

Increasing cloudiness tonight. Friday mostly cloudy with light showers.

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Arab States Get In Line To Sign Holy Land Peace

Egypt Takes Lead In Recognizing Israel By Accepting Armistice

Rhodes, Feb. 24—(AP)—Egypt signed a general armistice with Israel today and the other Arab states lined up to do likewise.

By agreeing to the armistice Egypt took the lead among the states of the Arab League in accepting the dynamic Jewish state in their midst, which they vowed to destroy last May. The preamble specifically declares the agreement is a step to permanent peace in Palestine.

Washington, Feb. 24—(AP)—President Truman is "immensely gratified" over the armistice agreement of Israel and Egypt, the Chief Executive told his news conference today.

Pending a permanent settlement broad demilitarized zones are created by which Egypt surrenders all Palestine except Gaza and its narrow coastal strip of about five miles width. She even withdraws to a defensive line 17 to 30 miles inside her own frontier.

Israel is left in possession of nearly all the Negev, including disputed Beerseba for the time being. She has ambitious colonization schemes in the desert area.

Still to be settled are the fate of the southern tip of the Negev desert from Beerseba southward to the Red Sea, and the central area of Palestine held by the Arab Legion and Iraqis and the old part of Jerusalem.

These territorial questions will be determined largely by armistice negotiations with Trans-Jordan beginning here Monday.

The Egyptian agreement specifically states that territorial questions are subject to the final peace settlement. But there seems no doubt that this will be largely determined by the armistice line.

Significantly, Egypt concedes that incidents upon which she is referring to their Oct. 14 lines would not serve the "basic purposes and spirit" of the armistice. These were the lines which Israel launched her two offensives in October and December and won the Negev. She never returned to the old lines, even though the U. N. Security Council twice ordered her to do so.

The formal signing was at 10:30 a. m. in the yellow room of the Hotel Des Rhodes where Dr. Ralph Bunche, acting U. N. mediator, made his headquarters during 42 days of difficult negotiations.

Sororities Told Of 'Espionage'

Beverly, Calif., Feb. 24—(AP)—A dozen sorority houses at the University of California learned to their consternation today the true identity of Mary Lou Ulrich. "She" is Walter Robert Ulrich, a 20-year-old junior from San Diego.

Ulrich wanted to find out how the better half lived so he posed as Mary Lou during Rush week on Sorority Row. That's the time the girls pick out prospective new members.

Will Again Urge Health Insurance

Washington, Feb. 24—(AP)—President Truman said today he will renew his advocacy of compulsory health insurance in a special message to Congress within the next several weeks.

He told a news conference he expects to send a message to the Capitol embracing his whole National health program. He would not go into details.

Peacemaker Ethridge Meets Arab



Mark Ethridge, American member of the United Nations Palestine Conciliation Commission, stops on the outskirts of Amman to talk with an Arab refugee. The Arab's camel is loaded with shrubs and grass gathered by the refugee for his poverty-stricken family. Ethridge is publisher of the Louisville (Ky.) Courier-Journal. A native of Meridian, Miss., he once served as managing editor of the Macon (Ga.) Telegraph. (AP Wirephoto).

Claim Accounting Set-Up Not Clear

Hoover Commission Unanimous In Agreeing Improvements Needed, But Split On How To Go About It

Washington, Feb. 24—(AP)—The 12-man Hoover Commission agreed unanimously today that the government's accounting set-up needs improving, but split four ways over how to do it.

The group came out solidly for "radical revision" of the present budgeting and accounting methods. Their idea, they said, is to show clearly: "1. On budgeting; what is the money wanted for? 2. On accounting; what do the taxpayers get for it?"

Present practices, the group declared, "confuse the congress and the public and make effective administration almost impossible."

The bipartisan commission's sharpest disagreement to date focused on the stormy figure of Comptroller General Lindsey C. Warren, and the 10,000-man, \$30,000,000-a-year general accounting office he heads.

Warren, a former congressman from North Carolina and himself an advocate of big-scale government reform, had given the commission on government reorganization advance warning that any proposal to trim his agency's power would bring a congressional fight that might wreck the whole reorganization program.

A seven-man majority of the commission—including former President Herbert Hoover, its chairman and Secretary of Defense Forrestal Senator Aiken (R-Vt) and Rep. Brown (R-Ohio)—sought a middle course.

Aiming at uniform practices, they recommended creation of an "accountant general" in the Treasury who would "prescribe general accounting methods and enforce accounting procedures x x x subject to the approval of the comptroller general."

That promptly provoked two dissenters—one that the majority would encroach too far on Warren's present activities and the other that they wouldn't encroach far enough.

Higher Prices On Food Items Found In Brief Survey

Most Meats Show Upward Trend; Some Vegetables Show Shortage Effect

By the Associated Press

Housewives found higher price tags on several meats, and vegetables at favorite stores this week.

Many beef items were up 4 to 10 cents a pound from last week in highly competitive chain stores across the country. Pork cuts advanced an average of 6 cents a pound.

Grade "A" eggs were up a penny or two a dozen. String beans advanced as much as 10 cents a pound in several cities, and tomatoes were a few cents higher.

The only meat to show a general downward trend was veal, which was marked down 4 to 10 cents a pound by several large chains.

In New York, one chain announced it was cutting evaporated milk a penny a can following wholesale reductions of 35 cents per case of 48 cans by three major manufacturers. That brought the retail price in New York to 27 cents for two cans.

Meat buyers attributed the beef and pork advances to a firm wholesale market resulting from fewer livestock receipts. They said livestock men, disappointed by recent low prices, apparently were holding back animal shipments.

High string bean prices resulted from a seasonal "between-crops" shortage, produce men said. The Florida crop is about finished and the market now is awaiting shipments from Texas and California which have been delayed by unfavorable weather.

Fresh spinach and peas are appearing for the first time in several weeks in many stores across the nation. They have been delayed by unfavorable weather also.

The Dun & Bradstreet Wholesale Food Index this week edged upward to \$5.78 from \$5.76 a week ago, but was still 12.6 per cent below the 1948 level. The index represents the total wholesale cost of a pound each of 31 general use foods.

McLawhorn New Head Pitt ABC

Haywood Dail Elected Member Of Board To Replace Hart

Three Pitt county boards, in joint session, at the courthouse today, elected R. Herman McLawhorn, well known farmer of the Winterville section, chairman of the Pitt County Alcoholic Board of Control to succeed Charles O'Hagan Horn, of Greenville, who died recently. Haywood Dail, also well known here, was elected a member of the ABC board to succeed Frant Hart of Ayden, resigned.

The three groups participating in the election were the Board of County Commissioners, Board of Health and the Board of Education. M. Brown Hodges, chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, presided. The meeting was brief.

The present membership of the ABC Board now is R. H. McLawhorn, chairman; Walter Jones of Farmville and Haywood Dail of Greenville.

The chairman's job is a lucrative position and carries with it considerable influence, it is understood.

House Committee Delays Show-Down Vote On Liquor

Raleigh, N.C., Feb. 24—(AP)—A show-down vote on the liquor issue was postponed by the House Committee on Propositions and Grievances today.

The committee held a brief session as scheduled but took no action on a measure by Rep. T. A. Martin of Davidson calling for a statewide liquor referendum.

Instead Rep. Shelley B. Caviness of Guilford, committee chairman, announced another meeting would be held next Tuesday morning and a vote on the Martin measure is expected at that time.

The House, meanwhile, killed a bill to ratify an amendment to the U. S. constitution which would limit terms of Presidents to two.

The measure was tabled after Rep. C. Wayland Spruill of Bertie said the amendment "stinks to high heaven" and Rep. John W. Umstead of Orange asserted that it was "proposed in 1942 by Republicans to prevent the fourth term election of President Roosevelt."

The Senate which met at noon, was expected to debate a measure to kill motor vehicles inspection. An affirmative Senate vote would complete legislative action on the inspection repealer.

The Propositions and Grievances Committee meeting came one day after Governor Scott appeared before a joint session of the assembly and told the lawmakers that to deny a statewide liquor referendum "is to subject our democratic form of government to contempt that is both unjust and dangerous."

A committee decision on another

referendum bill was not due before next week. Senator Henry Vann of Sampson, chairman of the Senate Committee on Propositions and Grievances, first set a session for today but then said it would not be held until early next week.

The Senate group is considering a measure which would provide for an election to make the state completely wet or completely dry.

The inspection repealer bill was on the Senate calendar for action today at a noon session. The measure shot through the House on an overwhelming vote last week.

It got a favorable report yesterday from the Senate Roads Committee, and some of its opponents conceded

that it probably would get into the statutes when taken up by the Senate.

Committee activity grabbed the major share of attention in a busy day yesterday for the legislators.

The Senate Roads Committee, besides approving inspection repeal, handed Governor Scott a setback on his rural roads program.

The group okayed amendments which would: cut from \$200,000,000 to \$100,000,000 the size of a road bond issue the people would vote upon; and make a one-cent gasoline tax increase dependent upon the people's approval of a bond issue. The amended bill got a favorable report.

Tongue-Tied "Portia" Wins Suit



Husband Arturo Gay offers water to his wife, Inez, blonde amateur lawyer, after emotion overcame her in final round of her \$5,000 personal property recovery suit against her father and stepmother, Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Horton, at Newark, N. J. She conducted her own case in court and won the suit. But at 11 o'clock, court was interrupted an hour and a half by a seizure. Gay became tongue-tied. A doctor said temporary paralysis of her tongue was caused by deep emotion. (AP Wirephoto).

Sees Roadblock To Truman Bills

Senator Says Civil Rights Debate Will Hold Up Action

Washington, Feb. 24—(AP)—A southern Senator said today some of his colleagues from the South might back a Republican effort to keep a civil rights debate going—and thus block a long string of top-priority administration bills.

The issue is due to come up Monday, when the Senate considers a rule change to cut off filibusters. Southerners, who traditionally try to talk civil rights measures to death when they run out of other weapons, say they will filibuster against the rules change.

Senate Democratic leaders plan to set aside that debate whenever any important legislation is ready for action. But the Dixie lawmaker, who asked to remain anonymous, said that might not be so easy.

He pointed out that with only seven Southern votes, added to the 42 they have in their own party, Republicans could keep the civil rights debate on the floor, while such important administration measures as these piled up behind it:

Reciprocal trade; European aid; housing; repeal of the Taft-Hartley labor act; and aid to education.

Meanwhile, Senator Russell (D-Ga) asked the southerners to meet this afternoon to agree on the strategy they will use to oppose the anti-filibuster resolution, which would permit the Senate to gag debate at any time by a two-thirds vote of the members.

Russell told reporters the Senate may become involved in a fight that would defeat "all worthwhile legislation in this session."

Marriage Counsellors For U.S. Personnel Overseas

Washington, Feb. 24—(AP)—The Army and Air Force have set up a marriage counselling service for personnel overseas.

The two services issued a set of revised matrimonial regulations yesterday to take the place of the rules which existed under the war brides act. That law has expired.

Intended to "furnish guidance" to overseas commanders on problems, regulations point out:

1. Alien wives of military personnel are no longer assured of "virtually automatic entry" into the United States, although they do not come under a quota. The wife must show

high standards of health and character and the husband must prove he can support her.

2. Alien husbands of military personnel are out of luck. All the man gets is "preferential standing under the quota"—and the preferential quotas are "generally heavily oversubscribed. If he has any children from a former marriage, they come under the regular quota.

The regulations even have some advice to offer the happy couple before the marriage. A "formal or informal after-duty course of marriage counselling, including a discussion with the unit chaplain" is suggested to "include the fiancée where practicable."

Pending Legislation To Affect Health Boards

Raleigh, Feb. 24—County and district boards of health are affected by three senate bills which have been approved by committees of both houses.

The Currie-Jones bill would provide for enforcement of rules and regulations of district health departments. District departments would be placed on the same basis as county health departments with respect to enforcement.

The measure would simply give departments authority to make regulations and carry them out. Passed in both committees without discussion, the legislation was ruled an oversight in original drafting of public health bills.

