

Partly cloudy and continued warm tonight; Wednesday cloudy and colder.

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Assembly To Get Budget Thursday

Commission Will Submit Proposed State Spending For Biennium January 13; Contents Secret, But Record Spending Program Expected

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 11—(AP)—Recommendations of the advisory budget commission on state spending for the 1949-51 biennium will be presented to the General Assembly Thursday, Governor Scott announced today.

The report and its accompanying appropriations and taxation bills, will enable the lawmakers to get down to work in earnest. The report is being presented somewhat later than usual this year, and consequently the 1949 legislative session has gotten off to a slow start.

Contents of the proposed budget are secret, but it will be a good guess that it will provide the biggest spending program in the history of the state, and will propose increased pay for teachers and state employees and increased operating budgets for state institutions and agencies.

The budget will constitute a guide for the lawmakers as they go about their big task of deciding on taxation proposals and requests of state agencies for appropriations.

Accompanying the budget will be bills prepared by the commission to put the proposed budget into effect. These definitely will include an appropriation bill, and probably there will be a measure proposing changes in the state's tax structure and a bill to appropriate funds for permanent improvement at state institutions.

In all likelihood there will be a bill to provide pay increases for school teachers and state employees on a retroactive basis. If passed, such a bill would enable the state workers to begin drawing their pay boosts within a few weeks instead of having to wait until the biennial appropriations bill goes into effect on July 1.

A bill providing for retroactive pay increase was introduced early in the 1947 session and was passed shortly after bitter debate over the amount of the increase.

The budget was prepared under the direction of former Governor Cherry. However, Governor Scott sat in on the budget commission hearings when it received requests of state agencies and institutions. In addition, the Governor gave the commission a memorandum embodying his ideas on budget matters.

At the hearings, the state agencies made requests for appropriations totaling \$311,000,000 for the 1949-51 biennium. The budget commission slashed these requests to bring them into line with anticipated state revenues. It has been estimated

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Narrow Escape For School Children In Collision Here

Three persons were slightly injured when a county school bus and an automobile collided at the intersection of Raleigh Avenue and Chestnut street about 8:25 a. m. today.

Police who investigated the wreck said the school bus No. 95 transporting children to school here and driven by Allen Churchill, 18 Route 3, Greenville, and a car driven by Lorenzo Evans, 34, colored, Route 1, Winterville, crashed and both vehicles were damaged.

Police arrested Evans on charge of not keeping a lookout and reckless driving.

William Dallas Whitaker, 7 Route 5, Greenville, received a bruised lip, and Kenneth Buck, 8 Route 4, Greenville, received a cut on his head. They were treated at Pitt General Hospital and released.

Chinese Gov't Officials Move Out Of Nanking

Flee City As Reds Reported Crushing Trapped Armies In Heavy Fighting

Nanking, Jan. 11—(AP)—Government officials stepped up their flight from Nanking today as Communist armies launched new assaults.

Red troops were reported crushing trapped government armies on the northern approaches to Nanking. Government airmen called it the "heaviest fighting we have seen at any time in China."

Farther north, Red troops were reported fighting the government garrison in the suburbs of Tientsin.

Little more than a symbol of the Nationalist government remains in Nanking. Officials, archives and equipment are flowing out of the capital at a fast pace.

Thousands of officials and employees have left. Many have moved south to set up emergency branches of their ministries out of reach of Red armies. Others have fled to their native homes where they hope to find obscurity.

Technically all ministries are still in Nanking. That is because the great seals with which all official papers must be stamped are still here. But actually, few government functions continue, except the most urgent.

One official estimated more than half the National government's personnel has disappeared from Nanking. The Ministry of Health will move en masse tomorrow to Canton in southern China.

Canton and Formosa (Taiwan) are favorite refuge of government officials. As many as 50,000 Chinese a week are reported arriving on Formosa, which some say Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek may turn into an island fortress.

Equipment and key personnel of four government-owned factories have been loaded aboard a steamship for transfer to Formosa.

Asked what is being done to prevent the wholesale flight of Chinese officials from the capital, one official still here explained:

"For awhile strict orders were issued to keep all officials at their posts here. Now most ministries are anxious for them to leave, particularly if their departures relieve the government of the necessity of supporting them."

Hundreds of top level government officials are leaving the lower echelons to decide for themselves what to do. One ministry employee said:

"I have worked for the government 15 years. During that time I ran from the Japanese from Nanking to Hankow to Chungking. If I am not going to run anymore, if whatever power takes over doesn't want me, I'll go back to my native home. But I will not become a political refugee from my own country."

Increase Of Freight Rates Become Effective Today

Washington, Jan. 11—(AP)—New freight rate increases estimated to add \$425,000,000 a year to railroad shipping charges went into effect at 12:01 a. m. today.

Authority for the advances on a temporary, emergency basis was granted by the Interstate Commerce Commission on December 30 after hearings on the rail industry complaint of continued mounting operating costs.

The sharpest increases occur in the east and south, where the rates go up six per cent. West of Mississippi River, a four per cent increase is effective, except in parts of Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa and Missouri, where the advance is five per cent.

The commission late yesterday rejected petitions by grain and dairy interests that the application to the increases to these products be postponed.

The grain interests contend that the differences in increases between territories will distort long-standing marketing practices. They have asked that the rate hike on grains and dairy products be made uniform in all parts of the country.

The dairy industry committee said the rate picture is now out of business because butter, cheese and fresh and processed milk and cream have been subjected to larger increases in the postwar period than many heavy items such as coal and other mining products.

Many domestic water carriers and freight forwarders, authorized to take the same advances as the railroads, arranged to do so.

ACL Change In Service Sought

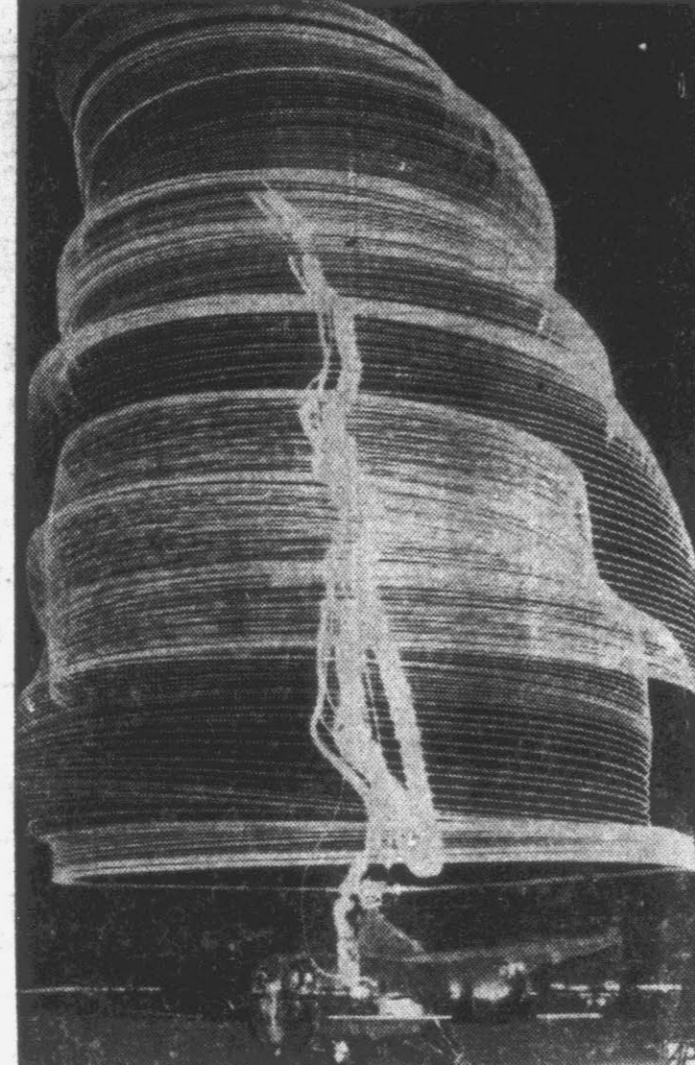
Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 11—(AP)—An Atlantic Coast Line railroad application to change its Wilmington-Rocky Mount service will be heard here Jan. 26 before the State Utilities Commission.

The company has asked to be permitted to eliminate 12 regular stops, and make only flag stops at four others, for trains No. 48 and 49. It also would change the schedules.

Protests against the proposed changes have been received from some points, commission officials said.

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A Helicopter In Night Flight



The U. S. Navy helicopter HO3SI is ready to take off at Washington on a night flight—and what a sight to see! The tips of the whirling rotor are equipped with lights which give this grotesque appearance as the "copter" ascends. The broad, nearly vertical light path is made by the exhaust. The ship is based at the Naval Air Test center at Patuxent, Md. (AP Wirephoto).

Reveal Program Of Ship Building

Maritime Commission Plans With Eye On Defense Needs

Washington, Jan. 11—(AP)—With an eye to American shipping needs in event of war, the maritime commission today unwrapped a program to add \$95,000,000 in new vessels to the United States Merchant fleet.

The plan calls for immediate construction of 17 new-type, high-speed passenger-cargo ships and tankers—all with so-called "national defense features" insuring easy and quick conversion to wartime use.

The program will be launched, a commission spokesman made it clear, if and when Congress approves President Truman's budget request for funds to finance the subsidy operation.

The commission official said top priority would be given to the construction of two "prototype"—atomic age replacements," he called them, for the thousands of mass-produced "libertys" and "victories" built during World War II. Other ships planned under the program include:

Two 17,000-ton passenger-cargo liners on the U. S.-Caribbean area run. Estimated to cost \$30,000,000 the ships would have luxury facilities for about 300 passengers in addition to cargo space.

Ten tankers of various size to cost

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Population Gain

New York, Jan. 11—(AP)—The U. S. population rose by almost 2,500,000 in 1948.

This was a net gain in human resources and consumers, or future voters and taxpayers, depending on how you look at it. Births were near the all-time record. Death was on a partial holiday. The death rate was the lowest in the country's history.

By the year's end, the United States had about 148,000,000 people. The population will probably top 150 millions this year.

Retailers Expect Price Cuts Soon

Post-Christmas Rush Said Herald Lower Prices

New York, Jan. 11—(AP)—The rush of people attracted by post-Christmas sales has convinced many leading retailers the nation is headed for a new era of lower prices.

They voice this conviction with certain reservations, of course—and in some cases with crossed fingers. Right now some 6,000 retailers are attending the 38th annual convention of the National Retail Dry Goods Association in New York, and their main objective is to increase sales, lower their costs and maintain profits.

The general picture these leaders outline is this: Christmas sales bogged down until they barely exceeded last year's figures, and the year as a whole was only five per cent above 1947. But the response to sales at reduced prices indicate people will buy an increased volume of goods if price, style and value are good enough to fit the consumer pocket-book.

The experts don't look for a general price break, nor for a business recession, but they do look for a general selective downward price revision and a general increase in value and style where prices aren't reduced from present levels.

There was one strong note of caution. Several retailers said increased government spending or widespread wage increases could turn the tide and force retail prices up. Greater supply now is overbalancing demand, said one retailer, but an increase in spendable money could turn the tables and put demand on top with a consequent pressure for increased prices.

Flu Epidemic In France Spreads

Paris, Jan. 11—(AP)—An epidemic of influenza is spreading through France and threatening other countries in Western Europe.

Unlike the "Spanish flu" in 1918, when the death toll ran into the thousands, the present epidemic has so far claimed only about two deaths per 1,000 cases, a government medical source said. The current epidemic is being referred to as "Italian flu." It struck first in Italy and spread into France.

