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First Sign Wages Hit Postwar Peak

Downward Trend May Be Starting; General Motors Workers Expect Pay Cut; One Major Union Passes Up Asking For Pay Hike

Washington, Jan. 28—(AP)—The economic winds stirred up a hint today that wages, like prices, may have reached a postwar peak. In some cases, they may have started a downward trend.

More than 300,000 auto and electrical workers of the General Motors Corp. stand to take a two or three-cent an hour pay cut on the basis of the government's declining cost-of-living index.

And officials of at least one major union, the CIO's Amalgamated clothing workers, said they have decided against a fourth round of postwar pay boosts because of slackened demand for men's apparel.

"We're practical realists, you know," one clothing union official told a reporter. "We've decided against asking for any new wage increase now, even though our members feel the pinch, too, because official right now our industry is soft."

Officials of the union, holding a powwow here, said consumers have had to pay so much for food in the past year they had little left to buy clothing but now that food and other items are coming down:

"Maybe the consumer will have more money in his pocket to buy the clothes we make."

The clothing workers are the fourth largest CIO union; only the steelworkers, auto workers and electrical workers unions are larger.

Pay cuts for the auto and electrical workers employed by General Motors appear imminent because their wages are tied by agreement to the government living cost index.

The index took its third straight monthly decline yesterday to 171.4. This covered December prices and was one half of one per cent below November and 1.8 per cent below the August-September peak.

But prices still are high—29 per cent above OPA controlled levels in 1946.

Every time the index moves 1.14 points General Motors workers lose or gain a cent in wages under their two-year contract agreement. Already they had received a three-cent increase on a rising index.

Now that the index is declining GM workers will get a two-cent hourly pay rate cut on March 1 on the basis of the present index level.

If the next monthly index is as low as 170.3, where it may go because of further food price declines and January clearance sales, GM workers will take a three-cent pay cut. Labor experts say declining prices are bound to have their effects on wage negotiations this spring. Some unions already are stressing demands for better vacation, retirement and other insurance plans rather than wages.

Air Force Backs Truman Figure For Fiscal Year

Washington, Jan. 28—(AP)—The air force today endorsed President Truman's 48-group air force plan for the next fiscal year but said the number should be boosted to 70 when the nation can afford it.

"We support your program," air force secretary W. Stuart Symington told the House Armed Services committee. He referred to the administration's budget recommendations for the year starting July 1.

But he left no doubt that the air forces would continue their fight for a 70-group force when funds can be provided.

Minimum Wage Fight

Four-Year Effort By White House To Get Minimum Wage Scale Raised; How, And Whom It Affects; Background On The Law; Is It Inflationary? Hearings

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, Jan. 28—(AP)—Once more the old battle opens up: raising the minimum wage from 40 cents to 75 cents an hour.

About \$1.37 an hour is now the average hourly wage paid in American manufacturing industries.

So the argument about raising the minimum wage may seem a little remote to people making more than 40 to 75 cents an hour.

But it still affects many people, about 1,500,000, and you'll be reading about it for some time. Here's the background on it.

In 1938 Congress passed the minimum wage law. It said people working in certain kinds of business should:

Get at least 25 cents an hour until 1939, then 30 cents an hour till 1945, and 40 cents an hour after 1945.

Since the law wasn't changed after 1938, that 40 cents an hour, reached in 1945, is still the lowest wage that can be paid people in certain kinds of businesses. What kind?

Certain firms doing business across state lines. For example: lumber, tobacco, leather, clothing, furniture, food products.

Congress was able to pass a law covering such businesses because

Regiment Rebels In Peiping Over Truce Condition

Nationalist Unit Refused To Move Into Red Territory As Directed

Peiping, Jan. 28—(AP)—A regiment of Nationalist troops revolted today when ordered into Red territory under the Peiping peace pact.

Troops loyal to National Gen. Fu Tso-yi engaged the rebelling regiment. Fu's headquarters said the revolt was suppressed.

The engagement in Peiping's southern suburb lasted several hours. Peiping residents heard mortar and machine-gun fire during the clash.

The revolting troops belonged to the 94th Army and were among units under the command of Nationalist Gen. Shih Chueh, bitter opponent of a peaceful settlement of the Peiping siege.

General Shih reportedly went south after the Jan. 22 cease fire order that resulted in handing over this ancient city to the Communists.

Other units of his command also are reported to have ignored orders from Fu's headquarters to move into Red territory as the cease fire agreement provided. They assertedly demanded that they be sent back to their South China homes.

Meanwhile circles close to Fu said that his headquarters would be dissolved on Feb. 1 and a joint committee to administer Peiping would be installed the same day.

The committee would be made up of four Communists and three Nationalists.

Peiping residents are being psychologically prepared for their new rulers who so far have remained in the background.

The Kuomintang (Government) party owned newspaper Min Pao came out today with a biographical sketch of Communist Leader Mao Tse-tung, calling him "President Mao."

Several newspapers published black market rates for U.S. dollars. They had not done this before.

Acting President Li Tsung-jen perked up peace prospects today by sending a personal plea to Red Leader Mao Tse-tung.

Caretaker for a government department, distressed by the Communists, urged Mao to name the place and Red negotiators for a peace conference.

Hunt For Victim Of Rabid Dog

New Brunswick, N. J. Jan. 28—(AP)—New Jersey State Police today sought by teletype and radio to intercept a police official on a southern motor trip and inform him that a dog which bit him was discovered to be rabid.

The alarm was for assistant police Chief Stanley Zielinski of nearby East Brunswick township.

Big Air Search Starts For Missing U. S. B-29

Wiesbaden, Germany, Jan. 28—(AP)—American Air Force and Navy planes ranged over wide areas of Europe, Africa and the Atlantic today in search of a missing B-29 Superfortress.

The plane, with 15 U.S. airmen aboard, disappeared yesterday on a flight from Dakar to its base in England.

U.S. Airforce headquarters here said two search operating headquarters had been set up—one in England and the other at Port Lyautey, in French Morocco.

British-based B-29s were ordered to search for as south as the northern coast of Spain but foggy weather restricted their activity.

Three B-17 bombers in the North African area were sent from the Air Force base at Tripoli to Port Lyautey. Six B-29s from England also arrived there and were joined by two Navy planes stationed in Morocco.

The planes searched an area bounded by Dakar on the south, northern Spain on the north and the Azores on the west.

Low ceilings and Mediterranean thunderstorms made the search difficult, however.

Airforce authorities in England said the missing plane should long since have exhausted its fuel and "definitely is down somewhere."

The staff duty officer at Third Air Division headquarters in England said the plane made its last radio contact with Airforce control at Frankfurt shortly after midnight yesterday.

He said the signal showed the plane then was near the Canary Islands.

Creech Executed In Gas Chamber As Appeal Fails

Pronounced Dead At 10:13 a.m.; Family Farewell Visits Made Yesterday

Raleigh, Jan. 28—(AP)—James R. Creech, Jr., member of a wealthy Johnston County family, was executed at Central Prison today for killing his wife.

The 37-year-old tobaccoist, who blamed drunkenness for the slaying of Mrs. Mattie Woodall Creech, entered the gas chamber at 9:59 a.m. He followed the prison chaplain William H. R. Jackson, and Father William Kuder, Catholic priest.

Prison Warden Hugh Wilson shook hands with Creech and was the last to leave the chamber. At 10:02 gray fumes of cyanide gas rose around Creech. He breathed deeply and sat almost motionless in the chair. He was pronounced dead at 10:13.

His parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Rufus Creech paid their last visit to their son yesterday afternoon.

Two brothers and an uncle came to the prison this morning for a farewell visit but were denied admission. Warden Wilson said it was too late.

A number of Johnston County residents witnessed the execution. Others were denied admission. A crowd of about 150 gathered outside the prison gates during the execution. Hundreds of other persons stopped their cars on streets near the prison.

Warden Wilson said that Creech asked that Father Kuder come to see him. Chaplain Jackson said that Creech was notified late yesterday of Governor Scott's refusal to commute the death sentence to life imprisonment.

Jackson said that Creech choked with emotion. He said, "Well, I was hoping against hope."

A Smithfield funeral director claimed the body for the family. It was the first execution of a white man in more than a year.

Eight Negro men were executed last year.

Creech was a wealthy farmer and tobaccoist. He was educated at Bingham Military School at Asheville, Fishburne Military Academy and attended the University of North Carolina three years.

According to prison records, he had an IQ of 108. Prison psychologists said this was well above average.

Asks \$75,000 In Damage Suit

Asheville, N. C., Jan. 28—(AP)—Dr. J. H. Crawford of Graham county filed suit in federal court here today for \$75,000 against the publishers of Colliers Magazine.

He charged the magazine publishers with "malicious injury to his good name" in a story in the May 15, 1948 issue entitled "he'll be coming round the mountain."

The Crowell Collier Publishing company was named defendant.

ON THE ROCKS New York, Jan. 28—(AP)—The New York Star, formerly PM, is closing shop because of financial difficulties.

Today's issue is the last.

He Came In Haste, Waits To Leave



Robert Millsap, 26, sits dejectedly in a household rocking chair, waiting for a wrecker to remove his automobile from the front porch of a Northside home in Birmingham, Ala. Robert said he swerved his car when another pulled in front of him—and came to a stop on the porch with considerable wreckage strewn around. (AP Photo).

Open Rift Over Farm Price Aid

Farm Bureau And Solons Disagree On Future Method

Washington, Jan. 28—(AP)—The argument about how the government should support farm prices brought an open break today between two groups deeply interested in farm welfare.

On one side is a strong group in Congress, now driving for a rigid price peg for major crops at 90 per cent of parity. On the other is the American Farm Bureau Federation, which advocates a flexible system.

The two top managers of farm legislation in Congress announced they will press for 90 per cent support, notwithstanding the stand taken by the farm bureau.

The Bureau's board of directors—the organization lists membership of over 1,300,000 farmers—endorsed by resolution the flexible farm price support system set up by Republican-controlled 80th Congress. That law authorizes supports for major crops ranging between 60 and 90 per cent of parity beginning next year.

Chairman Thomas (D-Okl.) of the Senate Agriculture committee and chairman Cooley (D-NC) of the House Agriculture group immediately voiced deep disappointment at the Bureau action. They said this in no way would slow their drive to continue the present 90 per cent supports for basic crops.

Rat Makes Off With Razors And Other Tools

Woodruff, S. C., Jan. 28—(AP)—Warning to local cats—the rats are now carrying razors.

At least one rodent did. Barber Albert Adams reached for his razor the other morning to shave a customer and discovered that all of his equipment was missing—scissors as well as razor.

A search of the building disclosed a rat's nest between the walls of the shop and a shower room. The nest, made of clippings from a paper sack which had held a dozen eggs, contained three straight razors and a pair of scissors.

A trap was set and the culprit—about as large as a cat—was caught.

Camels' Romance Blooms With Aid Of Zoo's Cupid

Los Angeles, Jan. 28—(AP)—Hal (for Helios) and Sal now are very friendly.

This is the happy report emanating today from Griffith Park zoo, sponsor of a romance between Hal and a camel girl friend recently purchased for \$1,500. The idea was to raise some little two-humpers to trade with other zoos.

But when the camel couple was first introduced, Hal lumbered off, with Sal in pursuit, and covered in a corner of his fenced yard.

However, in his role of cupid an appropriately named keeper, Melvin Love, and Sal's charms finally broke down Hal's resistance.

Agree On Ruling For Cotton Crop

Washington, Jan. 28—(AP)—The House Agriculture Committee agreed today that 1949 plantings not be used in figuring future cotton production quotas.

Chairman Cooley (D-NC) said the committee unanimously approved a resolution that the current year's cotton acreage not be used in computing acreage allotments for any subsequent year.

The resolution also provides that any farm on which cotton was not planted in 1947 or 1948 shall be regarded as having a 1948 planted acreage equal to the 1947 farm acreage allotment.

Buy A Seat

If you're interested in helping to provide a football stadium for East Carolina Teachers College, mail a check for \$10 for a seat to Treasurer J. Herbert Waldrop at the Guaranty Bank and Trust Company today.

Each \$10 will provide a seat for the stadium. At this time the committee needs to sell 457 more seats.

Up to this morning, \$30,426.30 had been contributed to the football stadium project. To meet the goal, \$4,573.70 must be raised, Chairman Ed E. Rawl said.