Birth certificate regulations would be amended by another bill

designed to tactfully alleviate unnecessary attention to illegitimacy or adoption.

Authorization would be given state registrar to provide certified copies of birth certificates bearing only the full name, birth date, state of birth, race, sex, date of filing and certificate number. Coupled with the measure is a provision prohibiting unauthorized persons from having access to records.

Another amendment would provide for registration of adopted children born in foreign countries and living in this state. Dr. C. B. Stevick, of state board of health vital statistics says that there are

a surprising number of these cases. Senate bill 113 would merely authorize adoption of birth and death certificate as used and recommended by the federal government.

Atlantic Pact Nations Reach Basic Agreement

Writer Decries 'War Hysteria'

Deported From Russia, Journalist Blames U.S. Press

New York, Feb. 24—(AP)—Anna Louise Strong, deported from Russia on espionage charges, arrived here by plane early today and promptly was subpoenaed to appear before a federal grand jury probing Communism.

Two FBI agents met her at La Guardia field, and handed her the federal subpoena.

The Nebraska-born journalist, whose writings have been described as pro-Soviet told newsmen she was not guilty of Russia's charges.

She said the charges were the result of "war hysteria" which she blamed mostly on the American press.

She continued:

"I was very energetically searching for information which I considered of my journalistic task, and if the Soviet government chose to consider this espionage, there is nothing I can do about it."

But Miss Strong hastened to add that she considers her expulsion was caused by "the tension and war hysteria which the American press has done so much to stir up."

As a result, she said, it could be predicted that she would "not be the last, because any American journalist asking questions comes under suspicion and people in certain countries are afraid to talk to them."

Accord On Draft Of Defense Clause Believed To Clear Way For Prompt Completion Of Pact In Two Weeks

Washington, Feb. 24—(AP)—The seven nations negotiating an Atlantic security treaty are understood to have reached substantial agreement on the draft of a defense clause, covering action in event of an attack.

This has been the greatest single issue between the United States and Western European governments in the long negotiations which opened last summer. The accord now reported is regarded by diplomats as clearing the way for prompt completion of the pact, probably in about two weeks.

While the wording is still secret, the basic provisions are understood to make these two points:

1. An armed attack on any one of the Atlantic powers shall be considered as an attack on all of them and each country undertakes to assist in meeting the attack in line with its rights of self defense under the United Nations charter.

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New Long-Range Federal Housing Bill Is Submitted

Multi-Billion Dollar Measure May Be Involved In Civil Rights Fight

Washington, Feb. 24—(AP)—A multi-billion dollar long range federal housing bill today was placed before the Senate Banking Committee where it may become involved in a new battle over civil rights.

Washington, Feb. 24—(AP)—The Senate Banking Committee today approved a broad multi-billion federal housing bill, 9 to 3. It is to be introduced in the Senate tomorrow as a bipartisan measure.

A proposed amendment by Senator Bricker (R-Ohio) to the public housing section of the measure would spark the fight. The amendment would require that there be no racial discrimination or segregation in public housing projects.

Chairman Sparkman (L-Aia) of the Banking Subcommittee which yesterday approved the new housing measure has said that inclusion of such a provision could kill the whole bill.

"Completely unworkable," said Senator Murray (D-Mont) of Bricker's proposal. Murray added: "No person has the right to kill such a program by bringing in language with which many of us agree, but which is so worded that it may defeat the housing program."

But Bricker reminded reporters that the platforms of both the Democrats and Republicans contain civil rights plank. He suggested:

"Let's see if they mean it."

Sparkman said he hopes to have a bill sponsored by both Democrats and Republicans before the Senate either tomorrow or Monday.

The housing bill approved by voice vote yesterday in the subcommittee contains these major provisions:

1. A low rent public housing program calling for maximum construction of 6,810,000 units over a six-year period.

Construction will be at the rate of 1,135,000 units annually, but the President could either increase the annual rate to 250,000, or decrease it to 50,000.

Federal contributions during the first five years would be progressively increased to a maximum amount of \$308,000,000. It would remain at that figure for the succeeding 35 years.

2. A \$1,500,000,000 slum clearance program.

3. Authorization for the housing and home finance administrator to undertake broad technical and economic research programs with particular regard to (a) increasing home building and (b) cutting down costs.

4. A \$262,500,000 four-year rural dwelling and building program to be handled under the direction of the Secretary of Agriculture. Of this amount, \$250,000,000 would be in the form of loans, and \$12,500,000 in grants.

'Wait And See' Policy On China Said Indicated

Washington, Feb. 24—(AP)—Thirty House Republicans discussed the Chinese situation with Secretary of State Acheson today and got the idea that this government plans no action until "the dust settles a bit."

Many of those attending the conference told reporters they learned little of value.

Acheson himself had nothing to say.

One of those who sat in said the Secretary had indicated the United States has adopted a "wait and see" attitude toward China and will wait until things are more stable before deciding on any new steps to help.

Cause For Anxiety?

Columnist Investigates Brazil's Concern Over Future Of Their World Markets In Light Of Planned Development Of Africa; What He Found; Two Problems In One

By DeWITT MacKENZIE

The fears expressed by Brazilian industrial and agricultural leaders over the future of their world markets sent your correspondent on a sleuthing expedition to see what justification there is for this anxiety.

As previously reported in this column, a conference of these worried leaders is being held this week in the great market city of Sao Paulo. They base their concern on the projected intensive development of African possessions by Britain in particular and by other European colonial powers in general. Mario Pentecost, economic expert, warns that every crop vital to Brazil will be grown in Africa.

Of course Britain isn't hiding her light under a bushel. Her project for developing her rich African areas has been well advertised. It involves a double-barrel idea: (1) To put Britain on her feet economically, and (2) to rehabilitate her empire.

I put it in an informed British source whether England "meant business." The answer was in the affirmative—definitely. She intends to carry out intensive developments.

Cooperation Administration announced in Washington yesterday that it had approved a long-range development program in British colonies. Not only American dollars but skilled American manpower will be used to open up valuable resources in regions of Africa, South East Asia and British Guiana.

Brazil—and many other countries for that matter—are facing a reorientation of British trade, as the signs read.

Britain is no longer a creditor nation; she is a debtor. She must balance her accounts, and in order to do that she must buy her supplies in areas where she can use British currency—that is, pounds sterling. She no longer has "hard currency," such as American money, with which to buy where she pleases. The same is true of most European countries.

If that sounds complicated, let's put it this way. A "hard currency" country is one whose income and outgo are in balance. "Hard currency" is readily and legally converted into any other currency. But the

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Brief Spell Of Warm Weather Suddenly Ends

By the Associated Press

The tail-end of a Canadian cold wave swished across the border today and ended a brief spell of spring-like weather for the North Central states.

The drop in temperatures was expected to slow down at least temporarily local flooding in some parts of snow-covered Nebraska.

Residents along the Nemaha river and of the Republican river valley have been alerted as the streams continued to rise.

The mercury dropped to below zero in sections of North Dakota and were near zero in some parts of South Dakota and northern Minnesota as the cold air moved across the border.

Raise Women's Rights In India

New Delhi, India, Feb. 24—(AP)—Amid shouts of protest, Dr. B. R. Ambedkar, law minister, introduced a bill today in the legislative assembly granting Hindu women more rights, including the right to seek divorce.

Introduction of the bill was preceded by stormy debate during which demands were made that the measure be withdrawn.

TELEPHONE EXPANSION

Washington, Feb. 24—(AP)—A House agriculture subcommittee today approved a bill to let the government make loans for a vast expansion of telephone lines to rural areas.

Social and Personal

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

Miss Dot Ormond, a student at Converse College, Spartanburg, S. C., will arrive tonight to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ormond. She will have as her guest Miss Beverly Lang of Lynchburg, Va.

40 Years Ago Today

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Shad and herring are getting more plentiful. People down this way in such weather as this, reading about snow drifts and blizzards in the west, feel like they sound fishy, but it is only a difference in climate.

You can hear plenty of complaints now about bad roads. They will continue to be bad until the people make up their minds to have them better.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hubert Jopner of Farmville and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Collins have returned from St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Tige Gardner left today to spend several weeks in Fort Pierce, Fla.

Mrs. Annie Pittman has returned from Miami, Fla., and Birmingham, Ala.

Birth Announcement
Mr. and Mrs. John Paris Corey, of Fort Riley, Kansas, announce the birth of a daughter, Paris Jane, on Friday, February 18.

Elected President of Club
John Clark, of Grifton, has been elected president of the newly organized Young Democrats club at Guilford College.

Birth Announcement
Dr. and Mrs. C. Fred Irons announce the birth of a son, Ben Gibson, on Saturday, February 19, in Pitt General hospital.

Cub Pack 19 Meets Friday Night
Cub Pack 19 will meet Friday night at 7:30 in the basement of the First Presbyterian Church. Boys ages 8, 9, 10 and 11 with their parents are invited to attend.

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Critically Ill in New Jersey
Mrs. W. P. Gardner is still in Long Branch, N.J., where she has been for the past three weeks because of the critical illness of her son, Mr. Carl L. Whitehurst. Mrs. W. L. Clark and her son, Leighton, left for Long Branch this morning. Mrs. Clark is a sister of Mr. Whitehurst.

Attend Meeting in Chapel Hill
Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Tadlock, Mrs. Allie P. Whitehurst and Mrs. Mary Dell Seymour attended the second annual conference of the Junior Executives and Employees of the North Carolina Building and Loan League held in Chapel Hill, N. C., Monday and Tuesday of this week.

To Celebrate 90th Birthday
Mrs. Betty Clark will celebrate her 90th birthday at her home, 409 Billmore street, Sunday afternoon. She will have as her guests members of the T. E. L. class of Memorial Baptist Church. Mrs. Clark is the mother of Miss Louise Clark and Mrs. A. W. Hodnett.



SOCIAL CALENDAR

THURSDAY
7:00 p. m.—The regular meeting of Greenville Shrine Club will be held at Nelson Hopkins. D. J. Whitchard, Jr., will have charge of the program.
8:00 p. m.—Mrs. Dick Fife will entertain at dessert bridge at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. L. Briley, honoring Miss Betsy Fife, bride-elect.
8:00 p. m.—V. F. W. Auxiliary meets at the club house.

FRIDAY
6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club.
7:00 p. m.—Regular meeting of Cub Scout No. 9 will be held at Emmanuel Baptist Church.
7:30 p. m.—Red Men meet.
8:00 p. m.—Bride tournament at Woman's Club sponsored by American Home Department.
8:00 p. m.—The Officers Club of the Greenville White Shrine No. 7 will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kennedy, Jr., 200 Library street.

SATURDAY
8:00 p. m.—Rehearsal for the Hedgepeth-Fife wedding at the First Presbyterian Church.
9:00 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hooker and Mr. and Mrs. David Hardee will honor the Hedgepeth-Fife wedding party, close friends and out of town guests at a cake-cutting at their home on East Fifth street.

SUNDAY
4:00 p. m.—The wedding of Miss Betsy Anne Fife and Mr. Oliver Perry Hedgepeth will be solemnized at the First Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Conley Gives Book Review

The Literature Department met Tuesday, February 22, at the home of Mrs. Paul Ricks. Assisting Mrs. Ricks were Mrs. Guy Evans and Mrs. H. H. Settle. The rooms were cheerful with bowls and vases of spring flowers—dainty arrangements of pink camellias, yellow jonquils, spiraea, hyacinths, forsythia, etc. After a dessert course of cherry tarts and coffee, appropriate to the day, the business meeting was held. A get-well card was signed by all present to be sent to Mrs. Louella Stancill who is ill at her home. A collection was taken to pay the postage for the 100 books the Literature Club recently sent off to Germany. Mrs. George Renfro invited everybody to come to the bridge tournament, sponsored by the American Home Department. It will be held at the Woman's Club this Friday. A nominating committee, composed of Mrs. N. G. Brooks, Mrs. George Renfro, and Mrs. Paul Ricks, was elected to select a slate of officers for next year. Volunteers offering to serve at the Club House during the Art Festival on March 31 were Mrs. John Messick, Mrs. George Renfro, Mrs. W. H. Woolard, Mrs. J. N. Hart, Mrs. Paul Ricks, Mrs. Guy Evans, Mrs. R. R. Willmann and Mrs. Dan Vornholt.