Cabinet Figures Stand Accused

Bucharest, Romania, Jan. 11—(AP)—Twelve former cabinet ministers, all of whom at one time or another were in the government of Ion Antonescu, went on trial today as war criminals.

The charges range from collaboration with the Nazis to causing national disaster. The maximum penalty now is life imprisonment at hard labor.

Antonescu, premier during the Nazi occupation, was executed in 1946 for war crimes.

Brakes For Air Force Expansion Stirs Arguments

70-Group Air Force At Issue; Defense Budget Split Evenly In Services

Washington, Jan. 11—(AP)—President Truman's budget brake on Air Force expansion plans stirred up a congressional hornet's nest today. Both Democrats and Republicans joined in.

Mr. Truman recommended a minimum 48-combat group Air Force in his budget message yesterday. Rep. Vinson (D-Ga.), prospective chairman of the House Armed Services Committee, immediately disagreed.

"I am thoroughly convinced an overwhelming majority of Congress will vote the funds to put into being a 70-group Air Force over a period of three or four years," Vinson said. "It is the minimum we must have for security."

Senator Tydings (D-Md.), chairman of the Senate Armed Services Committee, said he didn't think the President's recommendations "ruled" an ultimate 70-group force, but he intended to study the matter very closely.

Mr. Truman took the stand that the number and size of planes is a better way to measure Air Force strength than the number of groups.

Secretary of the Air Force Symington, in a report issued over the week-end reiterated Air Force hopes for 70 groups. The last Congress authorized 66 groups and the Air Force now has reached 60-group combat strength. (Symington's report was written weeks ago; he has said since he will go along with the President's recommendations.)

The Air Force also set a goal of 10,197 first and second line planes by June 30. The President said this would be cut back to 9,197 by eliminating 700 trainers and 400 planes of the types used in support of the ground forces.

The President divided his \$14,288,000,000 defense budget almost evenly among the Army, Navy and Air Force.

Senator Gurney (R-S.D.), minority spokesman on the Armed Services Committee, said former chairman noted this would not permit 70 groups in the 1950 fiscal year, starting next July 1.

Hatchet Buried Over 'DP' Issue

Republicans Invited Join In Sponsoring New Measure

Washington, Jan. 11—(AP)—Democrats and Republicans were about ready today to bury the hatchet on one of last year's campaign issues—the admission of European "Displaced Persons" to this country.

Senator McGrath of Rhode Island, the Democratic national chairman, invited Republicans to join in sponsoring a bill to admit 400,000 persons by June 25, 1952—including those who have entered under a measure passed last year.

The Republican-controlled 80th Congress passed a bill to admit 205,000 persons in two years with such restrictions that President Truman called it an "anti-Semitic, anti-Catholic law."

McGrath told a reporter he thinks members of the Senate Judiciary Committee can agree on a measure which Democrats and Republicans can support.

Senator Ferguson (R-Mich.), a minority member of the committee, said he sees no reason why the Republicans and Democrats can't get together, despite what was said in the campaign.

"This isn't a partisan issue," Ferguson said. "We all want to do something for these Displaced Persons and it's only a question of working out a suitable bill."

McGrath said a measure he and Senator Neely (D-W. Va.) offered yesterday was proposed as a sort of "working paper" for the committee.

"I'm not wedded to it," he said. "If the committee wants to change it, that will be all right."

Paving Projects To Widen Streets To Start Shortly

Mayor Jack Boyd said today that the State Highway and Public Works Commission had let contracts for widening west Fifth street from Elizabeth street (Highway 43) to a point beyond the western city limits; for widening East Fifth street (Highway 264) to a point beyond the eastern city limits and Dickinson Avenue, from the Atlantic Coast Line tracks to beyond the southwestern city limits.

The Brown Paving Company, now located at Washington, has the contracts. The mayor said work would have been started on the projects had the contractors and engineers anticipated the unusually cool weather for this time of the year.

Widening of these highways will considerably facilitate traffic and remove a bottleneck that now slows up through and local traffic. District Highway Commissioner John G. Clark has been active in getting these improvements approved, the mayor said.

Republicans Urge Economy; Demos Cautious On Budget

Commissioners Set ABC Decision Date

January 19 Tentative Date For Hearing At Which Decision Will Be Made On Division Of Pitt And ABC Profits

After hearing a request from representatives of the incorporated towns of the county for a division of the ABC profits, the county commissioners yesterday set January 19 as a tentative date for a hearing at which a decision on the controversial issue will be made.

The commissioners will request the mayors of all incorporated towns of the county to be present at the meeting. Mayor J. H. Boyd of Greenville yesterday requested the county to turn over to the incorporated towns of the county 25 per cent of the ABC profits, retroactive to July 1, 1948.

W. A. Allen of Farmville and Fire Chief George Gardner of Greenville appeared before the commissioners and requested aid be given to the fire stations of the municipalities of the county for fighting fires outside towns' corporate limits. A committee was appointed to look into the matter.

The commissioners went on record as asking the Pitt County representatives in the General Assembly to start legislation for an additional deputy for the Pitt County sheriff's office; an enabling act permitting the trustees of the proposed Pitt County hospital to succeed themselves as trustees when their present terms expire; and an enabling act to turn back to the school district of the county the outstanding balances on township road bonds; and an enabling act whereby the salary of judge of county recorder's court can be raised to a maximum of \$1,800 per year, and the salary of the solicitor of county recorders court may be raised to a maximum of \$1,500 per year. The judge's salary at present time is \$1,200 per year, and the salary of the solicitor is \$900 per year.

Approval was given for the issuance and sale of bonds for three school districts which were authorized in special elections. The commissioners approved the sale of \$65,000 of Belvoir-Falkland school bonds, \$200,000 of Farmville school bonds, and \$25,000 of Fountain school bonds.

During the meeting the commissioners opened bids for chairs to be used in the court room, and venetian blinds to be used in the courtroom. The Southern Desk Company of Hickory was low bidder on the 296 chairs at \$7.35 each. Home Furniture Store of Greenville was low bidder for the venetian blinds.

Zeb Manning of the Swift Creek Township made application as constable of the Swift Creek Township.

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More Cold Hits Western States

Snow, Ice And Sleet Storms; Communities Snowbound

By The Associated Press

Weather's wintry elements unleashed further damaging blows to storm-weary states over most of the western half of the nation today.

Snow, ice and sleet storms hit an area from the Texas-Oklahoma panhandle to the Pacific coast.

California shivered again as freezing temperatures. There was snow and ice from the state's winter resort spots to the mountains. Many highways were closed because of ice and snow. The fruit and vegetable grow was further endangered by the wintry blasts. The freezing weather followed last week's killing frost which caused millions of dollars of damage to crops.

The Rocky Mountain region and parts of the midwest got another blast of sub-zero temperatures. Cold weather in the Pacific Northwest threatened a severe power shortage.

More snow fell over most of Nebraska and South Dakota and spread into Northern Iowa and Southern Minnesota.

The new falls in some parts of Nebraska and South Dakota came as some communities remained snowbound from last week's heavy snow falls. Gordon, Nebr., a town of 2,000 population, has been isolated for eight days with all roads blocked by huge drifts. A state of emergency was declared as baby food canned milk and fuel supplies dwindled.

Death Loses One Round To Physician's Penknife

Abingdon, Va., Jan. 11—(AP)—The physician looked up from the woman in the ward bed.

"She's dead," he said to a nurse "Call Dr. Hayter."

The second doctor came over and made his own examination. He agreed the woman was dead, but his stethoscope picked up the flickering heartbeat of her unborn child. There still was a chance to save the infant, but precious seconds were ticking off its life.

Dr. Lee M. Cole, Jr., the resident physician, and the nurse went quickly in quest of surgical instruments and oxygen. Standing by Dr. Harry Hayter heard the flutter of the unborn child's heartbeats grow fainter.

He could wait no longer. With his pocket penknife he performed a Caesarian section and delivered a four-pound, four-ounce baby boy—alive and crying lustily.

The mother, Mrs. Elmer Widner of Denton's Valley, had been dead for four minutes. She had been brought to the hospital Friday for treatment of a circulatory ailment.

Rural Highway Traffic Heavier

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 11—(AP)—Traffic on rural State Highways last month was heavier than in any previous December in history. In fact, says the State Highway commission, it was heavier than in any prewar summer month.

On the average day last month, reported statistics engineer James S. Burch, 57,696 vehicles passed the State's 20 regular traffic-counting stations, compared with 59,375 last November and 51,425 in December 1947.

FOUR TIMES HIGHER

Brussels, Belgium, Jan. 11—(AP)—The cost of living in Belgium is almost four times what it was before the war. Newly disclosed figures show the national index, based upon a prewar 100, moved up by one point in November to 595.2.

Ready To Fight Filibusters' End

Southern Solon Talks Filibuster To Save Filibuster

Washington, Jan. 11—(AP)—Southern Democrats opposing a civil rights program threatened today to fight any Senate move to end filibusters with their most potent weapon: the filibuster.

Senator Ellender (D-La.) said he is prepared to talk "until there is no breath left in me" against any debate-limiting proposal aimed at passage of President Truman's anti-lynching anti-poll tax, and fair employment practices legislation.

There have been several such proposals, all of them, Ellender said, "for the sole purpose of passing the civil rights program."

"I'm ready to filibuster to stop any phase of this thing," he added. Senator Russell (D-Ga.), spokesman for the Southern Democratic

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Fairly General Agreement In Both Parties That If Truman Program Is To Be Followed, Someone Is Going To Have To Ante Up More Money

Washington, Jan. 11—(AP)—Low and middle salary groups appeared likely today to escape any general income tax boosts this year in spite of a record \$41,858,000,000 peacetime budget.

But there was fairly general agreement in both Democratic and Republican ranks that if President Truman's spending program for the fiscal year starting July 1 is to be followed, someone is going to have to ante up more money.

Also, if his social welfare proposals are enacted millions of workers and their employers will have larger payroll taxes.

Republicans shouted for economy. They pointed to the spectre of a deficit formed by the budget the President sent to Congress yesterday.

The Democratic heads of the Senate and House tax-writing committees, Senator George of Georgia and Representative Doughton of North Carolina, maintained a cautious position. They said they want to see how much money Congress votes to spend before considering tax raises.

As a result, there is a strong possibility that the legislative budget provision of the congressional reorganization act will be suspended. This provision requires Congress to set an estimate on appropriations and income by February 15 each year. It hasn't been effective in past years and the congressional income-outgo goals have not been binding.

Rep. Cannon (D-Mo.), who will head the House Appropriations Committee, said he will ask the committee to take the initiative to suspend the budget ceiling requirement.

"It isn't workable," Cannon told newsmen. "You can't tell accuracy by February 15 what you are going to do in the following months."

Cannon said he would work to cut off every possible dollar from the President's budget, half of which Mr. Truman has earmarked for the cold war with Russia.

Cannon called the budget "the most practical that could be presented at this time" but figured that if followed it would result in a deficit for the fiscal year beginning July 1.

The President himself estimated the deficit for the year at \$873,000,000 but he has proposed that it be wiped out and some cash be provided for national debt payment by hiking tax rates.

"It's a matter of clear arithmetic that we will have a deficit if we go along with the President's program," said Rep. Halleck of Indiana, Republican leader in the last Congress.

Lumber Plant Is Heavily Damaged By Morning Fire

Wade, N. C., Jan. 11—An early morning fire roared through the Pope and Tart Co., lumber plant in this Cumberland county town today and caused an estimated \$100,000 damage.

The estimate was given by C. L. Tart, the owner, who said he would be glad to replace the loss at \$100,000.

