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Doughton Plans Run Again For Seat In Congress

87-Year-Old Campaigner Announces He Will Seek 21st Consecutive Term

Sparta, N. C. Feb. 1.—(AP)—Rep. Robert L. Doughton, 87-year-old chairman of the House Ways and Means committee, announced today he would seek his 21st consecutive term in Congress.

Thus Doughton upset predictions in some political quarters that he would not run again. He announced in the 1948 campaign, when Republicans controlled Congress, that he would not seek reelection.

The angular, bald Doughton first took his seat in the House March 4, 1911. Only one man, Rep. Sabbath (D-Ill.) has served longer.

Sabbath took his seat March 4, 1907.

No Democratic opponent has announced for Doughton's seat.

Doughton represents the ninth North Carolina district, composed of Alexander, Alleghany, Ashe, Cabarrus, Caldwell, Iredell, Rowan, Stanley and Watauga counties.

Along with Reps. Vinson (D-Ga.) Sabbath and Rayburn (D-Texas) he has served through two World Wars.

He became chairman of the Ways and Means committee, which first handles tax bills, when President Franklin D. Roosevelt and the Democratic party swept into power in 1931. He spearheaded the nation's biggest tax bills in history.

Doughton is a tireless worker. He usually goes to his office about 7 a. m. and frequently works into the night. He is a widower.

"In defense to the urgent request and insistence and to the apparent overwhelming sentiment of the people of the district I have long represented in Congress I shall be a candidate for reelection subject to the primary.

"I do this with much reluctance because it has been my sincere desire to retire from public life at the end of my present term Dec. 31, 1950."

Postal Receipts Continue Reveal Large Increase

Receipts of the Greenville post office for January showed an increase of more than \$1,500 over the receipts for January 1949.

The figures on the postal receipts for Greenville during the past month released today by Assistant Postmaster Luther Whitehurst showed the local post office business during January amounted to \$12,663.24. During the corresponding month during 1949 the postal receipts were \$11,093.77.

During 1949 the Greenville post office had the largest year in its history as postal receipts for the 12 months' period total more than \$146,000.

AFL Chieftains Hint Political Fund Is Lagging

Miami Beach, Fla., Feb. 1.—AFL leaders drew up 1950 political plans today with some hints they are worried about raising campaign funds.

The time is still early for the fall Congressional election races, but contributions from AFL members haven't been coming in as fast as expected.

A drive for \$2 contributions for the AFL's political branch, labor's league for political education, has brought in only about \$50,000 so far, it is reported. This is just a little more than the \$35,000 expenses in putting on the contribution drive since it was started in October.

Public Housing Work

Multi-Billion Dollar Federal Programs Getting Under Way; More Communities Being Added To List Seeking Gov't Aid; Slum Clearance Projects Slower

By BILL ROSS

Washington, Feb. 1.—(AP)—The nation's new multi-billion dollar federal housing and slum clearance programs are getting under way.

Wheels started turning last fall when Congress OK'd legislation for housing projects for low income families. Another bill was enacted setting up a long-range master plan for slum clearance.

It's taken several months to set up the machinery. Now, however, the gears are meshing.

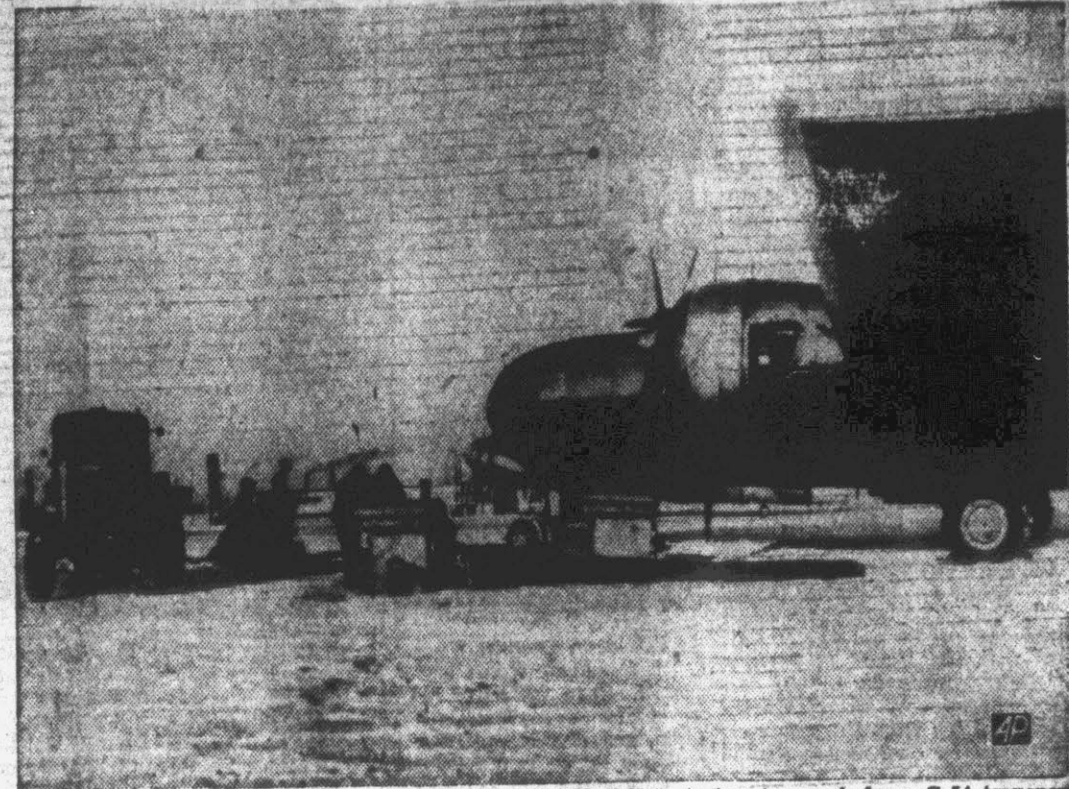
More and more communities daily are being added to the list of those asking for, or now about to receive, a share of the government aid.

So far the government, under the housing program, has approved construction of 275,000 new dwelling units during the next two years. The buildings will be largely apartments and all are earmarked for low-price rentals.

Slum clearance projects have been slower. To date just seven cities have received go-ahead on specific developments.

Administrator Raymond M. Foley of the housing and home finance agency, which supervises both programs, reports that at least 200

Plane Loaded To Search For 44 Lost In Wilds



Rescue crews load equipment aboard a B-29 at Great Falls, Mont., to join in search for a C-54 transport which vanished Thursday with 44 persons aboard in snowy wastes of Alaska. The missing ship disappeared in flight from Anchorage, Alaska, to Great Falls. (AP Wirephoto).

Weak Radio Signals Picked Up In Area Where C-54 Is Missing

Dwindling Hopes For Safety Of 44 Persons On Plane Lost In Far North Are Revived

Whitehorse, Y. T., Feb. 1.—(AP)—Search headquarters confirmed here today that weak radio signals had been picked up in the area where a USAF C-54 disappeared six days ago with 44 persons aboard.

Capt. E. G. Nogar, attached to the search operations office, confirmed the report and said full details had been filed with the coordinating headquarters here.

No investigation of the signals has yet been attempted, he said, but planes will comb the area, 139 miles northwest of Fort Nelson, B.C. at daybreak today.

Word of the signals, first denied by search officials, revived faint hopes that some of the 44 persons missing aboard the lost plane may be alive.

The signal was reported heard over the Smith River, 132 miles northwest of here and 25 miles inside British Columbia from the Yukon Territory border.

The area is in the southern perimeter of the search area for the plane which has been missing nearly a week.

The missing C-54 transport disappeared last Thursday afternoon while en route from Anchorage, Alaska, to Great Falls, Mont. Most of those aboard were enlisted men returning to the U.S. It also carried one expectant mother and a small child, and eight crewmen.

As the hunt went into its sixth day, more than 50 planes droned over the vast frozen expanse with pilots, crewmen and observers scanning the unbroken snowfields.

Meanwhile, six persons who miraculously survived the crash of a search plane Monday were resting at Camp McRae, nine miles south of Whitehorse. None was injured seriously.

Five of the men were bundled into sleeping bags and brought to Camp McRae yesterday on stretcher-sleds after the pilot of the crashed C-47, Lt. Charles R. Harden of Graham, N.C., struggled eight miles through waist-deep snow in near zero weather to reach a Yukon highway and report the near tragedy.

Commanders Ask Added Strength In Asiatic Area

Tokyo, Feb. 1.—(AP)—General MacArthur's top commanders today asked America's joint chiefs of staff for more air, sea and land strength to hold defense lines in tumultuous Asia.

Highly competent sources said the need for additional powers was stressed during an intensive briefing at MacArthur's command. They said the military situation has deteriorated alarmingly.

Pitt Democrats At Party Rally Agree It A Success

Regardless of what Democrats of the state at large think about the outcome of last Saturday's Jackson Day Dinner, the Pitt County delegation was in accord in thinking the day wound up a huge success with the State Democratic party still whole.

None of the delegates who were questioned yesterday and Monday had any bitter comments as to how the meetings and banquet—the fait accompli—was handled. They all thought Jonathan Daniels, national committeeman in charge of arrangements, did a good job, even though there were more persons with tickets than there were seats in the banquet room.

Gilbert Peele of Greenville was of the opinion that even though there were more tickets than seats, the persons attending should have known that the situation would evolve itself into a first-come-first-served affair and that anyone left out in the mezzanine had brought

it on himself through his own negligence. Peele thought Agriculture Commissioner R. Y. "Stag" Ballentine, who blamed the lack of seats day long on Daniels, should not have been "entitled to a choice seat any more than the rest of us."

"Ballentine is a direct beneficiary of funds being raised," Peele said yesterday, "and it looks to me like he'd be the last one in the state to complain about the situation."

Peele thought the former lieutenant governor's statement that Daniels was running the show "to promote Daniels" was entirely untrue because "anybody knows that Harry Truman would give Daniels about anything he wants." However, he thought the committeeman shouldn't have sold more than the regular county quota of tickets.

Commenting on Ballentine's statement, which was quoted in Sunday morning papers, Dr. Paul Jones of Farmville said "he just blew his top" and that it was "a fuss within the family which will blow over in time."

Jones did not think state party solidarity was affected in any way.

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Notice To City Subscribers

In order to assure our subscribers against missing a single issue of the paper our circulation department will be open each evening from 6 to 6:30 to receive complaints and make deliveries of any missed issues.

Except on rare occasions when there may be a delay at our office, all city subscribers should receive their deliveries by six o'clock.

If you have not received your paper by six o'clock or a few minutes thereafter please call 3356 giving your name and address and if more than one subscriber lives at the address, whether one or more papers were missed.

Complaints will be received until 6:30, after which deliveries will be made by special messenger. After that hour the department will be closed for the day and no further complaints will be received or deliveries made.

We are setting up in an effort to assure the best possible service to our subscribers and your cooperation by calling during the prescribed period will be appreciated.

CIO Conducts Probe Members

Four Unions Must Clear Charges Or Be Expelled

Pittsburgh, Feb. 1.—(AP)—The CIO is putting four member unions through the wringer. If the labor groups fail to clear themselves of a charge of Communist domination they may be expelled.

Six other CIO unions are listed for future investigations behind closed doors.

The labor organizations also are accused of resisting CIO control and with attacking CIO officials and policies.