Mrs. Vornholt then announced that the Literature Club will be in charge of the regular Friday program at the Woman's Club on March 4. An interesting and enlightening talk will be given by Professor Wendel W. Smiley, director of library science at ETC. Mr. Smiley will speak on "The Mayflower Cup Awards to North Carolina Authors." He will bring an exhibit of their books to the club also.

The meeting was then turned over to Mrs. D. H. Conley who gave a delightful review of the current best seller, "Cheaper by the Dozen," written by two of the "dozens," Frank B. Gilbreth Jr. and Ernestine Gilbreth Carey. This charming book has been fittingly described as "Life with Father raised to the 12th power." Mrs. Conley brought out well the humor and understanding of people as they are that make this book both enjoyable and worthwhile reading.

Guests were Mrs. T. Y. Walker, Mrs. Spencer Hamric, Mrs. Preston Cannon and Mrs. D. H. Conley. The next meeting of the Literature Department will be on March 8 at the home of Mrs. D. L. Moore.

Bridge Tournament
The American Home Department of the Woman's Club will sponsor a bridge and setback tournament on Friday, February 25, at 8 p. m. at the Woman's Club.

For reservations call one of the following club members:
Mrs. H. R. Goodall at 2794; Mrs. J. R. Carrington at 4569; Mrs. Harvey Ward at 3775.

Proceeds from the tournament will be used to purchase educational records for the local high school. We also plan to honor the senior class at a tea dance in the spring.

Rosamond Nicholson Wins Honors
Miss Rosamond Nicholson, daughter of Mrs. T. I. Wagner, 802 Evans street, Greenville, N. C., has been elected best citizen by the students at Southern Seminary and Junior College, Buena Vista, Va. This is one of the high honors conferred by the students.

Miss Nicholson is a senior in the college. She is president of the Y. W. C. A., a senior representative in the Student Council, and a member of the Council Judicial Committee. She is business manager of the Vogue Club, a member of the Presidents' Club, the Gershwin Club, the Glee Club, the Miracle Club, the Cornelian Society, and the Dramatic Arts Club.

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Pictured above are pledges to the Greenville Beta Sigma Phi, international academic sorority and the chapter's honorary members. Left to right, standing, Mrs. Mammie Lee Horne, Miss Dorothy Rawls, Mrs. Lena Belle King, Miss Muriel Shotwell, Mrs. Mary Ruth Highsmith, Miss Margaret Joyce Clark, Mrs. Jamie Shiplette, Miss Jane Broadwell, Mrs. Margaret Allen, Miss Lena Worthington. Seated, Mrs. J. Key Brown and Mrs. J. Knott Proctor.

Mrs. Gardner Hostess At Dinner Party

Ayden.—Mrs. Alton Gardner was hostess at her home, "Sunny Lawn," at a dinner party honoring her husband on his birthday Wednesday evening, February 15.

The dining table was covered with a lovely imported linen cloth, centered with a birthday cake. Lighted tapers in silver and crystal can-

delabras were used on the table and mantel and the valentine motif was carried out in place cards, favors, and decorations throughout the house. The honored guest received attractive gifts. A three course dinner was served to the following: Dr. and Mrs. S. M. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Corey Stokes, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Brunson, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Roberson, Mrs. James Everett, Mr. Otis Stokes, Mrs. J. J. Dixon and Mr. Gardner.

Parade Marred

New Orleans, Feb. 24.—(AP)—A death, a fire and a brief strike marred the pre-Mardi Gras parade of the Knights of Bagdad last night.

Just as the parade was about to move off, Negro Flambeaux bearers demanded an increase in pay.

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Neilson Elected Group President

The Rev. John A. Neilson was elected president of the Greenville High School Student-Parent-Teacher Council last Tuesday night in the GHS auditorium at the second meeting of this independent group of students, parents and teachers.

The slate of officers, composed of Mr. Neilson president, Mrs. J. H. Waldrop, vice-president, Miss Laura Bell, secretary, and Donald Tucker, treasurer, was unanimously elected by the assembled group. The slate of officers was prepared by a temporary executive committee. A constitution, also drawn up by this committee, was adopted.

A musical program by the high school band, under the direction of John R. Arant, and the GHS mixed chorus, directed by Miss Ona Shindler, preceded the business session of the meeting.

Opening the business portion of the meeting, the Rev. Leonard Toppling, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, gave the devotional message and prayer.

After his election Mr. Neilson thanked the students, parents and teachers present for their interest.

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and urged that they give their full support to the SPTC.

The newly elected president started the organization functioning by appointing the following committees: Membership, Mrs. D. M. Clark, chairman; Mrs. C. A. Bowen and Carolyn Rowlett; Program, Mrs. P. W. Picklesimer, chairman; Mrs. Edna James and Kitty Smith; Social, Mrs. Reid Perkins, chairman; Bettie Anne Young and Mrs. Marshall Helms; and Publicity, Ruel Tyson Jr., chairman, Augusta Overton and Ann McCrary.

Following the meeting in the auditorium, an open house and social hour was held in the high school library.

The next meeting of the Student-Parent-Teacher Council will be held in April.

Higher Price On Chrysler Autos

Detroit, Feb. 24—(AP)—Chrysler's Dodge division publicly introduced its new 1949 model today—with higher price tags.

The new prices represent increases ranging from \$22 to \$122. As the new cars were shown in dealer display rooms throughout the country, Chrysler Corp. also announced increases on its De Soto, Chrysler and Plymouth models, still to be publicly introduced.

On the entire new Chrysler product the increases average 6.66 per cent. The lowest dollar increase is \$16.35 on Plymouth De Luxe three passenger coupe. The highest is \$253 on the Chrysler New Yorker, eight-cylinder convertible coupe.

Aside from the price on the Plymouth De Luxe three-passenger vehicle, the Plymouth increases range from \$81.35 to \$117.00. Similarly the Dodge model prices represent increases of from \$116 to \$122 excepting for the three passenger coupe. The latter carries the \$22 advance.

Miss Minnie Stone's Funeral On Friday

Grifton, Feb. 23—Funeral services for Miss Minnie Florence Stone, 82, who died Wednesday at the home of her sister, Mrs. L. C. Patrick in Grifton after being ill a few days will be at the grave Friday at 2 p.m. in the Kittrell cemetery.

Miss Stone was a daughter of the late John J. and Ellen E. Stone of Kittrell, where she made her home until last year when she came to Grifton to reside with her sister. She was a member of the Episcopal Church and a charter member of the D.A.R. in Kittrell. She was active in the religious and civic organizations until she suffered a stroke about five years ago. Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Patrick and Mrs. Roland Wolfe, Sr., of Rocky Mount, and a brother, H. Ernest Stone of Grifton.

The body will be at the Johnson Funeral Home in Rocky Mount until Friday.

Greek Reds Said Recruiting Men In Soviet Zone

Berlin, Feb. 24—(AP)—Greek communists are recruiting Germans in the Soviet zone for their civil war, the western press charged today.

A special delegation which came to Berlin for the recent Social Unity (communist) party rally remained to set up recruiting offices in search of volunteer soldiers, the British-licensed Der Tag asserted.

The Soviet authorities are tolerating the open recruiting, the newspaper added.

Armed Forces To Slash Hospitals

Washington, Feb. 24—(AP)—The armed forces will reduce two station hospitals in the Carolinas to army type dispensaries.

Secretary of Defense James Forrestal said the step is being taken to relieve somewhat the "critical shortage" of doctors and dentists in the armed services.

Among the 48 station hospitals which will be reduced to dispensaries are the Marine Corps station at Camp Lejeune, New River, N.C. and the Marine Corp recruit depot at Parris Island, S.C.

Accidents on U. S. farms kill some 19,000 persons annually.

Despondent Boy Is Found Killed

Hialeah, Fla., Feb. 24—(AP)—A 12-year-old boy who was kept after school for playing with a yo-yo was found dead in his home yesterday. A .22 calibre rifle lay at his side.

Deputy Sheriff Claude C. High and Hialeah Police Chief Paul M. Hannan identified the youngster as Hunter Lyon Ferner. They said he had been shot in the head.

Hannan said despondency over school work may have caused his death.

Headquarters of the National Women's Christian Temperance Union are in Evanston, Ill.

Makes Appointment

Washington, Feb. 24—(AP)—President Truman announced today he is appointing Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney as under-secretary of Commerce.

Whitney is now assistant secretary of the Air Force.

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<p style="text-align: center;">SPECIAL 20 LADIES' DRESSES</p> <p>20 Ladies' late winter dresses in new styles and colors. These dresses include values to \$20. See these on the Fashion Floor.</p> <h2 style="text-align: center;">\$3.00</h2>	<p style="text-align: center;">"EXCEPTIONAL" Children's DRESSES</p> <p>Fine quality print dresses for children. These come in assorted styles and colors. Sizes 1 to 6x.</p> <h2 style="text-align: center;">97c</h2>	<p style="text-align: center;">VERY SPECIAL Men's SHORTS</p> <p>Full balloon seat shorts . . . sanforized for correct fit . . . with gripper fasteners. This is very special . . . Get your supply now.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">2 FOR</p> <h2 style="text-align: center;">\$1.00</h2>
<p style="text-align: center;">Children's TRAINING PANTS</p> <p>Children's knit training pants, made of fine mercerized cotton that means longer wear. These come in all sizes. Regular 30c value.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">4 PAIR</p> <h2 style="text-align: center;">\$1.00</h2>	<p style="text-align: center;">54x54 Plastic TABLE COVERS</p> <p>Transparent washable table covers. Size 54 by 54. Save your good table covers with this thrifty means of protection.</p> <h2 style="text-align: center;">39c</h2>	<p style="text-align: center;">"Botarus" LINOLEUM RUGS</p> <p>Size 9x12 rugs with heavy felt base that means longer wear. In assorted colors and patterns. This is very special.</p> <h2 style="text-align: center;">\$5.88</h2>
<p style="text-align: center;">SPECIAL Ladies' BLOUSES</p> <p>One group of ladies' fine blouses in favorite styles . . . and a selection of lovely colors including solids and fancies. Also selection of sizes.</p> <h2 style="text-align: center;">\$1.44</h2>	<p style="text-align: center;">3 Pound COTTON BATTS</p> <p>3 Pounds to the carton. Cotton quilt batting, enough for full size quilt. This on sale on the first floor.</p> <h2 style="text-align: center;">88c</h2>	<p style="text-align: center;">VERY SPECIAL Men's SCARFS</p> <p>One group of men's scarfs that included both wool and rayon fabrics. In all your favorite colors and patterns. Values to \$2.50.</p> <h2 style="text-align: center;">10c</h2>
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"One evening," writes a visitor "we were passing the baseball field on the community center grounds as the bell began to toll. The home team of course knew the meaning of the sound, but the visiting team was unaware of the significance. Without a word the pitcher dropped the ball and, holding his arms outstretched and pointing heavenward, indicated to all the purpose of the moment; and with the gesture spoke eloquent, silent words of personal testimony."

We could make America and the world over within the next twelve months if all the people who profess to be Christians would pray earnestly every day, even for a few minutes, that certain great national and international occurrences would take place. But since the whole Church will not do this, let each of us start praying wherever we happen to be, knowing that God regards not our station in life but our sincerity.

ONE BIG CHANCE

Democrats and Republicans alike have been loud in their praise of the Hoover Commission. That such a group was needed to straighten out the kinks in governmental procedure is widely recognized.

Our sprawling system of bureaucratic administrative offices has grown tremendously in recent years, and its growth has been only loosely supervised. The lack of direction which it enjoyed was responsible for much duplication of effort and wasteful, outmoded systems of red tape.

Everyone knew something should be done about the situation, and the organizing of the advisory group was hailed as a truly constructive step.

