

Hope 'Peace Talk' To End Filibuster

Southern Democrats, Republicans And Administration Backers To Meet Today Seeking Compromise; Southern Agree On Terms

Washington, March 14—(AP)—Administration leaders expressed hope that a new filibuster peace conference called today will bring settlement of a fight that has tied up the Senate for 13 days.

Majority Leader Lucas (D-Ill.), heading administration forces seeking a change in Senate debating rules, said the second round of compromise talks would be held during the afternoon.

"I would hope that we can reach an agreement in these negotiations," Lucas told reporters.

Republican leaders, along with representatives of southern lawmakers opposing the rules change, arranged to meet with the Administration forces.

The decision for the conference was made after the three groups—administration Democrats, GOP policy leaders and southern Democrats—each had held closed morning meetings.

The GOP leaders decided informally to throw their weight behind the peace efforts. The southerners said they had reached agreement among themselves on terms under which they would end their filibuster. They declined to disclose the terms.

A similar peace conference of leaders of the three factions wound up Sunday without an agreement.

Senator Morse (R-Ore.), meanwhile, served notice that he will object to any compromise making it more difficult to get civil rights legislation before the Senate.

His objection would block any effort to get through a compromise by unanimous consent of senators. However, any agreement must be pushed to a vote by the leaders.

The filibuster has been going on since February 28 with Dixie lawmakers fighting to prevent the Senate from taking up a resolution which would permit two-thirds of those senators voting to end debate at any time.

Lucas said the administration forces had turned thumbs down on a compromise proposal under which three-fourths of the senators voting could gag a debate.

He said they are divided, however, over another compromise plan by which a "constitutional" two-thirds of the senate—44 of its 96 members—could close debate if they wanted to do so.

This proposal was reported favored by some Republicans.

Lucas said administration forces would hold another meeting in late afternoon, after the new peace talks. He added that President Truman may be consulted by telephone before any final compromise is reached. Mr. Truman is vacationing at Key West, Fla.

The southerners, meanwhile, were all set to continue their talk-talk in the Senate. Senator Ellender (D-La.) had a long speech ready. Chairman Taft (Ohio) said the GOP policy committee took no formal vote but decided to support the peace talks.

The committee acted informally after hearing a report from Minority Floor Leader Wherry (Neb.). Wherry attended a week-end meeting of southern Democrats and administration leaders in an effort to reach agreement on a proposed change in Senate debating rules.

Southerners, opposing the rules change, also held a closed meeting. Senator Russell (D-Ga.) said the Dixie lawmakers came to an agreement on what they are willing to do to end their talkfest. He declined to say what the agreement provided.

Russell told reporters: "The negotiations now in progress are so delicate that I don't care to comment further."

Alliance In Review

Details Of Atlantic Pact To Be Soon Revealed By State Department; Purposes; Questions Raised On U. S. Help; Old Neutrality Is A Thing Of The Past

Washington, March 14 (AP) We'll learn the details of the Atlantic pact soon, maybe Friday, from the state department.

The pact is a military alliance worked out by the United States and other nations which border on or near the North Atlantic.

It has a double purpose:

To make the allies so militarily strong that they not only can withstand an attack from Russia but even discourage one from starting.

(Communists claim its real purpose is to get ready for an attack on Russia.)

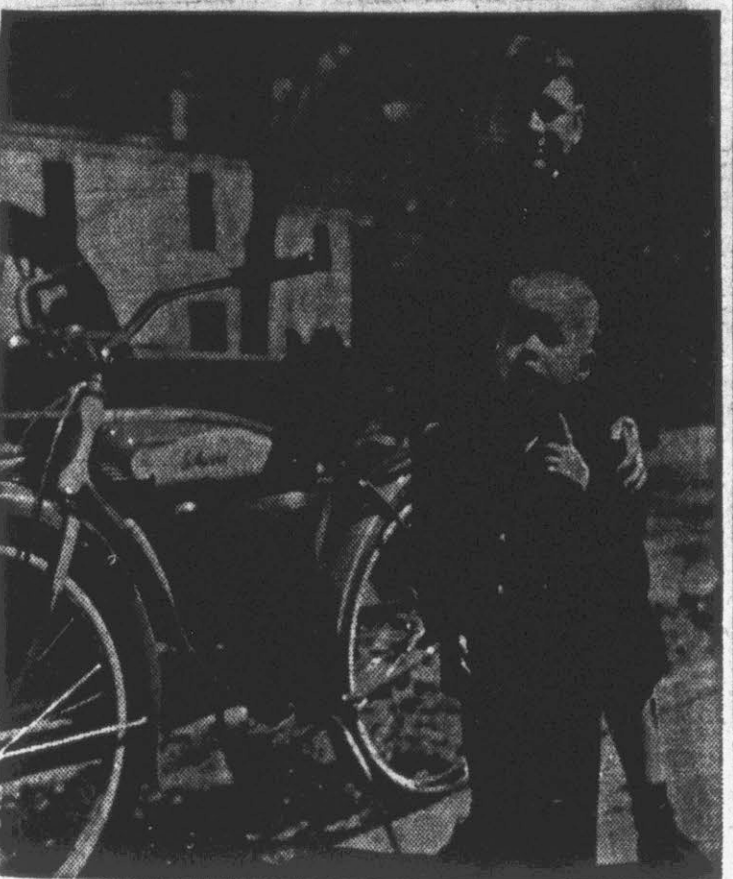
The pact will not become a fact at all unless the U. S. Senate approves by a two-thirds vote. That may take months.

Details on the pact have been kept pretty secret. When they are released this week, they'll open a floodgate for:

News on the pact, interpretations, hair-splitting on the meaning of words in the pact, Senate debate, editorials, radio discussions.

Talks on the pact began last summer between the U. S., Canada, Britain, France, Belgium, Holland and Luxembourg, Norway and Den-

Dickie Haar Again Acclaimed



Nine-year-old Dickie Haar and two-year-old Roy Tripp, Jr., stand beside a bicycle presented to Dickie by the Abbott and Costello radio Kid Show Saturday morning. Dickie, with both his arms in casts, rescued Roy from drowning last August when the youngster fell from a pier at Bayboro. (Reflector Photo and Engraving)

Nine-year-old Dickie Haar of Greenville was honored on a second nationwide broadcast Saturday morning when the Abbott and Costello Kid show chose him as the star of the week.

Dickie received the honor for saving 20-month-old Roy Tripp, Jr. of Greenville from drowning late last summer when Roy fell from a pier at Bayboro. Both Dickie's arms were in casts recovering from fractures at the time of the rescue.

Dickie is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Fred B. Haar, and Roy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tripp.

The list of prizes awarded Dickie by the Abbott and Costello show included a Schwinn deluxe bicycle with his name on it, a 17 jewel watch, a solid gold signet ring with his initials on it, a pair of Acme cowboy boots and a complete set of recordings of the program.

Dickie's mother received from the show a Columbia diamond ring, and a Davallier cedar box chest.

In addition to the other gifts, a complete set of baseball uniforms will be sent by the Abbott and Costello program to the Baptist orphanage in Thomasville in honor of Dickie.

During September Dickie was honored on the Jimmie Fidler radio program and was sent a watch and a government bond.

After the nationwide program on the American Broadcasting Company network Saturday morning, radio station WRRP of Washington presented a 30-minute program from the Haar home on Ninth Street here, as Don Pierce interviewed Dickie and other persons at the home during the broadcast.

Almost two dozen of Dickie's friends were at the home for the broadcast. In addition to Dickie, those interviewed by Pierce included Mrs. Haar, Dickie's mother, Rev. Leonard Topping, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Miss Eunice McGee, Dickie's teacher at the Training school, Mrs. J. W. Hassell who is responsible for Dickie's story getting to the nationwide broadcasting system, Lynn Jorgensen, one of Dickie's playmates, and Dave Whitchard, a representative of the Daily Reflector.

Prisoner In Jail Refuses To Eat

Hunger Strike For Five Days; Faces Thirty More

Thomasville, N.C., March 14—(AP)—A prisoner who has refused food five days declined today to take an oath upon the Bible in his trial on a charge of vagrancy. A possibility loomed that he might continue his hunger strike 30 days.

"I don't eat when I'm in jail," William Henry Drewes, 40, shabbily dressed and unshaven, told officers. Police Court Judge W. H. Steed ordered the German-born wanderer back to his cell when he refused to take the oath.

Patrolman S. W. Embry testified he arrested Drewes early last Thursday "grubbing in back alley garbage cans for food." He was charged with vagrancy. When Drewes attempted to interrupt testimony, the court offered him opportunity to take a witness' oath and testify.

He explained later in his cell that he held no religious scruples preventing his taking the oath on the Bible. Rather, he said, he would not take the oath so long as "the government refused to allow him to work." He has not eaten since he was jailed at 7 a.m., last Thursday.

Police Chief Paul M. Shore said he would face 30 additional days in jail if convicted of vagrancy.

Claim Labor Law Hearings Futile

Washington, March 14—(AP)—Two Republicans complained today that House hearings on repealing the Taft-Hartley law are a waste of time because, they said, Democrats "stacked" the subcommittee holding them.

Reps. McConnell (R-Pa.) and Nixon (R-Calif.) each told a reporter that Democrats on the subcommittee made up their minds in advance that they are going to vote to get rid of the controversial labor act.

Committee OK's Appointee Boyd

Washington, March 14—(AP)—The Senate Interior committee today approved President Truman's nomination of James Boyd to be director of the Bureau of Mines.

The two-weeks coal mining holiday that began today was called by John L. Lewis, head of the Miners Union, to express the Union's opposition to selection of Boyd for the post.

Western Powers Study Alliance

London, March 14—(AP)—The five western European Union countries take an official look today at the final draft of the North Atlantic defense alliance.

The foreign ministers of the five nations—Britain, France, Belgium, The Netherlands and Luxembourg—opened a two day meeting. Other ministers of cabinet rank joined them.

Coal Output Cut To Trickle As Miners Stay Out Of Pits

Pittsburgh, March 14—(AP)—A miners' work stoppage today reduced the nation's mighty coal output to a mere trickle.

It idled some 471,000 hard and soft coal miners east of the Mississippi. It hit the nation's coal-dependent industries by forcing furnaces for some 69,000 railroad workers.

The diggers started a two-week voluntary lay off in answer to John L. Lewis' call for a memorial to dead and injured miners. The miners also are protesting appointment of Dr. James Boyd as director of the U. S. Bureau of Mines.

The idle miners normally work in these ten states: West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Kentucky, Illinois, Alabama, Ohio, Virginia, Tennessee, Indiana, and Maryland.

Lewis' order for a work stoppage exempted about 32,000 UMW miners in these states, Wyoming, Colorado, Montana, Utah, Arkansas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Washington, Kansas and Missouri.

The western states produce only a trickle of the nation's soft coal. Pennsylvania produces virtually all the anthracite mined in the United States and ranks second after West Virginia as a soft coal producer.

Lewis, 69-year-old leader of the United Mine Workers, last Friday ordered the pits closed down from today until March 28. He said it would be a memorial to the miners killed or injured last year. And, he continued, it would be the miners' protest against President Truman's nomination of Dr. James Boyd as director of the U. S. Bureau of Mines.

In Washington, Senator Byrd (D-Va.) called on the Senate to "promptly confirm" Dr. Boyd's appointment "as a reply" to the nine shutdown. He added:

"As the nomination of Dr. Boyd is now before the Senate for confirmation, the strike order is nothing else than an attempt to coerce and intimidate the Senate of the United States."

The first effects of the work stoppage came in the railroad industry. Eleven railroads furloughed 57,425 workers. They're employed by railroads who get a big chunk of their freight revenue from hauling coal.

Steel industries will not be hit immediately. They have large stocks of coal above ground. The national coal stockpile totals an estimated 70,000,000 tons. That's the most coal above ground in any spring since 1942. It's good for about 45 days.

As the work stoppage went into effect only maintenance men kept toward the diggings. They'll keep pumping water out of the pits, doing the routine work necessary to keep coal mines operating.

While there's plenty of coal in the East to fend off any wintry blasts remain, the work stoppage will be hard on the pocketbooks of the miners. The UMW has a standing policy of not paying strike benefits.

With this in mind, some UMW leaders say they're going after unemployment compensation benefits from states. It's a big question whether the states will pay off. Traditionally, they haven't.

John P. Busarello, president of UMW district No. 5 at Pittsburgh, said if Pennsylvania officials "don't come through we'll fight it to the State Supreme Court." In Pennsylvania, unemployed persons are entitled to \$20 a week for 24 consecutive weeks, payments beginning the second week of idleness.

Believe Truman May Tour Nation

Key West, Fla., March 14—(AP)—President Truman began today the second week of his Florida vacation, tanned and apparently at the peak of health.

Reverses in congress, his associates said, increase the possibility that he may stump again by train in an effort to build fires under congressmen opposing administration measures.

Propose Draft System Put Under Labor Dept.

Washington, March 14—(AP)—The Hoover Commission recommended to Congress today that the Selective Service System be placed in the Labor Department.

The commission proposed that several other agencies also be transferred to the Labor Department to build up that executive branch.

