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Colder tonight, 24 to 28 central and 28 to 32 near coast. Not so cold Tuesday.

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U. S. Cruiser Is Due Home After Russian Service

Old 'Milwaukee' Is Being Returned After Nearly Five Years In Red Navy

Washington, March 7.—(AP)—The American Cruiser Milwaukee, flying a hammer and sickle pennant, is due home today after nearly five years duty in the Russian navy.

Manned by a Soviet crew, the 26-year old warship is scheduled to be returned to the United States navy in a brief ceremony at Lewes, Delaware.

The old Milwaukee is the first of 886 American naval vessels loaned the Russians during the war to come back to the United States.

As the 7,050-ton vessel American shores, the state department was reported putting the final touches to a new note to Moscow demanding return of at least 31 other vessels.

The Soviet government promised in writing last December to return these 31 ships—after six vigorously worded American demands—but thus far has failed to keep this promise.

Navy department officials meanwhile made arrangements to tow the Milwaukee to Philadelphia for final inspection once it ties up at Lewes.

Afterward, the battle-tested cruiser probably will be officially retired from active duty because modern advances in warship construction have far out-dated it.

Renamed Murnance by the Russians, it was mainly used to guard the vital sea lanes to the key Russian port of the same name. Navy department officials understand it was used also to hunt down German U-boat raiders but they have no details of these actions.

The best information available indicates the old Milwaukee escaped all war damage and is in good condition except for its age.

The Russian crew, estimated at around 800 men, is expected to be returned to Russia promptly. A Russian vessel is accompanying the Milwaukee on the voyage to serve as transportation back to Russia for the crew.

Request Umstead To Fill Vacancy

Elizabeth City, March 7.—(AP)—Pasquotank county commissioners in session today wired Governor Kerr Scott unanimously requesting him to appoint William B. Umstead of Durham as successor to Senator J. Melville Broughton who died Sunday.

Broughton defeated Umstead in last years election for the Senate post.

Checked Nearly 250,000 Autos

Raleigh, N.C., March 7.—(AP)—The state's auto inspection lanes inspected a total of 249,405 vehicles this year before they closed up shop on Feb. 25. Director Arthur Moore of the inspections division reported today.

This compared with 255,073 cars inspected during the first six months of last year.

No Housing Problem When He Goes Home

Cork, Ire., March 7.—(AP)—Maher, who retires next July as manager of a Pinehurst, N. C. club, wants no housing problem when he settles down in his native Tipperary. His prefabricated house arrived today in 59 crates aboard the steamer Irish Pine.

Faith In The West

Scandinavian Countries Display Confidence In Power Of Atlantic Alliance To Stem Tide Of Soviet Aggression; Higher Morale; Delicate Position Noted

By DeWITT MacKEE ZIE

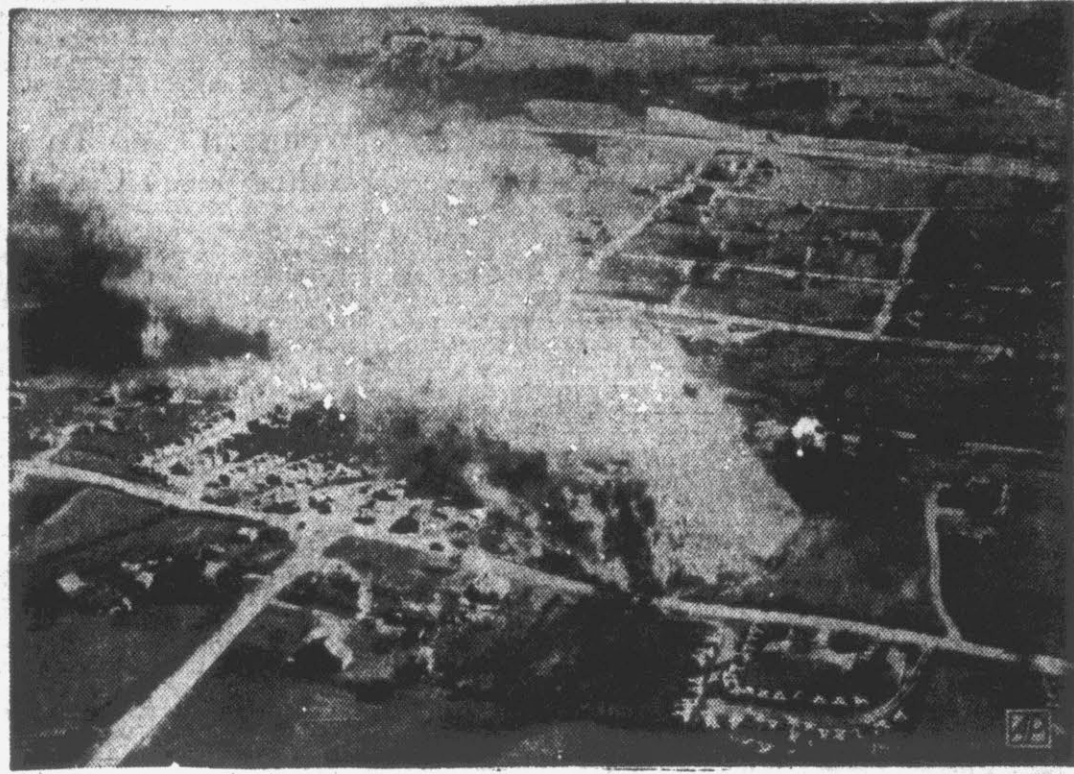
If the Molotov mystery presages a shift in Russian foreign policy, this may be due in large degree to the fact that the nations of western Europe are showing a steadily growing confidence in the future.

It would be going too far to say that these harassed countries have lost their fear of outward contingencies. But they are demonstrating faith that they can deal with aggression if it should develop.

This faith undoubtedly is based primarily on the leadership and strength of America. Linked with that, of course, is the courage inspired by the success thus far of the Marshall plan in rehabilitating a great bloc of countries. Most of these states were so shattered by war that they could neither defend themselves nor, in some cases, feed themselves adequately.

Sinking evidence of this lift in morale is seen in the attitudes of Norway and Denmark towards the highly controversial North Atlantic Alliance. Both these countries had been warned to steer clear of the Atlantic pact being forced by America, Canada, Britain, France, Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxem-

Burning Mountain Of Sawdust Endangers Town



Smoke billows up from a mountainous three-acre pile of sawdust which has broken into surface flames after accumulating for years at Peachland, N. C. Sparks flying toward nearby homes have caused anxiety in the community. Gov. Kerr Scott has ordered the National Guard on duty to prevent the fire from spreading. The sawdust pile is on a lumber yard. It has been accumulating for 30 years and is about 100 feet high in places. (AP Photo).

Republicans Claim Truman Put Them On Spot With Proposals

Brewster Suggests Late Advocacy Of Majority Gag On Senate Debate Was 'Presidential Curve'; Questions Goals

Washington, March 7.—(AP)—Republicans charged President Truman today with trying to put them on political spot by advocating a majority gag on Senate debate.

In a detailed cut at what he called a Presidential curve, Senator Brewster of Maine suggested that maybe the administration never had any intention of fighting to a showdown a southern filibuster—aimed at long range at the President's civil rights program.

"If they really want to break a filibuster, why didn't they start in January?" Brewster asked. "And why did the President throw into the stew the idea of limiting debate by a simple majority vote? If they want to drive every thoughtful citizen into the southern camp, that's the way to do it."

Senator Wherry of Nebraska, the GOP floor leader, took off on the President along the same lines in a week-end statement.

He said the President's proposal "raised the question of whether he really wants a practice closure (debate-limiting) rule or is insisting

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Driver Pinned Under Wrecked Truck 9 Hours

Winston-Salem, N. C., March 7.—(AP)—A driver lay for nine hours pinned under the cab of his truck after it overturned three miles north of the city last night.

Discovered at 8 a. m. today, Bernard Newman, 26, of Fancy Gap, Va., was suffering from shock and exposure, which aggravated injuries to his head and hips.

His unguided vehicle, operated by the Crawford Transport Company, plunged down a 100-foot embankment on the Mount Airy highway at 11 p. m. Sunday.

Newman, dazed from his injuries and he apparently fell asleep when his truck, traveling north on a straight stretch of road, crossed the highway, plunged down the bank and turned over.

Indicate Royall Is Next Official To Step Down

Presidential Confidants Disclose Secretary Of Army Will Go Within Ten To Twenty Days; Truman On Vacation

Key West, Fla., March 7.—(AP)—Presidential confidants disclosed today that Secretary of the Army Kenneth C. Royall is the next high ranking administration official to go.

These reputable but unquotable-by-name officials said Royall will step out within ten to twenty days. His successor has not yet been decided upon, they reported.

Meanwhile, the President settled down to the enjoyment of a fortnight's vacation at this naval submarine base—his sixth trip to Florida. He flew in yesterday, landing at the Boca Chica airport, eight and a half miles from here.

He will fly to Orlando tomorrow and drive to Winter Park where he will speak and receive a regree from Rollins college.

At least two highly placed Presidential intimates said Mr. Royall is resigning.

They said he will follow Secretary of Defense Forrestal into retirement despite Mr. Truman's assertion at his last news conference that Royall was not quitting. These intimates emphasized that the President meant that Royall was not stepping out at that time.

Col. Louis Johnson, an old pal of Mr. Truman's and one of the chief fund raisers of his 1948 campaign, is succeeding Forrestal March 31. He may fly down here for a conference before Mr. Truman returns to Washington March 19 for the annual dinner of the White House photographers association.

It was reported by the President's associates that he wants John L. Sullivan to remain as secretary of the navy and W. Stuart Symington to stay on as secretary for air.

These same sources said that other changes in Mr. Truman's administration will come gradually.

The President himself said he had no other plans here than to work on official papers flown to him daily from the White House except for his trip to Winter Park tomorrow.

Report Airlift To Help Albania

Frankfurt, Germany, March 7.—(AP)—The Frankfurt Abendpost said today the Russians are organizing a small-scale "anti-Tito" airlift.

It will operate from Budapest to Tirana, Albanian capital, the newspaper said, quoting Budapest Radio. Albania is separated from its Communist neighbors by Premier Marshal Tito's non-Communist Yugoslavia.

The lift will start with two flights a week over the 450-mile route by four-engined bombers with Russian pilots, the newspaper said.

Warmer Weather Assured Tuesday

By the Associated Press The weatherman predicted that today's windy, colder weather would be followed in the Carolinas by fair and somewhat warmer weather tomorrow. But tonight, he warned, parts of North Carolina would have frost.

A mass of cold air which struck the states from the northwest late yesterday caused a decline in temperatures this morning and a thunderstorm last night.

Plan No Effort To Keep Pension Bill From House

Rankin Measure Likely To Be Sharply Changed During Debate To Come

Washington, March 7.—(AP)—The hundred billion dollar veterans' pension bill may undergo sharp changes during House debate.

The rules committee called a morning huddle today to give the measure clearance for House debate probably next week.

Administration spokesmen said privately no effort will be made to keep the bill from a House vote or delay a showdown. Such an attempt could be thwarted anyhow under a new rule that would allow Rep. Rankin (D-Miss.) to force a showdown on March 14 if he wants to.

Rankin is chairman of the House Veterans' Affairs Committee which approved the bill last month. He has estimated its projected cost up to the year 2000 at \$109,000,000, although some estimates have raised this to \$150,000,000.

The bill would give a pension of \$90 a month to every veteran of World Wars I and II, except those dishonorably discharged, at the age of 65, regardless of need or physical condition.

Veterans suffering from non-service connected mental or physical disabilities requiring the services of a full-time attendant would get \$120 a month regardless of their age.

Because of the huge cost of the bill, the Administration doesn't want it passed in its present form but is faced with the practical situation that members of Congress are reluctant to vote against any bill giving benefits to war veterans.

So the plan is to water it down and cut out some of the billions. Some members are lining up behind an amendment that would limit the pensions to veterans of World War I. Their argument is that most World War II veterans won't be 65 for many years and Congress can take care of them later. On the other hand, many World War I veterans are near the age of eligibility.

A plan to have the bill re-committed "for further study" also is being considered. This would take House members "off the political hook" by enabling them to keep the bill bottled up without actually voting against it.

Service Station Near Ayden Robbed Saturday Night

Sheriff's deputies Loyd Manning and Jasper Mills, are continuing their investigation of the robbery of J. F. Casey's service station two miles south of Ayden on No. 11 highway Saturday night. The officers said some persons broke a window glass to enter the station. A small sum of money and some merchandise was missing. The robber fled by the back door. Casey, owner of the store, had occasion to go back to the place about 3 a. m. Sunday and discovered the robbery.

Big Let-Down

Edinburgh, Scotland, March 7.—(AP)—Four ambulances from Edinburgh, Musselburgh and Haddington rushed to nearby Longliddry on a report of a plane crash.

They found no dead nor injured—only the wreckage of a three foot model plane.

Super-Secret Intelligence Measure Sent Lawmakers

Washington, March 7.—(AP)—A carefully guarded bill to shield U. S. intelligence agents and give them some new powers abroad went before the house today in almost complete secrecy.

House leaders said it had to be that way. They arranged for strict limits on debate, with no opportunity to amend the bill on the floor and little time to inquire into its details.

Chairman Vinson (D-Ga.) of the house armed services committee said no details will be explained to Congress. The committee held brief secret hearings on the measure, but kept no stenographic record of them.

The bill was cleared last Friday by the house rules committee after Rep. Short (R-Mo.) assured it "the subject matter is highly secret and deals with our national security."

It would give the central intelligence agency permanent statutory authority for the things it does now under executive orders and emergency powers of the President.

The agency, highly secret nerve center for the nation's intelligence operations around the world, would be allowed to hide its annual budget in the budgets of other government departments, as it does now. It also would be excused from publishing its payrolls and expenditures, as other departments are required to do.

Then the gency, with the approval of the Attorney General, would have authority to bring up to 100 aliens into the country every year in return for information from them.

Guessing Continues On Soviet Office Changes

Moscow, March 7.—(AP)—Foreign observers here speculated today whether the dramatic shift in Soviet Foreign Ministers might bring about new efforts to arrange a meeting of the big four council of Foreign Ministers.

Tied in with this question was discussion of whether the appointment of Andrei Y. Vishinsky as successor to V. M. Molotov might lay the groundwork for another try at solving the Berlin problem and the whole German question.

Molotov handled the last top-level discussions of the Berlin situation in Moscow last summer, but Vishinsky was present at most of the four power meetings.

Broughton Funeral Slated Tuesday; Senate In Recess

Adrift On Ice

Menominee, Mich., March 7.—(AP)—Sheriff Edward Reindl said at noon today that 50 to 60 fishermen were marooned on a vast floe of Green Bay ice which broke away from the shore and began drifting into Lake Michigan.

Aircraft were dispatched from several nearby fields, including the Coast Guard station across the lake at Traverse City. Some fliers said they would try to land on the floe to try evacuation. Reindl said "half the town" was out trying to aid the marooned men.

Observers at the scene were unable to estimate the size of the break-off. It began here and apparently extended northward toward Cedar River, 25 miles away.

Western Floods Take Heavy Toll

Thousands Homeless; Disaster Threatens More Towns

By the Associated Press One man was dead and two university students were missing today as floods inundated or threatened hundreds of homes in western Iowa and Nebraska.

At Missouri Valley, Ia., more than 1,000 persons were homeless and disaster threatened some towns along the Missouri and Big Blue Rivers in Nebraska.

The dead man was George W. Johnson, about 77, who drowned in his flooded Missouri Valley, Ia. home. The missing are Thomas M. Nolan, 22, and Charles Wermuth, 20, students at Creighton University, Omaha, missing since yesterday in the flooded area near Limons Beach, southwest of Omaha. They were on a hunting trip when they disappeared.

At Missouri Valley, hardest hit town in the flood area, the town was without gas, heat and water and authorities said none was in prospect for several days. All the town's inhabitants were to be evacuated today against typhoid. Water still stood from three to three and one-half feet deep in more than 300 homes and it was receding.

Red Cross disaster relief headquarters said it had spent \$4,000 by shoe for homeless children in the town, and Mayor Maurice M. Kirlin has asked Rep. Jensen (R-Iowa) to apply for federal relief funds.

The trouble spots in Nebraska appeared to be the towns of Crete and Seward, in the Elkhorn Valley. Volunteer crews worked throughout the night to protect the town of Ashland from the rising Platte and Elkhorn Rivers and Wahoo and Salt Creeks.

Children, Kitten And Pup Smoked Out Of Building

Charlotte, N.C., March 7.—(AP)—Thirty-two children marched calmly from the Alexander Orphanage Home here early today, smoked out by a burning mattress.

The only excitement occurred when the children noticed a pet puppy was missing. One child suffered a slight scratch when her kitten objected to being clutched too tightly.

