plus a large variety of frozen foods, cheese, bread and cakes—all join with Colonial's traditionally friendly service to make your visit on opening day a real shopping thrill.

The new store, one of Colonial's latest designs—extends 50 feet along Dickinson Avenue, with a depth of 135 feet. A large paved, individually marked parking area extends along the entire right side of the store, providing ample free parking space for customers. The interior of the store is painted a soft green and cream combination with a green and gray tile flooring. Large airplane type fans provide a constant circulation of cool fresh air through the store during hot days. Four check-out stands at the front of the store

speed shoppers through after they have completed their purchases.

One of the features of Colonial's three-day grand opening celebration will be the awarding of valuable food baskets each day.

Mr. E. O. Brown has been appointed store manager with J. M. Hernandez, market manager and W. G. Moore, produce manager. Company officials expected here for the formal opening on Thursday include Scott W. Allen, president, from Atlanta, Georgia; J. W. Wood, vice-president, from Norfolk, Virginia, and A. C. Edens, in charge of store operations, also from Norfolk.

Some U.S. Dead Rest In Sweden

Malmö, Sweden, May 12—(AP)—Remains of some of the 41 U.S. fliers buried at Malmö during the war will be returned soon to the United States. Some of the bodies will remain in the Malmö graves.

A memorial service was held yesterday at the cemetery. U.S. Ambassador H. Freeman Matthews thanked the people of the town for providing "this tranquil spot for the graves of our fellow citizens who died in the military service of the United States."



COOL—W. J. Haynes, 66, Kansas City, Mo., grain broker, smiles broadly from beneath the brim of one of his latest inventions—an air conditioned straw topper equipped with an electric fan. It's one of many gadgets he has devised.

Two Senatorial Candidates Meet At Wilson Rally

Raleigh, N. C., May 12—(AP)—A challenge to former Governor J. Mayville Broughton to express his stand on the Taft-Hartley act and President Truman's civil rights program was thrown last night by Senator William B. Umstead.

The two men, who are seeking the Senatorial nomination in the Democratic primary, appeared on the same platform for the first time in the current campaign. Mayne Albright, a candidate for Governor, also spoke on the program, which was held at Wilson under sponsorship of the American Legion.

In reply to the challenge, Broughton said he favored "adequate labor laws." He added, "It's little short of tragedy that our President in a time when the fate of the world is at stake should inject into politics the issue of race relations."

He said, "We're going to settle our problem of race relations in North Carolina on a friendly basis, if outside agitators will let us alone."

Umstead had reiterated his opposition to the civil rights program because "it transgresses the rights of states." He said he voted for the Taft-Hartley act because "it was necessary to bring a balance between the power of labor and management in America."

In his speech, Albright was critical of the campaigns of two of his opponents, who he did not name.

"All of these charges, countercharges, denials, shifts, and reversals of two of the candidates are unnecessary and do not becloud the real issues in the minds of the voters," he said.



CHAIRMAN—Rep. Lee Allen, Illinois Republican, chairman of House Rules Committee, has proposed a bonus plan of \$1,000 for two-year and \$1,500 for 3-year Army enlistments.

RED ALIMONY

Moscow—(AP)—Several Karelian fathers have received jail sentences for delinquency in alimony payments in a drive by the local attorney-general to force divorced and undivorced fathers to fulfill their legal obligations to their children.

Greek Drama To Be Given In Classic Setting

Syracuse, Sicily—(AP)—Three great dramas of Aeschylus are to be put on again in the ancient theatre where the "Inventor of Tragedy" himself may have watched them perform.

The plays in a new Italian version with a modern musical accompaniment will be performed May 15-23 in Syracuse's 2,600-year-old Greek Theater, which is still in good repair and boasts acoustics so perfect that whispers on-stage are clearly audible in the last seats of the stone rotunda.

Aeschylus (525-456 BC) born in Athens, lived the last years of his life and died at the court of Hieron, dictator of Syracuse in Sicily—then called "Greater Greece."