Spurred by former President Herbert Hoover, the commission is a bi-partisan group asked by Congress to recommend improvements in the government's executive structure.

The commission's report on the Selective Service System was not unanimous.

Secretary of State Dean Acheson, who is vice chairman of the commission, dissented along with outgoing Defense Secretary James V. Forrestal and Carter M. Nease, former member of Congress from Alabama.

All 12 members of the commission agreed that the Selective Service System should be headed by civilians—but the three dissenters said it should remain independent.

The majority decided, however, that the manpower question was related to the Labor Department's function and the drafting of civilians for war should be handled there.

In addition to the Selective Service agency, the commission proposed that these other units should be transferred to the Labor Department:

The Bureau of Employment Compensation, and the Appeals Board of that agency, both now under the Federal Security agency. Those units handle claims for compensation for government workers injured on the job.

The Bureau of Employment Security, which has the U.S. employment service and unemployment compensation, or jobless benefits. The commission also would shift the veterans' employment service from the FSA to the Labor Department.

The U.S. Maritime Commission's section which now determines minimum wages for seamen.

Life-Or-Death Decision Ahead

Raleigh, N.C., March 14—(AP)—Governor Scott will be confronted this week with the second life-or-death decision of his administration.

The governor must decide the fate of Emmett Garner, Barnett County farmer and truck driver who is scheduled to die Friday for murdering his wife.

The paroles officer reported today that attorneys for Garner had asked the governor to hear personally their pleas in his behalf.

Blockade Lifted To Move Bears

Hamburg, Germany, March 14—The east-west blockade was temporarily lifted today to allow six bears to enter the British zone.

Even bears have to have "papers" in this country. Police on both sides of the border at Vorstfeld solemnly checked Russian and English permits allowing the bears to travel. Rubber stamps and printed words in Russian, German and English are a must for everyone crossing this border.

Plan Developing Of Power Plants

Asheville, N.C., March 14—(AP)—Plans to harness three North Carolina mountain rivers at a cost of more than \$20,000,000 have been announced by the Nantahala Power and Light Company.

Under the company's plans, eight dams and power projects will be constructed in Jackson, Swain and Macon Counties.

Work already has started on one project near Greenville in Jackson County. Construction will begin on the others as soon as engineering and legal details are ironed out.

Says Newspapers To Be Hard Hit By Postal Hike

Spokesman Says Rate Increases Would Drive Newspapers From The Mail

Washington, March 14—(AP)—The American Newspaper Publishers Association said today proposed postal rate increases "would drive every newspaper from the mails." It added that proposed new regulations could permit "a fanatical bureaucrat" to determine the content of newspapers.

The ANPA's views were outlined in statements prepared for presentation to the House Postoffice Committee. The statements were by Josh L. Horne, publisher of the Rocky Mount, N.C., Telegram and chairman of the ANPA Postal Committee, and Elisha Hanson, ANPA general counsel.

The committee is considering rate increases proposed by the Postoffice Department which would fall heavily on second class mail used by publishers. The ANPA represents approximately 800 newspaper publishers having more than 90 percent of the nation's total daily and Sunday circulation.

Horne and Hanson contended that the present second-class mail structures does not constitute a subsidy to publishers. On the contrary, they said, the publishers are being required to pay for something they don't get.

"And that is exactly what every newspaper publisher in this country is daily required to do under our antiquated postal rate system," he added.

Nowhere in the Postoffice Department's recommendation, Horne said, "is there any recognition of the fact that the department must improve its service if it is to increase its revenues."

"All that it proposes on second class mail is an astronomical increase (estimated at 400 percent) in rates and a control, for rate making purposes, over the content of publications."

"The claim has been made constantly through the years," he said, "that the deficits charged against second class mail constitute a subsidy to publications, and that publications should 'pay their way' and not be the recipients of congressional subsidy."

"Subsidy—if in fact a subsidy exists—is not a subsidy to newspapers," he said. The ANPA "wants no part in a subsidy."

While newspapers are charged the full cost of postal services, Horne said, many of them sort, route, weigh and transport their papers, with the Postoffice merely putting the bundles in the proper R.F.D. car.

"Yet these newspapers are charged on the basis of the department's having given full service," he added.

Committees For Local Red Cross Drive Announced

John G. Fleming, chairman, Pitt County Chapter, and also general chairman for the 1949 fund campaign, today announced the following committees to cover the campaign, which will be March 21st through the 26th.

The committeemen whose work in this campaign commenced several days ago, are as follows:

Publicity chairman, Mr. C. E. Blair; newspaper, Mr. D. J. Whichard, III; radio, Mr. Charles Whedbee and Dave Mossler; Distribution of materials, Mr. Heber B. Tripp; Speaker's bureau, Mr. Hoover Taft; Movie, Mr. T. Y. Walker; and window display, Mr. C. R. McBrayer.

The Pitt County quota for the 1949 campaign is \$10,005.00.

Socialists Optimistic

Party Claims It Will Be Returned To Power In Next British General Election; Reasons For That Belief; Voters Apparently Approve Samples They've Seen

By JAMES MARLOW

Britain's first Socialist government has been favored with so many smiles by fortune that the party now feels able to claim it will be returned to power in the general election scheduled for next year.

As things stand it would be difficult to controvert this prediction. Certainly it's clear that John Bull's famous Winston Churchill will have to perform the hat trick if he makes a come-back and regains the prime ministership for the Conservative party.

The Socialists felt they had turned the corner a fortnight ago when they won the by-election in the strategic constituency of South Hammersmith, London, and thus retained the seat in Parliament. This election was considered so vital that Churchill went all-out in campaigning for the Conservative candidate. The old maestro called on the voters to lead the "way out of the Socialist quagmire"—but they couldn't deliver the goods.

This was the thirty-first seat the Socialists had defended successfully since they defeated the Conservative party under Churchill as

Francis Williams, former public relations adviser to Prime Minister Attlee, told some of us here in New York the other day that the by-election figures make it practically certain that Labor (the Socialists) will be returned in the next general election. He thought that perhaps the party would have a slightly reduced majority, but that it would be large enough for working operations.

Williams is a shrewd observer and knows his British politics. I first met him while visiting Britain in 1945, shortly after the Socialists came to power. He then was adviser to the prime minister, with whom I had a long conversation. During that talk Mr. Attlee told some of his plans for Socialism.

It is worthy of note, by the way, that the program which Attlee then outlined to me has been followed

Social and Personal

Published after 10:00 A. M. will be published the following day. 9:00 A. M. to Noon - 1:00 to 4:30 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Tige Gardner have returned from a trip to Fort Pierce, Fla.

Mrs. S. T. Hooker is a patient in Duke hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Baker have returned from Melbourne, Fla., where they spent the winter.

Mrs. Jake Dixon, Mrs. Alton Clapp and Miss Seba Flanagan attended the mid-year meeting of the N. C. State Nurses Association in Durham Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Alfred Kennedy of Greenville, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Dupree of Belvoir, Mrs. John Leon Jenkins of Ayden, left Wednesday for Brownsville, Tex and Mexico City.

Contract Club Meets With Mrs. McCotter

Grifton—The Thursday contract club met for an enjoyable session on Wednesday night with Mrs. L. D. McCotter as hostess. The home for the occasion was decorated with the theme of spring flowers. As the guests arrived they were greeted by the hostess and found their places at the card tables where a delectable supper was served. After this cards were played at four tables. During the progressions Mrs. Thurman Williams scored high and Mrs. Robert Mewborn second among the club members. Visitors' high went to Mrs. Manley Lee. Other players were Mrs. Alton Chapman, Mrs. J. L. Quinerly, Mrs. Jack Chapman, Mrs. H. P. Quinerly, Mrs. A. D. Wall, Mrs. R. A. Nelson, Mrs. W. L. Bissette, Mrs. L. L. Mewborn, Mrs. Thomas Gower, Mrs. Robert McCotter, Miss Hazel Patrick, Miss Marie Chapman and Miss Bert Johnson.

Birth Announcement
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd D. Smith announce the birth of a daughter, Patsy Marie, on Sunday, March 13, in Pitt General hospital. Mrs. Smith was formerly Miss Doris Clark of Greenville.

A Lenten Prayer

Gloria in Excelsis!
He shall be great, and shall be called the Son of the Most High; and the Lord God shall give unto him the throne of his father David. Luke 1:32. Read vs. 46-55.

The season of the blessed birth is still fresh in memory. The glow has not faded from our hearts; echoes of angels' songs are still upon the air. "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth, peace and good will to all." The sweetest sentiments of life cluster about Christmas. But it is given for more than sentiment. In the birth of the Babe, God enters into history and divides time in two. Christ is given, not alone for tenderness and beauty, but for greatness and moral authority. Any mother of an ordinary child would think of the softness of the babe on her breast. But Mary's Magnificat sings of the power and the judgments of the prophet line now come to fulfillment in the Son of God. Because God gave Christ, the nations will know the strength of his arm; the proud will be scattered; the mighty put down from their seats. And those of low estate will be exalted, the hungry fed, and deliverance given the captives of the world.

Let Us Pray: Oiver of every good and perfect gift, unworthy as we are we ask that the Christ be daily born again in our world and in our hearts. In his name. Amen.

Mrs. Davis Hostess To Bridge Club

Grifton—Mrs. Bryan Davis was a gracious hostess on Friday night when she had as guests members of her bridge club. Arrangements of mixed spring blossoms made a pretty setting for the three tables placed for the games, prior to which a delectable two-course supper was served. During the games highest scores among club members were compiled by Miss Betsy Hodges and Mrs. Robert McCotter and the visitors by Mrs. H. P. Quinerly. Others were Mrs. Manley Lee, Mrs. Paul Bradley, Mrs. Walter Murphy, Mrs. Becky Worthington, Mrs. Kenneth Walker, Mrs. Jack Turner, Mrs. Claude Hart, Mrs. Walter Patrick, and Miss Doris Smith.

40 Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR

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S. E. Gates went to Oak City today.

W. H. Dall, Jr., went to Kinston today.

Mrs. G. E. Harris went to Kinston today.

R. C. Bagley went to Norfolk Saturday evening.

Mrs. C. T. Munford and Mrs. W. B. James left this morning for Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Cox of Grifton, who have been visiting at Greenville, left Sunday evening.

Birth Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Teel, Jr., announce the birth of a son, Jack William Teel, III, at Pitt General hospital, Sunday, March 13. Mrs. Teel is the former Miss Faye Hooper of Elizabeth City, N. C.

Birth Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Page announce the birth of a daughter, Brenda Louise, on Friday, March 11, 1949, in Pitt General hospital. Mrs. Page was formerly Miss Ethel Louise Cayton.

Birth Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Herring announce the birth of a daughter, Catherine Neal, on March 12 in Emory University hospital, Atlanta, Ga.

Bookmobile

FOR WEDNESDAY
Garris' Store on No. 11—9:30-9:45
Littlefield—10:00-10:15
Grifton School—10:30-12:15
Wall's Pharmacy, Grifton—12:30-1:00
Quinerly—1:30-1:45
St. Johns—2:00-2:15
Coxville—2:30-2:45
Gardnersville—3:00-3:15

SOCIAL CALENDAR

MONDAY

6:30 p. m.—Rotary Club.

7:00 p. m.—Lion's Club.

8:00 p. m.—Coleman circle of Memorial Baptist Church meets in the church parlors.

8:00 p. m.—Andrews circle of Memorial Baptist Church meets at the home of Mrs. Henry Brown, 115 Woodlawn Ave.

8:30 p. m.—The Cammie Gray Guild of the Eighth Street Christian Church will meet with Mrs. H. R. Phillips.

TUESDAY

1:00 p. m.—Thalian club will meet with Mrs. C. B. Bissette.

3:00 p. m.—Lector Club meets with Mrs. E. D. Whitley, Jr.

3:30 p. m.—Mrs. W. C. Vincent will entertain the Round Table at the home of Mrs. Robert Taylor.

3:30 p. m.—Mrs. F. A. Bendall will be hostess to the Chatham Book club.

3:30 p. m.—Clio Book club meets with Miss Jane Hadley.

3:30 p. m.—Inter Se Club will meet at the Woman's Club.

8:00 p. m.—St. Elizabeth's chapter of the Episcopal Church meets at the parish house.

8:00 p. m.—Chapter 149 of the Eastern Star meets.

8:00 p. m.—Mrs. Guy Evans, Mrs. Paul Batchelor and Mrs. Edith Hardee will be hostesses at bridge at the home of Mrs. Evans in honor of Miss Evelyn Foley, bride-elect.

WEDNESDAY

7:30 p. m.—Mrs. Toland Boykin and Mrs. W. T. Lipscomb will entertain at a supper party in the Magnolia room of the Proctor hotel honoring Miss Evelyn Foley, bride-elect.

8:00 p. m.—Mrs. Bernice Causey will entertain Miss Joy Tyson, bride-elect, at her home.

8:00 p. m.—Junior Woman's Club meets at the club house.

THURSDAY

3:30 p. m.—Executive Board of the Woman's Club meets at the club house.

4:30 p. m.—Miss Elizabeth Norman will be hostess at an informal party at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Trotman to honor Miss Evelyn Foley, bride-elect.

