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Western Allies Head For Show Down In Europe

To Settle On Membership Of Western Germany, Greece And Turkey

By DONALD J. GONZALES United Press Staff Correspondent WASHINGTON (UP)—The Western Allies are heading for a showdown on membership of Western Germany, Greece and Turkey in the North Atlantic Treaty Organization.

Foreign and defense ministers of the 12 treaty powers will try to settle this and other important problems at Ottawa on Sept. 15 and again in Rome at the end of October. Diplomats hope for a decision on Greece and Turkey's bids for pact membership by the end of the Rome conference, but indications are that the question of German participation in defense plans will be delayed.

The Ottawa conference was called because most high-ranking Allied officials will be on hand for the Japanese treaty conference scheduled to end at San Francisco Sept. 8. The week between the two conferences may be used for a big three foreign ministers' meeting here.

No formula has been worked out yet that would provide for West German participation in North Atlantic Pact planning. The problem first was discussed last September in New York by the Big Three and the North Atlantic Pact Council.

France is backing a plan that would include West German units in a European defense force under Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's command. Another plan calls for separate German units under Eisenhower. The West German government has not agreed to accept any of the plans, pending agreement by the pact powers.

Denmark and Norway are leading opposition against admission of Greece and Turkey. They are reluctant to accept on ground that such action would extend the pact beyond the intended limits. And several other European nations fear that expansion of the pact would cut arms deliveries from the United States.

The Netherlands has indicated that it will complain at the Ottawa and Rome meetings about delays in American arms deliveries. U.S. officials concede that the Korean war has slowed up shipments, but they point to increasing deliveries of defense goods to Europe last spring.

The Japanese peace conference also promises some fireworks instead of the easy-going parley the United States had planned. The Philippines, India, the Netherlands and other nations are on record with proposed changes. Nationalist China, South Korea and the Associated States of Indo-China want to attend the conference.

Back of these difficulties with non-Communist countries is the prospect that the Soviet Union, Czechoslovakia and Poland may decide to show up at San Francisco. This would snarl any treaty harmony that could develop among the Allies.

ABC Sales Jump

Sales at Pitt County ABC stores in July were \$5,000 more than for the same month a year ago, the report issued by the board shows.

Sales last month totaled \$103,859.38. Sales the same month last year were \$98,220.10.

A Soldier's Dream Comes True



American soldiers on foreign battle fields dream of coming to a reception like this. Sgt. Michael P. Moore of New York City arrives in Seattle from Korea aboard the transport Gen. M. C. Meigs, and is greeted warmly by Yolande Betsey, the nation's "Miss America." Yolande lives in Mobile, Ala. Sgt. Moore is the 20,000th veteran to return from Korea via the rotation system. The Gen. Meigs brought 4,737 boys home. (AP Wirephoto).

Reds Throw Big Attack On Front

Asked To Reject Truman's Choice

Senator Douglas Says Truman's Choice "Personally Obnoxious"

By NEIL MACNEIL United Press Staff Correspondent WASHINGTON (UP)—Sen. Paul H. Douglas (D-Ill) asked a Senate Judiciary subcommittee today to reject President Truman's nomination of Joseph J. Drucker to the federal bench in Illinois on grounds that the choice is "personally obnoxious."

Douglas, in no mood to give—or ask—any quarter in his battle with Mr. Truman, thus invoked the magic words that traditionally wins a senator the solid support of his colleagues.

The Illinois senator testified that a poll of Illinois attorneys showed "crushing and conclusive" opposition to Drucker and an "overwhelming preference" to two men Douglas had recommended for vacancies in Illinois.

Administration peace feelers in the "battle of the judges" seemed doomed and rejection of Mr. Truman's appointments appeared likely.

Douglas reminded for the benefit of his Southern colleagues that the Virginians among the constitutional founding fathers originally proposed that Congress, not the president, should appoint federal judges.

He said "the Constitution and common sense" sustains the Senate's right to advise and consent on federal judgeship appointments.

Otherwise, he said, the president's powers may become "over-reaching."

Waiting to testify were Drucker and the appointee's uncle, Rep. Adolph Sabath (D-Ill) chairman of the subcommittee.

But each of the men ticketed for discharge will be given a chance to appeal to the West Point superintendent or even request a full-scale court martial.

"They will be given every chance to clear themselves," Col. James B. Leer, the academy public information officer said. "Some of the men might, through a review of their cases, be ultimately cleared. That is why we will not release the names of the cadets."

Few, however, were expected to appeal. Congressional sources in Washington said about 80 of the men have confessed to participating in the cheating.

Split Between Russia And Red China In Sight

May Split Because Of Russia Weakening China In Korean War

TOKYO (UP)—Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway's supreme headquarters said today that Russia started the Korean war to weaken China and that the result might be a split between the Soviet Union and the Chinese Red government.

The statement was issued to Japanese news apers by the civil information and education section of Ridgway's headquarters here. Soon after it was issued an attempt was made to recall it, but it was too late.

Charging that the war was plotted in the Kremlin, the statement said: "The calculating, twisted intellects of the Communist leaders who thought up the invasion of Korea reasoned that no matter whether the war was long or short they would win."

If the war was short, Korea would fall to communism, the statement said, and if it was long it would weaken both the free democracies and Communist China. But the plans went awry, the statement continued.

"Letting China take a hideous pounding from the United Nations does Sino-Soviet relations no good at all," the statement said. "It may mean that China eventually goes the way of Yugoslavia's Communist Marshal Tito, if her regime holds up, which is doubtful."

Tito broke with Russia and the Cominform in May 1948 rather than submerge Yugoslavia's national interests to Soviet "internationalism."

The statement said Russia's failure in Korea has forced the Kremlin to "make a drastic change in future operations." It noted Russia has already started various moves to ease world tension.

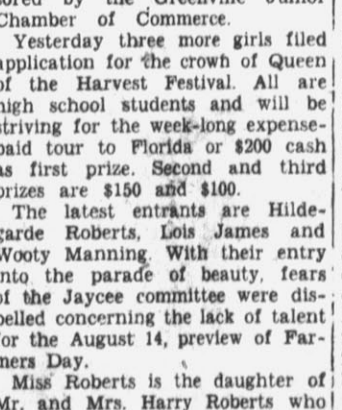
"The people of the democracies will be watched and armed... praying for peace, but they won't count on it because when a Communist changes his mind, it only means that he may change it back again," the statement said.

Ridgway's office said Russia ordered the war launched in order to:

- 1. Gain control of the Korean peninsula, in case it proved a short war.
2. Drain the free world's strength in case of a long war.
3. Smash Red China's strength because a strong China on Asia's vulnerable southern frontier is the Kremlin's nightmare.

The statement said "something went horribly wrong with the Reds' chess game in Korea." It actually strengthened the free world's defenses, destroyed or crippled China's best troops and made Chinese Communists wonder if Russia really is their bosom friend.

Three More Girls File For Beauty Queen Crown



HILDEGARDE ROBERTS

By the week's end an even dozen Pitt County girls have entered the Farmers Day Beauty Contest, sponsored by the Greenville Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Ridgway Calls Staff Conference Believe Negotiations Now At Crisis

Ava And Frankie Hie To Mexico



Movie Actress Ava Gardner from Smithfield, N. C., and Crooner Frankie Sinatra change planes at El Paso, Tex., en route from Hollywood to Mexico City. Ava walks well ahead and Frankie lugs baggage down ramp. He refused to say whether he will seek a quick Mexican divorce from his wife of 12 years and marry Miss Gardner. Last year he followed Ava to Spain. (AP Wirephoto).

General Relaxation Of Wage Control In Sight

Court Cancelled

The week of superior court for the trial of civil issues this month has been cancelled by action of a calendaring session of the county Bar Association.

The week was originally scheduled for August 20, the first of a two-week mixed term. However, attorneys decided there weren't enough cases for trial to warrant spending the money for the week.

Also, the week's court would have coincided with the opening of the tobacco market, requiring the presence of jurors and witnesses. About the only cases to be tried were divorce actions, the group found, which will be carried over to the September term.

First week of court in the fall term will begin August 27 for trial of criminal cases on the docket. Judge Quincy K. Nimocks of Fayetteville will be assigned to Pitt during the fall.

Man And Girl Die In High Rock Lake

LEXINGTON, N. C.—(AP)—A High Point man and a 14-year-old ninth grade girl drowned in High Rock Lake near here early today.

The victims were identified at High Point Funeral Homes as Lloyd Tucker, 30, and Mary Ellen Williams of the Allen Jay community near High Point.

An ambulance driver for a High Point funeral home said the two victims were among six persons in a row boat that capsized about 1 a.m. The other four, who were not identified, swam to safety, he said.

One labor spokesman said the new formula met labor's demand that "there must be a soft price policy if we have a soft price policy." He added, however, that labor was more concerned on how the wage board interprets the new formula in specific cases.

For this reason, labor leaders were particularly pleased with the first board decision in line with the new formula which granted North-ern cotton and rayon workers a 6.1-2 per cent wage increase—all of it over the 10 per cent ceiling. The boost was made to match cost-

May Let Ceiling Prices Jump 10 Percent On Cars

Chrysler And Ford Have Filed Applications With OPS For Increase

By MAUREN GOETHLIN United Press Staff Correspondent WASHINGTON (UP)—The government may let some automobile ceiling prices jump as much as 10 per cent during the next few weeks, but selling prices may stay at current levels for a while.

Chrysler Corp. and Ford Motor Co. filed applications with the Office of Price Stabilization yesterday for price increases ranging to about 10 per cent. Other auto makers were expected to follow suit.

Some OPS officials have said that under the new controls act, the agency may have to let car prices go up that much. One official said last night that the agency would act on the applications within the next few weeks.

However, an OPS spokesman emphasized that neither Chrysler nor Ford included in its application any "statement of intention to raise their selling prices" as soon as they get OPS permission.

The market for automobiles and other consumer durable goods has been soft despite production cutbacks. These manufacturers have had some trouble getting rid of very high inventories, and cuts in steel and other metals for civilian production have been offset so far.

Chrysler, however, has been particularly active about trying to get a price hike this year.

Ford's request for a price boost generally was double the increases which the company intended to put into effect last December before the government froze auto prices.

At that time, Ford and General Motors Corp. had scheduled price hikes averaging about five per cent. In its application yesterday, Ford asked for a 4.85 per cent hike for its Mercury line, 9.94 per cent for the regular Ford line, 9.94 per cent for Lincoln and 10.94 per cent for CosmoPollans.

Chrysler requests were 9.16 per cent for Chryslers, 9.82 for Dodges, 9.74 for DeSotos and 9.67 for Plymouths.

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Possibly Called Conference On Instructions From Washington; Deadlock Over Truce Line Now In Tenth Day; Reds Refuse To Back Down On Demand

By PETER KALISCHER United Press Staff Correspondent

Matthew B. Ridgway, Supreme United Nations commander, called his high staff advisers into urgent conference last night and it was believed the Korean cease-fire negotiations in Kaesong may have reached a crisis point.

There were indications Ridgway may have called the conference upon receipt of special instructions from Washington.

A deadlock over the fixing of a truce line in Korea entered its 10th day today.

At yesterday's meeting in Kaesong, the chief Communist negotiator, Gen. Nam II brusquely refused to back down on his demand for a buffer zone along the 38th parallel.

The 30th meeting starts at 1 a.m. Sunday (8 p.m. Saturday EST). Ridgway opened the meeting at the highly unusual hour of 9:30 p.m. Saturday and it was still in progress early today.