The Farm Equipment Workers and the big United Electrical Workers were thrown out of the CIO at the 1949 convention. The CIO set up a new Electrical Union—the CIO International Union of Electrical Workers—which now is waging a battle with the UE for control of about a half million unionists.

Convention delegates directed "fact finding" investigations of the other 10 unions.

"These unions which are charged with being dominated by the Communist party and its agents are being given full opportunity to present the facts to refute the charges," CIO President Philip Murray said today.

Unions involved are the United Public Workers, the Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers, the United Office and Professional Workers and the Food, Tobacco and Agriculture Workers. Hearings for the other, unnamed unions will follow later.

Cyclists Warned

A city ordinance requires all owners of bicycles to register them at police headquarters, pay the \$5 fee, receive a license tag and display it on the bicycles.

The police department again today warned parents to have their children's bicycles registered.

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Ten Scouts Chosen For Honorary City Offices

Ten Greenville Boy Scouts will be made honorary officials of the city of Greenville tomorrow night for the board of aldermen's meeting.

Mayor W. S. Stafford recently invited the Scout leaders of the city to select scouts who would sit with the board of aldermen in their session tomorrow night.

The Scouts were selected for the positions of honorary mayor and honorary aldermen on the basis of rank and activeness in scout work.

Jake Higgs, life scout, and Ron Duffin, life scout, were selected as mayor and mayor pro tem. Both Scouts are members of troop 30.

Scouts who will be honorary members of the board of aldermen are: John Russell, star, troop 30; Jimmy Cheatham, first class, troop 36; Curtis Hendrix, first class, troop 30; Clifford Boyd, first class, troop 30; Bobby Starkey, second class, troop 36; Bobby Harrison, second class, troop 33; Preston Jarvis, second

class, troop 36, and Tommy Smith, second class, troop 33.

Jack Dowdy, neighborhood commissioner for the Pitt district, is leading the names of the boys who were selected for the honorary positions said. "These boys from the various troops were selected by their scoutmasters as nearly as possible according to rank from the present active troops and active Scouts."

The meeting with the board of aldermen, the scout officials said, is a portion of the activities planned in connection with Boy Scout week which will be observed during the week of February 6 through 9.

"It is hoped," Dowdy stated, "that this will stimulate the desire for advancement in Greenville scouting, and it is planned to have this an annual event as it should be quite an honor to be an honorary mayor or an honorary member of the city's governing body."

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Denham Carries Coal Slowdown Charge To Court

Seeks Federal Court Action Stop Tactics; No Reply To Truman Appeal

Washington, Feb. 1.—(AP)—The government today argued to a federal court that current coal strikes and slow downs are unfair labor practices. It asked the court to order John L. Lewis and his miners to stop these tactics.

The case is that brought by Robert Denham, National Labor Relations Board counsel.

President Truman has said that Denham acted on his own, but had advised the White House of his intentions.

Mr. Truman since has moved into the coal situation on his own, but along far different lines. He asked yesterday for a 70-day truce while fact-finders look into the dispute that had disrupted production for months.

Neither Lewis, nor the operators had yet replied to Mr. Truman's proposals. He asked an answer by 5 p. m. (EST) Saturday.

Dominick Manoli, counsel for the National Labor Relations Board, opened the argument before Federal District Judge Richmond B. Keach in Denham's case.

Manoli started off by offering a score of exhibits. Heading the list was last week's report from James Boyd, director of the Bureau of Mines, stating that a national crisis exists or shortly will exist unless normal coal output is restored.

Lewis himself was not in court. He had a date, however, to resume negotiations with northern and western coal operators at 2 p. m. (EST) at the Statler Hotel on a mining contract.

The scene in Judge Keach's courtroom was strictly an undramatic one of measured arguments between attorneys.

The complaint is based on operator charges that in decreasing a three-day work week in the mines, Lewis and the UMW were trying to bring pressure to force an illegal contract and were not bargaining collectively.

There was some speculation in advance that the court might delay action, especially since Lewis is to renew contract negotiations with northern and western operators later today.

The miners and the operators meanwhile showed no great haste about replying to Mr. Truman's proposal—sidestepping the Taft-Hartley law that Lewis detests—that the disputants submit their cases to a presidential fact-finding board.

Mr. Truman yesterday asked that they give him their replies by 5 p. m. EST Saturday.

He asked for the resumption of normal coal production for 70 days beginning Monday, during which the board would study the case and report. The board's findings would not be binding on either side.

Hugh Ragsdale, tax lister for the Greenville township, reported more than 400 people listed taxes at the court house in yesterday's last minute rush. More than 4,000 people have listed taxes at the court house so far this year, Auditor and Tax Supervisor Allan T. Powell, Jr. reported.

In Farmville, Lister L. P. Thomas said, "I was just run over yesterday. I had more than I could do." He said a large number of people apparently waited until the last scheduled day before listing taxes.

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L. B. Kinlaw, tax lister for Ayden township, said the listings have been good for the past several days, but he declared, "I don't know whether we'll finish by Friday. I hardly think so." He said the township listings are between 90 per cent and 95 per cent complete, but added that Negro property owners have been slower in listing taxes than the white property owners.

Commissioner J. T. Dupree of Belvoir said this morning the listings in the Belvoir township were heavy yesterday, and there are only a few property owners in the township who have not yet listed taxes. E. G. Dupree is tax lister for Belvoir township.

In Fountain Carl Gay reported yesterday the heaviest listing day since the listing period opened January 3, and added that he expects to finish the listing in the township by the time the extension period ends this week. He reported approximately 475 property owners have listed taxes. He said about 500 people usually list taxes in the Fountain township.

Tax Lister Wayland Hunsucker of the Winterville township reported the number of persons listing in the township already has surpassed the number who listed taxes in the Winterville township last year. Hunsucker said approximately 1,080 people have listed so far compared with about 1,000 who listed last year. He said he expects between 10 and 20 additional listings before the books close.

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The potatoes cost the government an average of about \$1.25 a bushel. Counting throwaway and other pot operations on which it took losses, the government stands to lose a total of \$50,000,000 to \$100,000,000 on last year's crop.

Overwhelming Approval Is Given Super-Bomb Attempt Set Up Defense Atomic Plants

Aerial Guard Lines Being Formed Around Nation's Major Atomic Installations Alerted For Any Attempted Surprise

Washington, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Aerial guard lines, backed by jet fighter planes and anti-aircraft weapons, are being set up around the nation's major atomic plants.

Other precautions, obviously aimed against a possible one-way air attack, are being taken to guard 200 miles of sea off the Atlantic coast from Maine to Norfolk Va.

The defense department, which disclosed these moves yesterday, said "the program will be expanded to other areas as equipment and personnel are available at appropriate sites."

The department stressed that the program is part of long-range air defense planning and "not related to any specific international developments."

However, announcement of the moves came within 24 hours after Secretary of Defense Johnson said in his first annual report that "an attack could come from the opposite hemisphere without warning and with unpredictable fury." At the same time, however, he said the

threat of war has diminished.

At Albuquerque, N. M., last night a Kirtland Air Force base spokesman said three squadrons of 700-mile an hour F-86 jet fighters with full service loads of ammunition are on a constant 24-hour alert.

They are responsible for New Mexico Atomic installations at Los Alamos, Sandia base where atomic weapons are assembled, and Kirtland base, home of the air force's special weapons command.

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Tax Listers Had Late-Hour Rush Great Number Throughout County Awaited Final Day

Tax listing was comparatively slow in the 13 townships of Pitt county today as most of the tax listers reported yesterday one of the heaviest listing days ever experienced in the county.

The listings slacked considerably today as the listing period which originally was scheduled to end yesterday was extended until Friday.

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Washington, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Congress gave overwhelming approval today to the decision to undertake the making of a hydrogen bomb, and put emphasis on speed in doing so.

Through much Capitol Hill comment ran the theme: We can't let Russia get ahead of us.

No announcement by the chief executive in recent months has been hailed with such unanimity of approval as Mr. Truman's statement yesterday that he has directed the Atomic Energy Commission to proceed on the new weapon of destruction.

Many coupled their approval with strong expressions of hope that some way could be found out of the armaments race with Russia. Some thought that the bomb itself in U.S. possession might provide the way.

Senator Millikin (R-Colo.), chairman of the Senate Republican conference and a member of the joint Senate-House Atomic committee, said the President's decision is "a bold and I believe Congress

will support."

Senate Democratic leader Lucas (Ill.) said he concurred "wholeheartedly" with it, adding "I believe the bomb's potential destructive power will bring the people of the world to their senses, to the end that we will have world peace. I pray God that we may never have to use it."

Chairman McMahon (D-Conn.) of the joint Atomic committee said he favored developing the bomb, and urged that it be done with "utmost speed."

One discordant note—and a loud one—was sounded by Rep. Carl Albert (N.Y.) who is a member of the joint Atomic committee. He said is a "brilliant statement."

"For my part I do not approve the decision both because it is a usurpation of congressional authority and because the decision itself is contrary to the recommendations of our country's most competent authorities. This epochal decision goes beyond the security of the United States; the security of mankind is also at stake."

Cole, a World War II Navy veteran, wound up his blast by saying "The President's decision indicates that once more he has muffed the ball."

Senator Ferguson (R-Mich.) said that Mr. Truman was within his executive authority in ordering the AEC to proceed with the bomb. But, he added, the final decision on whether the bomb will be made is up to Congress for Congress must, in the final analysis, provide the money.

Social and Personal

All items for this page received after 10 A. M. will be published the following day. Day 10:00-6 A. M. to Noon; 1 to 4:30 P. M.

40 Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
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Guy Lanier left Monday for Durham.

Mrs. S. T. Hooker left this morning to visit friends in Wilson.

Miss May Bishop, head of the music department at E. C. T. S., is spending this week in Philadelphia.

The Training school pupils in a body were given a look at the town Tuesday afternoon.

With February starting off this way we hope the ground hog will not be able to see his shadow tomorrow.

Square Dance For March of Dimes

There will be a square dance at Belvoir-Parkland high school Thursday night at 8 o'clock for benefit of March of Dimes. Music will be furnished by Levy Evans.

Tomorrow's Gardens

By The Greenville Garden Club

A plan for the garden is of such vital importance that it is surprising how few people consider it necessary. Not many cooks work without recipes, builders use detailed plans, dress makers cut by pattern, but the proud home-owner picks up a shrub here and a plant there and sticks them in his yard wherever he finds room for them.

It may be advisable but is often not necessary to ask advice from someone a little more experienced. Garden lovers as a rule are glad to share what they have learned by painful trial and error. Many disappointments may be avoided by knowing in advance what plants do well in sun and in shade, how high and broad they will grow and their appearance at all seasons of the year.

Study of the house, the drive-way, unsightly objects that should be screened from view is the first step. Are there children and pets to be considered? Keep free of large shrubs the area where clear vision is necessary in backing out of the drive-way. If windows are to let in light and air don't plant bushes in front of them which eventually will block the entire space.

Whatever the size of your lot don't try to put in all the shrubs you'd like to have. Decide for yourself what are your favorites and concentrate on those. You will live with them a long time so study their requirements and give them room to grow.

A few shrubs well placed and well cared for will enhance the beauty of your home or give a little beauty treatment where that is needed. Use some time and study and a little work with pencil and paper then plant each shrub with the care it deserves.

Identify Robber By Orange Juice

PASADENA, Calif. (AP)—"Look for a man spattered with orange juice." That's the advice Hugh Smith, market proprietor, gave officers investigating a robbery at Smith's market.

