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Cigarette Firms Face Crack-Down Over Advertising

'False And Misleading,' Says FTC; Two Companies Ordered To Halt Claims

Washington, April 5.—(AP)—The government today ordered a crack down on what is called "false and misleading advertising" by some major cigarette makers.

The Federal Trade Commission directed two of the largest companies to halt certain claims that one brand of cigarettes is superior to another.

The so-called "cease and desist" orders were against R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co., makers of Camel cigarettes and the P. Lorillard Co., producers of Old Gold.

FTC said it also is considering similar action against the American Tobacco Co., and its Lucky Strike cigarettes as well as Philip Morris, Ltd., and the cigarettes that bear that company's name.

"All cigarettes contain varying amounts of nicotine and throat irritants," the commission said in announcing its action, "and there is no reliable basis in fact for advertising claims that one brand is superior to another in these respects."

FTC's action against the cigarette makers was the outgrowth of proceedings started in August, 1942.

Its order that Camels and Old Gold halt what FTC found to be "false and misleading advertiseing" represents a final decision on the part of the commission. The companies may appeal to the courts, however.

Aside from the contemplated action against Lucky Strike and Philip Morris cigarettes, the commission said in its 4,000-word statement that it is studying the advertising practices of Pall Mall cigarettes, made by American Cigarette and Cigar Co. of Durham, N.C.

FTC trial examiners already have recommended issuing the "cease and desist" orders against Lucky Strike and Philip Morris.

FTC said its action on Camels and Old Gold was based primarily on a finding that those cigarettes "cannot truthfully claim a lower nicotine content because the tobaccos used by the manufacturers of all the leading cigarette brands contain nicotine in substantially the same quantities and variations."

The agency asserted that his was proved by a series of tests made by the food and drug administration at the request of the trade commission.

"The results of these tests," FTC stated, "showed that the nicotine content of both the tobacco in and the smoke from the individual cigarettes involved in the tests varied greatly, both in actual weight and in percentage by weight of the cigarettes, not only as among the six different brands but also as among the individual cigarettes of the same brand."

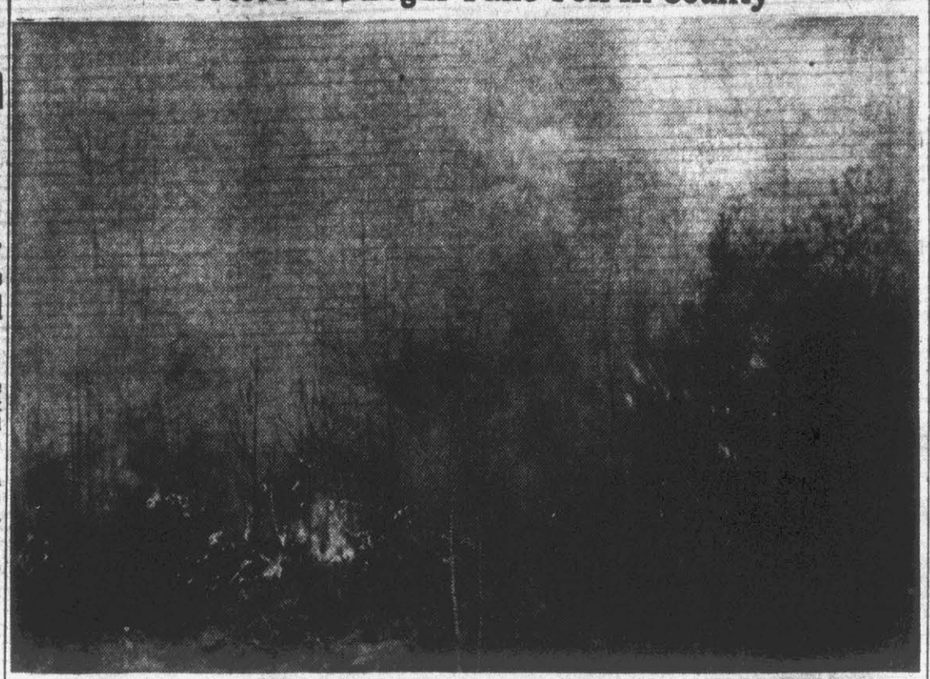
Navy Helicopter Topples, Killing Two On Carrier

Norfolk, Va., April 5—(AP)A navy helicopter toppled over after a carrier landing at sea and its churning blades killed two men and injured four others, the navy announced today.

The accident occurred aboard the Carrier Wright yesterday, the navy said, and details here were sketchy. The Wright was at sea on training maneuvers and was a day out of Quonset, R. I. Names of the dead and injured were withheld pending notification of next of kin.

Information available at the fifth naval district headquarters was that the Helicopter had just landed and then tilted over against the carrier's island superstructure. In addition to the two dead, two of the injured were hurt critically.

Forest Fires Begin Take Toll In County



Numerous forest fires broke out in widely separated areas of Pitt county yesterday following a long dry spell. Many thousands of acres of valuable forest land was burned over as forest crews sought to bring one fire after another under control. The above picture taken near Bruce yesterday afternoon shows the forest burning there. The flames, covered by the cloud of smoke in the background, broke through to engulf the entire area later. In the foreground, small fires began to eat their way along. (Reflector photo by Roy Hardee).

Rep. Cooley Denounces Brannan Farm Program

Reverses Former Position; Terms Plan Based On Idea Of Consumer Subsidy; Emphasizes Rift In Demo Ranks

Washington, April 5— (AP) —The Democratic chairman of the house agriculture committee denounced the administration's Brannan farm plan today as an untried idea based on "principles of a consumer subsidy."

Rep. Cooley of North Carolina, who blasted the plan in a statement, thus demonstrated a democratic party split on farm policy.

Only yesterday secretary of agriculture Brannan and Senator Humphrey argued warmly for the secretary's plan before a statewide meet of farmers in Milwaukee.

Cooley's vigorous anti-Brannan stand took on more significance in view of the fact that last year he led a unsuccessful fight to give the plan at least a trial.

The agriculture chairman explained his altered position did not mean that he would refuse to use the Brannan subsidy approach. in cases where this seemsd to be the only way of meeting a specific problem.

The Brannan plan proposes that perishable farm commodities be sold at whatever price the market will pay; and that the government later make production payments or subsidies to farmers to bring their income to a predetermined level considered by the government to be paid.

The present farm program seeks to maintain a fair price in the market place for farm commodities, through government loans or purchases that take price-depressing surpluses out of the markets.

Cooley's statement was in reply to what he called President Truman's "condemnation of the present farm program."

He referred to the special message to Congress on Monday in which the President made a new appeal for enactment of the Brannan plan, Cooley said:

"Most disturbing of all to me in the President's statement is what appears to be a lack of appreciation of the soundness, importance, and effectiveness of the present farm program. x x x

"The only alternative which Congress is offered, however, is one which apparently contemplates the 'junking' of the principles of the whole present program and the acceptance of an entirely new program based primarily on the principles of a consumer subsidy.

Drowns As Car Rolls Into River

Gifu, Japan, April 5—(AP)Mrs. J. F. Ballard, 38, formerly Alice B. Dunston of Charlotte, N. C., drowned Sunday when her parked automobile rolled backward into the Nagarawa river.

Miss Hilary Pierce of New Haven, Conn,. escaped. The two women had just entered their car at Gifu officers club. The base is 254 miles west of Tokyo.

Suspects Forest Fires Were Set

Pitt Fire Warden Says Evidence Found At Fire Scenes

Quenching rains early today brought to a halt the numerous forest fires which have raged over the county in the last two days, many of which are suspected to be the work of 'Fire Bugs," according to information received from Pitt County Warden N. S. Tyson.

Tyson yesterday stated that "fire bugs" are setting fires in several areas of Pitt County. On Monday the county had seven reported fires and yesterday there were five major fires burning in widely separated regions.

Tyson went on to say, "On Monday night, the first day which the fires were reported, a work crew was returning to Greenville from a fire near Stokes when they spotted three small isolated fires on the new highway leading from Stokes to Pactolus." When asked by a reporter if there was any evidence to bear out the claim of incendiarism at the fires, the fire warden said, "There is no doubt about the fires being the work of a 'fire bug.' We found these small fires in isolated spots, which could not have been set by sparks or from a motorist tossing a lighted match. At the scene of the three fires near Stokes, we found matches near the blazes which were located deep in the woods, away from the road."

Tyson stated that until he could make complete investigations into the origins of all the fires in the county, it would be impossible to say the exact number of fires which were the work of the fire bugs, although he stated he thought that a good majority of them were set.

Yesterday weary fire fighters who had been battling the flames since

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Fight Shapes Up On Defense Fund

Battle Developing Over How Much Security Is At Hand

Washington, April 5—(AP)—An angry battle is developing in Congress over how much security the Administration's new defense budget will buy America.

In the camp protesting "not enough" is Rep. Vinson (D-Ga.), supported by Republican and Democratic members of the House Armed Services Committee Vinson heads.

In the opposing camp are Secretary of Defense Johnson and Chairman Mahon (D-Tex.) of the House military appropriations subcommittee.

Their stand is that the proposed $13,911,127,000 budget for the fiscal year beginning in July is "sufficient for present needs."

Caught in the cross-fire are the military joint chiefs of staff, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower and economy-advocating congressmen of both parties.

Johnson and the joint chiefs returned from Europe just in time to be hit by Vinson's opening blast in debate on the appropriation bill in which he urged that $583,289,311 more be added for warplanes for the Air Force and Navy.

Vinson told Congress that under the Administration's military program American air power will wither on the vine at a time when the Russians are building the largest air force in the world "for use whenever their carefully-timed Pearl Harbor day comes around."

At about the time Vinson was speaking yesterday Johnson told a news conference he had ordered the joint chiefs of staff to restudy the budget to determine whether more money should be asked for Air Force and Navy planes.

Claims Strachey Not Mentioned In Defense Talk

London, April 5— (AP) —Defense Minister Emanuel Shinwell told Parliament today the position of war Minister John Strachey was never mentioned during Atlantic past defense talks at the Hague last week.

"I know of no discussions and if any suggestion had been made to me, officialy or unofficially, regarding the integrity or loyalty of Mr. Strachey I would have repudiated it at once," Shinwell declared in the House of Commons.

Labor party supporters of the Attlee government cheered.

Criticism of the Strachey appointment came earlier from the conservative Daily Mail which said he should not have been made war minister because of his previous pro-Communist writings.

School Building Plans Discussed At Pitt Meeting

Approve New Site For Negro School; Receive Grifton Hearing Request

Discussions of the building program for the schools of the county consumed the major portion of the time at the meeting of the Pitt board of education earlier this week.

Other matters, however, received the attention of the board, as the members approved a new site for a Negro school in the Stokes section, received petition from the Grifton district, and concurred with an action by the Winterville school board.

The county board of education received a petition from the Grifton district requesting a public hearing on the creation of a bond district so the Grifton district may vote on the issuance of bonds to support its building program. School Superintendent D. H. Conley said the Grifton petition was filed and referred to bond attorneys for proper procedure.

Also under discussion by the board of education was the auditing of the books of the schools of the county in compliance with the state statute passed by the 1949 session of the General Assembly. This is the first year in which the law has been in effect, Conley said, and added that the county board is "endeavoring to get a CPA to make the audits."

Architect J. W. Griffith Jr. discussed with the board the progress which is being made on the proposed building projects for the county schools. Conley said the board is hoping to be able to begin work on the project for the Ayden and Fountain schools within a few weeks, and it is hoped, he said, that the schools will be ready for use by next fall. Conley added, however, "It doesn't look like now they are going to get those projects under way as early as we had hoped they would."

The county board concurred with action taken a short time ago by the Winterville school board in discontinuing the operation of the Winterville cannery. The cannery has been operated through the school, but the equipment is owned by the federal government, Conley explained.

The board approved a four acre site in the Stokes section of the county for the construction of a new school for Negro students. Conley said there are three Negro schools in that section now, and the completion of the new building should make it possible to consolidate at least two of the schools. He added that plans call for the eventual consolidation of all three of the schools. He said it is certain the new school will not be ready for use next fall, but the board is hoping it will be ready for use by the fall of 1951.

Unrolled 5 Miles Of Newsprint

Bristol, England, April 5—(AP)—Well, the customs inspector explained, narcotics, tobacco or nylon hose could have been hidden in that roll of newsprint.

He had just had the roll unreeled and found nothing but paper—five miles of it.

New Officers Of Pitt NCEA Chapter



New officers of the Pitt county chapter of the North Carolina Education Association were elected last night at the annual dinner meeting of the local organization. Fodie Hodges (left) principal of the Belvoir-Falkland school was reelected president, Miss Elizabeth Spain of the Belvoir-Falkland school was appointed secretary-treasurer, and Sam D. Bundy (right), principal of Farmville school was elected vice president. (Reflector staff photo).

Longshore Union To Back Bridges

Officers Map Strategy To Carry Case To Supreme Court

San Francisco, April 5.—(AP)—Harry Bridges' CIO longshore union laid plans to carry to the Supreme Court, if necessary, the fight against their leader's conviction on a charge that he lied to conceal he was a communist.

Bitterly assailing yesterday's verdict of a federal court jury, the union's officers mapped a strategy that would counter possible moves to cancel Bridges' citizenship and have him deported to Australia.

But F. Joseph Donohue, the special prosecutor for the government in the stormy 81-day trial, said he felt certain the higher courts would find no basis for a reversal.

Donohue expressed belief that Bridges' conviction of committing perjury at his 1945 naturalization hearing would result in automatic cancellation of his citizenship, followed by a deportation action. Bridges, 48, and two union aides convicted with him of also conspiring to commit perjury will be sentenced Monday. Seven year terms and $15,000 fines are possible.

From Sydney, Australia, whence Bridges shipped out in 1920 for a tumultous career as a labor leader in the United States, came word by immigration officials that he probably would be allowed to return if ordered deported. Other government officials took the opposite view but said no decision would be made until an application required it.

The San Francisco regional office of the National Labor Relations Board studied another aspect of the conviction. Whether it had any effect on the recent signing of non-communist affidavits by Bridges and other offices of his international longshoremen's and warehousemen's union.

Those officers had held out for a long time against signing such affidavits. When they did so, they freely acknowledged the primary purpose was to be in legal position to resist any possible union raiding by the American Federation of Labor. Signing the affidavits was required in order for a union to have legal status before the NLRB.

Bridges' union presently is under threat of expulsion from the National CIO on charges of consistently pursuing left wing policies against the wishes of President Philip Murray and his national officers. Murray declined comment last nigt at Washington on what effect, if any, the conviction would have on that.

The reaction of Bridges and his union colleagues to the conviction was cynical.

Over 200 Attend Pitt NCEA Meet Tuesday

Know Of No Reds In State Dept.

Loyalty Board Head Appears Before Senate Probers

Washington, April 5—(AP)—Conrad A. Snow, chairman of the state department's loyalty board, said today the board knows of no Communists in the department.

Snow made the statement to a senate foreign relations subcommittee investigating charges by senator McCarthy (R-Wis) that the department is a haven for Communists and their friends.

"If there are any Communists in the state department, the loyalty security board is uninformed of their existence," Snow declared.

Snow and chairman Seth W. Richardson of President Truman's loyalty review board were called before the committee in a phase of the hearings that is expected to reach its climax tomorrow.

Owen Lattimore, the Johns Hopkins University professor who McCarthy charges is a top Russian agent, is to be heard tomorrow.

Lattimore has called McCarthy's charges a lie.

By the time Lattimore takes the stand, the committee hopes to have from McCarthy papers he says he has to back up his charges against Lattimore. McCarthy has promised to go through his files and select material that he considers valuable.

Hodges Reelected President; Bundy, Vice President; Address By Dr. Crabb Is Highlight Of Session

An address by Dr. Alfred Leland Crabb, and the election of officers for the coming year highlighted the annual dinner meeting of the Pitt county chapter of the North Carolina Educational association held last night in the north dining hall on the East Carolina campus.

More than 200 county teachers and their guests attended the meeting which was presided over by Fodie Hodges of Belvoir, president of the Pitt county NCEA chapter.

During the business session of the meeting Hodges was reelected to the office of president, and Sam D. Bundy, principal of the Farmville school, was elected vice president. Miss Elizabeth Spain of Belvoir school was appointed as secretary-treasurer of the organization for another term by President Hodges.

The new officers were installed by L. V. Godwin, retiring vice president of the organization.

Dr. Crabb, in his address to the teachers, said, "Teachers are the most creative folks in the world. Their influences live long beyond their funerals." He advised the teachers, "If I were you, I'd do a bit of writing. It is a very great help toward teaching. I would have an article published at least once every two years in some creditable publication."

Dr. Crabb advised the teachers to write about educational leaders, children and school instances. "A lead pencil is a noble thing," he

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Henderson Votes On Bond Issue

Hendersonville, April 5 —(AP)—Voters will go to the polls tomorrow to pass judgement on a proposed school building program in Henderson County.

At stake is whether to issue $700,000 in school bonds, which would be used with $420,000 in state grants for a program of permanent physical improvements.

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After that hour the circulation department will be closed and deliveries will be made of papers missed.

Farmville Board Votes To Extend Its REA Contract

Farmville, April 5.—The Board of Commissioners last night voted to extend the Rural Electrification Administration contract with the town for 60 days prior to cancellation of the operating clause.

The operating clause concerns the profit to the city under the fuel clause in the original contract which has been in effect since October 1948 but which had never been put in writing.

Under the agreement, which the board last night put in writing, the town was to absorb any profit from the fuel required to supply REA with power from the local plant. At the rate of 13 mils per kilowatt hour, the town has made money during the past year-and-a-half since most months' costs were under the 13 mils rate.

W. A. McAdams, head of the Water and Light Department, stated the profits under the fuel clause were due to the cost of fuel and fluctuation of cost due to the plant efficiency.

In addition to the business of changing the REA contract, Commissioners Claude Joyner, Roland Lang, John Stancil, Fred Moore and O. G. Spell voted to supply Chief of Police Lucas with a new patrol car, make and model to be left to the discretion of the Finance committee headed by Stancil. Lucas, Stancil and Moore were authorized to get the model desired pending the highest receivable value on a trade-in for the present car.

Barrett Taylor, in charge of the town dump, was authorized to move a house onto the landscaped portion of the dump for beautification purposes. Taylor was granted a 10-year lease on the two acres that have been landscaped at a cost of $25 a year. He said the other four-and-a-half acres of the dump could be used for at least 40 more years. Moving the house onto the hill created by the refuse over the past years would do much toward beautifying the present site, Taylor said.

Other business coming before the board concerned the administration of Community Chest funds by two

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Famine Aid For China Is Studied By State Dept.

Washington, April 5—(AP)—Secretary of State Acheson said today the State Department is considering whether to send surplus wheat and other commodities to famine areas of China.

Senator Knowland (R-Calif) recently proposed sending surplus foodstuffs to China, estimating that up to 10,000,000 Chinese may be near starvation.

Acheson told his news conference the proposal already has been discussed with Knowland and with members of the House Foreign Affairs committee.

The secretary indicated that if the United States goes ahead with such aid, it probably will be through private organizations.

SIGNS OF THE TIMES

New York, April 5—(AP)—Signs of the times: Palisade Amusement Park of New Jersey announced today that when its outdoor season opens on April 22, the major new thrill ride will be called "The Flying Saucer." Another planned is "The Jet Bomb."

Bednasek Acquitted On Charge Strangling Girl

Iowa City, Ia., April 5—(AP)—Robert E. Bednasek was acquitted today of the charge that he strangled pretty Margaret Anne (Gee-Gee) Jackson in a University of Iowa off-campus rooming house the early morning of last Dec. 11.

This meant that the jury accepted the defense story that the pretty coed's death was "a tragic accident." The state had asked conviction for first degree murder and the death penalty.

The four women and eight men who decided against the State's theory that the beautiful blonde's death was 'cold, calculated murder" motivated by jealousy had taken the case approximately 23 hours earlier.

Bednasek himself had appeared confident even before he received word that a verdict had been reached. Sheriff A. J. Murphy said he had to wake Bednasek up to give him breakfast, so soundly had the young man slept.

The court-room, though only half-filled, was taut with emotion as the verdict was passed to District Judge James P. Gaffney who read it after first admonishing against any demonstration.

When the verdict of innocent was read, however, there was a shout of exultation from some of the spectators.

The handsome defendant leaned his head back momentarily and then embraced Defense Attorney Clair Hamilton.

Peace Effort Jarred

New Delhi Conference Given Setback By Announcement Of Plot Said Aimed Against Peace And To Include Assassination Of Nehru; Why Does Group Want War?

By DeWITT MacKENZIE

This column yesterday recorded the good news of the conference in New Delhi between Prime Ministers Nehru of India and Liaquat Ali Khan of Pakistan who are trying to bring peace to their feuding nations.

Today we have to report that already this peace effort has been rudely jarred. The Bombay police announce the discovery of a Hindu extremist plot which is said to be aimed against peace and to include the assassination of Nehru.