Present at the meeting in Ridgway's headquarters in downtown Tokyo were Lt. Gen. Doyle Hickey, the supreme commander's chief of staff, Brig. Gen. Edwin K. Wright, chief of plans and operations, and other high officers.

It was all but established, officially yesterday that the U.N. negotiators in Kaesong demanded a truce line far north of the present battle front. There were indications that the U.N. command actually would settle for the present battlefield, or even a line a little south of it if it offered good defensive possibilities.

Advices from the U.N. cease-fire advance base below Kaesong in Korea have said for some days that a break in the truce-line deadlock seemed imminent.

Ridgway's urgent conference may mean that the crisis point is here. Extraordinary measures were taken to ensure complete secrecy for Ridgway's post-noon conference. Newspapers were forbidden to stay in the lobby of the headquarters building or to go upstairs, and Col. Walter Conway, in charge of the guard, said Ridgway wanted no photographs taken.

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"I... of... ve you an answer now," he replied in a barely audible voice.

Brig. Gen. William Nickols, official U.N. spokesman, said the two delegations were no nearer an agreement now than they were when they first tackled the question of a cease-fire buffer zone on July 27.

He said the U.N. delegates again flatly stated that they could not accept the 38th Parallel for a buffer zone because it was militarily indefensible.

Nickols refused to comment on the 38th Parallel, saying it was a "subject of technical nature" which he would discuss only if it came up in the course of the negotiations.

Naval Cadets Hold Mass Meet To Protest; Claim 'Raw Deal'

By MILTON RICHMAN United Press Staff Correspondent WEST POINT, N. Y. (UP)—Army's 90 cadets facing expulsion from West Point for cheating, held a mass meeting today to protest "a raw deal."

Gathered in the gymnasium of the military academy before starting the "final processing" which will lead to their being cashiered, the cadets listened to one after another of their number speak bitterly against the academy authorities.

One cadet shouted, "I want legal advice."

Another said, "I'm going to demand an honorable discharge."

"They all insisted they had been singled out for 'unfair' treatment as the result of widespread cheating at the academy."

One said, "more than 200 did the same thing. Over 100 members of the June graduating class were on it. We told the truth and we're getting a raw deal. This goes back to 1946."

Bob Blaik, son of the Army football coach, was present at the gathering. It was not known whether he is one of the accused cadets. The Army has refused to reveal the names of those accused.

boards. But he said since most are 18 to 23, without dependents and healthy they will be called up as "A's."

The dishonored group, whose names have been kept secret, have been called back here from nearby summer training camps for "final processing."

Few of their scornful fellow students know their identity, but those who do offered them only the haughty "silent treatment" in the wake of the 150-year-old academy's greatest scandal.

But each of the men ticketed for discharge will be given a chance to appeal to the West Point superintendent or even request a full-scale court martial.

"They will be given every chance to clear themselves," Col. James B. Leer, the academy public information officer said. "Some of the men might, through a review of their cases, be ultimately cleared. That is why we will not release the names of the cadets."

Few, however, were expected to appeal. Congressional sources in Washington said about 80 of the men have confessed to participating in the cheating.

neither honorable nor dishonorable, as a result of an original tip supplied by an honor board member.

Normally the fellow-cadets of the honor board would handle such violations completely—but the scope of this exposure was so great that the Army itself took over. Army Secretary Frank Pace ordered the expulsions with the okay of President Truman.

Gen. J. Lawton Collins, Army chief of staff, said in Washington the cadets take their examinations in sections—and that members of one section were passing the quiz questions to the members of a later section.

The stately academy, located on a picturesque bend in the Hudson River 60 miles above New York City, was shocked by the revelations. Most of the cadets have just returned from summer vacations.

The cadets not involved showed no sympathy for the accused men. Cadet Lt. Ralph Girdner of Amite, La., snapped, "They violated our honor code, so I am glad to see them go."

General Collins said the expulsions "practically wiped out" the football team, but Col. Leer insisted that Army will go through its full 10-game football schedule and continue the intercollegiate athletic program as in the past. In the last three years the team has rolled to 23 victories and suffered only one defeat and one tie.

Wooty Manning

Third contestant today is Wooty Manning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Manning of the Belvoir community. Miss Manning is a member of the Senior 4-H Club in her community which will be her sponsor.

She is in the 10th grade at Belvoir-Falkland high school and has done outstanding 4-H work in clothing, cooking and room improvement. In 1949 she was county 4-H health queen.

Deadline for applying for entrance in the contest is August 13 at midnight. Bob Ross, chairman of the contestants committee, today reminded all girls in the vicinity of Greenville to apply early if they wish to be in the contest in order that their eligibility may be okayed.

After the contest a dance will be held in the Queen's honor with Bob Lee's orchestra supplying the music. Lee, who formerly headed the East Carolina College dance orchestra, is currently on tour of the beaches and summer resorts in this area. Most of his college aggregation is still with him.

The public is invited to attend both the contest and the dance afterward. Both will be held at New Carolina warehouse on Dickinson Avenue.

More Acreage Planted In U. S. Since 1933; No Restrictions

NEW BOSTON, N. H.—The season is now far enough advanced to make a fair estimate of the U. S. crops for 1951. Hence, I have been busy this past week getting necessary data to make an intelligent forecast.

372,000,000 Acres Planted

Statistics show that more acreage has been planted this year than at any time since 1923. Ordinarily, due to the crops now in storage, the Federal Government would have demanded reduced acreage for most products. Due, however, to the Korean situation, all farmers were given the green light with no restrictions.

Owing to the increased use of farm machinery with modern methods of furrowing and draining, farmers are raising more crops per acre. This is especially true where farmers are using fertilizers and carefully selected seeds. Selected seed—especially in the case of corn—is a revolutionary step. (Modern methods of selecting laying hens are largely responsible for the surplus of eggs.)

As a result of all these favorable factors, I forecast a corn crop of about 3,300,000,000 bushels which would be the third largest in U. S. history. The wheat crop I estimate will be 1,100,000,000 bushels which should be the largest ever harvested.

265,000,000 bushels, a little more than last year; rye should harvest 26,000,000 bushels, or more than last year. Hay cut this year should be 115,000,000 tons which would be 8,000,000 tons more than last year.

Fewer Potatoes Expected

The Government has discouraged potato growing with the result that the forecast is for only 350,000,000 bushels compared with 439,500,000 bushels last year. This means that not so many will be destroyed. Tobacco, however, is up, the forecast being 2,300,000,000 pounds compared with 2,000,000,000 pounds last year.

As to miscellaneous crops, it looks as if sugar beets and flaxseed would be less, but the rice crop should be larger. Beans, hops, peas, tomatoes and cabbage should yield about the same. The quick-freezing process, however, should ultimately help peas, beans and tomatoes.

Good Fruit Year

continue good, about as last year, around 122,000 bushels; while grapes are running ahead of last year. The hope for both of these staple fruits rests with canning the juices.

What About Prices?

As to prices, wheat now is about \$2.29 per bushel same as a year ago; corn is \$1.77 compared with \$1.56 a year ago; best sides are 58 per pound compared with 53 a year ago; pork is 53 compared with 56 a year ago; granulated sugar is 988 compared with 981 a year ago; coffee is 53 compared with 56 a year ago; cotton is 28 compared with 39 a year ago; wool tops are \$2.57 compared with \$2.15 a year ago; while K. C. hides are 37 compared with 37 a year ago.

In closing let me say something about the Kansas City flood. I know Kansas City, being part owner of forty high-grade drug stores there. But note this fact—If this flood had happened twenty years ago it would have done very little damage as the land had not been built upon. Kansas had experienced a long period of dry years and real estate promoters said "Tain't going to rain no more." Thereupon a great building boom developed on this low land. But they were wrong.

Moral: Man has not yet controlled the weather. After a long series of dry crop years, wet years are sure to follow; and after we have good rains, as has been the case since 1933, dry years are sure to follow.

### Nursing Student Receives Honors

A paragraph in the American Journal of Nursing for August states the following:

"Bernadine K. Worsley, a nursing student in the basic collegiate program at the Catholic University of America in Washington, D. C., has received an unusual honor. She was selected to be included in 'Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges for 1951.'

"Students are chosen on the basis of leadership and participation in extra-curricular and academic activities; citizenship and service to their universities; promise of future usefulness to society and business; and sincerity and excellence in scholarship."

Miss Worsley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Worsley of this city. She graduated from Greenville High School in 1947.

### Bride Is Honored With Shower

VANCEBORO—Mrs. A. B. Morton Jr., recent bride, was complimented Friday night when Miss Beverly Witherington entertained with a miscellaneous shower. The Witherington home was artistically arranged with mixed garden flowers. Upon arrival the honoree was presented a corsage of asters and feverfew. Refreshments of bride's cake and sandwiches were served the honoree and Miss Lauris Farrow, Ramona Sprull, Janis Witherington, Sylvia Buck, Marie and Sybil Pillingame, Joanna Williams, Mrs. Gene Gland, Mrs. Bob Lancaster, Mrs. E. L. Witherington, Mrs. Henry Williams and Mrs. J. E. Witherington.

Masonic Notice  
Greenville Lodge No. 264, A.F.A.M., will have a stated communication on Monday night, August 6th, at eight p.m. Refreshments will be served at seven o'clock.

Walter Glenn Garner, Master  
A. R. House, Secretary

Attention B.F.W. Members  
Make your reservation today for the picnic supper to be held at the outdoor fire place of Memorial Baptist Church on Thursday evening August 9, at 7 o'clock.

Tickets may be secured from Evelyn Latham, at Merle Norman Studio, Cassie Sawyer, at Jane's Shop, and Audrey Bottoms at N. C. State Employment Office.

Memorial Baptist Church  
The guest minister of the Memorial Baptist Church on Sunday morning will be the Rev. L. Grady Burdick. Mr. Burdick recently resigned as pastor of the First Baptist Church of Jacksonville, N.C. to accept the position of associational missionary of the Roanoke Baptist Association. He and his wife and son make their home at 1012 Fairfax Avenue in Greenville.

The pastor, Rev. R. E. Hardaway, is on vacation.

Revival At Bethel  
Revival services will begin at the Bethel Pentecostal Holiness Church on Monday night at 8:00 o'clock. A trio of young men, Edsel Briley, Douglas Clark and Ray Williams, will be preaching and singing each night. The public is cordially invited to worship in each service.

Birth Announcements  
Mr. and Mrs. Claude E. Hall of Cantonville, Md. announce the birth of a son, Kenneth Allan, on July 26, 1951.

Mrs. Hall was formerly Lila Marie Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hall of Ayden.

Girls Circle of F.W.B. Church  
The Young Girls' Circle of Free Will Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. Lorraine Hines at 1107 Forest St. Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Lucille's Beauty Shop Reopens  
Lucille's Beauty Shop will reopen for business on Monday, August 6.

### Social and Personal

All items for this page received after 10 a. m. will be published the following day. Dial 2886-9 A. M. to Noon; 1 to 4:30 P. M.

Mrs. Mattie Hardee and Mrs. Thelma Hardee have returned home after spending a week at State College in Raleigh for Farm and Home Week. While there they attended the Tea Show.

Friends of Robert A. Fountain Jr. will regret to learn that he is ill at his home in Fountain.

Master Jimmy Roberts is a patient in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

Fred J. Forbes Sr. left today for Medical College of Virginia for treatment. He had been a patient in Pitt Memorial Hospital for several days.

Mrs. J. C. Tyson is a patient in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Mary Warren Collier of Waynesboro, Va. is visiting Mrs. B. S. Warren.