8:00 p. m.—At Woman's Club special clinic under direction of Dr. Lucile Charles, director of dramatics and speech at E. C. T. C.

FRIDAY

6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis club.

7:30 p. m.—Red Men meet.

SATURDAY

8:00 p. m.—Miss Margaret Johnston will honor Miss Evelyn Foley, bride-elect, at bridge.

Christian Science Service

"Substance" was the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Christian Science Churches and Societies on Sunday, March 13.

Golden Text: Hebrews 11:1. "Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen."

Among the citations comprising the lesson-sermon were the following from the Bible: "O the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God. How unsearchable are his judgments, and his ways past finding out." (Romans 11:33). And from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Things spiritual and eternal are substantial. Things material and temporal are insubstantial." (Page 338).

Woman's Club Board to Meet

The Greenville Woman's Club Executive Board will have its regular meeting on Thursday, March 17 at 3:30 at the club house. Every member is urged to be present.

Stokes-Blake Vows Spoken Saturday

Miss Anna Ruth Blake, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kennon Blake of Wilson and Greenville, became the bride of William Allan Stokes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Levi L. Stokes of Greenville, on Saturday March 12 at the Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church. The Rev. Leon Russell officiated at the double ring ceremony. The vows were spoken before an altar banked with fern, baskets of gladiolus and branched candelabra holding lighted tapers.

Prior to the ceremony the organist, Mrs. Paul Toll, rendered a program of nuptial music. Mrs. Moye Dall, accompanied by Mrs. Toll, sang "Because, 'Oh Promise Me'" and "The Lord's Prayer" was used as a benediction.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a satin dress of bride's blue, navy straw hat trimmed with lillies of the Valley and veiling to match the dress. She carried a white prayer book topped with a white orchid.

Mrs. Paul Atkinson of Portsmouth, Va., sister of the bride, was matron of honor and the bride's only attendant. She wore a dress of pink satin, with pink hat and black and pink accessories. She carried a bouquet of mixed spring flowers.

The bridegroom had as his best man his brother, Harry Lee Stokes. The ushers were James Keel and Ralph Tucker of Greenville.

Mrs. Blake, mother of the bride, wore a dress of plum crepe with

black accessories and a shoulder corsage of white carnations. Mrs. Stokes, mother of the groom, wore a dress of black and matching accessories. She wore a corsage of pink carnations.

After a wedding trip to the mountains, the couple will be at home in Greenville.

For traveling, the bride added to her outfit a spring coat of navy blue; at her shoulder was pinned the orchid lifted from her prayer book.

Following the rehearsal on Friday night, Mrs. Paul Atkinson entertained the wedding party and close friends at a cake-cutting at the home of Mrs. John Blake on East

Fourth Street.

To Demonstrate Improved Phone

"Your Telephone Voice of the Future," a recent development of telephone research using a new form of wireless, will be demonstrated before East Carolina Engineer's Club in the Club Room of the New Ricks Hotel, Rocky Mount, North Carolina, on Wednesday, March 23, by Norris Russell of the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company. The new telephone "Voice" is the

micro-wave relay system, now in operation on an experimental basis, which can transmit hundreds of telephone conversations simultaneously without wires. The new system "narrow casts" very short radio waves in a beam, rather than over wires, between a series of high towers connecting points in the long distance telephone network.

UNDERGOES OPERATION
Mrs. Thornton W. Meeks, underwent an operation for appendicitis at Pitt General hospital Saturday. She was reported today to be recuperating satisfactorily.

Egg production can be increased by placing lights in the poultry house and thus lengthening the day for hens.

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Reception Cards
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Back interest and smart yoke treatments distinguish handsome full-length coats. Choose from gabardines, coverts, worsteds, tweeds in basic, and new spring shades.

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Slim, elongated silhouettes are softly tailored, finely detailed. Fashioned with a Directoire flavor in worsted sheen gabardine. Black, navy, pastels.

\$24.75 to \$79.50



Exciting New Spring DRESSES

Printed sheers with crisp accents, rustling paper taffetas, gay surahs! Fabrics that are new in texture, pattern, color... styled with spring verve and flattering femininity.

\$9.95 to \$49.50



Prettifying, Little Spring

HATS

\$3.95 to \$14.95

Litling styles worn at new angles, veiled and strewn with flowers. Pastel and dark straws.



NEW GLOVES

Suedes, capekins in spring costume colors.

\$1.00 to \$3.95

SMART BAGS

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Local B&PW Club Hostess To Seventh District Meeting

The Greenville Business and Professional Women's Club was hostess to the seventh district at the spring district meeting on Thursday evening, March 10.

"North Carolina and California tie for first place in number of clubs in the National Federation," said Mrs. Catherine Walsh, district director. She recognized the 10 clubs of the district as she presided at the business meeting.

Highlights for the state convention, scheduled for June 17, 18, 19 at Ocean King Hotel, Atlantic Beach, were given by Mrs. Ruby Blythe of Rocky Mount, convention chairman.

"Judge Sarah Hughes of Dallas will be speaker at the convention, and Dr. Irma Henderson-Smathers of Asheville will be hostess to Judge Hughes," said Mrs. Blythe. Mrs. J. B. Spilman of Greenville will be convention hostess, and Frances Tucker of Greenville will serve as chairman of the hospitality committee, which is made up of members of the Greenville Club. Mrs. Ruth Meeks is president.

The seventh district had 128 members present representing the Roanoke Rapids, Rocky Mount, Washington, Perquimans, Nashville, Carteret, Edenton, Ahoskie, Elizabeth City and Greenville clubs. Mildred Doster of Rocky Mount was nominated to succeed Mrs. Walsh as district director, subject to action of the convention.

"Redistricting is to be considered at the convention but we don't recommend it," said Mrs. Walsh.

Miss Ruth Little, talented high school student of Winterville, sang "Homings" and "Linda Lou." Mrs. Howard Bodkin accompanied her. Ada Jones welcomed the guests and Mrs. Ellen Nunnelly, president of the Washington club, responded. Mrs. Nunnelly invited the district to meet in Washington in the fall.

Recommendations from project chairmen showed active interest in civic projects and public affairs. Social security to cover farm and domestic labor is being stressed. The health program is receiving attention.

Women In The Church

By MARY FOWLER

The United Council of Church Women is one of the principal sponsors of the nationwide radio program, "One Great Hour" which is to be heard over CBS, ABC, and NBC networks from 10 to 11 p. m. (EST) Saturday, March 26 in promotion of the church wide simultaneous offering the following day at church services for Church World Service and the denominational relief agencies which comprise that body. The radio drama showing need for relief and rehabilitation in Europe and Asia, is to be the greatest radio production of its kind in the history of that medium of information. It is written and will be produced by Robert Sherwood and Erik Barbauld. The Sunday offering will be taken in 76,000 Protestant churches where the attendance is estimated at 50,000,000 persons.

Meeting in national convention in San Francisco, Calif. from March 7 to 14 the Young Woman's Christian Association of the United States adopted a public affairs program that urged support to legislation to eliminate discrimination based on sex, color, religion, or race, and gave support to measures looking toward federal aid in education, low-cost housing to rid American cities of slums, prohibition of child labor, strengthening of fair labor practices, support of the United Nations, and strengthening of public health services. The convention of 2,000 women represented 3,000,000 YW members in 1049 branches in the United States, and other thousands in 68 countries overseas where the Y has services.

USA is the name of a well-known industrial town near Fukuoka, Japan. The story is that the town was so named so that the certain manufactured articles sent from there to America in the pre-war days could truthfully bear the label, "Made in USA." Since the war nothing has been heard from USA until the other day when Miss Carolyn M. Teague, of Cincinnati, Ohio, Meth-



TO LEAD DEFENSE
—Louis A. Johnson (above), of Clarksburg, West Va., has been appointed by President Truman to succeed James V. Forrestal as Secretary of Defense, March 31.

odist missionary in Fukuoka, reported that a Buddhist priest and some 400 of his temple devotees have become Christians. It seems that they have been studying the Bible and Christian doctrine together for some months and just recently have declared themselves as Christians. Now the temple is being converted into a Christian church.

Child Kills Self In Despondency; Had No Friends

Hamilton, Ohio, March 14—(AP)—Eleven-year-old Joanne Stillings shot and killed herself in apparent despondency over her inability to form any friendships among schoolmates, coroner Garrett Boone reported today.

Dr. Boone termed the death a suicide.

He said the child had attended Wilson Junior high school where arrangements had been made for her to see a psychiatrist.

Twenty notes were found in her room, indicating she contemplated suicide because of her inability to make any friends, the coroner reported.

Quiet Birthday For Einstein; Is Seventy Today

Princeton, N. J. March 14—(AP)—Albert Einstein is 70 years old today. The world-famous scientist, as is his custom, insisted on a day of no interviews, no statement, no celebrations.

The gentle, bushy-haired Einstein was said before that birthday celebrations are only for children. Nonetheless the occasion brought tribute from leading scientists of many nations.

Yesterday at his modest frame home a delegation of children presented him with a bouquet of flowers.

Einstein, wearing a tan sports shirt blue sweater and a pair of slacks, chatted with them. He let them take turns sitting on his lap and introduced them to his pet terrier, "Chico."

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Mrs. Gudren Hisgen

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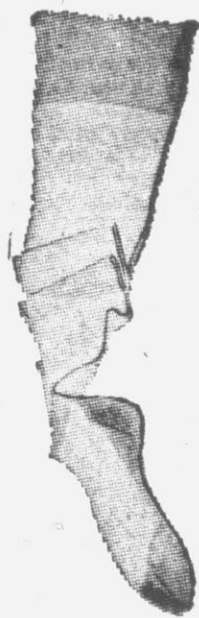
"The blouses we have are lovely to wear with that new Easter outfit. We have a style and size for everybody. I especially like the Textron Blouse at \$5.95."



Mrs. Mary Joyner

Recommends These At 97c Pair

"I never have seen such Nylon Hose in 54 gauge quality at 97 cents a pair before. They are all new spring shades, too."



Mrs. A. R. Cannon

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At \$49.50

"During our fourteenth anniversary I think the Whitley Toileurs suit as illustrated at \$49.95 is a good buy. The material and fit are better than I have seen in a long time at this price."



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RECOMMENDS

These

Dorothy Hubb DRESSES At \$15.95

"I especially like the Dorothy Hubb's dress as illustrated. Navy blue with the pique color at \$15.95 in sizes 10 to 20 is a good buy. This style is advertised in all leading magazines."



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Mrs. Nell Willard

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"The best buy I think we have during our fourteenth anniversary is the swing back coats in full length and three-quarter length at \$28. They look and are as good as any \$35 coats I have ever seen."



Virginia Roebuck Recommends Dresses at \$10.00

"The special purchase of dresses in crepe and gabardine at \$10 is what I think represents a good buy. They are all Easter type dresses."

Miss Joyce Jackson

RECOMMENDS

"The new line of Glamour Shoes in the style as illustrated is my idea of the most outstanding style and buy during our fourteenth anniversary. We have this style in navy calf and black patent at \$9.95, all sizes, too."



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Mr. James Smith

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"I think the Rhythm Step style in navy blue is outstanding. This style can be worn now and throughout the whole summer. This style as illustrated, we have in sizes triple A to C widths, 4 to 10."



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We have to like our work if we
are going to make a success of it.
If it's only carrying a hod, a per-
son has to like to carry bricks in
order to be what the boss would call
"a first-class hand and cheerful
with it."

Of course, we can learn to like
our work. Many a person has
started in a variety of work which
he abhorred. Circumstances have
forced him to take the first job he
could get, and it was the kind of
work which above all work he de-
tested. Sometimes because of such
circumstances a man has to leave
his job and find more congenial
activity. But times without number
men have found that if they
threw themselves into what appear-
ed to be a detestable job, it became
at first tolerable and at last quite
fascinating.

But whether we always like our
work or come at last to like it, like
it we must if we are going to be
successful in it. The man who
will never make an outstanding
success at anything is the man who
likes one thing about as well as an-
other and no one thing with con-
suming passion. In a world full of
needs to be met by dignified men,
there is no such thing as dignified
and undignified types of work. All
work is dignified, if done by a man
who has true dignity of soul; and
every man has dignity of soul who
addresses himself to the task at
hand with all that he has in him,
and with cheerfulness of heart.

AN INCREDIBLE MOVE

There is no doubt but that
the actions of John L. Lewis
will again cost the U. S. labor
movement heavily at the very
moment when it is seeking
support of American public
opinion in the unions' fight
for less restrictive labor leg-
islation. Reverberations are
already sounding in Wash-
ington and in the various in-
dustries which rely on coal
for their services.

The King of Coal official-
ly terms his strike a mem-
orial holiday in honor of the in-
dustry's dead; but 'holiday'
or not, the two-week shut-
down is an admitted effort to
stress Lewis' opposition to
President Truman's nomina-
tion of one James Boyd, as
Director of the Bureau of
Mines. In more blunt lan-
guage, it is a strike to influ-
ence or dictate the choice of
an appointee to an admini-
strative post in the federal
government.

