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Mistrial Ordered In Carson Case

Action Taken By Judge Frizzelle When Spectator Says Juror Talked About Trial; Case Will Not Be Heard Until August Term Unless Special Term Called

A mis-trial toward the middle of yesterday afternoon ended the trial, for the time being, of Walter Wade Carson.

Indicted for the alleged rape of Daphne Janet Bowers of Bethel, Carson will again have to put up a fight for his life, after the mistrial order ended two full days of court proceedings which drew the largest array of legal talent to Pitt County since the Meadows trial of 1946.

Judge J. Paul Frizzelle ordered the mis-trial at 3:55 p.m. after a court spectator said he heard one of the seated jurors say before the case began he would have to hear more damaging evidence against the defendant than he had heard previously to convict him of any offense.

R. B. Edmondson of Bethel stated from the stand, during a proceeding recess, he had heard juror Carl Crawford of Beaver Dam make a similar statement before he was chosen for the Carson jury.

Crawford denied he made such a statement after Edmondson testified he had told Reuben Everett of Robertsonville the same thing. Everett stated he had heard Edmondson say nothing to that effect.

Everett is the father of Clifton Everett, of Bethel, one of the lawyers for Carson. He stated on the stand he had had a talk with Edmondson during yesterday's lunch recess but that Edmondson had mentioned nothing to him about what Crawford allegedly said.

Frizzelle retired to his chamber with lawyers from the state and defense before ordering the mistrial. He stated to the packed courtroom soon after retiring he was calling a mis-trial because the trial "did not proceed on the same high plane that matters of this import are supposed to be conducted upon."

He exonerated Crawford for any collusion in the case. He continued to explain to the court why the mistrial was ordered, saying:

"I think I ought to say that the conclusions and views of the counsel do not rest on the credibility of witnesses testifying, but here is a thrust at the very integrity and soul of the administration of law by the court." He stated the occurrence was rare in open court and that it was the second time an identical situation had occurred in his court in 20 years.

Acting Solicitor Charles Whedbee said soon after the courtroom cleared that he agreed with the order, saying that in fairness to the public, the case could not be continued because of the reason for doubt on the people's part as to a fair trial for both sides.

Carson will not come to trial again until the August term of Superior Court, unless a special term is inserted into the docket. Clerk of Court D. T. House stated yesterday there is only one more criminal court scheduled before August in which the trial could be held. That is next week which has a full calendar, he said.

The courtroom was full yesterday afternoon prior to the mistrial order. At that time a parade of character witnesses were called by the defense, testifying for Carson. When Frizzelle and the two lawyers retired, three witnesses had testified Carson's character was "very good" after the court resumed proceedings after lunch.

Hainan Battle Stakes

Immediate Gains For Either Side In Furious Fight Now Raging Is Psychological; Nationalist Defenders Divided; Dress Rehearsal For Assault On Formosa

By DeWITT MacKENZIE

The battle for possession of Hainan Island, between the defending Chinese Nationalists and the invading Chinese Communists from the neighboring mainland, is raging at a furious and bloody pitch.

Probably as you look at your maps you wonder why either side should be impelled to expend so much in life and effort for this fabled "dragon's tail." What strength would it add to the Reds, who already hold the vast continental area? What good is it to Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek's Nationalists when they lack the strength to invade the mainland?

Well, those are legitimate questions, and the answers to both are in that considerable degree the immediate gains sought are psychological.

The loss of this great island, with its rich natural resources, would be a heavy blow to Nationalist prestige, and it would give a corresponding boost to Red stock, especially abroad.

However, that's not the whole story. From the Communist standpoint there also is a definite military objective. For one thing the Communists are working the old strategy of "divide and conquer" against the

Cancer Drive Is Given First Push At Annual Dinner

Township Chairmen And Canvassers Meet With Pitt Chapter And Board

1950's Cancer Drive received its first push Wednesday night as 50 persons met for the annual kickoff dinner, held each year to inform the county canvassers of the program to be followed during the campaign.

Meeting at the Woman's Club township chairmen and canvassers met with the Pitt County chapter and members of the executive board for final arrangements for the campaign which begins Monday, April 24.

Dr. J. L. Winstead presided over the gathering. He introduced James Jenkins, county campaign chairman, who outlined the over-all program as to how it is to be conducted this year.

Jenkins stated that this year the campaign should be a success because the people have become educated to thinking about cancer as a deadly disease. And he reiterated the fact that a big part of the funds to be collected will go into the treasury for further education of the public.

Mrs. J. A. Jones, District Commander from Weston, spoke informally, urging the chairmen and canvassers to impress upon the people from whom they solicit that an examination for cancer is conducted each week at the Kinship clinic. This examination is free, she said, and is conducted by five doctors who, in turn, recommend to the family physician what steps are to be taken in treatment.

K. T. Futrell, county welfare head, outlined the work of cancer treatment among the indigent of Pitt. The funds collected during the campaign go, in part, to the treatment of such persons, he said. Forty per cent of the collections remain in Pitt County for that work.

Besides the individual talks on the campaign, a movie was shown illustrating cancer's seven danger signals. Called "The Traitor Within" it depicts, step-by-step, the different parts of the body in which cancer is mostly contracted and the steps toward its treatment.

President Truman prodded Congress today to continue rent controls until mid-1950. He predicted "a wave of exorbitant rent increases" if they are allowed to end June 30 when the present law expires.

And if that happens, he said: "Small income people, having to shell out more money for rent, will cut down on buying food, clothing and other necessities; unemployment will increase in industries losing sales."

Federal, state and local governments will have to pay out more money for assistance to the needy. Pensions, both government and private, to old people will become more inadequate.

UNDER ADVISEMENT Raleigh, April 21—(AP)—The Utilities Commission has taken under advisement a proposal by railroads to cut freight rates on gasoline, fuel oil and kerosene used in North Carolina.

Nationalist forces as a whole. Chiang Kai-shek's main strongholds, since his withdrawal from the continent, have been the big island of Formosa (his headquarters and the seat of government), Hainan, and the island of Chusan which dominates the huge Bay of Hanchow and the sea route to Shanghai on the north.

In order to defend any one of these island strongholds, the Communist must weaken the defenses of one of the other two. The defense of Hainan entails exactly that sacrifice.

When this scheme of divide-and-conquer has been carried far enough by the Reds, we shall see them launch lightning blows at Formosa and Chusan.

Formosa, of course, is the main objective, since that is both military and governmental base for the Nationalists. The assault on Hainan is a dress rehearsal for the invasion of Formosa.

Then there would be a further gain for the Communists in possessing Hainan. The island lies close to French Indo-China, which the Communists aim to control, and it will also be essential that the Reds

live up to T-H. Both are supposed to be fair and impartial. But Denham broke the feud wide open in a Jan. 13 speech accusing the board of being pro-labor.

Everyone here wondered where this explosion would lead. It led right to Plan No. 12 which Mr. Truman handed Congress on March 13, two months later.

Under this plan Denham's job—general counsel—would remain but his powers would be given to the board. That would finish off Denham.

Denham strongly opposed the idea. So did the U.S. Chamber of Commerce and the National Association of Manufacturers. So did Senator Taft, Ohio Republican and one of the authors of T-H. He's leading the fight against Plan No. 12.

But, just as strongly, the chairman of the board, Paul Herzog, was all for the plan.

He said the present divided responsibility has caused friction within the NLRB and confusion among management and labor. (Taft said transferring Denham's powers to the board would make

Maritime Strike Averted; Others Scheduled Soon

Gov't Mediators Shift Attention To Railroad And Telephone Disputes

Washington, April 21—(AP)—A walkout of 4,000 deck officers which threatened to idle 300,000 maritime workers on the Atlantic and Gulf coasts was averted today. Government mediators quickly shifted their attention to looming strikes in the railroad and telephone industries.

These strikes were due to start in the next few days.

The AFL Masters, Mates and Pilots had been scheduled to force their long dispute to a head by walkout Saturday at midnight. But with the help of government conciliators, the controversy finally was settled. No details were disclosed.

Hiring and job security standards were the issues in the deck officers' drawn-out dispute. The union had postponed strikes four times at the government's request.

While squads of conciliation specialists had been assigned to the ship and telephone disputes, Chairman Francis A. O'Neill Jr. of the Railway Mediation Board indicated early moves to head off a strike of firemen and engineers on four major railroads before next Wednesday.

In the telephone industry, the CIO Communications Workers of America said it is ready to make more than 200,000 telephone operators, equipment installers and manufacturing workers idle next Wednesday morning at 6 a.m., local time.

The CWA has demanded a 15-cent hourly boost in wages, as well as other concessions from Bell Phone System companies from coast to coast. Negotiations have been going on for some time, with some compromise for a year. The firms have contended that phone workers already are well paid.

A state-appointed arbitration board in New Jersey yesterday awarded phone workers in that state a \$2.50 weekly wage boost. This amounts to a 64-cent-an-hour increase on the basis of a 40-hour week.

In railroads, the Brotherhood of Firemen and Engineers has also set a strike for Wednesday morning at 6 a.m., local time. It is demanding assignment of a second fireman on multiple-unit diesel locomotives and a fireman on small diesels now operated only by an engineer.

Expect Plea For Propaganda Sum State Dept. Request Seen As Result Of Truman Talk

Washington, April 21—(AP)—The State Department may ask Congress soon for more millions to combat Communist propaganda abroad.

President Truman signaled the move with an announcement yesterday that he has directed Secretary of State Acheson to plan a "strengthened and more effective national effort to use the power of truth in working for peace."

Officials already are at work on plans calling for a stiff increase in the current annual outlay of some \$36,000,000 for "Voice of America" overseas broadcasts, the exchange of students with foreign countries, and other such activities.

On Capitol Hill, Senator Bridges (R-NH) said a stronger "Voice of America" program would have general appeal to Republicans. He said he would give it strong support in the Senate Appropriations Committee.

"Anything that will jam through the Russian propaganda to reach behind the Iron Curtain would be worthwhile," Bridges told a reporter.

Mr. Truman, in an address to the American Society of Newspaper Editors, called for a "campaign of truth" to outline to the peoples of the world this country's desire for peace.

Doesn't Mind A 2-Day Jail Term

Van Nuys, Calif., April 21—(AP)—Robert E. Farrow, 26, is in jail today, but by his own admission, he probably doesn't mind too much.

"My boss got fired and I was celebrating," he told officers who arrested him yesterday after his car plunged through a gate on Ventura boulevard. "It's worth \$5,000 to get rid of him."

Later, Farrow appeared in court, and Municipal Judge Philbrick McCoy gave him a choice: two days in jail or a \$10 fine. Farrow, a waiter, chose jail.

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

Retaliation

Washington, April 21—(AP)—The United States today ordered Communist Czechoslovakia to shut down its consulate general in Chicago not later than May 1.

The action, announced in a note to the Czech government, was in direct retaliation of an order closing the libraries of the U.S. Information Service in Czechoslovakia and the American consulate general in the city of Bratislava.

The State Department's note rejected as worthless the Czech charges that the USIS was being used as a cloak for spying activities against the Communist regime.

However, this government agreed to carry out the closing order and to recall Joseph J. Kolarek, press attache at the American embassy in the capital of Prague.

Members of the arrangements committee for the dinner met here last night and assigned committees which will handle the various phases of the preparations for the banquet.

Tickets for the dinner will be available at Tadlock's Insurance agency in Greenville from Miss Mary Bell Eldridge, treasurer of the committee, and the following people: Larry Averette, J. B. Spilman, Jr., and S. J. Waters, Jr., of Greenville; Dr. Paul Jones of Farmville; J. P. Sumrell of Ayden; Leonard Evans of Winterville; George Gardner Suggs of Grifton and Tom Andrews of Bethel.

President J. B. Spilman of the Pitt county chapter of the Young Democratic organization, said Mrs. D. A. McCormick of McDonald, vice chairman of the state Democratic executive committee will be the principal speaker at a meeting here Friday afternoon for all women in the county interested in the Democratic party. The meeting is scheduled for the court room of the city hall at 3 o'clock.

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Chairmen of the various committees in the county working on the banquet will meet Sunday afternoon at 2:30 in the aldermen's room of the city hall with President Terry Sanford of the State YDC organization and members of the state committee.

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B'NAI B'RITH MEETING Goldsboro, N. C., April 21—(AP)—The 14th annual meeting of the North Carolina B'nai B'rith will be held here April 29-30.

Benjamin Epstein of Atlanta, Ga. will be the principal speaker.

City Registration Books To Be Open 'Til April 29

The Greenville city election will be held Monday, May 1. Registration books will be open until Saturday, April 29. Registrars will be on duty daily at the courthouse for Wards 1 and 2 and at the City Hall for Wards 3, 4, and 5. They will keep the books open next Saturday until 5 p.m. and the following Saturday until 6:30. City Clerk J. O. Duval said today.

The City Election will be held Monday, May 1.

There is no contest in the First Ward where Heber Tripp is the incumbent.

In the Second Ward, C. B. Mayo, incumbent, has filed for reelection. L. M. Buchanan, incumbent in the Third Ward, has announced that he will not seek reelection. Robert S. Elks has filed for reelection in the Third Ward.

J. E. Collins, incumbent in the Fourth Ward, so far has no opposition.

James L. Jenkins, who was appointed to serve a pair of the unexpired term of Dal Cox, who recently

Tickets To YDC Rally Available Today Over Pitt

Already In Great Demand; Arrangements Committee Maps Plans

Tickets for the first annual Roosevelt dinner which will be held in Wright auditorium in Greenville April 28 were made available all over Pitt county today.

Vice President Alben Barkley will be the principal speaker at the rally which is being sponsored by the Pitt county and state organizations of Young Democrats. Secretary of Labor Maurice Tobin has accepted an invitation to be here for the dinner and other high government officials probably will be here also.

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Firemen Balk At Being Midwives After Two Talks

Bristol, Eng., April 21—(AP)—City firemen lodged a formal protest today against a proposal that they be trained as midwives.

The fire brigade maintains the ambulance which carries maternity cases to the hospital. Up to now a trained midwife has gone along on each trip.

The city hoped to save money by teaching the firemen how to deliver a baby in a pinch, thus dispensing with the midwife.

L. J. Milton, an official of the firemen's union, told newsmen: "If this were not so serious it would be ludicrous. They expected us to be completely competent after only two lectures."

resigned, has filed for the one-year term in the Fifth Ward. J. E. Walcott has filed for reelection as alderman from the Fifth Ward. L. F. (Buck) Johnson filed for alderman in the Fifth Ward shortly before noon today.

One year the voters of the city have to elect a mayor and five aldermen. The next year, four aldermen. All candidates are elected for two-year terms.

Russia Rejects American Protest Over Plane Clash

'High School Day' Draws Big Number

Forty-Four Counties Of State Represented Among Visitors To College Campus; Full Program Of Activities

With more than 2600 seniors from schools in the eastern section of North Carolina present, East Carolina Teachers College celebrated today its eighth annual High School Day.

Visitors began arriving on the campus at 8:30 in the morning to enjoy a full program of social and educational activities. Representatives from 114 schools in 44 counties of the state were present to observe "a college in action" and to take advantage of seeing the campus and its buildings, the departments of instruction, special exhibits in fifteen departments, and various other features of college life.

Sunny spring weather contributed to the pleasure of the occasion. A cam's red bloom with dogwood, azaleas, adub, and other flowering trees and shrubs made an attractive background for the festivities.

Wayne County, with 253 representatives headed the list of visitors in point of number, and Goldsboro, with 109 students present, topped other towns.

A full program of varied activities was carried out during the morning and the afternoon. Welcoming committees of college students from the home counties of guests greeted

the visitors as they arrived. Souvenir booklets, illustrated with scenes of campus work and play, and automobile stickers in the East Carolina colors of purple and gold, were presented to the high school students.

Educational exhibits were on display in all departments of instruction. These included a display of plastic, wood, metal, and leather work in the Industrial Arts department; materials on home nursing, foods, and clothing designed and made by students, in the department of home economics; a display of books on careers for young people in the library; an exhibit on Childhood Education and on visual aids equipment by the department of education; a pictorial representation of French and Spanish life and culture by the foreign languages department; and an exhibit of paintings, water colors, clay modeling, ceramics, weaving, and life drawing by the department of art.

Visitors saw student teaching being done in the Training School and were welcomed to the Nursery School and the Kindergarten. Of special interest was a series of exhibits of science projects conducted

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Uncertain Effects On Local Postoffice

Postmaster Proctor Says Directive Will Chiefly Affect City Deliveries; Changes Due By July 1

Greenville Postmaster J. Knott Proctor said today he has not yet been able to fully determine what effects the order to restrict mail services throughout the nation will have on the postal service in Greenville.

Proctor said the plan as outlined in a bulletin from the Post Office Department calls for the curtailment of city deliveries to one a day in residential sections. Also he said if the plan outlined in the bulletin is carried out the local post office will have to drop substitute carriers from its payrolls. "It will affect the city deliveries more than anything else," Proctor stated, "but there are a lot of things the public is getting service on now that they won't get service on if the plan goes through."

The changes, he said, are to be made not later than July 1, according to the information received from the Post Office Department.

In his complete statement today, Proctor said: "I have received a communication from the Postmaster General requesting that certain curtailments be made in mail service. This order applies to all post offices as well as the Greenville office. Just what effect will be felt by the patrons of our office, I am unable to say at present."

"Included in the Postmaster General's order was the curtailment of our city delivery system, to provide one delivery daily instead of the two deliveries we are now giving. This of course will inconvenience the patrons of this office and will result

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Russia Demands Trieste Retreat

Moscow, April 21—(AP)—Russia demanded today that the United States and Britain get their 10,000 troops out of Trieste and that the strategic Adriatic area be organized as a free territory immediately.

Charging the United States, Britain and France with "grossly violating" provisions of the Italian peace treaty designed to make Trieste a free territory under United Nations supervision, a Soviet note insisted on "liquidation of the illegal anglo-American naval base" it said had been established in the port city.

The note was handed here last night to Diplomats of the U. S., Britain and France by Deputy Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko. Published by the Soviet news agency Tass, it charged Trieste "has been converted x x into a military springboard for the armed forces of the United States and Britain, which constitutes a threat to the peace and security of Europe."

In Washington, American officials said the U. S. and Britain were within their legal rights in keeping troops in Trieste until the free territory is established. They asserted Russia was chiefly responsible for the delay in setting up the territory because, they charged, the Soviets would not agree on a governor to administer the area under a United Nations mandate.

Insist Plane Involved Was B-29; Will Not Consider Demand For Compensation; Warns Same Treatment Will Be Given Future Unauthorized Flights

Moscow, April 21—(AP)—Soviet Russia today rejected every point of the American protest over the Baltic plane incident, insisted the plane involved was a B-29 and accused Washington of trying to cover up illegal actions.

Russia said it could not even consider the U. S. demand for compensation in the loss of 10 crewmen of the U. S. Navy Privateer which disappeared the same day Russia says its fighter planes intercepted an American bomber over Latvia. Russia warned that any unauthorized planes appearing over Russian territory will be fired upon if they do not meet demands to land.

Sweeping aside the U. S. protest that the plane involved was an unarmed craft, the Soviet Union accused the United States of trying to cover up "the illegal actions of certain of its subordinates who disgraced themselves by grossly violating the generally recognized rules of international law."

In a note handed to U. S. Ambassador Alan G. Kirk, Foreign Minister Andrei V. Vishinsky contended the American plane had been attempting to "photograph Soviet defense installations."

The note said "the Soviet government confirms its resolute protest (of April 11) to the United States Government against the gross violation by an American military aircraft of the Soviet frontier."