Fourteen or more leaders of extremist organizations have been arrested. Among them is V. D. Savarkar, Hindu leader and formerly president of the militant Hindu Mahasabah. He was acquitted on charges of conspiracy growing out of the murder of the late Mahatma Gandhi, the saintly exponent of peace.

But why, in heavens name, a plot against Nehru and peace? Because there is a strong party of extremists who want Hindu India to make war on Moslem Pakistan as the result of reported mistreatment of Hindus in Moslem territory. Nehru stands for the peace taught by the Mahatma whom he reverenced.

That's the immediate cause of the hostility. However, the real basis of the bitterness goes back back for generations. It lies in the age-old religious warfare between the two peoples. And it hasn't been one-sided. The bitterness is mutual, and with the passage of time it has become politico-religious.

It was this Hindu-Moslem split which precluded a politically unified Indian peninsula when England signaled her intention of granting independence. The ideal would have been to bring the vast subcontinent under one government, so that its diverse resources could be equally shared. But the divide was too great to be spanned.

The battle over the question of unity was at its height when I was in India in 1942-3, and the crux of the matter lay in the fact that the Moslems were a numerical minority. There were roughly 90,000,000 Moslems as against close to 300,000,000 Hindus.

I discussed this matter with the late Mahomed Ali Jinnah, leader of the Moslems and later to be their first governor general after they received independence. Jinnah saw all the economic benefits of a unified

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History Of Dispute

Long Standing Quarrel As To Whether Legislative Branch Has Access To Files Of Executive Branch Of Government; An Exhaustive Study Of Situation Made

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, April 5—(AP)—There's a long history behind the present dispute between Congress and the President over this question:

Does the legislative branch of the government (Congress) have a right to see secret files in the executive branch headed by the President) if he thinks it better not to disclose them?

Herman Wolkinson, an attorney of the justice department, has made an exhaustive study of the history behind this dispute and published his findings in the federal bar journal.

The conclusion he reaches—that the Congress can't compel the President to turn over executive records—are his own, not those of the justice department has taken exactly the same stand since the start of the American government.

This is a brief summary of his study:

Although Wolkinson says there have been many instances where Congress was turned down in its demands upon the executive branch, he lists 29 cases as outstanding.

Those 29 cases cover refusals by 17 Presidents, (starting with Washington) and their department heads to heed congressional demands. When the department heads refused, they did so with Presidential approval of their action.

(The Presidents, besides Washington, were: Jefferson, Monroe, Jackson, Tyler, Polk, Fillmore, Buchanan, Lincoln, Grant, Hayes, Cleveland, Theodore Roosevelt, Coolidge, Hoover, Franklin D. Roosevelt and Truman.)

Wolkinson says: "For over 150 years—almost from the time that the American form of government was created by the adoption of the constitution—our Presidents have established, by precedent, that they and members of their cabinet have an undoubted privilege and discretion to keep confidential, in the public interest, papers and information which require secrecy . . .

"The message of our past Presidents reveal that almost every one of them found it necessary to inform Congress of his constitutional duty to execute the office of President and, in furtherance of that duty, to withhold information and papers for the public good . . ."

"Courts have uniformly held that

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Social and Personal

All items for this page received after 10 A. M. will be published the following day. Dial 3456—8 A. M. to Noon; 1 to 6:30 P. M.

Mrs. Eva Dudley will return from Duke hospital today but will be confined to her home for some time.

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Mr. M. O. Minges has returned from Florida where he spent the winter.

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Mrs. Francis Dixon and little son, Francis, Jr., of Tarboro, are visiting Mrs. Dixon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Buck of Winterville.

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Miss Dot Stauffer, a student at Martha Washington College, Fredericksburg, Va., will spend her spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Stauffer. She will arrive today or tomorrow.

Birth Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Harrison announce the birth of a son, Benjamin, Jr., at Bass Memorial hospital, Tarboro, N. C., on April 3.

Mrs. Harrison is the former Miss Ann Wicker of Tarboro.

Birth Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel H. Gordon announce the birth of a son, Jack Douglas, on April 4 in Pitt General hospital.

Card of Appreciation

The family of the late James S. Norwood want to thank all the friends and neighbors for their kindness during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father.

WIFE AND CHILDREN.

Revival at Black Jack

The Rev. Nathan F. Hanchey will conduct a two weeks revival at the Black Jack Free Will Holiness church beginning Monday night, April 10. Everyone is invited to attend.

F. W. B. Prayer Service

The Greenville Free Will Baptist church will meet tonight at 7:30 p. m. for prayer service. This service will conclude the pre-Easter prayer meetings sponsored by the Woman's Auxiliary of the church. The public is urged to be present.—R. B. Crawford, pastor.

Mid-Week Prayer Service

Mid-week worship service of the First Presbyterian church will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. Leonard W. Topping, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the college class room.

Revival at Bell Arthur

A revival meeting will be held at Bell Arthur Christian church April 10 through April 16. Services will begin each evening at 7:45 with Zeph N. Deshields, evangelist, preaching.

Memorial Baptist Prayer Service

Prayer service and teachers' meeting will be held at Memorial Baptist church tonight at 8 o'clock. R. E. Hardaway, pastor.

Bookmobile Schedule

FRIDAY

Campbell Service Sta.—9:30-9:45
Grimesland School—10:00-12:15
Grimesland—1:00-1:15
Ham's Crossroads—1:30-1:45
Hudson's Crossroads—2:00-2:15
Galloway's Crossroads—2:00-2:15
Simpson—3:00-3:15

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H. D. Bateman went to Winterville yesterday.

F. C. Harding went to Wilson today.

Almost the entire student body of the colored graded school lined up at Dr. Nobles office Tuesday afternoon to be vaccinated.

There are two or three cases of smallpox in the Rochdale community.

The biggest discovery the south has made these last five years is that we are in the corn belt—that we are, in fact the real corn belt.

Harper Darden In Oratorio

Richmond—"The Redeemer," an oratorio for Lent, will be presented by the Leigh Street Baptist church choir under direction of Wayne Batty at 8 p. m. Good Friday, April 7. It will mark the first performance of this oratorio by Martin Shaw in Richmond.

It is a relatively new composition, having been written in 1945. Although composed primarily for the concert stage, it is written with an eye to, and with special programming for church performance.

The oratorio is divided into the traditional three parts. Part I is entitled "The Conflict of Good and Evil." Part II is "The Agony and Betrayal." Part III is "The Crucifixion." The whole composition culminates in a triumphal chorus.

The soloists will be Mrs. Beaulah Johnson, soprano; Mrs. Iris Cherry, contralto; Harper Darden, tenor, of Greenville, and William Lewis, baritone. The accompaniment will be played by Mrs. Audrey Kidd at the organ and Mrs. Jane Batty at the piano.

H. J. Sawyer Recognized By O.E.S.

Greenville Chapter 149, Order of the Eastern Star held a regular meeting last night in the Masonic Temple with Mrs. Emogene Duffin presiding. The new officers filled their stations well.

H. J. Sawyer was called to east and Mrs. Mae Sawyer in a very lovely manner presented her husband a past patron's jewel from Greenville chapter for his devotion and service to the order during the past year. Ernestine Garner presented H. J. Sawyer with a gift from his officers in appreciation for what he had meant to them. He accepted both gifts and thanked the chapter and officers for the privilege of serving as worthy patron. He also offered his services whenever the new officers needed him.

The worthy matron announced that the year books would be distributed at the next meeting. Brother Jesse Brown thanked the chapter for helping make his birthday a very happy one. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kennedy, Marie Clark, Kathleen Whitehurst and Blanche Jackson visited Grifton chapter at their public installation of officers on Monday night. They reported on the lovely installation and the grand hospitality shown them while at Grifton.

Elks Install New Officers Thursday

Greenville Lodge No. 1645, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, will install Jesse R. Maye II as exalted ruler and other recently elected officers, Thursday night at 8 o'clock.

Retiring Exalted Ruler Charles E. Blair will preside.

The ancient Medes and Persians cultivate spinach.

More than 20,000,000 Christmas trees are cut each year in the U. S.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY

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

THURSDAY

8 p. m.—Executive Board of the Business and Professional Woman's club will meet at the home of Mrs. Louise Carrigan.

8:00 p. m.—In the parlors of Wilson Hall E. C. T. C. study group sponsored by the International Relations committee of the Woman's club. Reports on the Chinese Policies of Knowland, MacArthur, Nehru, and Lattimore. Anyone interested will be cordially welcomed.

FRIDAY

6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club.

6:45 p. m.—Exchange Club.

7:30 p. m.—Mrs. Bert Whitehurst will entertain Miss Jane Broadwell and Mr. James R. Croom, bridal couple-elect, at a dinner party at her home in Stokes.

Ballard's X Roads News

Mrs. F. A. Garner of Kinston was a guest of Mrs. W. H. Elks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wooten visited their grandmother, Mrs. Harris, who is ill in Watts hospital, Durham, Sunday.

Miss Mary E. Nichols of Charlotte will arrive home Friday to spend the Easter holidays at her home.

Miss Ann Crawford attended the coronation dance at the Greenville high school on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hawes of Fresno, Calif., arrived last Sunday to spend several weeks with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Tyson.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Davis of Ayden and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Palmer were guests of Mrs. J. S. Elks Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ray Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Evans were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sullivan in Williamston Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Tom Evans and Mrs. B. T. Cannon of Greenville were visitors of Mrs. W. H. Elks Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah L. Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Ned Kinsaul were High Piont visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Harris were week-end visitors in Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Crawford were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hardy near Grimesland Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. L. R. Jones is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Earl Bowen, in Plymouth.

I. A. Joyner is working in Laurinburg this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Ross of Greenville, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gurganus of Farmville, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Joyner of near Winterville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Ross Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tyson of Grifton visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Tyson Sunday.

Funeral On Thursday For Noah E. Gaskins

Noah E. Gaskins, 79, died at his home near Vanceboro at 12:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon after three weeks of illness. Funeral services will be conducted from Macedonia Free Will Baptist Church Thursday afternoon at three o'clock by the Rev. D. W. Alexander, pastor, assisted by the Rev. J. R. Bennett of Bridgeton, a former pastor, and burial will be in the Vanceboro cemetery. The body will be carried to the church one hour prior to the time of service.

Mr. Gaskins was a native and lifelong resident of Craven County, and was a member of Macedonia Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Dora Smith Gaskins; a daughter, Mrs. R. H. Bland of Greenville; a son, Victor Gaskins of near Vanceboro; seven grandchildren; one great grandchild; a brother, Ernest Gaskins of near Vanceboro.

High Churchman Is Visitor Here

Dr. John A. Tate of Richmond, Va., president of the International Convention of the Disciples of Christ, who stopped in Greenville for a brief visit with Dr. H. Glenn Haney, pastor of Eighth Street Christian Church, received a warm welcome by Greenville people this morning at the postoffice.

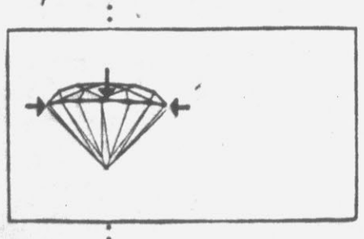
The distinguished Disciples of Christ church leader was on his way to Robersonville, where he was to address an assembly of Eastern Carolina Disciples of Christ in Robersonville at 10:30.

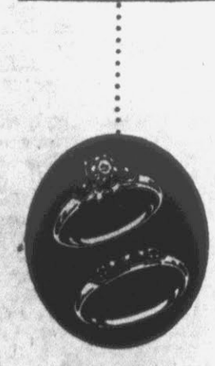
Dr. Haney, in the short time he had, phoned some Greenville people that he and Dr. Tate would be in the postoffice a little while between 9 and 9:30 this morning.

Dr. Haney said the next International Convention of the Disciples of Christ will be held in Oklahoma City, Okla., next October.

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You'll enjoy wearing one of these new dresses. New styles for misses, women and juniors. Dressy styles and sport styles—
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GROUP THREE . . .
Newest
DRESSES
Just arrived for Easter. You'll want one of these lovely new prints or solid colors. Navy, black or pastel shades. Crepes and linens—
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DRESSES
New formals for the Easter season for graduation exercises, for the dances and dinner dresses too. You'll find here the dress you desire—
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Dobbs, Vogue and other beautiful hats for the spring and Easter seasons. All colors and sizes—
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Fabric and Leather. Black, white and colors—
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Easter Roundup For The Mid-Century Male

MODES of the MOMENT

By DOROTHY ROE



FOR THE SPORTSMAN . . . Lighter colors, lighter weights and subdued patterns make sports coat news for 1950. This handsome glen plaid wool has the soft tailoring to important to the outdoors man.



ONE POUND OF COMFORT . . . This is the big news in the sportswear field—a handsome jacket of tweed so light-weight that the whole coat weighs only one pound. This muted plaid is a Wool Bureau selection.



COUNTRY GENTLEMAN . . . Here's the way he should look at the club. The coat is mustard yellow tweed, the trousers are tan flannel.

Marshall Plan Is Discussed Big Woman's Club Study Group

In a further study of the Marshall Plan, seeking to analyze the difficulties in its administration, Mrs. Jo Scott reported on Russia's tactics in disrupting the plan and on the military strength of Russia as compared to our own. Mrs. Lucy Vornholt explained McMahon's "Global Marshall Plan." Mrs. Basnight's remarks in discussion brought out the difficulties in changing old patterns of life so strongly set in the 19 Marshall Plan countries and territories; tariff boundaries; quota agreements; dependence on colonies now lost; the fact that these countries have been competitors for centuries the differences in language and culture among countries crowded so closely together in a small strip of land like a necklace on Eurasia's throat; the greatest concentration of culture in the world, the hope of a continuing free world. Yet its resources have been exploited for centuries.

On the other hand, the territory controlled by Russia stretches from Germany across Siberia to the Pacific with practically no trade barriers, no labor unions, no entrenched wealthy class of any great size, no large manufacturers associations. It is sparsely settled and has very low standards of living and culture and its resources have hardly been touched. The Russian dictatorship can organize this stretch of land perhaps more easily than the Marshall Plan countries can democratically reorganize their thousand-year nationalities and competitions. It calls for fast education for all of us westerners.

The group concluded that the greatest problem concerning the Marshall Plan will come towards the end of the plan when we will have built up in Europe prospective competitors who will have to export to the U. S. to exist. Will the pressure groups in Congress allow this?

Mrs. Krausnick, who moderated, concluded:

"The chief difficulty lies in the realm of the mind and the spirit. Lip service to Christianity and democracy and a neurotic faith in the findings of the scientists which can reshape matter but not man has produced uncertainty, vacillation in policy and the hysterical fear which drives us to curtail the very liberties we are fighting for."

Traffic Survey For New Bridges

Greensboro, N.C., April 5—(AP)—An around-the-clock survey will be made this summer to determine how much traffic might use proposed bridges over Croatan Sound and Alligator River.

The State Highway Commission agreed to the Roanoke Island study at its meeting here yesterday.

The report suggesting the study was presented by Henry Shelton, first division member and chairman of a commission committee to investigate the bridge proposals.

Fountain News

Mrs. R. D. Owens of Macclesfield, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Owens and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Owens of Wilson were Friday and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Owens and daughter, Judy, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Heath of Greenville R.F.D. 2.

Mrs. Eddie Dunn entertained a quilting party at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Onnie Walston of Rocky Mount, Mr. Wallace Whitley of Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Thigpen of Beulaville were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Walston.

Celia Walston Sunday attended the Azalea Festival of Wilmington.

The three from Fountain taking part in the dress review, sponsored by the Home Demonstration Club of Pitt County at Greenville Saturday afternoon were: Silva Gardner and Sarah and Sandra Smith.

Mrs. West Joyner of Rocky Mount is spending the week visiting her sister, Mrs. Roy Moore.

Mr. Franklin Lewis of Richmond arrived Saturday to spend a few days visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Lewis .

Mrs. L. B. Manning left Tuesday afternoon of this week for a few days visit with her mother, Mrs. Alice Page of Greenville.

Mr. W. S. Newton is still a patient of Rocky Mount Sanitorium.

Mrs. Bill Russell and daughter, Laura Ann of Carolina Beach spent a few days of last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Baker and children Kay and Fay accompanied Mrs. Russell and children to Mrs. Russell's mother's home, Mrs. Fred Williams of Carolina Beach for a week-end visit.

Katherine Baker spent the week-end visiting Peggy and Bobby Blackburn of Kinston.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Howell and children, Josephine, Nancy Carol, Barbara Ann and Anthony of Herald Harbor Crownsville, Maryland, arrived Saturday to spend a week visiting Mrs. Howell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Owens.

Mrs. R. A. Fountain and Mrs. W. R. Harris left Tuesday night for Florida to visit Mr and Mrs. E. W. Hunt of Dayton Beach, Florida.

Mr. William M. Moore returned from Pitt General Hospital, Greenville, Saturday and will haveto return to the hospital Wednesday of this week for further medical attention.

S-Sgt. and Mrs. W. B. Owens and son William B. Jr. of Reading, Pa., and Mrs. Kattie Owens of Raleigh spentthe week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Luther T. Owens. Mrs. Owens accompanied S-Sgt. and Mrs. W. B. Owens and son to Reading, Pa. Tuesday.

The Fountain grade mothers of the third grade entertained the students with an Easter egg hunt Friday morning.

Calvin Brow of Green Cove Springs, Fla., was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Sutton.

The Women of the Fountain Presbyterian church met Thursday evening at the church with seven present. Mrs. G. E. Trevathan led the devotional.

Lou Ellie Gay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gay, celebrated her ninth birthday with a party Saturday afternoon at her home. Sixteen guests were present.

The table was centered with a birthday cake, which was decorated in Easter effect. Each guest was presented with a bunny as a favor.

China To Protest Soviet Intervention In Civil War

Taipei, Formosa, April 5—(AP)—Nationalist China today instructed its delegates to protest to the United Nations "definite Soviet participation in China's civil war." The quotation is Foreign Minister George Yeh's.

The Nationalists charged earlier that two Soviet airmen, flying Russian planes, shot down two Nationalist pilots Sunday during a raid on Hangchow Bay shipping. Gen. Shih Chueh, defense commander, called the attack "a flagrant act of Soviet aggression" and "a prelude to an open march in southeast Asia."

There was no mention of the air action in Yeh's statement today. But he cited these alleged instances of Soviet interference:

1. Soviet fliers and air technicians are streaming to the aid of Chinese Communists in north and central China.

2. Soviet technicians are setting up and running an air force signal corps for the Sino-Reds.

3. Many former Japanese planes and some former U.S. aircraft leased to Russia "are now definitely in use by the Chinese Communists."

Yeh said these acts "furnish additional evidence of definite Soviet participation in the military action of the Chinese Communists." He said this violated the United Nations charter and the Sino-Soviet treaty of 1945.

The Nationalist foreign minister called again for the United Nations to send a naval and air observation team to China.

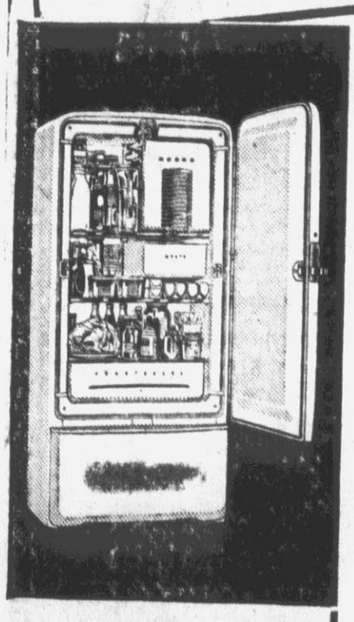
Boxscore

Raleigh, N. C., April 5—(AP) The Motor Vehicle department's report on highway accidents for the 24-hour period ending at 10 a. m. today:

Killed—8.
Injured—30.
Killed to date—229.
Killed to date in 1949—203.
Injured to date—2722.
Injured to date in 1949—1996.

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On The Fashion Floor



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$14.99

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$8.88

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Strength for the Day

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

THE PAINT PEELS OFF

When the Turks captured Constantinople, they took over the cathedral of St. Sofia. They painted out the Christian pictures, and for years the pictures stayed painted out. But now the paint is beginning to come off. In the dome of the ceiling one can see a great deal of the original painting of the ascension of Christ.

When the revolutionists took over in France 150 years ago, they banished religion. But it would not stay banished. Many people are wondering today how long the atheistic leaders of Russia can hold out against the true piety of the masses.

Our secular civilization has painted out considerable of our Christian idealism. Fifty years ago most thoughtful people believed that science and religion were fundamentally in conflict with each other. Thoughtful people today do not believe this. The possibility that religion may be right is beginning to shine through many scientific findings. Also we are tiring of the materialism, the lewdness, and the general despair of secularism.

If you tried to paint out in your own life the promptings of conscience, the teachings of a good Christian home, the inspiration of Christian ideals, the chances are that the paint will begin to peel after a while and the things you wanted to hide will again make their appearance.