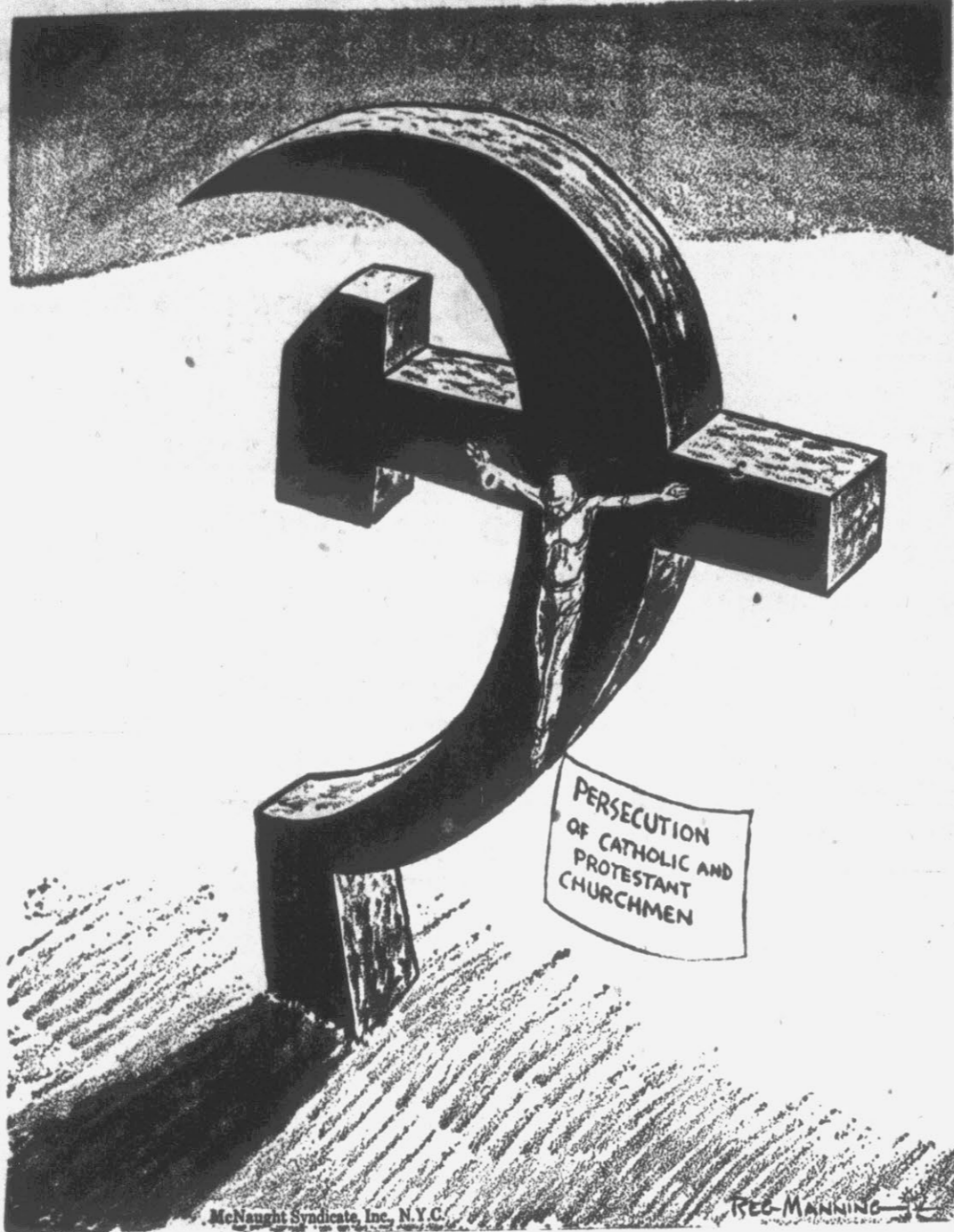
Members of the Commission came from various fields of public life. Each man was an expert in his line; and some, like ex-President Hoover, could be regarded as elder statesmen.

The work was non-partisan; the goal was non-partisan. It was for the benefit of the country as a whole.

It is with no little regret that we note occasional news items telling of opposition to isolated portions of the Commission reports. Usually, the objections are raised to recommendations that might reduce the work or authority of a "pet" department or agency. The shortsightedness of these objectors is too apparent. They cannot hope to enjoy the objective view of administrative affairs which is available to a "third party"; in this case, the Hoover Commission.

Congress is being subjected to much pressure from opponents to change, and which, in our sight, means progress. If our lawmakers fail to push through the greater portions of the rec-

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ommendations made to them by their own tool, the Advisory Commission, then they will have demonstrated that they have no faith in their own handiwork and prefer the easy way out; that is, leave it to the bureaucrats to weave more red tape and mis-government.

Such a course would resemble a mild disaster; for if the work of the Hoover Commission is dropped in a waste-basket, it will be a long time before such a task will be tried again.

Around Capitol Square

By LYNN NISBET
ROUGH—Some of the paving which Governor Scott's program contemplates laying on county roads ought to have been laid on the road the bond bill has to take through the general assembly. The senate bill now before the finance committee has been changed so that it is entirely unsatisfactory to the governor himself. The house version is presently in better shape from the governor's viewpoint, but even that has been subjected to amendments undesirable to the executive. Some observers recognize possibility, perhaps even probability, that the bond issue will be submitted by this general assembly. Predominant majority opinion is that the issue will be submitted in modified form.

RESCUE—There was some talk around the senate roads committee yesterday that effort was being made to sabotage the governor's program by amendments cutting the total amount from 200 to 100 millions and writing in county-by-county allocation of funds. Senator Lee Weather's insistence his support of these amendments was an effort to save the program rather than destroy it. In other words, the committee majority felt it was functioning as a rescue squad instead of wrecking crew.

RESPONSIBILITY—Previously there had been suggestion that the

committee ought to approve the original bill and let the governor take all the responsibility. This was coupled with the statement if the general assembly changed the governor's bill it would have to share responsibility for it. Several members made the point the assembly could not avoid this obligation in any event, and had its own duty to perform for state interest. Implication in several statements was that the people would not vote 200 millions, might vote 100, and the 100 would be about all that can be wisely spent within the next four years.

COMPETITION—Considerable emphasis was put upon the probable competition among state agencies for materials and labor if big construction programs are begun at the same time for roads and public buildings. There was also reference to competition between this and neighbor states in gasoline taxes and transportation facilities. These arguments, plus the admitted fact that no proposal for a bond issue or tax increase was made during the primary campaign, seemed to be controlling influences upon senate committee votes.

INEFFECTIVE—More than 2,000 people came to Raleigh last Thursday to support bills providing for a statewide referendum on liquor. Slightly less than 2,000 came Tuesday to oppose these bills. Governor Scott made personal appeal to the joint session of the general assembly Wednesday for passage of the Martin bill or one similar to it for a state vote on county option. (He did not mention the idea embodied in Senator Patten's bill for a straight out vote for or against the manufacture and sale of alcoholic beverages in every county.) Hurried survey of sentiment, involving brief interviews with some two dozen legislators Wednesday afternoon, indicated that none of these incidents had material influence on legislative votes. Opinion was unanimous among this group, both those who favor and those who oppose making the state rather than the county the controlling unit, that there is practically no chance for a state referendum being submitted by this general assembly.

ADROIT—Recognition was accorded the adroitness of the Martin bill for that it does not call for a vote on the liquor issue itself. The vote will be for or against repeal of the 1937 statute fixing the county as proper voting unit. Effect would, of course, be the same. If the county unit law should be voted out it elections held under it would be null

and void and ABC stores established by authority of local elections would have to close.

Boyle's Column

By HAL BOYLE
Miami.—(AP)—It was the big moment in the criminal life of "muscle eyes," the hotel mouse who could fix horse races with his hypnotic eyes.

The cream of the American underworld was there to hear the head of the national gambling syndicate lay down plans for the "big killing." But the tiny mouse, natty in his camel hair polo coat, was the key man. For little "muscle eyes" had earned \$5,000,000 for the syndicate by putting the whammy on race horses with his high-octane eyeballs.

"And we need your whammy for the big killing," said the big boss coldly. "Here's the pitch: there's a horse called Jakehook that's the odd-on favorite to win the Widener Handicap at Hialeah. "The mob's raised \$10,000,000 to bet against him. If you put the whammy on Jakehook, we collect \$25,000,000. If you don't, well—" "Take it easy, Greasy," said the mouse. "I know my business." The night before the race the mob threw a party. "Muscle eyes" and his mouse moll, Madeline, were guests of honor. Everybody drank champagne until "muscle eyes" passed out on a sofa pillow.

When the mob left, loyal Madeline, who wanted her mouse to go straight, began undressing him. She discovered a tiny pouch around his neck. "What's this?" she asked, shaking him.

"That's my magic medicine pouch," he mumbled. "Keep my thyroid capsules and benzadrine tablets in it. They put the old whammy in my eyeballs." Then he passed out again. Madeline thought and thought. Then she opened the pouch. She emptied the capsules and filled them with sugar. She threw away the pep pills and put in aspirin tablets.

The next afternoon, still somewhat groggy, "muscle eyes" was smuggled out to the track in a binocular case carried by the big boss. The boss took up a position at the rail a hundred feet from the finish line.

"They're off!" That cry burst from thousands of throats as the big race began. "muscle eyes" crawled out. He opened his neck pouch and gulped down two pills and two capsules. As the horses turned into the home stretch Jakehook was leading by three lengths. "Give him the whammy!" screamed the boss.

The mouse bulged out his eyeballs. But instead of dropping back, Jakehook picked up speed. The mouse panted down some more capsules and pills. He strained his weary eyeballs from their sockets. It was no good. Jakehook galloped on to win by seven lengths as the gambling syndicate boss fainted.

That night the mob gathered again in "muscle eyes" room. The mouse was being pressed with liquor from all sides, and there was a micky fin in every drink.

"We know you didn't mean for us to drop that \$25,000,000," said the big boss smoothly. "Now, I wouldn't double cross you," said "muscle eyes," bleakly. "It was an accident."

He crawled into a hole in a chunk of bread against one side of the cheese. A second gunman jammed a slice against the other side, "muscle eyes" was entombed—a living mouse sandwich. No one paid any attention to his muffled squeaks. Quickly the mob wrapped the sandwich with adhesive tape. Then they dropped it into a cigar box full of hardening concrete.

Later that night a low rakish black roadster raced across the causeway to Miami Beach. The cigar box, wrapped in a gunnysack, was hurled out and sank to the bottom of Biscayne bay. And so perished "muscle eyes," the hypnotic mouse.

Moral: You can't get away with acting like a rat—unless you really are one.

Qualifies As Entry To Company's Club

Phil L. Goodson of Greenville has qualified for membership in the 1949 President's club of the Shenandoah Life Insurance company, it has been announced by company officials. As a member of the select group of the company's representatives, Goodson will attend a meeting of the Shenandoah President's club in Roanoke, Va., during the first week in May.

WGTC 1490 On Your Dial TONIGHT

- 6:00—News
- 6:05—Dinner Date
- 6:30—Sportscast
- 6:45—Hill Billy Hit Parade
- 7:00—Front Page Drama
- 7:15—News from the Legislature, TN
- 7:30—According to Record
- 7:35—V. F. W. Program
- 7:50—Guy Lombardo's Orch.
- 8:00—A Date With George Washington
- 8:25—Musical Interlude
- 8:30—High School Half Hour
- 9:00—News
- 9:15—Low White
- 9:30—My Best to You
- 10:00—News
- 10:05—Musical Interlude
- 10:35—Platter Party
- 11:00—News
- 11:15—Platter Party
- 11:55—News
- 12:00—Sign Off.