Vishinsky insisted the plane was not, as the United States said, a Navy Privateer which disappeared April 8 on a flight from Germany to Denmark, but a "B-29 flying fortress."

(A flying fortress is a B-17. The B-29 is a superfortress. A U. S. third air division spokesman in London said the plane could not have been a superfortress, because the division was "certain none of our planes was in that area" at the time. He said a pilot not too well versed in aircraft recognition—"especially a jet rocket flying at great speed and firing at long range—may have thought it was a B-29.")

Russian investigation of the incident, the Soviet note said, turned up facts which "completely refute both the United States government's statements to the effect that the American aircraft did not violate the frontier of the Soviet Union and also that it was allegedly unarmed."

"In the light of these facts," the note said, "the above-mentioned United States government statement cannot be regarded otherwise than as an attempt to shirk the responsibility for a gross violation of international law."

The note declared the American planes fired first at Soviet fighters

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Social and Personal

All items for this page received after 10 A. M. will be published the following day. Dial 3566-5 A. M. to Noon; 1 to 4:30 P. M.

Miss Virginia Morgan of Portsmouth, Va., arrived Wednesday to spend a week with her mother, Mrs. Kenneth Staton, at her home at 208 Greene street.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion H. Gibson and little son, Marion, Jr., of Gibson and Miss Frances Hobgood of Wilson, will spend the week-end with Mrs. A. E. Hobgood.

"Just Listen"
The time for "Just Listen," a program of music for young people, has been changed from 10:30 to 10 o'clock Saturday morning. The title for the broadcast tomorrow morning is, "The Tramp of Marching Feet."

Ada Cherry Class
The Ada Cherry Sunday school class of Jarvis Memorial church will meet with Mrs. Brantley Speight on Farmville highway Monday night at 8 o'clock.

West Greenville P. T. A.
The West Greenville School P. T. A. met April 19 at 3:30 in the school auditorium. Dr. H. G. Haney was guest speaker. His topic, "Spiritual Education."

After a couple of songs the minutes of last meeting were read and various reports from standing committees were given. The election of president and treasurer was held at this meeting. Mrs. Gardner's third grade won the attendance prize.

Christian Church Announcements
At the Christian Church Sunday morning the choral choir will sing the anthem "Prayer" by Guion and the pastor will preach on the theme "The Eternal Power Is Available." At the close of the service Sunday morning the newly elected officers of the Christian Youth Fellowship will be installed as the leaders of the coming year.

The Horkerton Union of the Disciples of Christ will meet this Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 at the Bethel Christian Church just south of Grifton. Mr. Lee H. Moore is president of the Union this year. The program will be in charge of the women and young people in the afternoon, supper will be served at the church at 6, and a meeting with emphasis upon the manpower of the church will be held at 7:30. It is hoped that a good group of Greenville Disciples will be in attendance.

The Woman's Council will meet on Monday afternoon at 3:30 at the Church. Every woman of the church should keep in touch with the great missionary program of

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Paul Clodfelter of Winston came in Wednesday to visit Hugh Ragsdale.

Snow Hill has recently installed an electric plant. It is understood that Farmville is negotiating with a view of installing an electric plant in the near future.

Mrs. O. L. Joyner spent Thursday in Washington.

We want to see Greenville get on the factory idea. The town needs it for its health.

The Eighth Street Christian Church will have a preaching mission beginning on Sunday night April 30. The guest preacher for the week will be Dr. U. Curtis Jones of Richmond. Services will be held each evening at 8 through May 7. The pot is most cordially invited.

The Christian Youth Fellowship will meet Sunday evening at 6. The intermediates will meet at 5.

First Presbyterian Church Announcements

The Westminster Fellowship of the College Students will meet in front of the College Post Office Sunday afternoon 5 o'clock, and will have an outdoor meeting if the weather permits.

The Senior Young People will meet in the Women's Bible Class Room this Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock; the Pioneers will meet in the College Class Room this Sunday evening at 6:45 o'clock.

The Women of the Church will meet at the church Monday afternoon 3:30 o'clock.

A memorial service in memory of Mrs. Adelaide E. Bloxton will be conducted Tuesday evening 7 o'clock in the Austin auditorium. E.C.T.C.

Choir Practice will be held Wednesday evening 7-8 o'clock.

Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock there will be a special meeting of all the elders and deacons and their wives and all who have participated in the Visitation Evangelism programs of the past years.

Club Pack No. 19, sponsored by the Men's Bible Class, will meet in the basement of the church, Thursday evening 7:30 o'clock.

The Men of the Church had a fine meeting Wednesday evening of last week. An interesting program was presented under the leadership of John O. Reynolds, chairman of the program committee. C. Ken Beatty, president, presided. Forty-six men were present.

The Gospel according to John is the New Testament Book of the month which is suggested for your reading during the month of April.

The ancient Phrygians were largely herdsmen and small farmers.

Most Nevada rivers flow into desert sinks with no outlet.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

THURSDAY
7:30 p. m.—V. F. W. business meeting at club house.
8:00 p. m.—The Fidels class of Memorial Baptist church meets in the church parlor.

FRIDAY
6:30 p. m.—Exchange club.
SATURDAY
7:45 a. m.—Credit Women's Breakfast club meets at the Olde Towne Inn.

Mrs. James Hostess To Sans Souci Club

"The Magic of Color," ably handled by Mrs. J. T. Chestham, highlighted the delightful meeting of the Sans Souci club, to which Mrs. J. B. James was a charming hostess on Tuesday afternoon. The exciting story of color was traced from primitive times, when man lived close to nature, and worshiped the gold of the sun, observed the red of his body and the purple qualities of earth. As the culture of man evolved, color became an essential part of his social life and religion. The emotional appeal of color grew through the centuries and the speaker depicted the color hues chosen by various types of personality: red for the cheer and energetic appeal; blue for the nervous and overactive; yellow for its restful mental effect.

Developing the subject further the speaker showed how today science has united with art, and with the help of chemists and technicians had made life more colorful, healthier, happier and more productive. The cold white of the operating room had changed to a soothing gray green and the buff of the maternity ward to a rosy hue. The drab kitchen of the past invited the cook to enjoy her work, surrounded by rainbow colors. The black cars of 1900 have become the sporty yellow and blue convertible. In the factories, afternoon fatigue was lessened by the use of new stimulating colors. In every department of the modern age, new uses were found for the new knowledge of color.

In a charming, concluding paragraph on "Spring Time on Fifth Street" Mrs. Chestham pointed out the magic color of its gardens, the yellow and green hues of the leaves and the billowy pink and white dogwood trees. Children riding their tricycles made a spot of color, as they rode and watched the garden man pulling leaves and weeds from colorful azaleas, with yellow buttercups and blue hyacinths nearby. "And as of old time," she said, "we look up at the sky and know the Author of this beauty."

Mrs. Sudie Mann of Richmond, a lover of gardens and an artist in flower arrangement, delighted the club with her impromptu remarks on the technique of lovely and satisfying flower arrangements. She adapted the technique further to "making personality," and choosing the ideal colors in clothes.

The home of the hostess was a most appropriate background for the current topic; massed arrangements of pink and white dogwood from the hostess' garden were seen from the perspective of deep Oriental rugs; many hued green leaves of spring were charmingly arranged throughout the home, while low bowls of velvety pansies lent their magic of color.

Mrs. Ragsdale, newly elected president was in the chair and presided over a short business session. Regrets were expressed for the illness of many members of the club. The club was delighted to have as its guests Mrs. O. L. Joyner, Jr., Mrs. Lyman Ormond, Mrs. J. B. Cummings, Mrs. Sudie Mann and Miss Hennie Long.

After the delightful program, the hostess served a delicious salad course, followed by a tart orange cream and after dinner coffee.

Mrs. Moye Gives Book Review Before Club

The American Home Department of the Woman's Club met April 14, at the Club House with the chairman, Mrs. W. E. Marshall, presiding.

The meeting was first turned over to the hostess committee—Mrs. J. Hicks Corey, chairman, Mrs. A. C. Tadlock, Mrs. H. R. Goodall, Sr., Mrs. D. W. Swope, Mrs. D. M. Clark, Mrs. C. W. DAVIS and Mrs. H. R. Rogers, who served delicious refreshments.

The Club Collect was read in unison and the Club Woman's Hymn sung, after which 16 members answered to the roll call. The minutes of the March meeting were read and approved, and \$71.61 was reported in the treasury.

It was decided that all members of the department be contacted by telephone and a definite poll be taken as to whether a dutch supper or regular meeting be held in May. Thursday night, April 27, was

Doris Ann Seaboch And Andrew Bales Wed In Home Ceremony



MR. AND MRS. ANDREW R. BALES

The wedding of Miss Doris Ann Seaboch of Greenville and Hickory, N. C., and Andrew Richard Bales of Marshfield, Wisconsin, was solemnized Saturday afternoon, April 8, at 2 o'clock, at the home of the bride, The Reverend R. B. Crawford, pastor of the Free Will Baptist church of Greenville, officiated at the double ring ceremony in the presence of relatives and close friends.

The vows were spoken before an improvised altar of seven branch candelabra interspersed with ivy and Easter lilies. The candles were lit by the bride's stepfather, Harry Spreiter.

The couple entered together and spoke their vows unattended. For the ceremony the bride chose a navy and white polka dot taffeta dress with a white lace yoke using navy accessories and a corsage of red roses.

set as the date for the annual bridge tournament and May 31 as the date for the tea dance to be given the graduating class of Greenville High School.

Mrs. C. W. Murray was authorized to purchase a tablecloth to be given by the department for the club house.

The Junior Woman's Club bread sale for the T. M. Watson Memorial Fund to be held Sunday, April 16, was brought before the club and cooperation urged.

Mrs. Norman Garrison was welcomed as a new member and Mrs. H. R. Goodall, Jr., of Charlotte, as a visitor.

Mrs. H. R. Goodall, Sr., program chairman, introduced Mrs. W. Jesse Moye of Farmville, who in a most delightful manner reviewed the book, "The Mature Mind," by Dr. H. A. Overstreet. This book has been selected by the Citizenship Department of the North Carolina Women's Clubs as its book for next year as no one without a mature mind can be a good citizen. Each member expressed her wish to read the book after Mrs. Moye's most interesting review of it.

Fireside Club Has April Meeting

The Fireside club of the Eighth Street Christian church held its April meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Evans on East Fifth street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tetterton, co-presidents, presided. Mrs. Plato Evans in her lovely way gave the devotional, "How Happiness Is Gained by Sharing with Others."

George Perry rendered several selections at the piano which were very inspiring.

Miss Evelyn Morris, the mission worker of the church gave a picture showing of "A Christian Home." She also explained the pictures that would help to carry out this program.

A short business meeting was held and Mr. and Mrs. Milo Smith were appointed co-presidents and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moye, co-secretaries for next year.

At the close of the meeting everyone was invited to the dining room where the hosts served delicious refreshments.

The hosts were Mr. and Mrs. David Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Forrest, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Knott Proctor and Mr. and Mrs. Plato Evans.

Dessert Bridge Honors Miss Kilgo

In compliment to Miss Susanne Kilgo, bride-elect, Mrs. Joe Smith, Jr., entertained at bridge Tuesday evening at her home on East Fifth street.

Before play began Mrs. Smith served a dessert course.

The high score award and the flitting prize went to Mrs. Betty Bryan and the low to Mrs. Hoyt Minges. Mrs. Cressie Money-maker an out of town guest was remembered with a gift. The hostess presented the honoree a gift of silver. Attractive arrangements of tulips and snapdragons were used in decorations for the rooms where tables were set for play.

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Broad Pact For China, Russians

Moscow, April 24—(AP)—Russia and the Chinese People's Republic (the Communist government) have entered into a broad-scale trade arrangement, it was announced today.

The Soviet Union will exchange equipment for raw materials from China under terms of an accord signed Wednesday in Moscow. This is the first trade agreement to be announced between the two governments.

The accord calls for:
1. A general trade agreement.
2. Agreement on mutual trade for 1950.

Claims U. S. Has 'Solved' Soviet Atom Blast Case

WASHINGTON, April 21—(AP)—Rep. Elston (R-Ohio) says the United States has solved the case of the atomic explosion in Russia last year.

"We know definitely that it was caused by an atomic bomb," the congressman told a reporter, "and we know what the ingredients of that bomb were."

Elston is a member of the Senate-House Atomic Energy committee, which deals with A-bomb and other related matters and has inquired closely into the Russian atomic blast. He declined to disclose how the U. S. government obtained information about the Russian explosion, or to discuss the Russian bomb further.

There has been much speculation in this country over whether the Russians had a true bomb, or whether the blast might even have been caused by some disastrous accidental explosion of a Russian atomic experimental plant. When President Truman told of it last September 23 he used the words "an atomic explosion."

"Definitely the Russians don't have the hydrogen bomb yet, any more than we do," Elston added. "We know as much about the potentialities of a hydrogen bomb as

they do, and they know as much as we do, and no more. Neither of us even knows definitely how to explode an H-bomb."

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Fifty Million Americans Turn Clocks Ahead 1 Hour April 30

New York, April 21—(AP)—Some 50,000,000 Americans will turn their timepieces ahead one hour April 30, ushering in another season of daylight saving time.

But the advent of "fast time" will be ignored by some 90,000,000 other Americans, mostly in the south, midwest and far west.

Clock-switching will be general in the heavily industrial areas of the east and in most of the nation's large cities.

Detroit, however, will remain on standard time. Most of the nearby Province of Ontario, with the exception of the Night Club area

across the international bridge from Detroit, will observe daylight time. The Night Clubs will stay on standard to gain another hour of business under Canada's 2 a. m. curfew law.

Firs' proposed by Benjamin Franklin nearly a century and a half ago, "fast time" got its original tryout in the United States during the first World War.

Some areas have used it ever since, but others have tried it and abandoned it. The mere suggestion that it be adopted in some towns and states has touched off bitter community wrangles. Legislatures have even passed laws forbidding its use.

Rural areas for the most part regard daylight time with scorn.

too closely hitched to the clock, say it causes confusion.

The confusion, dairy farmers contend, is even passed on to their herds. Cows, it seems, give less milk when their milking schedules are changed.

Big city workers as a rule like daylight time for it gives them an additional hour of sunlight after a day at the office or plant. In Nevada, gamblers vainly opposed its adoption on the ground that citizens would spend extra hours outdoors when they could be starting on night life rounds.

Radio networks will use the same system adopted last year, switching their major shows in the east to daylight time. Network stations in the south and west will be permitted to rebroadcast them an hour later if they wish, so that listeners in the areas can hear them at the usual time.

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Redesigning Big Lockheed Plane

Burbank, Calif., April 21—(AP)—A Lockheed Constellation transport enlarged by 18 feet and carrying up to 110 passengers is being redesigned. The company says Eastern Airlines has ordered 10 of the new ships costing \$18,000,000 for delivery starting July, 1951.

Present constructions carry from 70 to 80 passengers

Davidson Alumni Meet Tuesday In Woman's Club

Davidson College alumni from the Greenville-Washington area will meet Tuesday night (April 25) in Greenville to hear two college staff members discuss campus affairs.

The dinner meeting, with Bancroft Mosely presiding, will be held in the Woman's Club at 7:00 o'clock Tuesday night. All Davidson men, friends of the college and parents of students are invited to attend. Ladies will be welcome.

Speakers from the college will be Crowell Little, head football coach, and Alumni Secretary John L. Payne.

Coach Little will describe prospects for the 1950 season and will show movies of the Davidson-State game last fall which the Wildcats won, 20-14. Mr. Payne will bring greetings from the college and report on significant campus news.

Ex-Wife Tried For Shooting Drewry, Fiancee



Mrs. Kathleen Merry Drewry (left) enters court at Athens, Ga., Wednesday to stand trial for shooting her former husband, Dean John E. Drewry, and his fiancee, Miss Miriam Thurmond. Her son, Milton Drewry, is with her. Right: Drewry, dean of the University of Georgia School of Journalism, enters court with the former Miss Thurmond, whom he married last month, and her mother, Mrs. Dewey Thurmond (right). At the top is the prosecuting attorney, Solicitor General Marshall Pollock. Drewry's former wife attacked him and his sweetheart with a blazing pistol in Miss Thurmond's home at Athens last December 23. The dean was shot three times and Miss Thurmond twice. (AP Wirephotos).

Cases Tried In Police Court

Judge J.W.H. Roberts disposed of the following cases in Police Court Monday: Walter Williams, colored, assault on a female, \$25 fine and he was ordered not to visit or be in the company of Randy Whichard for six months.

Drunk: Jesse J. Speight, \$20; Hiram K. Holmes, \$15; Virgil L. Admire, \$15; John C. Cherry, \$15.

William H. Miller, colored, charged with assault on a female, called and failed to answer. Capias was issued for him.

Caesar Spell, colored, crashed a red light and paid \$10.

George Smith Jr., colored, paid \$20 for speeding.

Affray: Joseph Chappel, colored, 30 days or pay \$20. James M. Barrett, colored, was not guilty of an affray.

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Bride Lost Her Husband By TKO To Old Flame

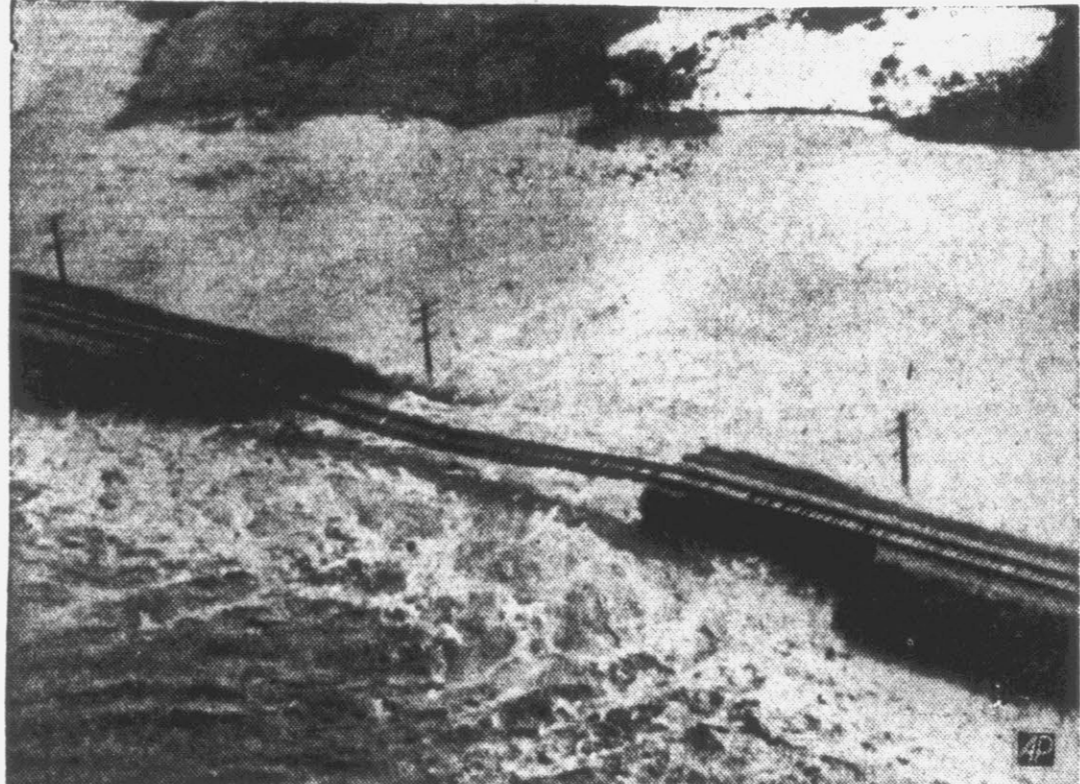
Los Angeles, April 21—(AP)—The honeymoon lasted two days. Then the bride lost her husband on a technical knockout.