A Sound Proposal

Amid the flurry of government spending and waste on almost every hand, it is gratifying to hear one of the leaders of North Carolina's agricultural interests propose a movement for a federal farm program on a sound business basis founded upon the principles of supply and demand.

The Reflector is in full accord with Fred S. Royster's plea for a sound basis for the farm support program in which production control goes hand in hand with the price support program.

There can be no such thing as a sound price support program if producers are allowed to flood the market year after year with crops for which there is no demand. True enough, under the present program the farmers get money from the government for the crops which are stacked in storage bins to rot, or are destroyed by government order; but after all the money which is paid the farmer for such crops comes from the taxpayers pocket, and the farmer is one of the taxpayers.

Tobacco farmers have had the foresight to see that the market would not absorb their maximum production, and accordingly they have regulated their production to meet the demand for their crop. Through such a program based on the principle of supply and demand, tobacco farmers deserve the benefits they are receiving from the government in the way of a floor under tobacco prices.

Producers of other crops, however, are flooding the markets with all their land will produce, and expecting the government to pay for what the regular market will not absorb. It is not good business, and it can not last forever.

The Reflector agrees with Royster in his statement that the entire federal farm program should be placed on a realistic basis, and it should be done quickly.

Perhaps There Are Two Sides To The Story

Greenville is losing an industry. The officials of the American Lady, Inc., have announced definitely that their plant in Greenville will be closed within a few months, and in the meantime there will be very few people employed at the plant.

A loss of an industry to most any town or city is of some consequence, but to a small city which has its industrial development confined to the small scope which is characteristic of Greenville, the loss of an industry the size of American Lady is indeed of significance.

The plant at its peak of operation employed approximately 250 people, and its weekly payroll indeed was a welcome addition to the income of not only the American Lady employees, but the Greenville merchants and their employes as well.

The loss of the industry also is significant in respect to the possibility of attracting to Greenville a new industry to replace the one which is leaving.

According to the statements of company spokesmen, the labor production in Greenville relative to the 75 cents minimum hourly wage required by federal law is the principal factor in the concern's decision to abandon its Greenville plant.

The Reflector, however, cannot help but believe that in holding up an alleged lack of production by local workers as the reason for the plant's instability, the owners and management of the plant perhaps may be forcing to the background some other factors and attempting to place the blame on labor in this area. While it may be true that the labor has not produced as high as the company officials had perhaps hoped, it has also been observed that economic conditions throughout the United States during the past twelve months could have had a bearing on the movement of the local plant.

It is generally opined that the strikes in the coal fields and the production slowdowns which resulted in industrial centers in other parts of the United States during the past year have caused the retail sales of the American Lady garments to lag. This may well be borne out by the fact that the local plant at the present time has an "ample" supply of garments which it will continue to ship for some months to come.

Then too there may have been trouble in the management of the local plant itself as well as difficulties in the higher echelons of the company's organization. All of these things fit into a picture, and The Reflector is not seeking to lay the blame of the plant's failure to stay in Greenville on the shoulders of the plant owners or managers. But neither does the Reflector believe local labor should have to accept the entire responsibility for the plant's failure to remain and prosper in Greenville.

National Whirligig

News Behind The News

By RAY TUCKER

WASHINGTON, April 5—Top military and diplomatic officials here and abroad are imploring President Truman to carry the "cold war" into Russian territory by financing and organizing the same sort of subversive and underground movements overseas that Moscow has directed against the United States and its western allies. They maintain that we can never win with our present kid-gloves, note-writing and speech-making policy.

While they also urge creation of a far-reaching spy system similar to the Office of Strategic Services headed by "Wild Bill" Donovan during World War II, that kind of counter-thrust is not their principal purpose.

What they recommend is American revival of the underground resistance movements that proved so effective against Hitler, provoking army plots to depose him.

WELCOME—In several Russian provinces, notably the Ukraine and Byelorussia, and in every satellite country, there are thousands of survivors of sporadic and scattered anti-Stalin groups. Reports leaking out from those regions convince our intelligence experts that they would welcome American assistance looking toward incitement of unrest, dissension and actual outbreaks against the Kremlin.

Our present policy of "waiting until the dust settles," however, does not encourage them to organize against the "terror." They want active aid, central direction, propaganda supplies and facilities, even arms in some places.

In short, they are only awaiting the same sort of outside help which the Donovan agencies gave to anti-Axis cliques in occupied France, Germany, Italy, North Africa and the Balkans during the recent conflict.

OBVIOUS—It is obvious that Americans cannot take charge of these on-the-ground counter-activities. Our people are too easily spotted by their appearance, their speech and western habits to engage in this kind of penetration, infiltration and filibustering. But it would not be difficult to reassemble and reorganize the anti-Communist dissidents through the areas now under Russian rule.

In fact, it is understood that O.S.S. files contain a list of names of Eastern European, Balkan and Chinese leaders who would form the hard core of a world-wide, anti-Stalin conspiracy. Rank-and-file personnel could be drawn from labor unions, religious groups, dissatisfied politicians and patriotic volunteers.

FAILURE—Our present counter-spy and counter-propaganda offensive is admittedly a failure insofar as promoting dynamic revolutionary movements is concerned.

The "Voice of America" does a good job within its limitations. It aims to expose Communist threats to a people's freedom, and to ennoble our ambitions and principles. But a radio recording from 3,000 to 5,000 miles away impresses the harassed and suppressed audience as only so much "pie in the sky."

Our diplomatic establishments in every Red-controlled country are merely isolated outposts. Muscovite and satellite guards walk sentry outside their residences and offices. Whenever they make a move outside their doors, they are "tailed" by hostile observers.

JITTERS—Stalin's spies, however penetrate deep into government councils and parliaments, labor unions and civic organizations, in every Marshall Plan nation. Our Army-Air-Navy officers abroad are jittery over their detailed knowledge of all our economic and military plans for aiding Western Europe, Italy, Greece, Asia and Turkey against Russian attack.

Moscow agents working as longshoremen, railroad despatchers and retail distributors have full information on our shipments of civilian and military goods. In the same way they get data on old and new installations—airfields, naval bases, fortifications etc.—from Communist members of the unions or ordinary citizens.

PROBLEM—On a higher level, the Fuchs, Coplon-Gubitchev, Hiss and Canadian revelations prove that they have means of obtaining details on our atomic, and possibly our H-bomb status.

It is no exaggeration, according to our military and diplomatic men, to say that Stalin has an array of "fifth columns" which make Hitler's system seem like a Boy Scout troop. The number of fifth columnists in the U.S. alone is placed at 540,000.

Meanwhile, as such experienced men as General "Ike" Eisenhower, General Donovan and Bernard M. Baruch warn, we have exactly nothing either to offset this organization or to build a similar, anti-Stalin bonfire abroad.

This problem has No. 1 priority among the "cold war" strategists today.

SPOT—Prospective passage of the Kerr Bill exempting natural gas gatherers from regulation by the Federal Power Commission places President Truman on a spot. Although he has denounced a similar House measure as inspired by "reactionary interests," he promised some time ago to approve the Oklahoma senator's proposal if it reached his desk. Otherwise, Senate Leader Lucas would not have scheduled it for debate and action.

Meanwhile, however, several Fair Deal senators, notably Paul Douglas of Illinois, Mr. Lucas' colleague, declared that the measure would mean a sharp increase in natural gas rates to the consumer. They have charged that Senator Kerr, an oil multimillionaire, would profit from it.

Leading Democrats from oil-gas states, including Senators Tom Connally and Lyndon Johnson of Texas, spoke for the anti-FPC measure, and Mr. Truman owes them a lot. But his approval will offend members from urban consuming areas, who lined up against the proposition, and also give the GOP a chance to charge that his professions for the "little fellow" are false.

With Th' Uke Coming Back



Somebody Told Me

By I. J. (Jack) EDWARDS, JR.

Several weeks ago I took the elevator in the State Bank building. "Mr. Edwards," Tom Forman (the operator) said, "You ought to come down here one day. You could get enough material to fill your column for a week."

"Like what, for example," I asked.

"Just people," he replied. "The things they do and say."

I thanked Tom for the tip, but explained that I have a job which makes it impossible for me to sit down at the elevator all day. "Whenever something happens," I suggested, "you write it down for me."

Tom agreed, and the result follows:

"Dear Mr. Edwards,

"Being a constant reader of your column, 'Somebody Told Me,' I see that most of it is about 'people,' that branch of science that deals with animals. This letter might not be punctuated correctly, but I will try to make it as clear and simple as possible.

"First of all, Jim and I are the elevator operators, and the things we see and hear are quite amazing. For instance, a passenger comes in the front door and asks you, and I quote, 'Have you seen my wife go up with two babies?' unquote, and believe me we've never seen this person before and we carry hundreds of people up every day.

"And there's the person who put someone out at the front door and goes to park his car. He returns with this question, 'What floor did you carry my mother to?' You ask where she was going, and he would say that he didn't know. We then ask if she came to see a M.D., a dentist, or an insurance agent. When his answer is 'dentist' we are no better off, because there are five. We usually end up by telling the person to wait in the lobby .

"The elevator has been compared with the Empire State building so many times that we sometimes hollar '80th floor express.' Others ask why the elevator is so slow, or 'aren't you scared this old elevator will fall with you?' Of course they're on it too, but that doesn't seem to enter in. Someone said that this must be the elevator that Otis invented. Has it ever fallen with you? To answer that question, you can refer to statistics, which show that there weren't over five accidents on elevators last year, and that it's the safest means of transportation (I hope.)"

The last half of Tom's letter is just as rich as the first, so I'll continue it tomorrow. Meanwhile, if you use the elevator in the State Bank building, consider yourself in danger of being quoted.

Sunday night Norfolk's television station, WTAR, went on the air. The reception in Greenville Sunday was fair early, excellent later. Monday Carlton Joyner reported better reception than Sunday. Apparently Greenville TV set owners will be able to receive Norfolk with ease.

And I thank Tom.

Around Capitol Square

Daily Reflector Bureau — By LYNN NISBET — Raleigh, N. C.

DECISIVE—Events of this week in the United States Supreme Court at Washington may have far-reaching and long-extended influence upon social, economic and educational conditions throughout the country—especially in the southern states. Three cases are being argued before the highest tribunal which go right to the heart of the entire policy of racial segregation as a social problem and to the issue of state sovereignty in government. The high court may not hand down opinions for some weeks, but chances are effect of arguments presented this week will determine what the decisions will be.

SEGREGATION—On the surface all three cases deal only with the subject of racial segregation. Actually they go much deeper into basic philosophies. Elmer W. Henderson, now director of the American Council on Human Rights at Washington, is suing the Southern railroad for its refusal to serve him in a white dining-club car during the war when he was an employee of the president's FEPC outfit. Heman Marion Sweatt is protesting refusal of the University of Texas to enroll him in the law school along with white students, although admittedly Texas has a good Negro law school. G. W. McLaurin, first Negro ever admitted to the University of Oklahoma law school, claims unconstitutional discrimination because he is required to sit apart from the white members of the class. These three cases have the same basic issues, but the Texas case is regarded as more important.

INTERVENTION— Attorney General Howard McGrath has intervened in all three cases in behalf of the government (?) or the president, and a story in Sunday's Washington Post said he might for the first time make personal appearance before the court to argue the cases—especially the Texas issue. North Carolina is interested in all three actions, but Attorney General Harry McMullan joined with other southerners in filing a brief in the Sweatt case and he, together with Assistant Attorney General Ralph Moody and Walter Brinkley, member of the justice department staff, were in Washington this week to lend encouragement and aid to the Texans.

EQUAL—The main issue in the Texas case brought by Sweatt is validity of the "separate but equal" doctrine of facilities. Sweatt has stated he would not attend a segregated school, even though facilities were admittedly equal or superior. Since 1896 when the U.S. Supreme Court held in the Plessy case respecting railroad accommodations the rule of "separate but equal" facilities has been upheld. The Washington Post article written by Chalmers M. Roberts cites numerous high court decisions since adoption of the fourteenth amendment to the federal constitution in 1868. Almost every case was decided by divided vote of the court. In 1873 the court decided 5-4 that the fourteenth amendment did not transfer to federal government the rights of states to enact laws affecting such matters. In 1883 the court by another divided opinion held that the fourteenth amendment applied to states, and not to private enterprise operated within their borders.

ISSUE—The big issue now is the 1896 "separate but equal" ruling. That is the main target of the Truman administration for which McGrath is spokesman; and that is the main reliance of the seventeen states which have joined Texas as friends of the court in defense of state authority. Opinion is that the nine justices will consider both law and fact, and although the law may stand up so far as "separate but equal" is concerned, if it is shown that facilities are not in fact equal, that may color the decision.

CONTROLLING—The decision in any one or all three of these cases may be controlling for many years. On the other hand, there is good chance they may be decided on technical issues other than constitutional questions, in which event the opinions would not affect other cases. It is long established policy of state and federal supreme courts not to pass upon constitutional issues if decisions can be based on less consequential grounds.

What Other Papers Are Thinking

ADMONITION TO GREECE

(New York Times)

The sharp tone of Ambassador Grady's letter to the Greek Premier, in which he urged prompt efforts toward economic reform in Greece, should be considerably mollified by the soundly constructive core of Dr. Grady's suggestion and appeal. The reason that changes are sought in Greece is simply the desire that more good can be accomplished for the benefit of the Greek people. The admonition has been given so that more effective help can be forthcoming.

Dr. Grady was explicit. He asked for basic and binding decisions that would assure the success of the purposes for which our aid was intended and then declared: "Foremost among these projects are those which contemplate the construction of four new electric power plants which would more than double the present generation of electricity in Greece and which would bring cheap electric power to many areas of Greece for the first time. The desirability of these new plants is beyond question. They are the keystone to the further industrial and agricultural development of Greece."

It is toward this immediate end that the Greeks are urged to take firm and even difficult steps. The importance of the end should make it clear that the United States is not indulging in carping criticism for its own sake but rather trying most earnestly to make its assistance of the greatest possible value.

Doubling the power output in Greece can be readily translated into terms of the welfare of individual human beings. It can mean actually more and better food in Greek families because of higher production. It can mean rising living standards with better wage scales and more amenities. It can mean a wider scope of industry and the development of new sources of wealth. This, certainly, is what we wish to happen as the result of our help.

Greece can be something of a pilot plant for other programs of aid and development. Greece can give the necessary cooperation and understanding to make the pilot plant a success. We can work together with our Greek friends and allies to do a good job in making a large number of persons happier, stronger and freer.

Business Today

By ELMER ROESSNER

TV Retailers Disturbed By Builder Installations In New Dwellings

With the new trend to install television sets as standard equipment in new homes spreading fast, appliance retailers are closely studying the threat to their market.

Levitt and Sons, of Long Island, the country's largest builder, first announced its 1950 homes would have television sets. Almost immediately, developers in neighboring communities and New Jersey moved to install sets in their new homes to meet the Levitt competition.

At first Long Island retailers threatened a boycott of the manufacturer who made the deal with Levitt. But at a time when TV sets are in brisk demand, boycotting an important source of supply has all the earmarks of suicide. Now the retailers have arranged talks with the manufacturer's representatives in hopes of some relief.

Admittedly a builder can install sets as original equipment in a home for less money and possibly more efficiently than a dealer can sell and install the set. For one thing, the builder gets a volume price. For another, he dispenses with the expensive cabinet and fits the set flush into a wall, which is also a space-saver inside the house.

Another squawk is coming from families who bought Levitt homes in '49 without TV sets and other improvements. They complain that the improved homes at the same price tag have already made their recently-bought homes obsolete, and have noticeably reduced their resale value.

Your Present Equipment Is Always On The Defensive

Every small manufacturer, as well as the big producers, needs to guard against allowing equipment to become obsolete in this increasingly competitive period. "Existing equipment must be kept on the defensive, compelled always to justify its tenure against the challenge of currently available alternatives," is the perceptive approach proposed by George Terborgh, research director of the Machinery and Allied Products Institute.

Every producer must lag at least a little behind the continual development of new or more efficient tools, Terborgh concedes. Even with an alert management, this lag might average 10 to 15 years, or even longer. But a good policy will try to hold the lag to the lowest limits economically justifiable. But how do you decide when replacement is justifiable? Partly by intuition, partly by traditional rules-of-thumb, such as rules that new equipment must "pay for itself" within a stipulated period, or must yield a specified rate of return. But also by making it a continuous administrative policy to always know what equipment in the plant is replaceable and how much it costs not to make the replacement, and by having someone in the organization keep informed of new developments and available replacement opportunities.

Predicts Overseas Travel Boom

If Americans pour abroad for vacations as much as John Slater, president of the American Export Lines, predicts they will the next few years, businessmen will do well to see where they tie in, with everything from clothes, luggage, travel books, and other merchandise possibilities. Slater bases his expectations on the growing population here, the rising national income, the increased passenger facilities of new American ocean liners and trans-Atlantic airlines both. For the coming season, certainly, devaluation of foreign currencies is going to be a magnet to pull Americans abroad, and into neighboring Canada at the same time. Resort operators here will do well to consider the competition the unusually favorable rate of exchange abroad will exert this year.

Promotion Ideas For The Spruce-up Season

If you follow the old advertising maxim to move with the tide, an extra advertising and promotional push now will bring additional sales of paints, wallpapers and other Spring spruce-up materials. To promote paints profitably, a recent clinic of the Chicago Retail Hardware Association was advised, stock enough variety of paint products to adequately serve customers' needs but still produce three to four turnovers a year; advertise paints emphatically just before and in the paint season and, importantly, service customers with sound information on how to paint and what products are best for specific purposes. Amateur painters need both color guidance and technical advice on painting.

Retailers can spike advertising and displays this year with such advanced products as one-coat paints, including new one-coat semi-glosses for interiors, and new brushes that make amateur painting easier by leveling in the tiny valleys and hills on surfaces with one stroke.

Don't forget wallpaper this year either. The trend to modern furniture is reviving paper sales, merchandisers report. Many homemakers and decorators feel the simplicity of modern furnishings requires livelier backgrounds than provided by painted walls.

Hal Boyle's Column

New York—(AP)—Royal Toner has been throwing oysters in and out of beds for 40 years.

He doesn't do it for a laugh—it's his living. And it has given him a vast sympathy for people who raise century plants.

"Century plants must be the only things more trouble to grow than oysters," he said.

Toner, who operates a 6,000-acre Long Island bivalve ranch, spoke with deep feeling. Right now he has some 700,000 bushels of oysters in his beds.

Operating an oyster ranch is something like dry land farming, except you can't see your crops. And it is something like running an underground hotel, except the guests stay longer and are more finicky.

"You get them at birth and you have to switch them to different beds three or four times," said Toner grimly. "Each time you have to dredge them up and plant them in deeper water. And they don't shell out a profit until they're five or six years old and ready for market. All that time your money's tied up."

You have to take more care of them than you do with children, too. A man can let his kids go swimming at Coney Island, for example, but he couldn't grow oysters there.

"The bacterial count is too high," Toner explained. "The state wouldn't allow oyster beds that close to polluted areas. It's even stricter about oyster raising than about dairy farming."

The time every oyster rancher dreads most is the summer spawning time. For a few days after birth, until they settle and anchor on bits of old shell thrown on the shallow bottom, the young oysters are free-swimming larvae. They look like tadpoles under a microscope.

"We're as nervous as expectant fathers then," said Toner. "Any storm or sudden cold snap can wipe out our whole year's set—the cash money we'll be counting on five years later.

"A big storm even churns up sand and smothers the older oysters. The 1938 hurricane was the worst thing that ever hit our business. It not only lifted up our packing plant and dropped it down in kindling wood. It cost us about a quarter million bushels of oysters."

An even bigger blow to the $70,000,000 a year industry was the change in eating habits that took place when Americans started ordering fresh fruit cocktail as appetizers instead of "half a dozen on the half shell."

"It is easier to cut a grapefruit in half than an oyster," admitted the rancher. But a self-shucking oyster isn't necessarily the answer.

"The business is coming back now—everything moves in circles," said Toner. "Do you know the Chinese raised oysters 5,000 years ago? Julius Caesar sent oysters packed in snow all the way from Britain to Rome.

"The Chinese and Romans weren't dumb. They knew what was good for them. To get the most food value out of anything you have to eat it all. And what one animal do people eat entirely today? Only the oyster. It has everything you need."

This seemed a good point to ask Toner a question that I've heard discussed often.

"You know what people say about oysters—is it really true?" I asked.

"Yes, it is quite true," he smiled. "You do sometimes find pearls in them.

"You have about a million to one chance. At least we did find two pearls in a test of two million oysters at our plant. But pearls from oysters in this area aren't of any really great value. Too much calcium in them. They don't buff well."