Such a maneuver is out of
bounds for a union, just as it
is unthinkable for any given
industrial group to order a
shutdown with the purpose
of intimidating the Admini-
stration into appointing a fa-
vorite for the post of Sec-
retary of Commerce or a simi-
lar post.

Imagine, if you can, the
outrage that would follow if the
steel industrialists got to-
gether and closed their
plants in opposition to a nom-
ination by the President. It's
so fantastic that no one
would believe such a thing
could happen.

But we are now witnessing
the action of an industry-
wide monopolistic union us-
ing its strongest weapon, a
strike, to oppose such an ap-
pointment.

As The Reflector has noted
before; when the industrial-
ists became too strong
through monopolistic prac-



tices, laws were passed to
prevent the accumulation of
so much power by a small
clique. The day will come
when industry-wide unions
will similarly be classified as
monopolistic, and likewise be
put under restraint. John L.
Lewis is only hastening the
day.

**Around Capitol
Square**

VISITOR—Speaker Kerr Craig
Ramsay was a visiting voter at the
house session. Remaining in Ra-
leigh over the weekend for the first
time since the opening week of the
session, the speaker insisted upon
taking a seat in the house while
Rep. W. T. Hatch of Wake presided
over a fast moving Saturday session.
Some three dozen local bills were
passed, including one for Rowan
county, upon which the speaker
made his first floor appearance. He
rose to say it was a good bill and
ought to be passed. It was.

DINNER—Reservations for seats,
accompanied by checks at the rate
of \$50 each, have been coming in
fast for the Jackson-Jefferson din-
ner on April 2. When Director John
Larkin closed his office for the
weekend he had reports of quotas
filled from eighteen counties, add-
ing up to nearly \$4,000 in money.
With Speaker Sam Rayburn of the
national house of representatives as
main speaker, and assurance that
Chairman McGrath and other "big
shots in Democratic circles will be
on hand, coupled with limited space,
local party leaders throughout the
state are trying to get reservations
early.

BAD BOY—Some of his nearby
colleagues fear the speaker may
have to do something about Marion
Parrott, youthful representative
from Lenoir county. They say he
acts like a bad boy in school some-
times. He has unpublished talent
as an artist and instead of just
"doodling" on a piece of paper
while other members are speaking
he amuses himself by drawing car-
icatures of the members speaking
and some who are listening—with
or without close attention. The

sketches are really good. So are
those drawn by Rep. John McMul-
lan of Chowan county.

STRANGER—Rep. John Regan
of Robeson, arguing for a plan that
will bring the state highway com-
mission closer to the people, told
the roads committee he had never
lived within a hundred miles of
the commissioner for his division.
He suggested later that he thought
he'd have his commissioner send a
picture of his home, so he could see
what houses looked like "in another
part of the state." Regan lives at
St. Paul, and ever since he was
groomed the commissioner for that
division lived at or near Asheboro
until a few weeks ago, when the
post was moved to Lexington—
thirty miles farther away.

STOKES—Colleagues have been
teasing Senator W. F. Marshall
and Representative Leonard Van
Noppen of Stokes county about Re-
publicans winning in pending local
legislation. A bill taking one de-
puty sheriff and an automobile
from the sheriff's office was origi-
nally written to become effective
July 1, 1949. At request of 32 local
people back home the measure was
amended to become effective the
first Monday in December, 1950.
That is the date a new sheriff's
term begins—and the Stokes regu-
lators are sure the incumbent Re-
publican will be succeeded by a
good Democrat. Change in date,
however, was made on theory it
would not be fair to disrupt the
staff in mid term.

COSTLY—One little item in the
appropriations committee action
the other day escaped wide pub-
licity. A good deal of attention was
given insertion of \$350,000 a year
in the welfare budget for state aid
to persons between 16 and 65 years
of age, the group not now covered
by state or federal funds. What
failed to get much notice was addi-
tion of \$120,000 to the admini-
strative budget for the purpose of
administering distribution of the
\$350,000.

Boyle's Column

By HAL BOYLE
New York. (AP)—Planning to help
the little woman with her spring
housecleaning chores?

Well, if you decide to save money
by doing the painting yourself, bet-
ter think twice. That is the advice
of Fuzzy MacCaskill, who had the
same idea, too.

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Allen Reeves \$10.
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A. C. Tadlock and wf to Marvin

of Fuzzy MacCaskill, who had the
same idea, too.

Fuzzy is a good friend of mine, a
kind, generous man with a heart
of purest gold—and five big thumbs
on each hand.

The other day he had a week's
vacation coming. He decided he'd
be money in pocket if he spent the
week repainting his home. With
brush and can he attacked the
kitchen and turned it a violent yel-
low.

"Perhaps another coat would help,"
said his wife.

So Fuzzy stayed up all night and
slapped on another coat. Somehow
the paint seemed to get yellower near
the bottom of the can. His wife took
in the morning and said:
"I don't feel well, dear. I think
I'll go over to daughter's and stay
with her for the rest of the week."

Fuzzy, so paint-spotted he look-
ed like a patch of dandelions,
thought that would be fine. It would
leave him free to assault the liv-
ing room, back and front porch. The
rest of the house wasn't in need of
fresh paint.

At this point Fuzzy was still in
love with his work. He had just fin-
ished daubing the living room when
a neighbor called: "Your dog, Skip-
py, just ran up the street."

Fuzzy caught the dog after a two-
block run. When he got Skippy in
the house, he tried to chase him up-
stairs. Skippy thought it was a
great game. He ricocheted off the
newly painted living room walls
several times, then tripped on the
cord of a floor lamp. Down crashed
the lamp—in ruins.

The bathroom came next. Fuzzy
was tiring. He took naps between
times as he painted the walls and
ceiling. The results three tones of
an original color which Fuzzy him-
self could only describe as "a matter
of opinion."

Absent-mindedly Fuzzy sat down
on a toilet seat which he had trim-
med in black enamel. It hadn't dried.
Weary of all paint, Fuzzy then
decided to surprise his wife by clean-
ing the venetian blinds in the liv-
ing room. He decided it would be
easier to wash the dirt off the wood-
en slats. So he dunked the blinds
in a bathtub full of warm water
and let them soak for a half hour.

"Those wooden slats weren't wood
at all," said Fuzzy. "They were car-
board—cardboard that curled and
shrank, too."

He sighed and went on to an-
other task—giving the living room
an enamel trim. The next day he
found, sorrowfully, that one of the
cans he had used was flat paint
instead of enamel.

Fuzzy gazed around. He had a
kitchen that looked like it was suf-
fering from jaundice, a three-tone
bathroom, a streaky living room with
a half flat and half enamel trim.
He put away his paint brush in dis-
gust.

"I am expecting my wife back any
day now," said Fuzzy. "And there's
a greeting for her as soon as she
opens the door. I tacked up a sign
that says:
"To Hell with the front porch."

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TONIGHT
8:30—E. C. T. C. Once Upon a
Time
8:45—Songs of Our Times
9:00—News
9:05—Dinner Date
9:30—Sportscast
9:45—Hillbilly Hit Parade
10:00—News
10:15—News from the Legislature
TN
10:30—According to Record
10:35—What's New in Music
10:45—Guy Lombardo's Orch.
11:00—Red Cross Program
11:15—Marine Band
11:30—Symphonic Swing
11:45—News
11:55—Bob Eberly Sings
12:00—My Best to You
12:05—News
12:15—Platter Party
12:30—Platter Party
12:45—News
12:55—Sign Off.

TUESDAY
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—Waltz Time
10:30—Mid-Morning Melodies

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MONDAY P. M.
6:00—The Lone Ranger

11:30—Little Concert
11:00—News
11:05—Records at Random
11:30—Little Concert
11:45—Sammy Kaye's 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—Harry James Orchestra.
1:30—Carolina Farm Features
1:45—Ken Griffin at the Organ
2:00—News
2:05—Milk Herth Trio
2:30—Claudia
2:45—Musical Sleets
3:00—News
3:05—Ted's Tune Shop, TN
3:30—Dress Parade
4:00—Latin-American Music
4:30—Let Me Spin It
5:00—Carmen Cavallero Show
5:15—Les Brown and Hi a Band
5:30—E. C. T. C. Once Upon a
Time
6:45—Jungle Jim
6:00—News
6:05—Dinner Date
6:30—Sportscast
6:45—Hill Billy Hit Parade
7:00—Brody's Star Feature Program
7:10—Musical Interlude
7:15—News from the Legislature,
TN
7:30—According to the Record
7:35—Musical Interlude
7:45—Guy Lombardo's Orch.
8:00—Chamber of Commerce Ban-
quet.
9:00—News
9:15—All Star Dance Parade
9:30—My Best to You.
10:00—News
10:05—Music for Tuesday
10:35—Platter Party
11:00—News
11:15—Platter Party
11:55—News
12:00—Sign Off.

6:30—Gracious Living
6:40—Joe Overman, Jr. Weather
Report
6:45—Bill Jackson—Sports
6:55—U. P. News
7:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS
7:15—Dick Haymes Sings
7:30—Robert Hurleigh, News
(MBS)
7:45—Orange Blossom Time
8:00—Favorite Story
8:30—Sherlock Holmes, MBS
8:55—Carolina News
9:00—Gabriel Heatter, MBS
9:15—Songs by Bing Crosby
9:30—Music of Manhattan
9:55—Bill Henry—News (MBS)
10:00—American Forum of the Air,
MBS
10:30—Dance Orch. (MBS)
11:00—All the News (MBS)
11:15—Dance Orch., MBS
11:55—World News
12:00—Dance Orch., MBS
12:30—Sign Off.

TUESDAY
6:00—Ole' Shepherd's Hour.
7:00—U. P. News
7:05—The Bill Jackson Show
8:00—U. P. News
8:05—The Bill Jackson Show
8:55—U. P. News
9:00—Morning Devotional Period
9:15—Tell Your Neighbor, MBS
9:30—Poole's Paradise, MBS
9:55—Obituary Column
10:00—Cecil Brown, MBS
10:15—Spellbound
10:30—The Bright Spot Hour
11:00—Coastal Plain Reporters
11:15—Coming Attractions
11:30—Neighborhood Movie Round-
up.
11:45—Spade Cooley, Guest Time
12:00—Time to Classify
12:05—Stock Market Report
12:10—1 See by the Papers

12:15—Checkerboard Jamboree,
MBS
12:30—Quinn News Reporter
12:35—WGTM Farm & Home Hour
1:00—Cedric Foster, MBS
1:15—The Happy Gang, MBS
1:45—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
4:30—U. S. Navy Band
4:45—Two Ton Baker, MBS
5:00—The Straight Arrow, MBS
5:35—Dell Trio
5:45—Tom Mix, MBS

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Grifton Ladies To Play Basketball, Raise Funds

Grifton, March 14—Church Bazaar are fairly frequent in this part of the country, but when the ladies of two churches out to put on an exhibition of the hardwood sport, they are really out to raise money for their churches.

That is just what will happen in Grifton Wednesday night in the high school gym when the Junior Workers Council of the Christian Church and the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church meet in a basketball contest. Just in case the spectators would not think the game itself was worth the price of admission, the ladies have thrown in a beauty contest during the half-time period. With Mayor Richard A. Nelson as master of ceremonies, the popularity contest will be between Mrs. Nannie McGlohon and Mrs. Thomas Gower who have been nominated by their respective church groups. Spirited voting will decide which of these two attractive young matrons will be queen of the basketball court.

The participants in the game will include Mesdames Robert Mewborn, Tucker McGlohon, Bryan Davis, Tom Gower, Palle Harris, William Rouse, Mutt Fleming, Larry Dennis, Eugene Price, Doc Fleming, Paul Bradley, Bill Coles, Tom Hardison, Wiley Gaskins, Thurman Williams, Norwood Lockhart, Nannie McGlohon, Wilbur Murphy, Joe Speight, L. D. McCotter, Mary Louise Dickens and Misses Faye Moore and Betty Hodges.

Proceeds from the night's entertainment will go to the two churches. Early indications are that a large crowd will be in attendance.

WASHINGTON LETTER

Washington—“Harry's Balcony. For Sale . . .” read the ad in the local newspaper. “Autographed deluxe edition of the latest song hit . . .”

Intrigued, I went around to an M Street place listed in the ad as headquarters of the American Free Enterprises. A woman answered the bell. I had seen no sign on the building and decided that I was in a rooming house. When I asked whether this was the location of the American Free Enterprises, the woman said:

“I'll call him.”

A little graying man in a clean but much-mended shirt came down the steps while I waited in the hall. He was humming a tune. He identified himself as I. Dan Danziger and said, “Yes indeed, I am American Free Enterprises.”

He explained he had “hatched” the American Free Enterprises in February 1945 after having a tough time getting anyone to pay attention to a song he had written called “G. I. Joe and G. I. Jane Come Marching Home Again.”

He couldn't get anyone to sing it on the air or in the theater. And nobody wanted to publish it. He decided to publish it himself, with a number of other songs he had written and had copyrighted.

“Harry's Balcony” he wrote last

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MRS. NANNIE MCGLOHON



MRS. THOMAS GOWER

January, working feverishly to get it finished in time for the inauguration. It, too, was cold-shouldered, though lots of people told him it was a good song and had a nice melody.