Miss Blanche H. White, director of the home, restored order simply by rushing back into the building and returning with the sleepy pup. Most of the children were wearing blankets. And passersby protected the others from the chill air by loaning them coats.

Denies Motion Dismiss Charges

New York, March 7.—(AP)—The defense sought dismissal of a conspiracy indictment against 11 high Communist leaders on the ground that President Truman's characterization of two Communist leaders as "traitors" made a fair trial impossible. The motion was promptly denied.

The motion referred to a recent remark by President Truman when asked to comment on a statement issued by the two members of the American Communist party, Eugene Dennis and William Z. Foster.

Medical Bale

Kinston, March 7.—(AP)—"It's for my arthritis," the man said as he asked Store Keeper Wayne Mitchell for a bale of alfalfa.

Pressed for details, the man told Mitchell a specialist had prescribed this treatment for his ailment:

Boil some alfalfa for a half hour. Add cool water until the temperature drops to 104 degrees Fahrenheit.

Then soak the afflicted limbs in the solution for 30 minutes.

"Works like a charm," the man grinned, as he drove off with his bale of medicine.

Says UN Hired Personnel Fired By State Dept.

Mundt Reports Several Released As Security Risks Employed

Washington, March 7.—(AP)—Senator Mundt (R-SD) said today the United Nations has hired some people who were fired by the State Department as security risks.

Names of several such persons, Mundt said, are in the files of the house un-American activities committee. The Senator is a former member of the committee.

For some time, the committee has had investigators trying to find out whether foreign governments have been using the United Nations as a shield for spying on this country.

"I believe," Mundt told reporters, "we should take up with the United Nations the question of Americans who are employed by it and get an agreement that when Americans are hired, they will be screened by the State Department."

Mundt said he thought that France, for instance, or even Russia should have the right to screen French or Russian employes who are put on U. N. rolls.

"But when Americans are hired," he said, "we should be sure they represent the American point of view."

His remarks were another aftermath of a spy case which broke over the week-end. It developed this way:

Judith Coplon, a justice department employe and Valentine A. Cuhelny, a Russian engineer of the U. N. staff, were arrested by the FBI in New York Friday night. They were accused of stealing American secrets involving security data.

In Miss Coplon's purse the FBI found a package of typewritten summaries of information from confidential papers.

Attorney General Clark announced the arrests Saturday.

A few hours later it became known that the un-American Activities committee had received a report from an investigator in September, 1946, mentioning Miss Coplon and several other persons in the office where she worked. The report said this was the office of alien registration. However, a justice department official said she was assigned of the foreign agents registration division only about 18 months ago. She previously worked in the anti-trust division in New York.

See End Of Rent Control Through Long Filibuster

Washington, March 7.—(AP)—Two Southern Senators suggested today that rent controls may die if the administration presses ahead much longer with its fight for an anti-filibuster change in Senate rules.

One of them, Senator Sparkman (D-Ala.) predicted, too, that if controls die they will never be revived except in case of war.

The situation on rent controls is this: The present law runs out March 31. Rent controls will end then unless Congress acts to continue them. The House Banking committee has approved a bill to continue the controls for 15 more months. The house is due to act on the bill Thursday, but both house and senate must pass a bill to keep the controls in force.

In a statement, Governor Scott said, "As governor during World War II, Melville Broughton proved his great capacity for leadership, and though he was privileged to serve only a short time in the United States Senate, he established himself as an outstanding member of that body."

"Senator Broughton knew North Carolina and North Carolinians as few did, and few men made a greater impression upon our state than he did. He contributed heavily to its progress and well being, and by his death at the early age of 60 years, it may be said that he gave his life to the cause of a better state and a better nation."

That 'Unhatched Egg'

New Labor Law Still Unwritten; Nobody Knows What Kind Of Measure Will Emerge From 81st Congress; A Review Of What Has Happened, and What Lies Ahead

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, March 7.—(AP)—The new labor law? It's still like an unhatched egg that's being bounced around. And nobody knows what kind of bird is going to come out.

We're still quite a distance from having a new labor law. We may not have one for a couple of months. And no one at this minute can predict what it will look like.

But by this time maybe you're confused on the whole subject because so much already has been said and written about it and a good many people get foggy on the difference between a bill and a law.

So here's a review of what's happened and what lies ahead. In 1935 the Democrats, then in control of Congress, passed the Wagner labor act. Labor liked it. Employers didn't. Came 1947 when the Republicans controlled Congress.

They passed the Taft-Hartley labor act, almost completely changing the old Wagner act. Employers liked the new one. Labor didn't. Then came the elections in November, 1948.

Getting the support of labor, which was sore at the Republicans, the Democrats promised to wipe out

Deceased Senator To Be Honored By Legislators, Church Leaders And Business Associates; Scott In No Hurry To Fill Vacancy

Washington, March 7.—(AP)—A Senate recess was arranged today out of respect for the late Senator J. Melville Broughton (D-NC), who died of a heart attack yesterday.

Funeral services for the former North Carolina governor will be attended by state and national leaders in Raleigh, N. C., today afternoon at 3 o'clock (EST).

Broughton had made his maiden speech in the Senate. He planned to join other new senators in their attack on proposed changes in the rules of the Senate regarding the limit of debate.

He died at Naval Hospital in nearby Bethesda, Md., where he had been a patient less than an hour. He had been in the Senate only about two months, having been sworn in December 31. He presided over the Senate last week for the first time.

His body was taken to Raleigh by train last night and was accompanied by Richard Quisenberry, his secretary, and Monroe Redden Jr., of the University of North Carolina.

His wife, the former Alice Willson, and their three sons, Melville Jr., 25, Robert, 23, both law students at the University of North Carolina, and Woodson, 21, a soldier stationed at Fort Jackson, S. C., are flying to Raleigh today. His daughter, Alice, of Winston-Salem, is in Raleigh.

Legislators, church leaders and business men with whom he had been prominently associated will from Washington to Raleigh for funeral services Tuesday. Among those who are expected to be there are Secretary of the Army Kenneth C. Royall, Senator Hoyt (D-NC), the North Carolina members of the House of Representatives; Comptroller General Lindsay C. Warren; Undersecretary of State James E. Webb; Dr. Edward H. Pruden, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Winston.

The senator was graduated from Wake Forest College in 1916 and studied at Harvard law school. He handled many outstanding civil and criminal cases in North Carolina and federal courts, having practiced law in Raleigh until he was elected governor in 1941 and after his governorship ended in 1945.

Tentative funeral plans call for the body to lie in state, probably in the rotunda of the State Capitol and then at the Tabernacle Baptist Church.

The funeral will be conducted by the Rev. R. O. Mixon, pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist Church, assisted by the Rev. Edward Hughes Pruden, pastor of the First Baptist Church, and Washington, D. C. will be in Mountbarn Memorial Park here.

Governor Scott led Democratic leaders of the state in expressions of shock and sympathy at the death of the Tar Heel junior senator and former governor.

The governor said he would take no action immediately to fill the vacancy created by Broughton's death.

In a statement, Governor Scott said, "As governor during World War II, Melville Broughton proved his great capacity for leadership, and though he was privileged to serve only a short time in the United States Senate, he established himself as an outstanding member of that body."

"Senator Broughton knew North Carolina and North Carolinians as few did, and few men made a greater impression upon our state than he did. He contributed heavily to its progress and well being, and by his death at the early age of 60 years, it may be said that he gave his life to the cause of a better state and a better nation."

After this news, 81st Congress opened up in January, President Truman's Democratic advisers offered a bill to knock out Taft-Hartley and bring back the Wagner act.

This is where the difference between a bill and a law comes in. When a bill is offered in Congress it goes to the committee in the House, another in the Senate. The committees can kill the bill by doing nothing about it. They do that with many bills.

Or they hold hearings on a bill, letting friends and foes testify. Then the committee approves the bill, with or without changes of its own in the measure.

After that the bill goes to the full house and senate for debate and vote. Even a bill already changed by committee may be changed some more during debate on the floor of both houses.

A bill can't become law unless both houses approve. Even then it

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Social and Personal

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

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kohler of Philadelphia, Pa., arrived Saturday night and are visiting Mrs. Hortense F. Moye.

Miss Norma C. Bakes has gone to Elon College to spend several months with her sister, Mrs. W. C. Council.

Makes Dean's List
Joe Bowen made the Dean's list recently released at the University of North Carolina. Students with an average grade of 92.5 per cent or better for the fall quarter were included.

Initiated Into Scholastic Fraternity
Billy Bowen was recently initiated in Phi Eta Sigma National Scholastic Fraternity at the University of North Carolina. An average grade of 95 per cent for the first year's work is required for membership.

Carrie Wilson Class to Meet
The Carrie Wilson class of Immanuel Baptist Church meets Wednesday night at 8 o'clock with Mrs. E. M. Reagan, Mrs. C. A. Scruggs will be assisting hostess.

Birth Announcement
Mr. and Mrs. LeRay Arnold announce the birth of a son, Bernard Hines, on March 3, 1949, in Memorial General Hospital, Winston.

Birth Announcement
Mr. and Mrs. Don C. Carson, Jr., of Bethel, announce the birth of a son, Don C. Carson, III, on March 3, at Edgecombe General Hospital, Tarboro. Mrs. Carson is the former Miss Daisy Lee Andrews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Andrews of Bethel.

Birth Announcement
Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie O'Neal announce the birth of a daughter, Lillian Marie, on Friday, March 4, at Pitt General Hospital.

Meadowbrook Men's Club Holds Meeting

The Meadowbrook Men's Community Club held its monthly meeting at the church on Thursday night with President Cliff Rhodus presiding. The invocation was offered by Dr. J. W. Hassell. Mr. R. H. Parker was chairman of the food committee for this month. Mr. Parker and his sons furnished, prepared and served a most abundant and delightful barbecue, Brunswick stew and fried chicken supper. The men were loud in their praise of the Messers. Parkers for the "grand food and service." After supper the pastor, Rev. C. D. Patterson, led a brief devotional and Rev. O. C. Hass led in prayer. Then the meeting was turned over to Mrs. Leon Tyson of the Red Oak community. Mrs. Tyson showed herself to be a master in the art of making people have a good time. She led the group in a number of songs and games and she had men singing and joining in games who had thought they were too old to sing and too stiff to join in games. Mrs. Tyson then delighted the audience with her witticisms and humorous readings. After this period of relaxation and fun the club elected officers for the church year beginning April 1. Cliff Rhodus was re-elected president; W. J. Speight, vice president; Armstead Moore, secretary and H. S. Wood assistant secretary. E. A. Fuller was re-elected treasurer. President Rhodus appointed the following committees to serve for the next three months:

Food committee—Johnny Anderson, Heber Roberson and Jack Russell.
Reception committee—P. O. Allen and Lonnie Hathaway.
Program committee—W. J. Speight and Cliff Rhodus.
Publicity—J. Nat Harrison.
After a brief challenging message from President Rhodus the meeting was closed with prayer by the pastor.

Christian Science Service
"Man" was the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Christian Science Churches and Societies on Sunday, March 6.

Golden Text: I John 3:1, "Behold, what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us, that we should be called the sons of God."
Among the citations comprising the lesson-sermon were the following from the Bible: "Have not we all one Father? Hath not one God created us?" (Malachi 2:10). And from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Man and woman as co-existent and eternal with God forever reflect, in glorified quality, the infinite Father-Mother God." (Page 516).

40 Years Ago Today

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Z. V. Murphrey went to Bethel today.
Mrs. P. M. Johnston left Thursday evening for Henderson.
Miss Ethel Bowling went to Ayden Friday evening.
Alexander Harper went to Wilson yesterday.
The secretary of the Tobacco Board of Trade, reports the sale of leaf tobacco on the Greenville market for the month of February 256,149 pounds at an average price of 7.33.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

MONDAY
6:30 p. m.—Rotary club.
7:00 p. m.—Lion's club.
8:00 p. m.—Performance of "Peter Pan" for college students and the general public.
8:00 p. m.—Meetings of W. S. C. S. circles 1 and 10 of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church.
8:00 p. m.—Meetings of Wesleyan Service Guild circles of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church.
8:00 p. m.—Business Women's circle of Immanuel Baptist Church meets with Miss Beattie Lee Gray.

TUESDAY
2:30 p. m.—Performance of Barrie's "Peter Pan" by the Teachers Playhouse of East Carolina Teachers College at Eppes School for Negroes.
3:30 p. m.—Mrs. B. B. Sugg will be hostess to the Sans Souci club.
4:00 p. m.—Literature department of the Woman's Club meets at the home of Mrs. D. L. Moore.

7:30 p. m.—Withis Council Degree of Pochontas meets.
8:00 p. m.—St. Elizabeth's chapter of St. Paul's Church meets in the parish house.
8:00 p. m.—The King's Daughters will meet at the home of Mrs. V. C. Fleming. Mrs. J. H. Randolph, assisting hostess.
8:00 p. m.—Program on "Music and the Dance" will be presented at the Greenville Woman's club at a meeting of the city Music Club. Performers will include pupils of the Marie Wallace School of the Dance and of Nell Stallings of the health and physical education department of East Carolina Teachers College.

WEDNESDAY
3:00 p. m.—George E. Singleton chapter U. D. C., will meet at the home of Mrs. S. T. White.
3:30 p. m.—Training School P. T. A. meets.
8:00 p. m.—Carrie Wilson class of Immanuel Baptist Church meets at the home of Mrs. B. M. Reagan.

THURSDAY
3:00 p. m.—Specially scheduled performance by the Teachers Playhouse of East Carolina Teachers College of Barrie's "Peter Pan" for those who were unable to see the play early in the week. Children and adults will be admitted to the performance.

FRIDAY
6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis club.
7:30 p. m.—Red Men meet.

Twelfth Annual Fine Arts Festival March 30-April 3

The Greenville Woman's Club is sponsoring the Twelfth Annual Community Fine Arts festival March 30 through April 3 in cooperation with the Greenville Music Club and the Community Art Center. Nine outstanding programs have been arranged centering around all the fine arts, including music, drama, crafts, painting and the dance. The program is as follows:

March 28-30: Children's Art Fair. (This is a preliminary art exhibit at the elementary schools.) Judges will select materials for exhibit at the Woman's Club during the festival.
Wednesday Night, March 30 8 p. m. at Sheppard Memorial library: Gallery talk on the 12th Annual North Carolina Artists Exhibit by Lucy Cherry Crisp. The exhibit will be on display at the Art Gallery.
Thursday, March 31, 3:30 p. m. at Austin auditorium. Children's program centering around the arts. Presentation of art award for elemen-



Miss Peggy Broussard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter H. Broussard of Baton Rouge, La., whose engagement to Theodore A. Hardaway of Baton Rouge, son of Rev. and Mrs. Richard E. Hardaway of Greenville, North Carolina, is announced by her parents. The wedding will take place in Baton Rouge on March 19.

tary schools.
Thursday, March 31, 7:15 p. m. at Greenville high school. One act plays presented by the Greenville

High School dramatics class under the direction of Mrs. Howard Mims and the Rose School of Speech under the direction of Mrs. June Rose.

A Lenten Prayer

Maker of Heaven and Earth
By faith we understand that the worlds have been framed by the word of God, so that what is seen hath not been made out of things which appear. Hebrews 11:3. Read Psalms 19.

Nothing is so deeply fundamental to our faith as the thought of God the creator and man the creature. In the sense of our creatureship we find humility concerning our own powers and reverence toward the Creator.

This was Schliermacher's meaning when he said that religion is a feeling of complete dependence upon God. Paul had found it when he said: "I count all things but loss for the excellency..." The psalmist confessed it with humble thanks: "He hath made us and not we ourselves."

To know ourselves to be creatures of God means that we are freed from selfish pride. The "self-made" man is a self-deceived man. He puts his own accomplishments at the center, forgetting that without God he is nothing. He who acknowledges that the origin of all things is with God, is given power without seeking after it.

"In the beginning God created..." and he continues making new heavens and a new earth and new hearts within us.

Let Us Pray: O Thou ever-living and ever-loving God, father of us all and Maker of all things, thou hast framed the worlds for the coming of the Christ. Create clean hearts within us that we may follow after him. Amen.

Presentation of A. A. U. W. awards in creative writing.
Thursday, March 31, 8:30 p. m.



Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Perane Tyson announce the engagement of their daughter, Mabel Joy, to Mr. Edward Thomas Clark, son of Mrs. Leland Mizell and the late Mr. B. T. Clark, of Greenville, North Carolina. The wedding will take place March 26th.

Concert by Greensboro College Glee Club at Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church.

Friday, April 1, 3:30 p. m. at the Woman's Club. Lecture by William Meade Prince, famous magazine illustrator and writer.

Friday, April 1, 7:30 p. m., Wright auditorium. "The Dance As An Art" with groups from the elementary schools, Marie's School of Dance and the college participating.