Smith said the thief got away, but not scot-free. Mrs. Smith chucked an orange at the robber as he fled, scoring a direct hit.

AGE OF SUCCESS

PUNXSUTAWNEY, Pa. (AP)—Age is no barrier to success on the Jefferson County Board of Auditors.

Calendar Of Campus Events

WEDNESDAY

7:00 p. m.—Pitt County Executive club February meeting. Harry C. France, authority on finance, will address the group.

8:30 p. m.—East Carolina Pirates meet University of South Carolina pugilists, strong Southern Conference team, in a series of bouts in the Wright auditorium.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Eastern division of the All-State Band clinic will be in session on the campus. Representatives of high school bands and their directors from 25 high schools in eastern North Carolina are scheduled to be present. Morning, afternoon and evening meetings will be held each day.

FRIDAY

7:30 p. m.—Teachers Playhouse will present a double bill as a workshop production in the Piana-gan building auditorium. Plays will be "A Sunny Morning" by the Quinteros and "The Man Who Died at Twelve o'clock" by Paul Green. The public is invited to attend.

7:30 p. m.—Concert by the East Carolina band under the direction of Herbert L. Carter in Wright auditorium. The public is invited to attend.

SATURDAY

8:00 p. m.—A 100-piece band composed of talented students from high schools in eastern North Carolina will give a concert in the Wright auditorium as concluding event of the Eastern division meeting of the All-State band clinic. Dr. Earl Slocum of the University of North Carolina will direct the band. The public is invited to attend.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY

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

THURSDAY

8:00 p. m.—The Aries Book club meets with Mrs. Philip Coleman, 1008 E. Fifth street.

8:00 p. m.—Wilson Hall parlors, E. C. T. S. Discussion, "The Marshall Plan Today," led by Mrs. R. L. Humber, sponsored by International Relations committee of Woman's Club.

8:00 p. m.—Executive Board of the Business and Professional Woman's club meets with Mrs. Bratha Reagan, 200 Summit street.

FRIDAY

10:00 a. m.—Executive Board of Service League meets at the home of Mrs. James T. Little.

3:30 p. m.—Woman's Club meets at the club house. Discussion of Federal Aid for Education in Health Professions.

6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club.

6:45 p. m.—Exchange Club.

7:30 p. m.—Members of the V. F. W. Auxiliary will entertain their husbands at a supper meeting at the armory.

Veteran auditor Horace G. Miller died at the age of 81. His successor is Irvin C. North, 75. The other members of the board are Robert D. McNeil, 80, and Clover A. Baughman, 75.

The third meeting of the Student-Parent-Teacher Council of Greenville high school will meet Thursday night at 8 o'clock in the high school library.

The program will feature a movie entitled "You and Your Family," and will be followed by a discussion of family relationship problems which were brought out by the movie. The Rev. Leonard Topping, minister of the Presbyterian Church, will lead the discussion.

A business session will be conducted following the program, at which time a nominating committee will

Dance Humourist



Iva Kitchell

Iva Kitchell, dance humorist, will appear at East Carolina Teachers College Thursday evening, February 16, in a program sponsored by the college entertainment committee. Her artistry, as well as her wit and beauty, have made her popular with audiences both in this country and in Europe.

Nurses To Speak At Woman's Club

A program of great interest to the people of Greenville and Pitt County is scheduled for the regular meeting of the Woman's Club to be held Friday, February 3, 1950 at 3:30 p. m. at the club house. There will be a debate and general discussion of Senate Bill 1183 and H.R. 5040 designed to provide Federal Aid for Education in Health Professions.

Miss Florence K. Wilson, R. N., president of North Carolina League of Nursing Education and dean of the Duke University School of Nursing will take the affirmative and speak in favor of the bill. Opposition of the proposed aid will be by Mrs. Alton Clapp, past president of the 8th District Nurses Association.

Mr. Charles Stuart Carr, chairman of the board of Pitt County Hospital, is also on the program. He will give a talk on the new hospital which is expected to be ready for occupancy in the early summer.

Following the main speakers there will be an open forum for a discussion from the floor on the controversial subject.

The meeting is open to the general public and a special invitation is extended to the nurses of the community.

Hostesses will be under Mrs. Howard Mims, chairman, and Mrs. D. H. Conley, co-chairman.

Electricity has become the rival of the tractor in lightening the task of the farmer.

Announce Casts For 2 Operettas

Casts of principals for the operettas to be presented at East Carolina Teachers College March 3 and 4 have been announced by the department of music, sponsor of the musical event.

"Gilbert and Sullivan's gay satire 'Trial by Jury' and Kurt Weill's folk-music drama 'Down in the Valley' will be given in a double program each evening with a cast of student musicians, according to Dr. R. H. Willmann, director of the department. Performances are scheduled for the Wright auditorium and will take place at 8 o'clock.

Dan E. Vornholt of the faculty will direct the two one-act performances. The East Carolina orchestra, choral groups on the campus, and other students and faculty members will participate. Assisting in the production will be Dr. Lucile H. Charles, director of speech and the drama in the department of English, who will act as consultant. Students and faculty members of the department of industrial arts will construct special scenery for the two operettas.

Leading parts in "Trial by Jury" will be sung by James Rodney Roberts of Greenville, baritone; Mary Wallace Foy of Pollockville, soprano; Ralph Lee Rogers of Rocky Mount, tenor; Alexander Livesey of Rocky Mount, tenor; Robert Mays of Hopewell, Va., baritone; and Alfred Krekeler of Gothenburg, Nebraska, bass.

Alison Hoarne of Greenville, soprano, will have the leading role of Jennie Parsons in "Down in the Valley." Supporting her in the cast will be M. Mays, Mr. Roberts, and Dr. Krekeler.

Student Union Officers Discuss Activities



Officers of the Baptist Student Union at East Carolina Teachers College discuss at a social hour the work of the organization and look over a scrap book recording activities among Baptist students on the campus. Seated in the center is Gloria Blanton, secretary in charge of student work and of the Student Center on East Eighth Street, Greenville. Those in the picture are (first row, left to right) Frances Wilson of Dunn, secretary of the BSC; Miss Blanton; Amariyllis Lang of Gatesville, president; (second row) Vance Lockamy of Rocky Mount, treasurer; Patricia Williams of Wilmington, vice president in charge of devotional services; and Bill Bonham of Rose Hill, publicity representative.

POPULATION OVER MILLION
TEL AVIV (AP)—A total of 239,171 Jewish immigrants from all parts of the world arrived in Israel during 1949. These arrivals boosted the new state's population well over the 1,000,000 mark.
The Encyclopedia Americana says minute diamonds occasionally have been found in meteorites, as in one found in Canon Diablo, Arizona, by Dr. G. A. Koenig in 1891.

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Speaks Before 4 H's

The 4-H Club have directed for Mr. Wible to speak to them Monday night at the first county council meeting of 1950.

With a total of 115 4-H's present, they were delighted to have with them J. H. Waldrop, vice president and cashier of the Guaranty Bank, and Miss Jean Steel, home demonstration agent.

The program was concluded with a Valentine party at the Woman's club.

Musical Program Given Before Club

On Tuesday, January 31, at 1 p. m. Mrs. S. M. Crisp entertained the members of the Athens club at a delightful two-course luncheon. The dining table was centered with a lovely arrangement of carnations, spring flowers in the drawing room and music room added enchantment to the musical program rendered by Miss Gladys Reichard, vocalist, and Miss Elizabeth Drake, pianist, of the music department of East Carolina Teachers College. Miss Reichard gave an interesting account of German music and great composers. This was followed by several lovely vocal selections among which were "Devotion" by Robert Schumann, "Even in My Slumber I Laugh" by Johannes Brahms, "To Rest" by Wolfe, "Tomorrow," by Richard Strauss.

Following the program Mrs. W. W. Lee, president, presided over a short business session. The club voted to donate \$5 to the March of Dimes and to present a book to the library shelf in honor of the Sans Souci club of Greenville.

Mrs. S. T. White, Mrs. Helen White Hawes, Mrs. John Messick, Mrs. Luther Bowling and Mrs. M. P. Hoot were guests of the club.

Mrs. J. T. Cheatham Hostess to Book Club

Mrs. J. T. Cheatham, Jr. was hostess to the Sans Souci Book Club on Tuesday, January 31, at her home on West Fourth Street.

The hostess' home was very attractive with arrangements of early spring flowers, depicting her artistic touch.

The club donated to the Shepard Memorial Library the book, "In Our Image" which consists of character studies from the New Testament by Houston Hart, in memory of one of our esteemed and beloved charter members, Mrs. George J. Woodward. The book was brought to the club and approved as a fitting tribute by all present.

After a short business session, the president, Mrs. Hugh Ragdale, turned the meeting over to Mrs. W. L. Hall, who in her usual attractive manner, read selected poems of both American and British poets. Her comments upon each poem were highly appropriate and impressive. All present enjoyed the program very much.

Miss Lou Cheatham assisted her mother in serving with coffee, a delicious salad course.

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13-Year-Old Wife Becomes Mother



Mrs. E. J. Deal, 13-year-old wife of a farmer, is in Martin hospital at Edison, Ga., with her seven-pound, two-ounce baby daughter. Doctor says "both mom and babe are doing fine." The little girl has been named Winnie Louise. Papa Deal is 18 years old. (AP Photo.)

Fountain News

Patrick H. Owens of Crownsville, Md., spent a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Owens.

Dr. Dwight Johnston of Wilson and Gibb Johnston of Richmond Business college were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Johnston.

Mrs. James Whitley entertained a quilting party at her home Monday afternoon.

Mr. Norville Wooten is improving in DePaul hospital, Norfolk, where he has been for two weeks.

Mrs. Luther Owens and son, Tommie, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Edmondson, of Tarboro.

O. H. Owens of Cherry Point, Mrs. Katie Owens, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Brown and children, David and Barbara, of Raleigh, spent the week-end with Mrs. Owens' son, Luther Owens.

Ned Smith has been ill in a Wilson hospital for the past week. R. W. Owens of Crownsville, Md., spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Meadows of Ayden were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Owens.

Mrs. William W. Owens and daughter, Judy, spent Saturday night visiting Mrs. Owens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Heath of Greenville, Route 2.

The Women of the Fountain Presbyterian church held their regular monthly meeting at the church with 17 members present. "Household of Faith" was the program topic.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Owens spent last week in Florida.

Miss Dorothy Marie Owens and Mr. Lacy Kunkins of Richmond were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Fountain, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Harris and daughters spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lawrence of Leggett.

Mr. Neal Owens of Norfolk has been sick with flu at the home of his mother, Mrs. C. L. Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Horton and Mrs. L. P. Yelverton spent Sunday afternoon with their daughters, Miss Ann Horton and Miss Daphne Yelverton, at Meredith college.

Mrs. Russell Baker and Mrs. Donahue Baker entertained at a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Russell Baker Wednesday evening honoring Mrs. William Peel Garris of Greenville, a recent bride.

Mrs. Lum Jefferson entered Woodward-Herring hospital in Wilson Thursday for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Eagles and son, Harold, and Mrs. M. D. Yelverton were Lousburg visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Brady and family of Tarboro were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Finch, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Harris and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Fountain, Sr., motored to High Point Tuesday.