### Mr. and Mrs. Wood Entertain Club

VANCEBORO—On Tuesday night Mr. and Mrs. George Wood entertained members of the Couples Bridge Club at their home on F. 2nd Life Avenue. Guests with the regular players were B. C. Clevie and Abe Clevie Jr. High scorer among the ladies was Mrs. Alton F. Whitley. Abe Clevie Jr. won men's high score. The consolation award was won by G. C. Lancaster Jr.

### Mrs. Bissette Hostess At Supper and Bridge

GRIFTON—Mrs. W. I. Bissette was a gracious hostess on Thursday night when she had as guests for supper and bridge members of her contract club and invited players for five tables. Guests were received by the hostess in rooms pleasantly decorated with arrangements of garden flowers in bright hues. In the dining room where a delectable buffet supper was served prior to the games a color note of pink and green was used. Asters and pink candies made a pretty centerpiece for the refreshment table. Baked ham, salad, relishes, hot rolls, leed tea and lemon tart were served.

During the progressions of contract Mrs. Robert Metworn and Miss Marie Chapman compiled the highest scores among the club members. Top scores for guests went to Mrs. Clifton Jackson. Other players were Mrs. L. L. Mewborn, Mrs. J. L. Quinerly, Mrs. L. D. McCotter, Mrs. R. P. Quinerly, Mrs. Jack Chapman, Mrs. Vassar Wall, Mrs. Richard Nelson, Mrs. Eleanor Gower, Mrs. Billy Phillips, Mrs. H. C. Oglesby, Mrs. David Wassum, Mrs. Thurman J. Williams, Mrs. A. D. Wall, Mrs. Jack Tucker, Miss Louise Mewborn, Miss Bert Johnson and Miss Hazel Patrick.

### Vanceboro News

Joseph Dixon has returned to Norfolk, Va. after a two weeks' visit with his mother, Mrs. Annie Dixon and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin B. McGee.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Robinson and Chief Petty Officer and Mrs. L. E. Powell visited in Washington Saturday evening.

Mrs. T. A. Forrest has returned from Phoebus, Va. after an extended visit with her husband, who is a patient at Veterans Hospital.

Mrs. A. B. Morton Jr. visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Morton at North Haddow Saturday.

Mrs. Arthur Blackwelder and children of Concord are visiting Mrs. Blackwelder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter-Centerville was in a dither. Despite the August heat, there were many parties; showers for both brides; luncheons, teas, dinners, dances. The two couples were thrown together almost constantly, since the parties were given by the same group, and everything was very gay.

### 40 Years Ago Today

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Misses Maude and Edith May Lee left this morning for Dunn to visit friends.

Miss Louise Fleming, from near Home, spent last evening with Miss Essie Ellington.

Miss Minnie Best Dale left this afternoon for her home in Snow Hill.

Miss Sadie Ekum left this afternoon for Goldsboro.

Jack Brown returned this afternoon from Norfolk.

Miss Iona Jones of Elizabeth City spent Wednesday night with Miss Nina Harris en route home from a visit to Stokes. She left on the 8:40 N. S. train this morning.

### George E. Perry To Present Recital Monday Evening

On Monday evening, August 6th, at 8:00, Mr. George E. Perry, professor of music at East Carolina College, will present an organ recital in Austin auditorium. This program, which is open to the public, is part of the two-day conference of religious music to be held August 6th and 7th, and will include works by Ross, Haydn, Wagner, Vierne, Gaul, Barber, Carre, and Edmondson. This is Mr. Perry's fifth organ recital presented for the public of Greenville, and the fourth on the new Austin auditorium organ. Last May Mr. Perry gave the dedicatory recital on the newly installed organ in the Centenary Methodist Church of New Bern. His musical abilities are well known in this section, for he has appeared many times as pianist for service clubs and other organizations, as well as in concert, for himself, with Miss Elizabeth Drake, and with the East Carolina College concert band. He is a member of the American Guild of Organists, is director of the Northeastern District of Federated Music Clubs, and is the new president of the Greenville Music Club.

### Grifton News

Mrs. "Buster" Fletcher has returned from a visit with her mother, Mrs. John Sharp, in Elm City and has as her guests Mrs. H. J. Provo and Miss Andre Provo of Fayetteville.

Mrs. E. A. Moore of Ocean View and Mrs. Howard Keel of Bethel were guests this week of their mother, Mrs. J. H. Barwick.

Mrs. Josh Worthington was in Farmville on Wednesday morning for a Coca-Cola party in honor of Mrs. Carl Beaman, a recent bride. From there she went to Washington to attend a luncheon in the home of Mrs. Z. M. Fotts. She was accompanied by Mrs. John Mitchell of La Grange.

Mrs. H. C. Oglesby, Pat Oglesby and Mrs. Adie Patrick are here from Washington, D.C. to spend sometime. They will be joined later by Mr. Oglesby.

Miss Dorothy Glenn Sugg is spending the weekend in Duraw as a guest of Mrs. Ellis R. Burgess. She will also visit at White Lake before her return.

Miss Esther Hill Coward is spending sometime in Atlantic with her grandmother, Mrs. Julia Hill.

Mrs. Alton Chapman has returned from Raleigh where she attended the Farm Women's meeting held there this week.

Mrs. Glendel Tucker left Friday for a weekend visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Stout, at Star. She will go to Greenville on Saturday for an overnight stay with Mr. and Mrs. Grover Mumford. On her return she will be accompanied by Mrs. G. Tucker, who spent the past week in Greensboro with Mr. and Mrs. Mumford.

Miss Marvel Stokes of Stokes and Miss Jackie Merritt of Chapel Hill spent Friday here as guests of Miss Margaret Sugg.

Dr. E. V. Tucker is in Hendersonville where he is attending a series of lectures given on "Pediatrics."

Mrs. Tom Gower and daughter Betty Lynn have returned from several days' stay in Greenville with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dudley.

### Predict Opening Legal ABC Stores

WINSTON-SALEM (UP)—Mayor Marshall Kurtes predicted today that legal liquor stores would be opened here by Sept. 15.

The board of aldermen approved an ordinance last night setting up a board of alcoholic control. The ordinance provides for five stores under the jurisdiction of a full-time chairman at a salary of \$7,500 and two part-time members at \$1,200 each.

R. D. Warwick, general manager of the Statesville Chamber of Commerce, was elected chairman. Warwick has not yet accepted the post.

### Public Hearing For Lewiston Bank

RALEIGH (UP)—The State Banking Department said today it will hold a public hearing Monday in Lewiston on the application of the Roanoke-Chowan Bank of Roxobel to open a branch in Lewiston.

The department will hold a hearing Tuesday in Washington, N. C., on the application of the Guaranty Bank and Trust Co. of Greenville to open a teller's window branch in Washington.

### State Expects 1,500 FFA Members

RALEIGH (UP)—More than 1,500 delegates are expected at the N.C. Association of Future Farmers of America convention at N.C. State College Monday through Wednesday.

Awards totaling more than \$21,000 will be presented members of the FFA for outstanding farm and home achievements during the past year.

Among the speakers scheduled at the meeting are Gov. Kerr Scott and U. S. Sen. Clyde R. Hoey.

### WEDDING Announcements STATIONERY Reception Cards Visiting Cards At Home Cards Best Jewelry Co. "Your Jeweler"

Edith watched Betsy during this hectic period, an increasing fear in her heart. Outwardly Betsy was gay, breathlessly happy, chattering like mad, racing through the house like a strong wind; dashing in to change clothes, or hurrying out for some appointment. But she kept her mother at arm's length with a skill that would have done credit to a woman many years older.

Bo went around in a happy daze. Edith, watching him, felt impelled to offer advice—and acted on it before her more sober thought could check her.

"Bo," said Edith impulsively, "there's something I feel you ought to know."

Bo's radiance dimmed a little. "You mean that I'm sort of—well—second-choice with Betsy? Aun't Edith?" he asked, like the little boy who had called her that since childhood.

"You know—?"

Bo's smile was wry now. There was nothing radiant about it. "About Pete Marshall? Sure, I've known all along. But Betsy is willing to marry me, and I'm going to do everything in my power to make her happy. If Peter is married and out of town, maybe I'll get my innings later on."

There were tears in her eyes, but Edith smiled at him. "You're a dear, Bo. But I can't feel, it's quite fair to you. I mean—well, after all—!" She stopped, realizing that she had almost added, "You deserve something better than being caught on the rebound."

Bo had guessed what she meant, and his grin deepened a little. Look Aunt Edith," he said, "I've been in love with Betsy since we were kids."

He was silent for a moment; then he added, "Don't worry about me, Aunt Edith, and don't worry about Betsy. I'll take care of her and do my level best to make her happy."

(To be continued)

### SOCIAL CALENDAR

MONDAY  
6:30 p.m.—Rotary Club  
7:00 p.m.—Lions Club  
8:00 p.m.—Lodge No. 885, Loyal Order of Moose

FRIDAY  
6:30 p.m.—Kiwanis Club  
8:30 p.m.—Exchange Club  
7:30 p.m.—Red Men meet.

### Library Notes

The Tom Sawyer reading club at the Sheppard Memorial Library will continue through August 23. It was announced today by Librarian Mrs. Bessie Stott.

Certificates will be presented on August 26 to the boys and girls of the club who report on the required ten books. Mrs. Stott urged the members of the reading club to report on their books as they read them and avoid the last minute rush of reports.

Among the new books added to the library in July are the following books for adults:

Non-Fiction: "Career Ambassador" by Beaulieu; "Color and Design for Every Gardener" by Orloff; "Crime in America" by Kefauver; "High Horizons" by Taylor; "Liberations of the Mind" by Morgan; "Making the Most of Your Food Freezer" by Essipoff; "My Window Looks Down East" by Graham; "Nature's Way" by Andrews; "No People Like Show People" by Zolotow; "Secret of Serenity" by Glick; "We Took to Cruising" by Hamlin.

Fiction: "Doctors are Different" by Walker; "Dude Rancher" by Zane Grey; "The Golden Road" by Bourne; "The Great Mall Robbery" by Kelland; "The Iron Mistress" by Wellman; "Lament for the Bride" by Rilly; "The New Shoe" by Upfield; "The Rising of the Lark" by Ruck; "Saddlebum" by Raine; "The Silver Star" by Ermine.

New Reference Books (to be used in the library): "The Encyclopedia Americana" 1950 edition; "Webster's New International Dictionary" unabridged, 1950 ed.; "Webster's Biographical Dictionary."

### Negroes Killed, Hurt In Crash

OXFORD (UP)—Tazewell Baskerville, 28-year-old Negro, was killed late yesterday and two companions injured when the car in which they were riding crashed into a truck.

Policeman N. E. White said the sedan "did a loop" and slammed into the cab of a truck driven by Sidney Powell, employe of the Manchester Board and Paper Co., Richmond, Va.

The injured were Herman Crew and Willie Lee Boddison.

### Mineral Deposits Already Spotted

WASHINGTON (UP)—Prospectors have spotted most of the major U. S. mineral deposits, and it now is up to science to uncover America's hidden wealth, Secretary of Interior Oscar L. Chapman said today.

A new "geochemical prospecting" system may lead to discoveries of valuable mineral resources needed for the defense program, Chapman said. Under the new system, prospectors will make on-the-spot chemical tests of earth samples to detect traces of hidden minerals.

### Greenville Elks Send 12 Boys To Summer Camp

By CHESTER WALSH

Greenville Lodge No. 1645, Beneficent and Protective Order of Elks, tomorrow will send 12 worthy and deserving boys (ages from 8 to 12) to North Carolina Elks Camp for Boys near Hendersonville.