- FRIDAY**
- 7:00—News
 - 7:05—Tic Toc Time
 - 7:30—Tempus Fugit, TN
 - 7:45—News
 - 7:55—Weather Report
 - 8:00—Fairy Tales, TN
 - 8:10—Jam for Breakfast
 - 8:30—Morning Meditations Rev. Patterson.
 - 8:45—Easy Listening
 - 9:00—News
 - 9:05—Interlude

- 9:15—Old Corral Report
- 9:30—Block Party
- 9:35—Lost and Found
- 10:00—Obituary Column
- 10:05—Musical Interlude
- 10:15—Waits Time
- 10:30—Mid-Morning Melodies
- 11:00—News
- 11:05—Records at Random
- 11:45—Streitman Biscuit Show, TN
- 12:00—News, TN
- 12:10—Weather Report, TN
- 12:15—Trading Post
- 12:30—Taft Furniture Co. Show
- 12:45—Roundup Time
- 1:00—News
- 1:05—Dog Found News
- 1:30—Bing, Frank and Dinah
- 1:35—Carolina Farm features
- 1:45—Music in the Morgan Manner
- 2:00—News
- 2:05—Interlude
- 2:15—Milt Herth Trio
- 2:30—Claudia
- 2:45—Musical Siesta
- 3:00—News
- 3:05—Dress Parade
- 3:15—Army Recruiting Show
- 3:30—Country Store
- 4:30—Lone Ranger, TN
- 5:30—Big Block's Orchestra
- 5:35—W. C. T. U.
- 5:45—Christian Science Society
- 6:00—News
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- 7:00—Harry James and His Orch.
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- 9:30—My Best to You
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- FRIDAY**
- 6:00—Ole' Shepherd's Hour.
 - 7:05—The Bill Jackson Show
 - 8:00—U. P. News
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 - 8:55—U. P. News
 - 9:00—Morning Devotional Period
 - 9:15—Tell Your Neighbor, MBS
 - 9:30—Polo's Paradise, MBS
 - 9:55—Obituary Column
 - 10:00—Cecil Brown, MBS
 - 10:15—Spellbound
 - 10:30—The Bright Spot Hour
 - 11:00—Coastal Plain Reporters
 - 11:15—Coming Attractions
 - 11:30—Neighborhood Movie Round-up.
 - 11:45—The Glenn Thompson Show
 - 12:00—Time to Classify
 - 12:05—Stock Market Report

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6:00—Glen Gray's Orch.

- 6:40—Joe Overman, Jr., Weather Report
- 6:45—Bill Jackson—Sports
- 6:55—U. P. News
- 7:00—Pulton Lewis, Jr., MBS
- 7:15—Dinner Date, MBS
- 7:30—Robert Hurleigh, News (MBS)
- 7:45—The Jumping Jacks
- 8:00—The Curt Massey Show, MBS
- 8:30—Song Round-up, MBS
- 8:55—Carolina News
- 9:00—Gabriel Heater, MBS
- 9:15—Songs by Bing Crosby
- 9:30—The Mysterious Traveler, MBS
- 9:55—Bill Henry—News (MBS)
- 10:00—The Ed Wilson Show, MBS
- 10:30—Jackson Day Dinner—Address by President Truman, MBS
- 11:00—All the News (MBS)
- 11:15—Dance Orch., MBS
- 11:55—World News
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 - 10:15—Spellbound
 - 10:30—The Bright Spot Hour
 - 11:00—Coastal Plain Reporters
 - 11:15—Coming Attractions
 - 11:30—Neighborhood Movie Round-up.
 - 11:45—The Glenn Thompson Show
 - 12:00—Time to Classify
 - 12:05—Stock Market Report

- 12:10—Lost and Found
- 12:15—Checkerboard Jamboree, MBS
- 12:30—Quinn News Reporter
- 12:35—WGTM Farm & Home Hour
- 1:00—Cedric Foster, MBS
- 1:15—The Happy Gang, MBS
- 1:45—Meet the Band
- 2:00—Queen for a Day, MBS
- 2:30—What's on Your Mind?
- 2:45—Russ Morgan's Orch.
- 3:00—Red Benson's Movie Show, MBS
- 3:30—Talent Contest
- 3:45—The Selma Hour
- 4:15—Red Cross Show
- 5:00—Superman, MBS
- 5:30—U. P. News
- 5:35—Guy Lombardo's Orch.
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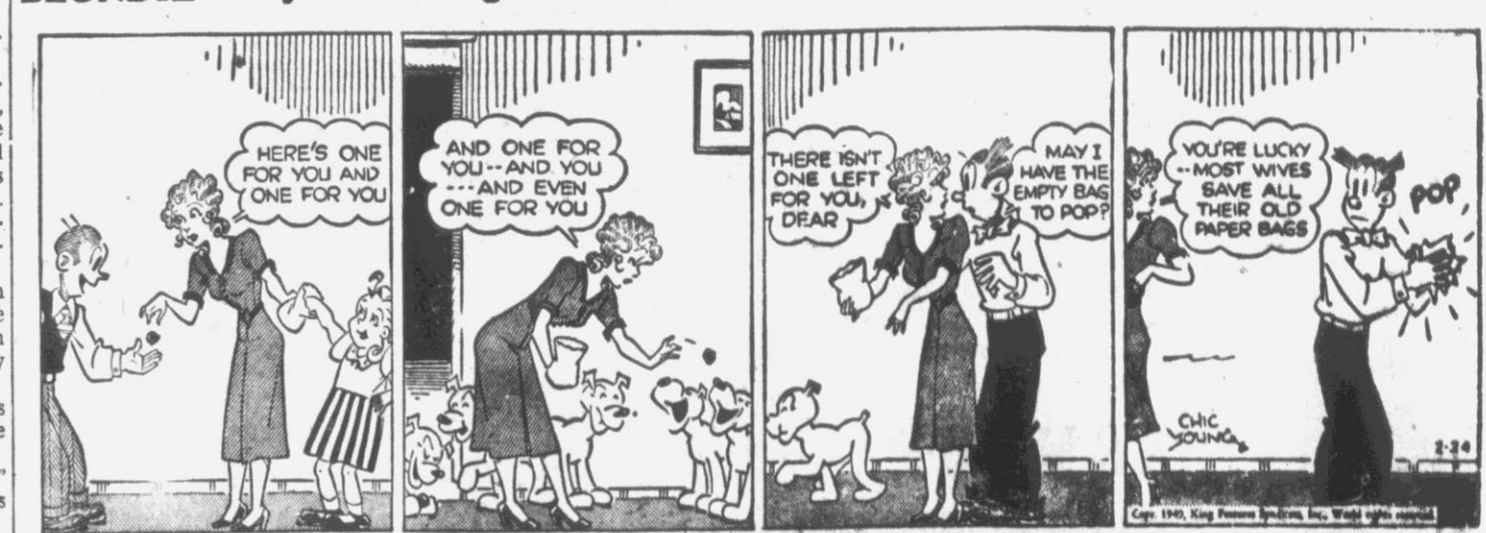
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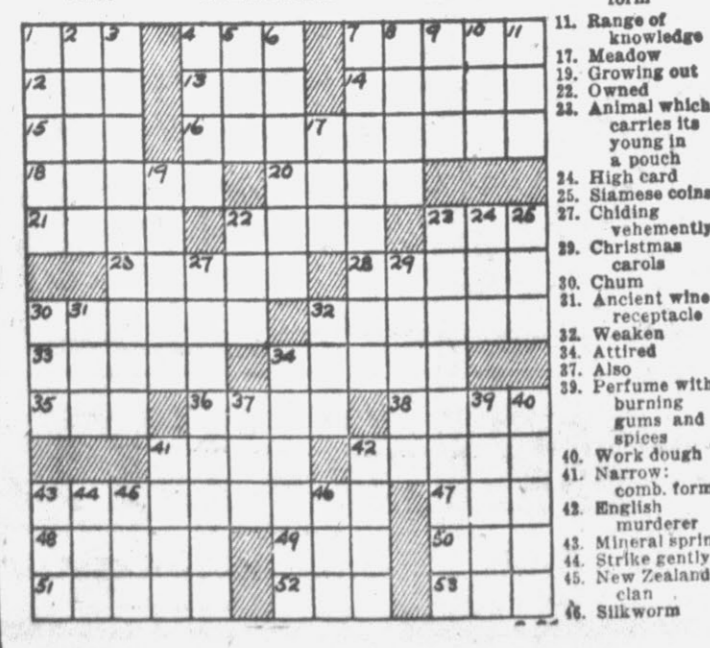
Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- Serpent
- English letters
- Turning device
- Obstruct
- By way of
- Hindu queen
- Be indebted
- Debarment
- Postpone
- Hope fiber
- Paradise
- Pile
- Blat
- Clerical collar
- Make into law
- Separated
- Lays away
- Mohammedan noble
- Aeriform fluids
- Boy
- On the summit
- Fortune
- Pack
- Poplar
- Dealer in writing materials
- King of the West Saxons
- Thin metal disk
- Age
- Biblical king
- Imitating
- Not bright
- Preceded

DOWN

- Habitat of noble toothed tool
- Liked better
- Coarse file
- Cuckoo-like bird
- Late comb form
- Range of knowledge
- Meadow
- Growing out
- Owned
- Animal which carries its young in a pouch
- High card
- Siamese colts
- Chiding vehemently
- Christmas carols
- Chum
- Ancient wine receptacle
- Weaken
- Attired
- Also
- Perfume with burning gums and spices
- Work dough
- Narrow
- Comb form
- English murderer
- Mistral spring
- Strike gently
- New Zealand clan
- Silk worm



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Suggest AMA Formulate New National Health Plan

Baltimore, Feb. 24—(AP)—A group of doctor-members of the American Medical Association, dissenting from the AMA's announced plan to combat national health insurance, has suggested the organization formulate a new program through a conference of professional and lay representatives.

The proposal was made by Dr. Edwards A. Park, professor emeritus of pediatrics at Johns Hopkins University here, in a letter to Elmer L. Henderson, chairman of the AMA board of trustees, and Dr. Morris Fishbein, editor of the AMA Journal.

The letter asks that the AMA call the proposed conference under its own auspices, with a view to forming a joint planning commission. This

Over The Top

Chapel Hill, N. C., Feb. 24—(AP)—"Thanks." That was the simple message sent out today by State headquarters of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis to thousands of North Carolinians who gave their time and money to the fight against polio.

The officials reported that North Carolina has gone "over the top" in its drive for \$1,000,000 to combat the disease which swept the state last summer. A full report is scheduled later when complete returns are in from the state's 100 counties.

Dr. Ralph McDonald, State chairman, and Mrs. Phillips Russell, state director of organization, termed this year's drive as "the most rewarding campaign ever held in North Carolina."

commission would organize and direct the necessary studies and work out the details of the program.

The dissension appeared after Dr. Fishbein recently announced a 12-point national program calling for a \$25-per-doctor assessment to fight compulsory health insurance. A group of 148 doctors signed a protest to the plan and forwarded it to the AMA's top officers.

Dr. Park says the protest signers now number 167, "without solicitation."

In a statement issued yesterday with a copy of the letter, Dr. Park said the protest signers have no intention of organizing an opposition group within or outside the AMA.

"Their only purpose is to save the public and the medical profession from the deteriorating effects of national compulsory medical insurance, which they believe to be inevitable under the Wagner-Murray-Dingell Bill."

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Mission Leaders Denounce Arrest

Boston, Feb. 24—(AP)—The arrest of 15 protestant church leaders in Bulgaria was described today by an American Mission Board as part of a policy of "ruthless suppression of religious groups x x x not wholly subservient to the state."

The American board of commissioners for foreign missions—which fathered protestantism in Bulgaria—said in a statement:

"The Bulgarian government seems to be carrying out a policy of denying freedom of religious worship."

The board said that although individual leaders "conceivably may have overstepped some present Bulgarian law, the basic reason for the persecution of these protestant pastors is that they strove to place loyalty to God above earthly demands."

The Congregational-Christian organization charged that the Bulgarian government "is considering a law outlawing all mission work in Bulgaria x x x and providing for confiscation of mission property."

The statement followed an American state department officer's observations in Washington yesterday that the Bulgarian peace treaty states that human rights of all people under its jurisdiction, including freedom of religion, shall be respected.