Mrs. Gladys Price, 38, filed suit yesterday for separate maintenance, asserting that two days after their marriage, Charles Price, 43, walked out of a restaurant with "an old girl friend," leaving her flat on the floor. Mrs. Price named Miss Marguerite Carey as co-respondent and said it was Miss Carey's fists that knocked her down.

Two days later Price phoned, said Mrs. Price had dozed him with sleeping pills, slugged him and ordered him not to see his wife. Mrs. Price's complaint said.

He is still missing, she added.

Devastating Flood Strikes In North Dakota



Flood water from the Heart river cut under the track of the Northern Pacific Railroad and left it hanging in mid-air near Mandan, North Dakota. Rivers on rampage have flooded large areas of the state and have driven hundreds of families from their homes. (AP Wirephoto).

Magazine Uses All Nature For Range Contents

NEW YORK —(AP)— One story tells you how a volcano is born. Another tells of the life and times of the African black rhinoceros. You go on a journey down a swift, wild river in New Guinea with Papuan natives, or watch Eskimos build their sleds. You get acquainted with New Zealand's strange flightless Kiwi bird, or puzzle whether there may be some form of

life on the moon.

That's only a light sampling of the range of contents in a non-profit educational magazine, Natural History, now marking its 50th year. Published by the American Museum of Natural History, it now is approaching the 45,000 mark in circulation. It goes to readers in all 48 states and 43 foreign countries. In Abyssinia, Emperor Haile Selassie becomes impatient if the mails delivering his copy are slow.

The National Geographic Society says that, pound for pound, the leopard is the most destructive animal.

Eloped

The cottage where Woodrow Wilson and his bride spent their honeymoon is still popular with newlyweds at Arden, in the mountains of western North Carolina.

Crime 'Cure' Failed



Charles Hinkley (above), 25, who submitted to risky brain surgery at Miami, Fla., last October to cure him of criminal tendencies, is back in jail. He was picked up at South Deerfield, Mass., at the end of trail of bad checks that began with his escape from Winter General hospital at Topeka, Kans., two weeks ago. (AP Wirephoto).

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- Edible seaweed
- Mark of a wound
- Part of the
- Grow
- Patron saint of sailors
- Pertaining to memory
- Not enthusiastic
- Surgical thread
- Region
- Summit
- Dip
- Less ruffled
- River in Montana
- Palm leaf
- Cover with cloth
- Dutch commune
- East Indian rate of exchange
- Exhibited tentatively
- Press
- Friendly
- Browne
- Extends
- Given to
- Imitating
- One of the Hebrides Islands
- Easily deceived
- Ran away
- Southern constellation
- Yellow
- Spreads for drying

DOWN

- Charity
- Departed
- Instigate
- Distant
- Posse
- Foray
- Surpass
- Withdraw
- Secluded in a private interview
- Egyptian deity
- Stage character
- American Indian substance
- By
- Convulsively
- Old musical note
- Came back
- Poem
- Marcelline nickname
- God of flocks and pastures
- Walks
- Aim high
- First name of an American author
- Point of the earth's axis
- Certain
- Negroes of the Niger delta
- Long narrow board
- In this place
- Once around

Ratio Moral

RATIO MORAL

1. EDIBLE SEAWEED
2. MARK OF A WOUND
3. PART OF THE
4. GROW
5. PATRON SAINT OF SAILORS
6. PERTAINING TO MEMORY
7. NOT ENTHUSIASTIC
8. SURGICAL THREAD
9. REGION
10. SUMMIT
11. DIP
12. LESS RUFFLED
13. RIVER IN MONTANA
14. PALM LEAF
15. COVER WITH CLOTH
16. DUTCH COMMUNE
17. EAST INDIAN RATE OF EXCHANGE
18. EXHIBITED TENTATIVELY
19. PRESS
20. FRIENDLY
21. BROWNE
22. EXTENDS
23. GIVEN TO
24. IMITATING
25. ONE OF THE HEBRIDES ISLANDS
26. EASILY DECEIVED
27. RAN AWAY
28. SOUTHERN CONSTELLATION
29. YELLOW
30. SPREADS FOR DRYING
31. CHARITY
32. DEPARTED
33. INSTIGATE
34. DISTANT
35. POSSE
36. FORAY
37. SURPASS
38. WITHDRAW
39. SECLUDED IN A PRIVATE INTERVIEW
40. EGYPTIAN DEITY
41. STAGE CHARACTER
42. AMERICAN INDIAN SUBSTANCE
43. BY
44. CONVULSIVELY
45. OLD MUSICAL NOTE
46. CAME BACK
47. POEM
48. MARCELLINE NICKNAME
49. GOD OF FLOCKS AND PASTURES
50. WALKS
51. AIM HIGH
52. FIRST NAME OF AN AMERICAN AUTHOR
53. POINT OF THE EARTH'S AXIS
54. CERTAIN
55. NEGROES OF THE NIGER DELTA
56. LONG NARROW BOARD
57. IN THIS PLACE
58. ONCE AROUND



Joyce I. Green (top), daughter of a chain store millionaire at Newton, Conn., eloped with Juan Gonzales Cuevas (bottom) of Miami, Fla. He is a son of a transit company executive. The girl disappeared from a fashionable girls' school at Greenfield, Mass. (AP Wirephotos).

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directly to a subsidized American people than any other proposal yet made by the Truman administration which has traveled far down the road toward socialism. The Brannan plan actually would provide a government subsidy for every family in America which buys agricultural produce to supply its nutritional needs.

It proposes paying farmers a set parity price for products and selling the uncontrolled products on the open market at whatever price they will bring. The difference between the artificial price paid the farmer by the government and the actual market price paid by the consumer would be made up from government taxes. The government would pass on to the consumer the savings in the retail price of the article, and then tax him to make up the government loss.

The plan embodies neither sound economics nor clear thinking.

And this week Secretary Brannan came up with a defense for his program which is even more asinine than the program itself—if such an extreme is possible.

Brannan told a Congressional group the only way to find out how much his plan will cost the government is to try it and see. In this proposal Brannan probably is sincere, because we don't think he has any more idea than a billy goat what it will cost the American people.

But if you see fit, go ahead and try it boys. What is a hundred million bucks to a government which is going into debt another fifteen million dollars each day it operates.

National Whirligig

News Behind The News

By RAY TUCKER

WASHINGTON, April 21—President Truman vetoed the Kerr Bill exempting southwestern natural gas producers from potential federal regulation only after an estimate of the political assets and liabilities of his action that would do credit to the nation's most expert certified public accountant. His survey convinced him that the books were balanced against the measure, and that approval would cost him votes in 1952.

It was, in Capitol Hill's opinion, the most politically premeditated move that Mr. Truman has made since he entered the White House, although there have been many other similar maneuvers on a smaller scale.

In this instance, however, the man in the White House revealed his innermost intentions and ambitions, and virtually announced that he was a candidate to succeed himself.

OKAYED—He had assured personal oil friends like Edward W. Pauley and Senator Bob Kerr of Oklahoma that he would sign the measure, which reached him in the form that he had originally okayed.

He had told such political henchmen as Majority Senate Leader Scott W. Lucas, Speaker Sam Rayburn, Senate Foreign Relations Chairman Tom Connally and the petroleum bloc on Capitol Hill that he would be delighted to relieve their natural gas cronies of the threat of a federal crackdown.

SWITCH—For some strange reason, which suggests that President Truman does not understand the underlying forces or the broader issues of politics and economics, he thought that the prohibition against federal control over the price of such a vital product would slip through both chambers without a murmur of dissent.

The bill's friends had sold him on the idea that it was nothing more than a mild expression of Congressional policy akin to a measure which he had approved when it was before Congress last year.

Otherwise, Mr. Lucas would not have placed the proposal on the Senate calendar. Nor would Speaker Rayburn have descended from the rostrum to deliver a tearful speech in favor of, or delay counting the vote to permit four men to switch from an anti to a pro registration.

ISSUE—Two men with a conscience so strict that it will not permit them to play politics arose in Senate and House to denounce the Truman-approved measure as a "rape of the consumers" that would cost them \$100 million a year.

The spoil sports were Senator Paul Douglas of Illinois and Representative Bob Crosser of Ohio, chairman of the House Interstate Commerce Committee. Both are Democrats.

More Republicans than Democrats voted in the negative, figuring that the expected presidential approval would give them an excellent issue in urban areas next fall.

The so-called consumers' bloc on Capitol Hill, including members of both parties, lined up against the measure, even though his own intimates were aware of the private presidential pledges.

NUMBER—Not till then did Mr. Truman sense that, to put it frankly, he was faced with the choice of running out on his Congressional leaders or, possibly, having millions of users of gas run out on him when he runs out in 1952.

Naturally, he decided in favor of the greatest good for the greatest number, which is always a most sensible decision for a politician dependent on public favor. And, of course, included in that greatest number was Harry S. Truman.

DOUBLE-CROSS—Mr. Truman knew, of course, that he would be regarded as a double-cross by the Rayburn-Kerr-Connally bloc, and that it would disillusion his supporters from the Southwest. His conclusion was correct, for what Sam and Bob and Tom are now calling him cannot be published in a family newspaper.

But the Louisiana, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Texas and California Democrats, whose friends are the principal producers of natural gas, got the same treatment that the Dixie faction has received at the hands of a President of their own party. It is this aspect of the White House "kiss off" which nettles them the most sharply.

GRAVY—Mr. Truman, in daring to veto the measure, took into consideration the admitted fact that those states almost always land in the Democratic column. He figured that, no matter how badly he treated their most illustrious leaders at Washington, their constituents would vote for a man running under the party emblem.

In short, those five states were safe, whereas numerous consuming commonwealths in the North and Middle West—New England, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Michigan, Ohio etc.—are not. They get the gravy because their political allegiance in a presidential contest is not mortgaged to the Democrats in advance.

CASH—Mr. Truman also realized that his oil friends, especially the Pauley crowd, have been most generous contributors to the campaign fund. He realized that they may zipper their pocketbooks, as did Bernard M. Baruch, when he runs in 1952. But he has no worries concerning cash.

National Chairman William Boyle, when questioned as to the effect of a veto on political finances, assured the President that the party is more solvent than ever before. Therefore, the veto!

We All Enjoy A Good Scrap



Somebody Told Me

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

Back in my high school days (1936-1942) there were frequent floor shows featuring local talent—the same kind of show that will always be a part of high school. But in my day every show had a special feature: the dancing of Katherine Youngblood.

Katherine was one of the star pupils at Ramona's School of Dancing. Ramona is now a housewife and mother, Mrs. Ollie VanNortwick, but back in those days she operated a school similar to the present-day school operated by Marie Wallace.

Soon after high school Katherine landed a contract with Paramount studios. As a starlet Katherine played small parts in movies and short subjects, and posed with Bob Hope for a series of pictures in "Look" magazine.

From Hollywood she went into modeling in New York and is currently working for the Ford agency. With her husband, Jack Beard, she lives on East 44th Street in the Beaux Arts apartments. Jack is in the import business, and at the present is buying coffee.

Street in the Beaux Arts apartments. Jack is in the import business, and at the present is buying coffee.

Katherine has no regular working hours but stands by to be called at any time. One day she answered what she thought was a routine call, but later developed into what a showman would call "a break." The job was to model for "Charm," the fashion magazine.

"Charm's" editors took a particular interest in Katherine, and soon after the first engagement called for her again. Then they engaged her to make a trip to Haiti to model clothes to be featured in a six-page spread entitled "Honey-moon in Haiti." The result appears in the April issue of "Charm," pages 99 to 105.

In the same issue Katherine models the "Dress of the Month," on page 98.

Judging from the sequence of pictures in this issue of "Charm" you might think that Katherine had one happy vacation. The trip did afford an opportunity for sightseeing, but shooting the pictures still is classified as work.

Television offers a new field for models. For example, Katherine made a trip to Bermuda for the American Airlines, taking the entire trip was filmed, to be used later on television to advertise the comforts and joys of riding with the American Airlines.

A New York model never knows when she will be called. Katherine was called on Easter Sunday to participate in the Fifth Avenue Easter parade, to be filmed for later use on television.

Katherine will also be featured in the May issue of "Charm," and on the cover of the June issue. Greenville quite often loses a citizen, but I never remember one before whose image could be recalled simply by picking up a fashion magazine.

And I thank you.

Business Today

By ELMER ROESSNER
When President Truman signed the Oleomargarine Bill, he didn't end the margarine-butter fight. He just rang the bell for the main event.

Margarine manufacturers are now preparing a tremendous drive to win a far larger share of the "spread" market when federal taxes of 10 cents a pound on colored margarine and 4 cents a pound on the uncolored drive on July 1. Part of the drive is on improvement of the cream, to give it the creamiest, golden look and flavor possible. But the main efforts will be on promotion to persuade housewives to buy more margarine. The price differential between margarine and butter will be the spearhead, but there will be store demonstrations, sampling and a lot of material on flavor, vitamins and minerals.

Butter interests will fight back—hard. The American Dairy Association has voted to increase its annual promotional budget from \$1,200,000 to \$3,000,000. About 30 per cent will be spent to promote butter; the rest will be used for other dairy products. Some of the surplus butter fat can be diverted to these other products. Dairy companies are also planning to step up butter advertising and much of it will be aimed at margarine.

Meanwhile, friends of the butter industry have started a flank attack. Senator Herbert H. Lehman (R.) of the third largest milk producing state of New York, with 1,483,000 cows last year, has introduced a resolution calling for an investigation of the margarine industry, especially in reference to price-fixing and monopoly.

The stakes in the margarine-butter fight are enormous. Last year Americans bought 1,700,000,000 pounds of butter and 850,000,000 pounds of margarine. The margarine manufacturers are out to sell at the rate of 1,000,000,000 pounds a year; some think they can sell 25 per cent more than that. Most of the anticipated increase in margarine sales would come out of butter sales.

A decline in butter sales would compound the problem of surplus butter. The government is committed to supporting butter prices at 90 per cent of parity. Under that program, warehouses are already bulging with government-owned butter.

But oils going into the manufacture of margarine are a problem, too. Before the war, America was an importer of fatty oils, bringing in about one and a half billion pounds a year. Government supports increased the production of oils, especially soybean oil, and last year the net exports reached 1,129,000,000 pounds. Cottonseed and soy oils are most used for margarine, and not all of our surplus is in these oils. But large supplies of other oils make more cottonseed and soy oil available for food uses.

FREE SIGNS HELP ADVERTISE STORE
An Oklahoma retailer gained publicity in an ingenious manner, Al Robertson reports in the National Appliance and Radio Dealers bulletin. He had signs made bearing the word "posted" and carrying an ad for his store. Farmers who had been paying \$1 each for "posted" signs were glad to accept them and put them on their boundaries where most people would see them.

CYCLONE MAY BOOST VANILLA PRICES
Vanilla prices may go up. Early this year a cyclone struck the main vanilla-growing region of Madagascar, where most of the world's vanilla is grown. The damage to vines is expected to reduce crops for three or four years to come.

To make the situation worse, the 1949 crop was less than half normal because of a drought, and in 1948 the island destroyed 1,400,000 pounds of beans, more than a good year's crop, to keep the prices up.

CANNED MEAT DRIVE TO RIDE A BOOM
The National Meat Canners Association and the American Meat Institute have joined to promote a campaign in June to increase the use of canned meats. The associations are bidding for the cooperation of independent retailers, chains, and the companies which supply equipment to the canners.

The promotion is an effort to ride the boom. Canned meat sales are now two and a half times higher than they were ten years ago; canners would like to see them three or four times as high.

CHECK STICKERS BOOST AN INDUSTRY
Employees of a truck fleet operator in St. Paul have been supplied with stickers to put on their personal checks. The stickers read, "This check represents money earned in the trucking industry." Since bankers estimate an average of 14 persons examine each check, it seems like a good idea, for other industries as well as truckers.

NEW AND HOT EXPANDABLE: A chest, which will be unveiled at the Jamestown, N.Y., spring market (by Alliance of Jamestown) opens up into a desk, a table to seat four, or extends into a table to seat ten.

GUARD: To prevent milk from being stolen, there's a new device by Sanitary Bottle Protector Corp., 505 Fifth Ave., New York 17. When a bottle of milk is inserted, a cover automatically locks up over the top of the bottle and can be freed only with a key. Empty bottles do not set the automatic lock.

PRESERVER: Pentachlorophenol, the permanent wood-preserver and termite repellent known as "pena," is now available in household sizes as well as in drums for industrial use. (It's by Monsanto Chemical Co., St. Louis 4.)

Hal Boyle's Column

By CARTER L. DAVIDSON
(For Hal Boyle)
PARIS—(AP)—Hal Boyle, Associated Press columnist, New York. Dear Hal:

Remember Peter? He's the white rabbit you sent to Paris because you couldn't keep him in your apartment.

He arrived today—confound you. Cute little fellow all right, but the trouble he's caused: First of all he created quite a commotion in the Paris customs office. It was all because customs men here are inexperienced in handling rabbits.

Most visitors to Paris this year are people—not rabbits.

Pete—we're having a ceremonial rechristening to make him "Pierre Le Lapin"—took it all in his blase way, munching carrots lettuce and a custom agent's little finger.

When we cleared customs at Le Bourget Field, we set off to Pete's new home, that of Mrs. George Anton, sister of Ted Alexander, the AP office boy, to whom you sent the rabbit.

There's where trouble began to start. Now it's hours later. Pete is nervous and homeless and a little disgusted about the whole thing.

Mrs. Anton isn't at home and we haven't found her yet. Pete for the moment is in my own apartment, while I already was sharing with my wife, nine-year-old daughter and two goldfish named Albert and Bruce, and a male calvary named Edith Piaf.

The concierge is staking up and down muttering about "menages-ries," and the cook threatens to quit.

Pete first started getting nervous when we dropped in at one of my favorite bistros and a waiter walked past with an order of pate de lapin, a sort of chopped rabbit cook-out.

Mrs. Maureen Petchersky, public relations officer for Overseas Airlines, which flew Pete to Paris, got to reminiscing about wartime Paris when the principal meat was rabbit. Pete cowered.

We had planned to take Pete to the famous flea market, but abandoned the idea because Pete glared at us with a look I would describe only as baleful.

The only cheering note, for Pete, in the whole day was a cablegram from Al Smalley in St. Paul, who sent you the rabbit in the first place, after Peter's sterling services in a Minnesota fundraising campaign. It read: "For the thousandth and second time congratulations. Mother and seven babies doing nicely."

We're going nightclubbing, Pete and I, as soon as he's had a rest. We'll probably drop in at the Montmartre cafe called "Lapin a Gite," where people go to admire Artist Gite's rabbit portraits and eat branched cherries.

I'll add the cost of the cherries to the bill. It has totaled \$200 under \$40 for customs, veterinary fees, taxi fares, and incidentals. Sincerely, Davidson.

Washington Letter

By JANE EADS

WASHINGTON—Della Goetz has been on the go most of her life, mostly shuttling back and forth between the United States and Latin America. No wonder she is excited about settling in the little house she just bought for herself. "I'm moving—it's the first house I've ever owned—it has a basement workshop and a garden," she rattled as soon as I had stepped into her office.

Miss Goetz is a specialist in the preparation of materials in the Office of Education's division of international educational relations. Eager, fresh, diminutive, and what her Latin American friends describe as "simpatica" (meaning, roughly, someone with warm understanding), she has written many books, articles, short stories and pamphlets.