Saturday, April 2, 10:30 a. m. at Woman's Club. Demonstration by Mrs. M. Cochran Cole, an outstanding authority of flower arrangement. Program arranged and given by the Garden club.

Saturday, April 2, 3:00 p. m., Wo-

man's Club. Fashion show of home designed clothes by Home Demonstration Clubs of Pitt County under the direction of Mrs. Fred T. Langford.

Saturday, April 2, 7:30 p. m. Lawn of Agriculture Building. Outdoor band concert by Eppes High School band.

Saturday, April 2, 8 p. m. Woman's Club. Concert by Eppes High School Glee Club.

Sunday, April 3, 3:30 p. m. Lawn of Agriculture building. Outdoor concert.

Sunday, April 3, 4:00 p. m. Concert by East Carolina Symphony Orchestra at Woman's Club.

Exhibits and demonstrations of various kinds will be held at the Woman's Club during the festival. Space is still available for more local exhibitors. No admission will be charged for any of the programs.

Woman's Club To Hold Speech Clinic

The Greenville Woman's Club and the Junior Woman's Club will hold a speech clinic under the direction of Dr. Lucile Charles of the English Department at East Carolina Teachers College. The first class will be held on Wednesday, March 9, at 8 p. m. at the Woman's Club.

The General Federation of Women's Clubs is urging that its leaders be trained in the art of public speaking and it is through the courtesy of Dr. Lucile Charles, one of the local club members, that this clinic has been made possible.

Keen interest is being shown by members of both the Junior Woman's Club and the Woman's Club with over 36 members expressing their intention to attend the classes. Other club members interested in joining the classes please call Mrs. Vance Perkins at 3236.

There are some 250 species of the wren family.

Wife Of Errol Flynn Will Sue

Hollywood, March 7.—(AP)—Nora Eddington Flynn, Errol's wife, says she's made up her mind to divorce the screen's foremost swashbuckler. "We have reached an oral agreement and our attorneys are to put it into writing within a few days," she said Saturday. "I'm going to a ranch outside Las Vegas, as I wish to live quietly there, and I'll have the children with me." Flynn was not available for comment.

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Sees Protests Ahead Over New Vehicle Inspection Proposals

By GIL BILLINGS

Raleigh, March 7.—"Protests over inspection lanes will seem like a summer breeze compared to the howls of anguish in store for us," Senator James Webb said Friday of new inspection proposals.

State highway patrolmen would now be charged with the responsibility of keeping automobiles mechanically safe to drive on state roads. Visual spot checks may take over carefully supervised scientific techniques.

State highway officials are visibly worried over possible effects. Complaints have been based on inconvenience. And incommensurate delays with impractical inspections would have roads committment amending their inadvertences again.

North Carolina's highway safety program, called "one of the most ambitious and progressive safety plans ever undertaken by any state," has attracted nation-wide attention with the twenty-nine per cent drop in highway fatalities.

An analysis shows that the safer highways are due to three principles: (a) automobile inspections and patrol supervision, (b) new automobiles and eradication of junk-heap dumping grounds, and (c) safety consciousness.

Vehicle inspections started twenty-two years ago with New York, Massachusetts and Maryland. By 1940 seven states were requiring periodic inspections. Post-war legislation brought this figure above one-half.

Only South Carolina has abolished vehicle inspection. New Jersey attributes its fifty per cent drop in fatalities—from four a day—to in-

spections and safety consciousness cooperation.

North Carolina figures of two deaths a day—with a million less people—clearly shows that the program should be maintained. Drives re-examinations are practically abolished, and no one has expressed any satisfaction with pending inspection revivals.

Actually, authority of highway patrolmen would be relaxed because of the new laws. Regulations would allow drivers of defective automobiles ten days to make repairs. Patrolmen can now arrest a man driving with faulty brakes.

It is difficult to believe that any North Carolinian prefers to forego assurance of safer highways and face negligent drivers in dangerous machines. An adequately maintained automobile is helpless against collision by improperly equipped cars.

Immediately after inspections were abolished four hundred and sixty-eight automobiles—ranging from 1937 models to twenty-five-year-old cars—were issued licenses in one day. Obviously many of these cars could not have been operated previously.

The most practical arbitration to be proposed is the Fountain amendment calling for annual inspections with sufficient lanes. Roads chairman Hatch and Ward have been bombarded with letters and telegrams recommending this idea.

Results of the minority Rowe amendment are easily predictable. Protests will mount with the fury of a tropical storm when drivers are held up twenty or thirty minutes when they are already a little

late for work or dinner.

Vehicle inspection may be completely dead in North Carolina. Only North Carolinians themselves can demand of their representatives in Raleigh that inspections be maintained.

Present Sunday Musical Program

Music for two pianos made up a program presented Sunday afternoon by pupils of Elizabeth Drake of the department of music at East Carolina Teachers College. An audience of college students and faculty members and guests from Greenville and other towns of Eastern Carolina heard the young pianists in recital in the Austin auditorium.

The program began with a series of minuets by Bach played by Cecilia Willoughby of Creswell and Jean Shavender of Ransomville. With Miss Drake at second piano Barbara Massey of Pleasant Hill played concertos by Willard played concertos by Jean Williams. Selections of American folk music by John Jacob Niles were presented by Robert Gaskins of New Bern and Edward Benson of Rocky Mount and by William and Donald Adcock of Durham. Marilyn Maxwell of Greenville and Rupert Browning of Logan, W. Va., gave an arrangement for two pianos of Friml's popular "Donkey Serenade." Nina Abernethy of Rocky Mount and Rodney Roberts of Greenville played Beethoven's "Sonatine in

Mack G. Vainright Buried Greenwood

Mack G. Vainright, 80, died at his home near Simpson at 12 o'clock Saturday night after having suffered a stroke of paralysis early Thursday morning. Funeral services were conducted at the home this afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. J. R. Davidson of Davis, pastor of Black Jack Free Will Baptist Church. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery. Members of Greenville Withlacoochee Tribe No. 35, Improved Order of Red Men, served as honorary pallbearers.

Mr. Vainright was born in Pitt County and lived here all of his life. He was a member of Greenville Withlacoochee Tribe No. 35, Improved Order of Red Men, and Black Jack Free Will Baptist Church. He was married to Melissa Corbett. She died in 1907.

Surviving are two sons, Johnnie M. Vainright of Simpson and Loren E. Vainright of the home; three daughters, Mrs. Isaac Williams, Mrs. K. P. Whichard and Mrs. Vernal Elks, all of near Simpson; 19 grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

Piney Grove News

We are very proud to report that we have now completed the painting of our church. Progress is being made now to paint the top and to have chimneys on each side. We hope to complete this in the near fu-

ture.

Shirley Langley, the little 13-year old girl of our Sunday school, had planned to come home last week, but the doctors decided against it. Instead she had to stay for another operation. We do hope that it will be God's will to restore this little girl back to her health. Incidentally, her address has changed and it now is: Matas Ward, Duke hospital. Do drop her a card if you haven't already done so.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hart and Hagar, Mrs. H. P. Tyson, Mrs. Bernice Causey, and Mrs. Elvy Forrest spent last Saturday in Goldsboro.

Our choir is planning to sing over Station WGTC next Sunday at 2:30. I do want to urge all of you that are planning to sing to come and practice with us. Practice will be Saturday night at 8 o'clock.

The Junior Ladies Auxiliary will meet Monday night at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. Frances Cassick.

The Youthful Workers Club met last Monday night in the Red Oak Community building. Plans have been made to give the play, "An Old Fashioned Mother." Parts were given and practice will start soon. Watch for the date of this play to be presented by these young people.

Must report that we had the largest attendance at Sunday school yesterday ever reported—156. That really makes one feel proud of his church. It just makes you feel good all over to see that many present. Just hope that we can keep this grand record up.

Commerce Club Preparing For Annual Carnival

Members of the student Commerce Club at East Carolina Teachers College are busy with plans for their annual carnival to be held

March 11 in the Wright building on the campus. Charles Woods of Mill-waukee, N.C., president of the club, Norman Cameron, faculty advisor and a large group of student members of the organization are arranging a program for the evening.

Already in progress on the campus is a "Mystery Man" contest. Two winners in guessing his identity will be crowned king and queen of the carnival. Bernard Ham of Portsmouth, Va., boogie-woogie pianist and comedian, will be starred in a special number. Twenty-seven other students will participate in a program including stunts, dancing, singing, fortune telling, and contests of various types.


Women In The Church

"From the devastation of Germany and the terror of Czechoslovakia, the freedoms of America seemed bright and glistening," says Mrs. Harper Sibley, leader of the United Council of Church Women, recently returned from Europe. "And then I saw dark patches which seemed to mar the picture—prejudices, segregations, slums, unnecessary disease. And I realized that the number one job of American men and women is with clean hands to clean house! The freedoms America enjoys—free enterprise, free schools, free speech, free press, and free churches have made her so great that she can simultaneously clean her own house and help to rebuild her neighbors. One more freedom I covet for my beloved country, freedom from prejudices."

"In the midst of chaos and confusion, both physical and spiritual Japan realizes she must find an answer to her problems by looking ahead toward the future, not back to the past," says Miss Teruko Komyo, Japanese teacher now studying at Columbia University. "The old regime of Shintoism and militarism brought her ultimate sorrow and defeat. Christian education is desperately needed, but there are few Christian teachers in comparison to the number of non-Christians. Large numbers of Christian teachers are sorely needed, on all levels: elementary, high school, and college. At present there are not enough Christian teachers in Japan to staff even the Christian schools." The first unit of the proposed Japan Christian University will be a College of Education to help in the training of future teachers.

One of the most noteworthy jobs of resettlement of displaced persons from Europe in the United States, is that carried on by the National Lutheran Council, according to Miss Cordelia Cox, director of the Council's Resettlement Service. Assurances of jobs and of housing to care for some 3500 families have been obtained through Lutheran pastors and churches in 39 states. This will provide for the care of 10,000 displaced persons. However, Miss Cox says that the Council has plans underway for the resettlement of from 35,000 to 40,000 Lutheran DP's during the coming 18 months. She adds that if the Congress liberalizes the present Displaced Persons Act, it may become necessary to double that number of persons received by American Lutherans.

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His addresses to American audiences are particularly stimulating because he urges his hearers to take firm stands on moral questions. He himself grew up a member of a small group conspicuous for its moral strictness, and so he knows how much it costs to oppose the crowd. He believes that we Americans often compromise on moral issues to a shocking degree. He keeps urging Christians everywhere to take their stand on what they know is right and allow no social custom, ridicule, or financial pressure to make the least difference.

Here is a man whose moral character has been fashioned by the work of missionaries sent from America. Now he is here in America urging men and women to adopt a policy of moral strictness and stick by it. This is Christian missions in reverse.

Around Capitol Square

TRADES—A good deal has been heard recently about alleged trades among legislators involving support for roads, schools, liquor referendum and other pending issues. Inference is made for or against these measures are being solicited not on basis of merit but on the ancient political system of mutual back scratching. The rumors are elusive and cannot be pinned down. Several members have denied any knowledge of such deals. Governor Scott told his press conference that he wouldn't be greatly surprised if there is element of truth in the report, but he has not been in any trading.

CONCERNED—There is more concern among legislative leaders over increasing disposition to pit the interests of urban people against rural and promote class consciousness among North Carolinians. This has cropped out at several committee meetings lately and the governor said the other day that if representatives of industry would not go along with his program he would seek support wherever he can find it.

BLOCS—There is still no well defined administration or anti-administration "blocs" in the legislature. There is definitely a school bloc, which frankly seeks to subordinate all other legislation to that affecting public schools. There is another less powerful bloc determined to see the rural road program enacted. The school group is fairly cohesive; the road folks are split into sundry minor factions over technicalities, though together on main objectives. There is still another bloc whose purpose is to hold the line on taxes. None of these can appropriately be classed as either pro- and anti-administration. Each is carrying out the honest opinions of individual members as to what may be best in the long run for the state.

COMPROMISE—While there is no evidence of subversive trades between members or blocs, there have been instances of compromise and will be many more. Neither the governor nor any one of the 170 members of the general assembly can hope to get everything he wants exactly as he would like to have it. Each must yield something of his own ideas to the composite



thinking of his colleagues. DELICATE—Working out these compromises is delicate business requiring tact and diplomacy. Those characteristics are noticeable for absence in the Kerr Scott make-up. His forthrightness, directness and plain speaking has created the impression, not entirely accurate, that he is being contrary for the sheer joy of it. The feeling among some assemblymen that the governor wants to be a dictator has cost him support on bills he favored. Fuller understanding of the administration program which could have been obtained by more diplomatic contact with the legislature, would have resulted in better cooperation.

ACCOMPLISHMENT—Fact is that while the current general assembly is running about on schedule of past sessions as to bills introduced and passed, not a single one of the measures definitely labeled as administration bills has been enacted into law. That is an unusual record for two months of a new governor's term and eight full weeks of his first legislature. Bills designed to reorganize the utilities and highway commissions, establish a new department of personnel and submit road and school bond issues are still pending. Very likely they will be passed, though not in the form desired by the governor. His special message appeal for a statewide liquor referendum was answered by emphatic unfavorable reports by senate and house committees. His request for right to appoint lay members on licensing boards was tabled. The governor says the situation is getting better and he thinks most of his bills will come out all right. That optimism is not shared by some of his friends.

Boyle's Column

(For Hal Boyle)
New York—(AP)—"When a young artist gets out of college," said Huntington Hartford, "he ought to work at it."

"He ought to sit down and paint, or compose. But how can he if he has to look for a job? How can he write novels or sculpt heads if he is tied to a filling station five days a week?"

Huntington Hartford is going to do something about that.

Young Hartford is the heir to the A. & P. Grocery fortune. He is 37. He has more than a million in annual income of his own.

In his younger days he wanted to be a reporter—and found out that too much money is almost as bad as too little.

So he says he plans to endow, through the Huntington Hartford foundation, not a school for geniuses, as was reported, but a place where the up-and-comers of today can go instead of killing their incentive in corner garages.

As he plans it, his sanctuary will have about 150 acres in the Santa Monica mountains of California. There will be cabins with soundproofed walls for composers. The painters will have plenty of light. There will be all the necessary tools for writers.

"We have 41 acres in Rustic Canyon and plan to get about 110 acres more. It's wild country, full of giant oaks and sycamores. The Will Rogers memorial park is nearby. There are a number of all-metal buildings on the place.

"There used to be a kind of religious cult there. It folded. On the place next to it, the place I'm trying to buy, there's a model farm with an early American home and fine roads. The house is constructed at angles and a trout stream runs right through it."

Hartford said he had retained the architect son of architect Frank Lloyd Wright to put up about 20 buildings.

"Our little community will be complete in itself. There will be a large dining room, with motion pictures. The University of California at Los Angeles is interested and we are working out a deal for the use of their library."

But it won't be a school in any sense of the word—no classrooms, no professors. Just work, and the equipment to work with.

"I want to get them away from fuel and light bills," said Hartford. "Away from the rent."

How will applicants be selected? "If you are a writer of promise, you must be recommended by at least two established men in that field. For instance, if you have merit as a novelist, we'd like an okay from (say) Sinclair Lewis and Lloyd Douglas. People like that."

"If you are a painter, you have to be recognized by a couple of artists. The same with composers."

A third category is for established artists temporarily down on their luck.

"Take Clifford Odets. He was quoted recently as saying he borrowed \$2,000 to move west and rehabilitate himself. An established writer of Odets' qualifications probably would

be welcome to live in our community, freed from financial worries, until he wrote his way out of his difficulties. It would be good for him—and it certainly would have a stimulating effect on the young writers around him."

Hartford said he expected between 50 and 100 young people the first year. He hopes to be in operation within six months to a year.

"We need a zoning permit now," he said.

WASHINGTON LETTER

Washington—Bars were operating at capacity speed on either side of the huge reception room until Sen. Taft of Ohio, hero-apparent of the Small Business Men's Association, walked in.

Numerous SBM crowded around the senator. One official of the association told me they were telling Mr. Taft they not only "did not want the Taft-Hartley law repealed, they did not want so much as a semi-colon of the legislation changed." Whatever they discussed, the Senator seemed to enjoy it. He beamed.

Small business men, togged out in their best business suits and fanciest ties, milled about the room. The association, which was formed in 1947 and now boasts 35,000 members, was tossing a cocktail party just before the big banquet climaxing its annual meeting.

Some of the men had brought their wives. The ladies wore new spring hats and print dresses. They had a good time sightseeing while their husbands thrashed out the problems that bothered them. Attracting a lot of attention were House Minority Leader Joe Martin (R-Mass), Mrs. Francis Bolton, Republican congresswoman from Ohio; Sen. Sallonstall (R-Mass); Sen. Brewster (R-Me), and many other figures from Capitol Hill.