Prison Sentence For Four Youths

Eastern Carolina Robbers Get 113 Years In Prison

By CHESTER WALSH

Four Lenoir County self-confessed Negro storebreakers and robbers who pillaged stores in Pitt, Lenoir, Jones, Wilson, Onslow and Greene counties during a period of several weeks were on "a long, long trail" today toward serving 113 years at hard labor in State Prison.

Judge John J. Burney of Wilmington, presiding over criminal Superior Court in Greenville, had sentenced them to serve 63 years for their depredations and Judge Paul Edmondson at Kinston had given them a total of 50 years behind the bars.

They are: James Williams, 17; Jake Newsome, 21; Jasper Rouse, 19, and Raymond Marshall, 27.

They confessed to four robberies at Farmville and some of them admitted two store-breakings at Winterville in Pitt County.

Judge Burney gave Williams 19 years in State Prison; Jake Newsome, 12 years; Jasper Rouse, 13 years; and Raymond Marshall, 19 years. Sentences in all cases are to run consecutively.

Judge Edmondson in Kinston Wednesday gave Williams a total of 20 years in State Prison; Newsome, five years; Rouse, five years; and Marshall, 20 years. The Pitt County sentences follow these consecutively.

After conviction and sentences in Lenoir County Superior Court Wednesday, the quartet was brought here for trial.

During a court recess today Pitt County Sheriff Ruel W. Tyson stated that after the arrest of the four men about two weeks ago that the rampage of storebreakings and robberies suddenly ceased. While they were on trial in Greenville, police were working up a case in which they suspected the quartet of moving a Cascade Laundry safe to a window, near police headquarters, sometime ago and having it fall back into a window, crushing a typewriter. The noise caused the robbers to flee. Police said the four robbers had enough time to serve for their crimes, and dropped the investigation.

Police Ponder Whereabouts Of \$50,000 In Loot

Asheville, N. C., Jan. 28—(AP)—Police of three states today searched their heads and pondered the whereabouts of some \$50,000 taken from a Knoxville, Tenn., safe Christmas night.

Although Atlanta, Ga., detectives opined that two women fled Atlanta with the loot after two men had been arrested at Franklin, and police throughout the southeast had been alerted, North Carolina State Highway Patrolman Pritchard Smith Jr. threw cold water on their theory.

The women, he said, showed up in Waynesville to visit the men in Haywood county jail and a thorough search failed to uncover more money than two women might be expected to carry.

Claims Monopoly Is Here To Stay

Chapel Hill, N.C., Jan. 28—(AP)—Monopoly newspapers are here to stay, Tulsa, Okla., Tribune Editor Jenkin Lloyd Jones told the 24th annual North Carolina Newspaper Institute today.

The Oklahoman said that "the trend toward monopoly has been dictated by the trend toward higher production costs. The press, in its self-interest, has tried without success to keep those costs down. And the left-wingers and self-styled 'liberals' who are loudest in their opposition to newspaper monopoly are the ones who usually applaud the movement by unions to get more money for less production."

APPROVE NOMINATION Washington, Jan. 28—(AP)—The nomination of Edward H. Foley, Jr., of New York to be undersecretary of the treasury was approved today by the Senate Finance committee.

Hugh Scott Wins Narrow Margin Of GOP Control

Given 54-50 Vote Of Confidence; New Challenges Seen In Near Future

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 28—(AP)—Hugh D. Scott Jr., held a shaky reed of authority over the Republican National Committee today in a trial run of his chairmanship.

Some members, like Rep. Clarence Brown of Ohio, thought it might be no more than six months before Scott's hard-won retention of his office is challenged again.

The 48-year-old Pennsylvania congressman, hand-picked by Gov. Thomas E. Dewey for his party job had a slender 54 to 50 vote of committee confidence hanging on his belt.

Harry Darby of Kansas, one of Scott's chief supporters in the bitter fight to split the Republican party since the Bull Moose movement of 1912, told a reporter things are a lot better than they look on the surface.

"I think he'll do a swell job and all of this will be forgotten," Darby declared.

But Brown, a supporter of Senator Robert A. Taft, wasn't so sure. "I don't think any chairman who finds his committee divided about 50-50 is going to be happy," the Ohio congressman told a reporter.

"I don't think it will be six months before this matter is brought up again in some form," Brown added.

Rep. Leonard Hall, carrying the proxy of J. Russell Sprague, New York committee man and one of Dewey's brain trust in the 1948 campaign, said he thinks Scott will do all right.

But he added that if the chairman's foot slips, the wolves will be around to howl for his scalp.

Rep. H. Carl Anderson (R-Minn.) said that because of the 54 to 50 result Scott should resign "for the good of everybody concerned."

Anderson is from the home state of Roy E. Dunn, National committee man who had been the candidate of veteran members of the committee like Jacob Francis of Maryland.

France charged in yesterday's acrimonious session of the committee that Scott was playing the game in such a way as to help Dewey toward a third Republican presidential nomination.

Scott denied this in terms that left him no room to support any such bid by Dewey.

Stick By Plans For New Bridge

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 28—(AP)—The State Highway Commission has decided to stick by its plans and locate the new Neuse River bridge at New Bern between Broad Street and Bridgeton.

Leaders of the opposition to the plan, R. E. Whitehurst and George Riddle, New Bern attorneys, had contended the plan would deface needlessly the most scenic section of New Bern.

Tentative estimates set the cost of the project at \$1,500,000 exclusive of the cost of fills and approaches.

Three Dead As Crowded Station Swept By Panic

Boston, Jan. 28—(AP)—At least three persons were reported killed today and an undetermined number injured in a crowded subway station swept by panic as sudden fire filled shafts and corridors with smoke.

The dead were two women and a man, taken unidentified to city hospital.

Police reported a screaming mob scene broke out in the underground State street station near the waterfront, close to the heart of Boston's financial district.

Many persons were reported knocked down and hurt in a shouting scramble for a stairway leading to the street. Others injured were construction workers who were changing the entrance to the old station whose two story superstructure was a landmark in the district.

Police credited an unidentified person with sizing up the disaster swiftly and leading most of the passengers to safety along a subway platform to another emergency stairway exit.

First reports said a fire in the shaft of one of four elevators in the station may have started from acetylene torches being used by workmen.

Two elevators were still in use for passengers during the construction.

The station—deep underground—is the first on the Boston side of the under-harbor tunnel linking Boston with East Boston.

Congress Hastens Work On Controls

Webb Slated To Have Vital Role In New Position

New Undersecretary Of State Will Be Acheson's Top Lieutenant

Washington, Jan. 28—(AP)—James E. Webb takes office as undersecretary of state today to complete the State Department's new high command.

The Senate unanimously approved the 42-year-old former budget director yesterday to serve as Dean Acheson's top lieutenant. Acheson himself was confirmed as secretary of state only last Friday.

A former executive of the Sperry Gyroscope Company, Webb has been director of the United States budget since July, 1946.

In that job he has worked perhaps more closely with President Truman than any other single high official. In addition, he has earned a wide reputation for tough competence in putting through policies which the President has entrusted to him.

Those two factors are believed to have played a considerable part in the decision to take Webb out of the key Budget Bureau post and place him in the somewhat more prominent position of undersecretary of state.

He will be responsible for the day-to-day operation of the State Department, for carrying out foreign policy when Acheson is out of town and for advising the President on such matters in Acheson's absence.

Acheson and Webb were named to the two top State Department spots on January 7 to succeed the ailing George C. Marshall and Undersecretary Robert A. Lovett.

Webb is considered an expert in the highly complicated problems of government administration and relationships among the various departments.

As undersecretary, he will be called on to deal frequently with such agencies as the Defense, Treasury and Commerce Departments, with the job of helping to mesh the nation's foreign and domestic policies.

Acheson is reported to be deeply interested in reorganizing the State Department. That is one of the problems, he will discuss with Webb as soon as they have taken over full administration of foreign relations.

GET REA LOAN Washington, Jan. 28—(AP)—The Rural Electrification Administration announced today a \$700,000 loan to Blue Ridge Membership Corp., Lenoir, N.C., for extension of electrical service to farming areas.

TO RECOGNIZE ISRAEL London, Jan. 28—(AP)—Great Britain and her western alliance partners announced tonight they will accord de facto (partial) recognition to Israel.

Normal Weather Is Expected Soon

By The Associated Press

A cold front moving into the Carolinas will end this mid-winter honeymoon of summer weather.

After a week of mercury readings 20 degrees above normal, the forecast predicted lows ranging between 28 and 40 degrees for tonight in both states.

For the next five days, the mercury will be near normal for the period—meaning lows of about 35 and highs of 55 degrees generally in both states.

Imaginations Stirred

Enthusiastic Response On Both Sides Of Atlantic Mark Reaction To Truman's Plan For Raising Living Standards In Backward Countries; A Long Term Project

By DEWITT MacKENZIE

Imaginations have been stirred on both sides of the Atlantic by President Truman's project of raising living standards in backward countries and so promoting political improvements.

The enthusiasm with which Britain has seized on the idea speaks success. Already the vast British areas of Africa and Asia have been offered for this historic experiment. Other nations may be expected to join.

Meantime in Washington no time is being lost in devising means to implement the proposal. The chief executive has asked Secretary of State Acheson to work out preliminary plans.

So the idea has had an auspicious launching. Indeed, there is some fear it may be too auspicious in that it has too encouraged exaggerated hopes.

It's true that the potentialities seem almost limitless. However, one thing the world must get clearly in mind:

This is a long term project. It isn't a matter of months but of years—many years if it is carried to a logical conclusion.

Here it should be repeated that Mr. Truman's project contemplates attracting the investment of very

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# Social and Personal

All items for this page received after 10:30 A. M. will be published the following day. Dial 3555 9:30 A. M. to Noon - 1:30 to 4:30 P. M.

Miss Mary Dawn Drum, student at Mary Washington college, Fredericksburg, Va., is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Drum.

John Bradsher, senior at Salem college is spending the week end with her parents, Colonel and Mrs. Owen Marshburn, in their new home, "Andalusia" on the Ayden highway. John is having as her guest for the week end, Miriam Bailey, May queen at Salem College this year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Collins, Sr. have returned from the furniture show at High Point.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Dunn and daughter Peggy and Mrs. Charlie Murphy left yesterday for Fort Pierce, Fla.

Mrs. Phil Kramer and little son, Philip, of Wilmington, spent yesterday with Mrs. Kramer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Staton.

Mrs. James F. Doyle and infant son, of Virginia Beach, are visiting Mrs. Doyle's mother, Mrs. R. C. Flanagan at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harrington.

Business Woman's Circle of Immanuel Baptist Church The Business Woman's circle of Immanuel Baptist Church will meet Tuesday night February 1, at 8 o'clock, with Mrs. Snodde Parkerson.

Business and Professional Women's Club Meeting Business and Professional women's club meeting will be held at the Memorial Baptist Church on Thursday night, February 10, at 7 o'clock. Reservations must be in by February 3. Tickets are on sale now.

P. T. A. of St. Raphael School The February P. T. A. meeting of the St. Raphael school will be held Wednesday, February 3, at 2:30. All parents and friends are urged to attend.

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## 40 Years Ago Today

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At a recent meeting of the End of the Century Club, it was decided to charge of fee of \$1.00 a year or 10 cents a month, payable in advance, beginning March 1, for the privilege of reading the books in the library.

The public is aware of the fact that this library was opened under the auspices of this club as a free library, but the expenses are more than twenty women can meet without more outside help than they have been receiving. The first two years of the library's existence a few gentlemen of the town helped and the board of aldermen have several times assisted us and this year have given \$50 which is greatly appreciated. There will be no fee charged for consulting reference books but they are not to be taken out of the library.

"End of the Century Club"

## Mrs. Roebuck Hostess To Bridge Club

Mrs. Franklin Roebuck was most gracious hostess to members of the Stokes bridge club on Friday night, January 14. The living room was beautifully decorated with pot plants and cut flowers.

Coca Cola and peanuts were served during progressions and a delicious salad and coffee was served at the end of the game.

Mrs. Charles A. Forbes received high honors and low went to Mrs. C. S. Whitchard.

Among those present were Mrs. Elmer Parker, Harold Watson, Erwin Cherry, Gordon Clark, Jack Tripp, C. S. Whitchard and Charles A. Forties.

## Judge Roberts Speaks To P.T.A.

The P. T. A. of Third Street school held its regular monthly meeting in the auditorium the second week in January.