The blaze of undetermined origin destroyed two planing mills and 75,000 feet of high grade, finished lumber. A kiln for drying lumber was damaged.

But the saw mill and 4,000,000 feet of rough lumber were saved.

Anglo-Israel Quarrel

Recent Incident Not Of World-Rocking Importance, Still It Could Be A Fuse To A Chain Of Dangerous Events; Importance Of Negev; Issues That Are Involved

By DeWITT MacKENZIE

Britain and Israel will do well if they follow America's urgent advice that they treat the shooting-down of the five British planes by Israel forces as a "regrettable incident only."

This "incident" in itself isn't of world-rocking consequences. Yet it could be the fuse to set off a chain of explosions which would blow us all into another global conflict.

The differences between Britain and the Jewish people of Palestine are many and of long standing. However, the current upheaval revolves about a politico-military situation, involving control of the big stretch of desert in southern Palestine known as the Negev.

Israel claims the Negev as part of the new Jewish state's territory. Britain wants control because of the Negev's great strategic importance.

Of course that's a great over-simplification of a complicated case. This stretch is one of the world's highly strategic areas which is a barrier between west and east. It is a safeguard of the Suez Canal as the vital water communication with the Far East. It also is the land bridge to vast fields of petroleum.

The importance of this area is emphasized by Britain's occupation of the Red Sea port of Aden in Trans-Jordan. This ancient city,

from which King Solomon sailed for Ophir to gather gold and gems, is at the crossroads of land and sea routes. Control of it has been sought by a long succession of powers.

Israel has protested to the United Nations against this British move. The protest maintains that the "presence of British troops at Aden can have no purpose but to threaten Israel's territory in the southern part of the Negev." This Negev desert, by the way, is rich in mineral deposits and there is petroleum under it. Moreover, it can be cultivated by irrigation and Israel wants to develop it.

But there are other considerations involved in the Anglo-Israel quarrel. This Middle Eastern area is a vital sector of the cold war. The British are fearful that Russia may gain domination of this theater by backing Israel. It is charged that the embargo on arms to Palestine is being broken by Czechoslovakia which is shipping munitions under orders from Moscow. This could bring about a drastic change in the balance of power in the Middle East, with Russia securing the advantage.

Pursuing this line of thought we note that the Negev also is vital

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Higher Taxes Ahead?

Truman's Budget Message Raises Question Of Who Will Be Affected By Necessary Tax Increase; Two Kinds Of Taxes; What Will Congress Do On His Requests?

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, Jan. 11—(AP)—Will my tax be raised this year and,

Social and Personal

All items for this page received after 10:00 A. M. will be published the following day. Dial 3266 9:00 A. M. to Noon - 1:00 to 4:30 P. M.

40 Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR

January 11, 1909
The Finch Club met with Miss Doris Overton on Saturday. After playing three games of finch the prize was awarded to Miss Minnie Exum Sugg for having won the three games.
Delicious refreshments were afterwards served.
The members elected Miss Doris Overton president. The club adjourned to meet in February with Miss Eria Critcher, declaring Miss Overton an excellent hostess.

Brother of Mrs. Moore Dies in Richmond
Mr. Raymond Maxwell of New Bern, brother of Mrs. J. H. B. Moore, died this morning in a hospital in Richmond, where he had been ill since August 1. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

Past Matrons and Patrons Club
The Past Matrons and Patrons Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Uran Cox, with Mrs. Newman Lewis co-hostess, Friday night at 8 o'clock.

Card of Thanks
We wish to express our appreciation to our friends and neighbors for the many expressions of sympathy during the illness and death of our infant daughter, Paulette.
Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Heath.

Masonic Notice
There will be an Emergency Communication of Greenville Lodge No. 284 A. F. & A. M. Wednesday night for the purpose of installing the officers for the year 1949. The installation ceremonies, which will be public, will be performed at 8:00 by Dr. Maxwell E. Hoffman, Grand Master.

We extend to all a cordial invitation to attend these ceremonies.
W. HERMAN HARDEE, Master
A. R. HOUSE, Secretary

Card of Appreciation
The family of Pfc. William Earl Vincent wish to express their thanks to all who were so kind in offering their services and sympathy during our bereavement.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

TUESDAY

8:00 p. m.—Circle No. 6 of the Presbyterian Church meets at the home of Mrs. Earl Stokes.
8:00 p. m.—Dr. Karl V. Gilbert, Mrs. Margaret Gilbert and H. L. Carter will present a program of music by living American composers before the Greenville Music Club at a meeting held in the Woman's Club building.
7:30 p. m.—Witha Council Degree of Pocatontas meets.

8:00 p. m.—Patient circle of The King's Daughters meets in the home of Miss Martha Lee Cowell with Mrs. Blanche Cherry, assisting hostess.

WEDNESDAY

2:30 p. m.—Child Study class meets at the Training school.
3:30 p. m.—P. T. A. of Third Street School will meet.
3:30 p. m.—P. T. A. of the Training school will meet.

THURSDAY

3:30 p. m.—George B. Singletary Chapter U. D. C. meets with Mrs. J. L. Fleming.
7:00 p. m.—B. & P. Women's Club meets at the Woman's Club.

FRIDAY

6:30 p. m.—Kiwans Club.
7:30 p. m.—Red Men meet.
8:00 p. m.—Past Matrons and Patrons Club meets at the home of Mrs. Uran Cox, Mrs. Newman Lewis co-hostess.

Robert Lee Humber to Speak
On Tuesday night, January 11, at 7:30 p. m. the Falkland P. T. A. will have as its guest speaker, Mr. Robert Lee Humber of Greenville, at the Falkland elementary school.

Every parent, we feel sure, will try to come and hear this fine and notable citizen of Pitt county speak at the association Tuesday night.

Birth Announcement
Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Patterson of Madison, Wis., announce the birth of twins, a girl and a boy, on January 10.
Mrs. Patterson is the former Miss Elizabeth Andrews of Greenville.

Judge Albion Dunn Will Offer Defense Plea For Client

Judge Albion Dunn, Greenville attorney, counsel for Johnny Edwards, Ayden Negro log woodsman, who is charged with the knife-slaying of Levy Albritton, Ayden Negro with a prison record, during an altercation in Ayden on January 3, said today that he will submit a plea of self-defense for his client when the case comes up in Superior Court the week of January 24.

Testimony at a coroner's inquest at Ayden last Tuesday night was that Albritton attacked Edwards with a bottle, broke it, then got another one and continued his attack; that Edwards, Ayden Police Chief J. M. Whitehurst testified, started to use his knife in self-defense and continued to use the weapon as long as Albritton was attacking him. The chief also testified that Edwards, after his assailant dropped in the street from loss of blood, pulled him to the curb to prevent a car from running over the wounded man. Chief Whitehurst arrested Edwards a few minutes later. White friends provided \$2,000 bail bond for Edwards and he was released from jail. Witnesses at the coroner's inquest gave Edwards a good name.

Specialists Will Talk In Farmville

Henry M. Covington, extension division horticulturist from North Carolina State College, and Joe Gourlay, marketing specialist with the North Carolina Department of Agriculture, will be the principal speakers at a meeting of Pitt County sweet potato growers in Farmville Friday night.

Sam Winchester, county agent, said the meeting will be held at the high school beginning at 7:30. Main topics to be discussed Winchester said, are production and marketing of sweet potatoes.

Stokes Man Who Had Arm Amputated Well On Way To Recovery

Roscoe Barnhill, 29-year-old farmer of the Stokes community who was a "hero in his own right" on December 14, when his arm was caught in a hay-baling machine on

his father's farm, on the Pactorus highway, and severed several inches from his shoulder, and narrowly escaped death when he used his free hand to get his knife from his pocket, opened it with his teeth and then cut off the few ligaments and skin to amputate the arm, is making satisfactory recovery at his home, a Pitt General Hospital official said today. His severed arm went into the bale of hay. Don Jones, an 11-year-old boy working with him, stopped the motor and did much to save Barnhill's life.
Barnhill's rare presence of mind probably saved his life, surgeons and physicians at the hospital said. When he cut off his arm he was gradually being drawn into the hay-baling machine, and would have been choked to death had not the lad with him stopped the motor Barnhill said.

Teachers Playhouse Programs Increased

The radio series "Once Upon a Time," sponsored by the Teachers Playhouse of East Carolina Teachers College and presented during the fall quarter over WGTC of Greenville, has increased the number of weekly programs from three to four and added a number of narrators to the staff. The programs, which feature stories for children, have become popular with a large radio audience in this section.
Virgil Clark, Greenville student, will continue to serve as chairman in charge of programs. In addition to Mildred Oakes of Hookerton, nar-

rator during the fall quarter, Claude E. West, Jr., of Greenville and Charles Williams of Erwin, have been added to the staff. Dr. Lucile H. Charles, director of speech and dramatics at East Carolina, has announced that a corps of substitutes and announcers is now being trained and will participate in programs in the future.

Campbell College Plans Expansion

Greensboro, Jan. 11—(AP)—Officials of Campbell College, a Baptist junior college at Bule's Creek today mapped plans for a \$1,000,000 drive to finance a 10-year expansion program at the institution. Plans for the drive were announced here last night following a meeting of the trustees.

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Religious Emphasis Week At College Opens With Chapel Program Today

Dr. C. A. Jarman, pastor of the First Christian Church of Wilson, is the principal speaker during Religious Emphasis Week at East Carolina Teachers College, January 11-14. At a chapel program this morning he initiated a series of program-

Former Members Of WAC May Now Join New Reserve Set-Up

Former members of the Women's Army Corps may now join the Reserves, announced Capt. Ralph W. Ferrese of the U.S. Army and U.S. Air Force Recruiting Station here. The Women's Army Corp Section has been established as a section of the Officers Reserve Corps and Enlisted Reserve Corps, and women reservists now enjoy the privileges and benefits afforded male members of the Reserve Corps, with very few exceptions.

Former members of the Women's Army Corps who would like to become a part of the Reserve Corps may receive additional information from Capt. Ralph W. Ferrese of the Recruiting Station located at 401 Evans Street, Greenville, or they may contact Sgt. L. C. Mode at the Recruiting Main Station, 207 Franklin Street in Fayetteville, N.C.

Sims, chairman of religious education for the YWCA and the presidents of the Y organizations at the college, Jean Boston of Wilmington and George Morris of Winston-Salem, are in charge of arrangements for the programs. Assisting them are Lois Grigsby and Louise Williams, faculty advisors of the YWCA; and leaders in student work for city churches, Gloria Blanton, Mamie Chandler, Evelyn Lyon, and Marjorie G. Dunn.

A series of discussion groups will be held each evening on subjects of interest to students. Leaders will be the Rev. J. A. Neilson of the Immanuel Baptist Church, Greenville; Wyatt Brown of Greenville; and the Rev. L. F. Soderman of the Clinton Baptist Church. Assisting in these discussion groups as resource leaders and consultants will be the Rev. H. G. Haney of the Christian church Greenville; and two faculty members of the college, J. C. Derrick of the department of science and Dr. John O. Reynolds of the department of mathematics.

The Bureau of Agricultural Economics reported that a sample survey showed five persons reported injured during the first four months of 1948 for every 100 farms.

The tiniest hummingbird is known as Helena's hummingbird of Cuba and is between two and one-quarter and two and one half inches in length.

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Original 'Doctor I. Q.' To Hold Program Here

Gaiety and fun will be rampant at the next meeting of the Pitt County Executives Club, when the original "Dr. I. Q." of radio fame will conduct one of his mirth-giving programs the evening of January 19 at East Carolina Teachers College, Mr. J. Howard Moyer, the local secretary, announced today.