Washington Letter

By JANE EADES

Washington—Dr. Hugh Hammond Bennett, internationally-famed conservationist, says the United States "undoubtedly holds the world's record for waste." Chief of the Department of Agriculture's Soil Conservation Service, he says we have allowed erosion to ruin around 100,000,000 acres of formerly good cropland for any immediate practical cultivation. We have followed this up with moderate to serious damage on a second 100,000,000 acres, he adds.

But what plagues him personally is that most of us have "gotten into the habit of burning or throwing away everything for which we find no immediate use." Many odd items of wood which so commonly find their way to the scrap heap can be used, he says. He showed how recently in a small display of his collection of wood-products. Here such common and plentiful woods as sumac, boxelder, willow and even the detested mesquite of Texas had been used for distinctive pieces of furniture and other articles.

One is an exquisite, small table that W. H. Lathrop, of the Soil Conservation Service, made for him in his spare time. The top is made from a burl taken from box-elder, a wood that usually is considered worthless—not even good enough for firewood. This table has the luster and mottling of fine marble. Dr. Bennett also has some goblets and casks made from waste pieces; a willow table with wild cherry center, the top bordered in lilac; stools of ginkgo, sumac, paw paw, buckeye; a coffee table from river birch; items from black locust from Thomas Jefferson's farm in Albemarle County, Va., and chestnut from Jefferson's father's farm; bowls and boxes of Texas mesquite.

Dr. Bennett got interested in making things out of woods that were thrown away about three years ago. He got some of his boys to pick up the various kinds of woods and send them in to him. Some with workshops made the pieces he now has. He hopes the idea will catch on, but he says "we are probably going to have to do a lot of educating in order to get anywhere with the development of any national habits of thrift" in the sense he means.

Dr. Bennett first came to the Department of Agriculture in July, 1903, in what was then known as the Bureau of Soils. Sixty-nine this month, he says he was born "down on Tobacco Road, never saw a Republican" until he was 14, and he still "can't pronounce the letter 'r'."

Black Jan Walks Again

AP Newsfeatures By Florence Kerrigan

Chapter 15

"You deliberately led him on!" I accused Greg, in horror.

"It was his own fault for trailing us," he said indifferently. "I said he would be gone from the castle tomorrow. Down there is a deep, narrow arm of the sea, and by tomorrow morning his body will be far out, and if it is washed ashore it will be some distance down the coast. It is just as easy for the tide to carry out three bodies as one, too"

I would have shot him there as he stood, but he held the unconscious form of Iris before him as a shield. "Shoot at his feet," something inside me prompted, but from the uncertain light of my flash held in one hand and wavering over the floor, it was hard to aim at the dark trouser legs and bedroom slippers he wore. They melted into the shadows imperceptibly.

Iris was regaining consciousness. She screamed again.

"To bad you came to," he said in seeming regret. "I hoped you would be unconscious and would not feel the rocks. A steep drop it is, with sharply jagged rocks beneath."

That was more than I could stand. I shot at the bedroom slippers which stood still in the circle of my flash. While the report was still echoing and re-echoing deafeningly in the corridor, a strong hand caught my wrist and wrenched the revolver from it.

"I suspected you had a gun," Greg's voice taunted in my ear. "You didn't suppose I'd stand there and be shot at, did you? Now I have it, and believe me, I shan't be so squeamish!"

"You're doing your own dirty work this time, then," I said, sparring for time. "I thought Charles —"

He chuckled. "Ah, yes, Charles. It was of course Charles that Malcolm saw in the cavern. But it was Greg, or should I say Ian, who killed the man who was spying around. Charles is, or I should say was, for the poor fellow met an untimely end late this evening after he had notified you of the detectives' arrival—very loyal to Sir Gregor. But there are some things no man can be trusted to know and keep silent about, especially when police start questioning. Law-abiding citizens these modern Englishmen are"

"Malcolm knew too much too, I presume," I said.

"That's right. Greg arranged it very neatly, I think. He made it seem that Malcolm had been killed on the cliff road by smearing some of the red clay on his shoes. Then he broke one of your cuff-links and put the piece in Malcom's hand. Yes, the bullet from Malcolm's body was actually fired from the revolver you have. There were witnesses to swear that you had been there and that a shot was heard."

The case was tight against me, but it did not matter now. Steve had already gone, and it would be only a matter of a few minutes and I also would be gone, with Iris, the three of us floating out on the tide. No! As long as any breath remained in my body, I would fight for her and for my own life!"

Involuntarily my flash light beam strayed toward the crevasse. It seemed in the dark to be an opening right by my feet. I had to reassure myself that it was still several paces away. Just a brief moment the light lingered on the edge, and then it moved swiftly away, for in that split second I had seen a hand, a man's hand, with slim, strong fingers, gripping the edge. It was the hand of Steve McCarty, and above it the light shone on his face. It was white and glistening with moisture, and the lips were drawn back from his teeth. I was not sure whether he actually lived or whether this was an apparition, a figment of my own imagination. But in case he were actually there he needed help. I moved cautiously and, groping in the dark silently so that Greg had no inkling of my intentions. I reached down my hand. It was grasped, and I helped him pull himself up. It was like shaking hands with a corpse, holding that icy, clammy hand.

He touched my flash meaningly, and I understood. I flashed it full strength and it picked out Greg standing alone several paces away, blinking in the sudden glare. He brought up his revolver, and two guns roared at once, making a hideous cacophany of echoes. Greg went down on his knees, and Iris went to him and put her arms around him.

"Ian," he whispered. "Ian I did my best. This is the end!"

"Greg!" cried Iris, holding him tightly. "Oh, Greg, Greg!"

"Oh, don't be so theatrical, Sir Gregor," snapped Steve. "I only got you in the hip. You'll live to—live to—" he hesitated, remembering Iris. Seeing the tragic face bending over Greg, I wished Steve had shot to kill.

"Hugh—Iris—Listen, both of you. I think you understand what I did. I was tricked into believing that Ian could come back through me. Maybe he did. I don't know."

"Yes, yes," whispered Iris soothingly. "We understand. You have been ill. Now you can forget about him, like forgetting about a bad dream, darling."

"No. It is too late. When Ian was 'laid' the terms were that he would remain so unless someone in the family should call for him. I did it voluntarily, Iris. I was his, body and soul. I had to kill—three times. First the stranger. Charles helped me dispose of his body and I thought I could pay him to keep quiet. But Malcolm saw it and talked about it. So I had to kill him also. Then when the police came Charles was going to tell them that I had done it and was insane. So I had to kill him too You'll find his body in my room in the tower. I planned to kill you three, too. How did you—McCarty —?"

(To be continued)

Victim Of Flood Rides The Crest On A Plank



A forlorn dog is balanced precariously on a floating plank in flood water of the Genesee river at Rochester, N. Y. The water covers a residential section in the southern part of the city. Heavy rain and melting snow brought a serious flood threat to several areas in upstate New York. (AP Wirephoto).

Spreading The News Of A Tornado In Oklahoma



With a look of great worry on his face, 18-month-old Danny Ray Brown sits on the lap of his grandmother, Mrs. Martha Brown, who tells the outside world of a tornado striking Carney, Okla. Grandma Brown, the local telephone operator, is sitting by her switchboard spreading the news. Electric lights have failed and she is using an old-fashioned kerosene lamp. Several buildings in the town were damaged but no one was injured. (AP Wirephoto).

Contracts Let For $39 Millions

Raleigh, N. C., April 5—(AP)— The state has let contracts for $39,764,428.38 worth of construction under its $125,000,000 permanent improvements program.

Assistant budget director D. S. Coltrane said yesterday that thus far, contract costs have been $4,215,959.32 less than the mounts appropriated by the legislature for the projects. The savings will go back into the state's general fund.

The sweet potato is a member of the morning glory family.

To File Report On Efficiency

Raleigh, N. C., April 5—(AP)—Subcommittees will make reports to the Governor's committee on economy and efficiency in state government at a meeting here April 14. Reports will be made on state-owned cars, perquisites, inventory control and a manual for state employes.

Moose population in Alaska is about 30,000.

Spinach is a native of western Asia.

Five Delegates To ACE Session Planned April 9

The student branch of the Association for Childhood Education at East Carolina Teachers College will be represented by five delegates at the ACE International Convention to be held in Asheville April 9-14.

This study conference is expected to bring together delegates from all parts of the United States and from many foreign countries. Study classes will be conducted by some of America's greatest educators, according to conference announcements. Student branches in North Carolina colleges will be hosts to convention delegates.

Those who will represent the East Carolina ACE in Asheville are Patricia Davis of Manteo, president; Frances Bizzell of Kinston, publicity representative: Doris Pleasant of Angier, publicity chairman; Jo Anne Groto, New York City; and Anne Whitehurst, Bethel. Dora Coats and Annie Mae Murray, faculty advisors of the group, will accompany the student representatives to Asheville.

Canadian and American scientists have cooperated on studies of arctic mosquitoes in the Hudson's Bay area.

Mock Assault In Camp Lejeune Area Scheduled

Norfolk, Va., April 5—(AP)—"Operation Crossover" will be staged late this month in the Camp Lejeune, N.C., area.

The mock amphibious assault will be carried out by the Navy and Marine Corps. It will be designed to test new tactics and techniques and to deal with problems posed by the latest weapons.

Amphibious experts of the two service branches will join in executing the assault. Unlike previous assaults, "Crossover" will place emphasis in testing 1950 procedures rather than on the training of green personnel.

Participating forces will be divided into two units—an amphibious attack force commanded by Rear Adm. Harold D. Baker, commander of Amphibious Group Two, and a landing force commanded by Maj. Gen. Franklin A. Hary, commanding general of the Second Marine Division, based at Lejeune.

Air support for the assault will be furnished by the Second Marine Air Wing, based at Cherry Point, N.C. A specially-trained group of marines and naval aviators will provide opposition to the landing.

Pilot Killed In Jet Plane Crash

Erick, Okla., April 5—(AP)—An Air Force pilot was killed in the crash of his jet fighter plane about five miles west of here last night.

The plane exploded after crashing, scattering wreckage over a large area.

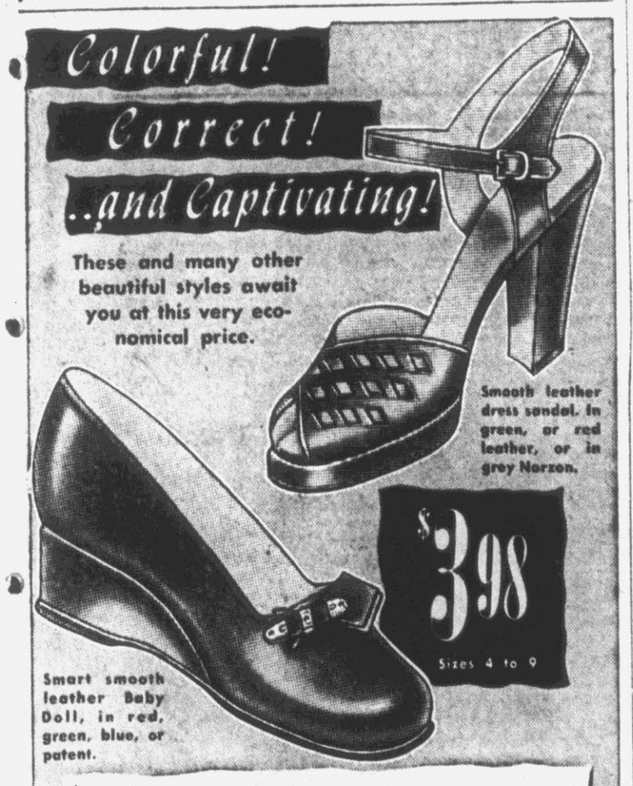
Name of the pilot was withheld pending notification of next of kin.

The plane was identified as an F-84 thunder-jet attached to the 20th fighter-bomber group based at Shaw Air Force base, Sumter, S. C.

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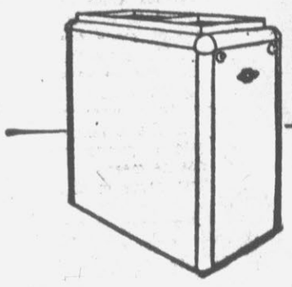
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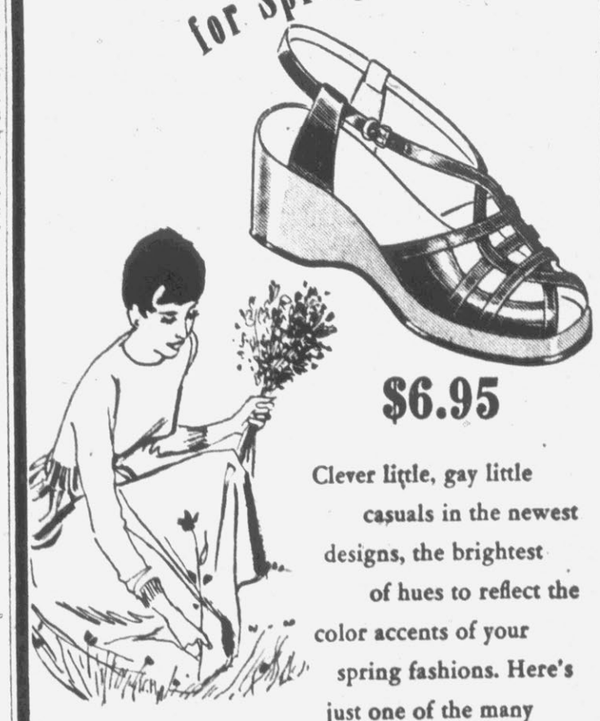
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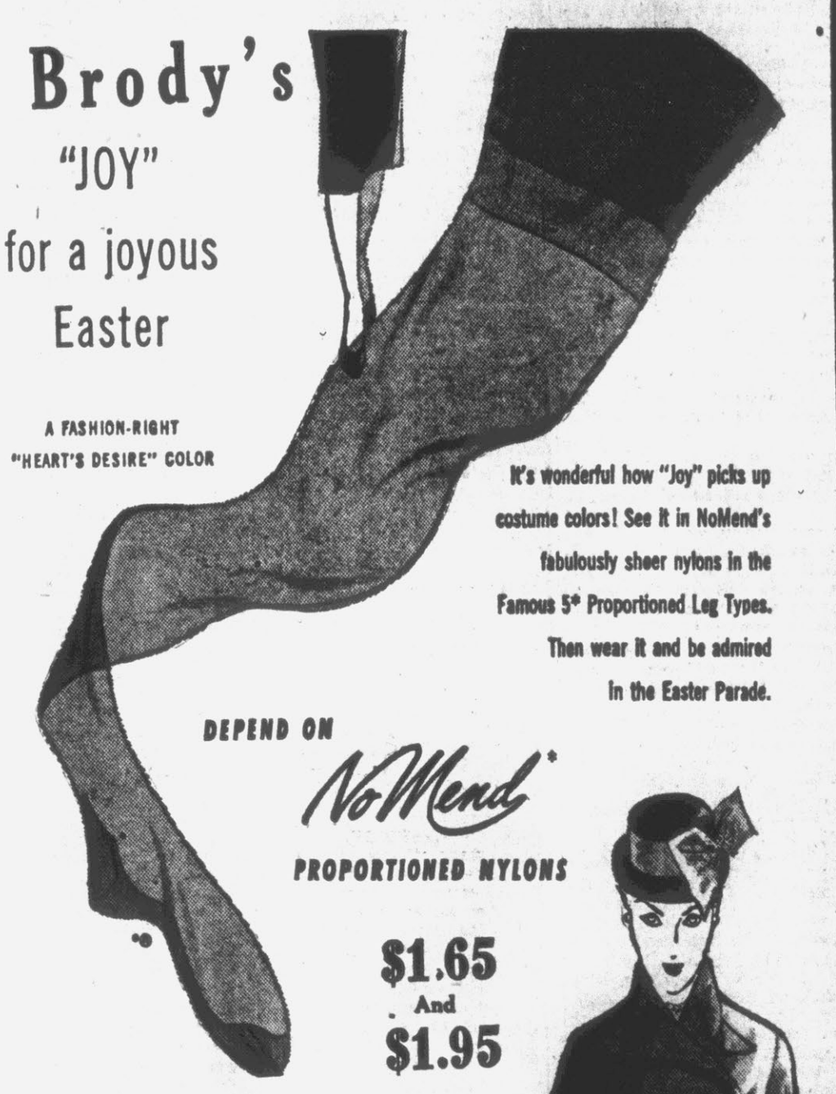
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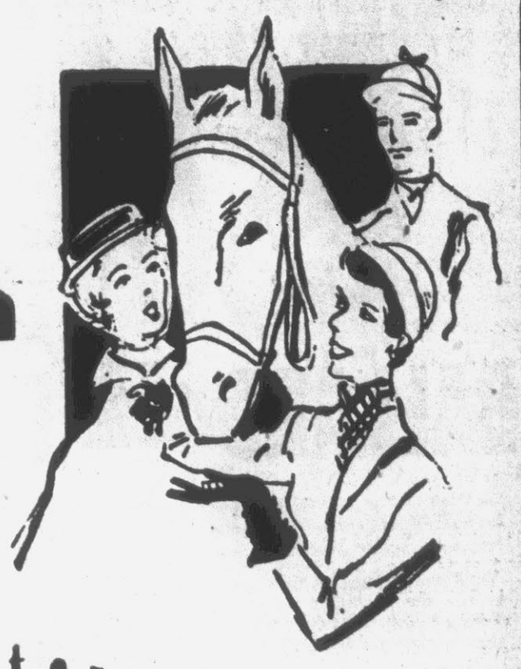


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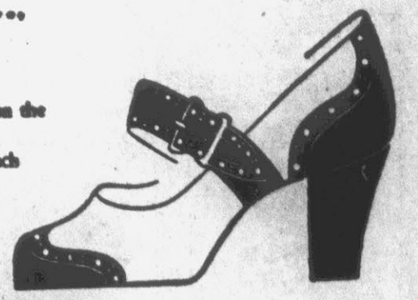
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Slim Chance Seen No Cut For N. C. Delegation To Congress

Washington, April 5—Some hope that the Eighty-Second Congress will adopt legislation making unnecessary a cut in the size of the North Carolina congressional delegation was expressed here today by some Tar Heel members.

Unless such a step is taken, the size of the North Carolina House delegation almost certainly will be cut back from twelve to eleven members in the Eighty-Third Congress.

This is indicated as almost a certainty by preliminary census estimates, which show that while North Carolina's population has grown in the past ten years, it has not kept pace with other sections of the country, and therefore stands to lose a House member under the mandatory, and automatic, reappointment act.

Some North Carolinians, however, think that the next Congress—to be elected in November—will adopt legislation increasing the size of the House for the first time in perhaps half a century, and thus offsetting at least in part the reductions in prospect for some state delegations.

Under the automatic reapportionment act, House seats will be divided among the various states on the basis of the 1950 census. The Census Bureau must report by the end of 1951 on the tally, in order that the reapportionment may be made before the 1952 elections, in which the Eighty-Third Congress will be picked.

If no action is taken, and North Carolina stands to lose a seat, it would be the duty of the General Assembly — that General Assembly being picked in this year's elections —to redistribute the state to provide for eleven instead of twelve districts prior to the 1952 elections, a step which, because of the time element and other factors, almost certainly would result in a special session of the Assembly, probably in 1952.

Redefinition of district boundaries, and the elimination of one seat, would probably result in a bitter legislative fight, with each incumbent of the national House attempting to hold intact his own district in order to protect his seat, and with the eastern half of the state, with its larger number of counties, fighting to retain all its congressmen against the demands of the smaller, but more populous western half.

Should the legislature fail to act, and should twelve members be elected to the House, it would be up to the House itself to decide which of the eleven would be seated, all probably as members-at-large until the State acted to define the boundaries of eleven districts.

But some members have hope that all this will not be necessary—although there has been no effort yet to do so, they hope the membership of the House will be increased by a sufficient number of members to protect all North Carolina seats.

'Cousin Willie. Backing Graham

Raleigh, N. C., April 5—(AP)—William G. (Cousin Willie) Clark has been named Edgecombe county campaign manager for U. S. Senator Frank Graham.

Appointment of Clark, long-time political leader for Tarboro, was announced yesterday by Graham's state campaign manager, Jeff D. Johnson, Jr.

Clark served nine successive terms in the state senate between 1927 and 1943. He was President pro tem of the 1943 senate. He was a delegate to the Democratic National convention of 1912 and 1932.

Graham headquarters announced a speaking schedule of four engagements for the Senator in the state this week. He will speak tonight at a meeting of the fifth district medical society at Asheboro.

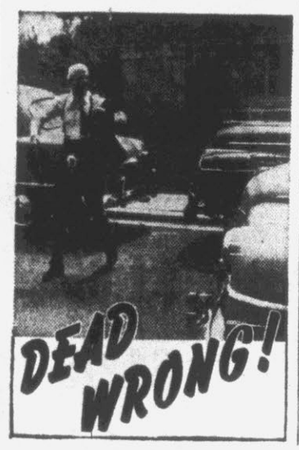
He will address a public meeting at Scotland Neck tomorrow night sponsored by the Kiwanis and Lions clubs. On Saturday afternoon he will speak at an Edgecombe-Martin REA meeting at Tarboro, and on Saturday night before the Rocky Mount Wowan's club.