R. W. Bowers, slender, gentle-voiced SBM from Three Rivers Mich., told me he thought folks ought to make a point of getting to Washington now and then "to listen to what goes on and to let off steam. It certainly would be better than just sitting home griping," he said. "You have to get close to things to understand them."

Genial, rotund O. H. Cochrane of New York bubbled with notions "A man who retires at 40 dies at 45," he told me. "A man shouldn't stay in business, though, after he's 65. He ought to get out and give the young fellows a chance."

Mr. Cochran said he was retiring soon himself. Thought he'd do some writing and play his violin.

The SBM president, booming-voiced Dewitt Emory of Akron, O. told the group and its nearly 200 congressional guests that "as an American speaking to a group of Americans interested in good government" he felt impelled to tell Congress what was wrong with it. Mainly, he said, he thought there was too much spending going on.

Meanwhile a waiter in a far corner of the room split a reporter helping himself to two pats of butter. Zipping over, he grabbed the butter fork, speared the extra pat from the newsmen's plate. "No—No—No," he said, in what amounted to a shouted whisper. Then retiring with his butter tray, he muttered: "Can't trust nobody around here." The newsmen didn't come for extra butter. They really expected Sen. Taft to make a speech. He didn't.

Report State Is Having Epidemic Of Measle Cases

Raleigh, N. C. March 7—(AP)—North Carolina is in the midst of a measles epidemic, says the state board of health.

The board has had reports of 2,399 cases in the first two months of the year, Dr. C. P. Stevic, state epidemiologist, announced. This compared with 1,353 cases reported for all of 1948. The total for 1947 was 5,000 cases.

The state usually has a measles

epidemic every other year, Dr. Stevic said. In the last 10 years the largest number of cases reported was 50,000 in 1938. That epidemic caused 251 deaths.

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7:45—Orange Blossom Time
8:00—Favorite Story
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9:00—Gabriel Heatter, MBS
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12:30—Sign Off
6:00—Ole' Shepherd's Hour.
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7:05—The Bill Jackson Show
8:00—U. P. News
8:05—The Bill Jackson Show
8:45—U. P. News
9:00—Morning Devotional Period
9:15—Tell Your Neighbor, MBS
9:30—Poole's Paradise, MBS
9:45—Military Column
10:00—Cecil Brown, MBS
10:15—Spellbound
10:30—The Bright Spot Hour
11:00—Coastal Plain Reporters
11:15—Coming Attractions

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5:45—Songs of Our Times
6:00—News
6:05—Dinner Date
6:30—Sportscast
6:45—Hillbilly Hit Parade
7:00—News
7:15—News from the Legislature, TN
7:30—According to Record
7:35—Interlude
7:45—Guy Lombardo's Orch.
8:00—In Your Name
8:15—Marine Band
8:30—Harmonizers
8:45—Symphonic Swing
9:00—News
9:15—Bob Eberly Sings
9:30—My Best to You
9:45—News
10:05—Music for Monday
10:35—Platter Party
11:00—News
11:15—Platter Party
11:55—News

11:30—Neighborhood Movie Round-up
11:45—The Glenn Thompson Show
12:00—Time to Classify
12:05—Stock Market Report
12:10—I See by the Papers
12:15—Checkerboard Jamboree, MBS
12:30—Quinn News Reporter
12:35—WGTC Farm & Home Hour
1:00—Cecile Foster, MBS
1:15—The Happy Gang, MBS
1:45—Decision Now
2:00—Queen for a Day, MBS
2:30—What's on Your Mind?
2:45—At Ease
3:00—Red Benson's Movie Show, MBS
3:30—Talent Contest
3:45—David Rose Show
4:00—Carolina Calling
4:15—The Johnson Family, MBS
4:30—U. S. Navy Band
4:45—Two Ton Baker, MBS
5:00—The Straight Arrow, MBS
5:30—Today's Happenings
5:35—Dell Trio
5:45—Tom Mix, MBS

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7:00—News
7:05—Tic Tac 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
8:45—Easy Listening
9:00—News
9:05—Block Party
9:55—Lost and Found
10:00—Obituary Column
10:05—Waitz Time
10:30—Mid-Morning Melodies
11:00—News
11:05—Records at Random
11:30—Little Concert
11:45—Harry James Orchestra
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—Jo Stafford and Peggy Lee
1:30—Carolina Farm features
1:45—Bobz Grant and Orchestra
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
3:30—Fireside Quartet
4:00—World Light Opera Co.
4:30—Let Me Spin It
5:00—4-H Club Program
5:15—Les Brown and his Band
5:30—Once Upon a Time
5:45—Jungle Jim
6:00—News
6:05—Dinner Date
6:30—Sportscast

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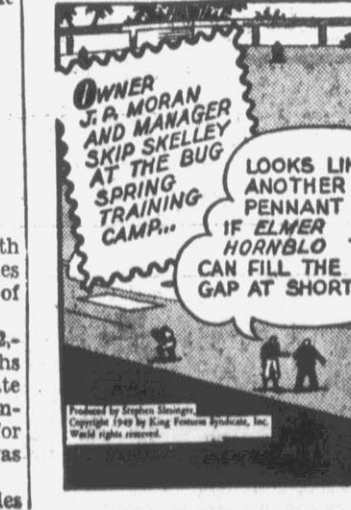
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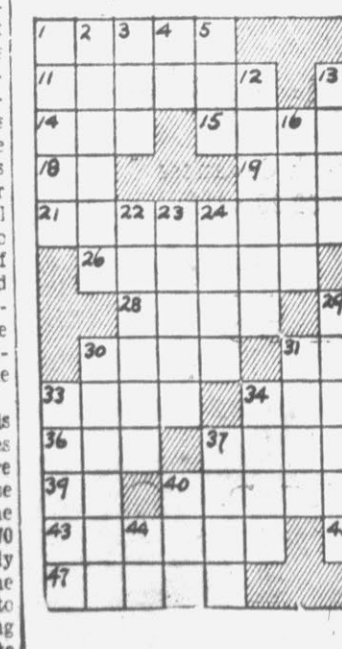
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Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Smears
6. Fun
11. Herons
13. Breadwinner
14. Sport
15. Frothy
17. Perform
18. Amuse
19. Eat
20. Young dog
21. Abate
25. Rodents
26. Faces with a
27. Healthy
28. Persian
29. Hindu garment
30. Air
31. Morning Prayer

DOWN
2. Trojan warrior
3. River in England
4. Exist
5. Pippen
6. Glut
7. Move with a lever
8. Ahead
9. Lower
10. Figure of speech
11. Anglo-Saxon slave
12. Sober
13. Small islands
14. Hoping
15. Modest
16. Occurrence
17. Interpret
18. Archlike
19. Feminine name
20. Millinery
21. French dramatist
22. Hanging ornament
23. Form
24. Choose
25. Couples
26. Moderately
27. Fathers
28. Cleaning agent
29. Five dollar bill
30. Simple sugar
31. Tropical bird
32. Hebrew letter
33. Morning: abbr.



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Solution of Saturday's Puzzle

1. Cotton fabric
2. Trojan warrior
3. River in England
4. Exist
5. Pippen
6. Glut
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High School Day To Be Observed Here April 14

High School Day to be observed at East Carolina Teachers College April 14 will be marked by a full and varied program of social and educational activities. A tentative schedule of events has just been announced by Dr. Howard J. McGinnis, chairman of the High School Day committee at the college.

Invitations were recently issued to seniors in 310 schools in the eastern section of North Carolina. Indications are that several thousand high school seniors will visit the campus and participate in the program for the day.

Exhibits arranged by fifteen departments of instruction at the college will give the seniors an idea of the types of instruction offered by the college. The science department will hold open house and is planning an all-day series of demonstrations and numerous exhibits.

The East Carolina ROTC unit will give a drill on campus drive ways in the morning. An assembly program will include a concert by the college band, music by the college choir, and group singing. President John D. Messick of the college will welcome guests and make a short talk. A barbecue luncheon on the west campus will be served at the end of the morning's program.

Scheduled for the afternoon is a baseball game between Elon College and East Carolina on the campus athletic field. The Teachers Playhouse, college dramatic club will present "Sparkin," a one-act play by E. P. Conklin; and following it, a movie will be shown. A tea dance in the Wright auditorium will conclude the scheduled events of the day.

Prominent Woman Of Farmville Died Early Today

Mrs. J. M. Hobgood, widow of the late James Madison Hobgood of Farmville, died this morning at 6:15 o'clock in the Carolina General hospital, Wilson, where she had been ill for several months.

Mrs. Hobgood was well known throughout the state, both for her church and civic activities. She was at one time president of the North Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs. She was at the time of her death on the executive board just before her illness. Mrs. Hobgood completed a three-year term as president of Albemarle Presbytery. She was on the board of directors of the Barium Springs Orphanage and was connected with the Pitt County welfare work.

Mrs. Hobgood is survived by a son by a former marriage, Bill Morton, student at Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, Va.; one sister, Mrs. K. H. Ragsdale, of Greenville; three brothers, Rev. J. W. Hassell of Greenville, Charles M. Hassell of Charlotte and John F. Hassell of Atlanta, Ga.

Assail Premier On Eve Of Talks

San Francisco, March 7.—(AP)—China's Premier Sun Fo was assailed by the Chinese Communist radio today of wearing "the cloak of peace" to cover up "Nationalist preparations for war."

The broadcast, heard by the Associated Press in San Francisco, bitterly assailed the premier who is meeting in Nanking today with Acting President Li Tsung-jen in an effort to bring about peace talks.

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Expects Passage Of Defense Bills

Washington, March 7.—(AP)—Four bills to strengthen the nation's defenses at home and abroad—including a bush-hush spying project—went before the house rules committee today.

Chairman Vinson (D-Ga) of the house armed services committee has announced he expects the house to pass all of them next week with little, if any, debate.

One measure, to establish the general intelligence agency with permanent authority, remained under a heavy cloak of official secrecy.

No public hearings have been held on it, committee discussion has been behind closed doors, and Vinson told reporters last week that he will not explain its details to House members when it reaches the floor for debate.

The other three would authorize a new assistant secretary of national defense to rank next to the secretary and ahead of the secretaries for the army, navy and Air force; authorize building a widely-spaced radar screen around the nation, and start work on a 3,000-mile proving area for guided missiles.

Deeds Filed

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Mrs. Novella H. Moyer et al to Calvin W. MacGregor and wf \$10.

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Mac Dixon and wf to Bill Grainger and wf \$10.

C. S. Carr Jr. et als to C. C. Harris and wf \$10.

W. L. Best and wf to Plato P. Garris Evans \$10.

Wiley Tripp and wf to Robert Stancill \$10.

S. O. Worthington, Comm. to Mrs. Oza Edwards al—

J. B. James, Comm. to Elizabeth Johnson Corbett—

Susan Sutton Mills to Garris-Evans Lumber Company \$10.

Colored News

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. McCoy, of Reidsville, N. C. were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brown on W. Third street. Mrs. McCoy is Mr. Brown's sister.

The wasp's paralyzing sting has been known to keep the prey alive but motionless for more than five weeks.

NOTICE OF SERVICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

In The Superior Court

North Carolina

Pitt County

Harry Atkins

Vs.

Londora Cox Atkins

The defendant, Londora Cox Atkins, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County for absolute divorce on grounds of two years separation, and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of Superior Court in the court house in Greenville, N. C. within twenty days after the 15th day of March 1949 and answer or demur to the complaint filed herein, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This 18th day of February, 1949.

H. L. LEWIS, JR., Asst. Clerk Superior Court.

Feb. 19-17w-4wks.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

In the Superior Court

North Carolina

Pitt County

Pitt County Plaintiff

Vs.

Bessie Brown, W. J. Dunn and wife of D. J. Dunn, Nancy L. Brown, and the heirs of Nancy L. Brown and Bessie Brown.

The above named defendants will hereby take notice that a civil action entitled as above has been instituted in the Superior Court of Pitt County for the purpose of foreclosing tax liens and certificates of sale held by the plaintiff and against the real estate of the defendants, or one or more of them located in Pitt County, and said defendants will further take notice that they are required to be and appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County at his office in the Court House at Greenville, N. C. within twenty days after the service of this notice is complete and answer or demur to the complaints (said complaint with copies have been filed in the office of said Clerk) or the relief therein demanded will be granted.

Witness my hand this 1st day of February, 1949.