A most inspiring devotional was given by Miss Foley's fourth grade. Miss Foley presented Judge J. W. H. Roberts, guest speaker, who gave a very interesting and informative talk on "Laws, How We Came to Have Them and Why They Are Necessary for the Welfare of Man."

Mrs. J. T. Cheatham, president of the P. T. A., presided over a short business session. Mrs. Stell's sixth grade won the attendance prize.

## Mr. and Mrs. Carson Celebrate Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary

On Sunday, January 16, at one o'clock, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Carson were hosts at a luncheon at the Bethel Rotary House in honor of their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Staton greeted the guests at the door and Mrs. E. L. Mayo introduced them to the receiving line which was composed of the hosts, their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Latham, and Mr. and Mrs. John T. Carson, who celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on the ninth of January with a family dinner. The two Mr. Carsons are brothers and both of the Mesdames Carsons are natives of Bethel.

The spacious reception room of the Rotary house was decorated throughout with greenery, daffodils and gold candles tied with matching tulle. In the center of the room was the bride's table which was centered with a three-tiered wedding cake, flanked by yellow roses and matching tapers. Pre-arranged tables were placed to seat one hundred and fifty guests.

Grace was offered by Rev. J. P. Harris Sr. and a delightful music program was rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Andrews Jr. and Mrs. R. H. Staton. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Andrews Jr. sang a duet entitled "My Hero," following which Mrs. Andrews sang two solos, namely, "The Sweetest Story Ever Told" and "Through the Years." Mrs. Staton served as accompanist. At the conclusion of the dinner, Rev. W. M. Howard Jr. made an appropriate and entertaining talk on marriage. He ended his talk with a toast to the two honor couples.

Mrs. F. E. Price presided over the register while Miss Olive Jones and Miss Sallie Mooring received in the gift room. Others who assisted in receiving and serving the delicious luncheon were: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Keel, Mrs. F. L. Blount Sr., Mrs. F. P. Pollard, Mrs. R. R. Whitehurst, Mrs. Alton Carson, Mrs. Clayton Carson, Mrs. Clara Robertson, Mrs. Reginald Etheridge, Miss Camille Staton, Miss Eleanor Ward Staton and Mrs. James Crandall.

Among the out-of-town guests present for the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Staton, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Woolard Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bundy, Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Van Nortwick of Greenville; Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Holding, Smithfield; Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Carr Farmville; Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Pitt, Tarboro; Mr. and Mrs. Julian Whitehurst, Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Whitehurst, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Gardner, Mrs. Gladys Roberson, Rocky Mount; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Gardner, Dayton Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Gardner, Goldsboro; Mr. and Mrs. John H. Gardner, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mrs. J. H. Barwick, Grifton; Mrs. Lester Keel, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Keel, Oak City; Mr. Harry Biggs, Williamston; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Congleton; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Stokes Stokes; Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Etheridge, Whiteakers; Miss Sallie Moring, Raleigh; and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. King, Lenoir.



Mr. and Mrs. William James Carson of Bethel, who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary with a luncheon for relatives and close friends at the Bethel Rotary House on January 16. Mr. and Mrs. Carson were married January 12, 1899, in a home ceremony. Mrs. Carson was the former Daisy Staton, daughter of the late William and Nancy E. Ward Staton of Bethel. Mr. and Mrs. Carson have one daughter, Mrs. Walter C. Latham of Bethel and three grandsons, William Carson, Walter Bryan, and Harry Staton Latham, all of Bethel.



Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas Carson of Bethel, who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary with a family dinner on January 9. Mr. and Mrs. Carson were married on January 11, 1899, in a home ceremony. Mrs. Carson was the former Lizzie Edmondson, daughter of the late George and Mary Nelson Edmondson of Bethel. Mr. and Mrs. Carson have two sons, J. Royal Carson and Alton Carson of Bethel; two grandsons, Eugene Carson of Bethel and Dr. J. Royal Carson, Jr., of Rocky Mount and two great-grandsons.

## Dr. Moore Speaks To Registered Nurses

The Greenville Registered Nurses club held its regular monthly meeting Tuesday, January 25, at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Dan Johnston with Miss Seba Flanagan as co-hostess.

Mrs. M. E. Corbett, president, called the meeting to order and presented the guest speaker, Dr. D. L. Moore. Dr. Moore gave a most interesting paper on the professional nurse pointing out the great need, opportunity and obligation of the nurse of today.

Following the business meeting delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses.

## Plans To Attend Chicago Meeting

President John D. Messick of East Carolina Teachers College is attending a meeting of the Planning Committee of the Division of Higher Education of the National Education Association held in Chicago January 28-30.

He was recently appointed to serve on the committee with sixteen other leaders in education who are conversant with problems of higher education in the United States and whose annual report is considered of educational importance in that it presents an analysis of current issues before American colleges and universities.

First Presbyterian Church News The Week of Prayer and Self-Denial for Foreign Missions will be observed by the Women of the Church, January 31 through February 6 with prayer meetings at the following places:

Tuesday, 10 a. m. at the home of Mrs. John Clark.

Wednesday 10 a. m. at the home of Mrs. F. B. Haas.

Thursday 10 a. m. at the home of Mrs. Frank Reid.

The Men of the Church will meet the second Wednesday evening in next month for their fellowship and supper meeting.

We will have the pleasure of having three outstanding leaders and speakers of our Southern Presbyterian Church with us during the next two months.

Mr. N. B. Etheridge, a business man of Norfolk, a leading churchman of Norfolk, Presbyterian and a consecrated servant of God who is giving much of his time in promoting the work of the Presbyterian Program of Progress. He will speak to us on the evening of February 4th, at 8 o'clock.

Dr. C. Darby Fulton, Nashville, Tenn., moderator of our General Assembly, and executive Secretary of Foreign Missions will speak in our

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## Mrs. Ficklen Hostess To End of Century

The noon hour Tuesday four members of the End of the Century Club at the home of Mrs. J. S. Ficklen for their regular meeting. The president, Mrs. J. T. Little, presided over the business session, heard committee reports and had books exchanged.

At this time the club was pleased to have join them the Lenoir County Committee of the North Carolina Colonial Dames, among them were Mesdames John Dawson, Felix Harvey, Arthur Wilson, C. W. Howard, S. C. Sitterton, J. F. Parrott, J. A. Long and W. D. LaRoque.

Other guests were Mrs. C. E. Carr of Norfolk, Va., and Mrs. B. E. Sugg, Mr. and Mrs. Hoover Taft Mr. J. S. Ficklen and Mr. J. S. Ficklen Jr. A delightful course luncheon was served by the hostess and all members and guests "their various cares in one great point combined."

The business of their lives, that is—to dine."

After this enjoyable hour the group were seated in the spacious living room the meeting again called to order and Mrs. Guy Smith, program chairman, presented.

The speaker for the day, Mr. Hoover Taft, was introduced by Mrs. J. B. Spilman, Mr. Taft used as his subject the Inauguration. In explicit and well chosen words he took the group to Washington's famed Pennsylvania Avenue and laid before them the panorama of the week's festivities describing in detail a few of the outstanding events.

The club felt indebted to Mr. Taft and to the hostess for providing such a timely program and in an atmosphere where reminders of those who figured in great events of long ago and skilled in national and international diplomacy were in evidence.

The club reluctantly adjourned to meet February 8th.

and an increased attendance is expected.

Dan E. Vornholt, professor of voice at the college, is in charge of the arrangements for the all-day session. The program will include ensemble singing by a group of sopranos and altos, one of tenors and basses, and a third of mixed voices.

Prof. Paul Young, choral director and voice teacher at the University of North Carolina, who was present at the fall clinic, will again direct the groups of student singers. During the day he will confer with teachers and directors.

## Elect Officers For Association

Students at East Carolina Teachers College in a special election held this week chose two new officers of the student government association.

As a result of the voting, Iola Carrowan, junior from Pinetown, became vice chairman of the women's judiciary, and Peggy Monroe, sophomore from St. Pauls, was elected member-at-large of the organization. They began their duties immediately and will serve as student government officers for the remainder of the school year.

## Festivities Held Up Wedding Trip

Rome, Jan. 28 —(AP)— Tyrone Power and his bride, the former Linda Christian, got up before dawn today to start their wedding trip.

They had planned to leave yesterday, and drive as far as Florence on their way to North Italy, Switzerland and Austria. But the festivity that followed their marriage yesterday morning tired them out and they postponed their departure until today.

Christian Church Announcements At the morning service Sunday at the Eighth Street Christian Church the male quartet composed of Pat McLawhorn, James Ray Pittman, Cliff Sullivan and Ralph Sullivan will sing as a special number John B. Dyke's arrangement of "Holy, Holy, Holy." The pastor has announced to preach another in the series of messages on "The Old Paths" using as the scripture the first commandment, "Thou shalt have no other gods before me."

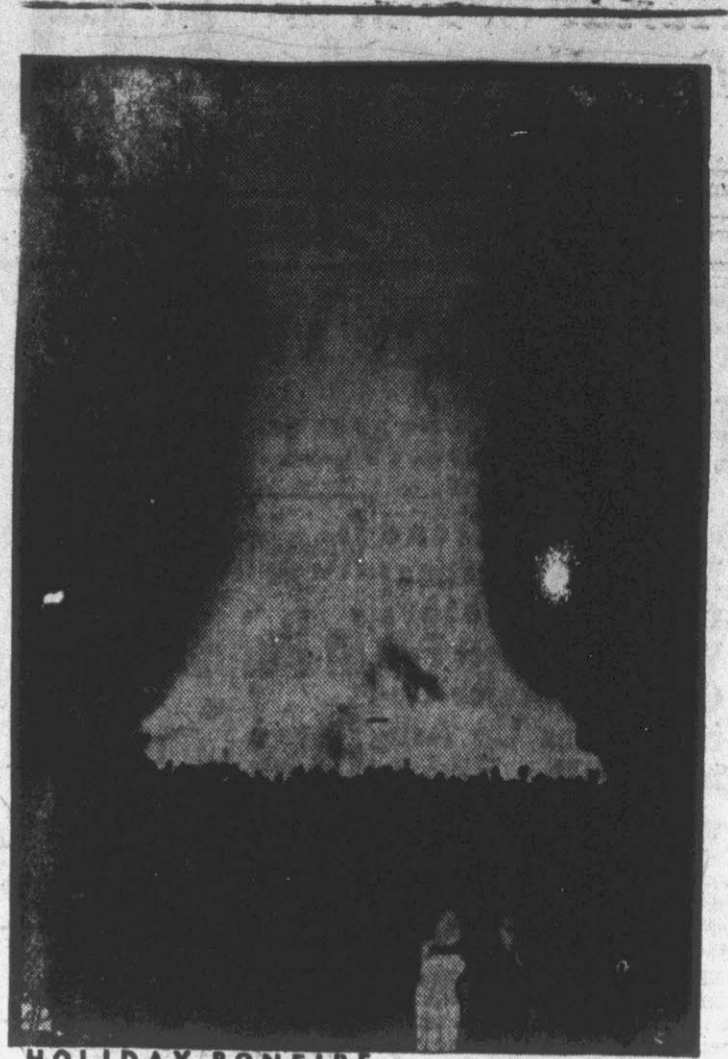
The Christian Youth Fellowship will meet at the church on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock and at that time cars will be provided for those who are going to Farmville to meet in the Pitt County C. Y. F. training school. Everyone is urged to bring a bag supper as the meeting will carry over into the evening in Farmville.

The Board of Officers of the church will meet in regular February session at the church on Tuesday evening at 7:30. The appointment of the various committees will be made prior to this meeting and the announcement made at that time.

The Fireless Club of the church will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Conley on Monday evening February 14 at 8 o'clock. The speaker for the occasion will be Dr. Carl L. Adams.

The churches of the Disciples of Christ in Pitt county will have a county-wide training school for church and Sunday school workers and teachers at the Eighth Street Church in Greenville on February 6, 7, 8 and 9. Classes will be offered for all departments as well as one in administration of church work and also missions.

ANNOUNCES PROJECT Wilmington, Jan. 28 — (AP) — Hugh Morton, Wilmington real estate operator, has announced that he would begin work in three months on a \$1,000,000 apartment house project here. Plans call for eight buildings with a total of 104 living units.



HOLIDAY BONFIRE—A hundred thousand Christmas trees go up in smoke at Minneapolis, Minn., in an annual community celebration. Discarded trees are collected for the bonfire.