Spying Charged



Douglas S. Mackiernan (above), 36, U. S. vice consul in Sinking Province, China, has been charged by the Chinese Communist radio of being a spy. He was accused of trying to organize bandits in the far western province. Mackiernan's parents live in Stoughton, Mass. (AP Wirephoto).

Urges Reporting Of Errors In NSLI Dividends

James D. Walters, Veterans Administration contact officer in Greenville, today urged all vets who believe they have not received the proper amount in insurance dividend checks to contact him at the local Armory office.

Walters said the veterans should bring all available insurance papers and their discharge certificates with them. He said that due to the great size of the task of paying the dividends, there are bound to be discrepancies in the amounts paid

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Best Actors



Broderick Crawford (top) and Olivia de Havilland (bottom) were top choices for best-acting honors of 1949 in a poll of 80 top Hollywood correspondents conducted by the Associated Press. Crawford was voted the top starring actor for his performance in "All the King's Men." He got 34 votes. Miss de Havilland was named best starring actress with 40 votes for her work in "The Heiress." (AP Wirephotos).

to individual veterans. It is, however, the intention of the Veterans Administration, Walters stated, to pay everyone correctly, but when an error is made the VA desires to correct it.

The checks are being paid pretty much according to the previously announced schedule. Any veteran who has received his acknowledgment of the receipt of his application by the VA can be assured that his check will be mailed to him by June of this year.

Cronin To Offer Ted Williams \$100,000 Terms

Boston, Feb. 1—(AP)—Very soon and in absolute privacy, General Manager Joe Cronin will proffer Ted Williams a 1950 Boston Red Sox contract calling for at least \$100,000 in straight salary.

And the lanky slugger will sign himself on as one of the highest paid players in all baseball history about as casually as the average wage earner affixes his signature to a magazine subscription blank.

It may happen this very afternoon, down in one of Fenway Park's secluded recesses, even as Manager Joe McCarthy, aloft in the penthouse press quarters, discusses the club's 1950 plans with the baseball writers.

An average of 70,000 seal pelts are taken each year from the Pribilof Islands.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust bearing date of October 13, 1948, and executed by Billy S. Hodges, Jr., and wife, Maxene Hodges, to Wachovia Bank and Trust Company, trustee, of record in Book G-25 at page 409 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, default having been made in the payment of the debt therein secured and the lawful owner and holder of the note evidencing said debt having called upon the trustee to foreclose thereon, the undersigned trustee will, on Saturday, the 4th day of March, 1950, at 12:30 o'clock, Noon, at the courthouse door in Greenville, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate:

That certain lot or parcel of land, together with the permanent improvements thereon, situate, lying and being in the City of Greenville, County of Pitt and State of North Carolina, and located on the West

side of Woodlawn Avenue, and beginning at a point in the west property line of Woodlawn Avenue 136.8 feet South 28 degrees West of the southwest corner of the intersection of Woodlawn Avenue and Willow Street, and running thence north 62 degrees West 109.7 feet, cornering; thence South 29 degrees 26 minutes West 63.3 feet, cornering; thence South 62 degrees East 111.3 feet to the west property line of Woodlawn Avenue; thence North 28 degrees East with the west property line of Woodlawn Avenue 63.3 feet to the place of the beginning, and being all of Lot 10 in Block "B" of the Highland Pines Extension and in addition there-to a strip of land located at the western end of said Lot No. 10 in Block "B" out of the Lang property subdivision, as shown on Map of Survey made by T. W. Rivers, C. E., dated October 1948 on file with the Prudential Insurance Company of America, and being the same property conveyed to Billy S. Hodges and wife, Maxene M. Hodges, by that certain deed dated February 19, 1948, and recorded in

Book C-25 at page 314 of the Pitt County Registry. Together with all heating, plumbing, and light fixtures and equipment attached to or used in connection with said real estate, more particularly but not limited to, automatic hot water heater, door and window screens and kitchen cabinet permanently attached.

The above described property is subject to restrictive covenants set forth in a certain instrument of record in Book V-22 at page 517, and to a 25 foot building set-back line as shown on the recorded plat of said property.

The proposed purchaser at said sale will be required to deposit with the trustee, or his attorney, cash or certified check equivalent to 10 per cent of the purchase price immediately after the sale as a good faith deposit.

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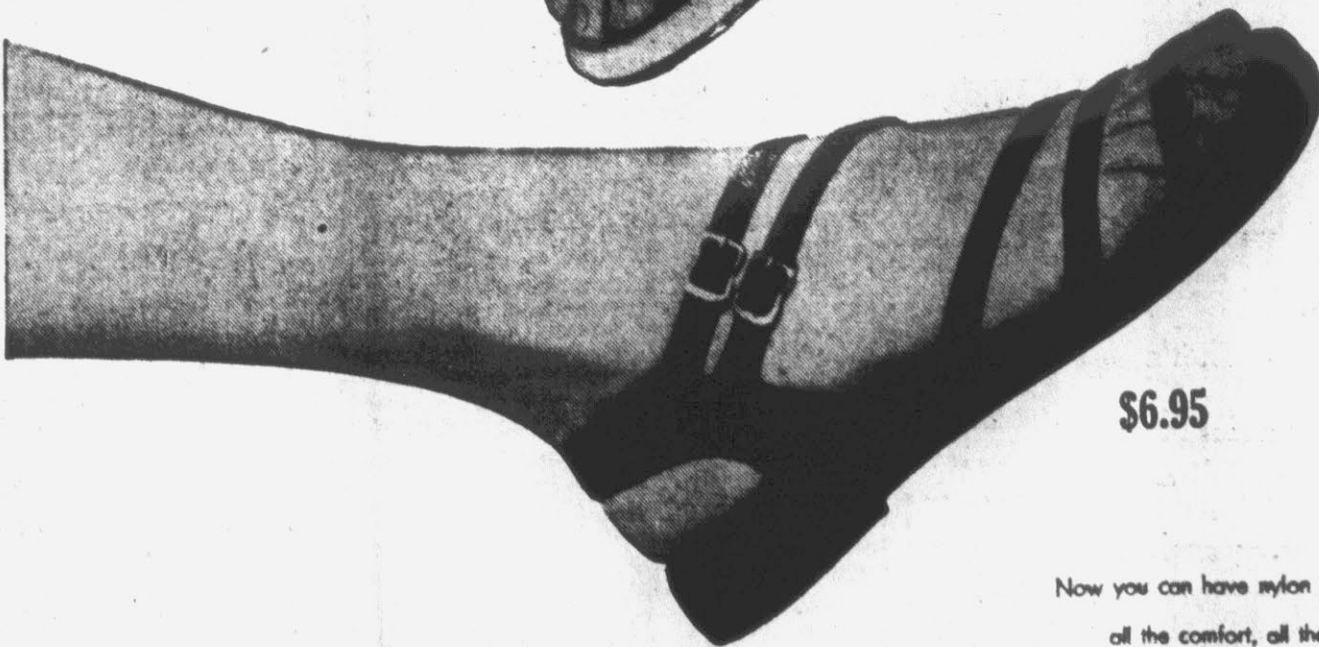
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WHO'S TO BLAME?
It is always a great comfort to us when we discover the trouble with the world and with ourselves is outside ourselves. We are greatly agitated when we discover that we are the cause of our own trouble. As long as we can project the blame to something else or to somebody else we have a certain sense of security. We are left with a stark feeling of terrifying loneliness when we discover at last that we are our own worst enemy and that our trouble has originated in our own folly or weakness.

Psychology is making this all very plain today. But of course such teaching has been in the Bible for thousands of years, only we have just overlooked it. Jesus warned us against trying to take the mote out of our brother's eye while the beam is still in our own eye. He counseled us against judging others lest we ourselves be judged. If there is one generalization which can be applied to the whole Christian gospel it is this, that Jesus always insists upon the inner nature of both good and evil. Trouble in our individual life and the life of the world begins in the human heart. Usually it begins in our own hearts, and this we must recognize and be on the alert lest we be deceived into thinking that somebody else is to blame for our troubles.

WHY LITTLE FAITH

When you speak of Boston's City Council, speak in awe.
Now there is a group who surely have great conceit in the importance of their conclaves; for in that city whose traditions make it one of the great fountainheads of American freedom, some have deigned to pretend it would be dangerous to allow a visiting group of foreigners to see the processes of Democracy in action. Truly, the affairs of Boston must be world-shaking in their importance.

It was only last Monday that a Japanese mission, travelling with the blessings of General MacArthur, to observe the workings of representative government were denied that privilege by Boston's city fathers on the fantastic basis that it would be dangerous to "educate" the Japanese and so prepare them for another war.

The example set by that august board is ridiculous in its extremes. They must count among their members some men of little faith. Men who doubted that the strength of Democracy lay in its popular appeal over autocratic rule; men who doubted that Democracy could be taught, not only by the spoken and written word, but by example; men who lacked faith in their own ability to demonstrate Americanism to a group of strangers who came in quest of such knowledge.

It was a rare honor, and a tribute to Boston's historical association with American Independence, that the functionings of that city's government should be chosen as an example to be set before the touring members of the Japanese Diet. That opportunity was spurned.



Around Capitol Square

By LYNN NISBET
REYNOLDS—There was some surprise around Capitol square that Senator Frank Graham rather than Senator Clyde Hoey. There was no surprise at all that he got into the race for the United States Senate, where he served two terms from 1933 to 1945. In some quarters there was no surprise at his choice of seats, on the theory that nothing Bouncing Bob can do should surprise anybody.

REACTION—There were varying reactions. Some observers were inclined to laugh off a Reynolds' candidacy. Governor Kerr Scott was not among them. He declined to be drawn out by reporters on what he thought of Reynolds' chances, but very seriously said Senator Graham's friends should not underestimate the opposition. That has been the Scott philosophy ever since he entered politics many years ago. However, this is the first time he has ever been on the defensive. Always heretofore he has taken the fight to others who were in — or thought they were.

POSSIBILITIES—While casual observers were entertaining themselves guessing at what percentage of the vote Reynolds might get—and not one was found who thought he can get enough to win—others were looking deeper into possible consequences. A sizeable group is convinced that entry of the Mountain Man makes certain another candidate and greatly enhances prospects for an eastern Democrat with conservative leanings and support to win. Theory is that Reynolds would have some appeal to labor and that his extreme isolationism would balance off Graham's internationalism, and make chances for a third man to be high in the voting. That is another way of saying that contrast of extremes would strengthen position of a reasonable middle-course candidate. So the entrance of Reynolds has not stopped the search for another strong candidate.

WHO?—Neither has it brought any new names into the field. It has increased pressure on Commissioner of Agriculture L. Y. Ballentine, and has given new life to gossip that somebody—with Capus

Somebody Told Me...

By L. J. (JACK) EDWARDS, JR.
Yesterday as I rushed around town selling automobile parts like mad I ran into an interesting tale now and then. The first one was about Cliff Rhodus' (Stafford Olds) goat.

Cliff wouldn't take anything for his goat. "It's a poor man's cow," he says. It seems that goat's milk is good for whatever ails you. It rids Cliff of the indigestion he used to have.