The former "Dr. I. Q." is none other than the Reverend James W. McClain, now an Episcopalian rector



in Texas. Not only the program he originated is unique but the founder is unique in that he chose to leave a \$100,000 annual income to become a rural minister. It is known that he accepts nothing beyond his expenses for his appearances; the remainder of his fee is contributed to

the church building fund. Asked why he changed his activity, the Reverend McClain explained, "It's simply a matter of vocation. It is what a person feels God intends him to do."

The Texas minister is married and has two children.

March Of Dimes Drive Discussed In Rotary Meet

By WYATT BROWN
"There is only one insurance against polio and that is the dimes you give to the March of Dimes," declared Frank Toothman, president of the East Carolina Teachers College Forensic Club, in an address to the Rotary Club last night in what he called his heart-to-heart talk with his audience on what he knew of polio epidemics. He was presented by Dean Leo Jenkins, who is chairman of the 1949 March of Dimes campaign to raise funds in Pitt County.

Dean Jenkins said the college and its music clubs, forensic club, and athletic clubs would help in the March of Dimes this year because they wanted to repay the community for helping the college secure a stadium. Dean Jenkins said the same thing had led him to accept chairmanship of the March of Dimes together with the fact as the father of two children, he could not say "no" in the face of the polio threat.

In his address Mr. Toothman made the point that North Carolina owes a debt of over a million dollars to the National Foundation for what had already been given to the

Suspects Grilled In Guam Slaying

Pearl Harbor, Jan. 11—(AP)—The Navy reports that a man questioned in the rape slaying of pretty Ruth Farnsworth on Guam admitted seeing "two companions hitting and carrying off" the San Francisco woman.

Miss Farnsworth, 27, a Civil Service employe, disappeared Dec. 11 from the jade shop where she worked at night part time. She was found unconscious in the jungle the next day, the victim of a brutal sex assault. She died Dec. 13.

The Navy last night released this statement by Rear Adm. Charles Powanall, governor of Guam: "All persons involved (it didn't say how many) have been identified and now are being questioned by Guam Naval government police. In order not to hinder the investigation, names of the suspects and other circumstances will not be released at this time. Further information will be released when developments warrant."

Boy's Note Crosses Sea Inside Bottle

Whitby, Yorkshire, England—(AP)—Richard Day, aged 12, tossed a bot-

tle containing a note into the sea here last October.

Now he has a note from Finn Nellson, aged 16, who found the bottle in the sea near his home at Hjorting Denmark.

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SPIRITUAL YEARNING TODAY
Centuries ago the psalmist wrote, "My soul doth wait for the Lord more than they that watch for the morning; I say, more than they that watch for the morning."
There is expressed here the unutterable longing of those who believe in spiritual realities and wish that they might appropriate them to their daily needs. Almost everyone has spiritual aspirations. With singular unanimity students of world affairs are telling us that there is a tremendous spiritual yearning in the hearts of people all over the world today. Sometimes it looks as if human society is morally plunging over a precipice. The old standards are being surrendered and new customs, largely built on the desire for indulgence, have come in to take their place; yet there are still many who have not bowed the knee to Baal.
There are many whose souls wait for the Lord "more than they that watch for the morning." And often the people who, we believe, have no interest in spiritual things have a profound interest in them. If someone really began to care for their souls, evil is unnatural, and even the worst of people understand this. Firm faith is the only sure guarantee of continued happiness. And there are unnumbered millions who have a yearning for just such faith.

PEACE AND THE PEOPLE'S MONEY
The price of peace is high in time of war when men are striving to secure it, and the price of peace likewise is high when hostilities have ceased and men are trying to preserve it.
Half of the unprecedented \$42 billion budget proposed by President Truman for the coming fiscal year is earmarked for waging the cold war against Russia, and carrying out our national and international defense programs. To finance such a program, the people of the United States will have to tighten their belts and turn over to the government in the form of taxes even more of their fast disappearing cash.
It is reasonable to expect Congress to trim the budget at many points, but it is also reasonable to expect the Democratic Congress to heed President Truman's plea for higher taxes.

If the higher taxes are called for through legislation, the people will dig into their pay envelopes and shell out the necessary cash, but in return, the people of the nation are entitled to expect better planning and wiser distribution of the funds poured into Europe and Asia in an effort to stem the ever expanding Red tide.
Likewise they are entitled to expect the government to absolutely cut out unnecessary spending which has soared to almost unimaginable heights through duplication and overlapping of federal agencies.
If during the next four years the federal government fails to economize and prevent all but the vitally necessary spending, the people of the United States will be the victims of the greatest squandering of public funds the world has ever known.



Around Capitol Square

By LYNN NISBET

COMMITTEES—As usual there was disappointment on part of some individual members at failure to land highly prized chairmanships, but committee assignments announced Monday night for the 1946 general assembly occasioned no surprise among those who had attempted analysis of potentials. Upon the whole selections of Lieutenant Governor Pat Taylor and Speaker Kerr Craig Ramsey have been commended as good. It is rather generally conceded that fitness for the duties involved, rather than considerations of personal politics or geography, determined the choice by presiding officers.

IMPORTANT—All committees are important. Even those which meet rarely have vital part in the legislative machinery. By common consent over a period of years the money committees are regarded as most significant, but temporary conditions sometimes focus more attention on others. This year, because of Governor Scott's widely publicized positions, committees on agriculture, public utilities and roads assume more than usual importance; and for several sessions past education has ranked near the top. Positive statement cannot be made on the point, but it is commonly talked that liquor referendum bills will go first to committees on propositions and grievances, even if they later must be re-referred to finance.

RATING—So at risk of being charged with assuaging, but based on conversation with several experienced members, your reporter rates the top seven committees of the 1946 general assembly in this order: Appropriations, finance, roads, public utilities, agriculture, education, propositions and grievances. There have been many times in the past when able members of committees took management away from the chairmen; and there has not been a session which majority opinion on the committee failed to write the report. At the same time, the chairman is the key man. Since discussion of every member is impossible within time and space limits, here goes for some data on the chairman of these seven committees.

APPROPRIATIONS—Edwin Pate of Scotland county heads the senate committee on appropriations and

Frank Taylor of Wayne is chairman of the House group. Both are regarded as conservative, but not reactionary. Both come from sections of the state considered agrarian rather than industrial. Both have had extensive legislative experience. Sen. Pate is a wealthy business man, with interests ramifying into the fields of agriculture, banking, manufacturing and merchandising. Representative Taylor is a prosperous large farming interest. Both attract attention to civil justice. Public records of both justify belief they recognize absolute necessity for the State of North Carolina to go its full limit in providing service to all its citizens, without respect to social or financial standing, race or creed.

FINANCE—Grady Rankin of Gaston heads the senate finance committee and Larry Moore of Wilson has the companion post on the house side. Both have had wide experience in the general assembly and in other public service. Rankin hails from the heart of the industrialized Piedmont, Moore from near the center of the agrarian east. Rankin is a textile and power company executive, Moore a lawyer with large general practice and considerable farming interest. That maintains balance and assures fairness in imposition of the tax load, at least to the extent that committee chairman can control it.

ROADS—D. L. (Libby) Ward of Craven is chairman of the senate public roads committee and William T. Hatch of Wake heads the house group. Here, too, is long legislative experience and diversity of interest. These assignments probably occasioned as much surprise as any announced. Both are lawyers of general practice with perhaps major attention to civil matters. Ward lives in New Bern; Hatch lives a few miles outside of Raleigh on US1. Both have concern for overall road development, neither is vitally interested in purely county roads, major item in the Scott program. Both hail from the geographic eastern third of the state, although major problems in expanding road mileage apparently have developed in the piedmont and west.

PUBLIC UTILITIES—Senator Luther Barnhardt of Cabarrus and Representative Winfield Blackwell of Forsyth head the committees on public utilities. Barnhardt is a third term, Blackwell a second. Both hail from highly industrialized counties with good agricultural background, and both are directly or indirectly connected with large corporations by family relationship and

legal practice. Bills affecting reorganization of the utilities commission and extension of rural power and telephone facilities—major planks in the Scott platform—will go first to these committees, if they later must be considered by finance and appropriations groups.

AGRICULTURE—O. B. Moss of Nash in the senate and Fred S. Ryster of Vance in the house of representatives head the agriculture committees. Both come from the flue cured bright-leaf tobacco area of the state, although long legislative and agricultural experience have given them knowledge of other phases of farm operations. Moss is a lawyer, Ryster a tobacco warehouseman. Both have farms of their own and most of their business and professional relations are with farmers. Any sectional or class predilections of the chairmen will be offset by membership of their respective committees, representing all phases and all areas of state agriculture.

EDUCATION—The committee on education are headed by Senator J. C. Pittman of Lee and Representative Almonzo C. Edwards of Greene. Pittman is a lawyer and business man; Edwards a master farmer. Without disparagement of the ability or genuine interest of Senator Pittman, opinion is that Representative Edwards will steer proceedings in joint sessions of these groups and have large influence upon public school legislation, by reason of the state board of education for the past four years—except for time out to serve in the 1947 legislature. Matters involving teachers' salaries, school administration, curricula, pupil loads and all such go to this committee. Sometimes they must also go to the money groups for final handling before coming to the floor of the legislature adoption.

P & G—Propositions and grievances committees are headed by Senator Henry Vann of Sampson and Representative Cavens of Guilford. Importance of these committees depends upon discretion of the presiding officers in referring bills. Analysis of them will be made later.

Boyle's Column

Some notes on the writing trade: The late Arthur Brisbane was fond of saying that if you put three chimpanzees to work on typewriters they would in time write all the books in the British Museum. This is probably true. But they would be more likely to turn out a Brisbane editorial first than, say a book like Tolstoy's "War and Peace."
Unfortunately, there is no way to test this theory. No reward has yet been found that would induce an ape to spend that much time at a typewriter.
It isn't that apes are too self-conscious to put down their thoughts. They just believe more in direct action. They can better express their view of life by spitting through the bars at bystanders than by cramping themselves before a typewriter.
All children are natural writers because they are natural talkers. Words are wonderful and new to them. They let the words collide and strange and splendid images are born. All children do this, even the dullest.
Writers sometimes complain that Chaucer and Shakespeare had an advantage because they wrote at a

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- Fast professional
- Kind of fruit
- Small candle
- Wrath
- Greek letter
- Night before an event
- Stuttered
- Danger
- Any monkey
- Commerce
- Opening out
- As far as
- Arrangement
- Greek island
- Title of Mohammed
- Planet
- Likely
- Knight's title; abbr.
- Existed
- Incubate
- Wild animals
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- Kind of thread
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- City in Florida
- Ornamental noble
- By
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- Stuff with a soft substance
- Part of malleable artificial language
- Musical instrument
- Sweetheart
- Secured
- Table utensil
- Part of a curve
- Gaelic sea god
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Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

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time when the English language was fresh. They say a writer has it tougher now because he has to labor to avoid literary cliches.
This is sour grapes—to use a bro-mide as old as Aesop. A writer has trouble getting away from worn-out phrases because he has spent too much of his life studying what other people wrote and said and his mind is cloyed with the commonplace remarks he hears all around him every day.
But no child ever talks in hackneyed terms. Not until he has been through the wringer of education. To him the English language is as fresh and powerful as it was to Chaucer and Shakespeare, and he uses it as boldly. This spreading immortal language of ours, the greatest tongue the world has known—it will always be fresh and new to the writer who dares to bend it to his needs with a child's freedom.
Let me give a borrowed example of the child's matchless gift of imagery. Columnist Frank Ferrell published it recently in the New York World-Telegram.
A radio producer's small daughter spent the afternoon at the American Museum of Natural History, a storehouse of stuffed animals and bony extinct monsters.
When the mother asked where she had been, the small girl replied: "To a dead zoo."
Ever since reading that anecdote I have been in a mood of genteel despair. A trained writer could work a month and never achieve the capsule perfection of this child's offhand description of a museum.
Perhaps every writer should hire out as a part-time baby sitter and eavesdrop on some childish prattle. It might loosen him up when he went back to his typewriter.
On the other hand he might come back and start writing something like this:
"Da, da, da, da, da! Glub, glub!"
Maybe that is what happened to Gertrude Stein, who wrote "A Rose Is A Rose Is A Rose Is A—"
You can't depend on a child with a single track mind.
One of the best-selling authors in

Soviet Russia is Jos Stalin, the old, watchdog of the Kremlin.
It is too early to tell how he will ultimately rank in the world of letters. But at least one of his observations is profound enough to ring through the ages.
Stalin, it was, who once wrote: "Paper will put up with anything that is written on it."
Yes, even this!