It was chiefly about "Popol Vuh — The Sacred Book of the Ancient Quiche Mayas" of the powerful pre-Spanish Guatemalan Indian nation that I wished to talk to her about. She recently completed the English version with the late Sylvanus G. Morley.

Miss Goetz and Mr. Morley got interested in doing the English text of the Mayan work, described as corresponding to the Christian Bible, through Adrian Recinos, who made the Spanish translation. Miss Goetz had met Mr. Recinos several years ago while he was Guatemalan minister to the United States and she worked as translator at the legation.

A native of Iowa, the personable Della Goetz got her first job as a teacher in Panama while attending Iowa State Teachers College. Later she taught in Cuba and Guatemala. Then she went to work for the Foreign Policy Association and helped make a survey of the Cuban republic. During the war she worked on projects for the Pan American Union and the Office of Education's summer Latin American Workshops.

She has visited Mexico, South and Central America and the Caribbean Islands, gathering the first part of the material she has used in her books. Slanted mostly for youthful readers, they include "Neighbors to the South," "Half a Hemisphere" and more recently, "Other Young Americans." Material for this last was obtained on a hazardous trip by automobile, bus, boat, truck and burro from Caracas, Venezuela, around South America and across the Andes. Accompanying her, and making photographs for the book, was Miss Kathleen Walker, managing editor of "Americas," magazine of the Organization of American States.

Around Capitol Square

Daily Reflector Bureau

By LYNN NISBET

Raleigh, N. C.

PRESIDENTS—North Carolina has experienced during the past two or three years an unusual turnover among heads of colleges and universities located within the state. Oldtimers cannot recall from memory or knowledge of history any other similar period in which change has been so marked. The following list may not be complete for full four-year colleges, and it does not attempt to cover junior colleges and recognized prep schools.

STATE—Heading the list is the Greater University of North Carolina. Gordon Gray, Winston-Salem publisher and late secretary of the army, will be inaugurated as president of the university next fall. He succeeds Dr. Frank Graham, who was appointed by Governor Scott to the United States Senate last spring after nearly 20 years as president of the university. Paul Reid will be installed as president of Western Carolina Teachers' College at Cullowhee next month. Within the past few years Dr. J. D. Messick assumed presidency of East Carolina Teachers College at Greenville, and Dr. Alfonso Elder was installed as president of North Carolina at Durham, commonly known as the "Negro university."

DENOMINATIONAL—Among the privately endowed or denominationally supported educational institutions, Duke University ranks top in this state. Duke has a relatively new president in Dr. Hollis Edens. Wake Forest will have a new president within the near future. Dr. Thurman Kitchin has been trying for several years to be relieved of the administrative duties and a committee has been working for months seeking a successor. At least five other top rank denominational colleges have

chosen new heads within the past year. Dr. L. E. Cook was inaugurated as president of High Point College last month, and Dr. Voight R. Cromer was installed at Lenoir-Rhyne in impressive ceremonies this week. Just a short time before Dr. Dale Gramley had been inaugurated as head of Salem College.

UPCOMING—In addition to UNC and WCTC installations, inaugural ceremonies are scheduled for Dr. Cecil A. Jarman at Atlantic Christian College and Dr. Marshall Scott Woodson at Florence-McDonald later this year. That means more than half the institutions of higher education located in North Carolina, whether controlled by the state, some religious denomination or privately endowed, are "under new management" so far as the chief administrative official is concerned.

TURNOVER—That is significant at this time, because personnel turnover in educational institutions is usually slow. Infrequently is (although this has not been thoroughly checked) that no more than normal change has occurred in membership of boards of trustees of the private institutions. The last general assembly made just about the usual number of replacements among university trustees. Other state supported colleges, for which the governor appoints trustees, have faced more changes at hands of Governor Scott than by any governor in many years. This situation brings up the question of how fast change can be effected in educational institutions without disrupting plans which must of necessity be cast on long range scale.

CONCERNED—There is manifestation of concern on part of many older alumni of these vari-

ous institutions that the higher educational system of the state may be subjected to too great a shock by such general impact of new thought at so many colleges at one time. That feeling is offset by the thought that educational institutions were getting into a hopeless rut and that the more change the quicker made is for best interest of all the people.

WELL-TURNED—Senator Frank Graham, long recognized as a master of well turned phrases, is currently being credited with the best statement of the campaign. A lot has been said about necessity of preserving the "American way of life," and some of the senator's ideas have been questioned as being contrary to that way of life. At Wilson the other night he listed some of the things which he thinks ought to be done, and said these constitute the "AMERICAN NEED OF LIFE."

REFUND—Dr. Henry Jordan, state highway chairman, was happily surprised when he opened his personal mail the other day and found a check for \$542 bearing notation "refund on contribution gift to Governor Cherry." It has long been custom, when a governor is retiring, when an employee of the state or of a high bracket state officials and high bracket employees to chip in and buy a gift. The Cherry gift consisted of portraits of Mr. and Mrs. Cherry and a handsome chest of silver. When all bills were paid, Gurney P. Hood, state banking commissioner who had served as treasurer of the gift fund, found he had some money left over. He waited long enough to make sure there were no other bills or proper charges and then issued refunds on percentage basis. Dr. Jordan says it's the first time he ever got back any money out of a gift.

What Other Papers Are Thinking

YOU, TOO, STAND TO LOSE
(The State Magazine)

Many people who have been sharing in the governmental hand-outs would like to see them continued indefinitely, seem to think that they are benefiting financially from the excessive spending that has been in effect for the last several years.

On the contrary, they, too, are bound to lose.

Everybody is bound to lose, so far as that is concerned. Suppose you have a life-insurance policy for \$10,000. You figure that your wife will be able to get along with the \$10,000 you'll be able to leave her if you happen to pass away.

from the company that carries your insurance?

Yes and no. The company will pay her \$10,000, but it will lack a lot of being the \$10,000 that you or she figured on.

When you took out the policy, you believed that it would provide your wife with exactly \$10,000 in coverage. But today the dollar is worth only 60 cents. That means your \$10,000 insurance policy is worth only \$6,000. In other words, your policy today is worth just a little more than half of what it was worth when you took it out fifteen years or more ago.

The same is true of annuities. When you took out an annuity which you figured would pay you

\$100 a month, you were of the opinion that you could get along comfortably on that sum if you were economical. But now that \$100 has shrunk to \$60 with respect to purchasing power. Do you think you can get along as well on that amount?

The same thing likewise is true of savings accounts. When you had \$10,000 in the bank fifteen years ago, you figured that you had \$10,000. You still have that same \$10,000 in the bank, but it is only worth \$6,000.

These are some things for you to think about. The more deficit spending on the part of the federal government, the less your savings are worth.

Strength for the Day

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

EXAMINE WITH CARE
We live in the most progressive age the world has known anything about, yet there is a delusion in the whole idea of progress which ensnares many people and causes them and the world much trouble.

The delusion is that going ahead always means going ahead into a better era—that movement necessarily means progress. The truth is that in every experiment many wrong methods are employed before the right method is discovered. The scientist in the laboratory frequently makes thousands of mistakes before he makes an important discovery. In social and political matters, we have to make a lot of mistakes by the trial and error method before we find something satisfactory and beneficial.

New things are not necessarily better things. The arrogance of the liberal-minded type of folk is sometimes rather hard to take. With complete condescension they look down upon everyone who does not favor their new schemes, but many of these new schemes lead into the wilderness or down the drain.

Nothing needs to be examined with more care than a new proposal for procedure or a new theory about life or a new political platform. There may be progress in any or all of these things, but there may be a lot more besides. Examine carefully before using.

Now We May See How We'll React To Economy

Postmaster General Donaldson has come up with a proposal to curtail the cost of operating the postal system, and at the same time to curtail the services which are given the people who depend upon home deliveries for their mail.

Of course the order from the Postmaster General's office contains other restrictions on the operation of the post offices of the country, but for the most part it embodies the recommendations of a Congressional committee which studied the postal system with economy in mind.

It may be that Donaldson's order is a move to bring public opinion crashing down on the members of congress to make them approve the appropriation the head of the department contends is necessary to continue the present service through another year. The bill now in Congress would allot the post office department \$105,000,000 more for the coming fiscal year than it received this year, but still it keeps the appropriation \$28,000,000 under the President's request.

It will be interesting to watch the reaction of the members of Congress as well as the people throughout the country to this new order from the Post Office Department. Donaldson's directive may bring about the crisis in the government's spending program.

It is carrying out part of the recommendations of the Congressional committee which sought to economize in the department's operation. How well will the members of Congress back the recommendations of their committee if public pressure begins to bear down on them?

And on the other hand, how will the people of the country react to this economy measure when they realize it will cause a decrease in the service they have been receiving daily from Uncle Sam?

Perhaps there is a more basic question which should be asked. Is Donaldson's directive really the result of a Congressional move toward economy, or is it a maneuver of the administration to again bring the people to the support of its gigantic spending program?

The situation has many ramifications, and it will cause a great deal of discussion on Capitol Hill before it is settled.

Brannan Has A Defense For His Plan

There are two people in the United States who favor the Brannan plan for agriculture—President Truman and Secretary Charles Brannan.

And these two figures of the Democratic party practically stood alone in their fight for the plan when Congressional leaders and the administrative heads had a powwow on the matter this week.

Actually the Brannan plan seems to us the most absurd proposal yet to come from the administration. It surely points more

Amos Attacks Social Injustice

ILLUSTRATED SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By Alfred J. Buescher

Scripture—Amos.



Amos chided the rich who "lie upon beds of ivory, and stretch themselves upon their couches, and eat the lambs out of the flock."

Rebuked by Amos also were those who "chant to the sound of the viol, and invent to themselves instruments of music, like David."

Those "that drink wine in bowls, and anoint themselves with the chief ointments; but are not grieved for the afflicted," received Amos' rebuke.

The rich who oppress the poor shall "go captive with the first that go captive," Amos prophesied to Israel. MEMORY VERSE—Amos 5:15.

Amos Attacks Social Injustice

URGES ISRAELITES TO SEEK GOOD, NOT EVIL

Scripture—Amos.

By NEWMAN CAMPBELL IN A DEMOCRACY like ours, justice to everyone is the ideal. If a person is wronged he may apply to the courts and if he feels he has not been righted, he may take his case to higher courts, until he reaches the United States Supreme Court—highest of all. It may be, of course, that occasionally this person will still feel he has not received justice. There are such instances. People have devised ways of cheating others—ways that the courts cannot touch. Some have been libeled—their good names taken away. They may have lost their positions through slander, and never can reinstate themselves, and their reputations are ruined. Across the sea men are constantly being accused of treason, spying, and brutally treated to make them confess. Cruel injustices are practiced in many nations. How will it all end? It will be punished by God in due time, but the sufferings are great.

the affliction of Joseph." Amos paints an enticing picture of Oriental luxury. Well, there are people today who drink too much, eat too much, live in selfish abundance without giving thought to those who, through no fault of their own, are in need. Amos' accusations of men who ate the richest and best foods from the choicest of the flocks and herds, and gave no thought to the many wretched in their midst, were scathing. In those days a man who fell in debt could sell himself or be sold as a servant to work out what he owed. Too much drinking of strong liquors was a crying evil in that day as it is today. "When will the new moon be gone, that we may sell grain, and the Sabbath, that we may set forth wheat, making the ephah small, and the shekel great, and dealing falsely with balances of deceit? That we may buy the poor for silver, and the needy for a pair of shoes, and sell the refuse of the wheat?"

MEMORY VERSE

"Hate the evil, and love the good, and establish justice in the gate."—Amos 5:15.

Amos, coming from the quiet countryside, saw that the rich had forgotten God. They lived in the greatest luxury and often immorality, without giving any thought at all to the poor and needy. God would surely punish them. Amos warned, for he had been commanded by Jehovah to tell them so, and to plead with them to turn away from these evils and seek the God of their fathers. "For I know how manifold are your transgressions, and how mighty are your sins—ye that afflict the just, that take a bribe, and that turn aside the needy in the gate from their right. That lie upon beds of ivory and stretch themselves upon their couches, and eat the lambs out of the flock, and the calves out of the midst of the stall. That sing idle songs to the sound of the viol, that invent for themselves instruments of music, like David. That drink wine in bowls, and anoint themselves with the chief oils; but they are not grieved for." Based on copyrighted outlines produced by The International Council of Religious Education and used by permission. Distributed by King Features Syndicate.

Thus did men become rich—by giving short measure and charging high prices; by false figuring with their balances to deceive, and cheating the poor by selling the refuse of the grain instead of good wheat. "Jehovah hath sworn by the excellency of Jacob, surely I will never forget any of their works," warned Amos. Then he pleaded with his people: "Seek good, and not evil; that ye may live; and so Jehovah, the God of hosts, will be with you, as ye say. "Hate the evil, and love the good, and establish justice in the gate (where the trading, buying and selling was done); it may be that Jehovah, the God of hosts, will be gracious unto the remnants of Joseph." If there was no change in their attitude, Amos warned, those who had lived in self-centered luxury, would be the first to "go captive, and the banquet of them that stretched themselves shall be removed."

The Golden Text



A shepherd and his dog.

"Hate the evil, and love the good, and establish justice in the gate."—Amos 5:15.

Twenty Tar Heels More Space For Enlist In Navy

Twenty Tar Heels enlisted in the U. S. Navy at the Raleigh Recruiting Station last week according to a statement made today by Lieutenant Commander Price C. Brown Jr., U. S. N. officer in charge. Of the 20 enlistments six were reenlistments who were transferred to Norfolk, Va., for reassignment. The 14 first enlistments were transferred to San Diego, Cal. for recruit training.

A black substance obtained by burning oily nuts is used for tattooing by Formosa natives.



BUDGET DIRECTOR —Frederick J. Lawton (above) has been appointed Budget Director succeeding Frank Pace, Jr., promoted to Secretary of the Army by President Truman.

More Space For Leaf Inspectors In Warehouses

Washington, April 20.—P—It looks like tobacco warehouses are going to have to provide more working space for federal inspectors. The agriculture department said yesterday that too often in the course of auctioning, the tobacco is placed on baskets and arranged in crowded rows across warehouse floors for inspection before sale. The crowded conditions have caused federal inspectors serious difficulties, the department averred. So, the department has proposed an amendment to regulations for tobacco inspection. The proposal prescribes a minimum clearance of six inches between tobacco on adjacent baskets within a row, 18 inches between tobacco on any basket and any adjacent warehouse wall or partition.

Now Her Dog Is In The Doghouse

MONTECITO, Calif.—(AP)—Excited by the prospect of getting out of the car, her dog jumped into the front seat with Mrs. Hazel West as she turned in to park. The beast tangled with her feet, causing her to: 1. Miss the brake pedal with her foot. 2. Carom off a nearby vehicle. 3. Smash into the door of a liquor store. Store employees were panned in until a tow car arrived.

Colored News

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Williams of Bethel wish to announce the marriage of their daughter, Vivian B. Williams, to William Highsmith, Jr., also of Bethel, on April 11, 1950.

Mrs. Annie Bridges died at her home at 3:30 Wednesday morning. Funeral services will be held at Warren's Chapel church at 3:30 p. m. Sunday by her pastor, Rev. Earl Hardee. Burial will be in the family cemetery near Bell Arthur.



BASKET CHAPEAU —Mrs. T. Holt Haywood, Jr., wears her "feathered wastepaper basket" at Bal des Chapeaux, New York, for Philharmonic Symphony student ticket fund.

Desertion Issue In Bergman Suit

Los Angeles, April 21.—(AP)—Ingrid Bergman is charged with deserting her husband, Dr. Peter Lindstrom, in the latter's counter-divorce suit. But Roberto Rossellini, the other man, goes unmentioned. The Swedish surgeon's suit filed yesterday also specifically asked the court to issue an order forbidding Miss Bergman to take their daughter, Pia, 12, out of the United States at such times when the actress will have custody of the child. Dr. Lindstrom, who also alleged mental cruelty, stated that on April 15, 1949, his wife "in violation of her vows, left her home here" and "deserted and abandoned him." The petition explained that Miss Bergman actually left the Beverly Hills home March 15, 1949, but 8 months elapsed before the husband realized she had gone for good.

The suit made no mention either of Rossellini or the Mexican divorce which the actress obtained February 9, a week after a son, which Rossellini claims is his, was born to her in Rome. But Lindstrom's attorney, Isaac Pacht, told reporters the Mexican decree is a "complete nullity."

Launch Probe Of Selling Whiskey

Raleigh, April 21.—(AP)—The State Bureau of Investigation has launched an investigation of a charge that Johnston county officers sold bootleg whiskey to a convicted marijuana dealer.

SBI Director Walter Anderson said today that "the investigation already is underway" but declined further comment on the matter. District Solicitor W. Jack Hooks of Kenly said yesterday he had asked

Free Trip Abroad



Mrs. Viola D. Ingram (above) of Donalsonville, Ga., is going to get a free trip to Germany. It will be financed by American airmen because her son, Pfc. Robert S. Monroe, won a Mother's Day letter-writing contest. She is holding his photograph. She will leave the U. S. May 10 via airliner and be gone two weeks. (AP Photo).

IT LOOKS LIKE SOME OF THE WOMEN NOW-A-DAYS SELECTS THEIR HUSBANDS AS TO HOW MUCH ALIMONY THEY CAN PAY

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the SBI to probe into the charge made by Charles L. Beasley of Smithfield. Beasley was handed a five-year prison term in federal court here recently after being convicted of marijuana and contraceptive dealings. In his trial, Beasley testified that he had bought bootleg whiskey from "two or three officers" in Johnston county. He added that two of the officers to whom he referred are still serving as law enforcement officers in the county. Although Beasley did not disclose the officers' names, he said he would supply them to state and federal agents.

Truman To View Army And Air Force In Action

Fort Benning, Ga., April 21.—(AP)—President Truman arrived here today by plane for a review of army and air force troops in action. His personal plane, the "Independence," arrived at Lawson field at 10:02 a. m. The trip from Washington required only two hours and 23 minutes. President Truman and several members of his cabinet will review ground forces and watch an infantry-artillery team attack at this infantry fort. Later today the party will fly to Eglin field in Florida to witness a live ammunition display of modern air force firepower.

No Miss America For Year Of 1950

Atlantic City, N. J., April 21.—(AP)—Little lady, you don't stand a chance of becoming Miss America, 1950. There won't be any. But dry your tears. The annual beauty pageant will be held as usual this September, only the winner will be called Miss America, 1951. The current beauty queen, Jacqueline Mercer of Phoenix, Ariz., is Miss America, 1949. The board decided to skip a number, so that the Misses America won't have to wear last year's title for eight months.

Scorned At Home, Praised Abroad



Federal Judge Julius Waties Waring and his wife sit in their home at Charleston, S. C., looking over press clippings of his championing of civil rights for the Negro race. Fellow-South Carolinians generally have completely ostracized them, but outside the south the 69-year-old jurist and his wife have been praised for the stand they have taken. (AP Wirephoto).

In International Tug Of War



Mary Virginia Vaughan (left), 4, and her sister, Amy, 2, are at their grandmother's home in Selma, Ala.—unaware that they are the principals in an international custody fight. Their father, Henry Albert Vaughan, picked them up in front of his divorced wife's home in a suburb of London, England, last Friday and flew them to Selma. He claims he has been awarded legal custody of the children. Back in London, the ex-wife is consulting lawyers in an attempt to regain the girls. (AP Wirephoto).

Caught Limit On Radio Antenna

Athol, Mass., April 21.—(AP)—Edward T. Donnelly is not the sort of angler to be thwarted by forgetting his trout pole. Arriving at his favorite fishing water yesterday, Donnelly discovered he had neglected to bring along his rod. So he simply removed the radio antenna from his car and attached his fishing gear to it. He returned with his legal limit of 12 trout.