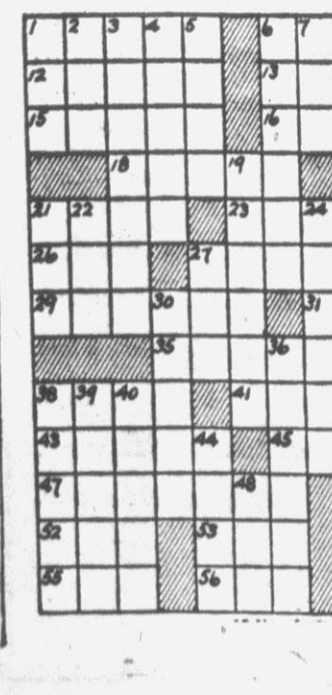
"What does it taste like?" I asked Cliff.
"Just like cow's milk," he said. "You can't tell the difference."

Waynick most frequently mentioned will file against Senator Hoey. Repercussions of the Jackson-Jefferson dinner here Saturday night are being heard from all over the state. There is no doubt that the affair widened the crack between the Jonathan Daniels-Frank Graham-Kerr Scott triumvirate and other elements in the party leadership. There is building up more opposition to the dictatorial tactics of Daniels than to the policies of Graham and Scott combined. There is also marked resentment on part of staunch friends of the governor and the senator at Daniels' apparent efforts to steal the show and divert limelight from the elected officials. All these undercurrents and cross currents, plus the Reynolds announcement, justify the prediction made some days ago that a political storm would break soon after the Jackson-Jefferson dinner and the regional conference—which turned out to be neither regional nor a conference.

LEGISLATURE—Meanwhile, candidates for the general assembly are popping out all over. In this field it appears that the governor's friends will put the other side on the defensive. Not many of the candidates so far announced could not be described as pro-Scott, a few are definitely opposed to much of his program. Majority cannot be bracketed in either group, but would have to be classed as open-minded and interested in continued development of the state along sound lines. In most communities interest in the general assembly is keener than in the big races, although as always the big folks get most of the headlines.

Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS**
- Unit of electrical capacity
 - Southern constellation
 - Bullfinch
 - Mountain ridge
 - Belonging to us
 - Untruth
 - American composer
 - Life
 - Oleoresin
 - Hut
 - Market
 - Tree
 - Existed
 - Poem
- DOWN**
- Property
 - Spiced drink
 - Truth
 - Motor tricycle
 - Born
 - American
 - India
 - Put up
 - Chills
 - Engages to us
 - Mother-of-pearl
 - Turn
 - Nourished
 - Everybody
 - Test ore
 - Before
 - Cruel dish
 - The one at hand



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ALA RATED OLA
WILTON TULLER
LOP BOLD
SCOT AT EVENT
LOT ORE IDEA
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PEAL SLED MEN
STRIP TE MARY
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GRIEVE USTER
EON ATOLL SLA
TEE NAMES RIP

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

DOWN

- Followed
- Lead measure
- Venustates
- Tipping
- English sand
- Bill
- Greek tense
- Bitter herb
- Chief
- Shade of green
- Straight
- English dramatist
- Let down
- Kind of rosin
- Swab
- Fuss
- Capital of Cuba
- Always poetic
- Thriller: prefix
- Pilot
- Enrage
- Golf mound
- Affirmative
- Fret
- Horsemanship
- Wear away
- Pertaining to
- Erin
- Crisp cookie
- Informal conversation
- Biblical priest
- Aeriform fluid
- Aperture in a nozzle

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Boyle's Column

By HAL BOYLE
New York (P)—Been reading any good books lately?
Time was when I used to read 50 to 100 books a year. I would start at the beginning and read them right through. Poetry, novels, histories, biographies, collections of short stories—it didn't make any difference.

There was something to enjoy in all of them, because they offered an escape from the monotony of the moment. Or they explained something—like how to build a wren's nest.

Today I have virtually given up reading books, although I still buy them out of habit and scan them out of curiosity. But I think it is getting harder and harder to find a book you can read for pure enjoyment.

Authors appear to write books now for only three reasons. They try to provide the reader a sugar-coated "escape from life" to help him to help himself to face life, or to prove something the author is sure is the ultimate truth—on subjects ranging from old bugle calls to the chemical composition of the iron curtain.

The "escape from life" books have become formalized escapes from common sense. They are usually 500 to 1200 page historical novels the reading of which is a proof of muscular strength rather than literary appreciation. The heroine has to be a bosomy semi-hussy, and if any author ever writes one around an historical lady with three bosoms he is going to win the sweepstakes.

Other types of fiction, including the detective story, are so hamstrung with psychopathic characters you feel like you are taking a course in psychiatry, and it is difficult to tell villains from heroes.

One nice thing about Simon Legree—you didn't feel sorry for him because his mother probably made him take harspichord lessons as a lad.

Turn from the fictions of fiction to the self-help books and what do you find? One author tells you

you simply have got to relax, and all nice people are neurotic."
This leaves the authors who are trying to prove something. One writes, "you can, too, eat caviar with the Russians," and another bounces back with a contrary tome called, "drink vodka and die!" If you read both books, you then will have to go back and read a self-help book entitled, "you don't have to be confused."

And the net result is your mind runs the risk of ending up more deformed than informed.
There is a simple compass to guide you out of this literary morass of pre-digested and conflicting opinions—read more old books that have stood the test of time and change. My personal choice, My personal choice, the ones that stand me in best stead, are three: The Bible, Shakespeare's works (or any collection of great poetry) and the World Almanac.

Lately I have found the World Almanac more and more consoling. There is something about reading a good sound indisputable fact that keeps a man's feet on the ground, and the 1934 Almanac is full of facts.

There is an interesting fact, for example, on page 432 of this wonderful volume. It says there were 77,344 mental patients in New York state in the year of most recent record, more than three times as many as in California.

A lot more books are published in New York, too. Could that prove anything?

Washington Letter

WASHINGTON—Secretary of the Interior Oscar L. Chapman says it's time for a new look at the American Indian. Chapman has told the Senate Interior Committee he wants a "careful study" of long-range Indian problem. He added that there has been no such survey for 25 years.

Chapman made no mention of the Indian policy study conducted

by the Hoover Commission. The Commission recommended that the Bureau of Indian Affairs be transferred from Interior to a new department of welfare. A member of the Hoover task force making the Indian study was John R. Nichols, then president of the New Mexico College of Agricultural and Mechanical Arts, now commissioner of Indian Affairs.

Nichols says he too would welcome a "good, thorough, scientific study." Chapman told the Senate committee that many people argue that the nation's 400,000 Indians should be freed of all controls and treated as other citizens.

"This group disregards treaty obligations and the more than 5,000 laws that affect Indians alone," Chapman said. "Another group sincerely feels that the white man should leave the Indian alone and that the United States should retain what is left of its pure Indian culture."

"We in the Interior Department have been moving continually in the direction of the eventual release of controls—giving the Indians as much responsibility as we can while retaining as much of their culture as possible."
The Department's current Indian policy dates from the so-called Meriam survey in 1926. Before that time the policy had been to encourage allotment of tribal lands to individual Indians—with the result that allotted lands often passed out of Indian hands. The 900-page Meriam report recommended a broadened education program, more funds for Indian administration and an end to land allotment without regard to individual capabilities and land values.

Retired, Opens Law Office At Sixty-Five
CHICAGO (AP)—Charles L. McCabe has opened a law office—at 65.
McCabe was admitted to the bar in 1923. He was an assistant state's attorney from 1926 to 1928. Then he taught school here for 30 years. After he retired from teaching, he decided to go back into the legal profession.

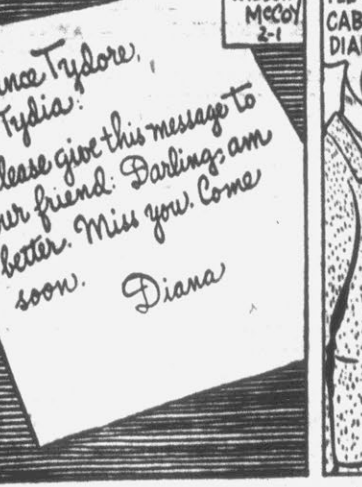
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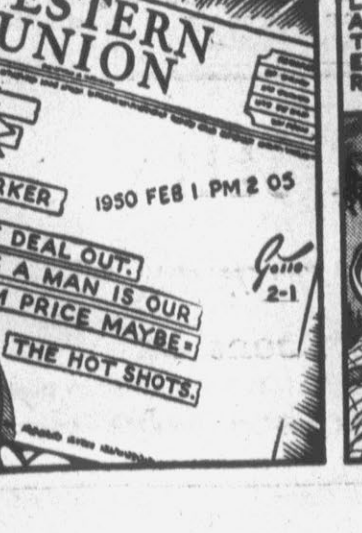
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BLONDIE — By Chic Young



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Fourth Arrest Yesterday In Attempted Dynamiting

Charlotte, Feb. 1—(AP)—Still another man was arrested yesterday in connection with the attempted dynamiting of the tower of Charlotte radio station WBT.

The arrest of Eddie Vaughn, 33, of Columbia, S.C., brought to four the number of persons arrested in the case.

Chief Frank N. Littlejohn identified Vaughn as the man who allegedly drove the automobile which brought C. M. (Chud) Lovell of Columbia to the WBT tower early the morning of Jan. 22.

Vaughn was released under \$1,000 bond yesterday after being charged with conspiracy.

Lovell was arrested at the tower after officers said he hurled a bundle of dynamite sticks at the tower. Police, tipped off, had removed the

caps.

Another Columbia man, Burris Boyd, nephew of Lovell, was later charged with conspiracy as the alleged contact man between Lovell and another man reported to have ordered the dynamiting. Boyd was released yesterday under \$1,000 bond.

Sterling Hicks, Charlotte parks and recreation commission member and a labor union leader, has been charged with hiring Lovell to throw the explosives at the tower. Hicks denied any knowledge of the dynamiting attempt. He is at liberty under \$5,000 bond pending a hearing tomorrow.

WBT has been picketed since last September when the station and some of its employees disagreed over contract terms.

General Fund Is Over \$5 Millions

Raleigh, N. C. Feb. 1—(AP)—The state's general fund entered February with a balance of slightly over \$5,000,000.

However, said State auditor Henry Bridges, it's still too early to tell whether money will have to be borrowed this month to keep the fund from running too deep into the red.

State treasurer Brandon Hodges has already borrowed \$5,000,000 to help tide the fund over to March 15, when the income tax flood piles in and replenishes the fund. If the need arises, Hodges has the authority to borrow up to \$5,000,000 more.

Customarily, expenditures are heavy the first part of the month. Large withdrawals by the public schools are anticipated within the next few days.

However, tax receipts have been exceeding \$1,000,000 a day recently and there is a bare chance that early payments of income taxes could enable the fund to go through the month without calling on its borrowing power.

Pair Arrested In Kidnap-Robbery

St. Paul, N.C., Feb. 1—(AP)—Two men charged with robbing a man and his wife, then kidnaping the man, were held today at Elberton, Ga.

Officers identified them as Cokie Watts and Emory Huggins, young St. Paul men. Solicitor George Deane said both have prison records.

Robert Lovett, about 35, also of St. Paul, jumped from an automobile near Elberton shortly before the men were seized.

Lovett, an employee of Burlington Mills, and his wife were forced from their home near here at gun point early yesterday. Mrs. Lovett said two men, known to her, released her a short distance from her home, then drove off with her husband toward the South Carolina line.

Mrs. Lovett told police the two men entered the house, stole a pistol and then forced the young couple to accompany them in the Lovetts' automobile. She said they were robbed of \$100.

Auto Accessory Tax Is In Effect

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 1—(AP)—Effective today, new car buyers start paying the three per cent sales tax on their vehicle's accessories.