Weather Traits Are Studied In Antarctic Area

Perth, Australia—(AP)—France is planning to build a huge air base at Kerguelen Island in the far south of the Indian Ocean. Keguelen is 2500 miles southwest of Perth, and 250 miles from Heard Island, where Australia has set up an Antarctic base and weather station.

South Africa also has a station at Marion, another island in the southern Indian Ocean.

This is where the world's weather is made. Alam Martin, chief weather officer at the Melbourne headquarters of the Australian Antarctic pedition, told newsmen work at Heard is past the experimental stage. The time is rapidly approaching, he said, when forecasts from Heard will be used to predict Australian weather.



Poor Memory Is Found Of Value

Relaigh, N. C., April 5—(AP)—The art of forgetting, says a New York minister-author, offers moderns help in combatting their fears and worries.

Dr. Norman Vincent Peale, author of two current best sellers, said here last night that freedom from worry and fear lies largely in practicing "one of the most neglected of the arts—the art of forgetting."

"A man is what he forgets," he declared before 5,000 persons at the first religous service held in the William Neal Reynolds colliseum at N. C. State College.

"If you can become expert in forgetting, you can by one fell swoop diminish your worries by 40 per cent. Forget the past, plan reasonably for the future, and live today. If you've made a mistake, don't become its victim."

'For Baby'

Los Angeles, April 5—(AP)—In the midst of a $2,000 holdup at a night club yesterday, a gunman suddenly remembered he was a father.

He scooped up a handful of quarters from the manager's desk, saying: "I'll just take some of these for the baby's bank."

Paid Uncle Less

Greensboro, N.C., April 5—(AP)—North Carolina tax payers didn't pay Uncle Sam as much money this last month as they did in March, 1949.

The decrease was listed at a little over $13,000,000.

The drop was attributed to the lower income tax rate and a slight decline in business.

The Tar Heel federal tax contribution last month totaled over $126,000,000, compared with $139,000,000 in March, 1949.

However, the North Carolina Office of the Internal Revenue Bureau here expects to collect a billion dollars this fiscal year.

MAKES STORE TEETH

Tel Aviv, Israel—(AP)—The "store teeth" business is booming in Israel A big factory near the heart of Te Aviv turns out large quantities o artificial teeth which help to plug the holes in the mouths of peopl in many foreign lands.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as Executrix of the Estate of Samuel B. Currin, deceased, late of Pitt County North Carolina this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 27th day of March, 1951, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 27th day of March, 1950.
SALLIE T. CURRIN, Executrix
Estate of Samuel B. Currin.
James and Speight, Attorneys.
March 29 April 5-12-19-26 May 3.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

The Provate Laws of the General Assembly of North Carolina, Session 1937, as amended by the Session 1941, require that an election for the selection of five members of the Board of Aldermen, one from the second ward, one from the third ward, one from the fourth ward, and two from the fifth ward (one for one year term and one for two year term), of the City of Greenville, shall be held on the first Monday, the first day of May, 1950; that the books for registration of voters who are not already registered for Municipal Elections or who have transferred from one ward to another since last election, shall be kept open for 10 days, exclusive of Sunday, preceding the first Monday in May and that all candidates for Aldermen shall register their candidacy with the City Clerk at least five days prior to the first Monday in May and shall deposit for registration fee the sum of $1.00; that there shall be two voting places, to-wit: The County Court House and the New City Hall; that all qualified voters residing in ward two shall vote at the County Court House and that all qualified voters residing in wards three, four and five shall vote at the New City Hall; that all persons registering to vote shall be registered according to wards in which they reside and that all tickets to be voted shall contain the names of properly registered candidates which shall be supplied by the Clerk of the City of Greenville; that all qualified voters within wards Nos. 2,3, 4, and 5 will be allowed to register and vote if eligible under the State laws and the City Charter governing County Primaries said qualifications being one year's residence within the State and two months residence within the ward.

By order of the Board of Aldermen at meeting held March 2, 1950.
J. O. DUVAL, City Clerk

The election officials for the above election as appointed on March 23, 1950, are as follows:
Precinct 1, County Court House:
Mrs. Boley Farley, registrar.
John R. Barker, Judge.
J. L. Ross, Judge.
Precinct 2, New City Hall:
Mrs. Rosa Brown, Registrar.
E. R. Conway, Jr., Judge.
L. M. James, Sr., Judge.
Miss Evelyn Beasley, Alternate Registrar.
April 5-12-19-26.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND BY TRUSTEE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed by Clinton Williams, dated the 24th day of May, 1946, and recorded in Book T-24, at page 241, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured thereby, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, for CASH, at the Court House door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, at 12:00 o'clock, Noon, on Thursday, May 4, 1950, the property described in said Deed of Trust, described as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. 11 in Block 'E' of the J. H. B. Moore Biltmore property, which property has been surveyed and subdivided, a map of which has been recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Map Book No. 2, at page 250, of the Pitt County Registry, and which property is specifically described as follows: Beginning at a stake on the west side of Ford street, a corner between Lots Nos. 11 and 12 in the aforesaid subdivision; thence westwardly with the dividing line between Lots Nos. 11 and 12, a distance of 95 feet to another corner between said Lots Nos. 11 and 12; thence northerly 48.5 feet to a stake, a corner between Lots Nos. 10 and 11 in said subdivision; thence eastwardly with the dividing line between said Lots Nos. 10 and 11 a distance of 95 feet to a stake on the west side of Ford Street, another corner between Lots Nos. 10 and 11; thence southerly with the western line of Ford Street 48.5 feet to the point of the beginning, and being Lot No. 11 in Block 'E' of the aforesaid subdivision, as shown by plat or map of the same recorded in Map Book No. 2, at page 250, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, which map is hereby referred to and made a part of this description, and being also the same property conveyed to Clinton Williams by Lula Williams, unmarried, on the 15th day of May, 1946.

This sale will be made subject to all outstanding taxes and municipal assessments.

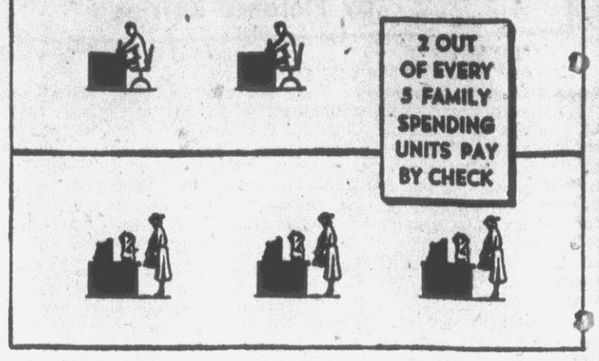
This the 4th day of April, 1950.
W. W. LEE, Trustee.
James and Speight, Attorneys.
April 5-12-19-26.

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This the 4th day of April, 1950.
GUARANTY BANK & TRUST COMPANY, executor of the estate of George J. Woodward, deceased.
James and Speight, Attorneys
April 5-12-19-26 May 3-10.

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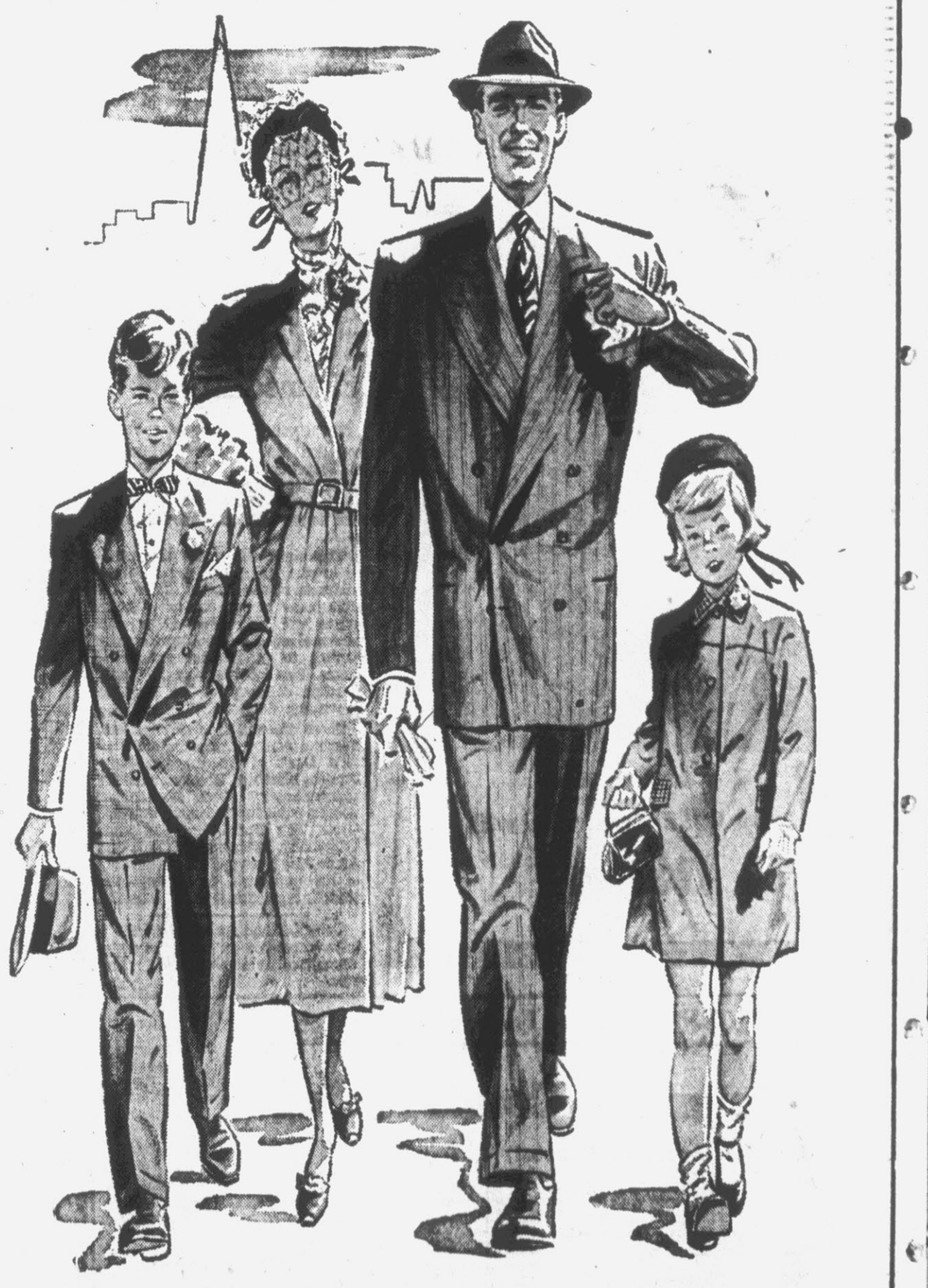
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Growers Urged Plan Now Improve Quality Of Crop

By J. W. SUMNER
(Assistant County Agent)

It looks now as if we will have a considerable increase in sweet potatoes in this potato area and the whole Southeast — some fear too much increase. There has always been a demand for quality sweet potatoes and will continue to be so, but there always has been too many of the sorry kind.

Farmers who are planning to grow sweet potatoes should follow recommended practices and do everything possible to grow good potatoes. The sweet potato must be given attention of a major cash crop and not the position of the 'red-haired step-child." The man producing a top quality product will get the top price.

We must get our money from efficient production and increased yields that permits moderate pricing. At present prices, sweet potatoes are still a luxury item with many housewives. If more efficient production can be obtained, it will allow more moderate pricing which will allow more sweet potatoes to go into the housewifes weekly grocery bag. That done, vast outlets will appear.

It is not too early to be thinking about the 1951 crop in terms of improvement. Every farmer should take extra care in selecting his bedding potatoes this year. Make sure to select good skin color, good flesh color and freedom from diseases. From the first vines to run, the farmer should cut enough vine cuttings to set out to make his next year bedding potatoes. This insures a more uniform potato and one coming nearer to be free from disease.

European Diet Still Below U.S.

Washington, April 4—(AP)—The Economic Cooperation Administration (ECA) figured today that the average western European now eats at the rate of 2,800 calories daily. The U. S. average is about 3,300.

ECA said the European diet is heavy on the bread-and-potatoes side, with meats, fats and sugar still scarcer than they were before World War II.

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Cancer Cure In Fifteen Years

Baltimore, April 4—(AP)—Cancer cure within 15 years? A Johns Hopkins hospital scientist and leading authority held out that prospect today.

Dr. Perrin H. Long, professor of preventive medicine, predicted that medical men will gather enough information on cancer in the next 15 years to "alter completely the outlook" for anyone who develops the disease.

GRASSHOPPERS IN SNOW

Philadelphia, N.Y.—(AP)—Grasshoppers are hopping early this year. Six-year-old Norman Savage reports he found two in the melting snow near this northern New York community.

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Mother Convicted Of Killing Son



Mrs. Lexie Eugenia Edwardson, 35, sits in her prison cell at Mobile, Alabama, with the shadow of the electric chair hovering over her for the murder of her son. A jury of 12 men in Mobile county circuit court convicted her of first degree murder for the shotgun slaying of Chester Lamar Tullous, 14, her son by a previous marriage. She was sentenced to die in the electric chair May 5. Court officials believe she is the first white woman in Alabama ever sentnced to dath. (AP Wirephoto).

Says Altitude Ills Exaggerated Around Colorado

Denver—(AP)—He probably is in for some arguments, but Dr. Robert B. Patterson of Loveland, Colo., thinks the harmful physical effects of high altitudes are greatly exaggerated—at least for the kind of altitudes Colorado has. Writing in the Rocky Mountain Medical Journal, Dr. Patterson listed mineral oil, sunburn lotion and hard candy as the only medicines a normal flatlander needs to offset symptoms of the altitude here.

The mineral oil should be used to lubricate dried nasal passages, lotion to guard against sunburn which comes with deceptive swiftness in the rarefied air, and the hard candy to prevent throat dryness. But he had a word of warning for those not in the best of health. They should beware of reacting to the bracing mountain air by indulging in excessive exercise.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture has developed a way to stabilize guncotton in about a third the formerly required time.

Special Courses For Teaching To Be Paid By Drive

Arrangements have been made by the North Carolina League for Crippled Children to provide a qualified faculty member for the summer session at East Carolina Teachers College who will teach courses dealing with the education of exceptional, or handicapped, children, Dr. Leo W. Jenkins has announced. Plans for the addition of this teacher were made through Philip S. Randolph of Chapel Hill, executive director of the North Carolina League for Crippled Children. No announcement has yet been made as to the appointment of the new faculty member.

Funds to finance the work of the East Carolina teacher will be raised through the Easter Seal campaign. This drive, which is now in progress, has the purpose of providing money for various types of work carried on for the benefit of handicapped children, including, as at East Carolina, the training of teachers for these pupils. Further aims are to acquaint educators with the need of such work and to work out an adequate program of exceptional education.

The teacher placed on the East Carolina campus by the League for Crippled Children will offer courses in sight-saving conservation, education for exceptional children, and social psychology with emphasis on meeting the needs of the handicapped child.

Several members of the regular staff of the departments of art and education at East Carolina will also give courses in exceptional education during the summer session. Mrs. Dorothy W. Perkins will teach speech correction and development for handicapped children. Courses in mental hygiene and psychological testing will be taught by Dr. Hazel Taylor, head of the Testing Bureau, and Dr. Carl L. Adams, director of the department of education; and courses in art, emphasizing arts and crafts, will be taught by Dora Cirlot, director of the department of art.

Bootleg Liquor Business Booms

Washington, April 4 — (AP) — The bootleg whisky business is booming.

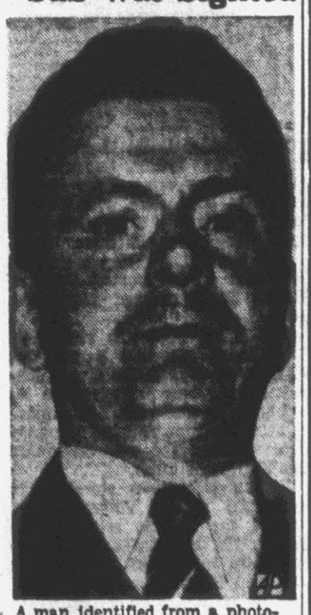
So says the Distilled Spirits Institute, which keeps tab on the situation for legal whisky makers.

The Institute reports that federal agents seized 1,792 "moonshine" stills during January and February. That's 387 more than they found in the same period last year and 283 more than in the same months of pre-war 1940.

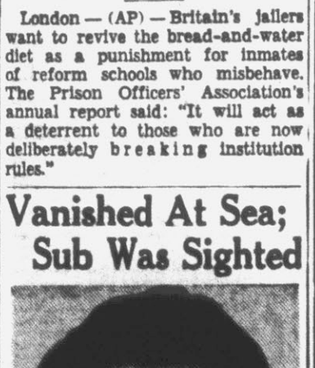
Hope To Bring Back Bread and Water Diet

London — (AP) — Britain's jailers want to revive the bread-and-water diet as a punishment for inmates of reform schools who misbehave. The Prison Officers' Association's annual report said: "It will act as a deterrent to those who are now deliberately breaking institution rules."

Vanished At Sea; Sub Was Sighted



A man identified from a photograph as Theodore Donay (above) of Detroit, convicted of wartime treason, disappeared from a small boat at sea near Catalina Island, Calif. A few hours later, a mysterious submarine was sighted off the southern California coast. Officers said there was "no concrete evidence" that the disappearance of the boatman was connected with the appearance of the submarine. (AP Wirephoto).



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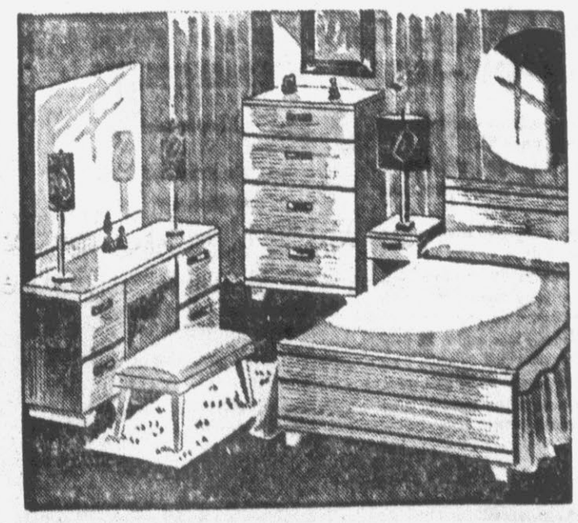
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Ayden Board Prohibiting Stores Open On Sunday

Ayden, April 5—The Town Commissioners, in session at the Town Hall last night, passed an ordinance prohibiting stores and other business places from keeping open on Sundays from 9 to 12 o'clock.

This action was taken in compliance with a petition from the ministers of Ayden. Mayor J. R. Taylor presided.

The commissioners informally discussed the proposal to purchase another fire truck. The department now has only one. No action was taken last night. However, a building to house Ayden's fire-fighting equipment is now being erected next to the Town Hall.

Proposed plans for installing curb and gutters on highway No. 11, Ayden's Main Street, at the north and south ends of town, were discussed. No action was taken.

Other business at last night's meeting was routine.

Ayden Town Commissioners are Staton Ross, J. D. Cannon, L. G. Baldree, Stancill Sumrell and Harry Mumford. A. W. Sawyer is town clerk.

Late Spring For North Midwest

By The Associated Press

Spring was off to a slow start over most of the North midwest.

Below freezing temperatures and snow gave a winter touch to north central regions today. In contrast, mild weather continued along the eastern seaboard. In Burlington, Vt., the mercury was 63 in the early morning as against a reading of 14 above at Pembina, N. D. Snow fell in Chicago and the mercury dropped to 30 above.

The cool air extended from Eastern Washington and Oregon over the northern Rockies and across the North Central region. Snow fell in Northeastern Illinois, Northern Indiana, Michigan and Eastern Wisconsin.

4-H Clubs Plan Milk Contest

A demonstration and contest showing the uses of milk in the everyday diet will be staged by members of Pitt's 4-H clubs Saturday morning in the Agriculture Building auditorium.

Beginning at 10 o'clock eight members of the collective Belvoir, Stokes, Chicod and Farmville Senior and Junior clubs will compete individually and in teams for the championship of the educational contest.

The girls will show how milk can be used in enhancing better diets for all age groups. They will display posters showing the uses of milk in icecream, salads, desserts, cocoa and the like.

Judging the contest will be members of the Greenville high school home economics classes. The individual and team winning the contest will represent Pitt in a similar contest between 4-H girls of the Northeastern districts.