A Carolina Trailway bus will transport the boys to camp and return them here August 19. Heber B. Tripp, chairman of the Elks Lodge's camp committee, will accompany the youngsters to camp and return with them.

The Elks committee, in awarding the camping trip, selected two boys from each six teams in the Little League. The teams are Elks, Moose, Kiwanis, Jaycees, Exchange and Lions.

Greenville boys selected to make the trip are: Alton Flye, Oscar Stoneham, R. L. Puryear, Shelby Ray Heath, John E. Arnold, John Wesley Hudson, Earl Stocks, Jr., Bobby Whitehurst, Richard Langley Campbell, Ebron Earl Allen, John Barnhill and Hudson Miller.

The Trailways bus will pick up 12 boys in Washington; 12 in Greenville, and 12 more in Wilson—36 boys in all.

It will leave Greenville tomorrow (Sunday) morning at 6 o'clock. The Elks Lodge pays all expenses for the boys from the time they leave until they return. Each boy is required to carry \$3 for miscellaneous spending money, while in camp.

Trained camp and recreation specialists will give instructions in lery, boxing, gym work and tumbling in various crafts, archery, rifl-

### Take Three Years To Defeat Russia

SOUTH ST. PAUL, Minn. (UP)—Harold Stassen, president of the University of Pennsylvania, says the United States could defeat Russia in less than three years if war came.

Stassen, former governor of Minnesota, wound up a four-day tour of the state with a community celebration speech. He has been sounding out opinion in connection with his Republican Party presidential ambitions.

### Employment Rise Highest Ever

WASHINGTON (UP)—Employment reached the highest level in history last month, but it wasn't high enough to satisfy the government.

The Commerce Department reported that 62,526,000 persons held jobs in July, 1,312,000 more than a year ago.

But President Truman has said that the mobilization program would require an additional 1,500,000 to 2,000,000 more workers during the next year.

### Snake Dies After Biting Victim

SAN ANTONIO (UP)—A rattlesnake died after it bit Demetria Gones.

Gones, a civilian employe at Kelly Air Force Base, said the rattler struck him on the leg, had convulsions and then crawled 15 feet and died.

Gones suffered no ill effects. He explained it this way: "I'm head of the plating unit at Kelly and handle a great deal of sodium cyanide, a deadly poison. "My body is so full of this poison that it has gradually built up a resistance to it, but I guess the snake had not."

### Hoosiers Can Now Rally Around Flag

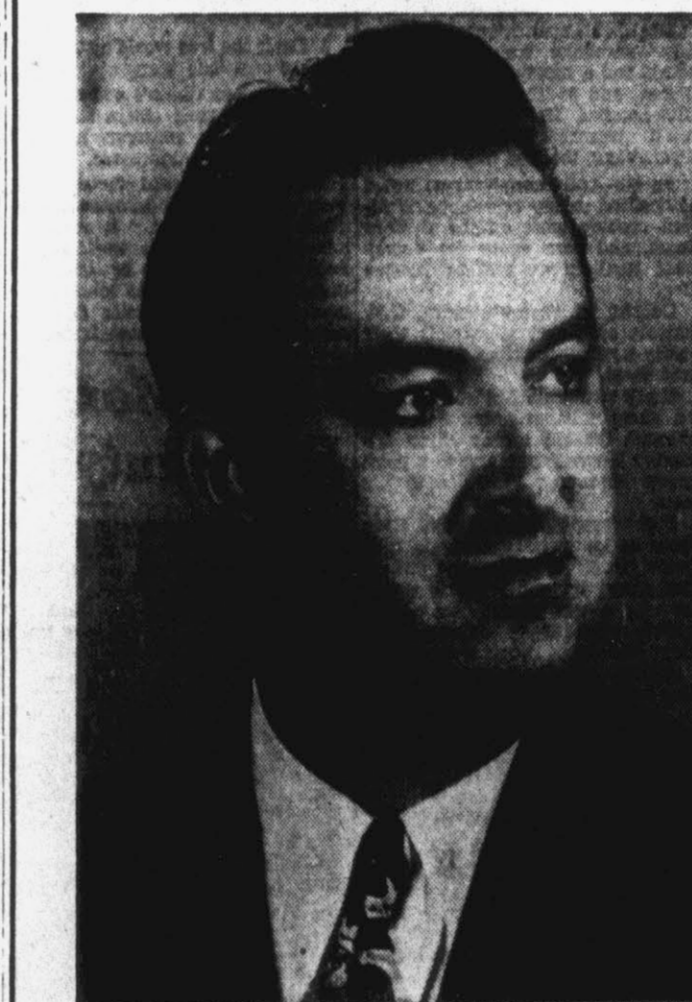
INDIANAPOLIS (UP)—Hoosiers on duty with the 45th division in Japan will soon have something to rally around.

Oklahomans in the infantry outfit hekked eight Indiana soldiers so much that they wrote Secretary of State Leland L. Smith and asked for an Indiana state flag. It's on its way now and the soldiers plan to hoist it in their mess hall because of a "friendly rivalry between the Rebels and us Yankees."

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**The Girl Next Door**  
By Peggy Gaddis

Chapter 23

Marcia was on the side veranda the following morning, dawdling dispiritedly after the light breakfast of coffee and fruit juice that was all she allowed herself, when Betsy came in.

"Oh, hello," said Marcia. Then, when she saw the girl's taut face and blazing eyes: "Why, what's wrong? You look upset."

"So you finally pulled it off," exclaimed Betsy. "Congratulations!"

Marcia sat back down in her wicker chair and eyed Betsy coolly.

"I suppose you mean Peter," she said.

"What else would I mean?" Marcia shrugged. "I can't see why you are so upset. After all, since you are going to marry Bo Norris, why should you mind what happens to Peter?"

Betsy drew a long, deep breath and her hands were clenched tightly at her sides. "But I do mind what happens to Peter," she said. "I mind very much. That's why I've come to tell you that if you hurt him or make him unhappy, I'll probably try to kill you."

She turned and went out, blinded by tears.

Marcia faced Centerville's polite good wishes on her engagement with a calmness that aroused mixed emotions. She was prettily devoted to Peter; he went around beaming with a radiance that belied the dark glasses. She allowed him to set the date for the wedding a month ahead. In all things she was the traditional happy, devoted fiancée—at least in public.

Mrs. Marshall gave a tea for her, and her friends rallied around, so it was a pleasant social affair. Afterwards, at Peter's and his mother's insistence, Marcia stayed on for dinner. It was while Peter was feeding Gus that the two women had a few moments alone.

Mrs. Marshall had planned for those few moments and had braced herself for them. She and Marcia were in the sun parlor, with its windows wide open to the late afternoon sunlight.

"I thought," Mrs. Marshall said presently, "that we might look over the house and select the rooms you and Peter would like as a suite. I'll have the remodeling and redecorating done while you are on your honeymoon."

Marcia, who had been concealing her restless boredom all afternoon, looked up sharply.

"You mean you expect us to live here?"

"Why, yes," Mrs. Marshall said hesitantly.

"Peter and I are going to live in New York, where I can go on with my studies. Naturally."

"Oh, I thought perhaps you were giving up your career."

"That's not likely," returned Marcia. "Not after I've come this far."

"I understand," Mrs. Marshall said it quietly, but she saw with devastating clarity all the motives behind Marcia's engagement to Peter.

She made herself smile at Marcia. "Of course it's only natural you should prefer to live in New York," she said as pleasantly as she could. "But I hope you'll visit me occasionally. It's going to be lonely without Peter."

"Of course we will. I shall be terribly busy, but there's no reason why Peter shouldn't run down often."

Peter came back then, and there was no further chance for conversation between the two women; not for the sort of conversation Mrs. Marshall felt was so vitally necessary, and yet from which she shrank with something approaching terror.

With two weddings coming so close together—Bo and Betsy had settled on a date two weeks later than the one chosen by Marcia and

# Lanier Makes Statement Before Finance Committee

## Says Tobacco Singled Out Over Other Farm Products

(Editor's note: The following is the text of J. Con Lanier's speech before the Senate Finance Committee Thursday concerning the proposed increase in taxes on cigarettes. Lanier was chosen by tobacco manufacturers and tobacco growers as well as southern farm organizations to present the one-man argument. Although no action has been taken concerning the issue, pending closed-door hearings next week, according to Senator Clyde Hoy, committee member, the proposal will probably be killed.)

Mr. Chairman and Members of the Committee:

My name is J. C. Lanier, and I live in Pitt County, North Carolina. My county is the largest tobacco producing county in the world. In 1950 it produced approximately 50 million pounds of flue cured leaf tobacco from 37,600 acres. Nearly all of this tobacco is the flue cured tobacco used in the manufacture of cigarettes. My principal business is the growing of flue cured tobacco.

Cigarette tobacco is grown in the states of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Kentucky, Tennessee, West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana, Maryland and Missouri. More than 700,000 farm families are engaged in the production of this type of tobacco, and we derive our major cash income from its sale. In my own particular area, tobacco is the pivotal crop; we are dependent upon it for our economic existence. We produce some corn, mostly for home consumption, a little cotton and a few potatoes, but tobacco is the basis of our economic life.

Not Paid  
I want to make it clear to this committee that I do not appear as a paid representative of any segment of the tobacco industry. I am receiving no compensation directly or indirectly in anywise whatsoever. I am appearing before you as a tobacco grower, as a member

of the North Carolina State Grange Tobacco Committee, and as the chosen spokesman of the tobacco growers from all the states that produce cigarette tobacco. They have greatly honored me, and have placed upon my shoulders a great responsibility. If I can measure up to this responsibility and present to you fairly and honestly the inequity and the injustice of the Treasury proposal, I shall be more than well paid.

I am here today specifically to oppose the Treasury proposal to increase the Federal excise taxes on cigarettes from \$3.50 per thousand to \$5.00 per thousand. In terms of a pack of cigarettes, the proposal is to increase the tax from 7c a pack to 10c a pack. In terms of a pound of leaf tobacco, the proposal is to increase the tax from \$1.17 per pound to \$1.67 per pound.

I say to you as a spokesman for two million people engaged in producing tobacco that this proposal is unjust, unfair and unreasonable. It is a terrific discrimination against one commodity that already carries a monstrous load of taxation. Judged by any criteria of taxing formulae, it is totally unjustified.

It is needless for me to say that tobacco growers are more than willing to pay their just share of the tax. They know that the Government must have money to sustain the security program so vital to the survival of our country. They yield no one in their desire and willingness to protect and defend the American way of life. I am a veteran of the First World War, and served for months in the front lines in France, and I know that I am willing to make any sacrifice necessary to arm this country to the teeth. We are willing to pay additional taxes. But we maintain that the burden of the defense effort should be equitably distributed, and that the taxes can and ought to be levied equitably and immutably.

In every crisis, tobacco has been singled out to bear a heavy tax load. Once a tax has been imposed on tobacco it becomes as fixed and

immutable as the laws of the Medes and the Persians. And now as a result of this pyramiding of tobacco taxes, it is carrying a fantastic load, to which the Treasury now proposes to add an additional 40 per cent. The proposal is monstrous.

For the past 3 years, the average selling price of a pound of leaf tobacco has been 50c. In other words, the grower has received 50c a pound for his cigarette type tobacco. At the present rate of taxation, the Federal Treasury now receives as taxes on that pound of tobacco \$1.17, or two and one-third times the gross price received by the grower. For the tobacco that goes into a pack of cigarettes, the grower receives 3c; the Federal Government gets 7c. In the face of this astounding ratio, it is now proposed that the Government increase its tax on each pack of cigarettes to 10c, or 333 per cent times the price of the tobacco.