Previously, accessories were considered as part of the car unit itself. A car can't be sales tax more than \$15.

However, by taxing accessories, such as radios, heaters, seat covers, fog lights, and so forth, the state expects to rake in an additional six dollars on every new car sale.

Guardsmen Plan Training In July

Raleigh, N.C., Feb. 1—(AP)—Summer training for North Carolina's 8,000 National Guardsmen will begin in July.

An announcement yesterday by State Adj. Gen. J. Van B. Metts said:

All ground troops except those assigned to anti-aircraft artillery units will train at Fort Jackson, S.C., July 9-16. Anti-aircraft artillery units will go to Camp Stewart, Ga., Aug. 4-20. Air units will train at the Myrtle Beach, S.C., Air Force Base July 9-23. And Selective Service detachment officers will train at Raleigh July 2-16.

E. H. Hill Home After Service In Far East

Edgar Haskell Hill, Fireman, USN is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hill of 102 West Third Street, Greenville.

Hill was stationed aboard the U. S. Navy hospital ship Repose in the Orient. Aboard the Repose, Hill visited the parts of Japan, the Philippines, Hong Kong, Yokohama, Yokosuka and Tokyo.

He has also visited Manila and Pearl Harbor since his enlistment in the Navy in 1948.

When he returns to duty he will report to the Receiving Station in San Francisco for assignment to duty at the Naval base on Guam in the Marianas.

Horton Dies

Pittsboro, N. C., Feb. 1—(AP)—William F. Horton, Superior Court Judge and former Lieutenant governor of North Carolina, died at his home here early this morning.

Horton had held many high positions in the Democratic party. He was Lieutenant Governor from 1937 to 1941, and in 1940 was a candidate for Governor.

He had been on the Superior court bench since last July 1, when Governor Scott appointed him a special Judge.

Baptists Calling Special Session

Raleigh, N.C., Feb. 1—(AP)—First steps have been taken leading to the special session of the Baptist state convention to be held before April 16.

Horton had held many high positions in the Democratic party. He was Lieutenant Governor from 1937 to 1941, and in 1940 was a candidate for Governor.

The controversial Baptist Hospital situation "and all its ramifications" will be studied by a 15 member committee.

The committee was named yesterday by special representatives of the Baptist general board. It is to report to the board not later than April 1. The board then will set the date and site for the special session.

The committee's appointment is an outgrowth of a fight in the Baptist ranks on the acceptance of \$697,356 in government funds to be used on a Baptist hospital at Winston-Salem.

Last December, the general board voted 21-12 to accept the funds. But wide protests from Baptists over the state caused the board to issue a call for a special session to reconsider the matter.

College Planning Doctorate Loans

SPRINGFIELD, O. —(AP)—Wittenberg College's Board of Directors has established grant-in-aid to help promising young faculty members finance work on their doctorates.

The College's annual budget will henceforth include \$2,500 for these grants, which will be made available to instructors as interest-free loans. These loans will be canceled in the case of instructors who earn their doctorates and remain with the college for five years thereafter.

Negro 4-H Club News

The Pitt County Negro 4-H Council held its first meeting for the year 1950 on Saturday, January 28. This meeting convened in the beautifully decorated auditorium of the Agricultural building in Greenville with Miss Marjorie Gay acting as president of the council.

Plans were discussed by the agents of the possibilities of purchasing uniforms for each 4-H club member. Plans were also formulated concerning a 4-H Club Health Coronation which is scheduled for the month of May.

The meeting was highlighted by the presentation of a \$10 award, in absence of James Smith of Pacolus, by Mr. Dennis D. DuPree, county agent. Mr. Smith has won the district honor of having grown 107 bushels of corn to an acre of land which is the highest yield of any club member throughout the county.

At the conclusion of the business portion of the meeting, an officers training course was conducted, whereby the different officers of each club were given instructions on the right way to conduct a good 4-H club meeting. Mrs. Amelia Capehart, Home Agent, presided over the presidents; Mrs. Louvena Latham, the treasurers; Mrs. Matthew Lewis, the secretaries and Miss A. R. Ebron, the song leaders.

When the group re-assembled they were hilariously entertained by the agents in the auditorium which was decorated in a pre-Valentine theme. Mrs. Talmadge T. Mitchell presided over the plays and games for the occasion. The group was taught a few folk dances which they seemed to have enjoyed to the utmost. Refreshments were served in keeping with the valentine theme.

Canadian scientists have developed a flameless match producing heat but no light, says the National Geographic Society.

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ONE GROUP Men's Khaki Work Pants \$2. \$2.98 Values	A Real Scoop Men's Hunting Pants, formerly \$6.95. Close-out price— \$3. PAIR Less Than Half Price	Men's Top Coats All Wool. A real giveaway. Price— \$10.	One Group Boys' Tee Shirts 33c
Boys' Flannel Shirts \$1.33	Men's Felt Hats Formerly \$4.95 This is a Real Closeout \$2.	ONE SPECIAL LOT Boys' Pajamas Worth Double \$1.	One Group Ties For men. These ties sold formerly up to \$1.00— 50c
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King-Size Red Devils Win By 61-42 Margin Against Greenville Phantoms

Extra Height Proved Big Factor In Local's Defeat; Greenville Juniors Win Preliminary Against Visitors, 46-41

By JOHN SPINKS JR.
The Kingston Red Devils ran the Greenville Phantoms off their feet last night and in so doing won the return game of the series, 61-42. The local boys in green were never in the ball game, trailing most of the way by at least 18 points. The Kingston club, led by hulking Bobby Hodges, 6' 4" center, ran the quarter score to 23-5 and at halftime were leading comfortably by 35-15.

Hodges was head and shoulders, plus two gangling scoring arms, above the best the Phantoms had to offer and pushed in 27 points, far and away the highest total for both clubs. His closest competitor for the hoop was Virgilus Haymes, starting forward for Bo Farley's team, with 13 points to lead his mates.

Kingston's second string ran the show for more than a quarter, off and on, and that was the only time the Phantoms showed their basketball prowess. Early in the third period they scored four straight goals before the visitors could push one through, but they managed to pull through to only 43-23. The Devils' starting five came in at the beginning of the last quarter and began pulling away again on a series of quick crisp shots by Hodges and Phillips, the latter a forward for the visitors.

Greenville was in the game all the way defensively, trying desperately to get their hands on the ball. Farley had his boys bouncing the ball instead of passing it across the floor, in order to counteract the height and reach advantage that Kingston held, and this worked fairly well. However, in the last half this practice was for the most part discontinued, the Phantoms attempting to speed up their scoring chances. They took a great many shots but failed to hit consecutively and Kingston's height enabled them to take almost all of the rebounds.

Farley started Dillingham and Haymes at forward, Briley at center, and Sawyer and Aman at the guards, but had them replaced often by Jimmy Cox and Larry Flye. The two subs last night saw a good deal of action but were unable to score. Leading the Phantoms defensively were Sid Briley and Joe Sawyer. Both were off the floor constantly when the ball was in the air, Briley getting the majority of his team's rebounds. For Kingston, the outstanding ball hawk was Joe Whaley, a comparatively small (5' 8") guard, who was used principally as a ball chaser when the Phantoms were shooting.

Following Hodges' 27-point total

for the Devils was Doug Bruton, a forward, with eight points. The rest of the Kingston scoring was spread out among the rest of the players. In the first game last night, the Greenville Juniors whipped the visiting Red Devils, 46-41, behind Moore and Higgs, starting forwards, with 16 points apiece. High scorers for the visitors were Forwards Williams and Tyler with 13 points each. The game was an avenging victory for Woody Wilson's Juniors, they having lost to the Devils in the game there three weeks ago, 43-36. They have now won nine games and lost two.

The box (varsity):

	Fg	Ft	Pt	Tp
Kinston	3	1	2	7
Phillips	1	0	4	2
Williams	1	0	4	2
Bruton	4	0	0	8
Hodges	9	9	2	27
Whaley	2	2	2	6
Aldridge	1	2	3	4
Stroud	2	0	1	4
Cole	0	2	3	2
Bradshaw	0	1	2	1
McDaniel	0	0	0	0
Totals	22	17	19	61

Greenville 15:

	Fg	Ft	Pt	Tp
Dillingham	1	4	4	6
Haymes	6	0	5	12
Briley	2	3	4	7
Sawyer	3	1	3	7
Aman	3	2	0	10
Cox	0	0	3	0
Flye	0	0	0	0
Totals	15	10	19	42

Halftime score: Kingston 35, Greenville 15.

Grimesland FFA Wins Contest In Judging Crops

The Pitt County Federation of Future Farmers of America held its Annual Crops Judging Contest at Winterville on Friday, January 20th. The Federation is made of schools in Pitt County that teach Vocational Agriculture. Franklin Garris of the Belvoir-Falkland High School is president of the Federation and P. W. Taylor teacher, is adviser. In the contest held on Friday the group representing Grimesland was declared winner scoring a total of 2118 points out of a possible 2400. The team from Bethel High School emerged as second place winners and Grifton and Belvoir-Falkland placed third and fourth respectively.

Mr. T. B. Elliott, District Supervisor of Vocational Agriculture, furnished the seed samples and directed the contest. At the next meeting of the federation in Ayden on Feb. 1, a parliamentary procedure contest will be held. The U. S. popcorn crop varied between 102 and 428 million pounds between 1944 and 1949.

Pirate Cagers Depart For 3-Game Road Trip

Play Appalachian And West Carolina In Conference Contests; Catamounts In Cellar With Apps In Second Place

Coach Howard Porter's East Carolina cagers left this afternoon on a three-game road trip in the western part of the state. The Pirates play the second-place Appalachian Mountaineers at Boone tomorrow night, and then travel on to Cullowhee to play West Carolina's Catamounts there in two games Monday and Tuesday. All three games are North State conference contests. The Buccaneers are expected to return to Greenville next Wednesday.

Sliding into a tie for third place as result of their 49-48 defeat at the hands of the state. The Pirates were the only team to win last Saturday night, East Carolina will be striving to improve their conference standings on their trip west.

Appalachian, always a strong contender in the smaller college league has moved into the No. 2 of the circuit as they downed the Elon lost weekend, while the Pirates were losing to the Bears. Coach Porter's quint has previously beaten the towering Apps here in their first meeting of the game season, by a close score of 49 to 48.

In their game with West Carolina, it will mark the first meeting of the two schools this basketball season. The Cats are currently riding in the cellar of the North

State conference with a record of no wins against six losses. Last year, the Catamounts came down from the mountains for a two-game series here, in which the two teams split in the doubleheader.

Last meeting of the two rival Teachers colleges was last February in the North State conference tournament at Elkin. The Pirates defeated the mountain boys in the opening round, 69-52, to gain a semi-finals berth against Appalachian.

Making the trip for East Carolina were the Pirates' two high scoring forwards, Jack Everton and Sonny Russell, who are expected to carry for the Buccaneers in their trip westward. Everton has been setting a torrid scoring pace in his last three games for the local cagers as he has scored 59 points in three games for an average of 19.6 points per game. His current overall season average is 13.6.

Little Toddy Fennell is expected to start at center for the Bucs, with Lou Collier and Len Bauer at the guard positions. Reserves making the trip are Roger Thrift and Ed Tanner, forwards; Jim Blake, center; and Frank Maennle and Doug Guthrie, guards.