The Senior members in the contest will be Sybil Jones and Edna Forrest from Chicod, Cornelia Randolph and Julia Stokes from Belvoir and Helen Copeland and Margaret Whichard from Stokes. Junior members will be Bertie Clark and Ann Murphy from the Farmville club.

Marty Crandell, Syracuse University national collegiate heavyweight boxing champion, is the sixth national titleholder in the history of Orange boxing.

Art Houtteman, young Detroit right hander, participated in seven double plays during 1949, tops among American League pitchers.

Pitt County Midwives Receive Health Dept. Check-Up



Shown above are the Pitt county mid-wives which received their annu al yearly check-up by the Pitt County Health Department yesterday. The group, which numbered 21 in all, ranged in ages from 44 years old for the youngest to 83 years of age for the oldest. The mid-wives receive a yearly check-up by the local health office, during which time their supplies are also checked. Dr. T. G. Basnight, local health officer, spoke to the group briefly at his office after the examinations. All of the mid-wives were found to be in good health, Basnight reported. (Reflector Staff Photo).

Nathaniel D. Young Died In Walnut Cove

Nathaniel D. Young, former warehouse and tobacco man of this section, died at his home near Walnut Cove, N. C., March 27, after a prolonged illness.

Mr. Young was well known throughout Eastern North Carolina. He was a tobacco warehouseman in Robersonville, Washington and Williamston, and at one time was associated with Keel and Gentry in the Farmer's Warehouse in Greenville.

He was born December 11, 1869, and is survived by his wife, three daughters, Mrs. Juanita Realy of the home, Mrs. Muriel Phelps of Winston-Salem, and Mrs. Kathryn Berry of Dentsville, Md.; two sons, T. D. Young of Rocky Mount and Ferrell Young of Manila, P. I., a brother, J. E. Young of Walnut Cove and one grandson.

Peace Effort . . .

(Continued from page one)

Indian peninsula, but he was afraid to trust that Hindu majority of 3 to 1 against him. He believed it would be suicide for the Moslems to trust themselves to such a big majority.

The result, of course, was that the Indian peninsula was split into two nations—Moslem Pakistan and Hindu India. Each country took the territories in which its own people predominated numerically.

That naturally created some awkward territorial divisions and, what was worse, many nationals of each government had to be left behind in "enemy" territory. Out of this dislocation of populations have grown bloody and destructive communal feuds.

So now the point has been reached where there are factions which actually want war. And there are violent-minded people who apparently have gone so far as to plot against the life of Nehru because he works for peace.

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Kiwanians Will Present Minstrel April 12th-13th

The annual Kiwanis minstrel, with Eli Bloom as interlocutor, will be held at Austin auditorium on the college campus Wednesday and Thursday nights, April 12 and 13. The curtain goes up at 8:15.

Many Kiwanians and college boys and girls are in the cast. The scenery will be elaborate. The music and dancing sparkling and the jokes "all new," the producer stated.

Tickets for the first night's minstrel went on sale last Saturday by Kiwanians and at Ticket Chairman J. Hicks Corey's office, 521 Dickinson Avenue. Both minstrel shows are expected to be sellouts.

President Tige Gardner today reminded the Kiwanians of the importance of selling their tickets as soon as possible, so the second night's tickets may go on sale.

Canada has approximately 146,000 moose, the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service estimates.

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Must Register All Bicycles, Police Chief Page Warns

Police Chief Lester D. Page today warned that all bicycles owned and ridden in the city must be registered at the police department. A fee of 50c is charged and a metal license tag is attached with a seal. When a bicycle is stolen or lost the license tag is useful in establishing ownership of the wheel.

A city ordinance makes failure to register a bicycle a misdemeanor for those 16 years old or older and provides that a wheel may be impounded for 30 days.

Referring to official records, the chief said only the number of wheels registered this year is just half of what it was last year.

Larceny Charged 2 Carnival Men

Police Chief Lester D. Page said today he was holding two members of a traveling carnival for investigation in connection with the alleged larceny of a $9.95 paint brush from the Globe Hardware Company's store. The men are Paul H. Waycaster of Pocahontas, Va., and Robert H. Harrall of Lincolnton, Nebr.

The police gave this version of the alleged flim-flam game: One of the men was in the store Monday, looking over paint brushes. He did not buy. The clerk, Louis Jones, remembered him, Tuesday, when the man went to the store to return the $9.95 paint brush.

It had the Globe store's price marks on it, and Jimmy Harris, one of the owners, refunded the money. He at once became suspicious and told Jones to follow the man and Harris phoned the police. The radio cars, with a description of the alleged flim-flammers, picked them up at Fourth and Evans Sts.

Lieut. M. E. Corbett and Identification Specialist S. Bowen Dorsey are investigating the case.

History Of . . .

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the President and the heads of departments have an uncontrolled discretion to withhold the information and papers in the public interest, and they will not interfere with the exercise of that discretion."

Wolkinson means here courts lower than the Supreme Court, since the Supreme Court never yet has had to pass on the issue.

Congress sometime might try to pass a law saying the President would have to give Congress any information it wanted.

If Congress passed such a law, the President undoubtedly would refuse to obey it, choosing to fight it up to the Supreme Court for a final decision. He'd argue a law was unconstitutional and was an attempt by congress to interfere with Presidential rights and powers.

And, Wolkinson points out, the President doesn't even have to obey an order by a federal court to produce papers which the President says for the public good, should not be revealed.

In 1807 chief Justice Marshall ordered President Jefferson to produce certain papers in the trial of Aaron Burr when Burr said the papers would help his defense.

Marshall thought the President would have to obey such a court order but still said the president could withhold any portion of the document which the President considered confidential.

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Claims Civilian Defense Set-Up Can Be Started

Washington, April 5 — (AP) — North Carolina can set up civilian defense against atomic attack at once if necessary. That's the opinion of its attorney general.

Harry McMullan is in Washington with three other Tar Heel officials to attend a government conference on civilian defense.

He had this to say:

"I don't want to alarm people, but our state can start a civilian defense program against atomic bombs right now if we want to.

'I have advised Gov. Kerr Scott and the Council of State that the war powers act is still in effect in North Carolina—under which they can set up civilian defene."

Here with McMullan are Forrest Shuford, Commissioner of Labor; Thad Eure, Secretary of State; and Henry L. Bridges, State Auditor.

One problem discussed today was the civil defense program proposed by the government. It would cost each state about $18,000 a year.

McMullan said his state's legislature likely would pass legislation next January to end the wartime emergency powers, but in the meantime the civilian defense program could be established.

Select Jury For Ray Hair Today

Raleigh, N. C., April 5— (AP) — Selection of a jury to try Raymond D. Hair on a charge of murder was scheduled to begin today in Wake Superior court.

A special venire of 150 jurors was called for the trial of Hair 23-year-old former premedical student at Wake Forest and son of a Fayetteville dentist.

He is accused of the pistol slaying of Roy Coble, 20, of Oakboro, a former student at the college, on the campus at Wake Forest last Dec. 15.

Solicitor William Y. Bickett, who will direct the state's case, has not announced whether he will ask for a first degree murder verdict, which would carry with it the death penalty unless the jury recommended mercy.

Investigation of a minor automobile accident on the college campus brought the fatal woulding of Coble to light.

Love Said Only Weapon For Christianity

By WYATT BROWN

"Christianity has only one weapon —sacrificial love," declared Reverend Leon Russell, pastor of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church, last night in the second of his Holy Week services. Mr. Russell urged everyone to not search out the numerous things in the world today that one might criticize and condemn—things even in one self—but to share the burden of God by inevitably manifesting redeeming love.

In the outset Rev. Russell offered the definition: God is love. This love may be readily seen in the cross where Christ, sharing God's love of mankind, gave Himself to redeem men. That God would let His son give Himself indicates the great love God has for man.

"Pilate played politics with life of Christ as has been done so many times since," the pastor pointed out. The indifference of Pilate, Herod and the people to the fate of Christ did not decrease Christ's love for them. Not only could Christ have found these people open to condemnation but many others, but God had sent him to save and not to condemn the world. "Christ did not find a man or a woman he did not think worthy of saving. Jesus loved every man, finally going to the cross to redeem man," Mr. Russell said.

In conclusion the pastor suggested that each "of us" is sent to help bear the burden of other people, not by criticism but by redeeming love. In this way one assumes his part of the "burden of God."

Tonight Mr. Russell will preach on the subject "Following Afar Off." The special music will be a solo by Mrs. J. H. Waldrop, "All Ye People," from Dubois' "Seven Last Steps."

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Record Field In Masters' Event

Augusta, Ga., April 5—(AP)—The largest field on record for this ultra-exclusive event will begin play tomorrow in the 14th Masters tournament at the Augusta National Golf club. Out of 110 who received invitations because of their special qualifications, 68 have registered as competitors and a few more are due today.

The Masters' field is limited, as the name indicates, to outstanding golfers, including National champions former winners, those who finished near the top in this and other major events, and a few newcomers selected because of their promise.

The man who comes nearest to filling all the qualifications—and naturally the favorite this year—is Samuel Jackson Snead of White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., and he's favored in spite of an ailing back which forced him to pass up to Azalea open at Wilmington, N. C., last week.

Another noted invalid who never has finished better than second here, Ben Hogan, is among the leading contenders. Hogan, who was seriously injured in an automobile crash more than a year ago, hasn't followed the tournament trail regularly this winter. He tied Snead at Los Angeles, losing in a playoff, and has had a month's rest in preparation for another big shot.

Czech Clergymen Sentenced Today For 'Treason'

Prague, Czechoslovakia, April 5 —(AP)—A Roman Catholic clergyman was sentenced today by a Prague court to life imprisonment on charges of high treason and spying for the Vatican.

His nine co-defendants, all of them Catholic churchmen, received lighter sentences ranging from two to 25 years.

The official Czechoslovak news agency reported that nine of the clergymen were convicted of either anti-state activity or treason or both. The other drew a two-year sentence because he knew of the activities of the others and did not report them.

Some of the defendants were charged with contacting foreign groups and collecting weapons to be used against the government.

Three Of A Kind—Twice



The four-year-old Hutchby triplets of Burlington, Vt., hold a younger set of Hutchby triplets, seven-weeks-old. They're lined up left to right in the order they were born in both cases: Donna Marie holding Caroline Lynn; Dean, the only boy in the older group, holds sleepy Craig Allen, only boy in the younger set; and Dolly holds Cathleen Gail, who sleeps like her slightly older brother. (AP Wirephoto).

Recognizing Our Talents

WE all have our talent, our ability to do our part in the work of the world. "But," we may say, "I have no special talents and not much ability, apparently, for I don't seem able to get ahead."

This is a mistake. It means only that our talent and ability are still unrecognized, even by ourself.

We must learn where to look for our ability, and how to make it serve a useful purpose.

Some feel an inflated sense of personal ability, personal achievement, and believe success is a personal accomplishment, to be gained alone and unaided. This exaggerated sense of self-importance is often not detected until a mortal fails to reach some desired goal, to realize some deeply cherished ambition.

Both extremes of personal sense are unsatisfactory; both are based on a false premise, and both may be healed and corrected by an understanding of the truth of man. Man has no underived ability. . . . Man does not originate; he reflects. Every talent he possesses, every useful, good quality he expresses, originates in God, the divine Mind, not in a personal, limited mind.

This truth is a comfort to the one who thinks he has no talent and little ability. God, the Father of all, has not neglected or forgotten any one of us. Our need is to get closer to Him, to look to Him for our ability, to turn to Him for direction. As we do this, we find that He unfolds, in proper order, every footstep we must take towards achievement and success. "Love inspires, illumines, designates, and leads the way," writes Mary Baker Eddy, the Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science, in "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" (p. 454).

Many an individual today is proving this. As we gain an understanding of the true relationship between God and man, Mind and its reflection, we stop floundering and wandering in confusion. Instead, we find unfolding in our experience abilities and talents which we recognize as God-given. These are not personal possessions; they are expressions of God, the Divine Being.

An understanding of this spiritual fact has a far-reaching effect. It precludes egotism or personal conceit, and fosters humility and gratitude. It releases mankind from a sense of burden. When we perceive that the talent we express is of God, we know that God will show us how to develop it. We can trust Mind to protect, nourish, and prosper it, to inspire every forward step.

This confidence banishes anxiety. In place of aggressive conduct, which springs from fear, we express ourselves in poise and grace.

The attainment of the right use of talent is worth whatever it may cost in inward struggles and vigorous battles with self. For success won in this way is the reward of obeying the Christly command (Matthew 6:33), "Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you."—*The Christian Science Monitor.*

Inquiry Set Tonight In Grade-Crossing Wreck

Macon, April 5—(AP)—A coroner's jury tonight will begin inquiring into a grade-crossing crash which took four lives here last night.

Three of the victims died instantly when a train struck a pick-up truck stalled at the crossing. They were Florence Tucker, 15, Pearl Tucker, 26, and Bessie Ellen Shearin, 12.

Mrs. Nina King Shearin, 28, died in a Roanoke Rapids hospital about two hours after the crash.

All were from Macon. Mrs. Shearin was the mother of Bessie Ellen Shearin. The other victims were sisters.

Highway Patrolman Frank Barnhardt said the engineer of the Seaboard Air Line train, H. C. Woodruff of Portsmouth, Va., told him he was going about 50 miles an hour when he saw the stalled truck and that he was unable to stop the train.

The train was southbound from Portsmouth to Norlina.

Warren County Coroner Edward Petar empanelled a jury at the scene and set the inquest for tonight at Norlina.

Ages of Camp Fire Girls are between seven and 18.

Jail Bound



Miss Czerna Faubin, 23, heads for jail at Van Nuys, Calif., after being charged with trying to run down a motorcycle officer who gave her a speeding ticket a week before. The officer dodged and caught her when she smashed her car into a fire plug. (AP Wirephoto).

BEATS RADIO

Chicago—(AP)—The new Chicago classified telephone directory is notable for two reasons. The publisher, the Reuben H. Donnelley Corp., says it's the largest ever printed in the U.S. And, for the first time, television listings (918) exceed radio listings (520).

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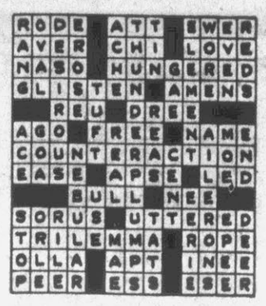
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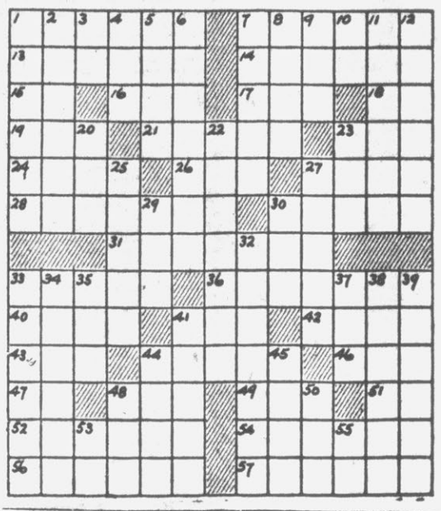
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13. By the side of
14. Garland
15. Pronoun
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18. Six
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21. Prepare for use again
23. Receive
24. Biblical tower
26. River bottom
27. Exposed
28. Genus of the saw palmetto
30. Fertile places
31. Control
33. Kind of grape
36. Bearing flat flower clusters
40. Ireland
41. Town: prefix
42. Point of time
43. Flowed
44. Unit of heat
46. Gentle stroke
47. And: French
48. Silkworm
49. Sticky stuff
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52. Laborer
54. Characteristic of a race
56. Wore away
57. Make insane

DOWN

1. Dwells
2. Happen
3. While
4. Small swallow
5. German river
6. Deity in "The Tempest"
7. Wasting with disease
8. Single thing
9. Old-time pistol
10. Hypothetical force
11. Venerate
12. Strikes
20. Spoil
22. Prominent characteristic
23. Expansive substance
25. Furnish with a crew again
27. Barked
29. Negative vote
30. Sphere
32. Came forth
33. Cylindrical
34. Eloquent speaker
35. Relatives
37. Lick up
38. Star in "The Dragon"
39. Discover
41. One of three equal parts
44. Genealogical record
45. Speck of dust
48. Olden times
50. Unit of electrical resistance
53. Malden loved by Zeus
55. Compass point



Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle



Sow Gives Birth To 27 Pigs

Salisbury, N. C., April 5—(AP) — Glory Lady, a registered Hampshire sow, gave birth to 27 pigs at the White farms near here yesterday. First report yesterday gave the litter as 25 but two more pigs were born after the event was publicized.

Ben White, official of the White Packing Company, owner of the farms, said the average Hampshire litter is 10. He thinks Lady's litter may have established a record.

New Jersey and Iowa list the goldfinch as their official state bird.

Colored News

The Golden Link club of York Memorial A. M. E. Zion club met recently at the following homes: Mrs. Lola Taft, Mrs. Bertha Savage, Mrs. Anna White and Miss Essie Wiggins. Regular routine of business was carried out after which each hostess entertained.

Mrs. Vernaisa Streeter, wife of Albert Streeter, of Washington, D. C., the daughter of Mrs. Gaisy Clark of this city, died Monday night at a Washington, D. C., hospital after a brief illness. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

SMALL CRAFT WARNING

Miami, Fla., April 5—(AP)—Small craft warnings were ordered up at 9 a. m. (EST) today south of Cape Hatteras, N. C., to Daytona Beach, Fla.

Five states have adopted the mockingbird as official state bird.

Old Fitzgerald

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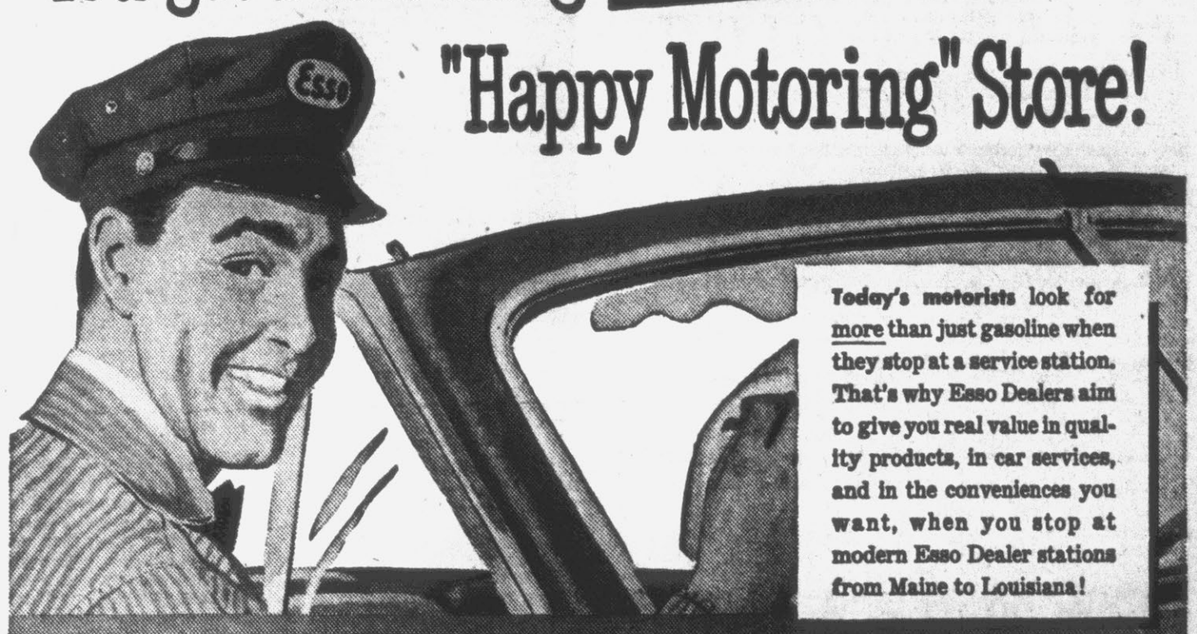
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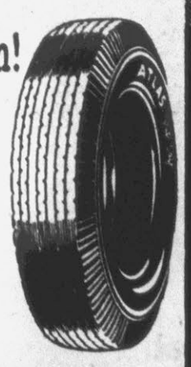
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Big Rally In Ninth Is Winning Factor

Locals Trailing, 9-6, Going Into Final Frame; Pick Up Four Runs To Win; Play Host To Catawba Indians Thursday Afternoon

By BILL LLOYD

A four-run rally in the ninth inning gave Coach Jack Boone's Pirates their second conference victory yesterday, as they defeated High Point College, 10-9.

Trailing 9-6, going into the last half of the ninth, East Carolina came from behind as they combined two walks, a smashing triple by Shortstop Jack Wallace, and an error, to gain their game-winning margin.

Newcomer Bob Bailey led off with a walk in the Pirates' hectic ninth frame, with Wallace driving him in with a long triple to deep right centerfield. Freshman Sonny Russell followed Wallace with a single, sending the Bucs' second tally of the stanza across the plate. Left fielder Fred Soles drew a base on balls, with both runners advancing on a wild pitch by Swiggett. The game's tying and winning tallies came across the plate as High Point's shortstop Taylor errored Billy Smith's hot grounder.