Let me now apply this tax to the production of a tenant farmer, the "one gallus" man if you please, and see what it does to him. The average tenant family on the farm in the flue cured area produces about 4 acres of tobacco. In the burley area, the average acreage is considerably less than 4 acres. The average cash value of tobacco produced on 3 acres by a farm family is \$1875. If he is a share cropper, the tenant's gross receipts for his 3 acres was \$937.50. Of course, he has some cotton and corn and a garden, and maybe a few pigs, but his cash income is derived mainly from his tobacco crop, out of which he has to pay his fertilizer, food, clothing and the necessities of life.

At the present rate of excise taxes, the Government collects a tax of \$1.455 on each acre of that tenant's tobacco, and on a 3 acre crop, the Government collects now \$4.367. The Treasury says now that this is not enough, and proposes, without batting an eye, to increase this tax to \$6.12. The thing is utterly fantastic, and I believe that these figures will shock the conscience of every member of this committee. No other product of any kind is taxed in this monstrous proportion.

Higher Than County Valuation  
Let me relate this tax to my own operations. In 1950 I produced on the farms that I operate 72,000 pounds of tobacco, practically all of which goes into cigarettes. The gross price received for this tobacco last year was approximately \$40,000. If that tobacco is used in cigarettes, and most of it will be so used, the Federal Government will take in taxes off of my tobacco production more than \$85,000, and should the proposed increase be adopted, the annual Federal tax on my tobacco crop will go to \$120,000.

One other illustration. Last year Pitt County produced 50 million pounds of flue cured tobacco. The Federal tax on this tobacco amounts to nearly 60 million dollars, and if the Treasury proposal is accepted, the tax would be 85 million dollars, milked out of one farm product grown in one agricultural county. In other words, the Federal taxation on one farm commodity in one year in one county would be nearly twice the total assessed valuation of all the property in that county.

Decreased Consumption Possible  
Of course, the tobacco producer does not directly pay this tax. Even Houdini could not pay a \$1.17 with a total income of 50c. The present rate of taxation puts a terrific burden upon the flow of this commodity into normal channels of commerce. And if the tax increase is adopted, and the price of a pack of cigarette goes to 25c, I am utterly convinced that even now in this era of prosperity, the consumption of cigarettes will be seriously affected. If a recession

should come, it is my firm belief that cigarette consumption will diminish to an alarming degree, and the economic welfare of the tobacco growers will have been destroyed.

Should any considerable segment of the smoking population switch from cigarettes to pipe smoking or to roll-your-owns, the impact of such a shift will be terrific, not only upon the producers of tobacco, but on the Treasury of the United States. The Federal Treasury stands to lose by the imposition of this unscrupulous tax, and it offers a dire threat to the producer whose livelihood and financial security will be jeopardized.

Tax Not Justified  
This proposed tax singles out one particular farm commodity for the most onerous tax ever levied in this country. Leaf tobacco is the only farm commodity that carries any tax except the grains and grapes that are converted into alcohol. No taxes are levied on the wheat produced in Kansas, the corn produced in Ohio, the sugar produced in Louisiana, the cotton produced in Texas, the fruits and vegetables produced in California.

On what grounds can even the present taxes against cigarettes be justified, much less the additional taxes now proposed? The American tobacco industry has an exemplary record of growth. Are we to be harassed for that? The industry typifies modern production and distribution efficiency at its zenith. Are we to be harassed for that? The price of cigarettes has only increased 1c per pack aside from taxes in 10 years, notwithstanding terrific increases in the cost of labor and raw materials. Are we to be harassed for that?

If commodities such as coffee, tea, baseballs, golf balls, hunting equipment, fishing poles, soft drinks, and a thousand other articles should be taxed at the rate levied on cigarettes, it might drive home the inequity of such taxation. Tea and coffee are most comparable to tobacco, since they are almost universally used but have no food value, yet there is no excise tax whatever on coffee or tea. The product of the Brazilian coffee grower is tax free; the product of the Java tea grower is tax free; but the product of the American tobacco grower is taxed, and taxed and taxed.

Why should tobacco be singled out to be strangled by taxation? During the last fiscal year, the Federal Government collected on tobacco products over 1,300 million dollars in excise taxes. State and local taxes added another 500 million dollars. The proposed increase will add another 500 million dollars, and would push the annual tax load on tobacco to the staggering total of nearly 2 1/2 billion dollars. We tobacco growers who maintain no lobby wonder if the power to tax is being used to destroy our industry.

More Than Income Taxes  
In terms of enjoyment and happiness to a great number of people whose incomes are limited, tobacco is a necessity. And in terms of earning a living for two million people who produce tobacco on the farms, it is a necessity. The present levies already lay a heavy hand upon the family budget of those least able to pay. At the present rate, the one-pack-a-day smoker pays \$25.55 per year in Federal excise taxes. If the tax is increased, it will add another \$10 to this tax. The average family worker with a wife and two children using a pack of cigarettes a day would pay under the Treasury proposal as much excise taxes as income taxes. In other words, this tax will double the income tax of the wage earner. If he and his wife smoke two packs of cigarettes a day, they will be paying twice as much in cigarette taxes as in income taxes.

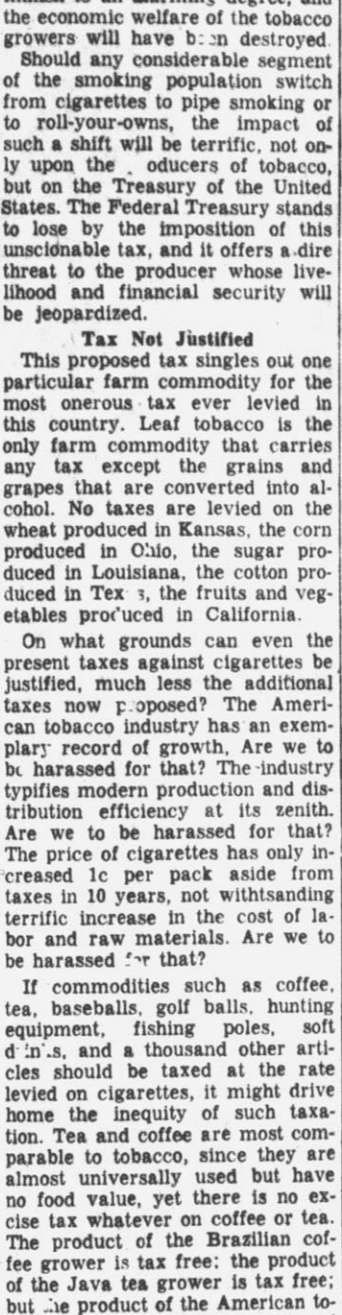
It is true that such a tax follows the path of least resistance, but it does not stretch across the board. It is not levied equally upon those who are the recipients of its benefits, nor does it take into account the ability to pay. I hold no compassion from the wage earner nor the laboring man to present his shoulders to the weight of such a tax. I think it should be pointed out that the impact of these taxes are tremendous on the household budgets of those in the low income brackets, and that they are fully aware of the injustice of the tax. In a referendum very recently conducted in Oregon, a proposal to levy additional taxes on cigarettes was overwhelmingly defeated at the polls.

Leveled-Off Consumption  
In economics there is an area known as the "area of diminishing returns." When prices reach a certain level, sales drop off. Already there is increasing evidence that this point is being approached in the sale of cigarettes. For nearly half a century, the consumption of cigarettes in this country has mounted steadily but now the rate of climb has slowed down virtually to a halt. From 1900 to 1910, the consumption of cigarettes tripled. From 1910 to 1920 the consumption increased 500 per cent. From 1920 to 1930, it nearly doubled, and from 1930 to 1940, it doubled again. Since 1943, the rate of increase per capita has been smaller than at any similar period since 1900, and in the last 2 or 3 years, it has almost leveled off. This has come about during a period when national income has skyrocketed. Since 1943 personal incomes have increased 60 per cent, but per capita cigarette consumption has increased only 10 per cent. In the last three years, there has been practically no increase. In the face of these facts, I think it fair to assume that the consumption of cigarettes will show increased sensitivity to prices, and that price increase will meet with increased sales resistance.

If, by reason of increased taxes, one smoker 10 should quit smoking cigarettes, it will cost the Government, at the present rate of taxation, more than 100 million dollars. I could the average smoker smoke one pack less out of 10, the result will be the same. To the grower it will mean depressed prices for tobacco, further restriction of production, less ability to pay income taxes and financial disaster.

Out-Back in Crease  
For the past several years, flus

### Greenville Boy On Navy Cruise



Three NROTC Midshipmen from North Carolina, practice sending and receiving the International Morse code by blinker light on board the USS Missouri during the midshipmen cruise to Europe. They are: third class, Gerald W. Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Cook of 3014 Polo Rd., Winston-Salem, Midshipman, third class, Harvey D. Bradshaw, of Greenville, N. C., and Midshipman, third class, Harry H. Arnold, son of Mr. and Mrs. James P. Arnold of Diver, N. C. The future Naval officers received instruction in navigation, engineering and gunnery during the 8-week summer training cruise to Norway, France and Cuba.

### Work On Housing For Atomic Plant

COLUMBIA, S. C.—(AP)—Savannah River Atomic Energy Commission plant area housing needs soon may be filled by federal government action, Governor Byrnes said today. A housing bill before Congress, already approved by the Senate, has been approved by a House committee and will be taken up by the House week after next, Byrnes said. South Carolina Senator Burnet R. Maybank had advised him. "The passage of this bill is essential to any progress in the housing situation in the area adjacent to the Savannah River atomic project," Byrnes said in a prepared news statement, then continued: "The influx of workers has caused great congestion in the communities adjacent to the project. It is impossible to build houses until there are facilities such as water and sewerage. The bill will provide money for the necessary extension of such facilities. "The bill will also liberalize the terms of credit for housing. "The Federal Housing Agency has issued commitments but the persons to whom commitments have been issued have been unable to borrow money to start construction. The passage of this bill will help F.H.A. in its efforts, x x x "The senator (Maybank) and the congressman (Second District U. S. Rep. John J. Riley of Sumter) now feel that after long delay, the bill is certain to become law before the end of this month."

### Dares Russia To Allow Delegation To Visit There

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Would the Kremlin let a congressional delegation visit the Soviet Union "to tell the Russian people about the peaceful and friendly desires" of the American people? Senator McMahon (D-Conn.) says he dares the Red leaders in Moscow to lift the Iron Curtain for such a group on such a mission. And he proposes that Congress on the other hand invite Russia's high command—the Politburo members—to the United States "so they could breathe the clean air of democracy and decide for themselves whether the American people want peace or war." McMahon set forth the suggestions in a Senate speech last yesterday. He said he would like to see Congress approve resolutions endorsing both of the trips he proposed. The Connecticut senator told a reporter today he wants to discuss the matter with some of his colleagues before deciding whether to sponsor such legislation. "I tossed out an idea," he said. "Let's wait a bit and see what happens." McMahon indicated, however, that he would be perhaps the most surprised man in America if Stalin and company said Come ahead and we'll be over to see you, too.

### Daughter Watches Mother's Death

NITRO, W. Va.—(AP)—The mother of a 16-year-old girl was killed yesterday in a truck-bicycle collision before the eyes of her daughter, state police reported. Police said the woman, Mrs. Wills Bertha Roseberry, 36, of Poca, was riding a bicycle when she was sideswiped by a truck driven by Thomas R. Burroughs, 29, of Greensboro, N. C. The daughter, Alma, was accompanying her mother on another bicycle. Burroughs was not aware that his truck had struck the woman until he was stopped near Eleanor in Putnam county, police said.