During the first half of the contest, Blake was the only Buccaneer who could hit regularly from the floor. He accumulated four field goals in the first half while Postas, Blakship and Jones added one each. The Baby Bucs were accurate on only five free throw attempts during the first half.

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East Carolina's Fresh Stage Big Rally For Victory

East Carolina's freshman basketball team came from behind a 34-19 deficit at halftime last night to edge out the Campbell Junior College frosh 47 to 46 on two free throws by Richard Blake in the final seconds of the battle.

The Baby Bucs traveled to Buies Creek to defeat the Campbell frosh for the second time in as many meetings of the teams this year. When the teams met in Greenville the East Carolina boys won by a 10 point margin.

Last night it was Forward Richard Blake who set the scoring pace for the young Pirates with 18 points while Jones and Postas were runners-up with seven and eight points respectively.

Biggers of Campbell College who tallied 12 points in the first half was held scoreless during the second half, but still was high scorer for his team.

The win last night gave Coach Charlie Bill Moye's Baby Bucs a season's record of six wins against five losses so far "is year. After a slow start during the first half during which the Campbell players scored practically at will, the East Carolina defense tightened remarkably during the second half, and the Campbell boys managed to hit only five field goals and two free throws during the last 30 minutes of the game.

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Last Night's Cage Scores

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Panthers Rally; Top Appalachian

By the Associated Press
High Point, leader in the North State Conference, got a scare last night, but a strong second-half rally kept its record of no loop defeats intact.

Runnersup Appalachian led the Panthers, 35-31, at the half, only to wilt as High Point pumped in 40 points in the second stanza. The 71-60 victory for the Panthers was their eighth straight in league competition.

Elsewhere in North Carolina, Wake Forest used a two-platoon system to dump The Citadel, 82-43, for its fifth Southern Conference win. It was the highest score run up by the Deacons this year.

South Carolina topped Davidson, 66-46, to remain tied for eighth spot in conference standings with the Deacons.

Gulford College licked Lenoir-Rhyne, 64-56, in the only other North State game. The Quakers got an early lead and kept it most of the game.

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Long-Awaited Return Match With South Carolina Boxers Gets Under Way At 8 O'Clock; Coach Voices Optimism

By BILL LLOYD
Coach Johnny Long's East Carolina boxers square off against the strong University of South Carolina ring team tonight in a ten-bout card scheduled in the Wright auditorium, with the first match getting underway at promptly eight o'clock.

For East Carolina, it will be a revenge return match, as the Gamecocks won a close 6 1/2 to 3 1/2 decision over the Buccaneers in their first meet at Columbia, S.C. earlier in the season.

The Pirate pounders will be battling tonight minus the services of two of their most promising pugils. Bill Cole, 130 pound southpaw, and heavyweight Bill Hunter were set back with severe cold irritations during the earlier part of the week, and were not able to round into top condition.

In tonight's feature attraction, Whiteville's Crowell Williamson, 150 pound stand-out on East Carolina's team this year, will battle Jim Briggman, the Southern conference's defending middleweight champion. Disappointed in losing a highly booted decision, to the Gamecock's leather-slinger in their first match, Williamson will be striving for a comeback in tonight's clash to prove the judges wrong.

Another outstanding fight in tonight's slate will be in the 155 pound class. Aggressive Ken Stargardt, holdover from last year's Pirate squad, will be out to redeem himself of the draw he received in the first match with the Palmettoes. Stargardt is rated one of Coach Long's most dependable fighters.

Cecil Phillips, East Carolina's undefeated glover, is expected to defend his record tonight in the 146 pound class. Phillips is a veteran ring performer, winning his division bout in the Austrian Armed Forces tournament, and a runner-up in the finals of the European Theatre Operations service tournament. Phillips record now stands at three wins against no losses. He missed the previous fight with South Carolina.

The heavier divisions should provide plenty of boxing for the local ring fans, as 165 pound Bill Torrains, winner of his last match with the Gamecocks, will be out to keep up his fine record over the out-of-staters.

Hammering Henry Fordham, who showed much class in his first match for East Carolina against the Citadel, is expected to hold his own in the heavyweight division.

Other feature bouts that will round out tonight's fight card will be Captain Cleon Smith, 125 lb. class; Charlie Edwards, 140 lb. class; and H. A. Creel, 160 lb. class. A negotiated, but not yet definite fight, between two campus rival boxers, Bruce "Boo Boo" Jones and Marshall "Catfish" Aines, may be staged as an added feature in tonight's matches.

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The hundred grand transaction with a Hollywood twist, topping the \$75,000 bonus given catcher Buddy House by Detroit and the \$50,000 plus which went to Johnny Antonelli of the Boston Braves, Dick Wakefield of Detroit, and one or two others, marks a new high price for a rookie.

What is young Pettit going to do with all that money? "Nothing," he laughed, "I can't touch it until I'm 21."

But his father, George Pettit, a Long Beach night watchman, and movie producer Fredrick Stephani, the prodigy's agent, will keep a careful eye on it.

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HOME RANGE

By LYNN WESTLAND

Chapter 21

Value was already in his own saddle. For two white men to ride in on such a war party of hundreds, worked up and thirsty for blood as they were, looked like the height of folly. But it was the very recklessness of the scheme which gave them a possible chance of winning.

They could confront Zachary to his face with his treachery, tell the father of the two slain Indians how Zachary had doublecrossed them and sent them to their death. If they failed, they would die—and unpleasantly. Neither Value nor de Polo had any doubts as to that.

"Maybe it's a hundred to one chance, which are long odds," de Polo remarked. "But if we win, it saves a hundred other lives at the risk of one or two—and what better odds can a man ask? Well, the faster we move now, the better, eh?"

They rode together, keeping their horses to a walk, eyes straight ahead, heading for the cluster of chieftains. Already the tempo of the dance was beginning to slow. It was nearly ready to break up. The attention of most of the leaders, like that of Zachary himself, was on the proudly defiant figure of Saralee.

There were a few excited cries and a sound or so of anger at their appearance, but they were counting on the surprise of their entrance, the audacity of the thing, to take them through. And though a ring of warriors closed in behind them, no attempt was made to stop them.

So far it was good enough. But there was always a difference between putting your head into the lion's mouth and pulling it out again. No one admired courage more than an Indian, and this was an exhibition of raw nerve. But at such a time, as this, no one was more unpredictable than an Indian, and the Indians had already made up their minds to war. On the scales as well as Zachary, there to influence them all he could.

Value saw the look which came into Saralee's face as she saw him, and for a moment he could see nothing else, nor think of what might be yet to come. That look was reward enough for the risk, whatever the outcome might be. It swept away the years that were

gone, with all their pain and misunderstanding.

There was sheer amazement on Zachary's face, red in the reflected glow of the firelight. The anger that had been on it changed, even as other faces were changing under an onslaught of mingled emotions.

The crimson cast of the blazing bonfires was fading a little as dawn struggled to lift the pall, but it was a gray and unchancy morning. The drizzle had temporarily subsided, but that did not lessen the savage wildness of the encampment.

Where a dog yapped, loud amid the silence that had fallen, for even the drums had halted. The dog was promptly kicked to silence again by a half grown boy, tense with the strain.

Both men lifted their hands in friendly salute as they pulled up. The squaws, hesitant, started to jerk Saralee away, but when she braced herself and stood rocklike, they desisted and contented themselves with keeping guard on either side of her.

Zachary, his face composed again, was watching them narrowly, quick to grasp what this meant. The Indians were alert, not knowing quite what to expect. A few braves at the edge of darkness scurried about, on the lookout to see if anyone else had followed them.

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though he could understand only a few words, hardly enough to get the drift of what was being said, could see that de Polo had impressed them. Zachary saw it, too. "We have already decided on war," he reminded them quickly. "Are we going to listen to trouble-makers now, at this late hour?" (To be continued)

COLD WATER TOWN
CUT BANK, Mont. (AP)—When 21-below weather burst a water main, many Cut Bank residences were left without water and one householder quipped: "New York has nothing on us... but it's too cold to take a bath, anyway."

NOTICE OF SALE OF SCHOOL SITE
Under and by virtue of authority contained in G. S. 115-86 and pursuant to a resolution of the Pitt County Board of Education, and pursuant to that certain order made by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County on the 13th day of January, 1950, the Pitt County Board of Education will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash before the courthouse door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, on Tuesday, the 14th day of February, 1950, at 12:00 noon the following described property to-wit:

A certain piece of land in Chisolm Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and described as follows:

Beginning at a lightwood knot by the side of the road near the Spring Branch Church, runs East 70 yards, then South 70 yards, then West 70 yards to the public road, then with said road to the beginning, containing 1 acre, and being the same land conveyed to Richard Dixon, Miles Edwards and William Chapman, School Committee of School District No. 28 by Mariah Edwell by deed recorded in book E-4 at page 136, Pitt County Registry and being known and designated as the "Calico School" site.

This sale is being made because the property is no longer needed for school purposes and the purchaser will be required to deposit 10 percent of amount bid on day of sale.

This the 13th day of January, 1950.
PITT COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
By Joe S. Moyer, Chairman.
S. O. Worthington, Atty.
Jan. 18-25 Feb. 1-8

Street, and beginning at an iron stake back of the street curb in the east property line of said Snow Hill Street at Lena Dawson's southwest corner and running thence South 68 deg. 6 min. East 114.7 feet to an iron stake, a corner; thence South 18 deg. 15 min. West 50 feet to an iron stake back of the street curb in the east property line of Snow Hill Street; thence with the east property line of Snow Hill Street North 22 deg. 45 min. East 50 feet to the beginning, and being bounded on the North by Lena Dawson, on the East by L. R. Tripp, on the South by Ethel Worthington, and on the West by Snow Hill Street, according to map of survey made by F. McCoy Tripp, Land Surveyor, dated March 1949, which map is on file in the office of the Security Life and Trust Company in Winston-Salem, North Carolina, and being the same property conveyed by J. E. Burgess et al. to John M. Burgess and wife, Elsie G. Burgess, by that certain deed filed for registration in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County simultaneously with the registration of this deed of trust.

The successful bidder at said sale, equivalent to 10 per cent of his bid, will be required to make a deposit with the substituted trustee immediately after said sale as a good faith deposit pending the confirmation of the sale.

This the 17th day of January, 1950.
M. O. LEDFORD, Substituted Trustee.
R. B. Lee, Attorney
Jan. 18-25 Feb. 1-8

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust dated March 12, 1949, and executed by John M. Burgess and wife, Elsie G. Burgess, to R. G. Wilmoth, trustee, of record in Book L-25 at page 411 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, the said R. G. Wilmoth having resigned as trustee and M. O. Leford having been substituted as trustee in his stead by instrument recorded on January 17, 1950 in said Registry, default having been made in the payment of the debt therein secured and the said note having called upon the substituted trustee to foreclose said deed of trust, the undersigned substituted trustee will, on Saturday, the 18th day of February, 1950, at 12:00 o'clock, Noon, at the courthouse door in Greenville, N. C., expose to public sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate:

That certain lot or parcel of land, together with all the permanent improvements thereon, situate, lying and being in the Town of Ayden, Pitt County, State of North Carolina, on the east side of Snow Hill

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New Technique In Leaf Curing Draws Interest Many Farmers

Approximately 125 Pitt County farmers heard an illustrated lecture on new techniques in the curing of tobacco and the use of new fertilizers given by Assistant County Farm Agent Sam Weeks last night in the Court House.