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## Vocal Clinic Is Planned Eeb. 12

A vocal clinic for teachers and pupils in the public schools of eastern North Carolina will be sponsored by the department of music at East Carolina Teachers College and will take place on the campus, Saturday, Feb. 12.

A similar clinic held at the college last November, the first of its kind on the campus, was planned to give instruction and lend encouragement to teachers and students of music in this section of the state. Attending it were 75 students and nineteen teachers and directors of music from eleven public schools in this area. As a result of the meeting last fall, a second clinic was requested and has been arranged by the faculty of the department of music at the college. Invitations to attend the February clinic have been issued church Sunday afternoon, February 13, at 3:30 o'clock.

Dr. J. G. Patton, Jr., secretary of our General Assembly's committee on stewardship, Atlanta, Ga., will preach in our church the first Sunday morning in March, at 11 o'clock.

We extend a special invitation to the neighboring churches, Meadowbrook, Hollywood, Boyd Memorial and Chloco, and to the sister churches of our city. The public is cordially invited and the members of the church are urgently requested to be present.

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### Aerial Search In Third Day For Missing Planes

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 26—(AP)—As the third day of the aerial search for two missing navy planes dawned reasonably clear, more than 100 aircraft, including 90 carrier planes, several blimps, amphibious patrol planes and helicopters, took off to comb nearby waters, where portion of one of the missing ships washed ashore on Thursday.

Fragments of one of the fighter planes missing from the naval auxiliary air station at Oceana since Tuesday were found yesterday near Corolla lighthouse east of Currituck sound. A portion of the rudder post, bearing the numbers of one of the two corsairs, was identified at Oceana.

Pilots of the missing planes were identified as Ensign John Spalding, USN, and Ensign Donald Carligen, USNR.

A third navy plane crashed on Tuesday, killing Lt. Leroy C. Gibbs, USN. He was attached to a squadron at the Norfolk Naval air station and was flying a scout plane when it crashed south of Oceana.

While the search for the missing navy planes was at its height yesterday afternoon Capt. W. F. Jacobs, USMC, of the Marine Corps air base at Cherry Point, N. C., escaped death when his plane crashed about five miles from Phelps Lake, N. C. Four minutes after word of this crash was flashed to the Coast Guard air station at Elizabeth City, rescue craft were on their way. Just 22 minutes after the accident a coast guard helicopter lowered a hoist to the stranded, but uninjured Marine aviator, and raised him to safety. He was flown to his base.

### Shelby Editor Elected Head Of N. C. AP Club

Chapel Hill, Jan. 26—(AP)—Holt McPherson, managing editor of the Shelby Star, today began a term as president of the North Carolina Associated Press Club.

He was named at the club's winter meeting held here in connection with the annual North Carolina Newspaper Institute. McPherson succeeds Jonathan Daniels, editor of the Raleigh News and Observer.

Other officers named yesterday were Carl Jeffers, business manager of the Greensboro Daily News vice president; and Paul Hansell of Charlotte, chief of the Carolinas Bureau of the Associated Press, to continue as secretary-treasurer ex-officio.

### Eager Hunter Bags Deer, Then Bought License

Dismark, N. D.—(AP)—With only about two hours of North Dakota's 3-day deer season remaining, G. C. Grenz, who lives south of Bismarck in Emmons county, walked into the state game and fish department headquarters at Bismarck and asked for a deer hunting license.

"You won't have time to get a deer before the season closes, will you?" asked a puzzled clerk as he made out the license.

"Oh, it won't take me long to run down there and shoot one," replied Grenz confidently, plunking down the \$5 license fee.

He hurried out of the office, license in pocket, and headed for Emmons county.

There in a piece of wooded country was a freshly-killed, untagged deer. There also were some game wardens.

Grenz was fined \$50 and costs for illegally shooting a deer.

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### Caught By Falls

Toronto, Jan. 26—(AP)—Niagara Falls may be romantic for honeymoon couples but for bird life it often spells tragedy. The Ontario government's wildlife branch said today in a report that 144 ducks and other waterfowl were recovered in the last two months from swirling waters below the cataract.

### Faculty Offers Itself For Hire

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 26—(AP)—A college "faculty" offered itself for hire today and promised to provide its own student body and alumni.

Apparently all that is lacking is a campus. The unique offer came from a group of Olivet (Mich.) college faculty members in a classified "situations wanted" advertisement in the Lansing State Journal.

It was the latest climax to a faculty dispute that began last fall with the firing of an Olivet professor and his wife for what certain sources called their "ultra liberal" views. The college never discussed its reasons publicly.

Olivet is a small college in central Michigan with a student body of about 300 and some 35 faculty members and administrators.

Tucker P. Smith, one of five instructors recently dismissed, paid \$25 to have the ad inserted for one day under the heading "College faculty for hire as a unit."

"Prepared to offer balanced and advanced curriculum for small liberal arts college," the advertisement reads in part. "Substantial upper class student body and alumni group wish to accompany (to aid in transplanting) unique educational tradition."

A spokesman for Smith said a prospective employer would get the following:

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### Ban Questioned On Pin-Up Girls

Johannesburg, South Africa, Jan. 26—(AP)—In South Africa, just as in the United States, pin-up girls are a matter of taste.

Thousands of American calendars bearing pictures of scantily clad lovelies have been seized by customs authorities.

But, an importer complained: "There seems to be no rhyme or reason in the banning procedure. Some are seized, and some, almost exactly similar, are released for sale. It seems to depend on which examining officer is on duty when each crate is opened."

### Nickel Stogies Again For Sale

New York, Jan. 26—(AP)—The five-cent cigar staged a comeback in New York today.

For the first time since the war nickel stogies were on sale again in this city.

They represented the smoker's dividend on a general three-month price decline reported by the Bureau of Labor statistics in Washington.

As late as the 18th century in Italy, there were more than 200 units of length called the "foot."



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### Solons Frown On Eviction Project

Washington, Jan. 26—(AP)—Republicans and Democrats agreed today with President Truman that landlords are making a bad mistake if they try to evict tenants as a protest against rent controls.

Senate Democratic leader Lucas of Illinois told a reporter that Senators certainly will look into these evictions when they consider extending federal rent controls that expire March 31.

"I think it's a most extraordinary and shameful performance," Lucas added.

Senator Saltonstall (R-Mass.) acting Republican leader, said: "Personally, I don't think actions of that kind help in the solution of difficult problems."

Mr. Truman told his news conference yesterday he did not believe the landlords could get away with the evictions. He said the plan originated in Tulsa, Okla.

Tighe Woods, who administers the federal rent control program, jumped into action with a promise to fight such mass evictions in court.

In telegrams answering complaints Woods urged tenants receiving such eviction notices to inform area federal rent control officers.

"If landlords refuse to withdraw notices, offices of the housing expediter will seek to enjoin such evictions by action in the courts," he added.

The "pennyweight" originally was the weight of the English penny.

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### Brady Family Make Generous Gesture To 'March of Dimes'

By CHESTER WALSH  
Dr. Leo Jenkins of ETCO and chairman of the Pitt County 'March of Dimes' drive, today pointed out an interesting case of one of polio's victims whose family manifested the spirit that 'one good turn' deserves another.

Bobby Brady, popular student at East Carolina Teachers College who was so seriously stricken with polio last summer that he had to use an "iron lung" in a Raleigh hospital, made a wonderful recovery. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Brady, who own and operate the Double "N" restaurant, on the Bethel highway, near the Pactolus road, set a worthy example of supporting the infantile paralysis drive for funds to carry on the "Good Samaritan" work.

After a committeeman had placed a container for contributions of money at the Double "N" restaurant, Mrs. Brady has every day placed a dollar bill in it, and many customers followed suit. The container at the Double "N" is "bulging with money" as a result of the good example the Bradys set.



**'VITTLES ORIGINATOR'**—First Lieutenant Gail S. Halvorsen, originator of "Operation Little Vittles" of the Berlin Airlift, catches up with his two sacks daily "fan mail."



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### Use Gadgets To Detect Drunks

Chicago—(AP)—A growing number of cities and states are using scientific gadgets to find out how many sheets, if any, drinking driver has in the wind. The American Municipal Association reports at least 125 cities and 22 state law enforcement agencies now use drunk-o-meters or chemical devices in drunk-driving cases.

With the meter, a suspect blows a balloon full of air. The breath is passed through a series of tubes containing chemicals. The tests determine the alcoholic content of the blood.

### Coroner's Jury Exonerates Driver In Woman's Death

A coroner's jury at an inquest at the city hall in Bethel last night, with Pitt County Coroner Griffin H. Rouse presiding, exonerated Milford Holliday of Williamston of blame for the death of Mrs. Betty Wilson Barnhill of Robersonville last Sunday as a result of a collision of two motor vehicles near Bethel on January 13.

Coroner Rouse said testimony was that Mrs. Barnhill's car, in trying to dodge a dog on the highway, swerved to the left, colliding with a truck driven by Holliday. Both drivers were injured, Mrs. Barnhill fatally. Both vehicles were badly damaged. Mrs. Barnhill died at a Tarboro hospital.

### Tobacco Meeting At City Hall Tonight

The last of a series of tobacco meetings held during January in Pitt County will be held at the City Hall in Greenville tonight at 7:30. Sam J. Weeks, assistant farm agent and tobacco specialist, will be the speaker. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss better methods of growing tobacco on a more economical and profitable basis. Farmers are invited to attend.

### Tulsa Landlords Show No Signs Of Ending Fight

Tulsa, Okla. Jan. 26—(AP)—Tulsa landlords gave no indication today they would slacken their assault against federal rent control proposals despite censure from Washington.

President Truman told a news conference yesterday their plan of mass evictions was the wrong approach to the problem and he did not think they would get away with it.

The National Housing expediter said his office would go into the courts to stop evictions if necessary.

The Rev. Wallace J. Murphy, a leader in the action started by the Tulsa property owners association, termed Mr. Truman's statement puzzling.

"We are American business men," he said. "We simply want to go out of business. It is unprofitable."



**'WE SMELL CHOW'**—Hans and Fritz, a pair of Dachshunds, make the usual motions about lunch on their arrival from London at LaGuardia Field, New York, for an animal dealer.

### Flying Boxcars Join In Haylift

Ely, Nev., Jan. 26—(AP)—Ten more C-82 flying boxcars are on the way to join Nevada's operation haylift today. Jubilant ranchers predicted two more days of the aerial feedstock would see their snowbound livestock over the hump.

Clearing skies were in the offing after poor visibility which made yesterday's flights a borderline operation. But, despite clouds that shrouded the mountains around this airfield, air force crews continued to drop baled hay.

The 10 C-82s were dispatched from Greenville air force base in South Carolina to aid the 17 already engaged in hay drop.

Meantime the state fish and game commission joined with the federal fish and wildlife service to set up feeding stations for starving ducks, geese, deer and other wildlife.

Thousands of ducks, apparently late arrivals from the north, are down on Nevada lakes, too weak to fly farther.

### N. C. Press Body Elects Officers

Chapel Hill, N. C., Jan. 26—(AP)—The North Carolina Association of afternoon dailies today adopted permanent bylaws and reelected officers and directors. Officers are:

President, Al Dickson, Editor of the Wilmington News; vice-president, James Hurlley, publisher of the Salisbury Post; additional directors, Holt McPherson, Managing editor of the Shelby Star; L. C. Gifford, publisher of the Hickory Record, and Henry Belk, Editor of the Goldsboro News-Argus.

### Beer-Wine Town In Dry County

Whiteville, N. C., Jan. 26—(AP)—This tobacco market town today is a beer and wine oasis in dry Columbus County.

The wets yesterday won a special election by a 50-vote margin to legalize the sales of these two beverages in Whiteville.

### Gasoline Tax Bill Introduced

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 26—(AP)—A bill calling for a one-cent increase in the gasoline tax to finance Governor Scott's \$200,000,000 road program was introduced in the Senate today. Senator D. L. Ward of Craven introduced the measure at the "request" of Governor Scott.

The Ward measure simply provides that the state tax on gasoline should be increased from six cents to seven cents per gallon effective July 1.

Having this day qualified as executor of the estate of J. H. Wilson, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said decedent, to exhibit itemized and verified statements of account to the undersigned, on or before the 19th day of January 1950, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment to the executor.

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Due to absence of Lynn Nisbet, attending the State Press Institute at Chapel Hill, a series of three articles will be written by Thomas A. Banks, Raleigh lawyer, former school teacher and currently member of the Wake County board of education and legislative chairman for the State School Board Association. Banks will discuss public school problems as viewed by an insider.