Street-Sweeping Drive Called Off

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 12—(AP)—For three days members of a Grand Rapids Women's Club have planned a street-sweeping demonstration to promote a city clean-up drive.

Today they called it off. Three days of rain have done a better job than the ladies' brooms could hope to do, explained one club member.

ELKS MEET THURSDAY NIGHT will meet Thursday night at 8 o'clock. Exalted Ruler J. Alvin violent and Protective Order of Elks, Bunting will preside.

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Bandits Escape With Gold Loot

Bangkok, May 12—(AP)—The Criminal Investigation Division announced today that 20 and 30 armed bandits today stole an International shipment valued at \$2,000,000.

The shipment was enroute to Macao from India on a KLM (Dutch) plane that stopped at Bangkok overnight.

The bandits, disguised as Siam police and soldiers, halted a truck carrying 120,000 grams of gold to the Customs House for safe keeping.

Mine guards were handcuffed. The bandits escaped.

Police recovered \$200,000 worth of the gold. A sergeant driving through Khao Park came across a group of men in a truck dividing gold from three boxes. They fled in a nearby car leaving the boxes containing the metal. Still missing are 35 boxes.

Funeral Rites For Chief Drum Thursday At 11

Full military honors will be accorded by the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars posts at the funeral Thursday for Police Chief Horace Buford Drum. Members of the Greenville police and fire departments, State Highway Patrol, city officials and the Lions Club will be honorary pallbearers.

Funeral services will be held at the home, 207 Contentnea Street, Thursday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. Robert W. Bradshaw, pastor of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church, will officiate. Burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery.

The offices at the City Hall will be closed from 10:30 to 1 p. m. during the funeral hour.

Mr. Drum was a son-in-law of the late George Clark.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Louise Clark Drum and a son, Jerry T. Drum; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd W. Drum of Columbia, S. C., and a brother, Boyce F. Drum, also of Columbia. B. B. Drum of Greenville is his uncle.

Mr. Drum was born in Mount Airy and later moved to Kinston, where he attended school. He also attended Christ school in Asheville. He joined the Marine Corps, receiving his discharge in 1926.

In 1926, he was married to Miss Louise Clark of Greenville, who survives. He was a member of the Greenville police force until he entered the Army in 1944. He served overseas in the South Pacific and was discharged in 1945.

He was a member of the Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church, the Greenville post of Veterans of Foreign Wars, the Pitt County post of the American Legion, and the Lions Club.

Clyde Scott Buried In Family Cemetery

Clyde Scott, 25, died at Dr. Joseph Smith's Clinic Tuesday morning at eight o'clock following a few hours illness.

Funeral services were conducted from the home near House Station this afternoon. Burial was in the family cemetery nearby.

Mr. Scott was born near Hamilton and spent his entire life in Martin and Pitt Counties. He was a farmer.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Verlie Jones Scott; three sons; Lyman Earl Scott, Wiley Thomas, and Carlton Ray Scott, a daughter, Verlie Louise Scott, all of the home; two brothers, Jim Henry Scott of Hassell, and Frank Scott of Bell Arthur; two sisters, Mrs. Cleamon Scott and Mrs. Rachel Bland of Lewistown; his step-mother, Mrs. Madie Scott of Hassell; four half-brothers; Mack Henry Scott, Fred Scott Jr., Hughie Scott and Johnnie Scott; and three half-sisters; Mrs. Christine Squires of New Bern, and Misses Beatie Mae and Lillian Ruth Scott of Hassell.

JAYCEES MEET AT CLARK'S THURSDAY NIGHT AT 8:30

The Junior Chamber of Commerce will meet at Clark's restaurant, across the river, Thursday night at 8:30 p. m. President B. B. Sugg will preside. High school athletes will be guests and be given their "letters" by Everett Case, State College coach.