The meeting was the final one in the recent county tobacco meeting program sponsored by the agent's office and given in several Pitt towns over the past two weeks.

From their questions after the lecture the farmers seemed to be very interested in a new tobacco barn ventilator developed at the experiment station at Oxford. The ventilator, called the Oxford Ridge

ventilator, was demonstrated in four barns last season and proved a success from a financial point of view.

It is designed, Weeks said, to undercut the cost of curing that farmers have heretofore paid in the use of regulation flue-cured barns. It was proven during the demonstrations last year that 100 sticks of tobacco could be cured, using the ventilator, and a small amount of insulation for \$1.75 which is 83 cents less than a state survey in 1946 on the subject showed. One farmer, with a completely insulated barn, used the ventilator for an average cost of \$1.50 per 100 sticks, the agent said.

Outside of curing, the lecture, which was illustrated with slides, centered around new fertilizers now being developed and put in use by experiment stations in the state. Weeks showed how too much percentage of nitrogen in the fertilizers now being used would produce an inferior grade of leaf which is high in nicotine and low in sugar content. He said that an excess of 1350 pounds of fertilizer per acre would prove unprofitable in quality tobacco production.

Talking about broad leaf varieties of the plant, such as Yellow Special, Bottom Special and Golden Harvest, those will produce more cigarette grade tobacco than will the older Gold Dollar, Virginia Bright Leaf and Bonanza. The cigarette manufacturers are now asking for leaf which is lower in nicotine content and higher in sugar, Weeks said. This was proven by a chart showing a higher percentage of sugar-content leaf bought last

year by the manufacturers at the state markets.

Weeks suggested to the farmers that those buying Dixie Bright 101 should let the plants ripen well before priming and should be planted 20 to 22 inches apart in the rows. This enables the plants to get plenty of sunlight for adequate ripening since the leaves are spaced farther apart on the stalk than are other non-resistant varieties.

As for the fall application of fertilizer to the plant beds, Weeks said that in doing so the farmers would not have to do so much work on their beds prior to seeding time. He urged them to buy their fertilizer as soon as possible since the current shortage of potash will reduce the supply of fertilizer in tobacco areas. (The New Mexico potash strike was called off this week but a shortage of fertilizer will result at planting time, Weeks said.)

Baseball Manager Speaker At Kiwanis Meet Friday Night

Dallas Blackiston, business manager of the Greenville baseball club for the 1950 season, will be guest speaker at the Kiwanis Club's supper meeting next Friday night at 6:30. Kenneth Beatty will have charge of the program. President Tige Gardner will preside.

The baseball manager will have his offices under the grandstand at Guy Smith Stadium. Blackiston is expected to outline some of his plans for the 1950 baseball season, Beatty stated. Numerous changes in the seating arrangements and other conveniences, including the shifting of the home town's club bench from the western to the eastern side of the grandstand.

Greene Countian Jailed Pending Outcome Fight

The Pitt county sheriff's department reported today that they are holding George O. Dunn, of Greene county in jail, pending the outcome of the condition of Lewis Driver, who is in Pitt General hospital in an unconscious state, as the result of injuries alleged to have been inflicted by Dunn.

According to reports from the sheriff's office, Driver was injured Saturday afternoon in a fight at a store near Saffletown. He was taken to his home, and finally brought to Pitt General hospital, Sunday night.

He has remained in a critical condition since that time, it was stated.

Driver was reported to have been injured at the Hugh Stock's store, Saturday afternoon, when Dunn is alleged to have knocked him down on the floor.

Marble Plaque Commemorates Renovation Job

A marble plaque commemorating the renovation of the Pitt County courthouse during 1948 and 1949 has been presented to the county by the V. P. Loftis Company of Charlotte and placed in the courthouse.

The renovation of the interior and exterior of the courthouse which began in 1948 was completed last June and cost the county approximately \$124,300.

The plaque included the names of Commissioners W. J. Smith, chairman of the board from 1948 to 1949, M. B. Hodges, chairman of the board from 1949 to 1950, J. Vance Perkins, vice chairman from 1948 to 1950, G. H. Pittman, M. W. Smith, J. T. Dupree, County Attorney Sam B. Underwood, and Architect A. J. Maxwell Jr.

The V. P. Loftis Company was contractor for the renovation work.

Fresh Warrant After Release

A 27-year-old Greenville man was released from the roads yesterday afternoon in a habeas corpus hearing before Judge W. T. Hatch in Wake Superior Court.

Joseph E. Kirchner, who was given twelve 30-day sentences in Pitt Superior Court last April for passing worthless checks, told Judge Hatch that he had been taken off A-grade prisoner rating after an attempted escape while serving his third 30-day sentence and had been kept in C-grade since that time.

Judge Hatch ordered Kirchner's release on the grounds that although his sentences were to run consecutively, they were separate terms. He found that the prisoner qualified for A-grade rating at the beginning of his fourth term and should be released due to time off for good behavior.

Kirchner is being detained by Sheriff R. J. Pleasant for Pitt County officials who reportedly have another worthless check warrant to serve on him.

Pitt County Deputy Sheriff Jack Mills has gone to Raleigh to bring the man back to face charges of a bad check here.

February Opens Mild and Warm

The first day of February came in mild and warm, with a high temperature of 80 degrees being reported today at noon.

The temperature in Greenville yesterday was 40 degrees above the same period for last year as the mercury soared to a high of 80 degrees, compared with a high of 40 degrees last year.

A low reading of 55 degrees was recorded in this area during the past 24 hours.

Belhaven Police Arrest Alleged Store Robber

John Albert Sanders, 24-year-old Negro, wanted by Greenville police for the alleged robbery of Weston's Grocery Store on Pamlico Avenue some weeks ago, has been apprehended and now is in jail here awaiting trial. He is charged with breaking, entering and larceny. He will be tried in Police Court next Friday.

Police Chief Page said Sanders disappeared after the grocery store robbery. His description was sent to police in Eastern North Carolina. The police chief of Belhaven and another officer stopped Sanders on a highway near there, questioned him and then let him go.

On second thought, the Belhaven chief told Greenville police, Sanders looked very much like the man alleged to have robbed the Greenville grocery store, "and we went back and took him in custody."

Checking over the record at police headquarters today, Chief Page said "some of them get away from us, but, as a rule, in due course of time Greenville police get the law violators."

Cases Tried In County Court

The following cases were disposed of in Tuesday's term of Pitt County Court:

Nashville Hardee, Jr., abandonment and non-support; 6 months, suspended; probation for two years. Eugene Knight, Negro, drunk and disorderly; 30 days, suspended on \$25 and costs and that he remain sober for one year.

Wiley Briley, worthless check; 30 days, suspended, defendant pays costs of court and \$60 check.

E. V. Albritton, worthless check; 6 months, suspended, on payment of court costs and \$450 check; appealed.

Guy Sutton, C. V. Nichols, George B. Haddock, Thomas Allen, gambling; transferred to Superior Court. Pete Jackson, Negro, possession of non-tax-paid whisky; 90 days, suspended on payment of \$25, and not to violate law for two years.

Thomas Allen, operating gambling house; transferred to Superior Court.

BETHEL P. T. A. MEETING POSTPONED
The Bethel P. T. A. meeting scheduled to be held Thursday night, February 2, has been postponed until Thursday, February 9.

Grounded Mo. . . .

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for her.

Navy men afloat and ashore greeted the news with whoops.

The big Mo., a stricken 45,000-ton giant since she strayed from the buoy-marked ship channel January 17 and went aground, was moved cautiously from the moment she finally floated. The Navy put the official time at 1:16 a.m., but movement astern was plainly perceptible minutes before.

H-Bomb . . .

(Continued from page one)

possible means of communication developed in the last war. If scientists can destroy the world, they should be able to talk to the world.

"Let them talk to the Russian people. That might do the trick."

Well, that's an idea worth turning over in our minds. Every reasonable effort certainly should be made to avert the tragedy of an atomic war.

The way things stand there are a lot of citizens who feel like mi-

grating with their families into the far northern wilds of Hudson Bay, where they could build log-cabins and live in peace. But the problem can't be solved by running away. We've got to stock and face it.

President Truman issued his order after the Senate-House Atomic Committee gave strong indication that it was about to recommend development of the super-bomb. His decision was applauded by Congress members generally.

It is worthy of note that the President's action followed closely the publication of Secretary of Defense Johnson's first annual report in which he called for America to be on the alert and stay powerful until international cooperation "is accepted by the adversaries who are now doing their utmost to destroy it."

Pitt Demos . . .

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He thought the delegation from the 100 counties were "Democrats first and Truman Democrats second." He saw no trace of any Dixiecrats at the meetings and no Dixiecrat feelings or sentiments were expressed so far as he knew.

W. I. Bissette of Grifton was of the opinion that the Dixiecrats who were invited to the dinner were either tied up with affairs at home or "managed to get out of coming somehow." He thought Barkley gave a good address, mentioning no controversial subjects such as civil rights and the pending FEPC laws in Congress, which, he thought, was a wise policy.

Other delegates noted the applause given when the Vice President mentioned the names of Wilson, Cleveland, Roosevelt, and thought it was deserved. But when Barkley came to the administration of President Truman, they noticed the applause lacked the spontaneity which typified the others' names. That fact seemed to bear out Pitt County's party chairman, John G. Clark's remark, prior to the dinner that local Democrats were loyal to the party "as they know it, not as Harry Truman runs it."

All in all, the Pitt delegates seemed to have a fine time Saturday in Raleigh, all coming home with the opinion that nothing was accomplished so far as actual politics

was concerned except the realization of more than the expected quota of \$30,000 for party funds.

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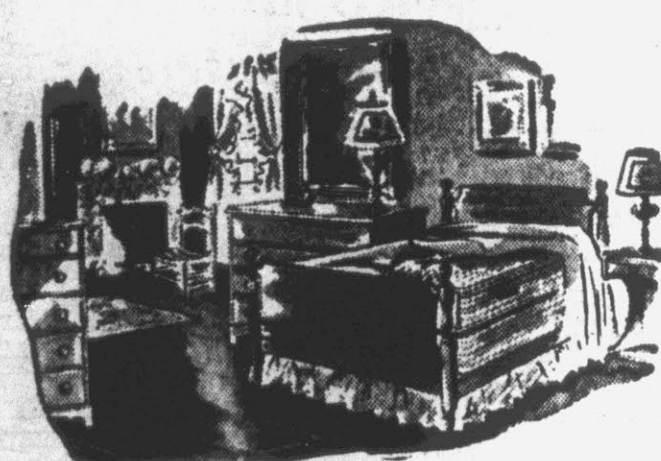
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Acheson Seeks Support For Far Eastern Policy



Secretary of State Dean Acheson (left) talks with Rep. John Kee (D-W. Va.), chairman of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, in seeking support for his far Eastern policy. Appearing before the committee in Washington Monday, the secretary of state asked the congressmen to approve new U. S. aid to Korea to strengthen the country economically. In center background is John Myun Chang, Korean ambassador to the United States. (AP Wirephoto).

Sunday Tragedy Strikes On Illinois Highway



Dazed and bleeding, Martin Feinne, 25, stands beside the wreckage of his automobile just after colliding with a bus near Joliet, Ill. His wife Anita, 24, fatally injured, lies under a blanket at lower right. Seventeen of the 20 passengers on the bus were injured. It turned over in a ditch. The bus was en route from Dallas, Tex., to Chicago. (AP Wirephoto).

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