INTRODUCTORY—These articles will probably not appeal as much to readers who are not familiar with the report of the State Education Commission as to those who have either read this report or who have heard it explained over the radio or at one of the public lectures now being conducted throughout North Carolina under the auspices of the United Forces for Education. Despite the fact that the report, "Education in North Carolina—Today and Tomorrow," has been given widespread publicity since its publication in December, it is only natural to assume that a great segment of the public is, to a certain extent, unfamiliar with its contents save, perhaps, in the most general sense. Therefore, it is considered that a brief explanation of the Education Commission, how it came into being and what it has accomplished, might be in order at the beginning of this series.

Since the days of Governor Aycock it could be said that thoughtful effort and support, productive of progress commensurate with the growing needs and demands of public education in North Carolina has not been provided by our leadership. Otherwise, the classroom in our schools would not be the most overcrowded in the nation; our state would not stand in the 38th place among our sister states in its average pay for teachers; and the condition of the public school system in general would not be that which today calls for a new Bill of Rights for the school children of North Carolina.



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And I believe like he did. Andy said, 'to the victor belong the spoils.' What he meant by that was 'to the people belong the victory.' 'If he had just meant that the victor grabbed the spoils, Andy would have sold out himself to the Got Rooks. Well, he didn't sell out. And big Jim ain't going to either.'

Boyle's Column

Montgomery, Ala.—(P)—A boisterous, gusty giant of the earth has set this cradle of the confederacy rocking. Two years after they put him into the Governor's chair on a tidal wave of votes, Alabama folks still don't know what to make of big Jim Folsom.

WASHINGTON LETTER

Washington.—From the banks of the Washab comes one of Congress' newest women members—a typical midwestern housewife and club woman—Mrs. Cecil Murray Harden (R-Ind.).

Crossword Puzzle

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Board of Education, Board of Health and County Commissioners, yesterday, in deferring appointment of an ABC chairman indicated that 'it is wise to proceed with caution.'

One outstanding feature of comments heard today around town about filling the vacancy was that who is appointed chairman of the ABC board 'should be bound before appointment to provide for the commissioners each month a complete report of the board's activities and permit the commissioners to have some say about how the business is being managed; about purchases and receipts.'

RAISE WARNINGS New York, Jan. 28—(AP)—Small craft warnings were raised from Block Island to Cape Hatteras at 6 a.m. (EST) today, the U.S. Weather Bureau announced.

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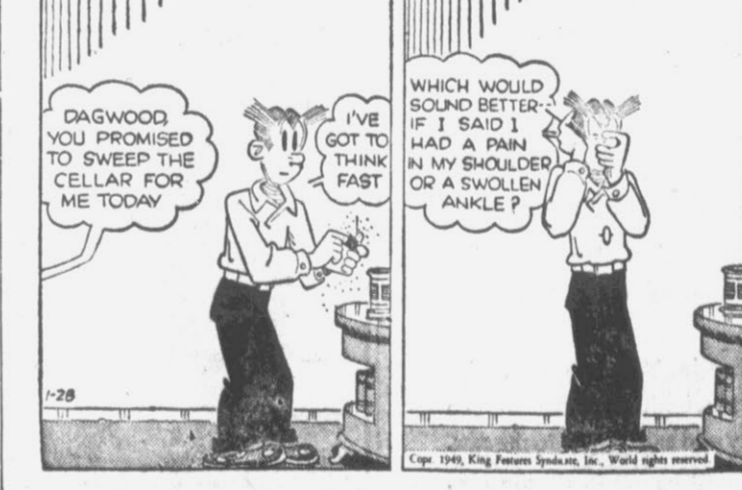
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THE PHANTOM



BLONDIE — By Chic Young



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6:30—Yours For a Song, MBS 6:55—Carolina News 9:00—Gabriel Heatter, MBS 9:15—Songs by Bing Crosby 9:30—The Enchanted Hour, MBS 9:55—Bill Henry—News (MBS) 10:00—Meet the Press, MBS 10:30—Dance Orch. (MBS) 11:00—All the News (MBS) 11:15—Dance Orch., MBS 11:55—World News 12:00—Dance Orch., MBS 12:30—Sign Off.

SATURDAY 6:00—Old Shepherd's Hour. 6:30—Southern Round-Up 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—Calling All Girls 9:30—Front Page Drama 9:45—The Jubalaires Quartet 9:55—Obituary Column 10:00—The Johnny Holland Trio 10:15—Charles L. Coon High School Program 10:30—The Bright Spot Hour 11:00—Coastal Plain Reporters 11:15—Coming Attractions 11:30—Neighborhood Movie Round-up 11:45—The Glenn Thompson Show 12:00—Time to Classify 12:05—Stock Market Report 12:10—See by the Papers 12:15—Manhattan Melody Time 12:30—Quinn News Reporter 12:35—WGTM Farm & Home Hour 1:00—Campus Salute, MBS 1:30—Symphonies for Youth, MBS 2:30—Macalester College Choir, MBS 3:00—Poole's Paradise, MBS 4:30—Charlie Slocum, MBS 4:45—Songs by Jo Stafford and Perry Como 5:00—Take a Number, MBS 5:30—True or False (MBS)

SATURDAY 6:58—Sign On 7:00—News 7:05—Tic Toe Time 7:45—News 7:55—Weather Report 8:00—Fairy Tales, TN 8:10—Jam for Breakfast 8:30—Morning Meditations Rev. Corey 8:45—Easy Listening 9:00—News 9:05—Morning Merry Go Round 10:00—Obituary Column 10:05—Musical Interlude 10:15—Voice of the Army 10:30—Ayden Group 11:00—News 11:05—Block Party 11:30—Guest Star 11:45—Greenville Fertilizer Co. 12:00—News, TN 12:10—Weather Report, TN 12:15—Trading Post 12:30—Man on the Street 12:45—Dress Parade 12:55—Dog Pound News 1:00—News 1:30—Hayloft Harmonies 1:55—Friendly Mountaineers 2:00—Saturday Hop

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By CHESTER WALSH



# More Bad Weather Hits Part Of Storm-Stricken Rangeland

By The Associated Press  
More bad weather hit portions of the storm-stricken western rangelands today. Snow and wind storms slowed to some degree the fight which is being waged on many fronts to save the millions of starving and snow-bound cattle and sheep.

There were fresh falls of snow, accompanied by strong winds, in Nebraska, and in part of Nevada, Utah and Arizona.

Nebraska, one of the hardest hit by the earlier blizzards, got the most snow. Winds whipped it into drifts over newly cleared highways and rail lines and curtailed relief work in the disaster areas.

Lesser amounts of snow fell in other parts of the rangelands and did not seriously interfere with the relief operations. And Federal and State officials joined in the battle to dig out from the worst winter weather in several years in the western plains and Rocky Mountain region.

Emergency cash relief came from federal and state sources to finance the huge task of saving the more than 5,000,000 cattle and sheep which are in varying degrees of distress in the western storm area.

Incident weather also struck over other sections of the nation.

There was widespread precipitation over the central part of the country. There was a band of freezing rain and sleet from southern lower Michigan into Texas. Snow fell over most of the North Central region. Temperatures dropped and a new cold wave was forecast.

Flood conditions remained in the western picture. Warnings were issued for a 171-mile stretch of the Ohio past Cincinnati. Some 1,000 families have been driven from their homes by flood waters from Ohio river tributaries in Southern Illinois.

## Elks Honor Memory Of 'Bubber' Rowlette At Lodge Meeting

By CHESTER WALSH  
Greenville Lodge No. 1645, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks held a "Lodge of sorrow" at its regular meeting last night in honor of C. B. (Bubber) Rowlette, who died a week ago in an automobile accident near Bethel. Exalted Ruler J. Alvin Bunting officiated. Dick Stokes III delivered the memorial address and said "If each person for whom Bubber Rowlette had some kind act had taken a flower to his grave it would have been a wilderness of flowers." A quartet composed of Erskine Duff, Herman Norris, Joe Dreabach and Tige Gardner sang the memorial hymn.

Four new members, Frank House, Billy L. Harris, Oran Holmes and George Vincent were initiated and welcomed as new members. Roscoe W. Shiplett, who has been an Elk a long time, transferred his membership from the Augusta, Ga., lodge to Greenville.

Delegates were elected to the State Elks' association meeting to be held at Morehead City next month. The lodge was host at a barbecue supper to the members.

## Over 600 Persons Feared Victims Of Ship Collision

Shanghai, Jan. 26 —(AP)— More than 600 persons tonight were feared lost in an early morning collision of two Chinese ships off Chu Shan Island, 100 miles south of Shanghai.

The vessels, the passenger freighter Taiping and the freighter Kienyuan, collided in a fog a few minutes after last midnight.

Hours later only 40 of the 650 persons aboard the two ships had been accounted for. The Australian destroyer Waramunga picked up 35

and five others were rescued by other craft.

The Waramunga, en route to Shanghai from Japan, deposited its survivors at the mouth of the Whangpoo River, 12 miles below Shanghai. Language difficulty prevented the Australian officers from learning much about the sea disaster from the Chinese.

The Taiping, operated by the Chung Lien Ship Company, was enroute to Formosa with some 500 war refugees. It was feared some government officials and their families might have been lost. The vessel carried a crew of 75.

The Kienyuan was carrying coal to Shanghai from Formosa. She normally carried a crew of between 70 and 75 and no passengers.

## Engineers Hear Work Of College

The East Carolina Society of Engineers at a meeting held at East Carolina Teachers College Wednesday evening heard a program centering around the college, its services and its present needs.

Kenneth Knight, public utilities director in Rocky Mount and president of the organization, presided at a dinner given in the north dining hall on the campus. Approximately sixty members of the society from Rocky Mount, Kinston, Washington, Wilson, Tarboro, Williamston and Greenville were present. Martin Schwartz, Greenville public utilities head, acted as host and welcomed the group to the city and the college campus.

Dean Leo W. Jenkins of the college, guest speaker of the evening, told the engineers that East Carolina Teachers College is an institution devoted to the ideal of public service in eastern Carolina. "East Carolina is a community college," he said. "It is committed to the policy of serving the needs of eastern Carolina in any capacity whatsoever and will continue efforts to serve the people of the state."

Dean Jenkins outlined the program of the 1949 legislature as it affects East Carolina Teachers College and cited some of the pressing needs of the institution. Of paramount importance to a better program of public service and to the growth and development of the college, he stated, are a number of permanent improvements. He mentioned in particular a teachers' apartment-dormitory, the erection of which would make possible the conversion of Ragsdale Hall now occupied by women faculty members, into a dormitory for men students.

## Negro Woman Dies Of Heart Attack

Mrs. Abbie Hemby, 66, colored, died of a heart attack at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bernice Jenkins, on Pitt street, Thursday at 10 a. m. while drinking a cup of coffee.

Pit County Coroner, J. H. Rouse, who was called, said she died of natural causes.

## Junior Is Named Cadet Captain Of ROTC Unit

Plummer A. Daniel of Washington, N.C., junior at East Carolina Teachers College, has been named cadet captain of the Army Air Corps ROTC unit, advanced course, at the college here. He will serve as commanding officer of the cadet squadron.

A number of other ROTC students in both the advanced and the basic courses now being offered at the college have recently received appointments.

Four students of the advanced course have been named cadet first lieutenants. They are Robert M. Glover, Rocky Mount; Gilliam L. Parker Jr., Kinston; William F. Waters, Greenville; and Norman E. Wicker, Hopewell, Va. Receiving appointments as cadet second lieutenants are Thomas E. Casey, Goldsboro; Arthur G. Lockard, Center, Pa.; and Cecil R. Murphy and Hilton G. Styron, both of Davis.

Among students in the basic course, James C. Boyd, freshman from Clinton, has been appointed cadet first sergeant. Robert A. Robinson Jr., Washington, D.C., James E. Saller, New Bern, and Kenneth L. Stargardt, Richmond, Va., have been named cadet sergeants.