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Commerce Board Directors Meet

The Board of Directors of the Greenville Chamber of Commerce in a busy one-hour session on Monday night, May 10, in addition to regular routine matters, approved the recommendation of the Industrial Committee authorizing it to cooperate with other chambers to make a comprehensive survey of Pitt, Nash, Edgecombe, Wilson and Beaufort counties. The survey will be incorporated in a brief which will be used by the chambers in the area and the North Carolina Department of Conservation and Development to point out to industrial prospects the advantages offered for their successful operation.

The city-wide recreation center and supervised recreation program, on recommendation of S. Reynolds May, the chamber's representative on this project, was endorsed by the board and active support of the chamber was pledged.

As recommended by the organization's Commerce and Trade Committee, approval was given to a city-wide better business campaign to be carried out through joint action of the chamber, Tobacco Board of Trade, Junior Chamber of Commerce and Merchants Association. These organizations will appoint a

'Impulsive'

Los Angeles, May 12.—(AP)—Barbara Joyce Harris Hendricks Decker Vaughn, 21-year-old stenographer, explained today that she has four husbands—three over par—because she is impulsive.

"I married them all in four years, just on the spur of the moment. From time to time," Police quoted her, "I never divorced any of them, either."

joint steering committee to plan and carry out the program.

Reports were submitted by the executive secretary regarding action taken to get resumption of water and air transportation; the establishment by the railroads of commodity rates on corn from Greenville; and progress in efforts to get passenger bus transportation for the Bell Arthur section.

The executive secretary was authorized to attend the Southeastern Institute for commercial executives at Chapel Hill on June 20-26. This institute is held each year at the university to enable chamber executives to keep abreast with the progress of commercial organization work.

Royal Appoints Rail Consultants

Washington, May 12.—(AP)—Secretary of the Army Royal today named three consultants to advise him in operation of the railroads now being run by the army under Presidential order.

The consultants are: Edward P. McGrady, a former assistant secretary of labor, and now labor adviser to Radio Corporation of America in New York; Harold C. Heiss, Cleveland, O., attorney and since 1935 general counsel for the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen; William K. Joyner, Raleigh, N. C., attorney and since 1937 division counsel for the Southern Railway System for North Carolina.

Royal said in a statement he is naming them to aid him on any operational problems which might affect terms and conditions of employment on the railroads while they are under government control. "It is not my function to enter into negotiations with either representatives of management or employees with respect to any changes in existing terms and conditions of employment," Royal said.

Conveniences

Memphis, Tenn.—(AP)—W. C. Wingo has whipped the problem of moving the lawn at night. He put a highlight on his electric mower.

But if he cut the grass at night he'd miss his favorite radio programs. So—that's right, Wingo attached a radio to the mower. "Painless pushing," he calls it.

Negroes Protest Unable Register

Fairmount, N.C., May 12.—(AP)—Attempts by approximately 84 Negroes to register here today were fruitless, Negro spokesmen asserted. The charge was quickly denied by Registrar Charles Stafford who asserted: "We're registering them, the ones that can qualify."

A. M. Rivera, a reporter for the Pittsburgh Courier, said that about 24 Negroes sought to register at Stafford's precinct and that two of them were given the task of copying long sections of the constitution. By noon, he added, none had completed the task.

Stafford said he was requiring the applicants to copy only short sections of the constitution and that he was testing only two applicants at a time because he had only two copies of the constitution.

Rivera said that some 30 Negroes sought to register in another precinct but that Registrar Wilton Lewis did not appear during the morning.

Lewis said that he was "busy all morning" at his job in a lumber mill and that although "I heard that some of them came down there, I did not see them." He said that he had asked all those seeking to register to wait until Friday afternoon and Saturday when he could devote full time to the task.

Education By Motor

OSLO.—(AP)—Norwegian motorists are not exactly in love with the secretary of finance, Erik Ruess. Because of his rigid regulations he has been called "Motorists' Public Enemy No. 1."