WASHINGTON LETTER

Washington — Many gains have been made by American families under full employment. Surveys made by the U. S. Bureau of the Census and other fact-finding agencies of the government reveal for instance—
That the average family income in 1946 was more than twice that of 1939. . . . That, even taking account of the rise in prices, the average family still has 40 percent more income than in 1939. . . . (The average was down in 1939 because of large unemployment; many families had virtually no income at all.) That during the period following 1940 more married women had jobs outside home than single women. . . . That average married couples in their late 20s or early 30s today are high school graduates.
Dr. Paul C. Glick of the Census Bureau, who presented these facts in a published report, points out that their brothers and sisters 10 years older had gone only through the second year of high school and that their father and mother, about 55 years or older now, have barely passed the eighth grade.
Dr. Glick believes that one of the most noteworthy changes affecting the welfare of family life is the phenomenal increase in the number and proportion of wives working outside the home.
"In 1947, for the first time on record, married women with jobs outside the home outnumbered single women with such jobs." Half of these women have either no de-

pendent children in the home, he says, or children who are of school age only.
He believes that even more married women with children of school age would be working and "thus raising their families' standard of living if more part-time employment were available. "For example," he says, "a working day from 10 o'clock in the morning until 3 o'clock in the afternoon would permit mothers to be with their children until they left for school and when they returned from school. These hours usually coincide with rush hours in retail stores. They are also feasible for other types of employment such as selling insurance."
In three-fifths of the households, however, the husband is still the sole provider, and an additional one-fifth a grown child or other relative than the wife is also in the labor force. In discussing the increase in family cash income, Dr. Glick points out that in 1939 the median civilian wage and salary income of non-farm families was about \$1,400. In 1944 it was \$2,700. Two years later, in the first full postwar year, it was \$3,000.
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This 30th day of December, 1945, MARY COOLEY, Administratrix of Estate of Jim Jackson, Deceased.
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Pursuant to section 1321 of the rules and regulations of the Federal Communications Commission, notice is hereby given to all interested parties of the intentions of the Carolina Broadcasting System, Inc., a corporation of the city of Greenville, N. C., to purchase from Mr. J. J. White, trading as the Greenville Broadcasting Company, radio station WGTG for the sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) cash subject to the rules of the F. C. C. Notice is hereby given to any and all interested persons that they hereby have the right to equal said bid and file an application with the Federal Communications Commission for an assignment of control within sixty (60) days from date, this being the 6th day of January, 1946.
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Maximum Rent Levels No Mystery Asserts Official

Area Rent Representative John P. Proctor said there should be no deep, dark mystery about the maximum rent on any controlled dwelling.

Inquiries received in the Greenville, N.C. area rent office indicate that many people, landlords and tenants alike, do not understand the most basic facts affecting the rental of living accommodations, he said. The majority of questions received at the local office deal with maximum rents and possible overcharges.

The tenant can check the maximum rent he should pay with any

legal rent is.

Mr. Proctor advised both landlords and tenants who are in doubt as to the present maximum rent to check with the area rent office. This action will help to clear up any unnecessary misunderstanding between landlord and tenant over the maximum rent, particularly when a rent increase has been granted for financial hardship or other reasons.

Another benefit is to assure against any possible violation of the maximum rent.

First Act Likely To Be Pay Hike

Washington, Jan. 10—(AP)—A hike in the income of President Truman and Vice-President Barkley appeared today to be likely to be the first major legislative act of the 81st Congress.

Republicans and Democratic leaders alike predicted that legislation to effect the increase will be passed and sent to the President's desk before his inauguration on January 20. It isn't passed by then, any raise voted will not affect the President and Vice-President inaugurated that day.

While there has been no final decision on the form of the pay raise, the general sentiment is for a hike in both the taxable pay of the two top executives and an increase in their non-taxable expense allowances.

Currently under consideration is a plan to raise the President's annual pay from \$75,000 to \$100,000, subject to taxes, and his annual tax free expense allowance from \$40,000 to \$50,000.

Barkley's pay would be boosted from \$30,000 to \$30,000 and in addition he would receive a tax-free \$10,000 expense account. There is no expense allowance for the Vice-President.

Jack Hogarth, Boy Scout Field Executive reported progress in the organizing of new troops at Falkland Meadowbrook, Hollywood, and the First Presbyterian Church. The Field Executive also announced there would be special radio broadcasts during Scout week.

Scout Executive Cites Progress

By WYATT BROWN

The District Committee and the Scout Masters and assistants of Pitt County of the East Carolina Council of the Boy Scouts of America met last night at the Presbyterian Church. Following a brief joint meeting Scoutmasters held their monthly round table led by David Whichard, III. The roundtable works on problems of Boy leadership under the Scouting program. Last night there were several college students attending for the purpose of getting training for volunteer work later on in the communities to which they may move.

Members of the District Committee discussed plans for observing Boy Scout Week February 7 through 12. Sherman Parks, chairman of camping and activities is heading the committee on arrangements in the absence of W. F. Young, Commissioner.

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Malaya On Way To Having Navy

Singapore—(P)—Malaya is on the way to having its own navy.

A bill to provide for its establishment will be put before the Singapore Legislative Council soon.

Enlistment in the force will be open to British subjects of the Federation of Malaya. Size of the force will be determined by the Governor of Singapore. Singapore will provide funds for the navy.

School Bus And Truck In Collision

Burgaw, Jan. 11—(AP)—Forty children escaped serious injury in a collision of their school bus and a milk delivery truck near here yesterday.

Nine were treated by a local physician but were not hospitalized. The State Highway Patrol reported the school bus had stopped to let out some of its young passengers. The driver of the truck tried to halt his vehicle when he saw the bus stop. But the truck went across the road, struck the front of the bus and turned over.

In the United States there is an average of one theater seat for every 113 persons.

The need for a waterproof material around bathroom showers, which first became popular in the United States after World War I, greatly spurred clay tile production and sales.

Negro Home Demonstration News

Shiloh Home Demonstration Club Eighteen members of the Shiloh Home Demonstration Club met on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 5, at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Alice Chapman. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. E. Gardner, by singing "Onward Christian Soldiers," followed by the Club Collect. Reading of the minutes and roll call was in order. Plans were made to attend the council meeting in Greenville, Jan. 8. Report on accomplishments were given by club members. Officers elected to serve for 1949 are:

President, Mrs. Annie Cox; vice-president, Mrs. Emma Gardner; secretary, Mrs. Irene Cox; assistant secretary, Mrs. Malissa Mitchell; treasurer, Mrs. Nancy Chapman; song leader, Mrs. Esther M. Tucker.

Mrs. Amelia S. Capehart, Home Agent, demonstrated "Know Your Organization," which we enjoyed and will give strength to us in building a stronger local club.

New members added to the roll were Mrs. Annie Bryant, a former 4-H Club girl of Northampton County, and Mrs. Irene Cox and

Mrs. Louise Cox. Games were played and the meeting adjourned until Feb. 2, 1949, to meet at the home of Mrs. Malissa James.

Pleasant Plains Home Dem. Club Pleasant Plains Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. Mary Lou Pittman January 6 at 2 p.m. The meeting was called to order by the vice-president, Mrs. Lydia Dixon.

Mrs. Lara Holton was in charge of the devotion after which the regular routine of business was in order. A hand of thanks and appreciation to the outgoing officers for the excellent service they had given. Plans were made for the following activities: membership drive, making the club stronger, reading project and attending the County Council meeting in Greenville Our lesson was "Know Your Organization," discussed by Mrs. A. S. Capehart, Negro Home Agent. We feel very grateful that our club did not lose but one member through moving and the following officers were elected to serve for 1949:

President, Mrs. Mary Williams; vice-president, Mrs. Lara Holton; secretary, Mrs. Lillie Allen; assistant secretary, Mrs. Omata Allen; treasurer, Mrs. Lucy West; song leader, Mrs. Mary Lou Pittman.

Lewis Home Demonstration Club The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Emma Williams by singing "What a Friend We Have In Jesus," followed by the Club Collect of Club Women of America. Minutes were read of the last meeting. Roll call of members was made and dues were paid. Mrs. Rona Harris joined the club for the new year. Many old members were welcomed into the club after being absent for some time.

The president asked all members to make their club the best in the county by attending meetings and carrying on a good program. Mrs. Capehart discussed with us "Know Your Organization." Members regretted to learn that Mrs. Polly Joyner is on the sick list again. The hostess, Mrs. Emma Williams, served a dessert course and the meeting closed by repeating the Club Prayer. Mrs. Emma Williams, president Mrs. Addie Underhill, secretary

Home Demonstration Council Thirty-seven of the County Council members of Home Demonstration Clubs held their first meeting of the year in the Agricultural Building in Greenville Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Maggie Strong. The club song, "Brighten the Corner Where You Are," was sung, followed by the Club Collect and prayer by Mrs. Lucy Chapman. Mrs. J. M. Reaves read the minutes of the last meeting, due to the fact the secretary was out for the first part of the meeting. They were approved. Roll call of clubs was in

order. The regular routine of business followed with discussion: The program of work for 1949 by Mrs. Capehart State Council Meeting—Raleigh, March 31 District Federation Strengthening Home Demonstration work in Pitt County by more members taking active parts in club work and increasing membership in local clubs Contests—gardening, home beautification, clean-up campaign, window treatment National Home Demonstration Week and Farmers and Homemakers Conference

The members were inspired to continue their part in putting over a good program in 1949. Mrs. Maggie Strong, president Mrs. M. T. Burney, secretary

NOTICE In The Superior Court of North Carolina Pitt County Mary Bell Sumrell Vs. John Henry Sumrell The defendant, John Henry Sumrell, will take notice that an action as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, to obtain a divorce

from the defendant on the grounds of two years separation; and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County in the courthouse in Greenville, North Carolina, within twenty days after the 7th day of February, 1949, to answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint. This the 10th day of January, 1949. D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk Superior Court Wm. J. Bundy, Atty. Dec. 11-11w-4wks.

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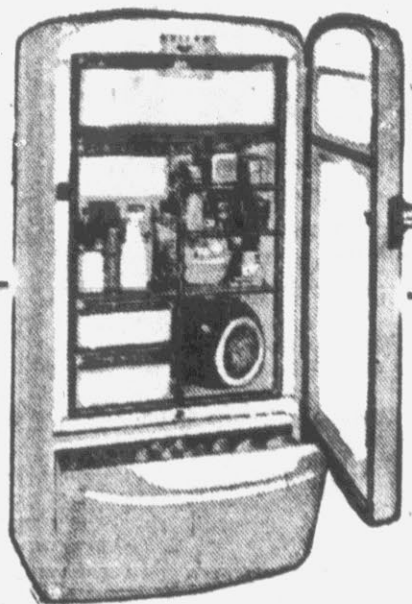
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State Wolfpack Back In Conference Play Tonight

By the Associated Press
North Carolina State's "Hoosier Hoops" return to the basketball arena in the Southern Conference tonight.