## Judge Believes Whipping Needed

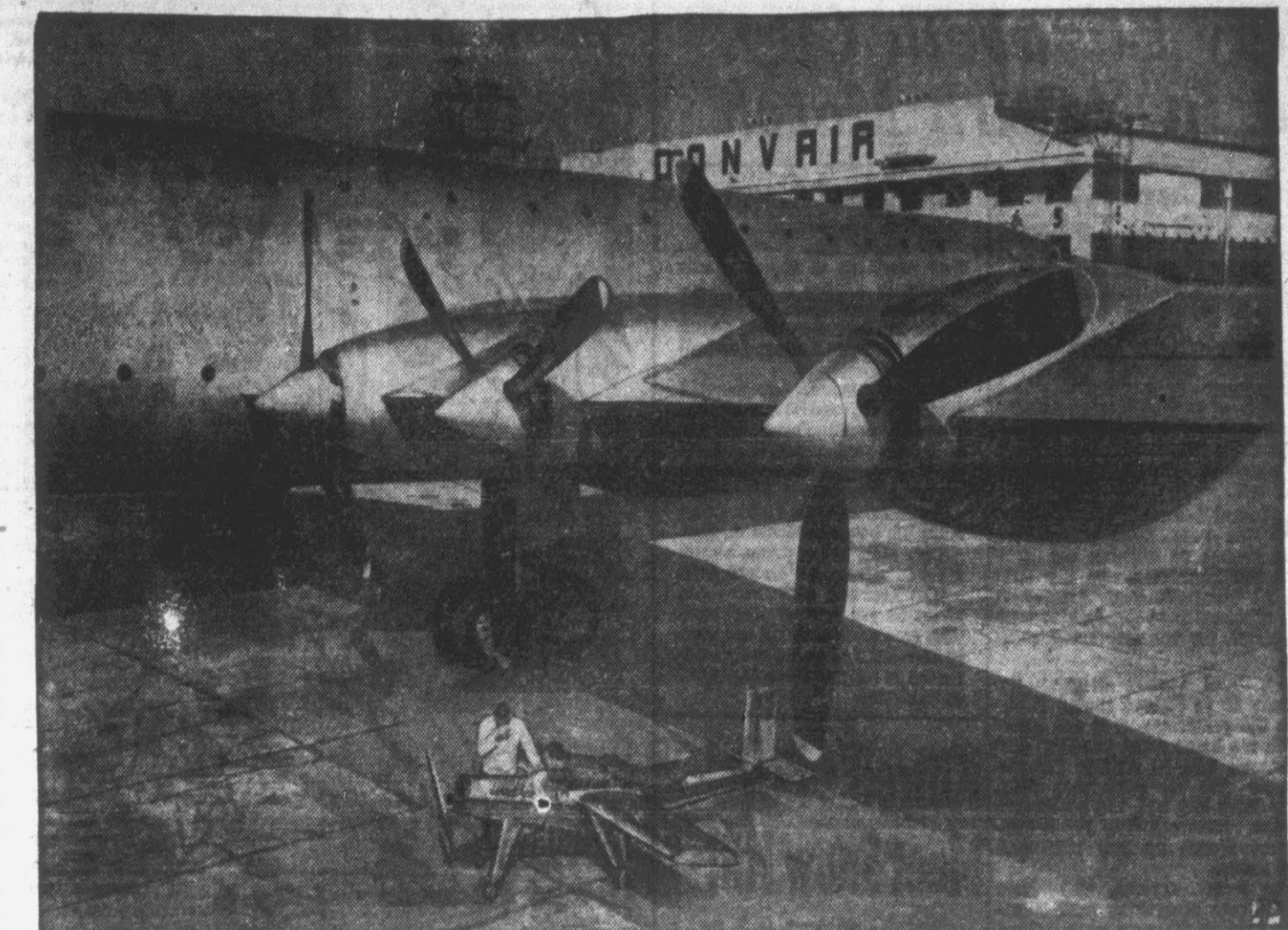
San Luis Obispo, Calif., Jan. 26 —(AP)— A judge who said they should publicly receive "40 lashes with a cat-o-nine-tails," sentenced two young men to six-month jail terms yesterday for stealing two nickel candy bars from a blind World War I veteran.

Adolph E. Alvarado, 23, and Antonio F. Lopez, 18, were sentenced by Judge Paul K. Jackson, who admitted he felt strongly about the matter because he too is a blind man.

## Oratorical Contest Here February 12th

An oratorical contest to be held at the Greenville High School on Saturday, February 12, sponsored by the Forensic Club, with R. B. Starling as coordinator, is expected to attract much public interest. These contests, started on an elementary basis some time ago, proved to be of such interest that the program has been extended to include more important phases of topics discussed. June H. Rose, superintendent of Greenville city schools, said Mr. Starling is doing a great work with the young people and that the subjects discussed are worthy of serious consideration.

ly become free-swimming larvae and then grow thin shells within 24 hours.



GIANT AND MIDGET OF THE AIR—The WeeBee, which has a wing span of 15 feet, nestles under a 400-troop transport, the XC-99, at San Diego, Calif. The small plane carries one man, lying prone, is 13 feet long and weighs 150 pounds.

## Greenville High School News

"Maxwell brass are bonnie Where early fa's the dew, And it's there that Annie Laurie Gie'd me her promise true."

Behind these words of the ballad Annie Laurie Wall Spence, author of the GHS senior play "Annie Laurie" has created a work of stirring adventure and frustrated love. As in any highly dramatic production, the atmosphere prevailing throughout the play is activated and augmented by the supporting players.

Annie Cahoon's portrayal of Meg, the housemaid of Maxwell, weaves into the background an aura of mystery and deep foreboding, for Meg's superstitious nature intensifies the drama.

"Pert" is the word the playwright uses to describe Meg. A look at Anne's extra-curricula activity record will show that this senior fits perfectly the description of "pert"; dependability would be added by anyone who has observed Anne's high school career.

Homemaking, forensics and sports have kept "Meg" busy in GHS. Anne is serving as president of the GHS chapter of the Future Homemakers of America, an organization she has participated in for four years. A member of the Distributive Education Club NFL, and Glee Club, Anne shows her diversity of interests. She played intramural sports for three years in basketball and softball.

"With such an excellent director—Mrs. Howard Mims—and a good play, I think this year's senior production will be one of the highlights in GHS stage history," Anne "Meg" Cahoon commented seriously.

## India Prepares For 1951 Census

New Delhi, India—(AP)—Printing presses will soon start turning out the first of nearly 400 million forms to be used in the 1951 census. The census tentatively is scheduled to begin March 31, 1951. Preparations are being made on an estimate that the population will total about 340 millions.

In 1941, six years before this subcontinent was partitioned, the population totaled 339 millions. Census officials estimate that 330 millions now live in India and about 80 millions in Pakistan.

## Old-Style Money Bill Returned

Charleston, S. C.—(AP)—A Charleston man lost an antique \$10 bill on the sidewalks of New York—and got it back. It was an old-style large bill issued by the First National Bank of Charleston in 1885.

Ashmead F. Pringle, Jr., carried it in a transparent case along with his membership cards in the Harvard Business school alumni association. The case was found by A. Abbott Rosen of Chicago, director of the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai. He sent it to the Harvard Association's office, which returned it to Pringle.

## Reclaim Swamps In Belorussia

Moscow—(AP)—Press reports say collective farmers and individual peasants of Belorussia reclaimed more than 60,000 hectares of swamp-

lands in 1948. This figure, it was explained, is about double the reclamation work of 1947.

More than 100,000 farmers took part last year in the building of canals and water works in the republic which for centuries has had some of the biggest marshlands in eastern Europe.

## Colored News

Parker's Chapel—Rev. Bob Woolley will be at Parker's Chapel Thursday night, February 3, at 7:30. One night only. Everyone is invited to come.

York Memorial A. M. E. Zion Church, Rev. P. H. Mumford, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45, W. J. Heister, superintendent.

11 a. m.—Message by the pastor, subject, "One Important Thing." Music by the junior choir. Every member is asked to be present at 11 a. m. and share in the last service of this month and play your part in the founder's day drive for Livingstone college.

Friends, please remember, if this world is saved, it must be saved by the faithful men and women, boys and girls, who are willing to work for that peace that Christ gave to the world.

This world is stained with sin. For the lack of good women and men,

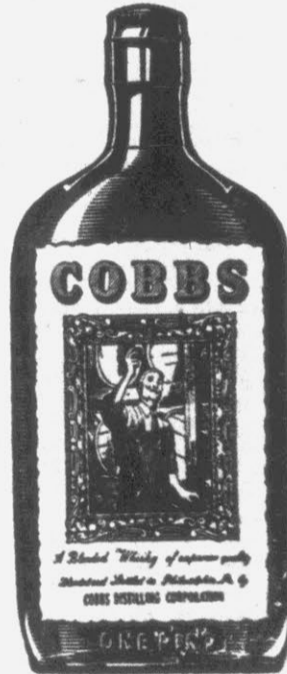
So go to church, and take a stand, So God will save this sinful land.

The Junior Ladies' Auxiliary held its last meeting at the home of Mrs. Rose Forbes. Everyone was present. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Mamie Lee Ellison Sunday, January 30, at 5 p. m.

The Bethel Bears and Bearetties, after taking two doublesheaders from Conetoe high, journeyed to Ayden to make the third victory. Bertha Clark and Evelyn Jones tossed in 10 points each for the Bearetties. Mattie Wiggins and Rosa Jones were star guards.

K. Maye led the scoring for the trailers with 6 points. The score, Bethel 21 and Ayden 14.

For the Bethel Bears L. Wiggins netted 9 points and Richard Fields 6 points. The star guards were R. Andrews, J. E. Carney and Felton Whitfield. L. Dail sank 10 points for Ayden. The final score, Bethel 21, Ayden 17.



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Armour's Tomato Juice, No. 2 can 10c	Delmonte Coffee, lb. .... 49c
Delmonte Prunes, 1 lb. pkg. .... 20c	Green & White Lima Beans, No. 2 can ..... 19c
Premium or Zesta Crackers, 1 lb. pkg. .... 25c	Early June Peas, No. 2 can ..... 10c
Assorted Jellies, 12 oz. jar ..... 15c	Field Peas with Snaps, No. 2 can .... 15c
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## Talk Change For Service Classic

Philadelphia, Jan. 25—(AP)—Army and Navy officials are considering the possibility of shifting the annual service football classic away from Philadelphia's Municipal stadium at least once in the next three years. The Army-Navy game has been played here since 1931, except for a three year World War two lapse. The contract for use of municipal stadium expired after last fall's game which ended in a 21-21 tie.

## Little Chance Seen For Visitors To Even Score Against Local Aggregations

The Elizabeth City Yellow Jackets and Jayvee basketballers invade the Green Phantoms of Greenville high school here tonight seeking revenge for a double defeat the Bo Farley coached aggregation handed them in Elizabeth City on Tuesday of this week. But local observers and statistics offer the boys from Pasquotank little chance of evening the score with the Phantoms. In the twin bill at Elizabeth City Tuesday it was apparent that the Jackets were no match for the Greenville quintets.

The local varsity dropped the Jackets 53 to 31 and should duplicate the performance, if not better it, on the home court tonight. The Phantoms will be striving for win number five in conference play. They have lost but two conference affairs. Elizabeth City has a conference record of two wins and four losses.

The local Jayvees, who have bowled over everything from Elizabeth City to Raleigh while rolling up a record of eight wins and two losses, are favored to take the Elizabeth City quintet with ease. Paced by Haymes and Briley the Greenville Juniors trounced the Junior Jax 34 to 13 Tuesday.

## High Point Must Whip WCTC To Retain Position

By the Associated Press  
High Point has to beat Western Carolina Teachers today to remain the top basketball team in the North State Conference. Otherwise idle Catawba will take the lead. The standings are: High Point 5-0, Catawba 6-1, WCTC 3-1.

Lenoir Rhyne, which has climbed to a tie for fifth place with slipping Atlantic Christian, has a good chance to go past them in the only other league game today. Lenoir Rhyne takes on an Elon club that has yet to win in the conference in four tries.

Last night Hanes Hosley gained revenge by defeating Guilford, 59-54. The Quakers had upset the independent mill team earlier in the season. Guilford is next to last in the nine-club conference with a 1-4 record.

## Title Bout Will Hinge On Fight

New York, Jan. 25—(AP)—Plans for an Ike Williams-Ray Robinson writer title match next summer hinge on a decisive victory for Ike in tonight's Madison Square Garden rematch with Cuban Kid Gavilan.

Many things must be straightened out before Lightweight Champ Williams can square off against Sugar Ray, One is Mr. Gavilan. The Rumba Kid made it real close with Williams last February.

## To Meet Owner

St. Louis, Jan. 25—(AP)—The new president of the St. Louis Cardinals planned a conference with manager Eddie Dyer today in his first move as chief owner of the National League baseball club.