A see-saw scoring battle raged in the first innings of yesterday's North State contest, with High Point scoring three runs in the second inning when Meakens lined out a triple, and scored on Taylor's single. Catcher Coble Kimble followed Taylor by lofting a homer over the right field fence, scoring Taylor ahead of him.

East Carolina came right back in their half of the inning to soar ahead, 4-3, as two singles by Bailey and Terrill, and two walks and hit batsman combined to give the Pirates their lead.

The Panthers knotted the count in the fourth frame as Pitcher Bob Green slammed out an inside-the-park home run.

Not outdone, the Pirates scored in their half of the inning, as Wallace drove in Catcher George Woods who had reached first on a walk, with a sacrifice fly to the right fielder, making the score read, 5-4.

High Point went ahead, 9-5, when they scored two runs in the fifth inning, and added three more in the seventh as Collette drove in three runs with another homer over the right field fence.

East Carolina's sixth run came in the eighth frame, as Pitcher Vernon Jones belted out a double, driving in Billy Smith who had reached first with a walk.

Leading swatter for the Pirates in yesterday's game was converted leftfielder Fred Soles, who had two singles in three trips to the plate.

Pitcher Vernon Jones, who won his second game yesterday in his relief role, followed with a double in two trips to the platter. Taylor and Greene were the top swatsmen for High Point with a homer and single apiece in five trips to the plate.

High Point's Bob Greene used a sharp curve, as he throttled the Pirate pounders in the first innings, striking out ten batters.

East Carolina plays their fourth conference tilt here Thursdoy afternoon, when they play hosts to the Catawba Indians. The Pirates now rank high in the conference standings.

Box Score:

East Carolina (10)	Ab	R	H	PO	A	E
Terrill, rf	4	1	1	0	0	1
Bailey, 3b	3	1	1	3	2	1
Wallace, ss	5	1	1	2	0	0
Russell, 1o	5	1	1	6	0	0
Soles, lf	3	2	2	3	0	0
Smith, 2b	3	2	0	1	2	0
Collie, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Woods, c	2	2	0	10	2	0
Whitehurst, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Byrd, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
V. Jones, p	2	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	32	10	7	27	7	2
High Point (9)	**Ab**	**R**	**H**	**PO**	**A**	**E**
Ridge, 3b	3	1	1	0	3	0
Collette, cf	5	1	1	1	0	1
Bovender, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Cartwright, 1b	4	0	1	8	0	0
Smith, rf	5	0	0	1	0	0
Meakens, lf	1	1	1	0	0	0
Harvey, lf	3	1	1	2	0	0
Taylor, ss	5	2	2	1	2	1
Kimble, c	4	1	2	10	1	0
Anderson, c	1	0	0	1	0	0
Greene, p	5	2	2	0	2	0
Swiggett, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	9	11	24	8	2

Score by innings:

	R	H	E
High Point .. 030 120 300—	9	11	2
East Carolina 040 100 014—10	7	2	

Runs batted in: Terrill 2, Bailey, Wallace2, Russell, Collie, Jones, Collette 3, Taylor, Kimble 3, Green 2. Two base hits, Jones. Three base hits: Meakins, Wallace. Home runs: Greene, Kimble, Collette. SB: Bovender, Cartwright, Terrill, Bailey, Collie. LOB: EC 7, HP 0. PB: Kimble. HBP: Bovender by Whitehurst, Soles by Greene. WP: Byrd, Swiggett. BOB: Whitehurst, Byrd 2, Jones3, Greene 8, Swiggett. SO: Whitehurst 2, Jones 7, Greene 10. Hits off Whitehurst, 5 in 2 in., Byrd, 4 in 2 1-3 in., Jones, 2 in 4 2-3 in., Greene, 7 in 8in. Winning pitcher, Jones; LP, Swiggett. Umpires, Barnhill and Hardy. Time, 2:15.

Apparently Won Outfield Berth

Dallas, Tex., April 5—(AP)—Jimmy Russell, the transplanted Boston Brave outfielder, seems to have won himself a berth with the Brooklyn Dodgers.

Assigned to Brooklyn's Montreal farm list, the 30-year-old flychaser has been a Dodger to all intents and purposes this spring. He has been seeing action regularly for the Dodgers. He is held in high esteem by Burt Shotton, the Brooks' manager.

Free Room And Board Believed NCAA Solution

Chicago, April 5 — (AP) — The southern bloc which has stamped the present NCAA sanity code unworkable believes the simple solution lies in granting free room and board to needy athletes.

Bernie Moore, commissioner of the Southeastern Conference, said this will be the South's suggestion placed before collegiate athletic policy makers in session today and tomorrow.

Representatives of 19 conferences open debate on the controversial code with the hope of drafting changes satisfactory to all for formal presentation at the annual NCAA convention in Dallas next January.

Moore said the South has found it "almost impossible to conform with the 'work' part of the code." This states a student MUST EARN his room and board and other things over and above his tuition and fees.

"The Southeastern Conference does not have any job structure that can conform with this," said Moore of Alabama. "I don't know whether an adjustment can be made or not, but if free board and room can be allowed a lot of pressure on our job structure would be eliminated."

Moore said his conference as well as the Southwestern (represented by Executive-Secretary James H. Stewart) and the Southern (represented by Max Farrington of George Washington) would be behind the proposal. He figured free room and board would amount to about $75 a month.

Moore and his colleagues look for opposition.

"Of course, some will be for it and some against it," he observed. "I don't know where the majority will be. But I do know we'll all sit down in friendly fashion and earnestly talk the whole thing over."

The code, governing how much aid can be given athletes by colleges as a wedge against recruiting, has been sharply criticized for its inflexibility—failing to take into account the ratio of job opportunities on large and small campuses.

Thorny Path For Big-Time Hurlers

By the Associated Press

They may work their way into the clear later, but numerous major league moundsmen are finding the path through the citrus circuit strewn with thorns.

Among the big-time flingers meeting with assorted reverses are Rae Scarborough, Washington Senators; Hal Newhouser, Detroit Tigers; Bob Feller, Cleveland Indians, Vic Raschi, New York Yankees; Ellis Kinder, Boston Red Sox, and Dave Koslo, New York Giants.

A few other stars could be added to the list, having failed to approach their true form or joined the stiff and sore arm brigade along the grapefruit trail.

On the Florida front yesterday, Pitcher Hank Wyse was signed by the Philadelphia Athletics for a reported $8,000 and veteran infielder Eddie Miller, recently released by the Philadelphia Phillies, became a St. Louis Cardinal, reportedly for $13,500.

Iron Man Hurler Pitches Deacons To 8-0 Victory

Raleigh, N.C., April 5—(AP)—Wake Forest College has an iron man pitcher extraordinary.

It pitched the Deacons to an 8-0 exhibition victory over North Carolina State College yesterday. Until then, the iron-man monster had been used for batting practice duty.

The game was run off as an otherwise regulation affair. Umpires called balls and strikes on the machine pitcher, which did the hurling for both sides. Each team stationed a hurler near the device to do the fielding.

The iron man let State down with three hits, giving its teammates 11 hits, including three homers. It was charged with seven walks—two for the Deacons and five for the Wolfpack—and one wild pitch. It struck out one State player.

Yanks' Ed Lopat Very Effective

St. Petersburg, Fla., April 5—(AP) Ed Lopat has been one of the New York Yankees' most effective pitchers this spring.

The 31-year-old lefthander, in 22 innings, has allowed only 15 hits and nine runs. He's walked only five men in winning twice against no setbacks.

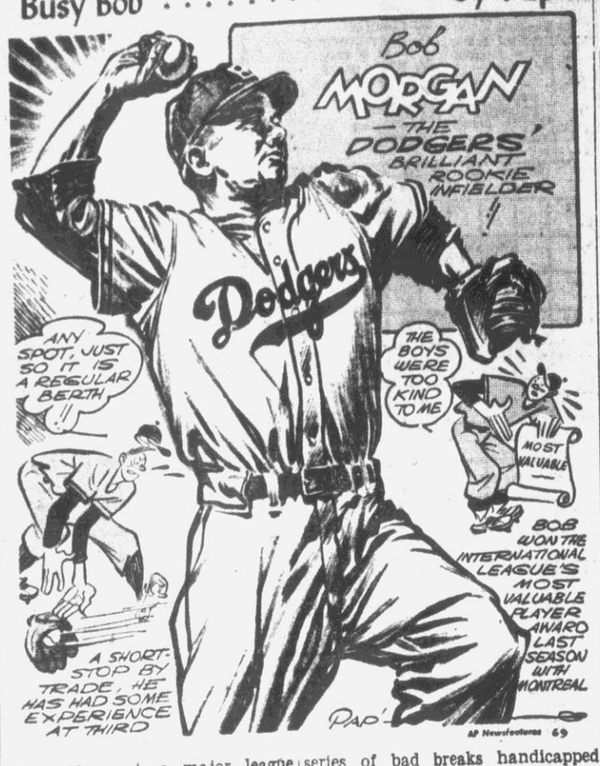
Lopat worked the first seven innings of yesterday's game, which the Yankees lost to Detroit, 6-4. Ed yielded seven hits and two runs.

JIM DUNCAN SIGNED

Cleveland, April 5—(AP)—The Cleveland Browns of the National Football League announced the signing of an eighth draftee Tuesday —Jim Duncan, 210 pound end from Wake Forest College at Wake Forest, N.C.

Sport Slants By Pap

Busy Bob . . . . . by Pap'



Bob Morgan is a major league baseball player and the Brooklyn Dodgers will have to find a way of keeping him busy this season. He was voted the most valuable player in the International League last season, and everyone agreed that the choice was a happy one. Morgan led the league in hitting with an average of .337 for Montreal and set a high standard of play in covering the territory around shortstop. The chances are that Brooklyn will use Morgan at third base since they already have a fair country shortstop in Pee Wee Reese. Bob has played third base before so that will be all right with him.

Morgan was slated for a berth with the Dodgers last spring but a series of bad breaks handicapped him. First of all, Bob suffered a sprained ankle. He had just returned to action when an accident almost cost his life. An undertow pulled him beyond the safety posts in the ocean at Vero Beach and only quick work on the part of Gene Hermanski saved him from drowning. As it was, Bob was severely cut and bruised about the arms, legs and chest by the barnacles attached to the rocks.

Bob was co-starring with Cal McLish and Roy Jarvis in Legion competition when Brooklyn scouts appeared on the scene. They wanted to sign McLish and Jarvis but the boys insisted that all or none would have to be taken. This was agreed —and today only Morgan's name graces a major league roster.

30-Odd Greenville Golfers To Invade Kinston Today

Greenville's golfers will continue their Coastal Association matches, meeting Kinston this afternoon, in weather that has seemed scheduled for each Wednesday's play—rain.

And if past matches played on rainy, soggy courses can set a precedent the Greenville team should win handily today.

During the past two weeks the local sharpshooters have taken their opponents over the Greenville course in two matches played in rainy conditions. Two weeks ago they beat New Bern easily and last week took another one from Smithfield here.

Smithfield is the only team which has beat the local Association champions. They did it last year in the first match between the two in Smithfield, marking the third defeat the locals had suffered in two years' play.

None of the Greenville golfers have broken par through the three matches played to date and that was due, more than likely, to bad weather. However, against Tarboro and New Bern, Greenville golfers were medalists, shooting one and two strokes over par respectively.

Today 30-odd players are expected to travel to Kinston, rain or no. The locals work on the assumption that the more players they take the bigger the difference in score with the higher-score golfers bringing home the winning chips. Heretofore, visiting teams have brought 20 and under players but the locals have won all three.

Squabble Within PGA Is Temporarily Calmed

Augusta, Ga., April 5 —(AP)— The tempest within the PGA was temporarily calmed today but it's almost certain that things never will be the same again after a show-down meeting here Monday.

The meeting was originated by the PGA executive committee to smooth the touchy feelings of many of the nation's greatest golfing stars.

Although George Schneiter, spokesman for the unhappy linksmen, was not invited to the meeting, there are indications that several of his 'board of governors" will attend anyway.

Lawson Little, one of the governors representing stars who demand more authority in managing tournaments, said: "There will be meetings and we'll get everything worked out. We touring golfers will get a bigger voice in running our own affairs."

Jimmy Thomson, another governor, added that he was invited as an individual and intended going to the meeting.

Other governors, including such gold plate golfers as Sam Snead, Jimmy Demaret, Ben Hogan and Cary Middlecoff, did not indicate their intentions.

Horton Smith, as secretary of the PGA, says the pros can have added authority if affairs turn out well Monday.

He said 11 governors were invited, but that the twelfth, Schneiter, was not. Schneiter is both chairman and spokesman for the group.

Schneiter was slashed from the PGA payroll Monday as tournament director. Smith and PGA President Joe Novak charged the Ogden, Utah, golfer with failure to comply with PGA policies.

Says Babe Ruth Responsible For Pitching Change

Phoenix, Ariz., April 5—(AP)—Art Nehf, southpaw mound ace of the twenties, credits Babe Ruth with having revolutionized the science of trying to throw a baseball past a batter.

Nehf, now white-haired, has lived in retirement here since he set his great records with the New York Giants, the Cincinnati Reds and the Chicago Cubs. He explained his Ruth thesis the other night.

"Before the Babe came along," he said, "all the best hitters were high ball hitters. Most of them choked their bats, and they didn't like the low, outside stuff thrown by the better pitchers.

"Then came the Babe, gripping that stick clear down on the handle and reaching out to power the low, outside pitch out of the lot. All the others started doing the same thing, and the first thing we pitchers knew we had to change our tactics completely and look for a new, individual weakness on each hitter."

Lou Boudreau Has 2 Worries

Houston, Tex., April 5—(AP)—Manager Lou Boudreau of the Cleveland Indians had two good worries today:

1. A pulled groin muscle which resulted from a bum slide into second base Monday and may bench him for four days.

2. Where to place Bob Kennedy in the lineup.

Aside from those, things were not too bad. Yesterday the Indians pulled a ninth inning rally to trim the New York Giants, 7-6.

Bobo Newsom To Be In Action

Winter Garden, Fla., April 5 —(AP)—Colorful Louis (Bobo) Newsom will be on the mound when the Chattanooga Lookouts open the Southern Association season in Nashville on April 14.

The portly righthander came to terms with Chattanooga President Joe Engel last night. He had spent several weeks in unsucessful dickering for a return to the major leagues.

The Lookout president did not reveal terms of the contract, but said "what I'm paying that bird would help lift the national debt.'

Grady Hatton On Injury List

Atlanta, Ga., April 5—(AP)—The Cincinnati Reds may have to open the National League season without Grady Hatton.

The star third baseman came up yesterday with a broken toe and was shipped off to Cincinnati for treatment. Indications are he won't be ready for action until at least a few days after the April 18 opener.

Hatton was hit on the toe by a foul ball off his own bat in a game with the New York Yankees Monday. Bobby Adams will fill in at third until Hatton is ready to play.

Syracuse University's new $4,000,000 gymnasium will be completed during 1950.

Flye Holds Aces To Two Runs As Mates Score Six

Edenton, April 5.—Greenville bunched five hits and six timely free passes to beat the local Aces 6-2 in a seven-inning high school game yesterday afternoon. The win was the first for the Greenville team after losing two previous starts.

Edenton outhit Greenville, six hits to five but still couldn't pull through to a win. Bobby Flye, first-line pitcher for Greenville, spaced the Aces' blows effectively, shutting them out until the bottom of the fourth when the locals scored their only two runs of the game.

Greenville's biggest inning was the second when they scored three runs on two hits, a hit batsman, a wild pitch and two fielders' choices. Bobby Perry, the visitors' leftfielder, led off the inning with a single to right. He advanced to second when Brady was hit by Goodwin, Edenton's starting pitcher, and came home on Moore's single to right. Moore scored from second when Flye hit into a fielders' choice. Flye came in when Goodwin threw the ball away on a wild pitch.

Both of the locals' runs were scored in the fourth when Flye issued three bases on balls. Taylor got the first one, went to second when Flye walked Bunch, and scored on Goodwin's single. Bunch went to third on the hit and walked home after Flye hit Crummy, the lead-off man, and walked Dobson.

Flye settled down after that and allowed two hits during the rest of the game. His teammates saved him from another run, scoring when they executed a double play in the last of the seventh.

An error by Shortstop Brady put Hoskins on and he went to third on Privott's followup single to centerfield. But Gray, the locals' third-baseman, hit to Brady who threw to second, getting the runner, and then to first for the twin-killing.

Both teams played fairly clean ball, neither committing but one error apiece. Goodwin walked six men, one of them the visitors' third run, while Flye was giving five free passes.

Flye went the route for Greenville and had more stuff than in his previous outing against Kinston. Goodwin gave way to Griffin with two out in the sixth. Griffin allowed two hits and struck out one batter in his one-and-a-third-inning stint.

The summary:

Greenville	AB	R	H	E
Joyner, cf	3	0	0	0
Jordan, 2b	4	1	0	0
Ayers, ss	4	0	1	1
Briley, 1b	2	0	0	0
Taylor, rf	4	0	0	0
Perry, lf	3	1	2	0
Brady, 3b	1	1	0	0
Moore, c	3	2	1	0
Flye, B., p	4	1	1	0
Totals	28	6	5	1

Edenton	AB	R	H	E
Crummy, rf	2	0	1	0
Dobson, 2b	3	0	0	0
Hoskins, ss	4	0	1	1
Privott, c	4	0	2	0
Gray, 3b	4	0	0	0
Taylor, 1b	1	1	0	0
Rogerson, cf	3	0	1	0
Bunch, lf	2	1	0	0
Goodwin, p	3	0	1	0
Griffin, p	0	0	0	0
Totals	26	2	6	1

Injury List Is Getting Serious

Lakeland, Fla., April 5—(AP)—The Detroit Tigers casualty list is getting serious.

As they broke camp yesterday the Tigers learned that outfielder Vic Wertz might miss the American League opener at Cleveland April 18 because of an injured foot.

Pitcher Hal Newhouser, with a sore arm, and second baseman Gerry Priddy, with a sore back, are the other problems.

Plan Return To Bradenton Camp

Bradenton, Fla., April 5—(AP)—Boston's National League Braves signed a contract to return here for training next spring and then boarded a Tampa bound bus for the first leg of their trip home.

At Tampa the Braves took a train for Columbia, S.C., where they will open a six-game road tour with Cincinnati's Reds tomorrow. Both clubs will move on to Raleigh, N.C., for Friday's game.

Marchildon Sent Back To Minors

West Palm Beach, Fla., April 5—(AP)—The Philadelphia Athletics sent sore-armed pitcher Phil Marchildon to the minor leagues today.

Thus owner-Manager Connie Mack finally gave up on the big right-handed Canadian who once rated as one of the American League's

Marchildom was sent to the A's farm club at Buffalo in the Inter-national league.

top pitchers.

Rigney Is Handy Man For Giants

Houston, Tex., April 5—(AP)—Bill Rigney is living up to his tag as No. 1 handy man of the New York Giants' infield.

The bespectacled utility player replaced the Giants' regular shortstop, Alvin Dark, in yesterday's game with the Cleveland Indians, and played a sparkling game.

Black Cats And Evereadys In Carbon League Upsets

The pride of the Carbon bowling league—the Penlites — again succumbed to the pressure of being on top as they dropped two more games to lower opposition, this time the Evereadys, in Monday night's league play.

In the other games the lowly Black Cats drubbed the Nine Lives two games to one.

For both the Cats and the Evereadys in their dual wins over their respective opposition, the victories were due in part to one member surpassing his previous average.

For the Evereadys it was Pete Venters who raised is average four pins — 101-105. Venters bowled games of 137, 133 and 155 to post his new mark and thus to spark the lines of his teammates.

Leading the Cats was Fred Edwards who notched two pins on his 30-game average of 19. Rising to a new par of 121, Edwards bowled games of 127, 134 and 168 lead the rest of his mates.

However, the class of the league to date was the bowling of Charlie Braswell who posted a new high single game total of 26. Although bowling for the Nine Lives, who went under two games to the Cats, Braswell surpassed all his previous efforts Monday night.

His second high mark for the night was only 158 and his third 119 but those two, coupled with 216 in the first game, was enough to put him into third place for a high three-game total of 493. This is right on the heels of Francis Whelihan's 496 for second high.

In individual standings, Bill Bryan slipped another pin and now rests at 155. Unless he blows up completely next Monday night, when the league completes its fourth round of play, he will walk off with the high average.

During the past 15 games, which includes the third and most of the fourth rounds, Bryan has slipped from 163 to his present 155. His closest competition, Bill Wells, has trailed him through 33 games but has been gaining slightly during the past 15. However, a rise from 143 to his present 146 over the route doesn't indicate he will push Bryan for the title.