H. L. LEWIS, JR., Asst. Clerk Superior Court.

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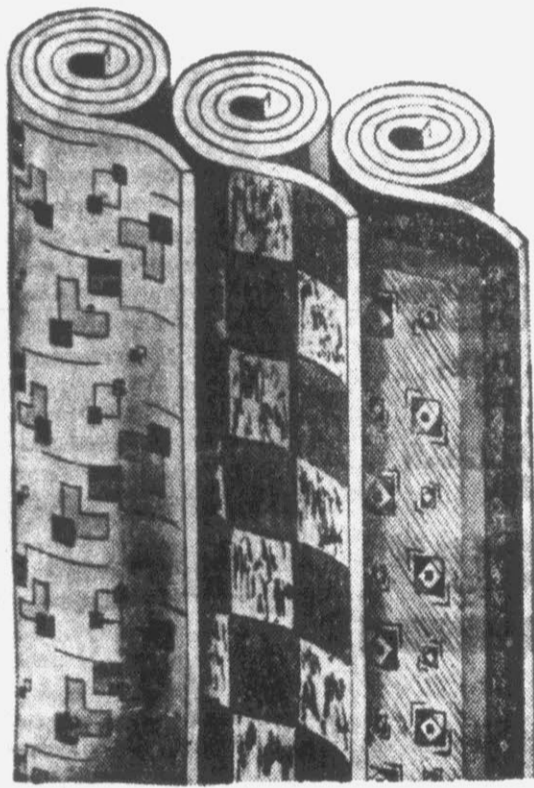
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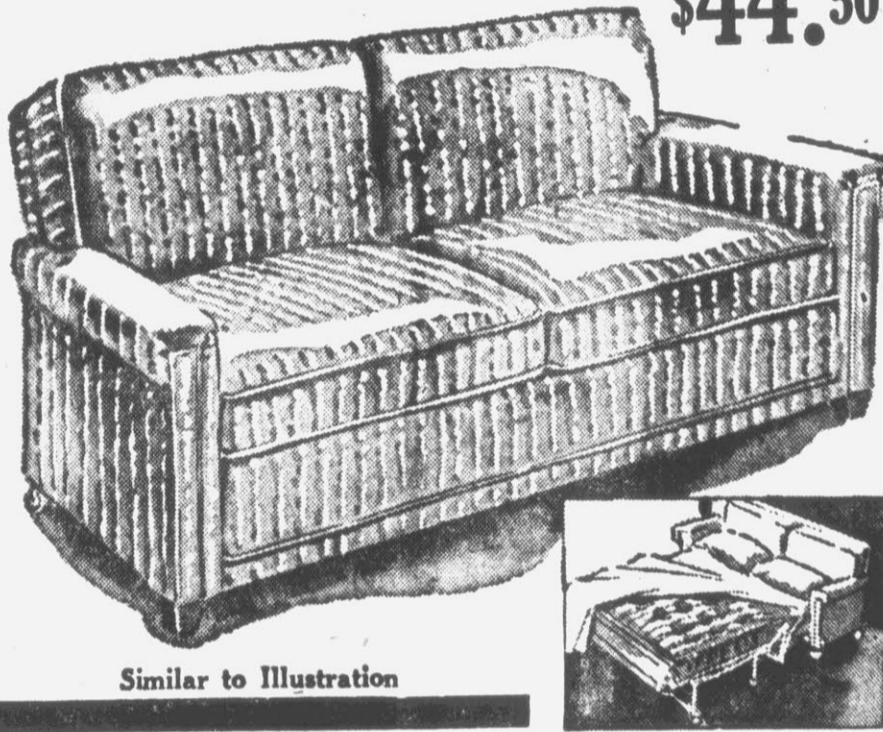
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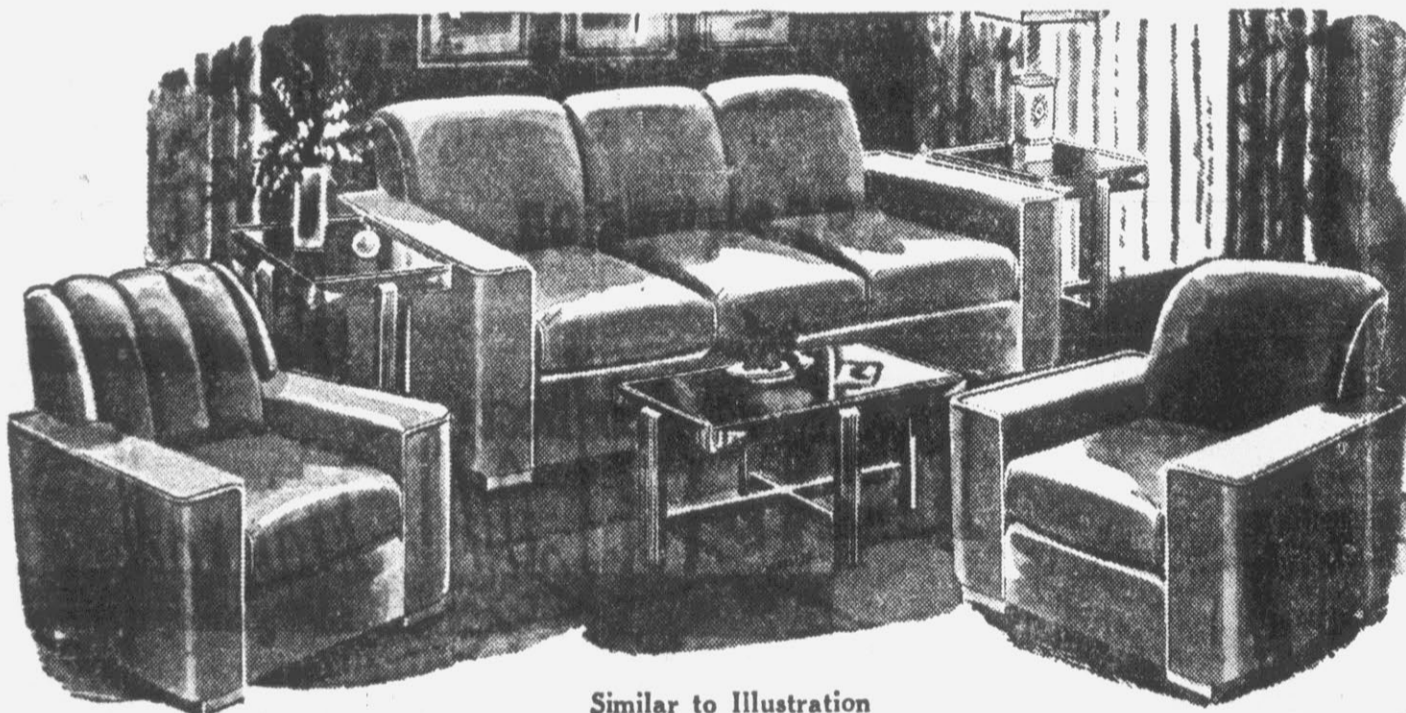
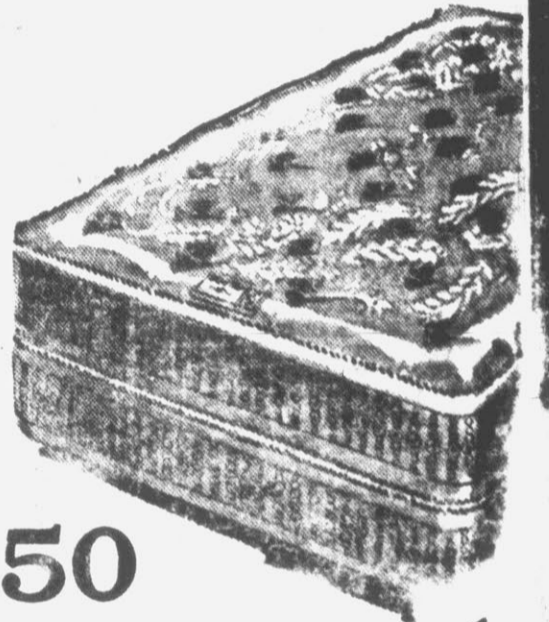
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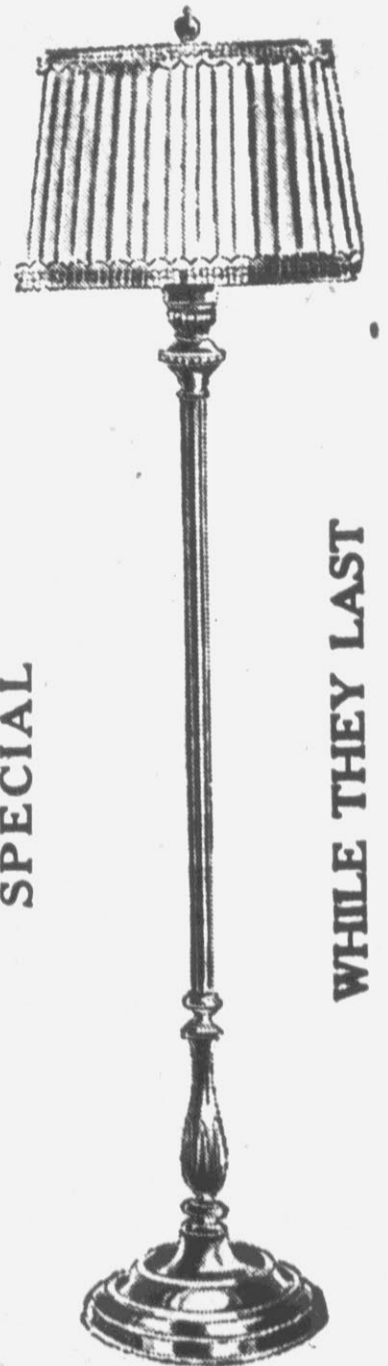
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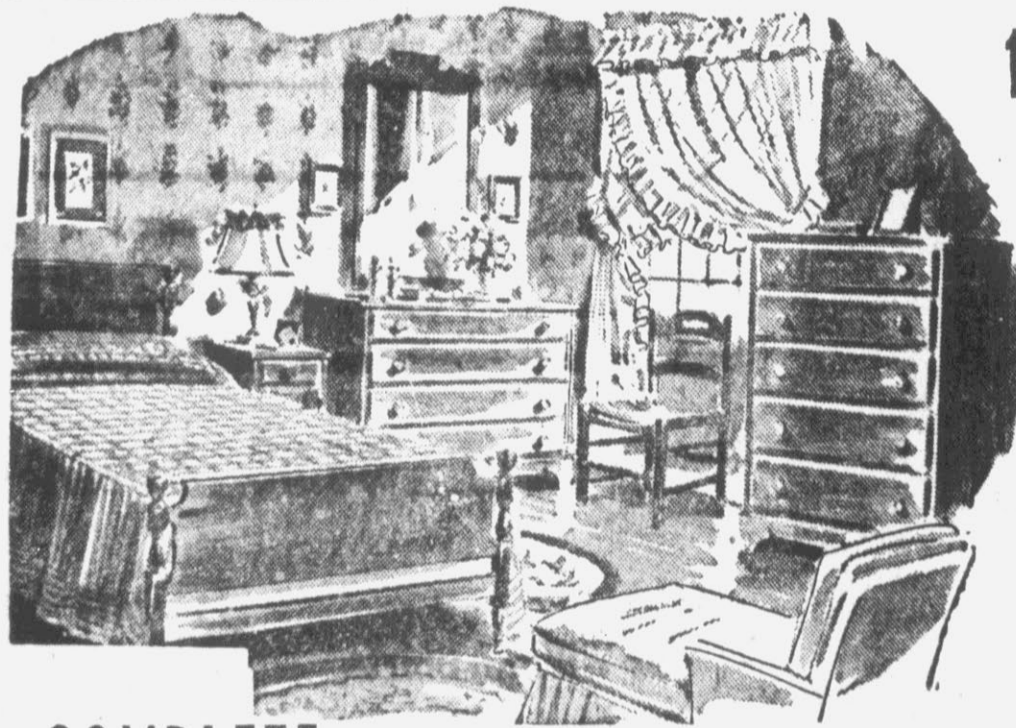
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Local Conditions Precipitated Municipal Power Systems Bill

By LYNN NISBET

Raleigh, March 7—An admitted situation in two or three spots respect to extension of municipal electric lines into areas was responsible for the placing all such operations by a minimum of sixty (some figures) towns and cities under control of the utilities commission.

That point was brought out at a public hearing Friday on the Hardison bill, which was opposed by the league of municipalities and affected cities, to put municipal systems on parity with private companies with respect to extensions beyond city limits.

More than half the 300 people who crowded the utilities hearing room were rural patrons of the Wilson, Greenville and Washington municipal systems. So far as could be ascertained there were no supporters of the control bill from any other sections of the state, although representatives of sixty-two cities appeared in opposition to the measure.

Supporting groups were headed by the Grange, with spokesmen for the state organization and the Wilson Pomona Grange leading off. The Grange has led the fight against alleged discriminations by the Wilson municipal system in its rural lines. Objection was raised both to higher rates charged and to inadequate service rendered rural patrons. It was claimed that the City of Wilson had extended lines into the country so as to shut out other possible sources of electric current, yet failed to connect a number of applicants and made excess "cut-in" and rate charges for those connected—and still failed to maintain steady voltage. Some speakers protested the high rates, others said they didn't mind the cost if they could get dependable uniform current.

Opposition to the bill was handled by Roy Williamson, city manager of Rocky Mount, who said he spoke for his own and 61 other municipalities. His group contended that the cities were not in competition with private utilities, that they carried their power lines outside only upon request of customers. Higher rates were justified, they argued, because the city taxpayers had assumed all responsibility for financing the system. Several towns have recently voted bonds for modernizing their power systems, and outside customers share none of the tax burden for carrying these bonds.

Principal objection, however, was based on the fear that other pending bills increasing authority of the utilities commission would be passed and that municipalities would be required to extend lines and render service to rural patrons, even though they did not want to do so. Point was made this would be unwarranted infringement by the state upon local self government.

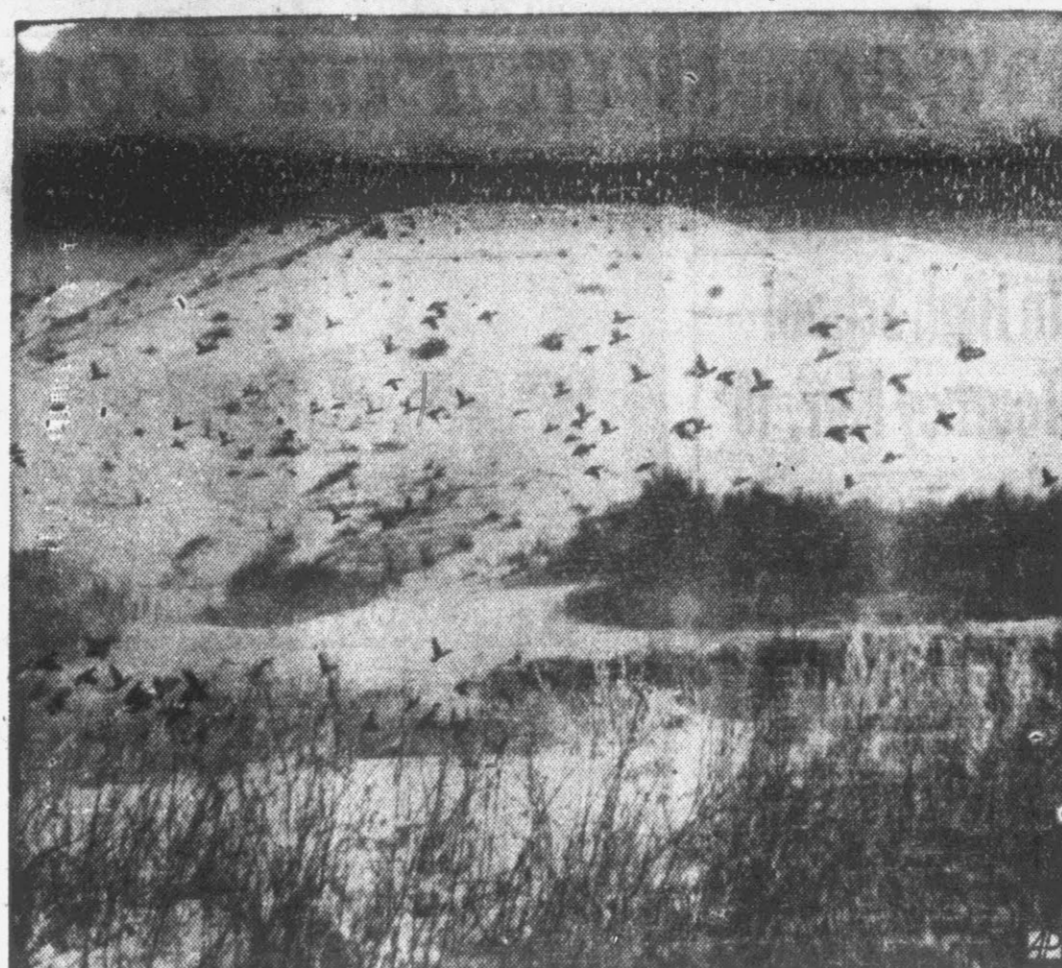
It was further argued that if conditions in one or two spots are out of hand they should be handled by local legislation and not be used as excuse for hamstringing development in sixty or more other communities. Several city officials said after the hearing that if the bill is enacted into law they will have to discontinue any service in areas beyond their corporate limits. This would apply not only to electric current but to water and sewer connections, they said. Such action would prove embarrassing to many suburban communities but would not affect large rural areas except at two or three places in the east.

3-Car Collision Causes Considerable Property Damage

A three-car collision at Eighth and Cotanche streets Saturday about 6:30 p. m. resulted in considerable property damage to all three vehicles, police who investigated the accident said. The report shows that a car driven by Fodie Hodges of Grimesland failed to stop at a "stop" sign at the intersection. When his car and one driven by Mrs. Berry Bostic, 510 East Ninth street, collided Hodges' car turned completely around and collided with a parked car owned by Miss Shirley Savage, 211 East Eight street. Hodges was cited to police court on a charge of failure to stop at a "stop" sign.

Bermuda Trip To Be Given Nurse

Durham, N. C., March 7—A free Bermuda vacation is in the books for "Miss North Carolina student nurse c. 1949." Finals of the state-wide contest for the selection will be held in Raleigh on March 16. The trip will be financed by the World Travel Division of the Caro-



DUCKS SNOWBOUND TOO—Snowbound wild mallards, wintering near Lewiston, Mont., hover over Warm Springs Creek where water temperature is between 60 and 70 degrees.



'LITTLE MAN' IN ICE—John Talley, Joanne Leverton, Charlotte Reardon and John Brodie (l. to r.) meet the "Little Man in the Book," feature of the Dartmouth Carnival.

lina Motor Club, it was announced by H. C. Crawford, executive director of the North Carolina good health association.

While the exact origin of mechanical clocks is not known, it is said that Pope Sylvester II invented one in about 990 a. d.

A German alchemist named Georgius Agricola accidentally discovered zinc when, in the 16th century, he was treating ores for lead and copper.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY BY COMMISSIONER Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Pitt County, made in a special proceeding entitled "Isaac Kilpatrick, et al vs. Pauline Moore Miller and husband,

Roy Miller, Edward R. Moore, et al., the same being Special Proceeding No. 5070 upon the special proceeding docket of Pitt County, North Carolina, the undersigned commissioner will on the 11th day of March, 1949, at the courthouse door, in the City of Greenville, North Carolina, at 12:00 Noon, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property in Swift Creek Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, to-wit:

1. Lot No. 5 located in Swift Creek Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and being Lot No. 5 which was allotted to Edward Kilpatrick in the division of the estate of J. B. Kilpatrick, as shown in Divisions of Land Book No. 3 at page 476, et seq. in the office of the Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt County, and specifically described as follows: Beginning at a stake in the edge of the run of Swift Creek, a corner of Lot No. 4, and running with line of Lot No. 4, S. 38 7-8 W. to a stake in F. M. Kilpatrick's line, another corner of Lot No. 4; thence with F. M. Kilpatrick's line N. 43 W. 15 1-2 poles to a stake, a corner of Lot No. 6; thence with line of Lot No. 6, N. 38 7-8 E. to a stake pointed by two hollies and a laurel; thence S. 87 1-4 E. to a stake in the edge of the run of Swift Creek pointed by an ash, thence down the run of Swift Creek about one pole to the beginning, containing 34 1-2 acres, more or less.

2. Being Lot No. 6 in the division of the J. B. Kilpatrick land, as shown in Book of Divisions of Land No. 3 at page 476, et seq., in the office of the Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt County, and being the parcel allotted to Lena Quinery, and located in Swift Creek Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, specifically described as follows: Beginning at a stake pointed by two hollies and a laurel, corner of Lot No. 5, and running with line of Lot No. 5, S. 38 7-8 W. to a stake in F. M. Kilpatrick's line, another corner of Lot No. 5; thence with F. M. Kilpatrick's line N. 43 W. 15 4-5 poles to a stake, a corner of Lot No. 7; thence with line of Lot No. 7, N. 38 7-8 E. to a stake pointed by two small gums; thence N. 62 E. to a pine stump pointed by two black gums; thence S. 87 1-4 E. to a stake a corner of Lot 5 pointed by two hollies and a laurel) the beginning or less.