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Leopold's Residence Still Sore Point In Compromise

Brussels, Belgium, April 21.—(AP)—Only one point was reported today to stand in the way of agreement by Belgium's three major parties on bringing King Leopold back from exile. But political observers said that dispute may still cause a deadlock which would leave the country's stormy Royal question unsolved. The dispute issue is whether Leopold is to be permitted to reside in Belgium or must return to virtual exile once he delegates his Royal powers to his 19-year-old son, Prince Baudouin. All parties agreed last night on a compromise solution calling for Leopold to return and to turn the throne over to his son temporarily. This compromise was suggested by Leopold in a speech recorded from his exile near Geneva, Switzerland, and broadcast to the Belgians last week. But the strongly pro-Leopold Social Christian (Catholic) party of

Premier-Designate Paul Van Zeeland hope that Baudouin's tenure will be strictly temporary and will lead to full restoration of power to Leopold. Apparently they would prefer that Leopold stay in Belgium while his son rules. The Socialists, bitterly opposed to the King who surrendered his country to Germany in 1940, want the delegation of the powers to Baudouin eventually to be permanent. They are, therefore, opposed to the King's residence in this country after he turns the throne over.

VOTE BOND ISSUE

Raleigh, April 21.—(AP)—Raleigh and Wake county voters yesterday voted six-to-one in favor of a \$4,500,000 school building bond issue.

Brides among Talyal people of Formosa are tattooed with marriage marks from mouth to ears.

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Asserts Deception Is Used By Proponents Of Nationalization

(From The Reflector's Washington Bureau)
 Washington, April 21.—People of the Southeast don't want nationalization of the power industry, a North Carolina utility official said in Washington this week, "yet, by indirection and subterfuge... such nationalization is being accomplished."

400,000 Vets In Farm Training Since The War

Miami Beach, Fla., April 21.—(AP)—Since the war, 400,000 veterans have taken on-the-job training on the nation's farms.
 A. L. Teachey of Raleigh, N.C., state supervisor of agricultural education, reported this to the Southern Regional Conference in Agricultural Education last night.
 The net result has been to make a new generation of ambitious OI farmers bent on improving their land and their products, he said.
 "In many cases," Teachey added, "veterans who had never farmed before are now being established successfully in farming."
 He said about 300,000 are still taking part in the program.

a campaign of deception...
 He said his company had already built two transmission lines to take advantage of the power to be generated at Bugas Island, but he was not sure this power would be allowed to private concerns.

Every one of these power projects, such as Bugas Island, he said has been started as something else. "Everyone of them has been first proposed behind a screen of worthy objectives, such as flood control, navigation, soil conservation, reclamation or national defense.

To support this theme, Sutton referred to a petition submitted to a South Carolina court asking for the right of a state-owned power development to acquire a private company.

He said this petition showed how such "deception" (was) subtly accomplished and then brutally and frankly admitted in open court by those who practiced it.

Sutton represented the southeastern power companies on a six-man panel discussing the national power situation with regard to expansion of government-financed activities.

In response to questions following his formal statement, Sutton said he knew of no general power shortage in the Southeast. However, he said private power companies "are ready to use the power from a number of government-built dams when that power becomes available over the next few years."

He noted that public agencies, however, have first call on the power from government-built dams such as the one at Bugas Island. Sutton said he knew of no con-

certed effort at the private power companies in the Southeast to prevent the newly-created Southeastern Power Administration from building transmission lines as has been done in the Southwest.

Wildlife Club To Make List Bird Sanctuaries

The Pitt County Chapter of the North Carolina Wildlife Association at its quarterly supper meeting at Respass' barbecue place on the Bethel highway Wednesday night endorsed the state's plan to publish a list of bird sanctuaries in the cities and towns of the state. President Claude D. Ward presided.

Louis Evans, a Wildlife Club member who took a trip through some of the southern states recently, showed motion pictures of wildlife scenes he visited while away.

The Wildlife Chapter discussed plans for the project of providing a fish pond for the benefit of the members.

President Ward requested the members and others to report the various bird sanctuaries in Pitt County. The Pitt County Wildlife Chapter now has 55 active members. Many of them are farmers. President Ward said the Wildlife Club's purpose is to work in cooperation with the farmers for the preservation and conservation of wild life in this part of the state.

The world's highest postoffice, of a country affiliated with the Postal Union, is at Cerro de Pasco, Peru, 14,385 feet.

Dog Was Rival

Detroit, April 21.—(AP)—After three years of marriage Mrs. Patricia J. Stephens came to divorce court yesterday.

A decree—uncontested—was granted after she testified that her husband Robert "used to think it was very funny to kiss the dog, give me a pat on the head, and walk out the door."

Pair Executed; Claim Innocence

Chicago, April 21.—(AP)—Two men convicted of the holdup murder of a taxicab driver were executed in the Cook County Jail electric chair early today. Both men protested their innocence to the last. The double execution was completed in 19 minutes.

Miss Edan Wright, a veteran Chicago Daily News reporter, was in the witness room along with several reporters. Two men in the witness room fainted during the executions.

Hail Mark Twain As Social Critic

Prague Czechoslovakia, April 21.—(AP)—A Prague newspaper today hailed Mark Twain as the "critic of the bourgeoisie democracy."

Commemorating the 40th anniversary of the death of the American humorist, Svobodne Slovo, organ of the Socialist party, wrote: "Mark Twain's works belong to the greatest and liveliest of the American literature. His works depict his undaunted criticism of the capitalist society and his common interest with the masses."

There are 125 mountains of 5,000 feet above sea level in North Carolina.



SERVANTS OF THE SPHINX—Two guides who conduct tourists hold a conversation beneath the Sphinx which draws thousands of visitors from abroad every year at Giza, Egypt.

Just Different

Charlotte, April 21.—(AP)—One hundred and twenty-two people were employed as census enumerators in Charlotte.

Of these, 121 told their crew leaders that their feet were sore. The 122nd, Mrs. Frances

Moss, made no complaint about her feet. Mrs. Moss reported that a woman in the Plaza Hills section grabbed her nose and squeezed it.
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MISS CHILE, 1950
 —Blanca Echeverria (above), 19, of Santiago, Chile, recently chosen "Miss Chile" of 1950, suns herself at the Los Leones Golf and Country Club.

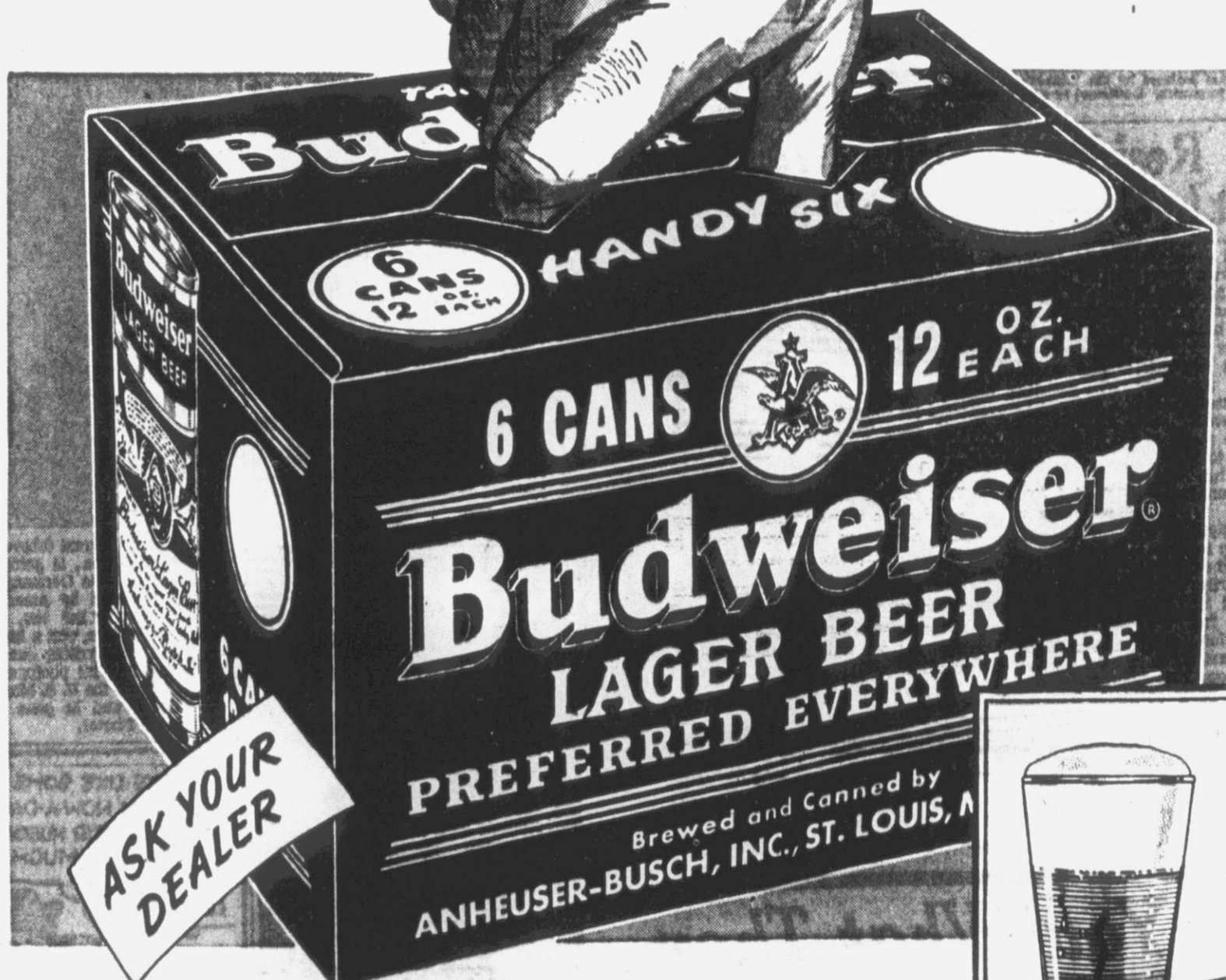
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As In Love And War, All's Fair In Political Strife

By LYNN NISBET
 Raleigh, N. C. April 21—Some time ago Governor Scott remarked at a press conference that the senatorial campaign had a little too much "Main street" and not enough "cornbread and collards" trend. Most of the reporters present took that to mean the governor thought it was a bit too highbrow and that the candidates' speeches ought to get down to earth. Some old-timers wondered if corn bread and collards didn't outrank Main street in respectability.

Those who thought the governor meant the speeches and campaign press releases ought to be cast on a lower level ought to be satisfied now. In view of the unquestioned fact that both leading candidates are men of high integrity and fine character, obviating possibility of real mudslinging in the commonly accepted sense, some of the pronouncements have been on pretty low level.

A Smith headquarters news release notes that a daughter of Jonathan Daniels, who is of voting age and resident in New York, worked in headquarters of Henry Wallace last fall and aided his campaign for president against the Democratic nominee. Even though Daniels himself is using the prestige of his position as national Democratic committeeman to boost Graham, he is not responsible for his adult daughter's dereliction.

Previously, the Graham folks had sought to detract from Smith support by publicizing the fact he was born outside this state, and a prominent Graham supporter had made a statewide radio speech challenging Smith to be "honest" and run as a Republican. The speaker (Chas. W. Tillett) said Smith was a natural companion of Governor Thomas E. Dewey of New York and other Republican leaders.

That backfired, as most baseless accusations do. The Smith folks, several favorable to Graham, pointed out that Candidate Smith is vigorously opposing all types of FEPC,

while Dewey thinks so much of it he didn't wait for national legislation but got a bill through the New York legislature establishing a state FEPC. Several newspapers, known to be favorable to Graham's candidacy, have pointed the untenable position taken by Tillett.

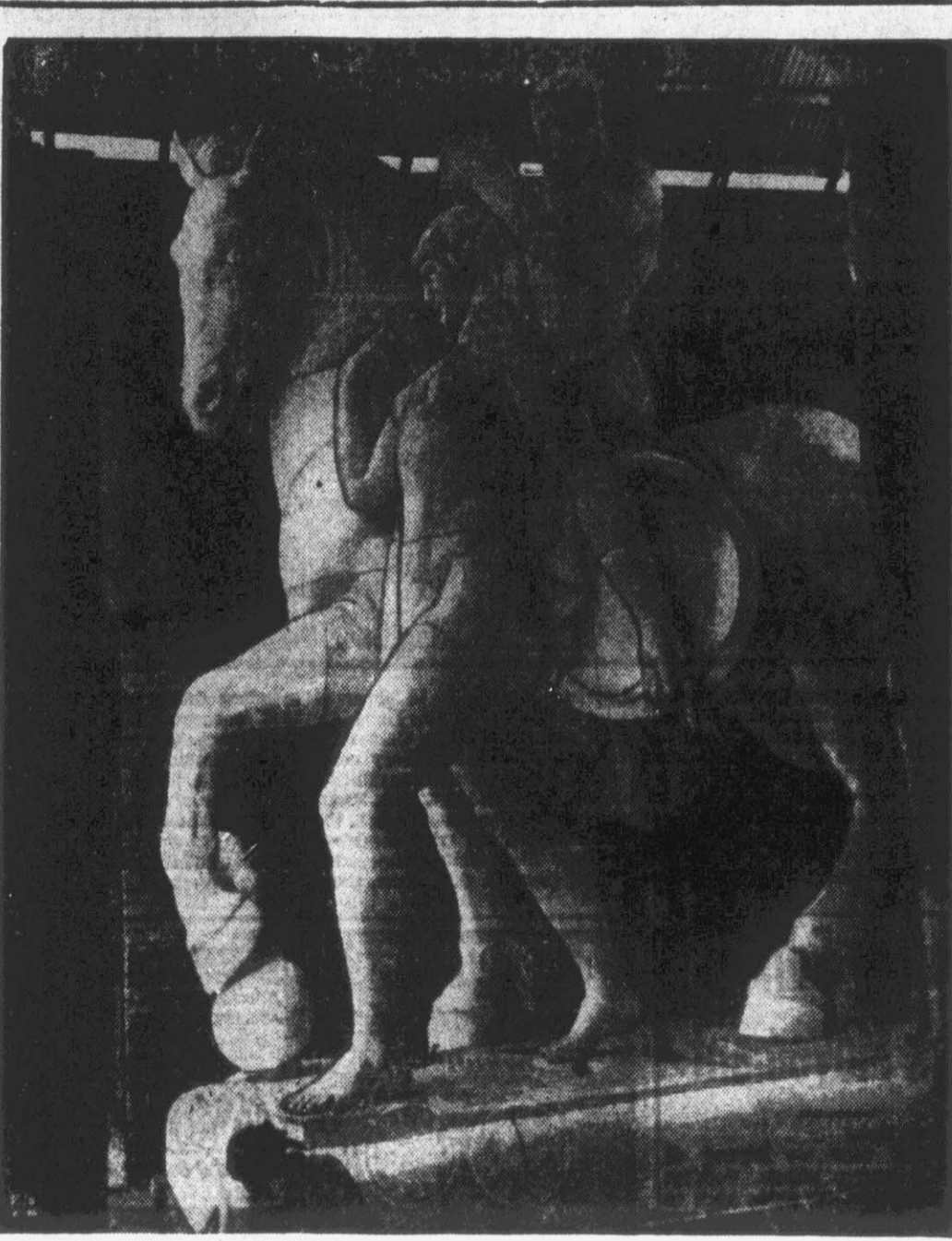
Then there is a lot of talk about the propriety of party officials participating in the primary campaign. Mrs. Gladys Tillett, wife of the man who made the Dewey-comparison speech, has resigned as vice chairman of the National Democratic committee in order to work for Graham. Jonathan Daniels has been challenged to follow that example and resign as national committeeman. He says he has no idea of resigning and cites experience of previous national committeemen as justification for his actions now.

Whether this type of campaigning is "Main street" or "corn bread and collards" very few of the matters discussed have any bearing on fitness of the candidates for the United States senate.

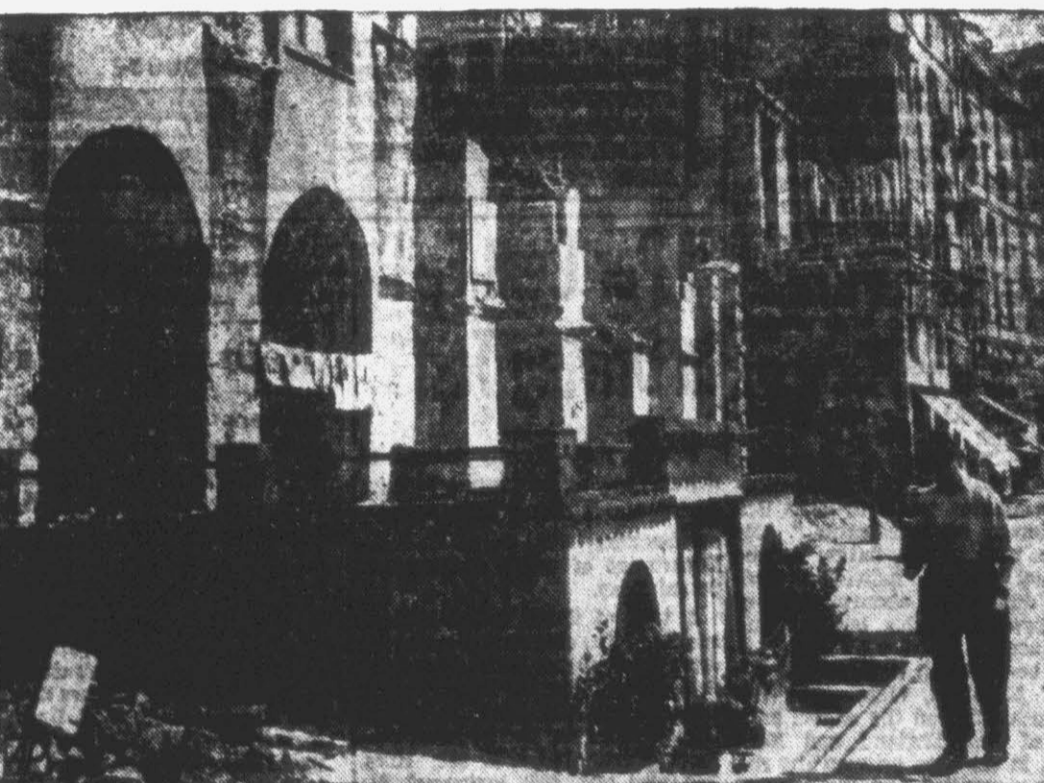
Seek Views On Gambling Curbs

Washington, April 20 — (AP) — Senators sought the views of city and state officials today on why they need federal aid to stamp out big time gambling on sports events.

With concern over nationwide gambling—and its possible connection with organized crime—running high, the Senate late yesterday passed a bill to restrict the shipment of slot machines across state lines. There wasn't a dissenting vote.



READY FOR CASTING—Leo Friedlander's group, one of four for the new Arlington Bridge in Washington, is prepared for casting in bronze at the Battaglia Foundry, Milan, Italy.



RESTAURANT AMID RUINS IN GENOA—A restaurant keeper has "zone underground" to serve his patrons amid a block of bombed buildings near waterfront in Genoa, Italy.

The public is cordially invited. J. W. Maye, Committee Chairman. Leroy Barnes, exalted ruler. Grant Bell, secretary.

The Helping Hand club of Sylvia Chapel church met last Monday night at the home of Mrs. Marie Teel. The meeting was opened with a song followed by prayer.