A RAMBLING WRECK  
ATLANTA—(AP)—Harry Goss, sophomore linebacker, came to Georgia Tech after winning eleven letters at Atlanta's Fulton High. He received four each in football and baseball and three in basketball.

### Crowd At Saieed's Opening



In the top picture the early arrivers jammed the doors leading into Saieed's new department store located on Fifth Street. Saieed's the newest and most modern department in Greenville opened its new business house Thursday morning with hundreds of persons flocking to see the new plant. (Reflector Staff Photo By Roy Hardee).

### Invited To Form French Cabinet

PARIS—(AP)—Former Premier Rene Pleven, a member of the small union of Democrat and Socialist (UDSR) party, today accepted an invitation to try to form a new French cabinet. Pleven was called by President Vincent Auriol to the task after Socialist Guy Mollet had declined. Party leaders have been trying for 26 days to form a government to replace that of Henri Queuille. Pleven's party is slightly right of center.

Young spiders sometimes throw out streamers of silk which catch ascending currents of warm air to carry them as high as 14,000 feet and permit them to travel thousands of miles in some instances.

cured growers have been allowed to plant only 70 per cent of their base tobacco acreage. This year we are planting 84 per cent, and we had look forward to an increased consumption to enable us to get back to full production. Similar restrictions prevail in the burley area. Should the Congress increase the taxes, I verily believe that it will result in a curtailment of usage of cigarettes, and further cut backs in acreage.

Under any fair appraisal of the situation, this committee and the Congress should look at this proposal from a business standpoint. Tobacco is one of the best and most fruitful sources of revenue. Is the Congress willing to take a chance on pricing the product out of the market? Is it willing to jeopardize the rights and the best interests of the grower on a wild goose chase for additional revenues? Is it willing to crucify the tobacco farmers upon this cross of inequitable taxation?

Respectfully submitted,  
J. C. LANIER

### Alley Cat Travels From Florida To California On Foot

SAN GABRIEL, Calif.—(AP)—This is about an alley cat named Tom whose owner says he traveled here all the way from St. Petersburg, Fla., to rejoin his family. The trip took him two years and six weeks.

When Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Smith left for California in 1949 they gave Tom to the man who bought their home, Robert Hanson.

Two weeks later, Hanson wrote that Tom had run away, and it was the last the Smiths heard about their cat—until last night.

"Charlie, there's a big cat meowing in our yard," Mrs. Smith told her husband. "I wish you'd go out and chase him away."

Instead of running, however, the cat lapped into Smith's arms and began to purr. "Hey, Betty!" Smith shouted. "This is old Tom!"

No doubt about it, Mrs. Smith said. She couldn't explain how the Florida-born cat found its way to California.

Old Tom was skinny and worn and so tired from his 3000-mile walk that he collapsed on the kitchen floor. But he was happy. "And we're happy to see him, too," Mrs. Smith confided.

### Umstead Says Will Run For Governor

WILSON, N. C.—(AP)—Former Senator and Congressman W. B. Umstead of Durham has written a friend here that he is running for Governor of North Carolina. In his letter, Umstead wrote: "Although I have made no public announcement, I should like for you to know that I am going to run for governor next year and I would like very much to have your support and

help." The friend who received the letter asked that his name not be used.

Ancient legends about the goat-sucker or nightjar declared that the birds sucked the milk from the goats at night and that the goats thereafter dried up and became blind.

### A Tribute To Our Neighbors!

Those people who live next door or down the street a way or around the corner. Do you know them? Do you put yourself out just a little sometimes to make their lives more pleasant? A cheery "hello," a genial smile, an invitation to come in and sit awhile. These are the tiny miracles that make neighborliness blossom and grow into a thing of strength and beauty. Charity, they say, begins at home. Similarly, it is from your home that nextdooriness emanates. Let's all be good neighbors. Remember, there is no tax on your investment in friendship!



ESTABLISHED 1866  
We Salute Our Town!



J. Con Lanier argues against the proposed three-cent increase per package in cigarettes before the Senate Finance Committee. The Senator shown in the background is Robert S. Kerr (D-Okla.) member of the committee. Senator Clyde R. Hoy is seated to Kerr's right, out of the picture. (Photos By Seth Muse).



Three Tar Heel leaders discuss the proposed three-cent tax increase with Senator Clyde R. Hoy after the hearings before the Finance Committee. Shown above, from the left, are Flake Shaw, Greensboro, executive vice president N. C. Farm Bureau; Senator Hoy, J. Con Lanier, Greenville, executive secretary of the Leaf Tobacco Exporters Association; Harry Caldwell, Greensboro, president of N. C. National Grange. Lanier made an oral protest before the committee, whereas, Shaw and Caldwell presented written protest for the committee records.

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Strength for the Day

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

LOVE AND SCIENCE
"Love is the only creative force, a greater force than the atom bomb. I vowed . . . that some day, somewhere, somehow, I would try to do something to increase the world's understanding of love. I mean not just the love of lovers, but that of family and friends, and, in the final sense, of mankind. Well, it has taken quite a long time, but today . . . I am at least making a start toward the scientific study and application of this creative force."

It is a Harvard professor who is uttering these words—Fitzsim A. Sorokin, Professor of Sociology. But love and science—how can they be considered together? Love is sentiment; science is hard facts. Love is girl-meet-boy stuff; science conforms to mathematical formulas and measurements which go down to one millionth of an inch.

Yes, this is all true, but love and science are as definitely united as hydrogen and oxygen are united to form water. Love is the atmosphere of heaven. In a planetarium we see thousands of other worlds beside our own. Heaven is so high above earth, not only quantitatively but qualitatively, as the universe is greater than our single planet.

Love is the atmosphere of heaven, and wherever God is, love is. Love and science live together in happy wedlock in the minds of the truly wise.

Words Alone Will Not Clean Up Greenville

The agreement between the Greenville aldermen and the Pitt Health department that something must be done to eliminate the insanitary conditions in some of the city's residential sections if fine; but the agreement will amount to nothing unless it is followed by a thorough, well organized clean-up campaign.

The horribly insanitary conditions which exist in Greenville should not be allowed to exist for a moment longer than absolutely necessary. The privies and insanitary toilets should be driven out and cleaned up by a forceful thorough campaign.

The aldermen can not sit around and wait for the Health Department to do piece-meal the job on a project it already says it doesn't have time to undertake on a full time basis. The Health Department on the other hand can not be expected to drop all its other work to devote full time to a job which will take six months to a year to complete.

This means the city is going to have to spend some money on its own to get the work done as it should be in the least possible amount of time.

If the project is done on a haphazard basis it is going to fizzle out just like a similar clean-up campaign did two years ago. A great deal was done in the former project to rid the city of insanitary toilets and privies, but the program was not followed through as it should have been.

The city can not afford to have the same thing happen again.

The clean-up campaign must be forceful and thorough. The city should hire a qualified, full time man to carry out the program if necessary. The city should not hesitate to take court action against any landlord who refuses to abide by the sanitary statutes which are on the books.

The buck can not be passed back and forth between the aldermen and the Health Department while Greenville wallows in its own filth. The two groups should sit down together and map out a comprehensive project to rid the city of these insanitary conditions which threaten the health of the entire 16,700 inhabitants of Greenville.

After the project has been carefully planned, no stone should be left unturned to carry it to completion.

Congratulations To The Little Leaguers

A few words of congratulations are due the All-Stars of the Greenville Little League who carried the city's banner to the finals of the Fourth District Little League championship.

The Greenville kids lost a heartbreaking game to a North Wilmington team for the district title, but it was the second game of the day for the local boys, and their third hard battle in two days. They shouldn't feel badly about their loss, because they played hard, tight ball through-

out the play-offs and certainly proved themselves a credit to the city which has had Little League ball only a few months. While we are at it, the congratulations should not stop with the members of the All-Star team. They were the ones who made the showing in the district play-offs, but behind them were the other youngsters who make up the six teams in the Greenville Little League and who pushed the All-Stars to their place of esteem in the district. Then there are the coaches who have voluntarily given their untiring efforts to molding the Little League into six tight teams in the city league; and the hundreds of people of Greenville who instituted Little League ball here this summer and have given their active and moral support to the project. All are to be congratulated.

Little League ball has proven itself a great asset to the city and unless we miss our guess badly, it is here to stay for many, many years.

Inflation Can Be Restricted If . . .

Though the compromise controls bill passed by Congress is much weaker than what President Truman had fought for, it still gives the administration enough authority to put an appreciable crimp in the inflation of the nation's economy.

But if the administration is as slow putting its present control powers into effect as it was following the outbreak of the Korean war, the individual consumer and the nation's defense program will be in bad shape.

The bill gives the administration the power to curb inflation if the control measures are clamped down with expediency and watched with vigilance. The provisions of the bill fall far short of the powers requested by President Truman, and indeed are weaker than The Reflector would like to have seen it written; but nevertheless they are better than no control at all on the economy of the nation in these abnormal times.

If the administration horses around for several months now as it did when Congress passed economic control measures shortly after the beginning of the Korean conflict, prices and wages will spiral upward as the President has predicted. If the government sets to work immediately to use the teeth the bill has, and administrator the measures the bill authorizes, the inflation the country has experienced during the past year can be restricted considerably.

That inflation will be brought to a standstill, we believe is more idealistic than practical. But with the measures now enacted into law inflation can be struck a serious blow.

National Whirligig

News Behind The News

By RAY TUCKER

Every Saturday this veteran Washington newspaper correspondent devotes his column to answering readers' questions of general interest on national and international politics and personalities. Questions may be sent direct to Ray Tucker at 6308 Hillcrest Place, Chevy Chase, Md.

WASHINGTON—C.E.B. of Berkeley, Cal. doubts whether even a prospective coalition of Republicans and Southern Democrats behind General Eisenhower will be able to defeat the Truman-Boyle faction in 1952, no matter whom the Missourians nominate for President.

"Inside of two months," he continues, "The Democrats will have that election 'in the bag,' and not only that one. Those for the next hundred years will be won by their successors, unless the coalition and other Americans wake up immediately to what is happening right under their noses."

WEAPON—The Democrats' secret weapon, according to C.E.B., are the 2,444,000 federal employees now on the pay roll, and the fact that they are increasing at the rate of 1,500 a day, according to Senator Byrd of Virginia. They will soon total 3,000,000, unless Congress fixes a lower ceiling than it seems inclined to do at the current session.

C.E.B. is correct, of course. In fact, the number of absentee-voting federal employees at Washington exceeded Mr. Truman's majority in Illinois, Ohio and California in 1948. Assuming that the great majority voted for him, which is a fair assumption, they re-elected him.

RELATIVE—"Secretary Snyder," notes M.R. of Fort to M.R., "recently said that the dollar was stronger than ever before, and that it was worth more. From my reading of statistics, I understand that it is worth only about fifty cents, possibly less. How do you explain the discrepancy?"

Answer: The dollar will always be strong as long as it has the United States Government, which means you and me as taxpayers, behind it. But it will be only a relative strength. If Mr. Snyder would accompany me to the grocery store and market Saturday mornings, he would soon find that the dollar buys far less than it did only a few years ago.

QUALITY—He has a point, however, which is to the credit of American industry rather than the federal government. Although automobiles, television sets, radios, furniture, etc., now cost far more than they did a few years ago, are better made, they last longer and they give better service.

In a very definite sense, although it would be impossible to estimate it in dollars-and-cents terms, the quality as well as the quantity of what you buy for a dollar determines the real value of your money.