“Would you like to hear it?” he asked me eagerly. Before I could answer, he began . . . “Since we heard silk-hat Harry, from every whistle stop . . . and didn't think he'd carry . . . the donkey right on top . . .”

“When Harry built a balcony . . . right outside his room . . . he made no date to take the gate . . . nor give away a broom . . .”

Mr. Danziger warmed up: “And Harry knew just what to do . . . with a grand refrain . . . when he stormed the country . . . on a choo-choo train . . . ‘Sleeping Polle’ with thread-bare soles . . . couldn't reach first base . . . for there was John Q. Public . . . to put them in their place!”

“And now that all is said and done . . . there'll be privacy . . . to relax in shirt and slacks . . . on Harry's Balcony . . . on Harry's Balcony.” (Song copyrighted by I. Dan Danziger, reproduced by permission.)

Boy Scouts Find Drowning Victim

Goldsboro, N. C. March 14—(AP)—Two Boy Scouts found the body of a man while canoeing on the Neuse river Saturday.

Coroner W. A. Seymour said the body may be Leonard Newell, 21, who was believed to have drowned Jan. 23 when a boat capsized and two companions swam to safety. The scouts who found the body were Dean Thornton and James Raines, both of Newton Grove.

French Aviation Pioneer On Trial As German Spy

Paris, March 14—(AP)—Pioneer Ocean Flier Dieudonne Coste went on trial today as a spy. He is charged with having been one of the “best paid” agents of German counter-intelligence, working in the United States during World War II.

Coste, who with Maurice Bellonte made the first east-west flight over the Atlantic in 1930, denied he returned to the U.S. 13 years later to spy for Germany.

“I never had any intention of betraying my country,” he told the military court. The short, stocky, white-haired defendant termed the charges against him “entirely false.”

Coste, named the world's No. 1 airman in 1931 by the International League of Aviation, claims he double-crossed the Nazis by serving as an American agent while supposedly working for the German Abwehr (German counter-intelligence unit).

The Paris-to-New York flight in a small single-engine monoplane made a sensation second only to Charles Lindbergh's epic crossing in 1927.

Warrants charge him with forging the name H. M. Blount, secretary-treasurer of the Carolina Cold Storage Corporation of Greenville, to the checks and allegedly having them cashed on the same day in 1938 by Saled's Dry Goods Store, Ed J. Sumari, J. J. Stauffer, E. H. Taft, Jr., and Elks Clothing Store and another one in Baltimore.

Wintermuth, who had been a fugitive a long time, appeared to be glad to submit to authorities. Chief Page made the trip to the Arizona capital by plane. He left Rocky Mount Thursday morning about 8 o'clock on a Capital airliner, and changed at Memphis, Tenn., to an American airliner. He arrived in Phoenix at midnight Thursday. He said Phoenix Chief of Police Earl O'Clair extended every courtesy and Inspector Charles Arnold gave him cooperation.

Page and his prisoner left the Arizona capital Saturday morning. They spent the night at Memphis, Tenn., and left Sunday morning for Greenville. They arrived at the Rocky Mount airport Sunday afternoon and a Greenville police car was there to meet them. Page said long distance traveling by airplane is cheaper, more economical and saves time.

Funeral Services For Arthur Jones

Arthur Tunstall Jones, 33, died at a Raleigh hospital at 2:40 p.m. Saturday after having been a patient there the past two years. Funeral services were conducted at the home, 806 Evans Street, at 3 p.m. today by his pastor, Rev. H. G. Haney, of the Eighth Street Christian Church. Burial was in Cherry Hill Cemetery.

Mr. Jones, a native of Rocky Mount, had lived in Greenville since he was a small boy and attended Greenville city schools. He graduated from Greenville High School in 1933. He had been employed as a clerk in local stores for some years. He was a member of Eighth Street Christian Church and the Modern Woodmen of America.

Surviving are his mother, Mrs.

don't DO that!



DON'T INTERFERE . . . It's annoying to parents for guests to interfere with discipline of children in the home by delaying bedtimes and such.

Minnie Tunstall Jones, two sisters, Miss Louise Jones of the home and Mrs. John G. Ashe Jr. of Raleigh; and a niece, Cella Tunstall Ashe of Raleigh.

One story of the origin of the term “blue Monday” is that in the 18th Century naval commanders noted offenses during the week and arranged floggings for punishment each Monday, hence “black and blue Monday.”

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 1-25 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. 84-11 E. 100 feet to an iron stake; thence S. 84-11 E. 50 feet to an iron stake; thence S. 84-11 W. 100 feet to the point of beginning and being all of Lot E in Block 2 as shown on revised map of Epps Park as prepared by J. M. Dresbach, 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.

This the 3rd day of March, 1949. RALEIGH B. LEE, Substituted Trustee. March 4-11w-4wks.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION In the Superior Court

North Carolina Pitt County Plaintiff

vs. Wallace Moore, Roger Moore, Minnie G. Moore, Bessie Moore, Trudus Moore, John Allen Moore, Alonzie Moore, and wife Bertha Moore, Charland McCoy, Hannah Gaylord and husband, George Gaylord, Hester Moore and Crolls Moore.

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 answer 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 complaint, with copies of the 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. LEVINS JR., Asst. Clerk Superior Court. Feb 14-11w-4wks.

How To Relieve Bronchitis

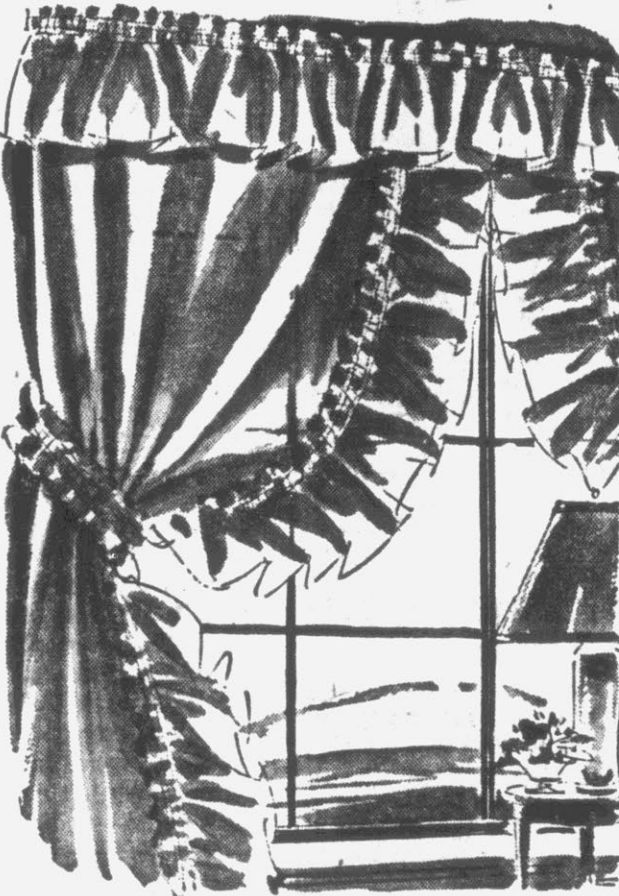
Circumolium relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germs, phlegm and all nature to soothe inflamed raw, tender, irritated bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Circumolium with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back. Circumolium is a cure for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis.

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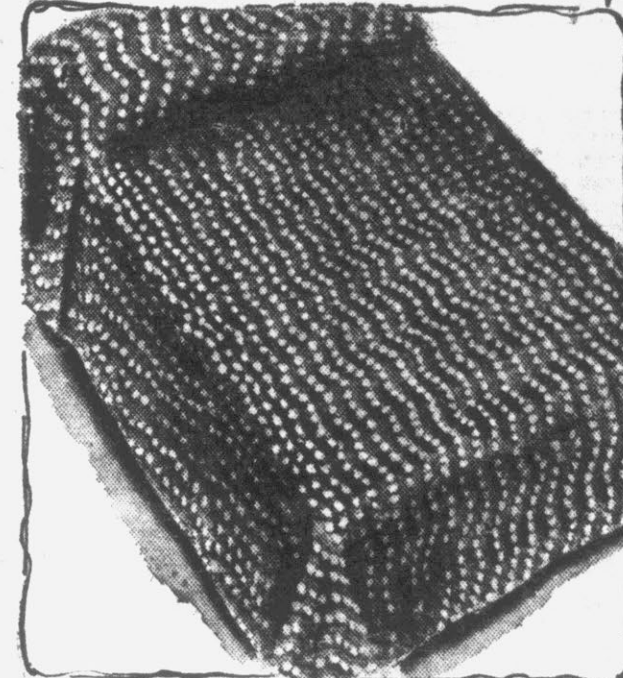


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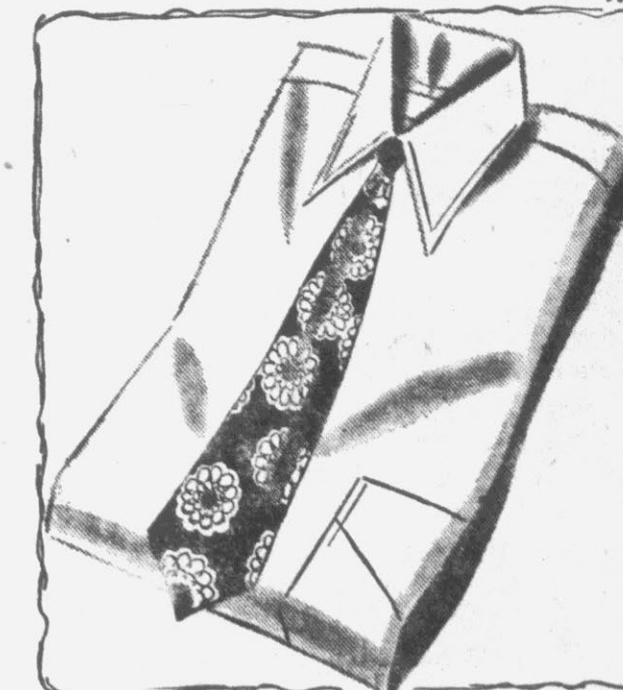


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Hundreds of other items all over the store at lower prices for Penney Days too numerous to mention. SHOP EARLY AND

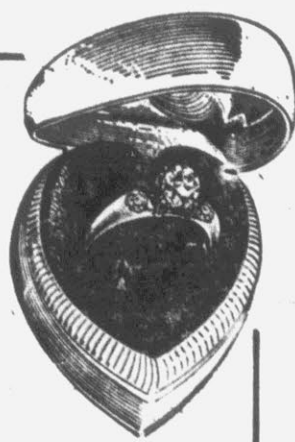
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School Problem Is Still Legislative Bottleneck

By LYNN NISBET
Raleigh, March 14.—The general assembly got into its tenth full week with all eyes set on adjournment early in April, with April 2 most frequently mentioned as probable date.

The ninth week showed marked progress toward clearing the calendar of important legislation. In one respect practically no advance was made. The public school issue is as unsettled as it was a week ago.

Final passage of the supplemental salary bill, completion of work on the biennial revenue bill in the house and assured final passage of that measure in the senate Monday night, gets two big money items out of the way.

Hard, some forecasts say bitter, fighting remains on the 200 million dollar road bond the one cent gasoline tax bills. It is generally conceded however that while this fighting may be hard it will be fast and that a bond issue will be submitted to vote of the people. There is practically certainty now it will be for the full 200 millions. Both bills passed second roll call reading in the house Friday by preponderant margins and without crippling amendments.

The bond bill is expected to finish its run in the house without material change. There remains possibility the gas tax may have a contingency added, making it applicable only if the bonds are voted. While that is only a possibility in the house it is a definite probability when the bill gets over to the senate. Unless differences between the two branches have to go to conference committee—and many members think that will be necessary—final action on both bond and gas tax bills can be had this week.

Committee approval of the bill submitting a fifty million dollar school building bond issue to vote is regarded as virtual assurance the issue will be submitted.

That got back to the question of appropriation for the nine months school, the biggest item in the whole bill and the one that will determine whether other approved items can be retained or will have to be reduced.

The revenue bill now on its way to final passage adds about \$200,000 to budget estimates of revenue. The appropriations bill, virtually completed except for the school item, has already added over four million dollars to budget estimates on spending. The school proposals will add another ten millions.

The finance committees are not disposed to reopen consideration of major revenue items. There are several methods by which a tentative balance in the budget can be obtained. Most often suggested is dipping into the \$30 million dollar post war reserve. Less frequently discussed, but apparently more popular, is to reduce allocations for long range permanent improvements at state institutions.

None except most optimistic sponsors of the idea see much hope for the Foundation Plan of state-county participation in school operation costs. Backers of the original plan have themselves proposed amendments which tend to destroy the principle sought—participation by counties on basis of ability to pay. Opponents of the idea say with that principle out, there can be no justification for the system which, they contend, would impose land taxes for school maintenance.

These school issues are the biggest but there are other controversial matters pending. Among them are bills to reorganize the highway and utilities commissions. Opinion prevails among experienced legislators that these can be disposed of quickly, once the big appropriation bill is out of the way.