The next meeting will be Monday night, April 24, at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Emma Clark, 1116 S. Pitt street. All members are asked to be present.

The Cosmetologist club local 24 will be hostess to the Beautician Association which will convene at York Memorial A. M. E. Zion church, 614 Albemarle Avenue, April 23-26. Guest speaker will be Mrs. Anna A. Hedgeman of Washington, D. C. Address by Mrs. Willie F. Hennessee, state president, of Asheville, N. C.

York Memorial A. M. E. Zion church, Rev. P. H. Mumford, pastor. 9:45 a. m.—Sunday school, E. N. Dupree, Supt.

11 a. m.—Message by the pastor, "The Spiritual Knowledge of Those Who Follow Jesus."

Music by the Junior Choir. 3:00 p. m.—Elix will observe their educational service. Message by Rev. Mumford.

8:00 p. m.—The Beautician convention in all of services.

The public is cordially invited to share in all of services. Go to church Sunday and give thanks to God for His goodness.

Arthur's Chapel F. W. B. church. 8:45 a. m.—Sunday school, Leander Monk, superintendent.

11:00 a. m.—Message by the pastor, Rev. S. Hemby, "How to Seek God's Divine Favor."

8:00 p. m.—Rev. Hemby will officiate at Mt. Calvary. He will be accompanied by his choir and ushers of Rock Spring F. W. B. church. He will speak from the subject, "Plough to the End."

Philippi Christian church. 13th and Greene streets. Rev. J. P. McLaurin, pastor.

9:30 a. m.—Sunday school, A. F. Norfleet, superintendent.

11:00 a. m.—Worship service, Rev. Fred Ashby of Kingston, guest speaker.

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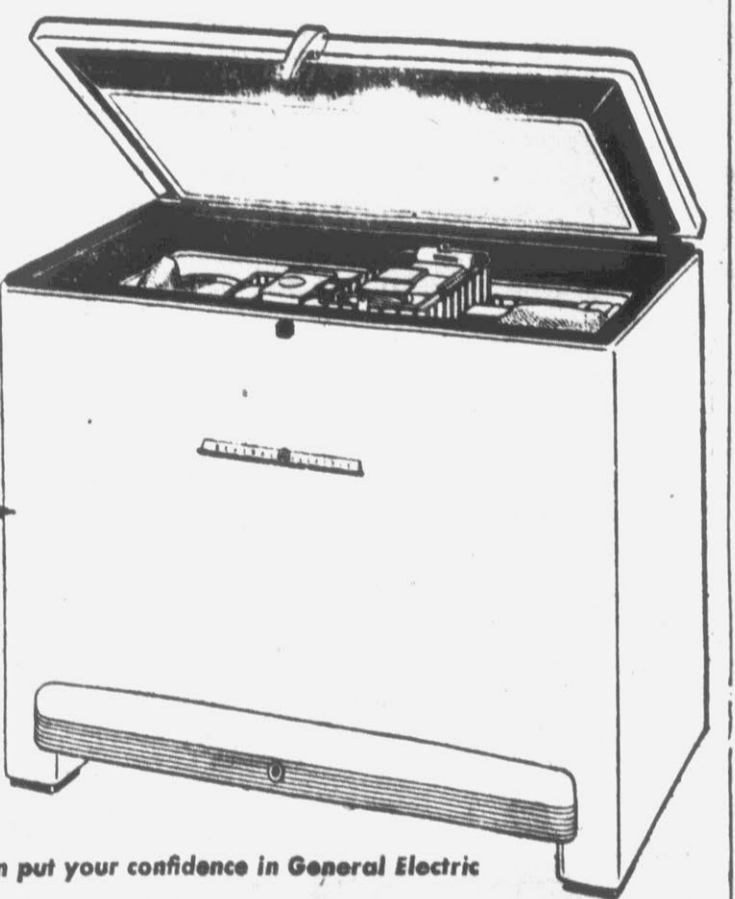


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Sycamore Hill Baptist Church, Corner Greene and First Streets. Rev. J. A. Nimmo, pastor.
 9:30 a. m.—Sunday school, W. D. Miller, superintendent.
 11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Sermon, "The Meaning of the Lord's Supper."
 12:30 p. m.—Holy Communion.
 3:00 p. m.—Pastor and congregation worship with Mt. Calvary F. W. B. church. Sermon by Rev. J. A. Nimmo.
 6:00 p. m.—B. T. U. J. S. Alexander, director.
 7:00 p. m.—Baptismal service.
 7:30 p. m.—Evening worship.

The Busy Bee club of Sylvia Chapel church met last Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Carrie

Hines. The meeting was opened with a song followed by prayer. The next meeting will be Tuesday, April 25, at 8 p. m. At the home of Mrs. Clara L. Joyner, 1616 S. Greene street. All members are asked to be present.

Usher Board No. 1 of Sylvia Chapel church will meet at the home of Mrs. Minnie Foust, 210 W. 15th street, Sunday, April 23, at 4 p. m. All members are asked to be present.

The Pastor's Aid club of Sylvia Chapel church will meet at the home of Mrs. Sarah Watson, Railroad street, Sunday, April 23, at 5 p. m. All members are asked to be present.

The Pitt Lodge No. 234, Golden Rod Temple 368, is presenting its annual health education program Sunday, April 23, at York Memorial Methodist church at 3 o'clock.

The speaker will be Rev. P. H. Mumford. Rev. Mumford will be introduced by Professor J. W. Maye.

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Emphasizing that "every student in school today should continue his education as far as he possibly can," Sergeant Coleman asserted that the army and air force are seeking only graduates who expect to start on their life career following graduation.

"The United States armed forces institute," he explained, "was established to afford the men in service an opportunity to further their education regardless of the level at which it was discontinued. It was designed as a supplement of and not a substitute for formal education."

Reiterating his advice to students to continue their schooling to its fullest extent, Sergeant Coleman added that men who have definitely disrupted their formal education may qualify for enlistment in the army upon successful completion of tests designed to determine educational development.

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Country Editors Back Movement

AP Newsfeatures
Plymouth, Mass. — Editors of America's country papers, weeklies and small dailies are going back to Plymouth Rock June 25 under the auspices of the National Editorial Association.

That Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock the editors will hold a rededication service and reaffirm "our faith in the ideals of liberty and justice on which this nation was founded."

Of the 48 state governors who have been asked to proclaim June rededication month, 29 already have done so. Others are expected to follow.

The 5,300 editors in the association have asked ministers to use rededication sermons in each church of the nation June 25. They will stress the theme in their own editorials and ask other publications, radio stations, civic and veterans groups to do the same.

The 1950 convention of the association will be held June 15-20 at Providence, R.I. The trek to Plymouth Rock will follow.

Lester Williams, of Columbia, Miss., co-chairman of the rededication committee, wants to make it a "pilgrimage of rededication." He sees a peril to the nation in the "gradual loss of individual freedom" due to the encroachment of "big government, big business and big labor."

His co-chairman is Howard Fowler, of Mansfield, Mass. The two chairmen will lead the editors on a tour of New England and Nova Scotia in the days between the end of the convention and the June 25 ceremony.



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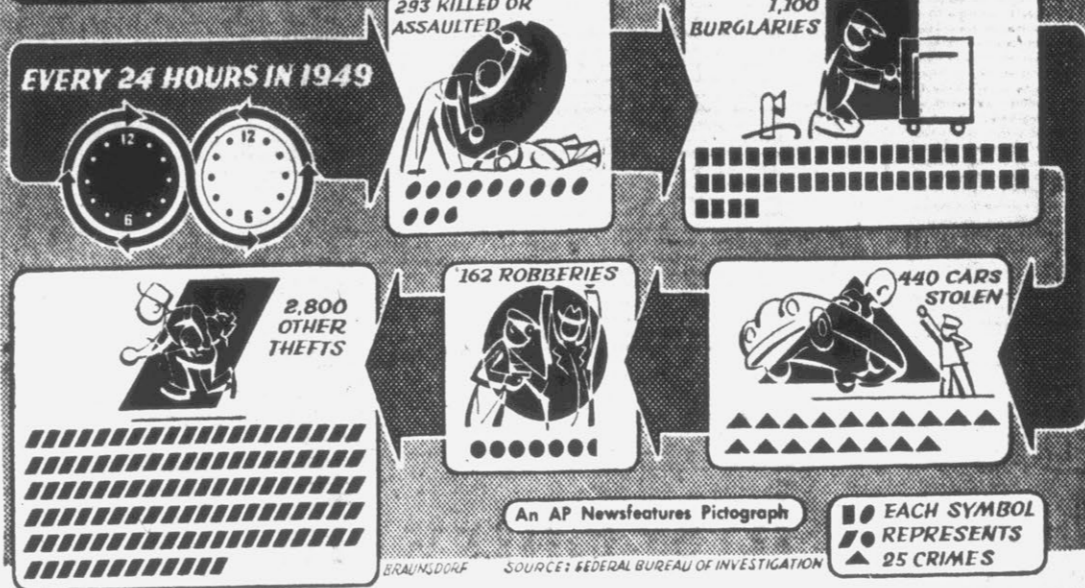
'TEAMED FOR DEFENSE'



The first Armed Forces Day in American history, to be observed May 20, will emphasize the unification of the Army, Navy and Air Force in a three-pronged instrument for national security. Unification is already at work in the various far-flung American military posts throughout the world. Photo, left, shows Navy aviation machinist's mate, second class, J. Ritchy, of Swartzey, Ind., and Sgt. J. L. Kunsman, USA, of Easton, Penn., getting acquainted on police duty at the Naval Base, Norfolk, Va., before embarking on the great combined Army-Navy-Air Force exercises in Puerto Rico, called "Operation Portrex," held in February. Photo, right, Capt. D. G. Donah, Com-

manding Officer of the Naval Operating Base, Argentia, Newfoundland, congratulating Sgt. Ollie Keller, captain of the Greenland Air Force basketball team, which was picked to represent the Air Force North Atlantic Area in the Military Transport Service Tourney held at Great Falls, Mont., in March, while Col. Edward P. Kern, Commanding Officer of the McAndrew AF Base, in Newfoundland, gives a well done to Robert B. Johnson, aviation machinist's mate, captain of the Navy NOB quintet. The Navy team defeated the Air Force in the Base Command Basketball Championship Playoffs, but participated only for the honors. (Official Navy Photographs)

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20 Per Cent Fail In Driving Test

Raleigh, N.C.—Twenty per cent of drivers applying for licenses to drive during March failed to pass their examinations, the North Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles reported today.

A total of 25,671 motorists were successful in obtaining licenses to drive. Applications for licenses were denied to a total of 5,659 persons. Persons who previously had held licenses failed for the following reasons: Signs, 612; eyes, 352; rules, 768; road test, 606; equipment, 34; miscellaneous, 31. Persons who had never held licenses before failed for the following reasons: Signs, 646; eyes, 279; rules, 761; road test, 1,485; equipment, 51; miscellaneous, 16.

Learners permits were issued to 14,530 persons. Road tests were given 20,044 persons. Operators licenses were given 21,522 persons, duplicate licenses to 3,018 persons and chauff-

eurs licenses to 1,131 persons. Revenue collected by driver's license examiners amounted to \$46,815.

Railroad Strike

Chicago, April 20—(AP)—A strike against four of the nation's biggest railroad systems, threatening to slow all rail transportation, has been called for next Wednesday morning.

The strike call last night by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen ordered some 18,000 of the union's claimed 110,000 members to leave their jobs and 6 a. m. April 26. Union spokesmen said the walkout would make idle some 50,000 rail workers.

The threatened strike followed nearly three years of dispute between the union and the carriers over union demands for a third man on multiple unit Diesel locomotives.

The union is free to strike at any time, having complied with all provisions of the National Railway Labor Act.

Maragon Goes To Perjury Trial



John Maragon (left), the former bootblack who made friends at the White House, enters U. S. District court at Washington for trial on charges of perjury. He stops on the courthouse steps for a moment to talk with his wife (right). Maragon is accused of lying about his business and financial affairs in testifying to a senate committee during the five percent investigation last fall. (AP Wirephoto).

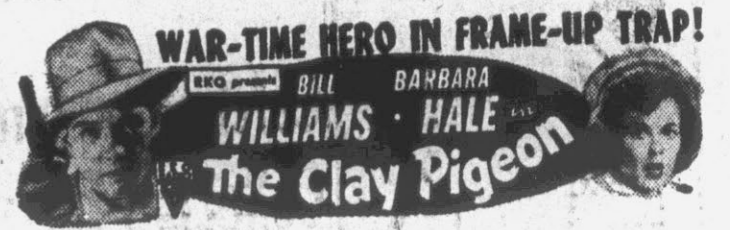
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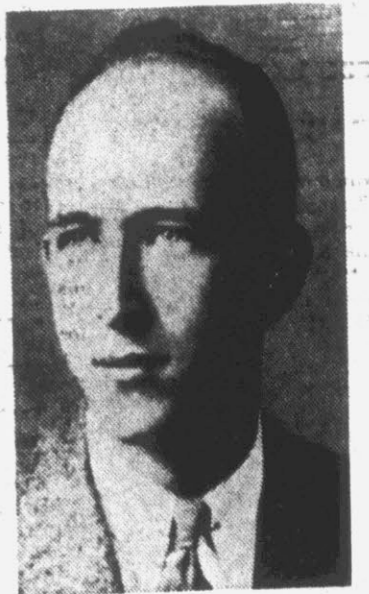
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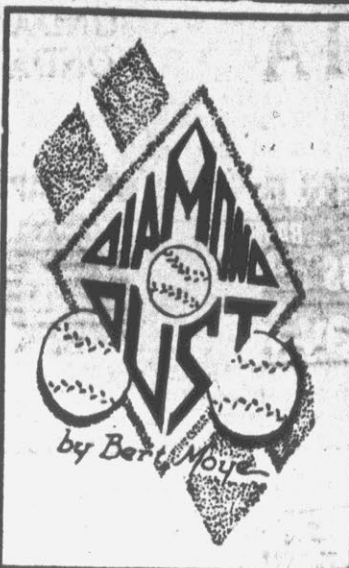
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Heflin Hurls 10-7 Win For Robin's Opener

Catcher Robbins Collects 3 For 3 To Lead At Bat

By BERT MOYE
Randy Heflin's Greenville Robins scored a 10-7 victory over the Tarboro Athletics here last night as the two teams opened play in the Coastal Plain League among a small crowd of shivering fans.

The Robins jumped into the lead in the second inning by scoring two runs without getting a hit, but were aided by two walks and an error. Bruce Robbins and George Banas walked. Matthew Hall forced Robbins at third. Fleming Flott hit through Second Baseman Billy Carr with Banas scoring and Hall taking third. Lou Shoer flew out to right field with Hall scoring on the out.

The Tarboro Athletics came back in the third frame to go out in front 3-2 when they put across three runs on three hits and two walks. Schiavo walked, Orf forced Schiavo at second, Ray Carr tripled into deep rightfield to bring home Orf. Joe Kohut singled to bring in Ray Carr. Drake walked and then Billy Carr followed with a single to bring home Kohut. All three runs were made with two men out.

The Robins then put across two more runs in the fourth and regain the lead for the second time during the night. Matthew Hall, leading off, reached third on a three-base error by Pitcher Schiavo when he overthrew first and came on home when First Baseman Pater threw the ball against the telephone pole on the throw in. After all this excitement, Fleming Flott stepped to the plate and connected with a triple into deep right field and Lou Shoer followed with a long fly to deep centerfield with Flott scoring from third.

The Athletics came back in the top of the fifth frame to knot the count at four-all, when they put across a run without a hit. Orf reached first when he was hit by Pitcher Heflin. Ray Carr sacrificed him to second and he advanced to third on Kohut's infield out, and scored minutes later when Heflin made a wild pitch at the plate.

The Robins took the lead for keeps in the sixth frame when Flott was walked, Shoer sacrificed him to second and he came home on Manager Randy Heflin's double down the right field line.

Another singleton was scored in the seventh after two men were out, when Robbins singled and later scored on a double by Hall.

The Robins clinched matters in the eighth frame when they put across four runs on four singles, a double, one error, hit batsman and a sacrifice.

The Athletics threatened in the ninth when they put across three runs on two hits and two errors.

Manager Randy Heflin went the route for the Robins and scattered seven hits very effectively, holding the visitors to four bingles in the first six frames. He struck out a total of seven men and walked four. Ed Drake and Billy Carr with two singles each led the attack for the Athletics.

Bill Schiavo and Alan Phillips did the hurling for the Athletics with each giving up five hits. Schiavo walked a total of eight men and Phillips issued only one free to first. Schiavo struck out a total of five men and Phillips struck out only one.

Bruce Robbins, the Robins catcher, collected a total of one double and two singles in three official times at the bat for a perfect night at the plate. Manager Randy Heflin, in addition to gaining the first win of the season for his Robins, collected a double and a single in four trips to the plate and Matthew Hall, third sacker, also came through with a double and a single in five trips to the plate to lead the ten-hit attack off the two visiting hurlers.

Mayor Stafford Talks Over Robins' Prospects



Above are pictured Mayor Stafford talking over the Robins' prospects for 1950 with the owners of the club. Left to right—Russ Catalano, Mayor Stafford, Joe Dobush, Sam Ferreri and Roy Dissinger, President of the club. All four of the owners are from Williamamatic, Conn. The picture was snapped just before Stafford formed the catching end of the ceremonial battery for the opening game last night. (Reflector staff photo).

Farmville's Entry In Bright Belt League Opens Schedule

Red Sox Meet Ormandsville Tonight; Foell On Mound For Locals, Faces Sam McGlohon

By GENE PINER
Farmville, April 21—A bang-up weekend of good baseball is in the offing at Farmville beginning tonight at 8 o'clock when the Farmville Red Sox of the Bright Belt League lock horns with the Ormandsville nine, thus opening the 1950 season for both semi-pro teams.

The two teams face each other again tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The star-studded Farmville aggregation will face tonight Ormandsville's Sam McGlohon, former 20 game winner for Kingston of the Coastal Plain League. Starting for the Red Sox will be lefthanded Johnny Foell, ex-Greenville Greenies hurler.

Barney C. Allen, owner and business manager of Farmville, and Manager Willie Mauney announce their starting lineup for Saturday night as follows: Coltrain, second base; Bobby Koone, shortstop; Charlie Regan, third base; Norman Clark, centerfield; Sam Stell leftfield; Steeter Tugwell, rightfield; Roger Thrift, first base; Willie Mauney, catcher, and Johnny Foell, pitcher.

In exhibition tilts thus far the diamond squad from Farmville has shown strong pitching combined with powerful hitting for two one-sided wins over Lowlands and Saratoga.

Lowlands Shutout, 13-0
Playing Lowlands in their first practice contest, the Farmville nine shut out the weaker opponent 13-0 in a game outstanding for its pitching. Farmville's Pete Reynolds, new addition from Rocky Mount, struck out five of the seven he faced. Jim Pollard also took to the mound for Farmville in the game in which many of the players saw action to prepare them for the regular season. Ebert Moye, head coach at Farmville high school, is also a new addition to the Red Sox Saratoga Falls, 11-1

In their second practice tilt, Farmville defeated Saratoga, 11-1 last Sunday, April 16. George Hines hurled, giving up four hits for Farmville. Hines is a one-time pitcher from Kingston of the Coastal Plain League. Charles Regan, fiery third sacker for the Farmville in five trips to the plate, knocked out three hits, one of them a 360 foot round tripper. The game was highlighted by long-ball hitting by Regan, manager Norman Clark, who hit a lengthy triple, Big Sam Stell, and Willie Mauney. Stell played left field and A. Mauney was in the backstop position.