The Wolfpack, smarting from five losses in its last six games, will battle Davidson's Wildcats at Charlotte, in one of three league contests on tonight's program.

In the other tilt, Duke's Blue Devils, who today were resting in undisputed possession of second place in the loop standings, journey to Virginia Tech and The Citadel to invade South Carolina.

Non-conference clashes will find William and Mary's Indians ending Baltimore University at Williamsburg, Va.; Clemson's Tigers at Wofford, and Virginia Military Institute's Keydets playing hosts to Virginia's Cavaliers at Lexington, Va.

Until last night, North Carolina's White Phantoms shared second place with Duke. But George Washington's up-and-down Colonels trampled the Phantoms at Chapel Hill, N.C., 64-41. A victory last night would have given the Phantoms a tie with William and Mary for the league leadership.

The triumph was the Colonial's fourth in circuit play against three losses. The big point-collector was Bill Cantwell, a forward, who dropped in 21 points. For Carolina, Coy Carson and Dan Nymick tied with 20 each.

Wake Forest's Deacons won their third conference game, beating the University of Richmond Spiders, 63-51. The Deacons' high scorer was Willard Kaylor, who got 14 points, but had to yield point-making honors to Richmond's Jimmy Suttner, who fired in 15.

Washington and Lee's Generals pulled a surprise when they upset the University of Virginia, 75-66. Freshman Jay Handian, a forward, paced the General victory with 25 markers.

Maryland's unlucky Terps bowed to Georgetown's Hoyas in the last two seconds, 63-61. Georgetown Captain Ray Corley sank the winning goal from 25 feet away.

Feud Flares As Result Of Hard Basketball Game

Olivet, Mich., Jan. 11 (AP)—Olivet College and Assumption of Windsor, Ont., were on the outs today as the result of a rough and tough basketball game.

Athletic relations have been severed, according to Olivet Coach Frank Ham.

Ham made the announcement after Olivet was declared a 2 to 0 winner by forfeit in last night's game with the Canadian tilt.

Regulation play, marked by player fights and the ouster of two men from each team, ended in a 57-57 tie. Assumption refused to play overtime and the game was declared forfeited to Olivet.

A return game at Windsor in March has been cancelled, Coach Ham said.

Billboard Firms Receive Setback

Raleigh, Jan. 10 (AP)—Advertising firms lost a round today in their fight to keep the State Highway Commission from forcing them to move their signs back from the highways.

Superior Court Judge Henry L. Stevens dissolved a temporary order which had prevented the Highway Commission from enforcing an ordinance requiring the advertisers to move their signs back a distance of 50 feet from the center line of all state highways.

Sport Slants by Pap

Both the Greenville Phantoms and Kinston's Red Devils will be shooting for their second win in the Northeastern conference when the two teams meet here tonight on the local high school hardwood floor.

The local and Granger Jayvees open the doubleheader at 6:30, with their "elder brothers" scheduled to immediately follow with the night's main attraction.

Kinston took conference honors last year and is rated as a powerful contender during the current season. Coach Farley's varsity, while losing to powerful class AA teams earlier in the season, looked strong in defeating their first conference foe on Friday night against Edenonton.

Asserts Stadium Goal To Be Met

Ed E. Rawl, vice-president of the Carolina Sales Corporation and chairman of the East Carolina Teachers' College Football Stadium Committee, said yesterday that his committee will succeed in raising the \$25,000 needed to start work on a football stadium at ECTC.

Over \$13,000 has been received, and the canvassers can go out and obtain the sum necessary to get the stadium under way, he said.

Louis Stuart Ficklen, secretary-treasurer of the E. B. Ficklen Tobacco Company, co-chairman, agreed with Rawl, and they both urged the committeemen to get busy and turn in their reports.

More than half a hundred representative business and professional men of Greenville met at the college some weeks ago, and they pledged Dr. John D. Messick, ECTC president, that they would raise the money to encourage a more extensive athletic program at the college and to inaugurate a movement to provide a scholarship fund for promising young athletes.

The ECTC Football Stadium Committee will meet at the Guaranty Bank and Trust Company Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

8:15—Piano Melodies
8:30—High School Half Hour
8:55—Poetic Reveries
9:00—News
9:15—Dance Tones
9:30—Music for Tuesday
10:00—News
10:05—Platter Party
11:00—News
11:15—Platter Party
11:55—News
12:00—Sign Off.

WEDNESDAY
6:58—Sign Off
7:00—News
7:05—The Toc Time
7:45—News
8:00—Fairy Tales, TN
8:10—Jam for Breakfast
8:30—Morning Meditations
8:45—Easy Listening
9:00—News
9:05—Block Party
9:55—Lost and Found
10:00—Obituary Column
10:05—Regional News
10:15—Waltz Time
10:30—Mid-Morning Melodies
11:00—News
11:05—Variety Show
11:55—City Dog Pound
12:00—News, TN
12:15—Trading Post
12:30—Taft Furniture Co. Show
12:45—Frank Froeba
1:00—News
1:15—Bing, Frank, and Dinah
1:30—Carolina Farm Features
1:45—All Trace
2:00—News
2:05—Interlude
2:15—Milt Herth Trio
2:30—Claudia
2:45—Musical Siesta
3:00—News
3:05—Dress Parade
3:15—U. S. Army Rec.
3:30—Front Page Drama
3:45—Organ Moods
4:00—Melodies for Today
4:30—Lone Ranger, TN
5:00—David Rose Orch.
5:30—Once Upon a Time
5:45—Songs of Our Times
6:00—News
6:05—Dinner Date
6:30—Sportscast
6:45—Hawaiian Melodies
7:00—Between the Lines
7:15—News from the Legislature
7:30—Veterans News
7:45—Guy Lombardo's Orch.
8:00—Dance Tones
8:15—Piano Melodies
8:30—Symphonic Swing
8:55—Poetic Reveries
9:00—End of Day
9:30—Music for Wednesday
10:00—News
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Report Topping Ready Quit AAC

New York, Jan. 11 (AP)—A new peace offensive was reported under way in professional football today amid talk that Dan Toppling is ready to pull his New York Yankees out of the All-America conference.

The New York Herald Tribune quoting an "authoritative source," said it had learned Toppling planned to dissolve his football interests and rent the vast Yankee Stadium to the Boston entry of the rival National Football League.

Ted Collins' Boston Yanks, after a series of financial reverses, obtained permission last month to move their NFL franchise to New York.

Yankee officials refused to confirm or deny the newspaper report. Red Patterson, the club's publicity chief, gave out a statement asserting:

"We have repeatedly stated that we are willing to do anything to bring about peace in pro football. This would even include becoming a landlord at Yankee Stadium."

He added, however, that such a move would be made only with the blessings of the other members of the AAC.

"We do not intend to withdraw from the All-America Conference if we leave a lot of other clubs holding the bag," he said.

Carolina League Hunting Prexy

Burlington, N.C., Jan. 11 (AP)—The Carolina Baseball League was looking for a new president today.

Carroll Brown of Martinsville, Va., resigned at a special meeting of league directors here last night. He said he would devote his time to private business.

Vice President Herb Brett of Danville, Va., took over until a committee recommends a new president and he is approved.

10:00—American Forum of the Air, MBS
10:30—Dance Orch. (MBS)
11:00—All the News (MBS)
11:15—Dance Orch., MBS
11:55—World News
12:00—Carolina Moonlight
2:00—Sign Off

WEDNESDAY
6:00—Ole' Shepherd's Hour.
7:00—U. P. News
7:05—The Bill Jackson Show
8:00—U. P. News
8:05—The Bill Jackson Show
8:55—U. P. News
9:00—Morning Devotional Period
9:15—Tell Your Neighbor, MBS
9:30—Poole's Paradise, MBS
10:00—Sammy Kaye Serenade
10:15—Piano Musings.
10:20—Spellbound
10:30—The Bright Spot Hour
11:00—Coastal Plain Reporters
11:15—Coming Attractions
11:30—Neighborhood Movie Round-up.
11:45—The Lanny Ross Show, MBS
12:00—Time to Classify
12:05—Stock Market Report
12:10—Lost and Found
12:15—Checkerboard Jamboree, MBS
12:30—Quinn News Reporter
12:35—WGTM Farm & Home Hour
1:15—The Happy Gang, MBS
1:45—Southern Round-up
2:00—Queen for a Day, MBS
2:30—What's on Your Mind?
2:45—Russ Morgan's Orch.
3:00—Red Benson's Movie Show, MBS
3:30—Talent Contest
3:45—Carolina Calling
4:30—Voice of the Army
4:45—Two Ton Baker, MBS
5:00—Adventure Parade, MBS
5:15—Superman, MBS
5:30—Guy Lombardo's Orch.
5:45—Tom Mix, MBS

High Point Sets Conference Pace

By the Associated Press
The North State Conference has just started its annual basketball free-for-all, but one fact was evident today: The team that takes the championship will have to take High Point.

The Methodist Panthers are setting the pace in league play. Undeclared in the circuit, they jumped to an exciting 56-55 win over Guilford's Quakers at Guilford last night. It was High Point's third triumph.

Ted Moran showed his mates the way last night's win. Unperturbed by a 32-29 Guilford halftime advantage, the towering High Point center cut loose with a scoring spurge that gave him the night's individual honors with 17 points.

Winston Salem Boxers Meet Locals Saturday

Donald Denney, who as a Burlington, N.C., high school boy fought his way to the State Golden Gloves championship, will make his first ring appearance of the season for the East Carolina Teachers College team when the locals play host to the Winston-Salem YMCA fistic team here next Saturday night.

At least seven and possibly nine other ECTC fighters will be featured in the match, Coach Jim Johnson announced last night.

Denney, a 135 pounder, will put on the gloves with Wade Keaton, according to a tentative program drawn up yesterday.

Redwan David, the boy who scored a second round KO over Duke Cockrell last Saturday, will be matched with Bob Wilkes of the Winston-Salem team.

In the heavyweight bout Duke Cockrell will tangle with 210-pound Joe Maston. Ken Stargardt, who has won both his fights this year, will fight Snookie Collins in the middleweight class. Bill Torran, who won by decision over Charlie Edwards here last Saturday, will be featured against Wilburn Wooden.

Thomas Daniels and Gray Jackson will battle it out in the 155 pound class. Paul Hansell, who came up from a first round knockdown to outpoint Jack Amyett last Saturday, will fight Eddie Malcolm in a welterweight class.

Cleon Smith, a dynamic 130 pounder, will fight Henry Connolly and Harvey Stull will probably be matched with Taylor Ingram.

Ezzard Charles In Philadelphia

Philadelphia, Jan. 11 (AP)—Ezzard Charles, contender for Joe Louis' heavyweight boxing title, will make his first appearance in Philadelphia Feb. 7.

Johnny Attell, matchmaker for the Arena, announced yesterday he had matched Charles and California's Johnny Haynes for a ten-round bout.

That's just what he did—except for a birdie two on the short 16th Mangrum finished three strokes ahead of E. J. (Dutch) Harrison of Little Rock, Ark. Mangrum's 72-hole total of 284—scored under adverse weather conditions—just equaled par.

Eight strokes back was the defending and National Open champion, Ben Hogan of Port Worth.