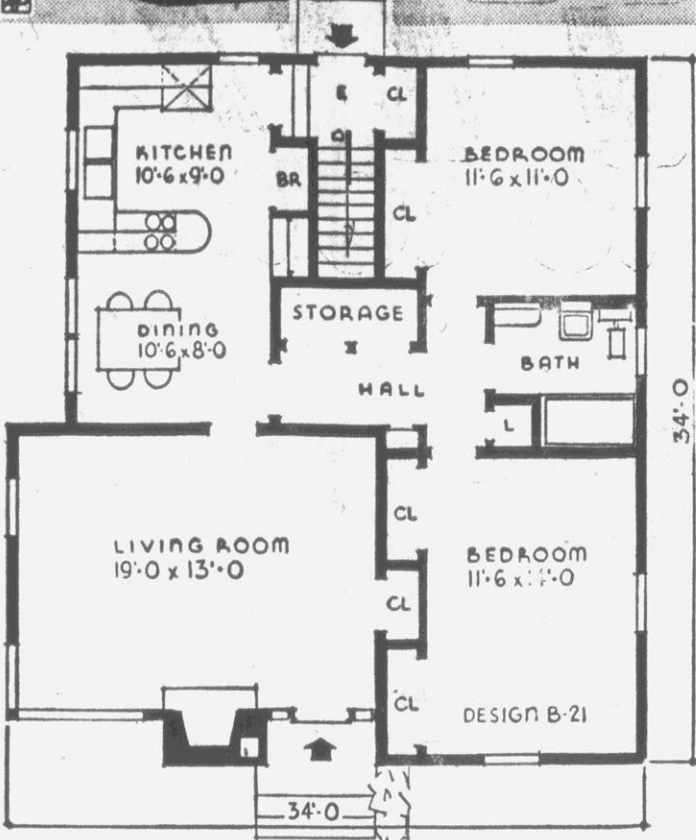
Sympathetic

Atlantic City, N.J., March 14.—(AP)—"God help me for hitting you," the post card read, "but I haven't the strength to give myself up."

The unsigned card was among some 1,000 greeting cards Eddie Devlin got yesterday on his seventh birthday. Eddie was released from Atlantic City Hospital last night after being struck down by a hit-and-run driver.

Mrs. Frank Devlin, the boy's mother, turned the card over to police. She said she was just sorry for the person who sent it. "He must be going through terrible torture," she said.

HOMES FOR AMERICANS



AP Newsfeatures
WHAT EVERY WOMAN WANTS—closet space—is featured in this house. In addition to large wardrobes in the bedrooms, there is a coat closet at each entrance, a broom closet and storage cabinet in the kitchen, a linen closet and large storage space off the hall. The latter is 6x3 ft., large enough for storage of such items as sewing machine and golf bags. This plan, B-21, by the Small House Planning Bureau, St. Cloud, Minn., is adaptable for basement or slab construction. The cellar stairway space offers room for a heater. The house covers an area of 1,084 square feet, and with a 7'7" basement ceiling and 8'3" first floor ceiling, it has a cubic content of 22,690 cubic feet. These figures can be used for local estimates.

Chinese Pursued Fleeing Robber; Cut Him Down

New York, March 12.—(AP)—Two Chinese charged into gunfire early today, and, with kitchen knives, hacked a fleeing holdup man so badly that he collapsed a few blocks away.

Police said the gunman, Joseph Molinaro, 41, seized \$30 in a restaurant on Eighth Avenue, Jack Wong, 24, a waiter, pursued him, swinging a kitchen knife. Leon B. Sney, the restaurant owner, joined the chase.

Police said Wong dropped after being shot twice in the stomach. Sney then overtook Molinaro, police said, and hacked at him with a meat cleaver. Molinaro collapsed, bleeding from his wounds. He was arrested.

Women Confess To Shoplifting On Dixie Tour

Gastonia, N.C., March 11.—(AP)—Police Detective L. G. Haskett said today that two women arrested yesterday had admitted shop-lifting throughout the South.

Both were charged with grand larceny.

They were booked as Mrs. Dolly Bailey, 52, of Texarkana, Tex., and Margaret Hultze, 41, of Texarkana, Ark.

Haskett said they had attempted to peddle women's wear at homes along the Gastonia-Kings Mountain highway. He added \$1,000 worth of clothing was found in their car.

The detective said the women admitted having taken suits, dresses, hosiery, lingerie and handbags from department stores in many cities.

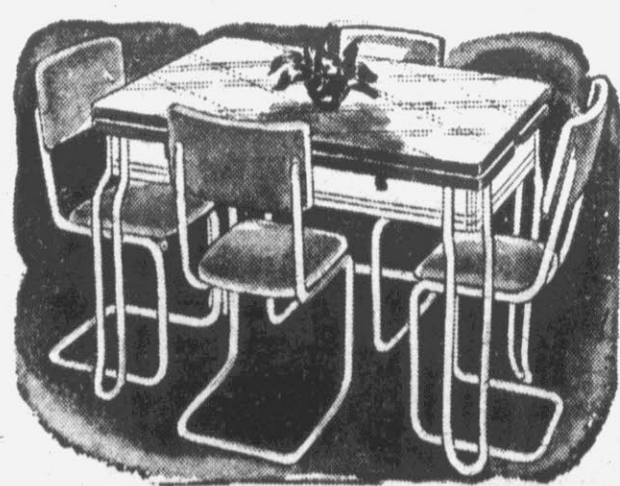
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Send New Troops To Red Sea Port

London, March 12.—(AP)—Britain ordered more troops today to reinforce the British garrison at Aqaba, the Red Sea port which Trans-Jordan claims is threatened by Israeli forces.

The announcement of troop reinforcements was made by the war office after Israeli soldiers were reported only three miles away from Aqaba, on the Palestine side of the desert frontier.

Although Israel and Trans-Jordan signed a cease fire agreement yesterday at Rhodes, the British troops movement underlined the serious view that the London government took of the Israeli move in the Negev desert.

Minister of State Nector McNeil told the House of Commons yesterday King Abdullah's government had reported a frontier clash between Israeli forces and Trans-Jordan police in the region.

In Tel Aviv, Israeli officials denied Jewish forces have crossed the Trans-Jordan frontier or intend any threat to British forces. About 1,000 British troops were sent to Aqaba last January at Abdullah's request under British-Trans-Jordan mutual defense treaty.

The war office refused information on the size of the British reinforcements or where they were sent from. A foreign office spokesman said Israeli troops were reported on the shore of the Gulf of Aqaba, across the Palestine-Trans-Jordan border from Aqaba.

The touchy situation at the head of the Gulf of Aqaba arises from the Israeli claim to the southern sector of the Palestine Negev desert which would give Israel an outlet to the Red Sea.

Ybarbo Sentence Cut To 5 years

Wiesbaden, Germany, March 14.—(AP)—A U.S. Military Government Appeals Court today reduced from 20 to five years the prison sentence imposed on Mrs. Wilma Ybarbo for killing her soldier husband.

The five-judge court confirmed the right of U.S. Military Government courts to try U.S. civilians in occupied Germany. The decision also upheld the right of such courts to try American civilians under German law.

Mrs. Ybarbo, 23-year-old mother from Malden, Mass., was sentenced to 20 years in prison last Dec. 28 by a district Military Government court at Marburg.

She was found guilty under both German and U.S. Military Government law of shooting her husband.

This film is an official War Department film made up of actual scenes of the Pacific war taken by Army, Navy and Marine Corps combat photographers, and also contains some captured Jap film. The film covers the course of the Pacific war from the fall of Corregidor in early 1942 until the signing of the surrender terms aboard the USS Missouri in Tokyo Bay in 1945. There will be no admission charge and the show lasts an hour.

Accuse Suspect In Woods Fire

Rockingham, March 14.—(AP)—A Rockingham man was under charges today, accused of setting a woods fire which burned 10 acres of woodland and threatened several houses.

District Forester J. A. Pippin reported that Lonnie Ledbetter, about 30, had been charged with wilfully setting the fire.

The blaze, put out after a two-hour battle late yesterday, was in the Honey Town mill section near Rockingham.

Joan Bennett Is Now A Grandmother

Hollywood, March 14.—(AP)—Sultry-voiced Joan Bennett at 39 is a grandmother.

A seven-pound girl was born last night to the screen star's eldest daughter, Mrs. Diana Anderson. The father is John Hardy Anderson, aircraft parts manufacturer.

Americans held about \$171 billion dollars worth of life insurance at the end of 1946.

Residents of New York state own more life insurance than those of any other state. Pennsylvanians are second.

More Jobless

Washington, March 14.—(AP)—The coal mine shutdown and layoffs by railroads pushed employment close to the 3,700,000 mark today.

This estimate is based on the government's latest report last Friday that 3,500,000 were jobless then.

The two-week "memorial" mine holiday starting today added about 437,000. Affected railroads furloughed 57,425, boosting the total to 3,694,425.

Appologizes For Drunken Sailors

Havana, Cuba, March 14.—(AP)—U.S. Ambassador Robert Butler has apologized to Cuba for the drunken acts of three U.S. sailors who desecrated the statue of Jose Marti, Cuba's national hero.

The weekend incident caused great indignation in Havana. Cuban students planned a "national day of mourning" over the affront but called it off after Butler apologized and placed a wreath at the statue.

A crowd threatened to lynch the three sailors. Police, arresting them, had to fire into the air to disperse the would-be lynchers.

The trio of tars, along with bystander shipmates, were released to the Navy on condition they be disciplined. Their ship, the minesweeper Rodman, along with other visiting units, left Havana Saturday after the incident.

Sgt. John Ybarbo, of Goliad, Tex., during an argument in their home last fall.

The appeals decision clears the way for her removal to the United States for confinement in a federal prison for women. She had been detained at Bad Wildungen.

Rats destroy or damage 200 million bushels of grain annually.

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 25, 1949, or called on or after February 25, 1949.

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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Having this day qualified as executor of the estate of M. G. Vainright, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said decedent, to exhibit itemized and verified statements of account to the undersigned on or before the 8th day of March 1950, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment to the executor.

This 8th day of March, 1949.
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Arthur B. Corey, Attorney.
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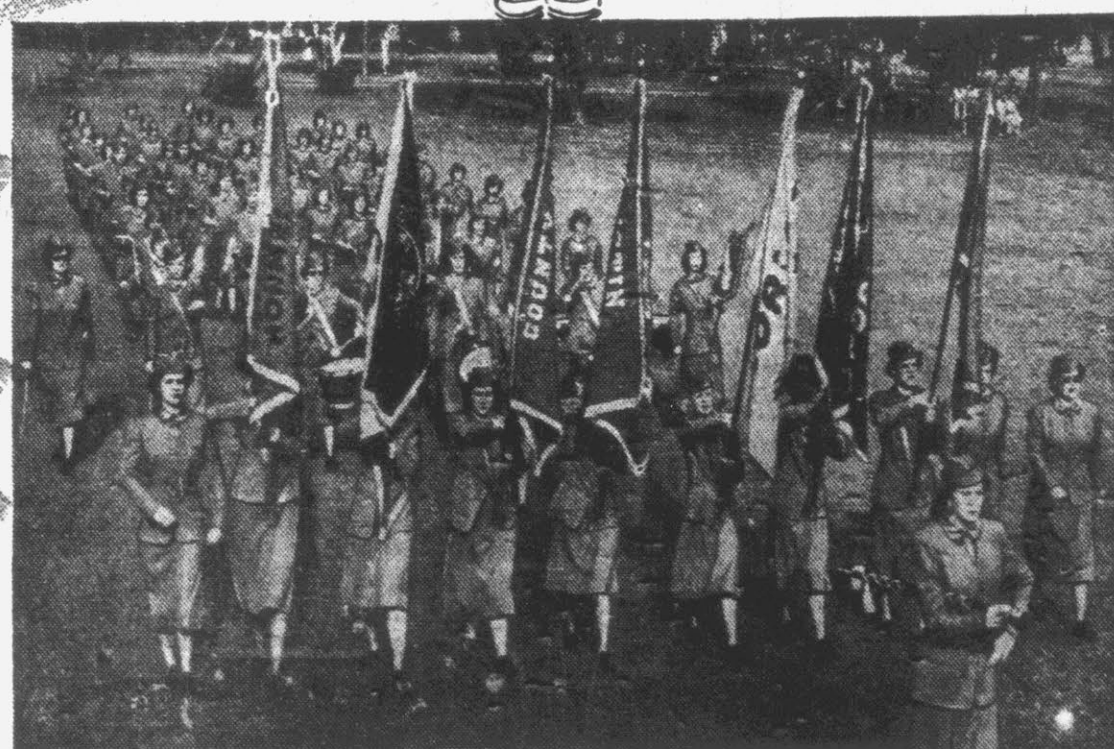


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Dropped Curves And Righthander Becomes Starter

Orlando, Fla., March 14—(AP)—Some pitchers spend years learning how to throw a curve but Rae Scarborough, Washington's 15-game winner, hit the jackpot by junking his jug handle twister.

"I was just another pitcher until I found out I couldn't use my big curve," said Scarborough today. "When I got it over it was great but more often the hitter would let it go by for a ball. I finally had to drop it."