That, so I am told, is what Secretary Snyder meant. Few public officials have the faculty of writing or speaking clearly and concisely.

DIFFICULT—"Why is the praise of Admiral Sherman so belated?" inquires A.L. of Springfield, Mass. "Is this another example of withholding flowers until a man dies?"

Answer: Admiral Sherman did an excellent job as Chief of Naval Operations, especially in view of the difficult circumstances under which he took office. He succeeded a man beloved by Navy personnel as a "sailor's sailor"—Admiral Denfield—but who was virtually fired in the controversy over the super aircraft-carrier. He became CNO with two strikes on him.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS—But Sherman's performance was not the kind that can be measured in arithmetic terms. He has a point, however, which is to the credit of American industry rather than the federal government. Although automobiles, television sets, radios, furniture, etc., now cost far more than they did a few years ago, are better made, they last longer and they give better service.

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Shrinkage?



Somebody Told Me

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

Today's column is a continuation of yesterday's letter from First Lieutenant Haywood Sellers of Greenville, now stationed in Germany with the 15th Chemical Base Depot. Haywood gained direct commission after graduation from East Carolina. The letter was written to Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Duval of Greenville, Haywood's former neighbors. The letter continues: Every German family has a garden and everyone works in it daily. Fruit and vegetables are in abundance here. Meat is very cheap. Just to give you an idea, Rusty (Haywood's wife) can buy file mignon for two for one mark which is twenty-five cents. A bottle of good wine will cost the same amount. The main modes of transportation are bicycles and motorcycles. They are over here by the millions. Gasoline is cheap for the Americans (13 cents a gallon) but very expensive for the Germans (75 cents a gallon). So that's why they all ride bicycles. The Germans are great art and music lovers and Germany is full of castles, museums and music halls. They like American music very much and they think it is "prima" (nothing better!). To the Germans, America is a big, wonderful, rich and fruitful place, and almost every German would like to live there. The most amazing thing is the idea they once had that they could conquer the world. I don't see how they went as far as they did. The only thing Adolf gave them was the autobahn (super highways) and some large government buildings. Rusty and I have bought some nice pictures, luggage and silver while we have been here. You can get some nice things pretty cheap. Next month when our car arrives from New York we plan to really tour Europe. I have to go now. Give my regards to Faye (Mrs. Amos Leggett) and Doris (Mrs. Red Flanagan).

Around Capitol Square

Raleigh, N. C. By LYN NISBET Daily Reflector Bureau

D.D.D.—Walter Anderson, newly sworn in director of state prisons, outlined a comprehensive welfare program for prison system before the highway commission and several visitors Thursday. He envisaged a program built around three D's—Discipline, Discovery and Deliverance. There was no further mention of discipline, but covering what the prisoner needs and accelerating his deliverance from prison were amplified. Under the Anderson plan a great deal more individual and personal consideration will be accorded inmates of the prison than is possible for free citizens outside.

TEN-POINT—The 10-point program was carefully documented by the new director and consisted of: (1) a classification division to study individuals and case histories; (2) diversified industries for vocational training and to aid in support of the prison without requiring inmates to work on the roads; (3) academic school covering studies from first through eighth grades; (4) an individual counselor program which would help the prisoner to fit into his environment; (5) opportunities for religious meditation, services and study; (6) a program of music, art and literature which can become a therapy in discipline, discovery and deliverance; (7) ample medical facilities for individual need and treatment; (8) an honor system to reward the individual in time served and allow a small pay for work efficiently done while in prison; (9) develop contact with prisoner's home community so that upon release there will be ready opportunity for gainful employment, church fellowship and civic opportunity; (10) develop an interest in society so that the full processes and resources of community life will always be helpful for continuing rehabilitation of the individual.

REASONABLE—That program will be recognized as the reasonable hope of every citizen, with chances against those outside prisons ever attaining all its benefits. Its application implies that the state is indebted to the person who has been incarcerated, as contrasted with the traditional idea that the prisoner is paying a debt he incurred to society by violating the established rules of conduct.

POLITICS—Because this was a formal session of a governmental commission it was held in political atmosphere. Governor Scott got off one wisecrack worthy of place in the permanent archives, when he said the processes and methods of politics were exactly the same in government, in church organizations, in civic clubs and welfare associations. Almost identical methods are used to get rid of an undesired preacher and elect a new one as are used to change public officials. There were some smiles among the group when Governor Scott declared that Anderson, as prison director, had been given a free hand with respect to hiring and firing personnel, and added that had been his consistent policy all along, as commissioner of agriculture and as governor. He said he had never asked or suggested that any responsible commission or division head appointed by him should fire or hire any employee. That statement was made in the same room where a little more than two years ago the highway commission accepted resignation of Vance Baise as chief engineer, a resignation Scott had demanded by letter even before he was inaugurated as governor. Also present were several friends of Charles Flack, former clerk to the utilities commission, whose firing Scott also requested by letter of resignation but before his inauguration.

COMPLEX—Two state boards meeting at different places in Raleigh Thursday were faced with paving the highway commission also adopted a resolution limiting additions to state road mileage to a total of 750 miles a year (7 1/2 miles per county) because it had been found that doubling that quota during the past two years had imposed intolerable burdens of maintenance and construction. At the same time, it was admitted that return to former limits would cause hardship in many suburban areas, neither city nor country, where the avenues of public travel, whether called roads or streets, were left out in the cold as undesirable orphans. Some of these roads with traffic count of three or four hundred vehicles a day cannot be maintained while other country roads with 75 or less vehicles a day are being surfaced.

What Other Papers Are Thinking

New Bern Sun-Journal Every city-county health department created by local legislation since 1917 is illegally constituted and any actions or expenditures by such an agency are without authority, says the current issue of Southern City. On July 7, 1951, the publication continues, the Supreme Court, in the case of Ideal versus Street, held the act creating the Winston-Salem-Porvorth county joint city-county health department unconstitutional. The court further stated that the local act creating this agency violated Article 2, Section 29, of the State Constitution which prohibits the legislature from passing local legislation relating to health.

"Eight or ten of the health departments in the state are directly affected, and the decision has to do with local departments created by acts of the General Assembly after 1917, the publication continues. Municipalities have authority to contribute only to city-county health departments, but now that these joint departments created by special acts since 1917 have been declared illegal, the affected municipalities cannot continue to make appropriations to these health programs. Municipalities—that have been making appropriations to strictly county health departments are being asked to re-examine their legal authority for a close examination of the law discloses that contributions for health must be directed to joint departments only.

The joint city-county departments created by local act prior to 1917 are not affected. Some city attorneys, it is pointed out, feel that Sections 156-246 of the General Statutes may offer a means for continuing appropriations to counties formerly operating joint city-county health departments. This statute authorized joint administrative functions between counties and cities although it does not specifically authorize the expenditure of funds for health purposes.

Business Today

By ELMER ROESSNER More businesses are leasing the land they use instead of owning it, the Commerce Clearing House reports. This reversal of one of the basic principles of American business has been caused by the tax laws.

The full amount of rent paid for a leased site is deductible, while the cost of owned land may not be depreciated for income tax purposes. Furthermore, amortization for improvements on rented land is fully deductible, while depreciation of improvements on land owned is often subject to differences of opinion with the Bureau of Internal Revenue and may lead to litigation.

A Clearing House survey shows most chain store operators now lease branch stores, half of them lease warehouses and a minority lease plants and factories.

Many businesses have sold their property under an agreement to lease it back. This has multiple advantages.

First, the business' gain on the sale is taxable only at the lower capital gains rate. The business adds working capital, an advantage in days of rising costs. Thereafter, the money paid as rent is fully tax deductible and the depreciation advantages are gained.

The Clearing House points out that the Bureau of Internal Revenue has ruled that if the term of the lease is less than the estimated life of the improvement, the cost of the improvement, unless renewal is indicated, may be amortized over the period of the original term. It cites the case of a 30 year lease by a chain store. The chain wrecked the old building, fully depreciated, and erected a new one. Now it can deduct the full amount of the rent and deduct the cost of the building over 30 years, which is less than half the life of the structure.

The organization points out that advantages are greatest in the highest tax brackets. Nevertheless, even small businesses may explore the possibilities of increasing take-home profits by selling their land and leasing it back.

Such arrangements should always be made with the benefit of competent tax and legal counsel.

PATENTING INVENTION MAY BREAK COMPANY One way to make a fortune is to patent an invention.

One way to lose a fortune is to patent an invention. The Patent Equity Association, New York, is making a survey to determine how many patent owners believe their inventions are being infringed but are unable to prosecute because of the high cost of litigation. An earlier survey showed that the average patent litigation case costs \$90,000 for each side. A New England manufacturer reported he was deeply in debt as a consequence of defending a valid patent. Patent litigation, the association believes, should be reformed.

OLD PROMOTER SCENTS OPPORTUNITY "If I had fewer years and more dollars, I'd get into this TV scramble," said the Old Promoter. "Under the new credit regulations, dealers are accepting trade-ins, and selling them to families as second sets for rumpus rooms and children's rooms. Because I can't finance it, there's the idea for anybody who wants it." "Because," we corrected, "it would mean work."

SEES BUILDING BOOM AFTER EMERGENCY "An era of unprecedented progress in American housing" will follow the present national emergency, Walter J. L. Ray, president of the U. S. Savings & Loan League predicts. The Detroit financier says overcrowded conditions in cities and the national defense policy of decentralization will lead to great building activity in the outlying areas of metropolitan centers, including the establishment of a vast number of new shopping centers.

SMOKING PIPE MAKERS ORGANIZE New group to form a trade association are the manufacturers of smoking pipe. Makers of the other kinds of pipe already have trade associations.

The American Smoking Pipe Manufacturers Association was organized this week in New York, with George M. St. John as president. Objective: To persuade more men to smoke pipes.

Hal Boyle's Column

By BELMAN MORIN (For Hal Boyle) NEW YORK—(AP)—Did you ever keep a diary of your dreams? The real ones, that is, not day-dreams.

Sometimes they come true, or seem to. An English scientist, struck by his own experiences in that field, ran a check on his dreams some years ago. He simply kept a notebook on the night-table, and whenever he remembered a dream he set it down on paper and put a date to the entry. The fact of recording the dream helped, of course, to fix it in his memory. And he discovered that it was important to record every detail, however small, meaningless, or outlandish it appeared to be.

He claimed that the account showed, in due course, some of the dreams were later duplicated in actual experience. They came true.

To amplify the evidence, he enlisted some of his friends in the experiment. They logged their dreams over a period of a year or more. Their experiences, he said, were the same as his. Finally he wrote a book and called it "An experiment with time."

I hadn't thought about the book in many years until the other night in a dream. Suddenly, the scene seemed intensely familiar, the players, the setting and the atmosphere. And I knew, before they were spoken, what the next four or five lines of dialogue would contain. They did, word for word.

This sort of experience, of course, is extremely common. Most people have encountered it. You are sitting in a room, and suddenly the people, a movement, the topic of conversation seem to fall into a particular pattern. You seem to recognize it. From somewhere, beyond consciousness, an eerie, haunting sensation, a this-has-happened-before feeling, sweeps from you.

The English scientist would tell you that it did happen before. You dreamed that experience one night, and at some later date—months or even years later—it recurred exactly.

The records of parapsychology and psychic research are crammed with stories of dreams that later took place, in detail, in actual events. Many have been investigated and documented by careful researchers. A rational explanation seems not to be available in every case.

The one that intrigues me is the story—allegedly proved true—of a dream that two people shared at the same time.