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Cited To Court For Passing School Bus

State Highway Patrolman S. G. Gibbs and Ernest Guthrie said they apprehended Arthur Midgett, 37-year-old Negro, on a highway near Greenville Tuesday afternoon after he had passed a school bus unloading passengers and cited him to court. A state law prohibits motor vehicles to pass a school bus while taking on or letting off passengers, the officers said. Midgett will be tried in Police Court Friday.

Invite Check-Up By Grand Jury

Wilmington, Feb. 24—(AP)—The New Hanover County Grand Jury today had an invitation to investigate this city's government—if it desires.

The city council extended the invitation after City Manager James R. Benson told councilmen that "it has been rumored on the streets and information has come to me indicating that the Grand Jury has initiated an investigation."

Benson said he had heard rumors that the city bought items and listed the purchase price at several times the actual cost, and that city workers had damaged the municipal asphalt plant, forcing the city to pay exorbitant prices for asphalt to private concerns.

The city manager also told councilmen at yesterday's meeting that some rumors had termed councilmen, the city manager and department heads "untrustworthy."

He explained that the Grand Jury had not called on him to produce any city records. And he added that the rumors have no basis, since they are not supported by official records.

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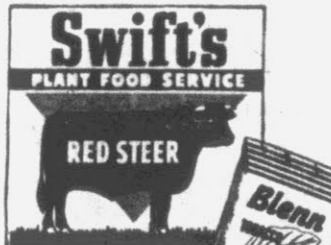
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The 'Ghost' In Jackson County Jail Now Silent

Sylva, N. C., Feb. 24—(AP)—The "hant" of Jackson county jail has gone. The cell blocks are quiet again. The shrieking voice no longer frightens prisoners. The curious come no more.

Jailer Warfield Turpin thinks Superior Court Judge Dan K. Moore "unhaunted" the county bastle.

It all started two weeks ago when officers and prisoners began hearing mysterious voices. Several thousands of others have telephoned from Waynesville, Bryson City, Franklin and other mountain towns.

Turnkey Turpin said he thought the "voices" resulted from ventriloquism practiced by a prisoner. The "ghost", Turpin believes, must have been one of the defendants convicted and sentenced to prison this week by Judge Moore.

First heard, the sound resembled the voice of a woman in distress. Some thought it was the vibration from a leaky water pipe. As crowds of curious increased, the "spook" added to his trickery. He imitated the voices of former sheriffs, now dead.

Turpin said the voice called for water or help. Prisoners became so unnerved that lights were kept burning all night.

\$100,000 Gift

Winston-Salem, Feb. 24—(AP)—A \$100,000 gift to Davidson College's \$2,500,000 development campaign was announced here last night.

Dr. John R. Cunningham, Davidson president, said the money has been contributed by Mr. and Mrs. S. Clay Williams of Winston-Salem. Williams, an alumnus of Davidson, is chairman of the Board of Directors of the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company.

Says Home State Offers Example

Washington, Feb. 24—(AP)—America, sorely troubled by its race relations, can take a lesson from North Carolina.

So says Jonathan Daniels, new North Carolina Democratic committeeman and editor of the Raleigh News and Observer.

Daniels was the main speaker last night at a meeting of the North Carolina Democratic Club of Washington.

He said: "If democracy is possible anywhere, it is possible in North Carolina, where we've lived without strangers and as neighbors regardless of race. We have made a pattern for America in the field of race to be warmhearted and fair."

Daniels had praise for North Carolina's new governor. He commented that Gov. Kerr Scott is a "Go Forward Governor who gives to our times the reflection of the spirit of another governor, Charles B. Aycock."

Fewer Accepted Into Services During February

During the month of February fewer men have been accepted into the Regular Army and Air Force, according to Captain Ralph W. Ferris of the Army and Air Force recruiting station in Greenville. When questioned as to why the enlistment rate had dropped so suddenly since the first of February the Captain explained that enlistments are now based on a restrictive quota, and are even more highly selective than before. Enlistments in the army are not closed, however, stated the Captain, but they will be restricted throughout the area to men meeting highest mental and physical standards.

A twelve-point category system is in effect throughout the army for the selection of qualified soldiers. The category system classifies men according to mental and physical qualifications.

Men falling below the top categories are placed on a waiting list and called when their turn arrives.

There are enlistments open in the Air Force at present for white and colored.

Many Proposed For Nobel Prize

Oslo, Norway, Feb. 24—(AP)—Twenty-three persons and institutions have been proposed for the 1949 Nobel Peace Prize, including three Americans.

Americans nominated are Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, Columnist Drew Pearson and Maj. Gen. Frank McCoy, chairman and United States member of the Far Eastern Commission.

The American Relief Organization, CARE, the International Red Cross were among institutions proposed.

Solon's Wife To Stay In Hospital

Mooresville, N.C., Feb. 24—(AP)—Mrs. Olin D. Johnston, wife of the South Carolina junior senator, will remain in Lowrance Hospital here another week.

She broke three ribs Feb. 16 in a head-on automobile collision near here. She and her husband were motoring to Washington. He was not hurt.

Physicians had expected Monday that she would be released from the hospital today, but it was decided best for her to remain.

Agriculture Men Invited To Meet

Some 50 members of the Pitt County ACA, Farm Bureau, Soil Conservation Service, county agent's department and other local agricultural groups were invited to attend a meeting in Rocky Mount today sponsored by the Agricultural Committee of the North Carolina Bankers Association.

Representatives from Pitt, Edgecombe, Halifax and Nash Counties were present at the meeting.

Students Heckle Kluxers Meeting

West Columbia, S. C., Feb. 24—(AP)—Hecklers threatened to break up a Ku Klux Klan rally here last night. One sulphur bomb was thrown.

The hecklers identified themselves as University of South Carolina students.

Police and Klansmen finally got them to leave the field where Grand Dragon Samuel Green of Atlanta was speaking to a crowd of about 2,000.

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Plan Discussion On Health Work

Job opportunities in public health work, especially in health education will be discussed at East Carolina Teachers College by a group of authorities in the field at a panel scheduled for Thursday afternoon March 3, at 3:00 o'clock. Meetings will be held in the Flanagan building and will be open to all who are interested. Specially invited to attend are students of health and physical education, science, home economics, and preliminary courses in medicine.

Speakers announced for the occasion include Mrs. Blanche E. Vincent, nursing consultant in the Division of Local Health Administration of the State Board of Health; G. Sprite Barbee, senior sanitarian of the Edgecombe County Health Department; Dr. S. B. McPheeters, health officer of the Wayne County Health Department; and Lula Belle Highsmith, health educator of the Division of Tuberculosis Control of the State Board of Health. Dean Leo W. Jenkins of East Carolina will act as chairman of the panel. Topics to be discussed will include training requirements for public health work, what the job entails, scholarships now available to students, personal qualifications of the worker, and job opportunities and salary schedules. After the panel, conferences will be scheduled for those wishing to enter public health work.

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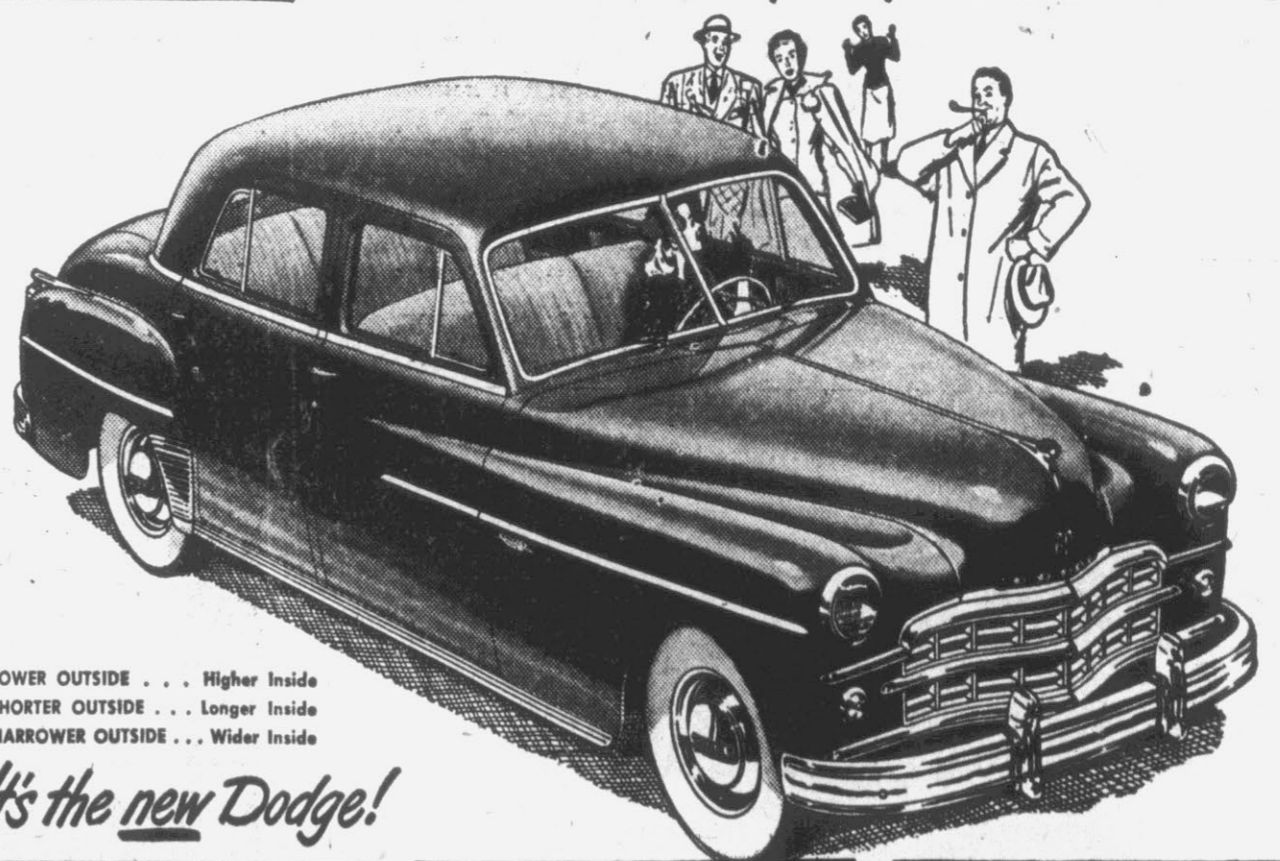
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Clues To Killer Lead To Nothing

New Orleans, Feb. 24.—(AP)—Police cast about for shreds of clues today in the two-day-old murder mystery of Virginia millionaire James A. Mahoney.

Twin leads set off a flurry of police investigation and questioning of persons picked up yesterday in Mobile, Ala., and Pass Christian, Miss.

But Acting Detective Chief John Jackson of New Orleans said later the leads had fizzled out and "We're back where we started at the beginning of this case."

The nude body of the slight, 35-year-old victim, beaten on the head and the neck broken with a towel was found by a bellboy in the French Quarter Monteleone Hotel here Tuesday.

Jackson said two men and a woman picked up on his orders at the Mobile Airport, after flying there in a private plane, were cleared. He said they had aroused suspicion by a hurried departure from here.

The detective chief said two boys arrested in Pass Christian, after arriving there on a bus from New Orleans, apparently had no connection with the slaying.

William C. Gay of Gaston, Germaine Weathers of Shelby, and Donald Blood of Greenville, student-playwrights at East Carolina Teachers College, gave an informal workshop production of parts of original three-act dramas before a group of students and faculty members Tuesday evening of this week in the Austin building. Scenes from the plays, written for a class taught by Dr. Lucile H. Charles, director of speech and dramatics at the college, were acted by a group of students.

Gay's contribution was a murder mystery entitled "Mrs. Petty's Passion." Miss Weathers' "A Greeting for Rita," dealing with the reaction of children to their father's remarriage, and Blood's "Bitter Tea," a sprightly play about three spinners, were comedies in light vein.

The three young dramatists are members of the Teachers Playhouse college dramatic club. Their plays are the first to be submitted in a course in play writing offered this year for the first time at East Carolina.