Last spring Mr. Griffith (Clark Griffith, Washington owner), Manager Joe Kuhel and Coach Clyde Milan got me to working on a sharp curve. It doesn't break as far as my old one but it's faster and I can get it over. You wouldn't exactly call it a slider but it works something like that.

"Pitching is all in learning how. It took me years to find out that you can't throw too fast when you're behind that hitter. You've got to get that ball over the plate. If you don't know that, you can't ever expect to get any results."

Ted Williams, Joe DiMaggio and some of the better hitters in the American League will tell you that Scarborough certainly has learned the "know how" of pitching. His earned run average of 2.82 was among the five lowest in the league and he consistently beat the contending teams.

It was Scarborough who handed the Red Sox a costly setback during the final week of the season when he beat Joe Dobson at Fenway Park. As it turned out that one loss was enough to force the tie playoff that sent Boston to the pennant.

Griffith was deluged by offers for Scarborough all winter but he refused to part with the 30-year-old righthander. "Griff" stuck with Rae through several mediocre seasons and wasn't giving him up after his first real winning year.

NAIB Title For Hamline Quintet

Kansas City, March 14—(P)—Hamline's Piped Pipers won their second national intercollegiate (NAIB) basketball championship mainly because they played a near-perfect game of controlling the ball.

The Pipers, led by Hal Haskins and Vern Mikkelsen, bowled over Regis College of Denver, 57-46, Saturday night for their fifth victory in six days and the National Association of Intercollegiate Basketball's tournament crown.

All-Star Coach

Montgomery, Ala., March 14—(P)—Carl Snavely, North Carolina's head football coach, already has a post season game booked this year.

Snavely has agreed to serve as coach of the Southern team in the annual blue-gray classic here next December.

Snavely will thus become the second coach in the game's history to tutor both teams. He first coached the Northern All-Stars several years ago while at Cornell.

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Says Boxing Game Now At Its 'Lowest Depths'

Chicago, March 14—(AP)—Joseph Triner, aggressive 54-year-old Chicago businessman, takes over again tomorrow as chairman of the newly appointed Illinois State Athletic Commission.

Triner knows the inside, and the ups and downs of professional boxing and wrestling. As a youngster he fought and wrestled professionally and was chairman of the commission from 1933 to 1941.

Triner says boxing is at its lowest depths and that it will require hard work to re-establish it.

"Present day boxers are not like the old timers," Triner observed. "The fighters of other days fought because they were hungry. . . they trained . . . they were in condition . . . and their parents offered no objection to the sport because it meant a living."

He proposes to engage an experienced trainer to serve as his gymnasium inspector. This part he regards as important, since the inspector must watch and report on all training activities and be a qualified judge of condition.

Triner's associates on the commission will be Ralph Metcalf, 37, famous former Negro sprinter, and Louis R. Raddiada, co-director of athletics for the Chicago Catholic youth organization.

Sets Record For Motorcycle Race

Daytona Beach, Fla., March 14—(P)—A young farm boy from Groveport, Ohio, set a new record of 85.88 miles an hour in winning the 200-mile national motorcycle championship race yesterday.

Dick Klamfoth took first money of \$2,500. Last year he was second to Don Evans of San Bernardino, Calif., in the 100-mile amateur event. Evans repeated for his title Saturday.

Civil Court Terms March 21 And 28

Judge Clawson L. Williams will preside over a civil term of Superior Court in Greenville the week of March 21. He also will preside over a criminal term of court the week of March 28. The criminal docket contains numerous important cases, including two charging murder.

Fireworks Start In Players Suits

New York, March 14—(AP)—Legal fireworks start popping today in moves to break down organized baseball's reserve clause.

Frederic A. Johnson, attorney for Danny Gardella, said he would seek a federal court writ today restoring the former Giants' outfielder to active play until his \$300,000 suit against the game is settled.

Tomorrow two other major league players suspended for jumping to the Mexican League—Max Lanier and Fred Martin, both former St. Louis Cardinals pitchers—will seek reinstatement pending settlement of their damage suits amounting to \$2,500,000.

Officers of the game have been directed to show cause tomorrow why bans on Lanier and Martin shouldn't be lifted immediately and why the players shouldn't be permitted to dicker on contracts not containing the reserve clause.

Jeers, Cheers Expert Training

West Palm Beach, Fla., March 14—(AP)—Pete Adels, whose leather-lunged cheering and jeering is almost a tradition at Philadelphia major league baseball games, has arrived at the Athletic's training camp.

To everyone's surprise, Pete was remarkably quiet yesterday. "I came down here for spring training," explained Pete. "And I read where trainers advise everyone to take it easy at the start."

Below Freezing

The Greenville area continued in the grip of low temperatures, compared to the balmy weather which prevailed here the latter part of February and the first few days of March. The Weather Bureau thermometer here registered 27 degrees at 8 a. m. today. The coldest day of the winter was the day after Christmas, when the mercury dropped to 18 degrees above zero.

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There are six cities in the league: New Bern, Kinston, Smithfield, Farmville, Tarboro and Greenville. Play is conducted on a system of home-and-home games.

Golfer Turnesa Runs For Mayor

New York, March 14—(AP)—Willie Turnesa, the U.S. amateur golf champion, has a big test coming up tomorrow—and his mother-in-law's putter and trusty Sand Wedge won't do him a bit of good.

He's running for mayor of his home town—the cozy township of Elmsford, N.Y., population 3,078. "If I'm elected I won't have to give up competitive golf," the little 35-year-old ironmaster declared. "The mayor's duties are not full-time—just a couple of meetings a month."

Turnesa, who is a member of a fire extinguisher firm, is running on the Citizens ticket against the incumbent, George McElroy.

As the country's top-ranking amateur, twice winner of the National and once victor in the British Amateur, he is a cinch to head the U.S. team against England in the Walker Cup matches at Mamaroneck, N.Y., Aug. 19-20.

He isn't certain but if things work out he'll play in the British Amateur at Postmaroneck, Ireland, starting May 23. He won the crown in 1947 after sending out a hurried call for his mother-in-law's putter.

Co-Champs Meet In Play-Off Tilt

Kansas City, March 14 (AP)—Oklahoma and Nebraska, co-champions of big seven conference basketball meet here tonight in the first of two play-offs leading to a district NCAA berth.

Tonight's winner will meet coach Hank Iba's Oklahoma A. and M. Aggies, Missouri Valley conference titlist, Wednesday in a playoff for the fifth district.

Pittsburgh Club 'Seeing Doubles'

San Bernardino, Calif., March 14—(AP)—The Pittsburgh Pirates are seeing double these days—two-base hits, that is.

Turning back the Chicago Cubs today, the Bucs blasted out

Overtime Period In Football Ties

Durham, March 14—(AP)—Officials of the North Carolina High School Athletic Association hope they've hit a formula to relieve the football games, the old bug-a-boo in determining playoff championships, were taken up at a meeting of the association's board of control during the weekend.

It was ruled that in the case of a tie in a football playoff, a special eight-minute period will be played. If the game remains tied at the end of that period, the winner will be the team gaining the most yardage during the extra period.

The officials ruled that a rained-out baseball game which is important to the championship status of any team will be rescheduled for the same field where the game was originally planned.

L. J. (Hap) Perry, executive secretary of the association, reported that the plan of combining the class B, A and AA basketball championship tournaments into one event has bettered the association's financial picture. Officials agreed to continue the present method of conducting these tournaments.

four two-base blows. The first two, by Ralph Kiner and Les Fleming, scored their first run and the second pair—hit by Stan Rojek and Walt Judnich—produced the final two tallies.

Mort Cooper Is Back On Mound

Los Angeles, March 14—(P)—Mort Cooper will make his first appearance in a comeback project today by taking the hill for a three-inning pitching stint for the Chicago

Prospects Of White Sox Poor, But Onslow Digs In

Pasadena, Calif., March 14—(AP)—

Jack Onslow, who agreed moodily during the winter to try to jockey the Chicago White Sox out of the American League cellar, started off by ordering all wives and automobiles out of his training camp.

Whether this will prove sufficient to counteract the fact that Onslow has almost no big league ball players to manage is open to reasonable doubt. But it can at least be taken to mean that Onslow intends to die with his boots on.

As successor to the popular Ted Lyons, the 50-year-old pilot faces a task that might well daunt a much younger man. Despite the 21 "new faces" added to the Sox roster by General Manager Frank Lane during the winter, the club plainly faces another dreary season.

Shortstop Luke Appling, undoubtedly the best athlete the Sox own, will observe his 40th birthday just before the season opens. With due respect to Appling, a great competitor, the fact that he still is

Abrams' Hitting Highlights Game

Miami, March 14—(AP)—Rookie Cal Abrams' healthy hitting is one of the highlights of the Brooklyn Dodgers' spring training.

The Brooklyn outfielder laced out four of the Dodgers' nine hits yesterday—including a homer and a grounds-rule double—as Brooklyn won their second straight from the Boston Braves, 6-0.

Johnny Sain, Boston's ace hurler, was the victim.

cubs against the St. Louis Browns. Cooper, who weighed 249 pounds in his last National League game, is now barely above 200.

the bellow speaks vividly of the club's prospects.

In the winter's big turnover Frank Papish, considered by many baseball men the White Sox's best pitcher, went to the champion Cleveland Indians for a pair of minor league curvers named Ernest Groth and Bob Kuava. That way is not out of the basement.

Pat Seery, the rotund outfielder who punched 19 homers last year when he wasn't striking out, reported to camp so "grossly overweight" that Onslow at first glance thought he was looking at two men. Seery stands a good chance of losing a regular job, as the club at least has several rookie gardeners who might hit.

Heart Condition Affects Player

Phoenix, Ariz., March 14—(AP)—Bill Rigney was hospitalized today because of a heart condition but the New York Giants' second baseman may be playing baseball again in about a week.

The Giants' physician said he believed the heart condition was brought on by nervousness.

The star infielder collapsed yesterday while resting in the clubhouse. Earlier he had complained of pains and faintness after the fourth inning of an exhibition game here between the Giants and the Cleveland Indians.

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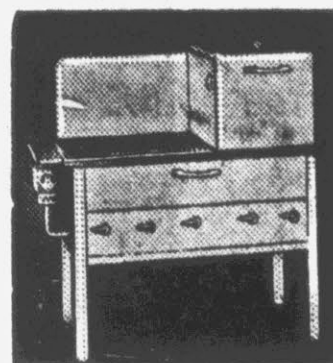
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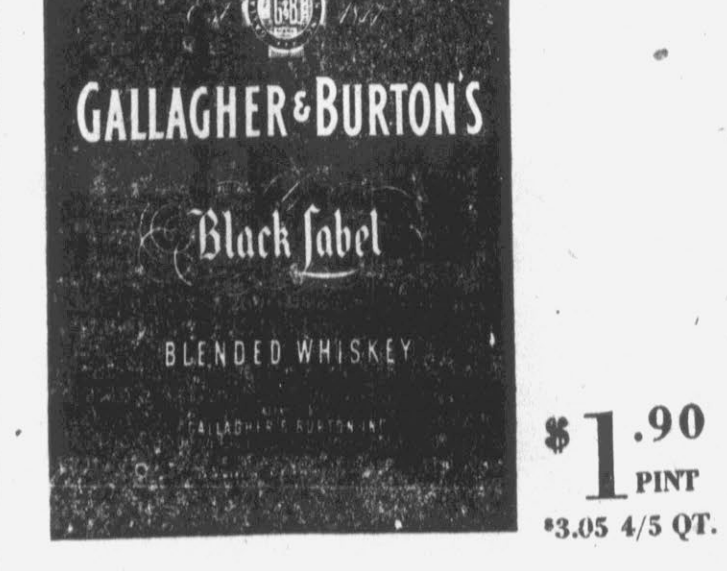


But for Don Gohrmann's brilliant winning effort in the Wanamaker Mile, feature event of the Millrose Games, the visiting foreign aces would have made a clean sweep of the distance races on the board tracks this winter. The slim 130-pound University of Wisconsin junior beat Willy Slykhuis of the Netherlands in his only eastern race of the season in 4:09.5.

Gohrmann became America's No. 1 miler in the wake of Gil Dodd's retirement. Last year, Don swept all the mile and 1,500-meter championships en route to the Olympic games. He won the big nine mile in 4:15.9, the Central Collegiate conference mile in 4:19.2 the National

Collegiate A. A. 1,500 meters in 3:54.3 and the final Olympic tryout 1,500 meters in 3:52.2. In the Olympic 1,500-meter final where he was America's only representative, Don placed seventh on a rain-soaked track.

A stylish runner with a great stretch drive which he flashed to take the measure of Slykhuis in the Wanamaker Mile, Gohrmann also has won at a half mile and two miles, and is the Big Nine cross-country champion. Even with his limited experience on the boards he has managed to capture two outstanding indoor mile classics—the 1948 Bankers Mile in Chicago and the New York Wanamaker.



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added. "Strangers to me. Both are
big men."

That would be Ruden, for one,
of course. Don Fernando hastened
on deck to halt suddenly. It seemed
odd to Martinez that the sight of
them should drive the blood from
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torted, stung.
Dikkon cut in before Bashan could
answer.