Fred M. Saigh, 43-year-old business executive, yesterday bought controlling interest in the club from former president Robert E. Hannegan. Hannegan said he retired because of his health. Saigh called Dyer to St. Louis from his home in Houston, Tex. Dyer already has signed a contract to manage the club in 1949. The new president now owns about 90 per cent of the stock. The amount Hannegan received in the deal was unofficially estimated as ranging from \$1,000,000 to \$2,000,000.

## Kittrell's Boys Meet Snow Hill

The Greenville Midgets and Intermediates will travel to Snow Hill this afternoon, and the locals will meet teams coached by Larry James, former Greenville High and ECTC star.

The Midgets have been working out at the high school and Armory; their practice sessions have been "looking good" to Coach Kittrell. A change in the line-up, moving Guy Smith to forward, may prove to be the important development needed to give the Mites a better scoring punch.

Probable starting line-up: forwards: Guy Smith, Jr. and Topsy Smoot; center, Charlie White; guards: Jimmy Cheatham and Smith Worthington.

The Midgets lost a thrilling 26-22 basketball game to their Kinston rivals last Saturday. Halftime score showed the locals with a 10-7 advantage and a 12-12 deadlock at the end of the third quarter. Early in the last quarter Kinston took the lead and held it the rest of the game.

Cheatham's fine playing kept the Greenville team in the game as he accounted for ten points.

Greenville's Intermediates turned in a 42-26 win against Kinston in the second game. At halftime, the locals held a 17-11 lead and then pulled away with a comfortable lead to crest of the way.

Hal Edwards led the way with 20 points for the locals. Brady and Moore accounted for six points each.

## Rupp Won't Join Controversy But Far From Silent

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 25—(AP)—Coach Adolph Rupp didn't want to be drawn into basketball's hottest debate of the moment, concerning which is better, his Kentucky Wildcats or the St. Louis Billikens.

"I am getting too old for controversies," said Rupp, who certainly is not an old man, veteran though he is.

But then there was something Rupp wanted to say about his "fabulous foursome," the long-ferred Bread-Grooms-Jones-Barker combination that is in the home stretch of its last collegiate schedule.

And when he finished extolling his team's prowess, he said the subject room dared to bring up the subject of...

## Still On Job

New York—(AP)—Lou Trudel, former star of the Cleveland Barons in the American Hockey League, who often lit the goal lamp during his playing career, is now performing the same chore away from the ice. He is goal judge in his home town of Springfield, Mass., and ignites the red light when other AHL players score. In his playing days Trudel scored over 200 goals.

## Basketball Scores

Wake Forest 52 Duke 50.  
Alabama 39 Auburn 37.  
Morehead (Ky) 68 Georgetown (Ky) 52.  
Lincoln Memorial 72 Maryville (Tenn) 68.  
Oglethorpe 64 Florida State 52.  
Michigan State 63 Wayne (Mich) 48.  
Evansville 84 Southern Illinois 67.  
Willamette 88 Eastern Oregon 67.  
Central Washington 44 Portland 39.  
(No games in Southwest)

## Sport Slants by Pap



Great Guard... by Pap

If the towering goons have completely taken over the game of basketball as has been reported in some quarters, little Pete Corlias, the Depaul Blue Demons fiery guard hasn't heard of it. Corlias (the first syllable rhymes with "poor") stands only five feet, nine inches but he takes on the chore of guarding six-footers and does very well.

## Athletic Manager Rated Unreplaceable By College

An ex-sailor from Tamaqua, Pa., who wanted to be a college football star will go down in the history of East Carolina Teachers College.

But 23-year-old Jack Davis, whose home address is now Kinston, N.C., will not be recorded in the athletic history of the school as a halfback. A brain concussion suffered in the final game of the 1947 football season put an end to his gridiron career.

Instead Jack Davis will go down as the greatest manager of varsity athletics East Carolina ever saw.

Come the end of the winter quarter, the stocky little manager will take his petite blond wife and bid farewell to East Carolina, their basement apartment, and the smell of wintergreen and athletic equipment. Davis will graduate and go looking for a coaching job.

Officials at the college say he will never be replaced. Not that they have any doubts about the abilities of Junior Max Garrell. He is a good boy. He will do all right. But as Dr. N. M. Jorgensen, director of athletics, puts it: "There'll never be another Jack Davis. He is the greatest manager I ever saw."

Davis has saved the school enough money by cutting down on equipment loss to more than compensate for any reward he might be given for his services. Basketball Coach Howard Porter says.

The only equipment loss suffered since Davis took over has been due to depreciation. During the past football season Davis was issued 120 towels. When the season closed he turned in 127. The manager is not a mathematician either. He is majoring in physical education and minoring in history. The increase in the number of towels was attributed merely to "the tricks of the trade."

When blond-headed, pipe smoking Jack passes a piece of equipment through the window it either comes back at the end of the day or the person it was issued to gets black-balled, Jack Davis style.

On the night of the opening game of the basketball season one of the reserve forwards had failed to return a basketball issued him during practice. It just couldn't be found he explained to the stern-faced manager when he reported to the equipment window for his basketball uniform.

"That's just too bad," the manager announced. "Either you find the ball or replace it or finish the season in your underwear. No uniform."

And that is Jack Davis, the greatest manager of varsity athletics ever to hit East Carolina Teachers College.

**Big Boxing Meet**  
Columbia, S. C.—(AP)—The boxing teams of Maryland, Georgetown, American University, S. C. The Citadel, Miami University, Louisiana State University, and very probably the Universities of Virginia and Georgia will participate in a glitche collegiate boxing tournament, with the University of South Carolina playing host, March 24 25, and 26.

## Pirates And Lenoir Rhyne Cagers Play Here Jan. 29

By EUGENE PRICE  
Riddled by injuries, but determined to break a three-game losing streak, the Buccaneer basketballers of East Carolina Teachers College poised today to meet the Lenoir Rhyne Bears here Saturday.

It will mark the second meeting of the two North State Conference foes. Lenoir Rhyne topped ECTC 71 to 49 in Hickory two weeks ago to begin the Bucs' current losing streak.

It was a furious first half scoring attack which bowled over the Buccaneers in their initial clash. The last half saw the boys from East Carolina trade blow for blow and prevent the Bears from lengthening their lead.

With team Captain Charlie Bill Moye shelved at the time with a foot injury, the Pirates took the Lenoir Rhyne defeat in stride with the promise of wreaking revenge when the boys from the west came to the home court at East Carolina.

That was two weeks ago. Coach Porter's boys believed at the time that Moye might be back in shape in time for the second meeting of the two teams and that the Lenoir Rhyne cagers would not be able to keep up on the spacious Wright auditorium court.

On the eve of the game, however, Moye was far from being ready to lead his Buccaneers against the Bears. Even in practice sessions he has been able to see no scrimmage action because of his injury.

But the worries of the Pirates do not end there. High-scoring Forward Jack Everton is limping on not one but two sprained ankles. The injuries are not bad enough to keep the towering junior out of the game altogether but Coach Porter declared yesterday that Everton would certainly not be up to par for the game.

Buccaneer followers, nevertheless, are not taking the game as a hopeless case for the locals. In the Atlantic Christian game they were shown that Freshman Center Fitz Fennell and Sophomore Guard Frank Maennie were powerful scoring threats as well as dynamic defensive ball players.

Len Bauer, who held Lenoir Rhyne's scoring ace down in the first clash, will be among the ECTC starters tomorrow leaving both guard positions in experienced hands.

The forward positions will probably be filled by Freshmen Louis Collier and Eddie Tanner, both of whom have shown outstanding abilities in previous games but lack the experience offered by Moye and Everton.

The Lenoir Rhyne starting lineup will probably boast the services of Leo Kantorski, who accounted for 23 of the 71 points scored by his team two weeks ago. Sam Accora, whose defensive play was one of the most notable performances when the Pirates played at Lenoir Rhyne, will probably also be in the Bears' lineup tomorrow night.

**Underdog Deacs Trip Duke 52-50**  
By the ASSOCIATED PRESS  
Wake Forest's Deacons had a word today for those who have counted them out of the Southern Conference basketball tournament at Durham in March.

The word? "Don't be too hasty."  
The Deacons may have had their star forward, Willard Kaylor, declared ineligible and had to forfeit league games to Clemson, George Washington and the University of Richmond. But they aren't down and out.

They proved that last night when they rose up and knocked off Duke's Blue Devils, 52-50, a little trick they hadn't pulled on the Durham dribble artists since 1941. It was the first time the Deacons had ever beaten a basketball team coached by Duke's Jerry Gerard.

After seven minutes of play, Wake Forest moved ahead, 10-9, and was never behind again. The Deacons' Stan Najewy made 15 points but yielding scoring honors to Duke's Ceep Youmans, who collected 16.

The victory left the Deacons with a conference record of two wins and seven losses. They still have six hoop games. And of course, they still have a giant-killing job ahead if they manage to make the list of eight clubs which will play in the March tournament. They face top-ranking North Carolina State twice, North Carolina, Furman, South Carolina and a second tilt with Duke.

Bill Doherty, Villanova's 155-pound football quarterback, received a special award as outstanding back in the Philadelphia district last season.

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Columbia, S. C.—(AP)—The boxing teams of Maryland, Georgetown, American University, S. C. The Citadel, Miami University, Louisiana State University, and very probably the Universities of Virginia and Georgia will participate in a glitche collegiate boxing tournament, with the University of South Carolina playing host, March 24 25, and 26.

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**HER SECRET STAR**  
By Bennis C. Hall  
AP Newsfeatures

Chapter 18  
Jack Barnes stood at the desk of the Standish Hotel talking to the manager and wondering if he looked as badly as he felt. At best, he reflected, this interview would make him the laughingstock of his co-workers.

At the worst, Jack reflected still further, the interview would result in his losing his job as day clerk. The manager was a difficult man and extremely critical of his help. Jack didn't want to lose the job. He had hoped to make good on it. He only had to prove to his father that he was worthy of the salt that went into his bread.

He hadn't wanted to come to the hotel at this hour of the night and in this unsightly condition. Moreover, it made a liar out of him. He

was supposed to be home, sick with summer cold. At least that was what he had told the manager on the telephone this morning.

But he had no choice in the matter. He had promised both Betty and Mrs. Warren to bring Gertrude back alive and unharmed.

"Is Bobby Costello, the band leader, still registered here, Mr. Grant?" he asked by way of an opening. He did not want to implicate Gertrude if he could possibly help it.

"No. He checked out around noon. Say, I thought you were sick, Barnes."

"I—er—yes. I am sick." That was no lie, Jack reflected. He was sure he had never spoken truer words. He had expected to find Gertrude at Costello's side weeping over his wounds and otherwise making a fool of herself. If Costello had gone, undoubtedly the dumb little fool had gone with him.

"You don't look sick. Matter of fact, you look—" The manager paused and peered over his glasses at the battered young man who, in another incarnation, had been his favorite day clerk. "Barnes!" he roared. "What the devil's happened to your face?"

"Nothing," Jack, shielding his face with his hand, tried to assume a nonchalant air, and failed miserably.

"Nothing?" repeated the manager. "Good God, man, do you mean to stand there and say—" Words failed him.

"I—well, I first cut myself with a razor when I was shaving. Then I ran headlong into a—er—a door. You know how things always happen in three, Mr. Grant," he added lamely. "First you come down with a cold in the summertime. Then you cut yourself. Then you start bumping into doors and things. You know."

"Much to Jack's surprise, the manager appeared to believe him. "That's too bad," he said, shaking his head in commiseration. "Once I cut myself three times on the same day with the same razor. Nobody would believe that either."

The grin that followed the manager's cryptic remark emboldened Jack to inquire about Gertrude. "Is Miss Warren registered here? Miss Gertrude Warren of Carrollton?"

"Here's a Miss Greta Warren from Hollywood, California," he offered. "She registered sometime this morning when the relief man was on duty. But there's no Gertrude Warren of Carrollton."

"I'd like to check on it anyhow," Jack said firmly. "If you must know, she's had a little spat with her mother—about a career or some such nonsense. You know how kids are."

He turned back to the manager. "Mr. Grant, I'd appreciate it a whole lot if you'd check. You're practically a newcomer in these parts and you don't know what it means to a family like the Warrens for a girl to leave home. I've just been talking to Gertrude's mother and she's frantic."