Workshop Presents Original Plays By Student Playwrights

Mr. Fields has purchased a home at 207 Meade Street. He is married and has two sons.

Mr. Fields, formerly of Smithfield, has been named superintendent of the Greenville office of the Life and Casualty Company of Tennessee. He has been with the company since 1946 and while in Smithfield he was a member of the life underwriters and the Exchange Club. He is a member of the Free Will Baptist Church.

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Colored News

Mrs. Lillie De-Annitate was hostess to the Smart Set social club Sunday, February 20th. Miss Margaret Foust, president, presiding. The next meeting will be at the home of Miss Fannie Langley's Sunday, February 27, at 5:30 p. m. All members are asked to be present.

The Sunrise Usher Board of Cornerstone Baptist Church will meet at the home of Mr. Henry Wooten Sunday, February 27, at 4 p. m. All members are asked to please be present.

The Sunrise Usher Board of Cornerstone Baptist Church will have a program Sunday, February 27, at 8 p. m. celebrating their 23rd anniversary. Everyone is invited.



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Announces Contracts Let For New College Stadium

East Carolina Teachers College will soon have its new stadium and a well-lighted field for its athletic contests.

President John D. Messick has announced that contracts have been let and that work will begin within the next two weeks. The field is now being graded and prepared for the new equipment.

The contract for the stadium provides that steel bleachers will be set up within the next 75 days. The plan calls for 1,930 permanent-type steel framework seats and 9,660 portable steel seats. The contract for this equipment was let to Steel, Inc. of Scottsdale, Ga.

Lighting for the athletic field will include eight 70-foot poles with twelve lights to the pole. According to the engineer who made recommendations for the equipment, says Dr. Messick, the East Carolina athletic field will be on its completion one of the best lighted in the state. Contract for lighting was let through White Stores, Inc. of Greenville for Crouse-Hinds equipment.

The stadium for the college was made possible through funds collected in a recent drive on the campus, in Greenville, and among alumni of the college. Ed E. Rawl, Greenville business man, acted as chairman and recently announced that 1,500 individuals and 227 business firms contributed a sum of \$25,730 for improvements in the athletic program at the college.

The Michigan State swimming team has won the Central Collegiate Conference crown for six conference years.

Lost Baksi Date But Took Fight

New York, Feb. 24—(AP)—Bernie Reynolds probably lost a Madison Square Garden March 11 date with Joe Baksi because of injuries suffered in beating Walter Hafer last night in Manhattan Center.

Joe Vella manager of the Fairfield, Conn., heavyweight prospect, said a severely cut left eye and a painfully swollen left ear probably would force him to postpone the Baksi fight.

Reynolds won easily over Hafer, the Mayville, Ky., heavyweight he knocked out in seven rounds in 1947. This time it went the 10-round route.

Three times Reynolds dumped the game Hafer, who had 19 pounds advantage at 203 to 184. It seemed as though he never would get up after catching a thumping right to the head in the seventh. But he took eight and scrambled to his feet.

It was in the eighth that Hafer ripped open a cut over Reynolds' left eye with a right hand punch. His left ear was badly swollen since early in the fight.

Jake Kelleher, Boston U's football and coach, led the nation's pass receivers in 1942 at Columbia when he caught 28 of Paul Governali's passes for 450 yards.

Basketball Scores

- Dartmouth 61 Army 56
- Columbia 56 Brown 36
- Syracuse 70 Cornell 58
- Penn Military 46 Delaware 33
- Penn State 63 American Univ. 50
- West Virginia 63 Wash-Jeff 43
- Pitt 76 Carnegie Tech 47
- CCNY 58 Fordham 46
- Pennsylvania 67 Navy 63
- Georgia Tech 66 Furman 55
- Tennessee 64 The Citadel 42
- Oglethorpe 63 Presbyterian 55
- Georgia 74 Erskine 52
- George Washington 52 Georgetown (DC) 47
- Virginia 58 William and Mary 44
- Hampden-Sydney 77 Randolph-Macon 40
- Notre Dame 43 Michigan State 41
- Oklahoma Aggies 46 Oklahoma 36

Golf Tournament At Country Club

The first golf tournament of the year was held at the Greenville Golf and Country Club yesterday afternoon as 25 golfers participated in a blind bogey event.

The tournament planners provided prizes for the three blind bogey scores of 70, 77, and 84; but when no participants in yesterday's play shot those scores, prizes of golf balls were awarded to the 12 golfers who came closest to the assigned numbers.

Winners in the tournament were Carlos Murray, I. J. Edwards and Reynolds May with 69; Aubrey Tilley, Cecil Bilbro and J. M. Barrett with 71; Luther Herring, R. E. Corbett and Gentry Calloway with 76; Eli Bloom and D. Vincent with 78, and Tyson Bilbro with 80. Harold Thomas, pro at the local club, requested all members to post as many scores as possible during the next two weeks so correct positions may be assigned for the matches in the Coastal Golf Association tournaments which will begin March 18.

Top Two-Miler Takes Tip From Foreign Runners

State College, Pa., Feb. 24—(AP)—Curt Stone, one of the nation's top two-milers, is taking a hint from foreign track stars.

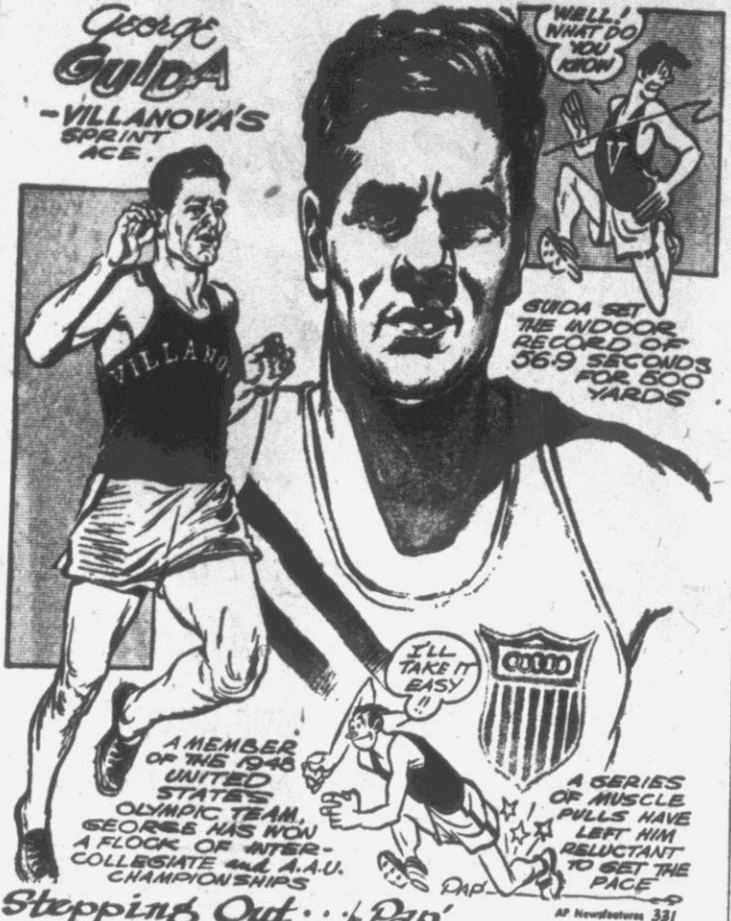
Stone, ex-Penn State runner and now circulation manager for the Centre Daily Times here, said today he is practicing less on formal track work.

Instead, like the European runners, he conditions himself over rough terrain—running long distances in wooded areas.

And it doesn't matter if it's raining. "Perhaps I'm oversimplifying their methods," Stone says, "but in the main, what they do most is run, and little of it is done on a track."

The system has paid off. Stone has run one of the fastest miles of the 1949 indoor season (4:14.6) and the fastest two-mile of his career (9:00.2).

Sport Slants by Pap



Invited

The Bell Arthur Vets. team of the Tobacco Belt League has received an invitation to represent North Carolina in the fourth annual American Basketball Congress tournament in Atlanta, Georgia March 5 to March 10.

A spokesman for the Bell Arthur team said yesterday it has not been decided whether the team will accept the invitation to play in the national tournament. He added that a sponsor for the team will be needed if the team enters the tournament.

Play Starts For Tourney In Elkin

Elkin, Feb. 24—(AP)—Scores of college students took over Elkin today as the North State Conference opened its annual basketball free-for-all.

The biggest question mark of the tournament, which climaxes an unpredictable season, hung on Catawba's star forward, sharpshooting Larry Graham.

Graham, who helped send Catawba well into the lead of the conference standings, has been out this month with a sprained ankle. If Graham is right, Catawba is given an even chance of taking the conference championship.

But if he's still hobbling, then it's a wide open affair with a host of other teams, including Appalachian High Point and Western Carolina ready to grab the laurels.

Western Carolina, boasting Bo McGinn, the conference's leading scorer, tangled with East Carolina Teachers in the tournament opener this afternoon. Other games pitted High Point, ranked third against Lenoir-Rhyne (6); Appalachian (2) against Atlantic Christian; and Catawba (1) against Guilford (8).

Braves Add Name To Injured List

Boston, Feb. 24—(AP)—The Boston Braves today placed on their disabled list the name of outfielder Charlie Gilbert who wrote from his New Orleans home "my fifth lumbar vertebra is split in two."

Gilbert was drafted by the Tribe after a banner 1948 season with the Nashville Vols in the Southern Association. In his letter to general manager John Quinn, Gilbert enclosed X-ray plates confirming his injury.

The economic loss from accidents on American farms is estimated at one billion dollars a year.

Golfer-Bowler Takes His Turn

Atlantic City, N.J., Feb. 24—(AP)—Dr. Harry Kerr, of Philadelphia who has bowled two perfect games fired two holes-in-one in golf, made an unassisted triple play in baseball, took his rolls in the American Bowling Congress tonight with the Brunswick Reds of Philadelphia.

The Quaker City osteopath has two strikes against him as far as his doing anything sensational in this tournament is concerned. His reputation as an athlete is strike no. 1 and the 1,000 average his team carries is strike no. 2.

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Phantoms End Cage Season By Dividing With New Bern

Varsity Loses 53-52 As Local Jayvees Score 28-21 Victory Completing Perfect Record In Conference Play

Greenville high school basketball teams wound up their 1949 basketball schedule in New Bern last night as the local varsity lost to the Bears 53 to 42, and the Phantom Jayvees scored a 28-21 victory to turn a perfect record in conference play this season.

For the Juniors it was win number 14 in conference play and brought the season's totals to 16 victories and two defeats.

The Phantom varsity got off to a slow start against the Bears last night, and were able to score only 11 points in the first half while the New Bern boys racked up 26.

After intermission the locals gained momentum but could not catch up with the talented "Bears" who dropped in shots from all over the court.

John Farley led the Greenville attack with 15 points, with Smith and Cox in the runner-up spots with six each. Russell was high scorer for New Bern with 18 points.

For Coach Bo Farley's varsity it was the sixth loss of the season against eight wins. The Phantoms meet Elizabeth City tonight at the first round of the Northeastern Conference tournament.

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If Terps Top Richmond They're In Tournament

Maryland's Terps can pack up their baggage for a trip to the Southern conference cage tournament tonight if they can manage to get past the University of Richmond Spiders.

A win over the comebacking Spiders would put the Terps' circuit record at 7-6 and would assure them of at least a 7-7 season's mark, good enough to land them a spot in the Durham classic.

But the Marylanders had better not start packing just yet. Richmond, the doormat of the conference for many weeks, has perked up of late with two straight triumphs over conference foes. And once before this season, the Spiders proved too much for the Terps, winning 54-45 at College Park.

The Maryland-Richmond clash shares tonight's conference spotlight with another "crucial" struggle between Davidson's Wildcats and South Carolina's Gamecocks. There's nothing crucial about it for the Wildcats, who've already clinched a tournament.

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They berth, but the Gamecocks—with a 5-6 record—have to win this one to stay in the contention.