Mangrum outstayed three opponents who started even with him yesterday, and breezed in with a one-under-par 70 just before flakes of snow started to blow across Riviera's treacherous fairways to take the \$2,600 first prize. His earnings last year were \$45,000 plus, topping Hogan—who quit the tournament trail late in the season, by some \$11,000.

Lou Brissie And Valo At School

Philadelphia, Jan. 11 (AP)—Lou Brissie, star rookie left-handed pitcher, and Elmer Valo, hard-hitting right fielder, have been added to the faculty of Connie Mack's baseball school and tryout camp.

The school will start Feb. 7 at West Palm Beach, Fla.



Clarence Picou, the 17-year-old apprentice rider who grabbed the late-season spotlight at Northern tracks with his sensational winning spree, learned to ride in the quarter-horse races, so popular throughout the west and southwest. It was at Beaumont, Tex., that Felix DeMary, a cattleman, placed Picou under a contract. Today, Picou is a contract rider for Mrs. Isabel Dodge Sloan's famous Brookmeade Farm. Chances are that the name Picou will join other famous brood-act's of race-riders like the Garners, Parkes and Zefels, for two of Clarence's nine brothers are currently riding quarter-horses at home.

Clarence Picou rode his first race on a recognized track at the Fair Grounds in New Orleans last January 13th, scored his first victory on a horse named Border Sis and had five winners to his credit when the meeting ended. He really rode into the headlines on the New England circuit this season. There he attracted attention seldom accorded an apprentice. Tom Sheehan New England turf official commented that "seldom has a rider captivated the imagination of public and horsemen as did Picou."

Picou weighs 106 pounds and has no worries about getting heavy. The only big things about him are his hands and feet, and fat won't bother him there.

Billikens Meet LIU At Garden

New York, Jan. 11 (AP)—The St. Louis Billikens, rated college basketball's best after their Sugar Bowl victory over Kentucky, move into Madison Square Garden tonight to risk their unspatched record against Long Island University.

With easy Ed Macauley, the beanpole All-American playmaker, in good health, the Billikens are strong favorites to rack up No. 10 in a row.

Basketball Scores

Rhode Island State 75 Rutgers 57
Atlantic Christian 43 Elon 41
Georgetown 63 Maryland 51
Washington and Lee 75 Virginia 66
Wake Forest 63 Richmond 51
George Washington 64 North Carolina 41
Spartanburg JC 56 Brevard 56
Tennessee 53 Vanderbilt 51
Louisiana Stat 64 Mississippi State Coll 40
High Point 58 Guilford 55
Illinois 64 Ohio State 63
Purdue 45 Michigan 36
Indiana 50 Iowa 39
Minnesota 47 Wisconsin 33
Phillips Oilers 74 Drury 46
Alver 2 Assumption (Windsor Otn.) 0 (forfeit, tied 57-all end of regular playing time and Assumption refused play overtime)

Mangrum Winner Of LA Tourney

Los Angeles, Jan. 11 (AP)—Lloyd Mangrum, using all the old tricks and a new one—following the opposition by radio, is off to a flying start in golf's gold rush of '49.

"I was listening to the others on the radio," said the dapper Chicagoan at the finish of the \$15,000 Los Angeles Open. "When I heard Dutch had 287, I knew I could coast in with pars."

That's just what he did—except for a birdie two on the short 16th Mangrum finished three strokes ahead of E. J. (Dutch) Harrison of Little Rock, Ark. Mangrum's 72-hole total of 284—scored under adverse weather conditions—just equaled par.

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THERE OUGHTA BE A LAW

By FAGALY and SHORTEN



HER SECRET STAR

By Bennie C. Hall

Chapter 3
They stood for a moment with their backs pressed to the station wall, bracing themselves against the wind.

"Always did like to drive in the rain. How about you, Cinderella?" "I—er—love it," she answered in a weak voice.

"Can't say you sound very enthusiastic. Think you can make it to the car?"

Without waiting for an answer he dropped the traveling bag and picked her up in his arms. An instant later he had deposited her, flushed and breathless, on the seat of the big rain-drenched car.

It was a simple, protective gesture, such as any man might have made in similar circumstances. But even as she said, "Thanks, Sir Walter Raleigh," Betty felt her face burn with embarrassment. Jack Barnes returned with the traveling bag and slid into the seat beside her.

"I might as well tell you, it won't do you any good to be seen in the company of the local bad-boy you might as well know they don't like me—and I don't give a hoot," he added with that seemed like unnecessary vehemence.

Betty's expression did not change. Oh, he wasn't fooling her. She had seen his left eyebrow shoot up in that odd little quirk, and was convinced he was joking.

"What are you trying to do—get rid of me?" she asked. "Don't tell me you've been out robbing banks and things? Now I know you're joking."

He did not answer immediately. He sat with his hand on the ignition key, staring down at it, but he still did not start the car. At last he turned and his eyes met hers steadily.

"We might as well get this straight here and now," he said. "They don't like me. Period. And I'm not joking. I never was more serious in my life."

She could not help feeling a little sorry for him. His protestation that he didn't care a hoot had not deceived her. He did care too. He cared just as terribly as she did. Perhaps that was why he had told her and why his attitude toward her had changed so suddenly.

Without another word, he turned the ignition key. A moment later they were out on the open highway, riding the hurricane.

Gertrude Warren stood in front of a panel mirror in her bedroom, applying makeup with a grimly determined hand. It had been drizzling all day, and now that it was nearly time to go to the railroad station the rain and the wind had gone utterly mad.

This storm annoyed her for a number of reasons. She would not be able to wear the new dress and hat which she'd selected for this momentous occasion. They were perfect too; made her look for all the world like a movie star.

Her makeup would run and her hair would be a complete mess. She'd be lucky, in fact, if Mother showed her to take the new car out in this weather—even though it was her own car, a gift from her parents on her sixteenth birthday only a few weeks ago.

Chances were she would have to go to the station in the rickety old jalopy, with Father at the wheel. He might even forget to come by for her.

She resumed her stance in front of the mirror, and began to take up where she had left off. Today, she resolved she would go as far as she liked with lipstick, mascara and rouge—never mind what Mother said. Mother, like Father, had a lot to learn. Times had changed. Mother must be made to realize that the arrival of a new girl—especially a New York girl—in a town of Carrolton's size was not to be taken lightly. It meant real competition. It was a challenge no girl in her right mind would ignore.

Even if the newcomer was a relative, as Betty Matthews was, she could do a lot of damage in a place where there were so few really eligible young men. Gertrude hoped devoutly that Betty was the studious type, wore glasses and was a little odd in the homey side.

During the past ten days, since she had known Betty was coming, Gertrude had tried very hard to find out from her father just what her cousin was like. But David Warren, engrossed in his own problems as Carrolton's postmaster and never an observant man, could tell her little.

He had, however, volunteered one bit of information that disturbed Gertrude. Betty Matthews, it seemed, was interested in nursing as a career. She had, in fact, been in training for a while before her mother's death. Chances were she would want to take it up again, once she got over the shock of her loss. In that case, Carrolton Hospital would be just the place for her and he, David Warren, would see that she got in.

All of which would have been highly satisfactory to Gertrude, were it not for the fact that a new doctor had arrived in town. He was young, single and, in Gertrude's opinion, almost unbearably attractive in a homely, wistful sort of way. As yet, he had not been accepted by the older, more conservative residents. But quite a few of the local girls had contrived minor ailments as an excuse to go to work on him.

Now, as she stood adding the finishing touches to her toilette and looking much older than her sixteen years, the point was more in evidence than usual.

She then smiled at her reflection in the mirror, lifted a coral-tipped hand to her blonde hair in what she considered a properly dramatic gesture. She was glad she'd decided on this sophisticated upswep hairdo.

"It's ever so becoming, and it makes me look every day of twenty," she told herself happily. "If Betty

Matthews gets ahead of me, she'll have to be good—damn good!" (To be continued)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

North Carolina, Pitt County.
The undersigned, having qualified as executor of the estate of Annie M. Person, deceased, late of Pitt County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to his attorney, Sam B. Underwood, Jr., at his law office in the City of Greenville, N. C., on or before the 18th day of December, 1949, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned, at the office of his attorney as aforesaid. This the 18th day of December, 1948.
L. C. LARKIN, Executor of the Estate of Annie M. Person.
Dec. 20-11w-6wks.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of W. H. Congleton, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 16th day of December, 1949, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 16th day of December, 1948.
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J. E. James, Attorney.
Dec. 20-11w-6wks.

NOTICE OF RE-SALE OF REAL PROPERTY BY TRUSTEE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by Joseph Daniel and wife, Louisa Daniel, to John Mitchell, Trustee, on the 2nd day of January, 1948, recorded in Book D-25 at page 38 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness therein secured and the owner of the note therein having called upon said Trustee to foreclose said deed of trust, and same, after due advertisement, having been sold on December 20, 1948, and the bid at said sale having been raised within the time prescribed by law for raising bids on real property sold by Trustees, and the undersigned Trustee having been ordered to re-advertise and re-sell said property, the undersigned Trustee will on Wednesday, January 19, 1949, at 12:00 Noon, at the courthouse door, in the City of Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, offer for sale, and sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real property in Paeonian Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, to-wit: Bounded on the north by the land of Ash Tripp, on the east by the J. P. Fleming land, on the south by the Mizelle land, now owned by Joseph Daniel, and on the west by the land of J. L. Perkins, containing 65 acres more or less, and being the same tract of land upon which Joseph Daniel and wife, Louisa Daniel, now reside.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Having this day qualified as Administrator of the estate of J. W. Burney, Jr., deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at his home in Swift Creek Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, on or before December 1, 1949, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 30th day of November, 1948.
ISAAC KILPATRICK, Administrator of the estate of J. W. Burney, Jr., deceased.
J. H. Harrell, Atty.
Dec. 2-11w-6wks.

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Committee Chairmen Of General Assembly Named

Raleigh, Jan. 11—(AP)—Long legislative experience will be relied on by the four men who head the money committees of the 1949 General Assembly.

Chairman of the House Finance Committee is Rep. Larry I. Moore Jr., of Wilson, who is serving his sixth term in the lower branch. His opposite number in the Senate is Senator R. Grady Rankin of Gaston, who is in his fourth term.

Chairmanships of the appropriations committees went to Rep. W. Frank Taylor of Wayne, who is serving his sixth House term and who has served once in the Senate and Senator Edwin Pate of Scotland, who is in his second term.

Besides giving the four the top committee assignments for this legislative session, the chairmanships carry membership the next two years on the Advisory Budget Commission.

Other major chairmen in the committee lists released last night by House Speaker Kerr Craig Ramsey of Rowan and Lt. Gov. H. P. Taylor include:

In the House—William T. Hatch of Wake, roads; Arch T. Allen of Wake, judiciary No. 1; E. T. Bost Jr. of Cabarrus, judiciary No. 2; C. Edwards of Greene, education; and Fred S. Royster of Vance, agriculture.

In the Senate—D. L. Ward of Craven, roads; John C. Rodman of Beaufort, judiciary No. 1; Julian Albrook of Halifax, judiciary No. 2; J. C. Pittman of Lee, education; and O. B. Moss of Nash, agriculture.

House committee chairmen and vice chairmen from Pitt County are as follows: Courts and judicial districts—Sam O. Worthington (chairman); Drainage—Frank M. Kilpatrick (chairman); Mental institutions—F. M. Kilpatrick (vice chairman).

Senate committee chairmen include Paul E. Jones, of Pitt, on the State Commission for the Blind.

STREAMLINER DERAILED
Pine Bluffs, Wyo., Jan. 11—(AP)—The eastbound Union Pacific City of Los Angeles streamliner was derailed last night when it struck a bull-dog at this eastern Wyoming town.