It was Gertrude. Even as they rapped on the door, Jack and the hotel manager could hear her weeping. Soon she came to the door and opened it. She was fully dressed, but the pink linen suit she was wearing was crumpled and tear-splattered. Her small round face was streaked with mascara and her blonde hair, with which she had tried to achieve a sophisticated effect, was now hanging in damp tendrils on her neck.

For a moment she stood there, staring out at them, her blue eyes dark with misery. She looked like anything but a sophisticated. She looked more like a little tired girl whose world has fallen apart in her hands.

"He—he's gone!" she wailed. "We were going to run off and get married. We had everything planned—and now he's gone!"

Jack patted her shoulder and made a feeble attempt to stop her from saying more. "Okay—so he's gone. Now run wash your face and let's get started for home. Your

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**WALTER ABEL** enacts here the part of an over-indulgent father in "The Goose Hangs High," the drama chosen for broadcast this week on the radio series, GREAT SCENES FROM GREAT PLAYS, sponsored weekly by families of The Protestant Episcopal Church and the Episcopal Actors' Guild.

The drama will be heard to-night over station WGTC at 10:00 p.m.

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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.

**GUARANTY BANK & TRUST COMPANY,** Administrator C. T. A. of W. H. Congleton, deceased. J. B. James, Attorney. Dec. 20-11w-6wks.

**NOTICE**  
This is to give further notice that the old firm of Pitt Coal & Wood Company, formerly owned and operated by Royce Jones and R. E. Harris, Jr., was dissolved upon the death of Mr. Harris. Neither Mr. Jones nor the estate of Mr. Harris has any further interest in said business, as it was purchased by L. W. Gaskins and is being operated by him.

This the 5th day of January, 1949. J. B. JAMES, Executor of the Estate of R. E. Harris, Jr. January 7-17w-4wks.

**NOTICE**  
This is to give notice that the firm of Pitt Coal & Wood Company was dissolved at the death of R. E. Harris, Jr., a partner in said firm, and that the company is now being liquidated. All persons having claims against said firm will please present them to the undersigned, and all persons or firms indebted to said company will please make payment to the undersigned Executor of the Estate of R. E. Harris, deceased.

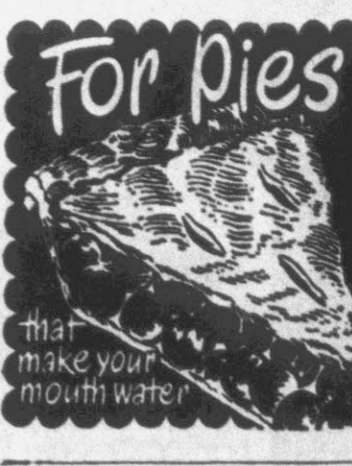
This the 10th day of December, 1948.

J. B. JAMES, Executor of the Estate of R. E. Harris, Jr. Dec. 16-17w-6wks.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE**  
Having qualified as administrator of the estate of E. S. Strickland, 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 7th day of January, 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 7th day of January, 1949. BRUCE STRICKLAND, Administrator of the estate of E. S. Strickland, deceased. J. H. Harrell, Atty. Jan. 8-17w-6wks.

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- 1 John Deere tractor; 1 field disc; 1 dis-tiller; 1 smoothing harrow; 1 transplan-ter; 4 mules; 3 tobacco trucks; 2 sets of Dallis oil burners; 1 oil tank for tobacco barn; about 50 bbls corn; about 4 tons peanut hay; 1 set electric horse clippers; about 8,000 tobacco sticks; and other farming implements.

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### Southern Solons Fight Rules Gag

Washington, Jan. 28—(AP)—Southern Senators hammered away today against moves to strip them of the filibuster weapon.

Senator Maybank (D-SC), took up the arguments before the Senate Rules committee.

At the same time, there were reports some of the Southerners were trying to work out a compromise.

Maybank told the committee "filibusters have killed more bad bills than good ones."

"I do not know of any important measure," he said, "which has been defeated by filibuster and then enacted at a later date."

Maybank said that to throttle debate will mean "the bitter end to this, not only the greatest but the only remaining open, legislative forum in the world—the only sounding board for the voice of free people where free and unlimited debate is an inherent right."

He contended the Senators have the right to "out vote and defeat a Senator in his contentions but they cannot and must not be allowed to do it as long as the Senator can and will speak."

If free debate is shut off, Maybank said, "I shudder at the very thought of the monster we would have created."

"Why we would have created a despotism under which self government would be but a name."

### To Tell Story Of Big Corn Crops

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 28—(AP)—Three members of the N. C. State College staff and a Johnston county farmer will appear on the National farm and home hour tomorrow.

The story of North Carolina's recent and amazing increase in corn yields will be the subject of the broadcast, which will go over the NBC network and will originate in WPTF in Raleigh.

### Strong Basque

San Sebastian, Spain—(AP)—Thirty-two-year-old Santos Iriarte Arracarte, from Azcoitia, is the strongest Basque in Spain. He won this title at a weight-lifting competition here recently.

Iriarte, in a five-minute period lifted a 200-kilogram (about 440 pounds) stone up to his shoulders four times. He plans to improve his record by raising 225 kilograms soon.

**STATE TODAY SATURDAY**

**Johnny Mack Brown**  
in  
**"Sheriff of Medicine Bow"**

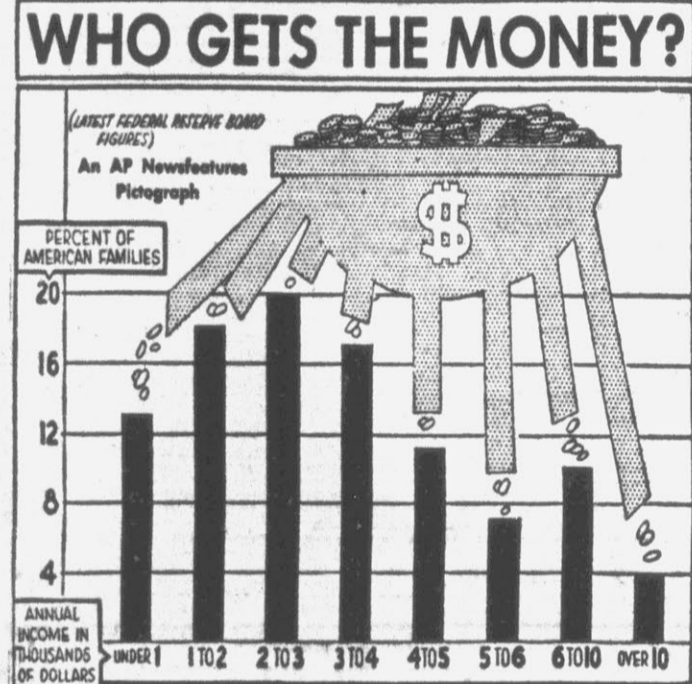
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Edgar Kennedy Comedy



**DP AND PET**—Hilda Alev, Estonian Displaced Person, romps with the family pet at an Ontario, Canada, home where she is employed as a maid.



**POULTRY FANCIER**—A young poultry fancier, John S. Gordon, 4, looks over Toulouse goose at New York show. The big bird is owned by the Elm Farm of Vernon, Conn.



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London, Jan. 28—(AP)—Britain agreed today to buy more American tobacco in 1949 barring any "substantial adverse change" in General Anglo-American trading.

Color blindness may be either acquired or congenital.

### Much Of Polio's Mystery Is Gone

Winston-Salem, N.C., Jan. 28—(AP)—A cloud of mystery once surrounded infantile paralysis, but actually it behaves just like any other infectious disease.

Dr. Harry M. Weaver of New York City, director of research of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, said discovery of that fact was the outstanding development in polio probing in the past six months.

In the city for a brief visit, Dr. Weaver said in an interview that the program to combat infantile paralysis was moving along smoothly although it had a long way to go.

"I think the major development in the field of polio in the past six months or so is that we know now that it will be just like any other disease," he declared. "It no longer is a mystery to us."

"We know now that infantile paralysis is caused by a virus and it is possible to protect against a virus by vaccination," he continued.

### Phone Companies Win Permission To Boost Rates

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 28—(AP)—The Utilities commission today granted two small telephone companies permission to boost their rates.

The old town telephone system was allowed to increase residence rates 25 cents and business rates 50 cents per month at its Rural Hall exchange. This would increase its income about \$1,000 a year.

The Cooleemee Telephone Company received authority to increase its residence rates 50 cents per month and its business rates by from 50 to 75 cents per month. The increase would amount to about \$1,200 a year.

### Minimum Wage . . .

(Continued from page one) law was passed in 1938.

The White House has been trying for about four years to get the minimum wage raised.

Last year the Senate voted to boost it to 60 cents an hour. But the law remained unchanged, and there was no raise for the House did nothing about it.

Altogether about 22,000,000 workers are in industries covered by the present law. But about 20,500,000 of them are making more than 75 cents an hour.

Labor unions and employers have argued about raising the minimum pay.

Said employers: It would be inflationary and result finally in higher wages all along the line.

Said unions: By keeping wages from sinking below a certain level, purchasing power is kept up.

Labor leaders also have argued for the "floor" for wages to protect employers who "want to pay a decent wage" from business rivals who may try for higher profits by wage-cutting to save costs.

The House Labor Committee is holding hearings on all this now, and will for some time.

### Imaginations . . .

(Continued from page one) leged, through circumstances which the governments cannot remedy without outside assistance. Naturally the evil eye of communism is fastened on this strategic area.

Here again the industrial and agricultural potentialities are far reaching. Even before Britain granted independence to the peninsula, it had established itself as the eighth industrial country of the world. And now, whether India gets outside help, she is likely to become the dominant power of Asia. Democracy needs her in its camp.

So the story goes around the globe. As previously remarked, the

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**UNDERWATER FEEDING**—Patsy Boyette feeds some of the fish during the "Mermaid Show" in the Underwater Theater below the surface of Weekiwahe Springs, Fla.

### N.Y. Cotton

New York, Jan. 28—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 15 cents a bale higher to 5 cents lower.

Noon prices were unchanged to 30 cents a bale lower than the previous close. March 32.74, May 32.52 and July 31.51.

### N.Y. Stock Market

New York, Jan. 28—(AP)—Steel shares dragged other stocks into lower price ground in today's market. Declines of fractions to well over a point were posted for numerous issues before the price curve leveled off. A fair amount of business was done.

Wall Street remained in a gloomy mood—which was little relieved by Bethlehem's Steel's record 1948 earnings—over failure of U. S. Steel Corporation's special dividend and stock split-up proposal to inspire

### Hog Market

Raleigh, Jan. 28—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog prices steady to slightly stronger. Tops of \$20 at Kinston, Rocky Mount, Tarboro, Greenville, Wilson, Goldsboro, and Washington.

### Poultry and Eggs

Raleigh, Jan. 28—(AP)—(NCDA)—Fryers and broilers steady at 26-27; eggs steady, A large 50.

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Allis Chalm Mfg	27%	Kennecott	51%
Am Smelt and Ref	53 1/2	Ligg and Myers	86%
A T and T	147%	Loews	1-4
Am Tob	65%	Lorillard	20%
Anacosta	33%	Mont Ward	53%
All Ref	35%	Nash Kely	14%
Baldwin	11%	Nat Biscuit	32%
B and O	10%	N Y Cent	12
Bendix Aviat	32	No Am Aviat	10
Beth Stl	22%	Packard	4
Boeing Airpl	22 1/2	Param Pic	23 1/2
Burl Mills	18	Fennel J C	44%
Bur Add Mach	14%	Penn Rls	18 1/2
Case J I	36 1/2	Pepsi Cola	9 1/2
Caterpil Trac	53 1/2	Phillips Pet	55%
Ches and O	33	Republic Stl	25 1/2
Chrysler	54%	Reynolds B	36%
Coml Credit	48%	Sears	37%
Coml Solv	17%	Sou Ry	38 1/2
Curt Wright	8%	Std Oil N J	68%
Dow Chem	49%	Stewart Warner	12%
Dupont	43%	Tex Co	52
Eastman Kod	185%	Union Carbide	38%
Firestone	48%	United Air	23 1/2
Gen Mot	56 1/2	United Corp	2%
Goodrich	102	US Rubber	41%
Goodyear	44	US Smelt and Ref	41 1/2
Int Harv	28	US Steel	77 1/2
		Va Caro Chem	9%
		Warner Pic	9 1/2
		Western Union	15 1/2
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