Recently a motorist suggested that the riding minister should be given a car. This suggestion was given spontaneous approval, and that the motorists already have started contributing.

Ligg and Myers	86%	West Un	23%
Loews	18%	West El	29%
Nash Kelly	17	Woolworth	43%
Nat Bis	28%		
N Y Cent	16%		
No Am Aviat	13%		
Packard	12%		
Param Pic	23%		
Penn J O	45		
Penn RR	19%		
Pepsi Cola	16%		
Republic Stl	28%		
Reynolds B	37		
Sears	39%		
Sou Ry	45%		
Std Oil N J	14%		
Stewart Warner	34%		
Swift	34%		
Tex Co	63		
Un Carbide	120		
Unit Aircraft	28%		
Unit Corp	3%		
US Ind Chem	37%		
US Rubber	45%		
US Smelt and Ref	55		
US Steel	77%		
Vanadium	21%		
Warner Pic	12%		

Colored News

The date for the "Cotton Ball" sponsored by the alumni of Eppes High School has been changed from Friday, May 14, to Saturday, May 15, at 8 p. m.



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Green Belt To Girdle City Of Stalingrad

Moscow.—(AP)—A green belt around Stalingrad including forest belts, parks and orchards, is being laid out to protect the city from sand storms. The green belt will girdle the Volga industrial city in a broad arc and with both ends reaching the waterfront. Hydro electric engineering projects involving the construction of a system of reservoirs also have been started. Hot winds blowing from the vicinity of the Caspian, where there are deserts, have long prevailed as far north as Stalingrad. If the green belt is successful there will be a radical change in the city's climate, it is stated.

2,000 BOATS RECOVERED

Moscow.—(AP)—The newspaper "Soviet Lithuania" says 2,000 vessels have been raised from the river Dnieper since the war. The ships include the powerful motorships "Ospenko" and "Krupskaya" which were sent to the bottom by the Germans.

Former Farmville Man Died Tuesday

Washington, D.C.

Funeral rites for Lester E. Barrett, 50, of Washington, D. C., who died Tuesday night at 11:30 at George Washington Hospital in that city, will be conducted at the home of his mother, Mrs. Cora Lang Barrett, in Farmville, Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock by Rev. Z. B. T. Cox, pastor of the Farmville Christian Church. Burial will be in Forest Hill cemetery in Farmville.

Mr. Barrett was the son of Mrs. Cora Lang Barrett and the late George C. Barrett of Farmville. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Esther Hull Barrett, formerly of Leominster, Mass.; one son, George Hull Barrett, and one daughter, Marcia Barrett; his mother; two sisters, Mrs. J. T. Moore, of Durham and Mrs. Z. M. Whitehurst of Farmville and one brother, Robert G. Barrett, Sr., of Farmville.

Mr. Barrett studied at Wake Forest College, George Washington University, Southeastern University and National University, and held degrees of bachelor of laws and master of patent law. He was admitted to the North Carolina Supreme Court in 1920; to the Court of Appeals, District of Columbia, in 1923, and the U. S. Supreme Court in 1925. He was a member of the scientific research staff of the U. S. Department of Agriculture for many years, and was associated with S. T. Buck, patent attorney of Baltimore, Md., for 12 years. He had resided in Washington since 1917.

Hog Market

Raleigh, May 12.—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog prices steady; tops of \$20 at Rocky Mount, Greenville, New Bern; \$20.50 at Richmond.

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, May 12.—(AP)—Stocks turned in a spittish performance in today's market, before steadying somewhat in the final hour. Selected industrial showed sagging tendencies from the outset. Transfers totaled around 1,500,000 shares.