The highest bidder at said sale will be required to make a deposit of 10 per cent of his bid to show his good faith in the bidding and to await confirmation of the sale by the court.

This the 8th day of February, 1949 J. M. HARRRELL, Commissioner Feb. 9-11w-4wks.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed and delivered by Eastern Housing Corporation to H. D. Bateman, trustee, dated December 2, 1947, and recorded in Book E-25 at page 47 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, N. C. (the said H. D. Bateman having been removed and Raleigh B. Lee having been substituted as trustee by instrument recorded in Book L-25 at page 444 of said public registry), default having been made in the payment of the note thereby secured according to its terms and the owner and holder of said note having requested the said substituted trustee to foreclose thereon, the undersigned substituted trustee will on Monday, the 4th day of April, 1949, at 12:00

o'clock, M., at the courthouse door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate: That certain lot or parcel of land lying and being in the City of Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at an iron stake in the northern property line of Davenport Street said stake being 283 feet west of the northwest intersection of Tyson Street and Davenport Street; thence N. 84-11 W. along the northern property line of Davenport Street 50 feet to an iron stake; thence N. 5-49 E. 100 feet to an iron stake; thence S. 84-11 E. 80 feet to an iron stake; thence S. 8-49 W. 100 feet to the point of beginning and shown on revised map of Upper Park as prepared by J. M. Drenbach, R. S. dated March 1947, and recorded in Map Book 4 at page 5 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County.

The proposed purchaser at said sale will be required to deposit with the substituted trustee cash or certified check equal to 10 per cent of his bid immediately after the said sale to show his good faith pending the confirmation of the sale by the Court.

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Bethel And Ayden Win Pitt County Basketball Titles

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Final's Results
Ayden 40, Arthur 25 (Girls)
Bethel 58, Ayden 36 (Boys)
By BERT MOYE

Coch Walter Latham's Bethel High School Indians Saturday night won the Pitt County Basketball tournament in the boys' division for their second straight year by defeating the Ayden High quint, 58 to 36, in the finals, and the Ayden girls' team annexed their first county title in the girls' division by chalking up a 40 to 25 win over the Arthur sextette in the finals.

Meet Clayton

Coch Walter Latham's Bethel Indians, who were recently declared the winners of the Eastern District One Title in a series of games played over in the Farmville gymnasium during the weekend of February 25th, will meet the Clayton High quint, winner of District Three, at the Atlantic Christian College gymnasium tonight at 8 o'clock to determine which team will be the second eastern representative for the Class B championship title to be played at Duke's indoor gymnasium next Friday and Saturday nights.

Sixteen Quints In High School Tourney Mar. 10

Durham, N.C., March 7—(AP)—Sixteen North Carolina high school basketball teams will start firing here Thursday for state championships in three classes.

Pairings for the second annual North Carolina high school tournament were released today by the tournament committee headed by L. J. (Hap) Perry of Chapel Hill.

Eight Class AA teams, four Class A teams and four Class B quintets will take part in the big 13-game tournament in Duke's indoor stadium. Championship games in the three divisions will be played Saturday.

Pairings for the tournament follow:

Thursday games (all Class AA):
2:30 p.m.—High Point vs. Raleigh
3:45 p.m.—Burlington vs. Wilson
7:30 p.m.—Wilmington vs. Reynolds of Winston-Salem.
8:45 p.m.—Durham vs. Central of Charlotte.

Friday Games
2:00 p.m.—Camp Lejeune vs. winner of Asheville Tournament (Class B)
3:15 p.m.—Laurinburg vs. Hendersonville (Class A)
4:30 p.m.—Wilmington-Reynolds vs. Burlington-Wilson winner (Class A)
7:00 p.m.—Trinity vs. Bethel-Clayton winner (Class B)
8:15 p.m.—Kinston vs. Hanes of Winston-Salem (Class A)
9:30 p.m.—High Point-Raleigh winner vs. Durham-Charlotte winner (Class AA)

Saturday
7:00 p.m.—Class B finals
8:15 p.m.—Class A finals
9:30 p.m.—Class AA finals



PROFESSIONAL ADVICE—Pvt. Olin R. Weber (right) receives a tip on billiards in Tokyo from Kinry Matsuyama, Japanese champion and one-time world title competitor.

Spring Training Opens Soon For Greenies; Sign Players

Greenville Greenies of the Coastal Plain League will open spring training at Guy Smith Stadium on March 21 when pitchers and catchers report for practice, Business Manager John Adams announced today.

The rest of the squad will report for training on March 28, Adams said.

A 13-game exhibition schedule has been arranged for the Greenies beginning on April 4 when the Greenville club tangles with New Bern in Guy Smith Stadium. During the exhibition period the Greenies will play seven games at home and six games away, ending with Kinston there on April 20. In the official season opener on April 21 the Greenies travel to Tarboro.

"We have several likely prospects for this season," Adams said, "and have signed two pitchers and one catcher who are highly recommended." The Greenville officials have signed Norman Clark, pitcher, who did mound chores last season for Meridian, Mississippi, in Class B ball. He had a record of four wins and two losses in his six games during 1948.

Another pitcher, George Harrison of Newton, Mississippi, has been signed for the locals after two years in semi-pro ball in the Magnolia state. For the 1947 season Harrison had a record of 13 wins and five losses, and for the 1948 season he won 18 games and lost only four.

Joe Pasquale of Rye, New York will have a shot at the catching position on the Greenville club in his first year in professional baseball. Pasquale had four years of high school ball in Rye, and for three years has been starting catcher for the Cherry Point Marines. In his last season at Cherry Point, Pasquale hit .322.

Pappy Williams will take over the Greenville squad as player-manager when spring training opens two weeks from today. He was signed by the local club at the end of last season after going from Kinston to Rocky Mount in the last month of Coastal Plain play.

Williams' batting average for the '48 season was .364, with 134 runs batted in and 24 home runs. He led the league in total extra bases.

Exhibition Games For 1949
April 4—New Bern, here.
April 6—Kinston, here.
April 8—Smithfield, here.
April 10—New Bern, here.
April 11—Kinston, here.
April 12—Dunn, here.
April 13—Dunn, here.
April 14—Wilmington, here.
April 15—Smithfield, here.
April 16—Wake Forest College, here.
April 18—House of David, here.
April 19—Wilmington, here.
April 20—Kinston, here.

Wolves became scarce in the British Isles in the 16th century.

Veck Meeting More Difficult
New York, March 7—(AP)—Bill Veck, colorful president of the Cleveland Indians, is encountering more difficulty than expected in getting some key members of his world championship combine in the fold.

Twenty-nine winners Gene Bearden and Bill Lemon and second sacker Joe Gordon still are dissatisfied over terms offered by sportsbrut Bill. Also listed as holdouts are infielders Johnny Barardino and catcher Hanl Ruskowski.

Castalio And Crawford Top Scoring In County Basketball Tournament

By BERT MOYE

According to the scorer's books the following were the leaders in the Pitt County tournament held last week at Wright gymnasium at East Carolina Teachers' College.

Boys
Most number of points per game: Castalio (Winterville) 39; M. Whitehurst (Bethel) 16; Dupree (Farmville) 15; Worsley (Bethel) 13; Jenkins (Ayden) 12; Smith (Bethel) 12; Albritton (Farmville) 12.

Total number of points scored by each team: Bethel 155; Ayden 117; Winterville 82; Farmville 74; Grifton 55; Belvoir 36; Grimesland 28; Arthur 23; Chicod 20; and Stokes 20.

Dick Kryboard will continue studying at Bergen Junior College, Teaneck, N. J. when he is not playing first base in the yankee chain.

Northern American Indians were the first to use snowshoes.

Girls
Most number of points: Virginia Crawford (Arthur) 49; Whitehurst (Ayden) 42; Turnage (Ayden) 36; B. Mozingo (Arthur) 31; Langston (Winterville) 29; Wooten (Ayden) 27; Mumford (Grifton) 24; Pollard (Belvoir) 20; D. Hathaway (Farmville) 16.

Most number of points per game: V. Crawford (Arthur) 26; Langston (Winterville) 23; Whitehurst (Ayden) 17; Turnage (Ayden) 17; B. Mozingo (Arthur) 16.

The tourney, which had been in session during the past week at Wright gymnasium at East Carolina Teachers' College, was packed to capacity for the final two games, and was highlighted on Friday and Saturday nights by the appearance of the Farmville high school band which lent a colorful climax to the five-day event, and which drew loud applause from the many spectators with their playing at half time and between games on these two nights.

Coch Johnson's Ayden High School quint went on a scoring spree in the second half to win the title in the girls' division in the first game of his finals played Saturday night.

During the first half the two teams ran neck and neck with first one team and then the other holding the lead. The first quarter ended in a 6 to 6 deadlock and at the half way mark the Ayden girls were leading by the slim margin of 13 to 18.

During the third quarter the Ayden girls began to find the basket and when the quarter ended were leading by a 31 to 21 score, holding the Arthur sextette to three lone points. The fourth quarter the winners added ten more points to their total while the Arthur girls were able to tally only four points and when the whistle blew the Ayden girls had won by the score of 40 to 25.

Helien Joyce Whitehurst with 17 points led the attack for the winners, with Janice Turnage and Catherine Wooten, with 13 and 10 points respectively, helping the cause along. B. Mozingo with 16 points led the losers.

The lineups:
Ayden FG FT TP
Whitehurst, f 7 3 17
Wooten, f 5 0 10
Turnage, f 5 3 13
L. McLawhorn 0 0 0
Alice Cox, g 0 0 0
Annie Cox, g 0 0 0
Little, g 0 0 0
Jackson, g 0 0 0
Totals 17 6 40

Arthur FG FT TP
V. Mozingo, f 0 0 0
B. Mozingo, f 8 0 16
V. Crawford, f 3 3 9
Jones, g 0 0 0
G. Daniels, g 0 0 0
E. Crawford, g 0 0 0
McLewhorn, g 0 0 0
Lloyd, g 0 0 0
Totals 11 3 25

Michigan Coach Awarded Honor

Chicago, March 7—(AP)—Coach Harry Combes, whose big nine conference-leading basketball team closes its season at Michigan tonight, was named coach of the year today by the basketball writers association of Chicago.

Ray Meyer of De Paul of Chicago and Ozzie Cowles of Minnesota, were runners-up to Combes in the coach of the year balloting.

Combes, 33, youngest cage coach in the big nine, took over the top coaching assignment at Illinois last year after an eight-year sojourn at Champlain high school. His first ILLINI team tied Wisconsin for third place in the western conference last season and compiled an all-time record of 15 victories and five losses.

This year Combes' team has won 19 games and lost two. Illinois' only conference loss in 11 games was to Purdue. If the ILLINI score 25 points or more against Michigan it will replace the 1943 Illinois team as the highest scoring unit in big nine history.

Will Need Trophy House If Winning Ways Continued

Chapel Hill, N. C., March 7—(AP)—The University of North Carolina swimming team will need a trophy house if it continues its winning ways.

The Tar Heel tankmen swept the Southern conference tournament here during the week-end, amassing 120 points for a record high team score. It was the second straight year that North Carolina has swept the tournament.

North Carolina State was second with 37 points and Duke third with 27. Virginia Military had 13 and Virginia Poly seven.

Gulfstream Park Season Begins

Miami, Fla., March 7—(AP)—The first full week of a 40-day spring racing season begins at Gulfstream Park today. Saturday's \$7,500 Horning Handicap will be the week's feature attraction.

This mile and a furlong event for three-year-olds and upward follows last Saturday's Fort Lauderdale Handicap. Both are considered serious prep races for the \$20,000 Gulfstream Park Handicap to be run on March 19 at a mile and a quarter.

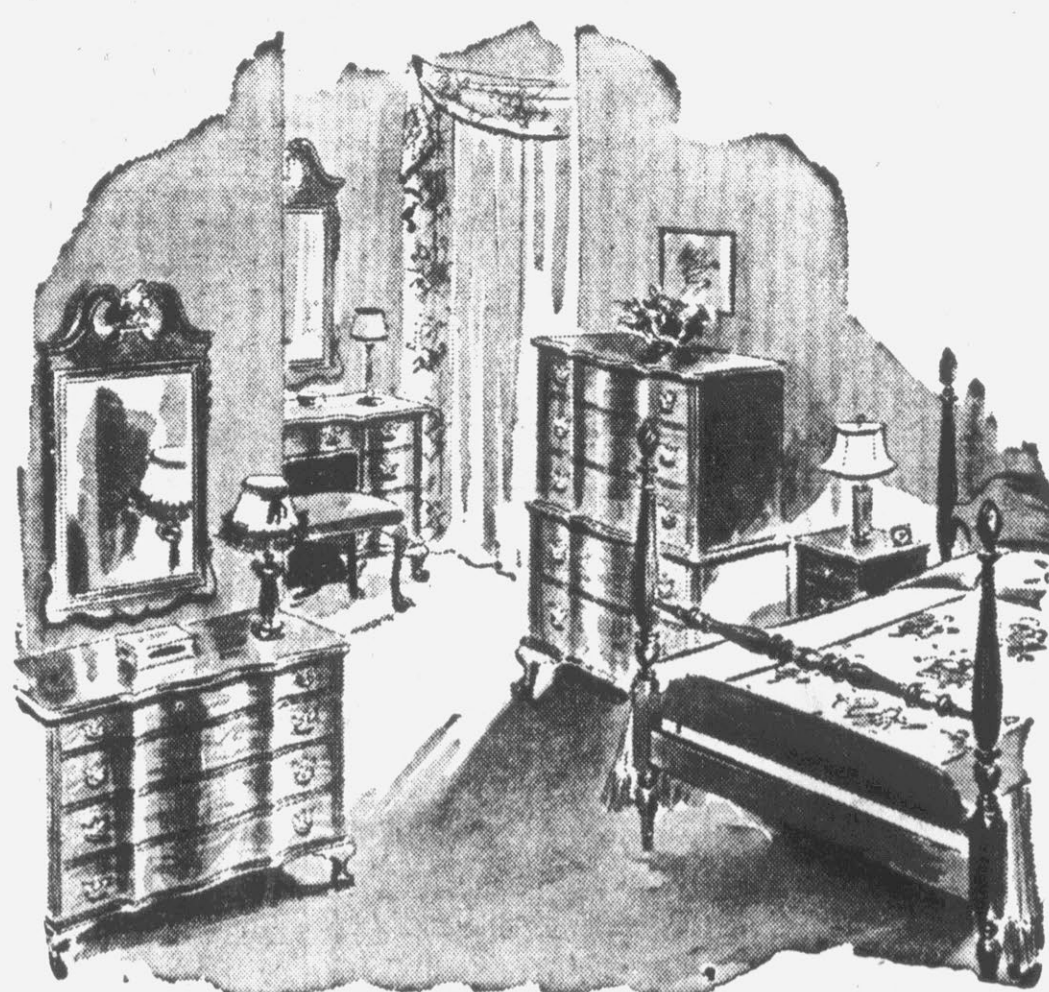
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Organized Baseball To Face Multi-Million Dollar Actions

Several Players Who Jumped To Mexican League And Were Suspended To Bring Suits Charging Game Is A Monopoly

New York, March 7—(AP)—Organized baseball was threatened today with another legal headache—a multi-million dollar one—but an air of mystery surrounded the latest of the sport's spectacular developments.

John L. Flynn, New York attorney, announced suits would be filed against the national game soon by several players suspended for jumping to the Mexican League three years ago.

He declined to name the men involved but stated that \$5,000,000 was a "low" estimate of the total amount of damages that would be asked.

He said the suits, like the Danny Gardella case which still is pending in the courts, would be based on the contention that banishment deprived the players of a chance to earn a living.

Gardella, pint-sized former outfielder of the New York Giants, sued baseball leaders for \$300,000, contending the game is a monopoly and its reserve clause violates the anti-trust law. A U. S. Court of Appeals held last month the Gardella case should be heard.

The St. Louis Post-Dispatch yesterday named ten players reportedly ready to file damage suits for an estimated \$5,000,000 through Attorney Flynn.

A few of these players acknowledged they had been contacted about such a suit. Others either said they knew nothing about it or had no opinion.

One banished player who asked that his name not be used said he and some others were planning such a suit but added "we aren't ready to break it yet."

The players were listed as Pitchers Max Lanier and Fred Martin and Infielder Lou Klein of the St. Louis Cardinals; Outfielder Luis Olmo of the Brooklyn Dodgers; Pitchers Sal Maglie, Harry Feldman and Ace Adams and Infielders Roy Zimmerman and George Hausmann of the New York Giants; and Myron Hayworth, a catcher who played with the St. Louis Browns and Toledo of the American Association. Maglie, a gasoline station operator at Niagara Falls, N. Y., acknowledged he had been contacted and he said: "Whatever Max (Lanier) decided is all right by me. I don't know much about it. However, if the rest of the boys want to sue, I'll go along." Lanier, in St. Petersburg, Fla., said he had no comment "at this time."