The Gamecocks, as a matter of fact, slipped one notch down the conference ladder last night when Wake Forest's Deacons slipped by Furman, 67-55. The win enabled the Deacons to move into a tie with Maryland for sixth place in the league and dropped South Carolina to eighth. It was Wake Forest's seventh league victory against as many losses and bolstered the Deacons' tournament stock enormously.

Three other games were played by circuit teams last night but none counted in the standings.

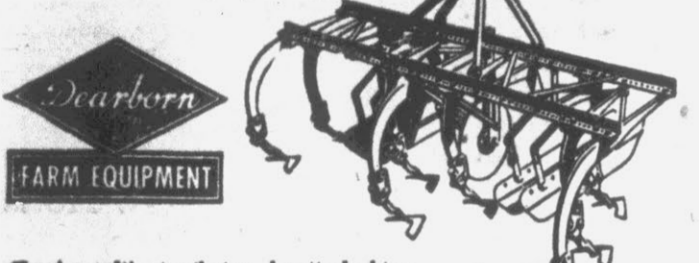
Lots Of Entries In Top Handicap

Arcadia, Calif., Feb. 24—(AP)—There will be quite a wealthy crowd of horses waging away in Santa Anita's \$100,000 Handicap Saturday.

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sharply in a sob. She had hair like fine spun gold, a face almost ethereal in its beauty, and there was pain and suffering there. One glance assured him that she was no Montfort. Only for a moment did she pause, then advanced with Dikton, whose eyes were stormy. All color had drained from her face, and Rivers was quick to feel the tension in the room. A rumbling growl came from the throat of Ducal—a growl curiously composed of anger and tenderness.

"I didn't expect you, Maria—but welcome, as always! Thrice welcome!"

MARIA! Understanding came to Rivers like the prick of a sword. This woman was the lovely Maria. The ship upon which he sailed was named after her. She was, he guessed, another flame of Don Fernando's, the real reason for the animosity which lay between Don Fernando and this house of Montfort.

Apparently she was not a sister—probably a cousin. Rivers clenched his fists before the table, conscious of the set of his jaw muscles, inwardly cursing Don Fernando as he had never done before.

He was completely at a loss. It would be only courtesy to address himself to Maria, in the role which he played—yet he did not know what to say. Nothing light, or bitter, or ironical, would do. The tension that was in the others had captured him as well.

Then came the crowning touch. At a signal from Ducal, the others bowed their heads, and Ducal intoned a grace, God's blessing upon the meal. Despite the incongruity, with Bashan trothing like a dog on leash, Rivers felt that it was sincere.

It was a sumptuous banquet. True to their code, the Montforts, aside from Bashan, were going out of their way to be pleasant and entertaining to him.

Rivers answered mechanically. His mind was upon the tangle which Don Fernando had created in the center of which he now found himself. Donna Dolores, Irene, Maria. Somehow the meal dragged to an end. At its conclusion the others filed from the room—all save Maria, who remained in her seat, eyes downcast, blushing and paling by turns.

Rivers remained standing, holding to the back of his chair, knuckles showing white. Liking what lay ahead far less than if it had been a clash of swords with the mighty Bashan.

For a moment he stood, then sank down again. As though his gesture had reassured her, Maria stood up and crossed to him. Then she sat on the floor beside him, curled like a sleepy kitten.

"At last," she sighed, and then he saw that she too was skilled at playing a part, for her whisper was for his ears alone.

"You are not Fernando," she said.

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Plyler Case Is Settled In Court

By CHESTER WALSH
In Pitt County Superior Court yesterday, a consent judgment was rendered in the case of Claude A. Plyler against his wife, Mrs. Mae Plyler, and Carrie Blanche Simerson, John Mitchell trustee, and the State Bank and Trust Company, for recovery of a deed to property made to Mrs. Plyler some time ago.

On court order, Mrs. Plyler has 60 days in which to sell the property awarded her, to pay the taxes, cost of the deed and court costs, and \$1,000 to Claude A. Plyler.

Immediately afterwards Plyler was granted a divorce from his wife on the grounds of two years' separation.

In the case of J. H. Boyd Jr. vs. Fred Roach, tenant farmer, involving a claim and delivery proceeding concerning corn, etc., the jury found in favor of Boyd to recover \$288. The record shows that Roach, a tenant on Boyd's farm, had instituted a counter suit against him involving hail insurance on a tobacco crop.

Alfred Williams and John D. Payton, defendants in a claim and delivery action by Harvey Bowen concerning two automobiles, failed to answer, the record shows, and the jury found in favor of Bowen for \$400. Judge Williams, during his stay in Greenville, complimented the law enforcement officers of the county

Drunkometer Is Upheld

Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 24—(AP)—A half dozen law enforcement officers claimed today they had upheld the honor of the drunkometer. They have conclusively proved they said, that the canny gadget refuses to be fooled by heavy doses of limburger cheese, onions, bananas, cloves or peppermints.

Last week a Detroit expert contended that an innocent muncher of limburger cheese could take a drunkometer test and flunk, even

though he hadn't had a drop of alcohol. The same thing would happen to anyone with a sturdy breath he said.

Yesterday Sheriff John L. Osborn rallied a group of guinea pigs to defend the drunkometer.

The six officers consumed varying amount of selected foods and then stepped before the machine with reeking breaths.

Perhaps the drunkometer shuddered a bit—but it registered zero.

for harmonious cooperation, praised court and other officials for interest in their work, and said he always enjoys coming to Greenville. He adjourned the civil term yesterday afternoon and left for his home at Sanford. He will preside over Superior Court in Kinston next week, he said.

Asserts Vatican Lined Up With 'New War' Group

Sofia, Bulgaria, Feb. 24—(AP)—Foreign Minister Vassil Kolarov said today the Bulgarian Parliament last night that the Vatican is linked with "dark forces" attempting to stir up a new world war.

He made his charges as the Communist-controlled legislature body considered new restrictions on religion. The proposed new religion law came up as the hour of trial approached for 15 Protestant clergymen accused of criminal activities against the state.

The 15 include the heads of the Methodist, Baptist, Congregational and Pentecost churches in Bulgaria. They go into court tomorrow, charged with treason, spying for the United States and Great Britain and illegal money dealings.

List Chickens In 'Social Register'

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 24—(AP)—A social register for chickens is the latest thing in the New Jersey poultry business.

Under a current statement enrollment program, hens and roosters with the proper family background are listed in a "Record of Performance." The "ROP" is "Poultrydom's equipment of the four hundred," the state department of agriculture said today.

Radio Presentation Tonight Advocates Help For Red Cross

Madeleine Carrol in "The Lady with a Lamp," a story of Florence Nightingale, to be broadcast this evening over station WGTO at 10 p. m.

In this special broadcast, the Episcopal church urges people everywhere to help carry forth the great work of the American Red Cross by supporting actively its annual drive.

It is particularly appropriate for Miss Carrol to star in this drama because she participated actively in the work of the Red Cross overseas during the war.

Air Rifle Breaks Windshield On Car

Harry Stabbs, 111-B Vance street, reported to Greenville police that when a boy with an air rifle shot at him at First and Greene streets yesterday. Police reports show that numerous complaints are being made about boys in the city shooting air rifles in the city, particularly at Kirtis.

Mrs. J. C. Savage Passes In Kinston

Mrs. J. C. Savage, 66, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Hugh Cox of Kinston, early Thursday morning after being critically ill for several months. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Hugh Cox of Kinston; a son, H. Elmo Savage of Greenville; two grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. W. A. Sermons, Sr., of Greenville, and Mrs. N. T. Stokes, of Norfolk, Va.; and two brothers, J. R. and J. T. Allen, both of Greenville.

Greene Youth In Wreck Succumbs

Willie Thomas Eason Jr., 19, of Greene County, who was injured in an automobile accident between Farmville and Lizzie in Greene County Tuesday afternoon, died at Pitt General Hospital at 2:15 a. m. today.

Funeral services will be held at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie T. Eason, at Lizzie Friday at 3 p. m. Rev. J. E. Young, Methodist minister of Snow Hill, and Rev. Z.B.T. Cox, Christian minister of Farmville, will officiate. Burial will be in the Eason family cemetery near the home.

Surviving are his parents; one sister, Miss Lula Lee Eason of Farmville and Greenville; his paternal grandmother, Mrs. Lula Lee Eason of the home; and his maternal grandfather, Gardner Jones of Snow Hill.

Eason was fatally injured when he and Harry Albritton, Greene County youth, were racing on the highway and met an oncoming truck. Greene County authorities said Albritton went to the right of the truck, Eason to the left, and that his car collided with the truck driven by David Dixon, Negro. Eason's car caught fire after the collision and he was extricated from the wreckage before the flames reached him. He was taken to Pitt General Hospital. The Pitt County coroner will hold an inquest later. Authorities are investigating the wreck.

Cause For . . .

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money of a country whose outgo is greater than its income isn't worth as much as the "hard currency."

So Britain (and numerous other European countries) must trade where their currency will buy the most. They have to trade among themselves. This must to great degree, leave the "hard currency" countries out of the picture. Their foreign trade will suffer.

Sir Stafford Cripps, British chancellor of the exchequer, says the advancement of the colonial people and the recovery of Britain are in fact one problem. He pins the position down like this:

"The economies of Western Europe and tropical Africa are so closely interlocked in mutual trade, in the supply of capital and in currency systems that their problems of overseas balance are essentially one x x x The further development of African resources is one the same crucial importance to the rehabilitation and strengthening of Western Europe as the restoration of European productive power is to the future progress and prosperity of Africa."

That, I take it, is what Brazil and other South American countries must compete against in the European market. My British source of information figured this meant that they must make adjustments in

The 1040 . . .

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can't lose by filing jointly.

If they have two incomes, but the total is under \$5,000, they should check the tax table carefully to see whether they'd save by filing separately or jointly.

And if their deductible expenses run more than the 10 per cent allowance in the tax table, they should file their return on the 1040 long form. In that case they'll have to itemize their deductions, but can claim them fully.

Here's another point for under-\$5,000 couples: if one partner wants to use the long form and itemize deductions, the other must use the long-form, too, and itemize. That other partner can't use the short-form.

Where husband and wife have a combined income of \$5,000 or more—although the income of each is under \$5,000—they can file jointly on the short form.

They can file separately on the short form, because the income of each is under \$5,000, or jointly on the long form. Example: Jones has \$3,000 income, his wife \$4,000.

Remember: you may think you're filing a short form jointly but the government won't allow it unless husband and wife both sign it. Repeat: Both must sign it.

You can turn in a joint return even though your wife or husband died in 1948, no matter how early in 1948.

And a husband and wife can file a joint return on their combined income for the whole year even though they got married on the last day of 1948.

But—people divorced in 1948 can't file a joint return.

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Kenecott	47 1/2	Std Oil N J	63 1/2
Loews	15 1/2	Stewart Warner	12 1/2
Lorillard	20 1/2	Swift	25 1/2
Mont Ward	53 1/2	Tex Co	49 1/2
Nash Kely	13	Union Carbide	37 1/2
Nat Biscuit	32	United Air	23 1/2
N Y Cent	10 1/2	United Corp	2 1/2
No Am Aviat	9 1/2	US Rubber	38 1/2
Packard	4	US Smelt and Ref	42 1/2
Param Pic	23	US Steel	70 1/2
Penney J O	44 1/2	Vanadium	20
Penn RR	15 1/2	Va Caro Chem	7 1/2
Pepsi Cola	8 1/2	Warner Pic	10 1/2
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N.Y. Cotton

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Noon prices were 70 cents to \$1.05 a bale lower than the previous close. March \$2.41, May \$2.24 and July \$1.05.

Hog Market

Raleigh, Feb. 24—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog prices steady to weaker. Tops of \$19 at Kinston, Rocky Mount, Tarboro; \$18.50 at Greenville, Wilson, Goldsboro, and Washington.

Poultry and Eggs

Raleigh, Feb. 24—(AP)—(NCDA)—Fryers and broilers steady. A large 43.

N.Y. Stock Market

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