Goodman Named Assistant Agent

C. J. Goodman of Williamston and Greenville was appointed assistant county agent yesterday by the Pitt County commissioners to replace W. H. Pruden who recently resigned to accept the position of county agent in Hyde County.

"Goodman's principal work in Pitt County will be with 4-H boys and girls," County Agent S. C. Winchester said today.

Goodman has a degree of entomology from North Carolina State College, and a degree in agriculture from Clemson. He taught vocational agriculture for several years, and later was assistant county agent in Caldwell and Martin Counties. For the past two years he has been manager and part owner of Colonial Frozen Foods in Williamston. Goodman is a shriner and a member of the Lions Club.

Veterans Groups Rap Reduction In New Hospitals

Washington, Jan. 11—(AP)—A proposed slash in veterans' hospital construction came under fire today from two veterans organizations.

The American legion and the veterans of Foreign wars both lashed out at President Truman's suggestion in yesterday's budget message that proposed hospital construction be cut by 16,000 beds. By dropping plans for 24 hospitals and trimming down 14 more, Mr. Truman said, the government could save \$280,000,000.

The American Legion promised a "strenuous fight" against the proposal and the VFW said the veterans administration was forced to make the economy move as "the inevitable result of a failure by VFW to eliminate administrative waste and extravagance."

Pactolus Ruritan An Active Group

By CHESTER WALSH
The Pactolus Ruritan Club, a service organization for farmers and rural businessmen, organized in 1943, with J. P. Davenport, Sr., as president, has won special recognition from Ruritan National, for its outstanding community service.

The 30 members of the Pactolus Ruritan club are representative men of the community who take a leading part in the progress and development. Officers of the club are: John H. Overton, president; George E. Cherry, vice-president; O. H. Forrester, secretary; William Little, treasurer; J. R. Chauncey, chaplain; Gus Briley, sergeant-at-arms, and Noel Lee, Jr., reporter.

The Pactolus Club's objective for the year is to organize five Ruritan clubs. The club plans to send several delegates to the Ruritan National convention at Roanoke, Va., January 13-15.

Three other Ruritan clubs were represented at last night's supper meeting. Ernest Culliver, president of the Pinetown club, and C. H. Wallace, a past president, were there. President G. C. Ellis of the Grimesland club, and R. C. Little, vice president, and B. W. Oakes and E. L. Elks attended. President S. T. Porter, H. L. Cannon, chaplain, W. W. McGowan, Jr., treasurer and J. A. Mills and W. Kay Stokes represented the new Portertown Ruritan club.

PLAN NEGOTIATION
London, Jan. 11—(AP)—Talks on Britain's 1949 tobacco purchases from the United States will begin here in late January, the board of trade said.

Challiot Palace, where the United Nations recently met, was the site on which Napoleon planned to build the greatest of palaces, but never lived to see it rise.

Israel Reported Planning New Criticism Of Britain

Lake Success, Jan. 11—(AP)—Israel was reported today to be preparing a new blast at Britain despite efforts of Washington and United Nations officials to ease the growing Palestine tension.

There still was no official word here whether or not Israel would abandon her plan to file a formal complaint in the Security Council against Britain on any of the several issues over which the two countries are arguing.

Israeli representative Aubrey S. Eban declared British troop movements in Trans-Jordan constitute a "repudiation of the Security Council's resolutions." He said Britain's action is causing "grave concern" in Israel.

Eban's statement was regarded as significant since it came after the state department and U. N. secretary-general Trygve Lie appealed to Britain and Israel to forget their differences for the moment in the interest of the forthcoming armistice talks on the island of Rhodes between Egypt and Israel.

The Israeli representative said his government attached great importance to the projected armistice negotiations but declared the talks "can only be prejudiced by provocative maneuvers such as those in which the British forces are now engaged."

British diplomatic sources in London had said earlier that Britain would not present a complaint to the Security Council charging Israel with shooting down five RAF planes near the Egyptian-Palestine border last week.

Reports from Tel Aviv said yesterday that Israel would file a counter-complaint against Britain, but the Israeli delegation said last night the question still was under consideration.

Negro Harvesting Corn Dies Heart Attack In Field
Lloyd Bryant, 55-year-old Negro tenant farmer on the Zeno G. Mills farm, near Black Jack, while harvesting corn in a field with Bryant Dixon, Negro, yesterday afternoon, was stricken with a heart attack and died before medical assistance could be procured.

Pitt County Coroner Natural H. Rouse said he died of natural causes and that there would be no inquest.

Commissioners . . .
(Continued from page one) and was instructed by the commissioners to present a petition signed by citizens of that community before action could be taken.

C. A. McLamb, filling station operator of near Winterville, appeared before the commissioners to give cause as to why his beer and wine license should not be revoked in that he recently was convicted in superior court of selling whiskey. He could not show cause, and the license was revoked.

Routine business matters were conducted in the meeting which was presided over by M. Brown Hodges, chairman of the Pitt County commissioners.

Only 34 states give women the right to serve on juries.

senators from talking as long as they are able on other business.

Chairman Taft (R-Ohio) of the Senate Republican Policy Committee said that unless some action is taken to keep Southerners from talking measures to death, "we don't see how the President can hope to enact any of his civil rights proposals."

Reveal Program . . .

(Continued from page one) about \$23,000,000. All would have 20-knot speed and other features offering some defense against submarine attack.

One 20,000-ton passenger-cargo ship, costing \$14,000,000 or more, to be operated between Gulf Coast ports and the Eastern Coast of South America. It is expected that this vessel would be the American "Queen" of the South Atlantic fleet—a 550-foot craft with luxury accommodations for at least 234 passengers.

Two cargo ships of about 10,000 tons planned for service between New Orleans and Latin America, the ships would cost about \$9,000,000.

Anglo-Israel . . .

(Continued from page one) important for these reasons:

1. It provides airfields for the protection of the Arabian oil regions.
2. It provides airfields for protection of the Suez Canal zone.
3. In event of war it would provide airfields for advance defense of allied bases along the Mediterranean for bombers.

Higher Taxes . . .

(Continued from page one) debt and to help pay off some of the present debt. But what about the Social Security and health insurance tax?

The government can't use that money for paying its expenses or paying off debt. That money goes into a trust, or set-aside, fund.

Right now employers and employees are each paying one per cent of the payroll money. One per cent by the employer on his payroll, and one per cent by the employee on his pay. Mr. Truman wants this raised to 1 1/2 per cent each.

At the same time he wants 25 million people not now covered by Social Security brought within its protection.

The one-half per cent increase on those now covered, plus the tax obtained with the new people taken into social security, would add about \$1,700,000,000 to the tax on payrolls.

As for a tax for a health insurance program, top officials say this would bring in about \$300,000,000 in new taxes the first year and would add another one-half of one per cent tax on payrolls.

This health insurance tax money like the social security tax, would go into a special fund.

No one knows whether Congress will meet any of these tax requests by the President.

Hog Market

Raleigh, Jan. 11—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog prices weaker. Tops of \$20.50 at Kinston; \$20.25 at Rocky Mount, Tarboro, Greenville, Wilson, Goldsboro, Washington.

Poultry and Eggs

Raleigh, Jan. 11—(AP)—(NCDA)—Eggs steady. A large 58; fryers and broilers steady at 30.

N.Y. Cotton

New York, Jan. 11—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 5 cents a bale lower to 5 cents higher. Noon prices were 30 to 55 cents a bale higher than the previous close. March 32.31, May 32.12 and July 31.10.

N.Y. Stock Market

New York, Jan. 11—(AP)—Gold shares enjoyed a flurry of favor in securities trading today. Interest in the golds, although only slightly more than normal, was accentuated by the sleepy behavior of the balance of the market.

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Al Chem and Dye	185
Allis Chal Mfg	28
Am Smelt and Ref	55 1/2
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Am Tob	83 1/2
Anaconda	34 1/2
A C I	45 1/2
Al Ref	38
Baldwin	12 1/2
B and O	10 1/2
Barnsdall	47 1/2
Bendix Aviat	33 1/2
Beth Stl	32 1/2
Boeing Airpl	22 1/2
Burl Mills	18 1/2
Bur Add Mach	15
Case J I	36 1/2
Caterpill Trac	55
Ches and O	33 1/2
Chrysler	56 1/2
Coca Cola	151
Coml Credit	49 1/2
Coml Solv	17 1/2
Curt Wright	8 1/2
Doug Airc	52
Dow Chem	48 1/2
Dupont	185 1/2
Eastman Kod	44 1/2
Firestone	46 1/2
Gen Mot	59 1/2
Goodrich	60 1/2

Goodyear	44
Int Harvst	27 1/2
Int Tel and Tel	39 1/2
Johns Man	87
Kennecott	15 1/2
Ligg and Myers	19 1/2
Lorillard	15 1/2
Mont Ward	15
Nash Kelv	31 1/2
Nat Biscuit	12 1/2
N Y Cent	10 1/2
No Am Aviat	23 1/2
Param Pic	17
Penn RR	9 1/2
Peppi Cola	57 1/2
Phillips Pet	28 1/2
Republic Stl	35 1/2
Reynolds B	39 1/2
Sou Ry	22 1/2
Std Oil N J	14
Stewart Warner	30
Swift	41 1/2
Union Carbide	23 1/2
United Airc	2 1/2
United Corp	45 1/2
US Rubber	71 1/2
US Smelt and Ref	10 1/2
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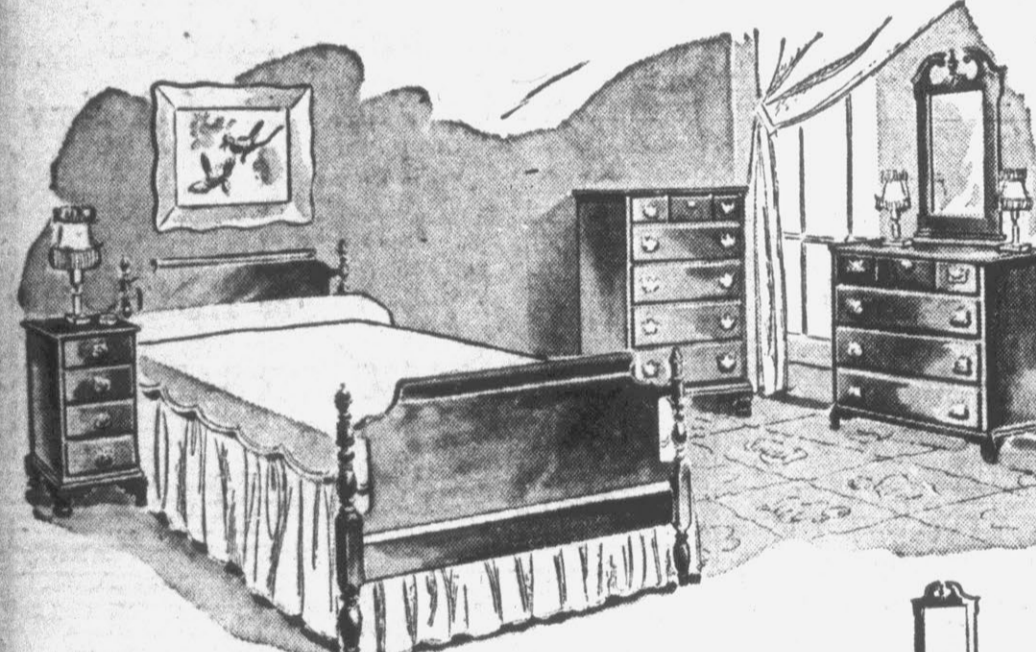


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