"We've agreed there is no feud
with Don Fernando now," he re-
minded. "Keep it in mind."

"Then he'd better produce his
double, for I intend to kill one of
them," Bashan growled.
Dikkon's smile was bland, as he
helped himself to a chair.

"Since we seem likely to be re-
lated," Don Fernando, we are agreed
that it would be unseemly to murder
each other," he explained.

"You mean, Irene?" Don Fer-
nando asked, warily.

"In part, at least."

"I'm glad to hear that your suit
prosperes," Don Fernando murmured.
Curiosity overcame him. "You are
just from the shore. I had expected
some move from them, before this."

Dikkon laughed.

"Probably there would have been,
if we hadn't arrived," he agreed.

"They were discussing ways of get-
ting at you, but finding it not easy
to solve. You've probably guessed
that Rivers bamboozled you by sal-
vaging an old cannon from a wreck-
ed longboat, at the fringe of the
lake?"

"Ah!" Don Fernando's smile was
not pleasant. "I had wondered about
that."

"But you didn't care to take a
chance," Dikkon agreed. "And then
we arrived. But don't blame us, Don
Fernando. It was your fault."

"Yours. After all, it is your fault
that the girls are up this way. Now
you must talk business with us."

Don Fernando inclined his head.
The Montforts had friends, and a
signal could be flashed by means of
smoke, or otherwise. Now they ap-
parently had him where they wanted

en. Then he regained some of his
composure. After all, this was his
ship, and his crew was aboard. He
was supreme here.

"Have men with pistols, back out
of sight, keep a constant eye on
them," he instructed. "They are
Dikkon and Bashan Montfort! Al-
low only the two of them aboard.
The boat crew stays in it!"

But he was smiling as they came
on board, noting searchingly that
Bashan seemed nearly well again.
Apparently the wound had been no
more than a pinprick to such as he.
Bashan stopped at the rail and
scowled.

"For once, reports don't lie," he
said. "It's the Spanish pirate him-
self, this time!"

Dikkon paid him no attention.

"It is quite some time since we
met, Don Fernando," he said, hold-
ing out his hand. "But I find you little
changed."

"Do you shake hands with him?"
Bashan demanded. "I'd rather feed
him a foot of steel down his gullet!"

"It is a pleasure to welcome you
here," Don Fernando assured them,
outwardly composed. "Perhaps we
should go to my cabin, to discuss
matters, eh?"

"That would be a good idea. I am
told that Rivers came aboard this
morning—and has not returned?"

"That is so. He was weary, and
at the moment he sleeps."

"Let me at him, and it will be
a lasting sleep," Bashan growled.

"Peace, Bashan," Dikkon said
curtly.

"Peace, is it?" Bashan retorted.
He eyed Don Fernando appraisingly.

"The two of them are much of a
muchness," he added. "I've been dis-
appointed in you, Don Fernando. I
had looked forward to killing you
before this."

"If I had been in Rivers' place,
I wouldn't have been likely to stop
where he did," Don Fernando re-

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U.S. Military Leaders Keeping Close Watch On Formosa Reds

Tokyo, March 14—(AP)—Reported Chinese Communist infiltration into Formosa is being watched closely by U.S. military leaders.

That creaky island north of the Philippines is a major potential weakness in the United States Western Pacific defense line.

In the hands of an enemy equipped with air power Formosa could be used to cut vital American shipping lines. It could springboard heavy assaults on nearby Okinawa, the keystone of advance American bases.

Well informed circles in Tokyo say Communist infiltration of the island has already begun. Red agents have joined the rush of Chinese from the mainland who have transformed the island's main centers into boom towns. The Nationalist government had counted on Formosa as a possible place of final refuge.

American authorities say Communist influence is negligible at the moment. But they leave no doubt of their interest in assuring that Formosa remains in friendly hands regardless of developments on the Chinese mainland.

The island is a natural for aerial threats against the Philippines and Japan. Japan used it as a springboard for the first assault on the Philippines. And throughout most of the war Formosa's airfields dealt blows to allied forces.

Okinawa, 400 miles northwest of Formosa, is America's main point within range of Siberian industrial areas. Enemy attacks from Formosa or South China could make Okinawa a hot spot.

Lying athwart the sealanes to

southeast Asia, Formosa would become more important if the Communist tide turned that way.

Strategists here say it that happens it will be proof that the Chinese Communists are following the Kremlin party line.

American interest in Formosa is heightened by the delicate political situation there. Associated Press photographer Charles Gorry, who just returned from there, said virtually every Formosan he met told him the islands wished the United States would take over.

"If they don't send the Japanese back," the islanders told Gorry. "Anything is better than the Chinese."

The Japanese held Formosa for 50 years—from 1895 until the end of the Pacific war. Then it was returned to China, which has ceded it to Japan after the Sino-Japanese war.

Perhaps only the Koreans exceeded the Formosans in their expressed hatred for the Japanese at the close of the Pacific war. They changed quickly when Chinese administrators took over the island and, the Formosans said, looted it ruthlessly.

This sort of situation has proved fertile for Communists, especially in Asia. If the Chinese Nationalist government eventually settles in Formosa, it may find itself in a hot box. U.S. authorities frankly are concerned about that, too.

The modern public health movement was started in England in 1848 with passage of the first Public Health Act and setting up of the first General Board of Health in London.

Confiscated

Key West, Fla., March 14—(AP)—The White House today confiscated films of news reel cameramen. Still photographers destroyed their film rather than permit confiscation after a picture-taking flight over Key West.

Representatives of Paramount News, NBC Television, the Associated Press, International News Photos and Acme News Pictures made the flight in a Navy air ship.

They made pictures of President Truman in swimming at the enlisted men's beach, of the President and his party waving from the beach, general views of Key West and of the commandant's quarters which Mr. Truman uses as the "temporary White House" while on vacation here.

Chas. A. White New President Of Music Club

Charles A. White of Greenville will serve as president of the Greenville Music Club during next year. Mr. White was unanimously elected at a recent meeting of the group, along with seven other officers who will head activities of the club.

Since the organization of the civic group last year, Mr. White has been an active member and a leader in the work of the club. He will succeed Mrs. Rudolph R. Willmann, president since the organization was begun in January 1948.

Others who were elected to office and who will serve with Mr. White are George Perry, first vice president; Mrs. J. Knott Proctor, second vice president; Mrs. J. A. Karsnak, recording secretary; Mrs. Agnes Settle, corresponding secretary; Mrs. L. E. Tyler, secretary for the North Carolina Federation of Music Clubs; J. L. Oppelt, treasurer; and Ruth Lambie, reporter-historian.

More farm machinery rusts out than wears out.

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Ingrid Bergman starred as Joan pleads with Jose Ferrer, her newly crowned king, in scene from the dramatic spectacle, "Joan of Arc" opening Pitt Tuesday. Film produced in color by Technicolor.

Hindenburg Now 'Odd Job Man'

Hamburg, Germany, March 14—(AP)—Maj. Gen. Oscar Von Hindenburg, son of the former German President, was described before a denazification court today as an "odd job man" who eke out a living running errands.

Hindenburg is being tried at his own request so that his bank account can be freed. As an alleged Nazi sympathizer, Hindenburg's funds are frozen. The account amounts to \$600.

Claims Offer Of Ambassadorship

New York, March 14—(AP)—Clement J. Ryan, multi-millionaire civic reformer, said today he had been offered the ambassadorship to France if he would "lay off" his bitter campaign against the administration of Mayor William O'Dwyer. Ryan said the offer came from

Benjamin Sonnenberg, public relations counselor. Sonnenberg promptly denied the statement. Ambassadors are appointed by the President subject to Senate confirmation.

Community Chapel Ruritans Enjoy Supper Meeting

The Community Chapel Ruritan Club, at its supper meeting, Friday night at Resper's place on the Bethel Highway, with President S. T. Porter, Jr., presiding, heard an interesting talk by J. H. Waldrop on "The Betterment of Our Country."

A roundtable discussion of current events by all of the members was a feature of the meeting. Chairman H. L. Cannon reported that the Ruritan Club Committee, has arranged for the Ruritan members to attend in a body service at three churches during the year, starting with New Salem Church in Simpson on March 20, at 7:30.

Guests of the Ruritan Club were Alton Gardner and Marvin Smith, Wayland Porter and Connie Baxley.

ECTC Editor Is Named To Group

Carl Conner of Windsor, editor of the "Teco Echo," student newspaper at East Carolina Teachers College, was elected at a meeting of the Columbia Scholastic Press Association in New York City last weekend as a member of the executive committee of the Associated Teachers College Press, a branch of the Columbia Association. Conner is one of six members of the committee and represents teachers colleges in North Carolina, Virginia, and South Carolina. His duties will include keeping in touch with editors and staffs of papers in the three states and assisting with plans for next year's conference to be held in New York in the spring of 1950.

At the recent meeting of the Columbia Scholastic Press Association, the "Teco Echo" won a first-place rating among papers published by students in teachers colleges. The paper was judged by a group of national authorities in the field of journalism. The rating was based on features, content, news coverage, and typography.

Representing East Carolina Teachers College at the New York meeting last week, in addition to Conner, were William Lloyd of Thomasville, sports editor, and Curtis Nichols of Greenville, associate editor. Approximately 6, students from colleges and universities throughout the United States attended the press conference.

Conner is now a sophomore at East Carolina Teachers College. During two years spent at the college, he has been a member of the staff of the "Teco Echo." Last year he served as associate editor and in the spring was chosen by the Student Publication Board as editor for the 1948-1949 term. During the summer term of 1948 he was managing editor of the paper, and next year he will again head the staff of the paper.

Alliance . . .

(Continued from page one) armed pact-signers in no time. Some friends of the pact argue this:

Our joining—which means Russia would know she'd have to face us if she attacked our allies—would deter her from attacking.

They consider that the central, and most important, part of the pact. All this is a long step from our old-time neutrality which kept us out of world wars I and II so long. But we've been moving steadily in this direction since the end of World War II.

We've joined the United Nations, set up the Marshall plan to help western Europe, thrown help and money into Greece and Turkey under the Truman plan to stop Russia, and have occupation troops in Germany, Austria, Trieste, Japan and Korea.

Socialists . . .

(Continued from page one) closely. In other words, the Socialists knew what they were shooting for.

That program, of course, has represented a tremendous turnover for England, since a very considerable degree of nationalization has been carried out. This includes coal mining, the Bank of England, electric power, communications, and transportation. The all important steel industry is in process of being nationalized. Most controversial of all has been the socialization of medicine, covering all sorts of treatment.

So the public has had a comprehensive sample of Socialist wars. And the government figures that, since a majority of the voters continue to express approval in by-elections, they must be willing to carry on.

Whether that is true remains to be demonstrated. There are indications that a wholesale continuation of nationalization might produce an adverse reaction.

In this connection Mr. Williams says he believes the next five year plan will include much less nationalization than has been carried out in the first period. He thinks the new program will center on industrial democracy, that is, with workers having more importance in relation to management.

Naturally events might produce a

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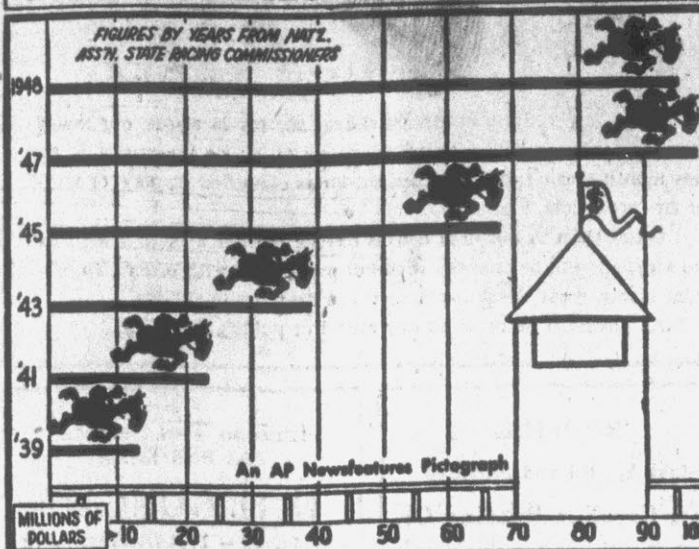
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sharp change in political trends before the next general election. However, this much we can say:

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In short, Britain's very way of life will be at stake.

N.Y. Cotton

New York, March 14—(AP)—Cotton futures opened unchanged to 25 cents a bale lower.

Noon prices were 40 to 5 cents a bale lower than the previous close. March 32.21, May 31.98 and July 30.84.

Hog Market

Raleigh, Mar. 14—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog prices steady to slightly weaker. Tups of \$18.75 at Rocky Mount; \$19 at Kingston, Tarboro, Greenville, Wilson Goldsboro and Washington.

Poultry and Eggs

Raleigh, Mar. 14—(AP)—(NCDA)—Fryers and broilers slightly stronger at 28; eggs steady. A large 43.

N.Y. Stock Market

New York, March 14—(AP)—Stocks rocked along in a quiet market today with price changes confined to a narrow range.

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