FINAL STOCKS

Allegheny	3%
Al Chem and Dye	191
Allis Chal Mfg	37%
Am Can	90
Am Car Fdy	44
Am Smelt and Ref	58%
A T and T	154 1/2
Anacosta	36 1/2
A C L	58
All Ref	44%
Aviat Corp	6%
Aviat Corp	6%
B and O	14%
Bendix Aviat	35
Beth Stl	34%
Cannon Mills	45
Case P I	46
Caterpil Trac	62%
Chas and O	29%
Chrysler	58%
Coca Cola	166 1/2
Coml Credit	45%
Coml Solv	24%
Curt Wright	7%
Doug Airc	63
Dow Chem	42
Dupont	175 1/2
Eastman Kod	43%
Firestone	48%
Gen Mot	56%
Goodrich	58%
Goodyear	44%
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Int T and T	14%
Johns Man	39%
Kennecott	63%

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We have a beautiful selection of 6x12 Axminster and Oriental reproductions. All in rich colors, closely woven— \$35.00 up	A table for the kitchen... easily cleaned, plenty of room to work! \$16.50	A handsome glider for cool summer comfort... on ball bearings, water resistant, colorful pillows— \$49.50
All-metal porch chair that lasts many summers. Colorfully enameled. \$5.95	Complete kitchen cabinet for foods, pots, pans. Room for all utensils. \$59.50	Famous make washing machine. Banish that Blue-Monday easily. \$159.50

Benefits From Social Security Still Being Lost

Potential claimants are still losing Social Security payments because they don't know how to file claims for them. Marshall Barney, manager of the Rocky Mount Field Office, said today that almost six percent of the claims filed with his office are filed late, causing the loss of one or more months payment.

Concern over these losses has caused the local office to make a study of them. They are largely caused by two groups. One group is composed of wives and widows who know nothing about Social Security or think that it is charity. The other group is one of older workers who lose their jobs and don't come in to file until they exhaust all resources for re-employment.

Mr. Barney emphasized the "two times for action": when a worker gets to be 65 years old, and when a breadwinner dies. Just a post card or a visit to the Rocky Mount office or one of its itinerant points would save a lot of grief.

Grain Market

Chicago, May 12.—(AP)—Grains spurted under the lead of corn in active dealings on the board of trade today. Strength developed first in May corn, but later spread to all sections of the market. Most of the buying appeared to be covering by previous short sellers.

Wheat closed 2 1/4-3/4 higher, May \$2.47-\$2.47 1/4, corn was 3 to 6 1/2 higher, May \$2.32 1/2, and oats were 1 1/2 to 3/4 higher, May \$1.16 1/4-1/2.

N. Y. Cotton

New York, May 12.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 35 to 95 cents a bale lower.

Noon prices were 90 cents a bale lower to 15 cents higher than the previous close. May 37.86, July 37.00 and Oct. 33.62.

Futures closed \$1.90 a bale higher to 20 cents lower than the previous close.

May	37.75	38.19	37.83
July	37.00	37.43	37.07
Oct.	33.59	33.76	33.76
Dec.	32.89	33.04	33.08
March	32.72	32.78	32.81
May	32.39	32.50	32.50

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ONE PULL-UP CHAIR	With rose flower in green background that sold for \$15.00. Let-Go Price \$7.50
ONE PULL-UP CHAIR	With tan background — Sold for \$17.50 Let-Go Price \$8.75
1 ROCKER COVERED IN GOLD	Tapestry — Sold for \$14.00 Let-Go Price \$7.00
ONE PULL-UP CHAIR	Upholstered in leatherette — Regular Price \$17.50 Let-Go Price \$9.50
TWO PULL-UP CHAIRS	Covered all over in a pretty shade of blue leatherette. Were cheap at \$29.50. Let-Go Price \$14.75
1 PULL-UP CHAIR WITH GOLD	Color Tapestry — Regular Price \$12.50 Let-Go Price \$6.25
1 ROCKER UPHOLSTERED IN	Blue Tapestry — A good value at \$18.00 Let-Go Price \$9.00
FIVE CRICKET CHAIRS	All assorted colors and patterns. These are very popular for the bedroom. Regular price \$14.88. Let-Go Price \$7.44
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