CPL Schedule

SATURDAY
R. Rapids at GREENVILLE
Wilson at New Bern
Tarboro at Rocky Mount
Kinston at Goldsboro

SUNDAY
GREENVILLE at R. Rapids
Rocky Mount at Tarboro
New Bern at Wilson
Goldsboro at Kinston

MONDAY
GREENVILLE at New Bern
Wilson at R. Rapids
Rocky Mount at Goldsboro
Kinston at Tarboro

Phantoms Meet New Bern Nine In Night Game

The first night game for the Green Phantoms is on the books for tonight in New Bern when they take on the once-defeated Bears at 7:45. Farley's team, which now approximates a platoon system, running in when needed, have won only two games of the campaign so far as against the Bears' record of one loss to Kinston.

Joe Sawyer, substitute catcher, will break the starting team for the first time this year when he replaces Leon Moore. Moore tried for a foul tip in the Washington game this week and the finger got in the way. He has been out of action since.

Starting for the Phants will be Bobby Flye who hasn't pitched since last week. The Bear lineup will probably be: Carden, cf; Gaskins, ss; Westbrook, 3b; Brown, 1b; Hill, rf; Hoke, 2b; Steuart, cf. The battery for the Bears will be announced just before game time.

Locals Win Opener 4-3 And Second Game, 10-1

By BILL LLOYD
Coach Jack Boone's East Carolina Pirates scored two impressive wins over West Carolina in a doubleheader here yesterday, winning in the first game 4-3, and in the second 10-1.

In the first game, a big four-run rally in the sixth inning gave the Pirates their margin of victory, as Bob McCotter, ace moundman for the Bucs, scattered nine Cata-mount hits, and fanned ten batters.

The sixth inning rally came as Billy Smith reached first on error. Third baseman Bob Bailey followed with a triple to deep right center, scoring Smith. Centerfielder Fred Soles was safe on an error by Shortstop Price. After Wallace had filed out, Sonny Russell was passed intentionally, loading the sacks. Vernon Jones then singled sharply to right, scoring Bailey and Soles, with Russell taking third.

Russell scored what proved to be the winning run on rightfielder Leon Jones' long fly to left field. In the second game, the Pirates put on a scoring spree in the third and sixth inning to trounce the visitors in a one-sided triumph, 10-1.

Four runs crossed the platter in the third on three hits including a triple by Soles and doubles by Wallace and V. Jones, and two Cata-mount errors.

Five runs were added in the sixth on two singles, a triple by Soles, two walks, and an error.

Newcomer Martin Byrd, lean Pirate righthander, turned in a pitching masterpiece in the abbreviated affair as he allowed the Cata-mounts only three singles, while striking out six.

East Carolina's North State record now stands at 4-4.

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Golfers Host To Lejeune Players

East Carolina's golfers, led by their No. 1 man, Bill Stalls, play hosts to the Camp Lejeune linksters today.

The match will be played on the Greenville Country Club nine-hole course.

Stalls, runner-up in the North State tournament last year and leading amateur in the recent Azalea Open, is expected to lead Coach Howard Porter's link squad.

The squad made up of Stalls, Mote Massey, Joe Exum, Charlie Bill Moye, Milt Zellin and Walter Wells are undefeated in North State conference play, and need only one more match to clinch the league title.

Only defeat suffered by the local golfers this year has been at the hands of Wake Forest which is led by Arnold Palmer.

Today's match is a non-conference affair.

Murray Dickson Persists In Nursing 'Big Grudge'

By JOE REICHLER
Associated Press Sports Writer
Murray Dickson, pint-sized Pittsburgh pitcher, persists in nursing a grudge.

Consequently the St. Louis Cardinals may find the road to the 1950 National League championship a rocky one.

Dickson did not exactly jump for joy when he learned a year ago last January that Bob Hannegan, former Cardinal owner, had sold him to the Pirates. Nobody likes to leave a perennial pennant contender for a second division club.

The little righthander showed his resentment the best way he knew. He simply pitched his heart out every time he faced his former mates. The result? Dickson de- feated the Cards five time in eight tries last year—more than any other pitcher. Murray won only seven against all the other six clubs combined.

The Cards lost the flag to Brooklyn by one game. Did the Dickson sale backfire on the Birds? Draw your own conclusions.

Now comes a new season but the story is the same. Dickson made his first start yesterday. The Cards were the opposition. And as can be guessed, Murray clipped the Redbirds' wings again, pitching the Pirates to an easy 8-4 triumph.

That was the only game played in the National League. The rest were postponed because of rain and cold weather.

Tonight's Games

Greenville at Tarboro
Rocky Mount at Roanoke Rapids
Goldsboro at Wilson
New Bern at Kinston

Sidelights:—The paid attendance at the opening game last night was 456 despite the extreme cold weather. . . . Charlie Ouzts was the first Robin to strike out this year. Bruce Robbins received the first walk. George Banas scored the first run of the season for the Robins. Manager Randy Heflin got the first two-bagger. Fleming Flott the first triple. Tommy Minyard committed the first error for the Robins which came in the ninth inning. Lou Shoer hit the first sacrifice hit. Charlie Ouzts hit the first double play. Bruce Robbins hit the first single of the year.

Business Manager Dallas Blackston announced last night the release of four players. Those receiving their outright release were Hubert Smith and Stan Griffin, outfielders; and Paul Miller and Kenneth Heath, infielders.

Russ Pilley, who has been here the past several weeks as assistant manager of the Robins, left today to take over the job as business manager of the Lumberton Auctioneers. Mr. Pilley stated in leaving that he hated very much to leave Greenville and that he wanted to thank all the good people who had made his stay here so pleasant and that he hopes to come back in the near future. Best of luck to you, Russ, and may your team win the pennant in the Tobacco State League.

All eight umpires of the Coastal Plain League make their home here in Greenville during the oaseball season. Welcome to the men in blue and may your stay here be pleasant.

Some of the new rule changes made over in Wilson on Wednesday afternoon were as follows: A player jumping out of the stands onto the playing field will no longer be considered as just cause for protest of game as it was last year. If a player or manager is ejected from the game, he must leave the bench immediately, get out of uniform. He may remain in the ball park, but will not be allowed to sit adjacent to his own bench. A proposal that a non-playing manager not be counted among the roster of players, as proposed by the Kinston Eagles, the only club in the league that has a non-playing manager, was turned down by an official vote. A player who is suspended must be suspended for 10 days and the replacement of the suspended player must be the same classification as the man placed on the suspended list. In regard to Sunday night games, President Goodman said there is a possibility that games may be played at this time since there is no ruling against it. Starting time, however, must not get underway until after 9 o'clock. Doubleheaders must be played seven and nine innings respectively, except in the case where one is played in the afternoon and one at night.

First Clash For Derby Hopefuls

Lexington, Ky., April 21—(AP)—The first meeting of Oil Capitol and Year Host, top-ranking candidates for the Kentucky Derby at Louisville May 6, was scheduled this afternoon at Keeneland race track.

They are among the entries for the \$4,000 Scarlet Gate purse, a seven-furlong event limited to three-year-olds. Six other Derby eligibles and the winner of the Arkansas Derby a few weeks ago should give the pair plenty of competition if all entries go to the post.

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Opening Night Left Only The Weather To Be Improved Upon

By JOHN SPINKS, JR.
Opening night ceremonies at Guy Smith Stadium left only one thing to be desired: baseball weather. The forecast for last night reminded the fans of similar forecasts for football—clear and cold. But the league opened on schedule and the Robins won their first game of the regular season despite the elements.

For the first time in any baseball league the Most Popular Fan threw out the first ball, rather than the President, the Mayor or a big business man. The MPP in Greenville this year was C. A. Guess who won over the field in a recent election conducted by the Robins' management and Hill's Clothing Store.

Guess threw out the first ball to his battery mate, Mayor W. S. Stafford. The backstop didn't manage to hold onto the ball, although he made a desperate attempt. The pitcher said after the throw-in he had been planning to lay up his smoke ball but changed his mind at the last moment in deference to his "guess ball." The pitcher tossed it and the Mayor guessed where it was going, he described it afterward.

Besides the introduction of the ceremonial battery, the owners of the Robins and their wives were introduced to the fans. 500 shivering stalwarts. The owners are Russ Catalano, Walt Dobush, Sam Ferreri and Roy Dissinger and they took their bows between sips of hot coffee.

And the coffee, although it won't be a between-inning drink for very long, was the most called-for beverage at the park last night. Everybody everywhere in the stands were crawling from under their blankets to get some more.

The Robins and the Tars lined up along the first and third base lines and were introduced to the fans, just before the introduction of the dignitaries. As each name was called, the player went to the dugout. Grausser and Denier, two of last year's players for the Greenies, received the biggest hand. But the caliber of ball played during the game last night indicates there are to be more ovations for the rest of the players as the season progresses.

The Tars' half of the second inning proved that the light poles should have been placed outside the fence when the park was constructed. Tom Miniard, working rightfield for the Robins, went way back under a high fly which dropped right at the pole. Miniard had a hard time judging how to catch the ball and keep from backing into the pole at the same time. As a result, he missed the catch.

Manager Randy Heflin got probably the biggest hand during the game as he lifted a long fly to right center which had the look of a home run until the rightfielder pulled it down at the fence. The big pitcher looked dejected after the catch but went on to pitch his way through nine innings and the win.

The game had a little of everything to offer the fans. Including a home run on a bunt, the first seen hereabouts in many a season. Hall bunted toward third base and Tar Pitcher Schiavo fielded it but threw over the first baseman's head. He rounded up the ball in front of the colored stands, threw in the direction of second to catch the runner but the ball hit another light pole all the way on for third and before he could be fielded and thrown to the pitcher, he had scored. Ray bunt, two errors and some base running.

Antolick, Heflin and Umpire In Huddle

Joe Antolick brought his Tarboro Tars to Greenville for the first time this season and lost to the Robins for the opening game last night. That he to the left of the umpire. The umpire, in the meantime, is discussing ground rules with Antolick and Robins Manager Randy Heflin who went the route for the Robins. (Reflector staff photo).



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Detroit	2	0	1.000	St. Louis at Chicago postponed			
New York	2	1	.667	Detroit 5 Cleveland 4			
Washington	1	1	.500	(Only games scheduled)			
Philadelphia	1	1	.500	NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Boston	1	2	.333	Pittsburgh 8 St. Louis 4			
Cleveland	0	2	.000	Boston at New York postponed			
Chicago	0	2	.000	Brooklyn at Philadelphia postponed			
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Chicago	1	0	1.000	Goldsboro 11 Wilson 10			
Pittsburgh	2	1	.667	Rocky Mount 7 Roanoke Rapids 6			
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Boston, April 21—(AP)—Billy Graham, the North Carolina evangelist, maintained the ranks of his converts at Boston Garden last night despite a rain-diminished crowd that slipped to 7,000.

Although a cold drizzle cut the crowd, 300 converts stepped forward as Dr. Graham pounded away at the devil and his audience, too.

"You're sinners, sinners, I tell you," he cried. "Sinner by nature and practice, and you don't want to sin. Only Christ can stop you."

At another point he shouted: "Listen! God uses heathen and ungodly nations to bring judgment upon people who have sinned. We may see that very thing in the future of America." Russia, he added, might be the weapon of that judgment.

Dr. Graham took as his text the Bible story of Daniel in the lion's den and his escape from peril through courage and faith in God.

Plan Speed-Up In Breeding Of New Variety Peanuts

College Station, Raleigh, April 21. The breeding of new high-yielding and disease-resistant varieties of peanuts will be speeded up at the North Carolina Experiment Station as the result of a new greenhouse being made available for the work. Dr. R. W. Cummings, associate director, announced today.

Funds for the structure are being contributed by the Peanut Growers Cooperative, Inc., from an undistributable surplus. In addition to the \$7,500.73 contributed to North Carolina, shares are also going to Virginia, South Carolina and Tennessee to carry on peanut research work.

Dr. W. C. Gregory, in charge of peanut breeding at the Experiment Station, said the new greenhouse which will be erected on the State College campus, will be used primarily for breeding and crossbreeding of peanut varieties. He pointed out that the breeding of seed varieties is a slow process under field conditions since the reproductive capacity of a single seed is low.

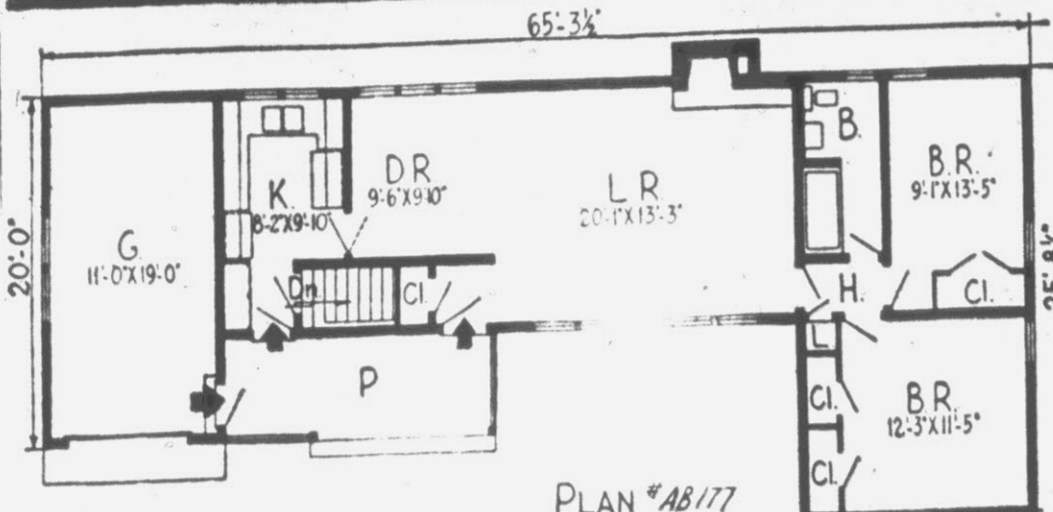
To Film Life Of Tiger Trainer

Hollywood, April 21—(AP)—The life story of tiger trainer Mabel Stark, who has survived many fearful clawings, the last only three months ago, is headed for the movies.

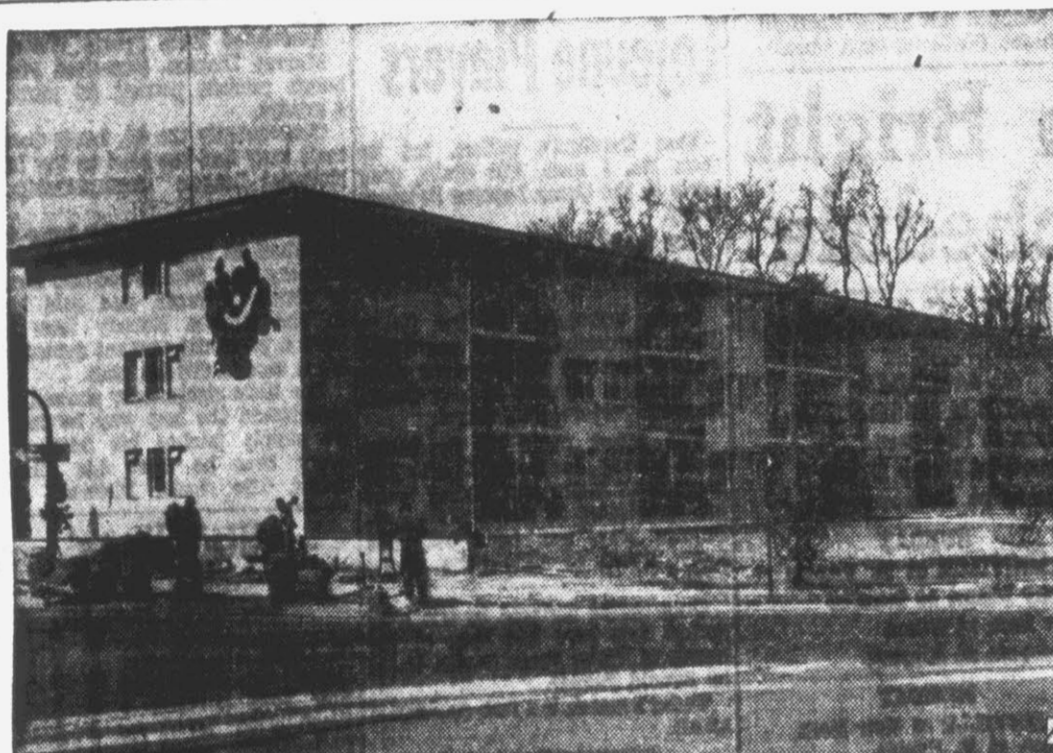
Producer Boris Petroff said yesterday he obtained screen rights to Miss Stark's autobiography, "Hold That Tiger." Miss Stark will play the feature role.

URGES NON-PARTISAN VIEW
Washington, April 20—(AP)—Senator Connally (D-Tex.) appealed to the Senate today to join in a non-partisan foreign policy and thus lift the cause of world peace "above the mists and fogs of party politics."

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Ousted Pastor Holds Parsonage



The Rev. J. Clyde Cruse has been fired from the pastorate of the Methodist church at Springville, Ala., but he and his wife and two small sons are holding on to the church parsonage. He refused to vacate the parsonage on the grounds that he can't be dismissed as pastor without a trial. The church board of stewards ousted him because they thought his sermons were "too strong." (AP Wirephoto).

Second Twin Bill For Bucs Today

East Carolina's baseball club plays its second doubleheader in as many days today, squaring off with the Appalachian Apps this afternoon.

Led by their power hitter, Centerfielder Fred Soles, the Pirates swept two games from West Carolina yesterday.

Expected to work the two games today will be Righthander Vernon "Punk" Jones and Freshman George McCullen.

Jones has two wins to his credit, while McCullen has one game in as many starts.

Coach Jack Boone will probably start his recently rejuvenated squad, consisting of Sonny Russell at first, Billy Smith at second, Jack Wallace at short and Bob Bailey at third. In the outfield, Jim Corbin will be

in left, Soles in center, and Leon Jones in right.

Today's game will be the last home game for the Bucs until they meet the Norfolk Air Station here May 1. East Carolina travels to Norfolk tomorrow to play the Norfolk Amphibs.

Hormone Useless Against Polio

Chicago, April 21—(AP)—The wonder hormone ACTH is of no value against infantile paralysis, five medical investigators reported today.

The finding was reported in the Journal of the American Medical Association by Drs. Lewis L. Coriell, Lois Murphy and Joseph Stokes, Jr., of Philadelphia and Alan C. Siegel and Charles D. Cook of Boston.

Alexander the Great crossed the Hellespont into Asia Minor in 334 B. C.

Explains HADACOL Rationing



Senator Dudley J. LeBlanc, President of The LeBlanc Corporation, Lafayette, Louisiana, makers of HADACOL, is shown explaining the necessity of decreasing the voluntary HADACOL ration allowance from six to two bottles. The photograph shows Senator LeBlanc telling Mrs. Henry Suire, 715 General Mouton Avenue, Lafayette, Louisiana, of the tremendous efforts his organization is making to increase production to meet the ever-mounting demand for HADACOL.

Senator LeBlanc is asking Mrs. Suire to limit her purchases to two bottles of HADACOL. He is urging her not to accept substitutes because there is only one genuine HADACOL. "We have had a great deal of difficulty in securing the expensive, high-quality chemicals that have made HADACOL helpful to so many people who suffer from deficiencies of B Vitamins and Iron," said Senator LeBlanc. "We realized that our B Vitamins, Iron and the helpful quantities of Calcium, Phosphorus and Manganese that HADACOL contains must be of the highest quality. In fact, we have refused to change our formula; we have insisted on maintaining the high quality of our HADACOL, although doing so has meant the loss of hundreds of thousands of dollars in sales."