SIGNED BY COLTS
Baltimore, March 7—(AP)—George Fryor, 215 pound fullback for Wake Forest College, has been signed by the Baltimore Colts of the All-American football conference.

Awards Given Pitt Teams And Players

Gold Cups For Tournament Champs; Medals And Sportsmanship Trophy Presented; All-Tourney Teams Are Selected

By BERT MOYE
Following the conclusion of the tournament Saturday night the following awards were presented by D. H. Conley, superintendent of Pitt County Schools and Garlan Bailey, chairman of the Pitt County Athletic Committee.

Gold cups were awarded to the Ayden girls' team and the Bethel boys' team for winning the annual tournament.

Gold medals were awarded to the members of the winning teams in both the girls' and boys' divisions.

Silver medals were awarded to the runners-up teams—the Arthur girls and the Ayden boys.

A Sportsmanship Trophy was awarded to the boys' and girls' team of Belvoir High School for the best sportsmanship displayed.

The Pitt County All-Tournament girls' team as selected by the coaches of the various schools was as follows:

Janice Turnage (Ayden), forward; Virginia Crawford (Arthur) forward and captain; Claudia Polard (Belvoir), forward; Nell Mumford (Grifton), forward; guards—Nelson (Belvoir), Stancil (Grifton) and Alice Cox (Ayden).

Those players receiving honorable

mention on the girls' team are as follows: Braxton, Grifton; D. Hathaway, Farmville; Langston, Winterville; Whitehurst, Ayden; Moore Bethel; Phillips, Grifton; V. Moxingo, Arthur; B. Moxingo, Arthur; Jones, Belvoir; McLawhorn, Grimesland; Murphy, Farmville; Brock, Farmville; Bright, Winterville; Bowers, Bethel; Stancil, Chocod; McLawhorn, Arthur; Bartfield Grifton; F. Crawford, Arthur.

The Pitt County All-Tournament boys' team as selected by the coaches of the various schools was as follows:

Tom Castalio (Winterville), forward and captain; Bill Smith, (Bethel), forward; Ray Mumford (Grifton), center; W. Z. Worsley (Farmville) guard; and Albritton (Farmville), guard.

Those players receiving honorable mention on the boys' team was as follows:

Elks, Grimesland; House, Bethel; Jenkins, Ayden; M. Whitehurst, Bethel; Rogers, Grifton; Hemingway Bethel; Keel, Bethel; Harrington Ayden.

Silver medals were presented to the players selected on the All-Tournament teams.



SCHEDULE BOARD—U. S. Senator Edwin C. Johnson (D-Cola.) Western Baseball League president, displays a schedule device he designed with pegs showing dates each team plays.

Sport Slants by Pap



For three seasons Dick Hammock has been the solid defensive man of the Seton Hall basketball team and this year he shares the honor of captaining the Pirate quintet with Pep Saul, one of the college's all-time aces. Hammock stepped into a varsity berth the minute basketball was resumed at Seton Hall following a wartime holiday from the sport. His ability to snag rebounds off the boards and right out of the grasp of much taller opponents and then feed his teammates has played a very important role in Seton Hall's success on the court.

Hammock is at his best in the clutch. If the Seton Hall ace had a higher scoring record, he undoubtedly would be rated one of the nation's leading hoop stars. In three years of varsity ball, Dick has a scoring average of something like four points per game, but his defensive operations have been awe inspiring. Probably the greatest game of his career was against Long Island University in Madison Square Garden. When his teammates became infected with "Gardenitis," Hammock put on a rare show of courage and took up the slack to keep the Pirates in the ball game with his tireless driving.

Dick is the comedian of the squad and always keeps his teammates in good humor. There is no head-holding while Hammock is around the locker-room to give the boys a laugh. Before going into the service, he was an outstanding athlete at Seton Hall Prep. He is 24 years old, married and the father of a baby boy.

Lesnevich Has Mind Set On Re-Match With Briton

Cliffside Park, N. J., March 7—(AP)—Gus Lesnevich, gettings offers by boxing promoters, has his mind set on one match—with Freddie Mills of England.

Mills took the light heavyweight from Lesnevich last summer in England.

"I only loaned it to him," Lesnevich said. "Now I want it back."

The attractive purse offerings started after Lesnevich scored his knockout last Thursday in Newark of Eldridge Eastman, of Norwalk, Conn. in 21 seconds of the first round.

Sam and Ben Becker, Cincinnati promoters, talked about a \$75,000 purse for a possible fight between Lesnevich and Joe Maxim, of Cleveland.

Lesnevich says he's not interested. "I'll fight Mills if it takes forever, and when I do, I'll take my title back," he said.

Lesnevich has a contract providing a return title fight with Mills. Mills meets Bruce Woodcock June 2 in England for the British Empire heavyweight title. Joe Vella, Lesnevich's manager, said he wants "the quickest fight after that" he can get for his fighter.

Vella said he would like a fight with Mills in late June.

Ray Arcel, manager of Tommy Yarosz, has challenged Lesnevich for a bout for the "American light heavyweight championship."

Arcel said if Lesnevich "decides to campaign exclusively among the

Triple-Crown State Quint Has Two On All-Tournament Team

Durham, N. C., March 7—(AP)—North Carolina State's triple champs placed two players on the annual All-Southern Conference basketball tournament team selected by the conference Sports Writers' Association.

Thirty-one association members who covered the tournament voted for the following first team, votes being on a basis of two points for a first team choice and one for second:

- First team with points: Chet Giermak, William and Mary, 62.
- Dick Dickey, N.C. State, 62.
- Maynard Heathcock, George Washington, 52.
- High Kappler, North Carolina, 49.
- Vic Bunas, N.C. State, 46.
- Second Team: Bill Cantwell, George Washington, 33.
- Paul Horvath, N.C. State, 27.

Gene Witkin, George Washington, 20.- Coy Carson, North Carolina, 18.
- Ed McMillan, William and Mary, 18.

Giermak and Dickey each swept 31 votes for the first team, the only unanimous choices.

The honor for Giermak was in addition to selection by the writers as the tournament's outstanding player. He received 29 votes for that distinction, Dickey getting the other two. He highlighted his tournament performance with a record 36 points in his team's triple overtime semifinal loss to George Washington.

N.C. State's Everett Case edged George Garber of George Washington for the honor of No. 1 tournament coach. Right back of them was North Carolina's Tom Scott. State racked up its third straight conference title by running away from George Washington, 55-39, in

Saturday's finals before a capacity crowd of 9,000.

The Wolfpack, ahead by 25-24 at the half, had to come from behind in the last half to win.

George Washington fought back to take the lead early in the second half after spending the entire first half chasing the winners.

With less than 10 minutes to go in a give-and-take struggle, G. W. led, 38-36, and a rousing finish seemed in prospect. But the Colonials, who'd been through a triple overtime affair with William and Mary the night before, suddenly ran out of gas and could manage but one point in the last nine minutes. The pressing State club just raced by and was going away at the finish. Paul Horvath, with 12 points, 16 in the first half, was high man for State, while Bill Cantwell had a dozen for the Washingtonians, nine in the first half.

Penn State Cage Mentor Resigns

State College, Pa., March 7—(AP)—John D. Lawther, outstanding exponent of the zone defense, today resigned as Penn State basketball coach and his assistant, Elmer Gross was elevated to the post.

Six members of this year's Michigan State swimming team were awarded places on the 1947-48 All America team.

Rip Sewell's Sore Arm Is Bad News To Rest Of The National Leaguers

San Bernardino, Calif., March 7—(AP)—Rip Sewell, the veteran Pittsburgh right hander, has a sore arm—and that's bad news for the rest of the National League.

"My arm is always sore but it never bothers me," Sewell said today after a brief workout.

"Why, I recall one time in Cincinnati I couldn't raise the arm to comb my hair. I had to use my left

arm to get the right one up as far as my head but I won two games in a series from the Reds—1-0 and 2-1."

Though he'll observe his 41st birthday May 11, Sewell is easily the best conditioned Pirate. He was the first hurler to take the mound last week and has been going through the training camp routine like a rookie.

The ripper started the baseball world a few seasons ago by coming up with a bloop pitch—a high toss which was such a change of pace that it caught a lot of batters flatfooted.



CHAMPION GREETING CHAMPION—Alena Vranova, of Czechoslovakia, is kissed by men's champion Dick Button, of U. S., after she won women's figure-skating title.

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Russian Friendship Pact Urged By American Reds

New York, March 7—(AP)—Two top leaders of the American Communist party urged today that the United States sign "a pact of friendship and peace with our great wartime ally, the Soviet Union."

William Z. Foster, Communist national chairman, and Eugene Dennis, general secretary, made the proposal in an open letter to President Truman in which they likened themselves to Lincoln and Jefferson as advocates of peace.

"The two Communists said their letter was a reply to 'the President's reference to their statement of March 2 as that of 'traitors.' 'Is advocacy of peace treason?' the letter asked.

Foster and Dennis assailed what they called "an aggressive North Atlantic pact—a resurrected anti-Communist axis," and urged a pact between the U.S. and Russia as a way to "peace and security for America and the world."

"On our part, we Communists will defend in the future as in the past the highest interests of our country," they said. "We will defend in the future as in the past our people from all enemies, within and without."

Foster and Dennis are under federal charges of conspiracy to advocate forcible overthrow of the government. Dennis is on trial with ten other Communist leaders, but trial of Foster was separated because of his poor health.

Lawrence Washington, half-brother of George, named the family estate "Mount Vernon" in honor of the admiral under whom he served in the West Indies.

Eastern Round

New York, March 7—(AP)—Sectional Golden Gloves champions from 13 states, the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico begin throwing leather today in the 13th annual Eastern Tournament of Champions.

Earlier eliminations are scheduled at Ridgewood Grove with the finals Thursday at Madison Square Garden.

Survivors will qualify to meet the western champions, crowned in Chicago, at the Garden on March 28.

Foresters Hunt Pyromaniacs In North Carolina

Rockingham, N. C., March 7—(AP)—Two white men, described as "Pyromaniacs," were sought by State Foresters today in connection with a series of forest fires.

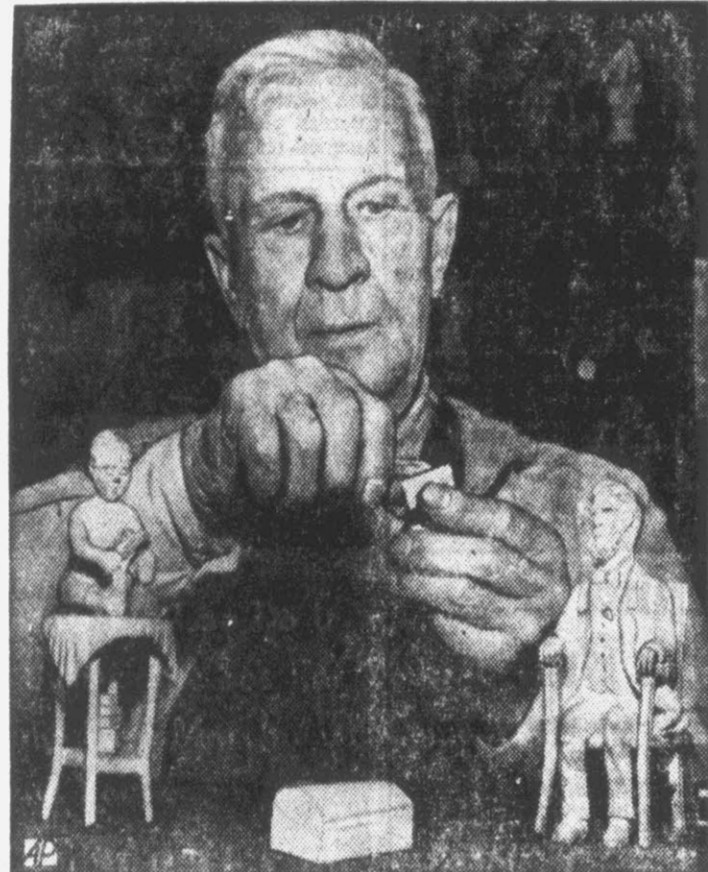
District forester J. A. Pippin said the two men set 28 fires during the week-end and were responsible for the loss of approximately 400 acres of timber.

Pippin said the men set 25 fires in Scotland county and three in Richmond county Saturday night and yesterday.

Pippin deputized 75 fire fighting yesterday to combat the blaze. Most of the fires were set between Laurel Hill and Hoffman in heavy undergrowth of wire grass, Pippin added.



ROYAL SKIERS—Princesses Birgitta, Margaretha and Desiree, of Sweden, start on a ski excursion at the Storlien winter resort. They are great granddaughters of King Gustaf V.



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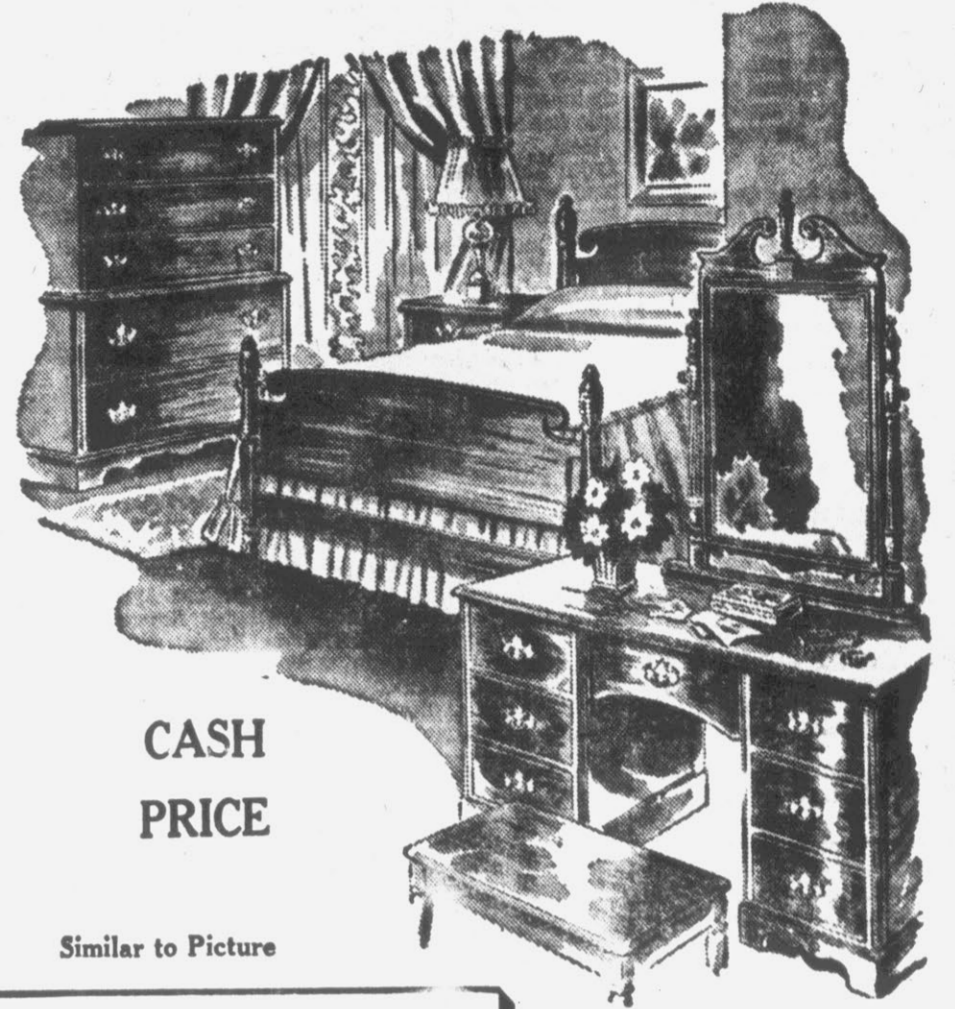
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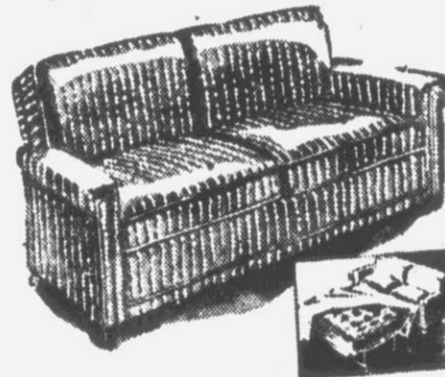


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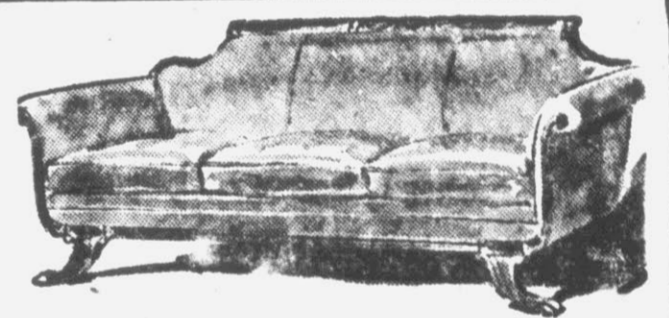
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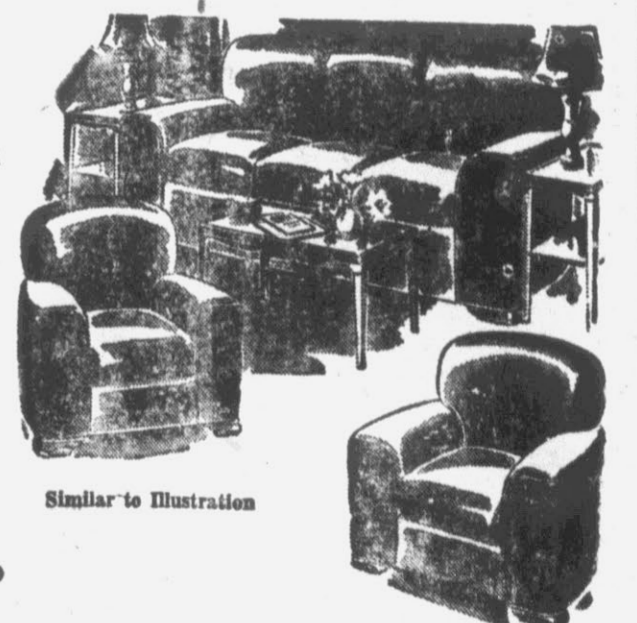


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He shook his head.