Day Shift standings through 33 games:

Team	W	L	Pct.	Av.
Penlites	19	14	.576	705
Nine Lives	16	17	.485	684
Evereadys	16	17	.485	673
Black Cats	15	18	.455	673

Appling Passes Up First Base; Sidelines Loom

Beaumont, Tex., April 5—(AP)—Who's on first? Not Luke Appling anymore.

The Chicago White Sox shortstop veteran, who was being experimented with at first base, has informed Manager Jack Onslow that he doesn't want the job and will play there only if needed in an emergency.

Appling may now sit on the bench as a fellow with the only assured .300 batting average on the team. It appears that Chico Carrasquel, the 23-year-old Venezuelan, has cinched the shortstop spot.

"It was up to Appling," said Onslow. "He could help us if he would play first. But he would not be a good first baseman if he didn't want to go through with it."



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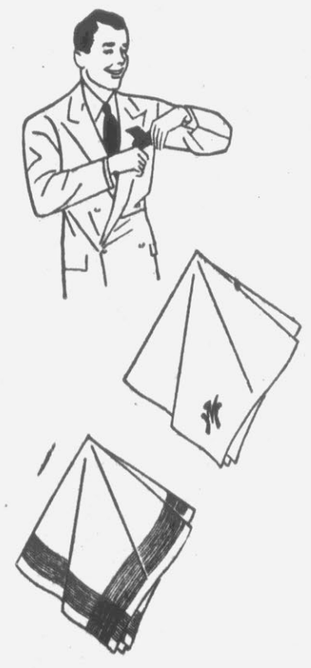
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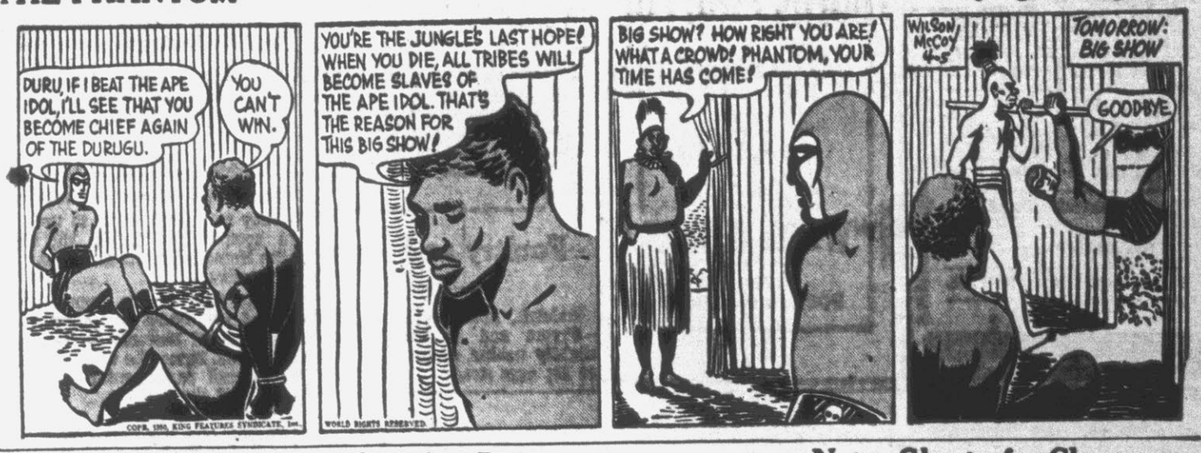
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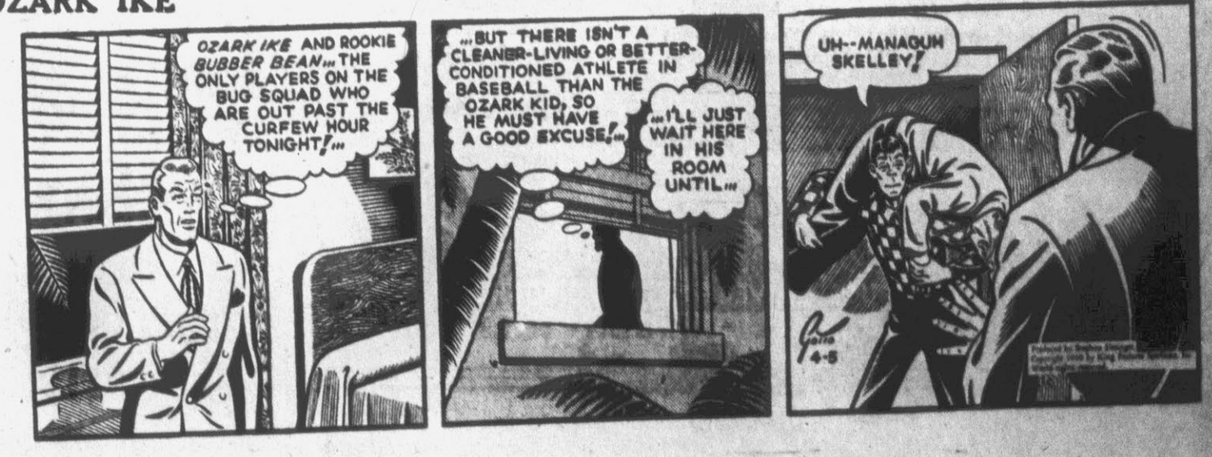
THIMBLE THEATER — Starring Popeye — Not a Ghost of a Chance.



BLONDIE — By Chic Young — He's Her Loll-i-plop!



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N. Y. Stock Market

New York, April 5—(AP)—Selective buying gave the stock market a small boost today. Support developed soon after a wobbly opening. Aircraft stocks supplied most of the motive power and to a lesser degree radio-television and a spattering of other issues. Changes were mostly in small fractions although several aircraft shares gained around a point.

SOUTH 11TH DRIVE-IN

WEDNESDAY — Last Times
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THURSDAY — FRIDAY



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Elvin Cook (center), 49, is helped by fellow-workmen from under a six-ton load of steel that pinned him down for more than an hour at Toronto, Ontario. He was helping unload the steel from a truck. Suddenly a chain on the hoist slipped. The load crashed through the truck and fell on Cook's hips and ankles. He survived the ordeal, and now rescuers are helping him to his feet. (AP Wirephoto).

Jail Leader Of Indonesia Revolt

Jakarta, U.S.I., April 5 —(AP)— The young Indonesian central government, harrassed by a new revolt in a member state, rushed Sultan Hamid II of West Borneo off to jail today as the master-mind of a plot to overthrow the Jakarta regime.

The latest uprising occurred in Makassar, the Celebes, capital city of the state of East Indonesia, where rebellious state police captured the local federal garrison in a lightning coup.

Asserts Brother Told Of Killing

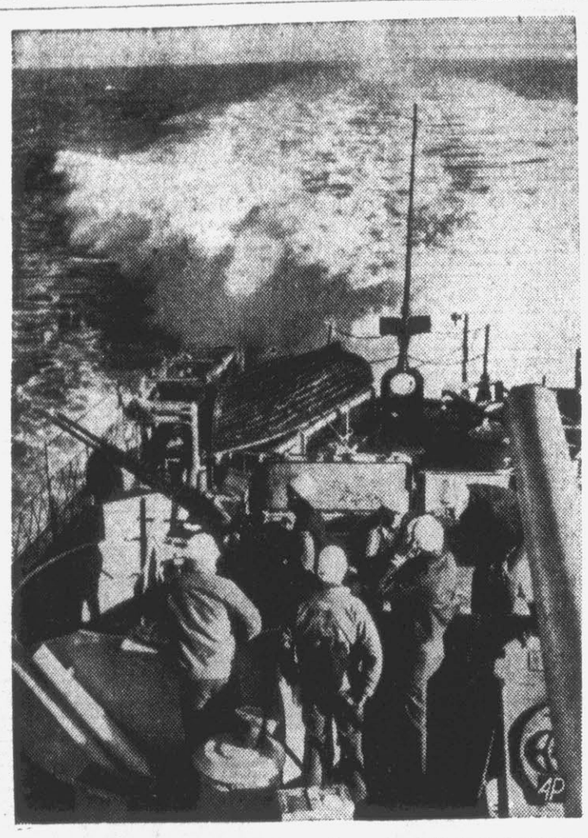
Allentown, Pa., April 5 —(AP)— Raymond Mohr told a jury today that his brother, Harold, admitted he shot and killed their brother, Walter, blind and cancer-wracked for 15 years.

Raymond Mohr was the first witness summoned as the Commonwealth began its case against the 36-year-old Harold, an unemployed tannery worker accused of murder and voluntary manslaughter in the mercy killing of Walter Mohr, 55.

Spinich is believed to have been transplanted from Asia to North Africa.

STATE

TODAY — THURSDAY
Big Star Hit
James CAGNEY
Virginia MAYO
in
"White Heat"
Plus
POPEYE CARTOON



The U. S. naval destroyer Colahan sails under full draft toward a point 280 miles north of San Francisco in search of a mysterious submarine reported in the area. Crew members are checking a 20mm dual mount on deck. After a four-day search, Capt. J. A. Holbrook, commander of the Colahan, said he believed sound contact was made with one or more submarines. (AP Wirephoto).

Hog Market

Raleigh, April 5—(AP)—(NCDA) —Hog prices steady to slightly stronger. Tops of $15 at Tarboro, Wilson, Goldsboro, Robersonville, Greenville, Washington, Kinston and Rocky Mount; $14.50 at Richmond.

Poultry and Eggs

Raleigh, April 5—(AP)—(NCDA) —Fryers and broilers steady to slightly weaker, mostly 30 with few at 28; eggs steady, A large 34.

Conferees Meet On Housing Bill

Washington, April 5—(AP)—Battling Senate-House conferees meet today in a final effort to work out a compromise housing bill before the House begins its Easter vacation Thursday.

The fight centers around a proposed $250,000,000 authorization for the Federal National Mortgage Association. It may be decided by congressional parliamentarians in advance of the meeting.

The parliamentary question is whether the conferees, chosen from each chamber to iron out differences in bills both have passed, have the right to earmark $25,000,000 of the money for construction loans for pre-fabricated housing.

Some senators, including Senator Douglas (D-Ill.), say that unless the $25,000,000 is earmarked, they will oppose any agreement. A stalemate would mean that Congress would not have an opportunity to act on any housing legislation until after the House returns April 18.

Yesterday's meeting brought agreement on several of the major points in dispute between the two houses.

Reduced Number Defense Workers

Washington, April 5—(AP)—Defense secretary Johnson's job cut-back order has reduced civilian personnel in the military establishment by 113,559 during a six-month period February 28.

This was reported today by the joint committee on reduction of non-essential federal expenditures. Johnson's retrenchment drive was started last August. The establishment had 745,227 employees during February.

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COLONY—CLOSED WEDNESDAY

Big Three Near Vital Decision German Future

Washington, April 5—(AP)—The United States, Britain and France appeared today to be approaching a critical point on the question of Germany's future. The outcome may also settle the fate of Western European organization.

The central issue, as seen by officials here, is whether Britain will join fully in the unity of Western Europe as a counter balance to German participation. Without Britain's wholehearted cooperation it is considered certain that France will be unwilling to accept Germany as a full scale partner.

The United States favors Western European union, including all three of those nations, and feels that German participation is essential both to Germany and to its western neighbors. But British and French policy, rather than American, holds the key to future developments.

Some diplomats say the situation will be the most critical to be discussed by Secretary of State Acheson, British Foreign Minister Bevin and French Foreign Minister Schuman when they meet in London next month.

Meanwhile, it was sharply pointed out last night in a speech which the American high commissioner for Germany, John J. McCloy, made in London. The speech reflected top policy thinking in the State Department here.

"The fact is," McCloy said bluntly, "we can not solve the German problem without fitting it into the larger context of a united Europe."

At another point he said: "No friend of Britain, aware of her problems, would dare urge any step which might prejudice Britain's existence or impair her position as a leader of nations. The United States, too, will have to do its share."

State Department officials are considerably more concerned about this question of the future of Germany in relation to Britain and France than they are now about the dismantling of German industries.

The dismantling program was assailed by Senator Jenner (R-Ind.) in a Senate speech yesterday. Jenner attacked dismantling as a means of weakening Western Germany at a time when it is confronted with the necessity of producing more in order to care for its overcrowded population. Department officials said that the dismantling program—which was started shortly after the end of the war to end Germany's war-making capacity—is almost completed. It is supposed to be entirely finished by late fall.

Charges Denied By Tobacco Firm

Winston-Salem, N. C., April 5—(AP)—Officers of the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company declared emphatically today that they have never used any advertising themes for Camel cigarettes known to be false.

The denial was contained in a statement issued by the company today in commenting on the federal trade commission's order that it cease and desist from using certain advertising themes.

The statement also said that all of the advertising themes complained of by the commission "were discontinued more than five years ago . . ."

Ship Grounded In Pre-Dawn Fog

New York, April 55—(AP)—One ship ran aground and another vessel was rammed and seriously damaged in the pre-dawn fog outside New York harbor early today. No one was reported hurt.

A 6,214-ton freighter, the S.S. Hurricane, scraped aground on a sand bar near Fire Island, a resort spot in the Atlantic off the southern shore of Long Island.

Colored News

Death Deacon Brown.

Ayden—Funeral services for Deacon Jacob Brown, a native of Pitt County, who died at his home here after a long illness last Sunday night, will be held at Zion Chapel Negro Free Will Baptist Friday at 3 p.m. Rev. A. W. Williams of Winterville will officiate. Burial will be in the Ayden cemetery.

The body will remain at Phillips Bros.' Funeral Home in Greenville until shortly before the funeral hour.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Newborn Brown; five daughters, Mrs. May Jenkins of New York, Mrs. Martha Cannon of Ayden, Mrs. Reba Jenkins of Ayden, Miss Rosella Brown of New York, Mrs. Edna Gray Sanders of Ayden; six sons, Rev. Heber Brown of Baltimore, Herman Brown and Alex Brown of Ayden, Jacob Brown, Jr. of New York, Lewis Henry Brown and Frederick Gray Brown of New York. Also surviving are three brothers, Deacon DeWill of Ayden, Simeon Brown of New York and Lamb Brown of Tarboro.



Robert E. Bednasek (above) was found innocent today in his trial for the death of his sweetheart. The University of Iowa psychology student was charged with strangling Margaret Anne Jackson, pretty university coed. (AP Wirephoto)

Suspects Forest . . .

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early Monday, were working on fires located in Bruce, Grimesland, Stokes, Pactolus, and a fire near the Old Brick Kiln.

Around 10 o'clock last night the fires in the county were declared under control; with the rains today wetting down the whole county, thus ending the long dry season.

At the first of the week when it became evident that the danger of fires were at their heighest, the fires were at their highest, the burning permits would be issued and that all burning planned on rural land was to be stopped until the danger of fires was over.

Commenting of the fires yesterday, Tyson said this morning that around 235 acres were burned by the fires. No estimate on the total number of acres burned so far in the "fire season" was known.

Giant columns of smoke, visible from most of the highways in the county, gave indication yesterday of the many fires in the county.

Over 200 . . .

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commented. "It is a thing that can make a thought permanent."

The speaker, professor emeritus at Peabody College and author of several outstanding historical novels, related to the group some of the amusing instances which have occurred to him in writing several of his books. "I have to be very careful in writing historical novels not to offend the historians," he said. "I have the right to create situations as long as I do not distort history. The history is the brick and the mortar is my imagination."

Dr. Crabb said the long-hand manuscript of his novel "Dinner at Belmont" contains a pencil line which, if straightened out, would make a line 142 miles long. "It's hard work to do writing," he quipped.

He urged the teachers of Pitt county last night to look into the possibilities of writing about local happenings. "Any community which is of any importance has in it many instances from which tales may be spun," he said.

Dr. Crabb was introduced at the meeting by Dr. Beecher Flanagan of the East Carolina faculty.

D. H. Conley, superintendent of Pitt county schools, pronounced the invocation, L. V. Godwin welcomed the teachers and their guests to the meeting, and musical selections were presented by Mrs. Glenn Scott, pianist, and Miss Betsy Nelson, soloist.

Special guests recognized at the meeting by President Hodges were chairmen of the local school boards, members of the East Carolina and Greenville school faculties, members of the board of education and the county commissioners, and Pitt county representatives in the General Assembly.

Farmville Board . . .

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former members of the group. Mayor Walter Jones, presiding, appointed Claude Joyner and Roland Lang to continue to represent the town in the Chest drive during their tenure in office.

Painting of the Town Hall was left to the discretion of the Finance committee, pending the letting of bids for the cheapest and most efficient job. City Clerk C. M. Paylor was authorized to purchase new mats for the stairs of the Hall.

A new jail cell for women prisoners was taken under advisement, action to be taken at a future meeting pending the possibility of partitioning off part of the Police Department office for such purpose. Chief Lucas was commended for the work his department has done in apprehending the person involved in a series of recent break-ins.

No action was taken on paying a supervisor for the playground and swimming pool. For the past two years the town has paid his salary for three months during the year while the school system paid it the other nine months.

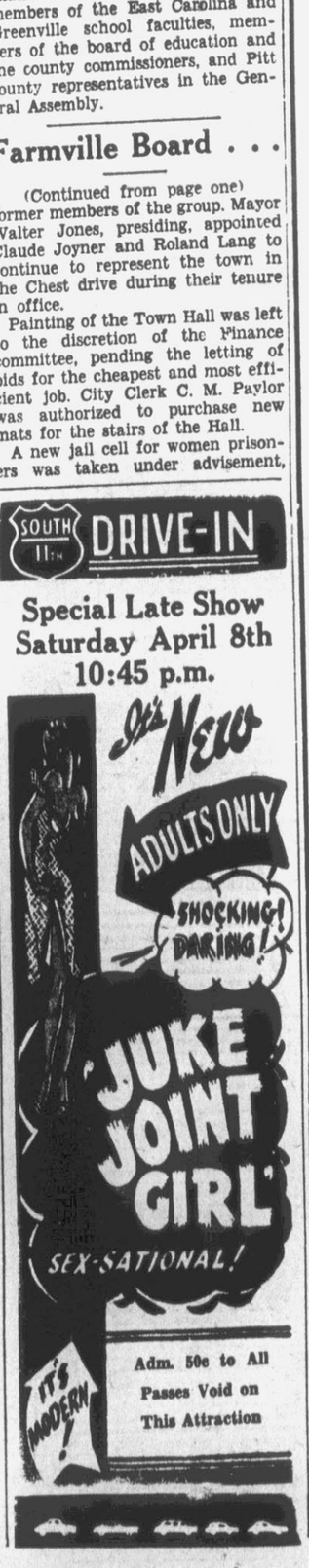
No action was taken on cleaning up privies in the vicinity of town, the Sanitation Committee to continue to check on their sanitary conditions.

The board authorized the clerk to continue paying welfare benefits to Curtis Disston, local Negro, for the next months until he reaches social security age.

The board voted to pay the March bills after they were read out by the clerk.

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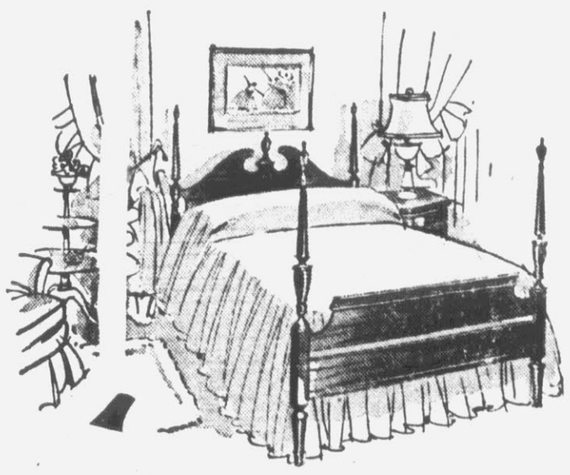
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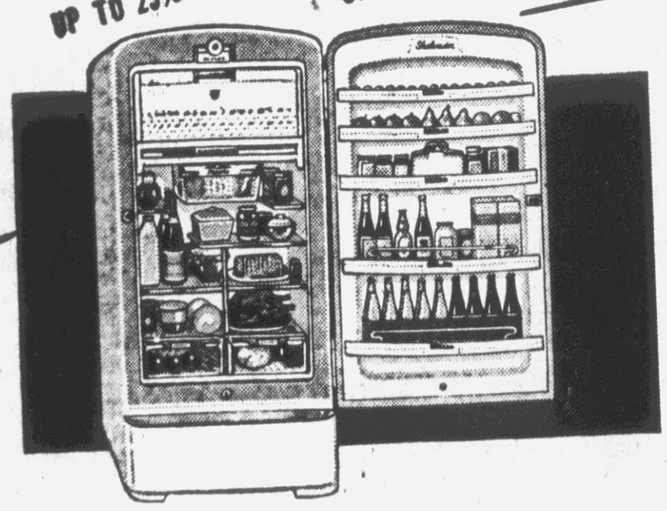
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