Mr. LeBlanc said that, despite great increases in production facilities and although the HADACOL plant is operating day and night, it has been impossible, up to the present time, to expand production to the point where it meets the ever-increasing demand. "We believe that, as production facilities continue to increase," the Senator added, "we will soon be able to meet the demand. In the meantime, let me again urge people not to accept substitutes for HADACOL, because there is only one genuine HADACOL."

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FIRST STAR

By Mary Howard

AP Newsfeatures

Chapter 13

"Mr. Nolan tells me you're coming down to Broadwell," said William. "For a few days only," Magda smiled. "I hear it's very old and picturesque. I've seen just about my fill of the old and picturesque since I was in Europe. I prefer new things, and young people."

"Do you?" she smiled. "Yes, of course, you would. I'm glad you didn't think of that before you sailed, or else you might never have come. I'm glad you came."

Mr. Hamlyn reached nervously for his hat. "This business Nolan has spoken to you about—you realize it's important? It'll be a big thing for you, if it comes off."

"Yes, I suppose so," said William indifferently, not taking his eyes from Magda. Andrew saw the red run around Mr. Hamlyn's collar, and leaned against his desk, folding his arms, quietly amused, amused until he suddenly remembered Katherine and her voice when she had said, "William is my friend . . ." He felt sick and a little ashamed, although he knew the thing had gone too far for him to change it, although he knew William would play up unashamedly to Magda, even though he loved Katherine.

"We want to see you work," said Mr. Hamlyn. "We're through with these stars that photograph well but can't act. But the stage doesn't prove anything—you have to have both the photogenic quality, and the ability to act. People have one thing or the other, not often both."

Mr. Nolan seems to think you have both. We'll see." He paused, feeling his words should have weight. William inclined his head with the gracious boredom of Hamlet listening to the babblings of Polonius and Andrew went to the window and gazed down into the seething, homeward-bound crowds outside, in case he should laugh out loud. There was a pause, Mr. Hamlyn finding his remarks had not quite elicited the response which he expected, and William waiting in silent consideration for him to continue.

Magda rose and put her hand through her father's arm; she had not been listening to him, but watching William. "Daddy," she said, "don't let's talk business today. It's too hot. It would be nice if we asked Mr. Brody to have dinner with us. Would you like that, Mr. Brody? We might dance afterwards."

"I'm only up for the day and I'm not dressed for dancing. I must catch the last train back. I'm still rehearsal tomorrow, and L.M. will have a poppley if I don't turn up."

"It doesn't matter. We'll find a nice cool grill room somewhere," she suggested.

"It sounds delightful."

"I have to meet Blount and a group of distributors," said Mr. Hamlyn irritably. "They're coming for cocktails at six."

"You go and meet your distributors, honey," said Magda, and she gave his arm a little squeeze. "Mr. Brody and I will dine alone."

"Very well," Andrew thought he looked a little worried, as though he were weighing whether it would pay him to sign William up right away in view of the fact that Magda was impressed with him, for Magda's impressions were often very expensive.

"That will be fine," Magda smiled. "Claridge's then, about six-thirty."

For the first time William showed signs of apprehension, but the imp appeared in Magda with a flash of understanding. Behind her father's back she made a face and mouthed silently, "Don't worry, darling; Poppy will pay!"

The corner of William's mouth quirked up in appreciation. He gave a little bow, made his goodbyes neatly, and departed.

The first reading of "Prunella" went surprisingly well, and Katherine was astonished when it was over that during the time of the reading she had not missed William at all. That was because Morton, for he was like a bear with a sore head to the rest of the company, was kind and gentle with her. "Almost," she thought afterwards, "as he would be to someone who was ill, or going to be on trial." Perhaps one's first attempt at a leading part was a little like that.

When she went through to the stage, to the circle of chairs, L.M. came forward to meet her, and took her hand, and sat next to her and told her he would read Pierrot himself. Though he was old and fat and gray and his beautiful voice was rusted by too much smoking, he read it with a gay cynical tenderness, and then with an ice thin bravado over the lost, despairing longing and loneliness, so that when she read one of the last lines she had forgotten William and herself, everything but the heart-break in his voice, and put down her book, holding out her arms to him:

"For thee, only for thee. Quick to thy nest,
Thou weary wandering bird,
And there take thy rest."

When they had finished, Morton closed his book, his eyes glistening just a little. Deliberately dramatic and studiously sentimental, he put his hand on hers, jutting out his chin, gazed at the company and asked, "Did anyone here think Nightingale wasn't good enough?" There was a little murmur of applause, and he bowed his head with royal acceptance. "Very well," he said gruffly. "We'll get it set today; then tomorrow we'll get to work. Never mind about William, he's quick to learn." The edge in his voice made her look up at him quickly, realizing that he was angry with William, and swift defensive words rose to her lips.

But he silenced her with another fatherly pat on the hand, a

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Having this day qualified as administratrix of the Estate of Melissa Downing, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate to file them with the undersigned at the address given within twelve months from this date or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to the estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 23rd day of March, 1950.
ANNIE D. BRYANT, Administratrix of Melissa Downing.
Route 2, Box A, Atty.
March 24-31 April 7-14-21-28.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by Johnny Jenkins and wife, Betty Jenkins to J. W. H. Roberts, Trustee, dated July 15th, 1947, and recorded in Book V-24 at page 360 of the Pitt County Registry; default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereon secured, and foreclosure having been demanded by the owner of the said debt and note secured by said deed of trust, under the terms of said conveyance, for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness, I will on the 9th day of May, 1950, offer for sale at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash at the Pitt County Courthouse door in the City of Greenville, the property conveyed by said deed of trust, and described as follows:

"That certain lot or parcel of land lying and being situated in the City of Greenville, Riverdale subdivision, Pitt County, North Carolina, on the north side of West Fifth Street between Hudson Street, and Cadillac street, and beginning at a point 73 feet west of Hudson Street, or the southwest corner of Lot No. 4, in Block "K"; thence running northwesterly with the western property line of said Lot No. 4, 154.3 feet to a point in the southern property line of Lot No. 10; thence running westerly 42.5 feet; thence southerly with the eastern property line of Lot No. 2, 157.8 feet to Fifth Street; thence easterly and parallel with Fifth Street, 43.75 feet to the beginning; it being Lot No. 3, in Block "K" of the Riverdale Subdivision, as shown on map of said subdivision made by H. L. Rivers, C. E., and recorded in Map Book No. 2 at page 261, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County."

A ten per cent deposit will be required to show good faith on the part of the successful bidder, pending confirmation of the sale.

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heavy gesture, because away from the stage Morton always slightly overplayed his part. "Now don't make excuses for him, my dear, a boy like William always has hordes of charming young fools ready to make excuses for him. He should be here."

"But," she said quickly, "you gave him permission to go. He told me you did."

He looked at her, and for a moment she thought he was going to shout at her, but all he said was, "Perhaps I did, my dear, perhaps I did. Anyway, he seemed to take it as such!"

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Video Helps And Hurts Students

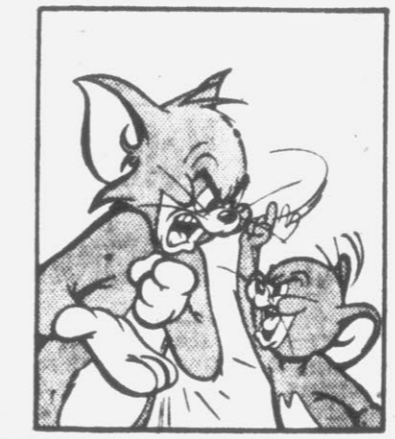
CHICAGO—(AP)—Do long sessions at the television set result in lower marks for students? A year-and-no answer comes from Philip Lewis, assistant principal of South Shore High School.

His survey included more than 500 youngsters who watch TV programs an average of 19 hours a week. The grades of juniors dropped 19 per cent and sophomores eight and a half per cent, but the grades of seniors went up. Lewis found that television was helpful in such senior year subjects as history, civics, literature and drama.

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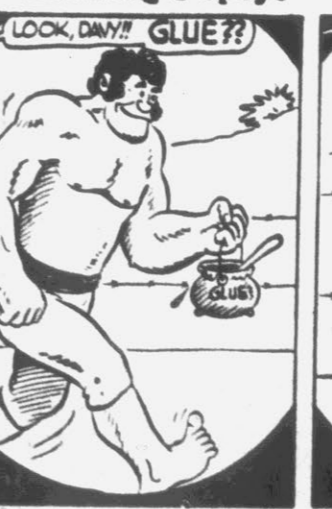
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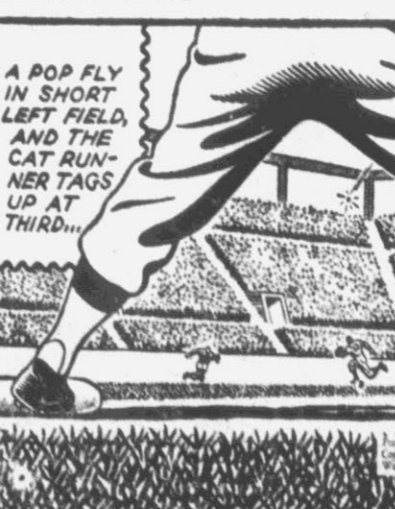
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Scouts Of Pitt Assembling At Encampment Area Here Today

Twelve troops of Boy Scouts from this area of Eastern Carolina are assembling on the encampment grounds at the West Greenville school this afternoon in preparation for the week-end camp. Jack Dowdy, district Boy Scout commissioner, said.

This encampment is a preparatory event to give the boys experience in patrol camping before going to the Boy Scout Council Camporee at Kinston April 28-30.

Tonight's activities at the Boy Scout camp will be highlighted by a campfire from 7:30 to 9:30. Camping and Activities Chairman Sherman Parks was on the camp site early and helping the camp get started.

The Boy Scouts will camp by patrols at the two day encampment.

Saturday's activities will consist mostly of competitive events in which each of the patrols will participate. Eight scoutmaster events have been placed on the schedule for the camp, and will be the same events the scouts will participate in at the council camporee.

Following the afternoon events

Saturday, the scouts will break camp, and the points accumulated by each patrol during the two day outing will be announced at a mass meeting of the scouts.

A complete schedule of the camp activities is as follows:

Friday—
4 to 6—Report to Camp Headquarters, obtain camp site and set up camp.
6 to 7—Supper and clean up.
7:30 to 9:15—Camp fire.
9:30—Signal event.
10:00—Taps.
Saturday—
6:30—(Bugle) Reveille. Complete all breakfast details including clean-up by 8 o'clock.
8:15 to 9—Knot tying and rescue event.
9:45 to 10—Morse signal event.
10 to 10:45—Silent hand signaling.

10:45 to 1:30—Dinner, clean up, free time.
1:30 to 2:15—Compass event.
2:15 to 3—First aid event.
3 to 3:45—Pioneer event.
3:45 to 4:30—Break camp and clean up camp site.

Victory Claims By Nationalists Viewed Doubtful

By STANLEY RICH
Hohlow, Hainan Island, April 21—(AP)—Firecrackers shattered the silence of Hohlow's streets this afternoon as the Chinese Nationalist newspaper announced a great victory in the defense of Hainan Island.

The Nationalists said 10,000 Chinese Red invaders were killed or captured in an eight-hour battle that started last midnight.

Despite official optimism and the jubilation in this island's capital city, however, there were other signs that the Nationalists were not doing so well.

As I arrived at Hohlow airfield last night I could see a tiny AT-6 training plane struggling to get off the ground with a 25-pound bomb strapped under each wing.

Such desperate measures don't jibe with Nationalist reports of sweeping success.

Even now from the heart of Hohlow I can hear the muffled sounds of bombing in the distance.

Pro-Nationalist newspapers said "substantial army reinforcements" arrived this morning from Taipei.

B-17s and B-25s have been landing and taking off from the field three miles from here all day, indicating heavy fighting still is in progress.

The Nationalist central daily newspaper said more than 6,000 Reds were killed or captured in the Fook-shan-Meiting area, 10 miles inland from Manlu Bay, in the battle started last midnight. Manlu Bay is 40 miles west of Hohlow.

The Reds were reported pushing inland from the three beachheads where they landed Monday—Ching-mae Bay 20 miles west of Hohlow, Manlu and Limko 50 miles west of the capital.

The newspaper said another 2,000 were killed and 2,000 surrendered at Limko.

Russia Rejects . . .

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ers. American demands for compensation and for a guarantee against a recurrence "are clearly absurd and without any foundation whatever," it added.

Three days after the U. S. plane was lost on a flight from Wiesbaden, Germany, to Copenhagen, Foreign Minister Vishinsky summoned Ambassador Kirk to the Foreign office and personally read him a note accusing the United States of violating Soviet territory over Latvia.

The strongly-worded Soviet note contended an American bomber flew over Lepaya (Libau) Latvia, refused to land at a nearby field and instead fired on the fighters. Vishinsky said the Soviet fighters then returned the fire and the American plane disappeared in the direction of the Baltic.

More Rough . . .

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Herzog "the most powerful labor czar" in America.)

Labor unions also backed the plan, accusing Denham of being unfair to labor. This was a pretty kettle of fish or something.

Now the plan will become effective on May 24 unless a constitutional majority of the House or Senate—just one branch is enough—vote against it.

Ordinarily, a vote in House or Senate on any bill is by a simple majority of those present at voting time.

But a constitutional majority is something else in either house. For instance, a constitutional majority of the 96 senators would be 49.

So a constitutional majority—for or against anything—is always harder to get than a simple majority.

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Tornadoes Hit Mobile Suburbs



Here is some of the wreckage left by twin tornadoes that struck four suburbs of Mobile, Ala., injured 14 persons and did damage estimated at \$250,000. A. O. Smith, an employee of the Stallworth Pine Products Company, looks at the debris of a company warehouse in the Whistler community. Smith's automobile (foreground) is buried under the ruins. (AP Wirephoto).

Heavy Voting In School Election

Members of the canvassing committee of the Greenville high school student government began counting ballots shortly after 1:30 today to determine who will hold the key positions in the high school government for the coming year.

Poll holders reported the voting "heavy" in today's elections. The polls opened this morning and closed at 1:30 this afternoon. The results of the election are expected to be announced tonight, when a delayed edition of the high school paper "Green Lights" will be distributed at the Freshman class dance in the high school gym.

Rodney Fulcher and Lyman Orman, both rising seniors, are vying for the position of president of the high school student government. Anne McCarty and Glenn Scott are candidates for vice-president of the student government; Lois Tucker is unopposed for the office of secretary, and Donald Tucker has no opposition in his bid for the treasurer's post.

Two roving representatives of the student government will be selected from a field of three candidates—Ray Taylor, Diana Porter and Frank Brooks.

Campaign speeches for the candidates in an assembly of the high school students Monday set off the five-day campaign which ended with the election today.

Kiwanis Will Meet Monday Night ETC.; High Officer Coming

The Greenville Kiwanis Club will not meet tonight at 6:30. The club will meet at the college Monday night at 6:30 when the Kiwanis International president, J. Hugh Jackson, Carolina District Governor Orin F. Crow of Columbia, S.C., Herb Hennig of Darlington, S.C., secretary-treasurer, and Seventh Division Lieut.-Governor B. J. Holleman of Jacksonville will appear on the program.

Nine Eastern Carolina Kiwanis clubs will send several hundred representatives to the Greenville meeting Monday night. President Tige Gardner will open the meeting. Lieut.-Governor Holleman will be master of ceremonies.

Handball Champ's Comeback Fails

Chicago, April 21—(AP)—Joe Platak nine times national AAU senior handball champion, failed in his comeback bid last night.

The 41-year-old Chicago star was beaten in the quarterfinal round of the 1950 meet by defending champion Vic Hershkowitz, 21-14, 21-18. Hershkowitz, a Brooklyn fireman, exhibited excellent service in outsting Platak. The pair traded short-range fire on an equal basis, but Hershkowitz' speed spelled the difference.

Hainan Battle . . .

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control it as their offensive expands in Southeast Asia.

Hainan is potentially a treasure house. One of its chief assets is high-grade iron ore, and there are other minerals as well as timber. There is good agricultural land, and the island produces coconuts, coffee, rubber, fruits, jute, hemp, sugar and rice.

Great things are at stake in this Battle of Hainan.

Two Pitt Musicians Win Greensboro Event Honors

Two Pitt county musicians, Mitzel Greene of Bethel and David Gilbert of Greenville, received excellent ratings in the piano and flute divisions respectively at the annual music festival which ends tonight in Greensboro.

Miss Greene was one of the three high school students in her division who received a rating of excellent for piano solo, and Gilbert was one of three students who received an excellent rating for flute solo.

Gilbert was one of five instrument soloists from Greenville high school who participated in the festival. The other instrument soloists from Greenville were Bobby Browning, Billy Landing, Jimmy Piver and Deane Roebuck, all clarinetists.

Sixty-one members of the Greenville high school band under the direction of James Rodgers left for Greensboro yesterday morning, and are expected to return to Greenville tonight. High School Principal O. E. Dowd said.

Earlier this week 29 members of the high school Glee club under the direction of Miss Ona Shindler took part in the festival in Greensboro. Dallas Clark of Greenville, tenor, was picked to sing solo parts along with four other boys in a male chorus made up of more than 200 high school boys from all parts of North Carolina. Paul Conway and Bobby Williams of Greenville were chosen as two of the three trumpet players

Warns Of Farm Aid Opponents

White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., April 21—(AP)—President Ralph S. Trig of the Commodity Credit Corporation urged the public today to be on guard against those who are "blasting away" at the government's farm aid program.

That program, he said, is preventing a sharp downturn in farm prices and income which would have "serious repercussions on the whole economy."

Uncertain . . .

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in slower deliveries of mail in general.

"Among the curtailments in service are the following: deliveries of parcel post are restricted to one delivery per day, monthly magazines will not be handled as promptly as heretofore. Directory service on first class mail will only be handled from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Also where possible window service is to be curtailed and especially on Saturdays.

"The various recommendations of the Postmaster General are being studied and as soon as possible we will have to comply with his instructions. As soon as some definite plan has been worked out our patrons will be informed fully of any change which will effect their mail deliveries.

"The present plans are for the proposed re-adjustments to be made by July 1st at the latest and as soon as possible. We hope that something can be worked out which will keep at a minimum any inconvenience to the patrons of this office."

Musical Program For Meeting Of Church Group

George Perry of the East Carolina faculty and Kit West, student, provided the entertainment for the Presbyterian Men's Club at its monthly supper meeting Wednesday night.

Perry played several selections on the piano and West read some of his original stories, mostly in a humorous vein.

Guests meeting with the members of the club were: J. B. Vaughan, C. R. Hufstetter, C. B. West and Louis Howe of Greenville.

Instead of the meeting in May, a fish fry at Ficklen's camp below Bath will be held the third week in May, President Ken Beatty announced.

Beatty presided and Dr. John O'Reynolds was in charge of the entertainment.

Hog Market

Raleigh, April 21—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hogs were steady today, \$15 at Wilson, Goldsboro, Tarboro, Robersonville, Greenville, Washington, Kinston and Rocky Mount.

Poultry and Eggs

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James T. Meredith, Pitt Production and Marketing Administration secretary, announced today all farmers who desire price supports for Irish potatoes must have their potato acreage measured by April 30. He stated the farmer who is to be eligible for support prices must, in addition to the measurements, sign an application by May 12 for the supports and pay a service fee of 80 cents per acre. A minimum of \$3 per acre is required, he said.