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Such a trip would be in the nature of a vacation, and it appealed to him. Don Fernando was adjusting the beard again.

"It is up to you, of course. Bring the Lovely Maria in, alongside the Gay Countess. Make sure that no one sees you start. I go one way, you another, and if ever they compare notes, by then the business will be settled and we long gone. Only I will not have such company on my journey. You are the lucky one!"

(To be continued)

NOTICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
In The Superior Court
North Carolina
Pitt County
Pitt County, Plaintiff
Vs.
Raymond Smith, Mabel Smith, Bryan Grimes, trustee for J. D. Grimes.

The above named defendants will hereby take notice that a civil action entitled as above has been instituted in the Superior Court of Pitt County for the purpose of foreclosing tax liens and certificates of sale held by the plaintiff and against the real estate of the defendants, or one or more of them located in Pitt County; and said defendants will further take notice that they are required to be and appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County at his office in the Court House at Greenville, N. C., within twenty days after the service of this notice is complete and answer or demurrer to the complaints (said complaint with copies have been filed in the office of said Clerk) or the relief therein demanded will be granted.

Witness my hand this the 1st day of February 1949.
H. L. LEWIS, JR. Asst. Clerk
Superior Court
Feb. 23-17w-4wks.

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North Carolina
Pitt County
Pitt County, Plaintiff
Vs.
Carrie Smith, B. T. Smith, and Lucy Haddock.

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Superior Court
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Having this day qualified as administrator CTA of the estate of Mrs. Rosalind R. Woodward, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate to file them with the undersigned within twelve (12) months from this date or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to the estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 16th day of February, 1949.
GUARANTY BANK & TRUST COMPANY, Greenville, N. C., Administrator CTA, of the Estate of Mrs. Rosalind R. Woodward.
Feb. 18-17w-4wks.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION AND FORMING OF NEW CO-PARTNERSHIP
The General Insurance Agency, a co-partnership heretofore composed of R. C. Stokes, III, and A. B. Stallworth, has been this day, by mutual consent, dissolved, and a new co-partnership under the same name has this day been formed.

All accounts due and owing said General Insurance Agency will be paid to General Insurance Agency, and all debts due and owing by said old co-partnership will be assumed and paid by the new co-partnership, A. B. Stallworth and E. M. Gibbs, R. C. Stokes, III, having sold his

entire interest in said business, is no longer connected with said firm. This February 24, 1949.
R. C. STOKES, III
A. B. STALLWORTH
Feb. 28-17w-4wks.

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that Carolina Sales Corporation, as it is required to do by its Charter of Stock Certificate, has purchased or called for redemption 600 shares of its 5% Preferred Capital Stock and that in accordance with said requirements the Preferred Capital Stock of the corporation will be reduced by \$15,000.00, the par value of the stock purchased before February 23, 1949, or called on or after February 23, 1949.
JAS. T. LITTLE, President Carolina Sales Corporation.
Mar. 1-7-14-21.

Saint Francis Xavier, 16th Century missionary priest, traveled for 11 years in India, the East Indies and China. He is believed to have baptized more than half a million people.

When Frances Folsom Cleveland was married at the age of 23 to Grover Cleveland, she became the first First Lady to be married in the White House.

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Bulgaria Denies 'Persecution' Of Religious Group

Sofia, Bulgaria, March 7—(AP)—The Communist publication Free Bulgaria angrily denied today charges of religious persecution in the treason trial of 15 Protestant ministers and called the ministers "squealing little rats."

"In a frantic effort to avoid the hangman's noose," it said, "they spill the beans."

The ministers, all of whom have admitted the charges in court and begged for mercy, are to hear the verdicts tomorrow. The prosecution has demanded death for four of them and prison sentences for the others.

The United States and British legations here report they have found the Bulgarian regime especially sensitive to criticism poured in by Voice of America broadcasts.

Free Bulgaria, which is printed in English by the government press department, declared the charges of religious persecution are "crocodile tears, tripe and mad ravings."

It charged that the World Council of Churches directed the ministers in spying for the United States and Britain "and even tried to engulf our (Greek) Orthodox Church."

Cases Tried In Police Court

In Police Court last Friday, Judge J.W.H. Roberts fined Windsor Taft, colored, \$50 and costs for possessing non-tax paid liquor for the purpose of sale.

Arthur Midgette, colored, paid \$15 for passing a school bus while it was unloading passengers.

Dorothy Wilson paid \$25 and costs for driving without an operator's license.

Rosecoe Sutton, colored, was given 30 days at the County Home for being drunk.

Cecil Hunt, colored, paid \$10 for crashing a red traffic light.

James A. Moore paid \$15 for reckless driving.

Lucinda Hollowell paid \$20 for speeding.

Bobby Brady paid \$25 and costs for allowing a non-licensed operator to drive a motor vehicle.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Two marriage licenses were issued by the register of deeds during the week-end. They were for John L. T. Little and Nancy Barrett of near Greenville, and Willie L. Lang and Patti Joyce of Farmville, all colored.

Thunderstorm

A severe thunderstorm accompanied by strong wind from the west last night about 7:30 swept through this section, causing the temperature in the Greenville area to drop from a high of 80 degrees yesterday to 56 degrees at 8 a.m. today. The mercury had dropped to 53 degrees at 9 a.m., the Weather Bureau here reported.

Rainfall during the storm totaled more than one inch—1.06 inches, to be exact.

Motorists returning here from the west last night reported that bad weather prevailed all the way from Greensboro here.

May Get Case Of 'Borrowed' Book

Los Angeles, March 7—(AP)—Superior Court may decide whether the pilfering of one of the world's most valuable books was a college prank or not.

Caught leaving a UCLA library window with the "priceless" Bay Psalm book in hand, Charles J. Psalm, 27-year-old postgraduate student, faces prosecution in burglary charges.

The Portland, Ore., man, arrested Friday night, maintains he "borrowed" it as "part of my initiation in a secret society." He was booked on suspicion of burglary and released under \$2,000 bond to appear in Superior Court Tuesday.

Librarian L. C. Powell said the Bay Psalm book is one of 11 known copies of the initial volume printed in the American Colonies, dating back to 1640. He said he will recommend "severe" disciplinary action at a meeting today with Provost Clarence Dykstra. The book was part of the Freedom Train collection.

"Post-graduate students are usually in universities for more serious things than dog-eating or book stealing or other childish fraternity pranks. This book could have been seriously damaged. It's insured at \$100,000, but it is actually priceless," he added.

Glenn said: "Obviously, a thief wouldn't steal so rare a book. It couldn't be sold. What could it be but a prank."

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Odom planned to ride the beam of Radio Station KGO in San Francisco to the West Coast. Another military plane from the coast was scheduled to pick him up about 1,000 miles from San Francisco.

Weed Control Meet To Be Held On Friday

A weed control meeting will be held in the Pitt county agricultural building Friday night at 7:30, County Agent S. C. Winchester said today.

At the meeting Winchester said, proper chemicals and methods for killing and controlling weeds in cultivated fields will be discussed.

Tremors Rocked Salt Lake City

Salt Lake City, March 7—(AP)—An earth tremor rocked the downtown section of Salt Lake City last night, but there were no reports of damage.

Police dispatchers said they handled 80 telephone calls within a few minutes.

They placed the time at 11:53 p. m., mountain standard time (1:53 a. m., EST).

The tremor also was felt in the editorial rooms of the Salt Lake Tribune and Salt Lake Telegram and in offices of the Associated Press.

Howard Pearson, the Desert News Feature editor, said a floor lamp slid 15 feet across the room in his home. He said Glenn Pratt, his neighbor in the Euclid Arms apartments reported the tremor sent a piano skidding across a second floor room.

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That 'Unhatched' . . .

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can't be low unless:
1. The President approves and signs it into law.
2. Or, if he disapproves and vetoes the bill by refusing to sign it, both houses re-pass it over his veto.

Now return to the present labor bill. As soon as it was introduced it went to the Senate and House Labor committees.

Almost at once the Senate committee began hearings. These lasted for weeks. And on Friday the committee approved the Democrats' labor bill, unchanged. This was easy to do.

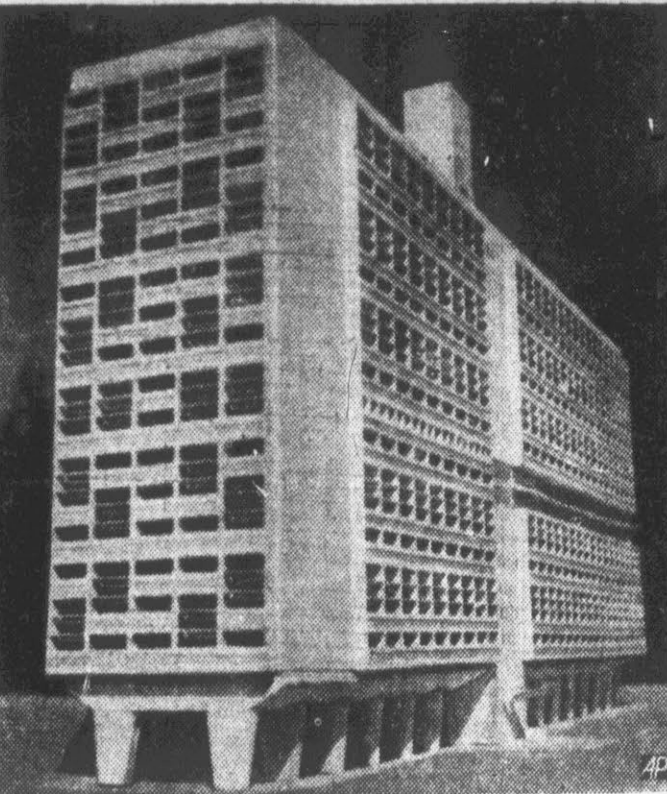
The Democrats outnumbered the Republicans on the committee, 8 to 5. The Democrats, having control of Congress, can't say how many men each party has on a committee.

The Democrats on the committee voted solidly for the bill. The Republicans voted solidly against it. They wanted to make changes in it. The Democrats wouldn't let them.

Today the House labor committee where Democrats outnumber the Republicans, 16 to 9, began hearing on the bill. The result there probably will be the same as in the Senate committee.

Then both houses have to vote. But the bill may be changed sharply on the floor of both houses before the vote is taken. Why?

Although the Democrats have a majority in both houses, some of



HOUSE ON STILTS—This is a model of an "apartment house on stilts" being built at Marseille, France. It will be 17 stories high with shops, clubs, nursery and roof garden.

them almost surely will vote with Republicans to make changes.

Before the bill, passed by both houses, can become law, it must go to the President. If he signs it into law, in spite of the changes, that's it. But suppose the changes displease him.

He may veto the bill. That will kill it unless both houses can re-pass it into law over his veto. All this is weeks away. So nothing definite has happened yet except approval of a bill by the Senate committee.

N.Y. Cotton

New York, March 7—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 10 to 25 cents a bale higher.

Noon prices were 15 to 20 cents a bale higher than the previous close. March 32.54, May 32.38 and July 31.25.

Hog Market

Raleigh, March 7—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog prices steady to slightly stronger. Tops of \$19 at Kinston, Rocky Mount, Tarboro, Greenville, Wilson, Goldsboro and Washington.

Poultry and Eggs

Raleigh, March 7—(AP)—(NCDA)—Fryers and broilers steady at 27 on 2 1-2 to 2 3-4 pound weights, heavier weights 25-27; eggs steady. A large 43.

N.Y. Stock Market

New York, March 7—(AP)—Buying enthusiasm dwindled today as the stock market settled into a mixed and narrow price range.

I. P. M. STOCKS

Allegheny	24
Al Chem mand Dye	178 1/2
Allis Chal Mfg	26 1/2
Am Smelt and Ref	49 1/2
A T and T	14 1/2
Am Tob	66 1/2
Anaconda	32 1/2
A C L	37 1/2
Atl Ref	35 1/2
Am Smelt and Ref	49 1/2
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Am Tob	66 1/2
Anaconda	32 1/2
A C L	37 1/2
Atl Ref	35 1/2
Baldwin	19 1/2
B and O	34
Bendix Aviat	31 1/2
Beth Stl	23 1/2
Boeing Alrpl	15 1/2
Burr Add Mach	15 1/2
Case J I	33 1/2
Caterpillar Trac	57 1/2
Ches and O	32 1/2
Chrysler	53 1/2
Coca Cola	136 1/2
Coml Credit	50
Coml Solv	16 1/2
Curt Wright	9 1/2
Doug Airc	55 1/2
Dow Chem	48 1/2
Dupont	183 1/2
Eastern Alrpl	15 1/2
Eastman Kod	44 1/2
Firestone	49 1/2
Gen Mot	62 1/2
Goodrich	42
Goodyear	23 1/2
Int Harvest	9 1/2
Int Tel and Tel	37 1/2
Johns Man	37 1/2
Kennecott	46 1/2
Loews	16
Lorillard	20 1/2
Mont Ward	54 1/2
Nash Kely	13
Nat Biscuit	32 1/2
N Y Cent	10 1/2
No Am Aviat	10
Packard	3 1/2
Param Pic	21 1/2
Pennny J C	45
Penn RR	15 1/2
Pepsi Cola	9 1/2
Phillips Pet	58
Republic Stl	23 1/2
Reynolds B	36 1/2
Sears	1 1/2
Secony Vac	35 1/2
Std Oil N J	68 1/2
Swift	29 1/2
Tex Co	51 1/2
Union Carbide	37 1/2
United Alrpl	13
United Airc	24 1/2
United Corp	2 1/2
US Smelt and Ref	42
U SSteel	72 1/2
Va Caro Chem	8
Warner Pic	10 1/2
Western Union	14 1/2
Woolworth	45

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Whose Radio?

Police Chief Lester D. Page has a small portable Emerson radio, battery type, in a plastic case, believed to have been stolen. It was recovered from John Worsley, 64-year-old Negro, after he was arrested and convicted recently in Police Court of the larceny of a radio from a home in College View. The owner may obtain the radio, on proper identification, the chief said.

Will Ask Probe Of Sudden Death

Wilmington, March 7—(AP)—The State Department will be asked to conduct an investigation into the death of a woman who accompanied Raymond M. Fernandez, accused "Lonely Hearts" slayer, to Spain.

A New York City detective, Lieut. Joseph Demas, was here during the week-end questioning relatives of Mrs. Jane Wilson Thompson, 40-year-old New York hospital dietitian.

Mrs. Thompson, a daughter of Mrs. Pearl Wilson of Wilmington left with Fernandez for Spain in 1947. Several months later her mother and brother, C. J. Wilson, Wilmington storekeeper, received word from the State Department that she had died of a heart collapse following an intestinal ailment while in Malaga, Spain.

The detective said that he would turn his findings over to the State Department for an investigation of the woman's death.

Wilson said that he had been dissatisfied with the report in his sister's death and had asked for a fuller investigation more than a year ago.

Fernandez is now being held in Grand Rapids, Mich., on charges in three slayings which police say grew out of a "Lonely Hearts" correspondence bureau which he operated.

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