Two men, good friends, were occupying the same cabin on an ocean liner bound for New York. Crossing the North Atlantic, the ship ran into a gale so heavy that the news of it was reported in the New York newspapers. One morning during the voyage, one of the men said:

"Had a queer dream last night. It was about your wife. I dreamed that she came into the cabin and stood there for a moment, staring at you. She seemed terribly worried. . . . I didn't say anything but . . . just looked at you and then went out."

When the ship reached port, the woman met her husband on the dock. She asked about the storm. She said she had read about them not knowing his ship was caught in them, had been extremely anxious for his safety. She added: "I had the most vivid dream, one night, about

coming to your cabin. You seemed to be sound asleep, storm or no storm. I suppose it was all because I was so worried." Then, oddly enough, she described the cabin accurately, although she had never seen it. Comparing notes, it developed that the two dreams occurred on the same night—or the two parts of the same dream.

Assuming the English scientist's theory is correct—that some dreams are "previews" of real experiences—you encounter an interesting question: Is everything fixed and fore-ordained? If a dream is a glimpse into the future, does it mean that what you saw will surely happen later? Well, in some cases, I'd like to think so. Others can be put down to sardine sandwiches after midnight.

Washington Letter

By ROBERT E. GEIGER (For Jane Esda) WASHINGTON—A lot of people who are worrying about atomic bombs and the end of civilization will be amazed at the problem facing Al Earnest. Al is the master of Fox Hounds for the Potomac Hunt. His job is to see that the foxes are foxes to be captured without foxes of course, but members of the otomac Hunt are of the old school. They believe in live foxes instead of make believe. Foxes don't like civilization, and that is where Al's troubles begin.

The Potomac Hunt is a descendant of the old Riding and Hunt Club that had its headquarters in what now is downtown Washington, 22nd and P Sts., N. W.

Gradually the hunt was forced to go farther and farther for its foxes. Now the club, under its new Potomac name, has been driven to headquarters almost a dozen miles out of the District of Columbia, in Maryland.

But every day a fresh mound of dirt scars the countryside as a new suburbanite arrives. Al figures that probably a dozen foxes love every time they see a new mound of dirt go up, they hate civilization that much.

So it appears the club may have to move still farther out in the country. Although this is a serious matter—the club maintains its own stables and pack of hounds—Al and the other club members can find solace in history.

The British, who loved fox hunting, found so few foxes when they arrived that they imported some. Shipping being what it was in those days of the sailing ship, this probably was as troublesome as an expensive operation as the club's will be if it has to move to greener pastures.

The British brought over eight pairs of red foxes about 1730 and liberated them in Maryland's eastern shore. It is some of the descendants of these foxes, perhaps, that the Potomac club chases today.

Al says there still are a reasonably good number of foxes in the Potomac vicinity but that there is no doubt they are getting scarcer. People even see one in suburban streets occasionally, and only last year one was captured downtown on the lawn of the U. S. Treasury, across the

# AT THE CHURCHES

**MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Fourth and Greene Streets  
Rev. Richard K. Hardaway, pastor  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school, E. R. Conway, superintendent.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship  
Special Music—Solo: Joan Oppelt  
Sermon by Rev. L. Grady Burgess, associational missionary.  
7:00 p. m.—Training Union  
There will be no night preaching service and no Wednesday prayer service in the absence of the pastor. A cordial welcome to all services.

**JARVIS MEMORIAL METHODIST**  
Rev. Leon Russell, pastor.  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school, J. E. Ross, superintendent.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship  
Organ Prelude—"Prelude (Sonata No. 7), Rheinberger."  
Solo—"The Holy City," Adams (Mr. Bob Wooten)  
Offertory—"Reverie" (My Path Looks Up To Thee), Diggle.  
Sermon—"And Daily They Taught and Preached," Mr. Watson.  
Organ Postlude—"March," Schubert.  
6:30 p. m.—Intermediate and Senior Fellowships.  
7:00 p. m.—There will be no regular evening worship service; however, the congregation is invited to attend the first of a series of religious movies to be offered by the Youth Fellowships during the month of August. Tonight the film will be "Fire Upon the Earth," a technical presentation of the history of the Church stressing the great Protestant movements in our history.  
Tuesday, 8:00 p. m.—Board of Stewards Meeting.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Rev. Leonard W. Topping, Minister  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school for all ages, Mr. G. M. Friend, superintendent.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.  
West Greenville Sunday School Meets at the Curb Market  
Rev. Leonard W. Topping, pastor  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school for all ages, William Horne, Jr., Supt.  
10:00 a. m.—Sermon by pastor.  
The public is cordially invited to all services.

**IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. J. A. Nelson, pastor.  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School.  
Tyson Bilbo, superintendent.  
11 a. m.—Morning worship  
Message by the Rev. A. Hartwell Campbell, former pastor of the church.  
Special music.  
You are cordially invited to worship with us.

**FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Rashie Kennedy, pastor.  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school, Jesse R. Boyd, superintendent.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship.  
Broadcast over WGTC.  
7:00 p. m.—F.W.B. Leagues  
8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship  
8:00 p. m. Wed.—Prayer Service

**ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
The Rev. Ernest H. Williams, Pastor  
10 a. m.—Family service.  
Thursday—  
7:30 p. m.—Junior choir and church choir.

**EIGHTH STREET CHRISTIAN**  
H. G. Haney, D. D. pastor.  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.  
James L. Harris, Jr., Supt.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship  
6:30 p. m.—Chi-Rho Fellowship  
6:30 p. m.—CYF-DEA.

**ST. PETERS CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
107 West Second Street  
Rev. Charles J. Gable, pastor.  
Sunday Mass—9 a. m.

**CHURCH OF GOD**  
Rev. L. R. Leeder, pastor.  
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School  
11 a. m.—Worship.  
6:30 p. m.—Y. P. E. Service  
7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic Service  
Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.—Prayer Service.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE**  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School  
11 a. m.—Lesson-Sermon.  
Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.—Mid-week service.  
The reading room is open each Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock. Visitors welcome.

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Rev. Erwin H. Goltzmann, pastor.  
Kinston Apts. 1-3, Kinston, N. C.  
**MEADOWBROOK Presbyterian**  
C. D. Patterson, Minister.  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school, L. C. Powell, superintendent.  
8:00 p. m.—Evening worship.  
7 p. m. Thursday, Pioneer Fellowship.  
8 p. m. Thursday, prayer meeting and Bible study.

**PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS**  
Cotanche and 13th Sts.  
Rev. Ralph R. Johnson, pastor.  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School  
C. J. Cannon, Superintendent.  
Worship services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.  
Laymen's Bible class Tuesday at 8:30 p. m., Mrs. C. A. Rumley teacher.  
Prayer Service Tuesday at 8 p. m. with a layman speaking.  
Senior youth service Thursday at 8 p. m., John David Cannon president.  
Junior youth service Sunday at 7 p. m., Mrs. Theima Tyndall director, Carolyn Johnson assistant.  
A cordial welcome awaits you.

**PRIMITIVE BAPTIST**  
S. B. Lenny, pastor.  
Services at 11 a. m. every first Sunday.

**SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST**  
P. S. Young, pastor  
10:00 a. m. Sat.—Sabbath School  
11:00 a. m. Sat.—Worship  
8:00 p. m. Wed.—Prayer Meeting  
8:00 p. m. Fri.—Youth Meeting

11 a. m.—Prayer Services Wednesday night at 7 o'clock  
Sunday school each Sunday at 9:30 a. m.  
P. H. Hawkins, superintendent.  
The public is cordially invited to worship with us.

**SYCAMORE HILL BAPTIST**  
Rev. J. A. Nimmo, Pastor.  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school, W. D. Miller, superintendent.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship  
6:00 p. m.—B.T.U., J. S. Alexander, director

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**  
9:30 a. m.—Bible school.  
7:30—Evening worship.  
The public is invited to attend these services.

**GOOD HOPE F.W.B. CHURCH**  
Rev. S. Hemby, pastor.  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School, O. C. Brown, superintendent.  
11:00 a. m.—Sermon by the pastor; subject: "Do You Have Personal Friendship With Christ?"  
3:00 p. m.—Rev. Elijah Harris and his choir, ushers and congregation from Phillips will officiate.  
7:30 p. m.—Rev. S. Hemby will officiate at English Chapel. All choir members are asked to be present.  
The public is invited to worship with us.

**YORK MEMORIAL A. M. E. ZION**  
Rev. P. H. Mumford, pastor.  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School.  
W. J. Hester, superintendent.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship.  
Every member of the church is asked to register in the morning service.  
8:00 p. m.—General Class Meeting. All leaders will head their respective classes.  
Monday Night—Trustees meeting.  
Wed. Nite—Prayer Meeting. Remember, if this world is to be saved, it must be done through the Gospel of Jesus Christ. God is calling for Christian workers. Serve God and save America.

**MOUNT CALVARY F. W. B.**  
Hudson Street  
Rev. E. M. Hill, pastor.  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m.—Worship Services.  
You will find a cordial welcome at Mount Calvary.

**PHILIPPI CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Rev. J. F. McLaurin, pastor.  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school, Lyman Price, Jr., superintendent.  
11:00 a. m.—Worship Service.  
A cordial invitation is extended to all.

**CORNERSTONE BAPTIST**  
Corner 13th and Railroad Streets  
Rev. J. E. Tillet, pastor.  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school, Milton Carr, Jr., superintendent.  
11 a. m.—Worship service first and third Sundays.  
6:30 p. m.—B. T. U., U. G. Bell, Jr., director.  
7:30 p. m.—Evening worship.

**ENGLISH CHAPEL F. W. B.**  
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School, S. M. King, superintendent.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship  
The public is invited to worship with us.

**PHILIPPI BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Chiload, N. C.  
Rev. E. H. Harris, pastor.  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., L. C. Clemente superintendent.  
7:30 p. m. Each Thursday, prayer service.  
Sunday morning service at 11 o'clock.  
You are invited to worship with us.

**SYLVIA CHAPEL F. W. B.**  
South Greene Street  
Rev. J. W. Wilkins, pastor.  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.  
James Brewington, superintendent.  
Regular worship services each first 7:30 p. m.  
Prayer services each Wednesday night at 7:30 p. m.  
and third Sundays at 11 a. m. and You will find a cordial welcome at Sylvia Chapel church.

**ST. ANDREW MISSION**  
Banner Lane  
Holy Communion, first Sunday at 3 p. m.  
7:30 p. m.—Second, third and fourth Sundays, lay services, Mr. Al Livesey a student at E. C. T. C., and the Canterbury club.  
A warm welcome awaits the public.

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Night service at 8:30.

**ARTHUR CHAPEL**  
Rev. S. Hemby, Pastor  
10:00—Sunday School  
Supt., Leander Monk  
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship

**BROWN CHAPEL HOLINESS**  
Rev. R. A. Griswald, pastor  
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School  
11:00 o'clock—Morning Worship

**Falkland Churches Colored**  
Prayer Service Tuesday at 8 p. m. with a layman speaking.  
Senior youth service Thursday at 8 p. m., John David Cannon president.  
Junior youth service Sunday at 7 p. m., Mrs. Theima Tyndall director, Carolyn Johnson assistant.  
A cordial welcome awaits you.

**ST. JOHN MISSIONARY BAPTIST**  
Rev. T. T. Shivers, pastor  
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School, C. L. Bombay, superintendent.  
11:30—Sermon by pastor

**Farmville Churches Colored**  
ST. JAMES F. W. B.  
W. Ferry Street  
Rev. W. W. Askev, pastor.  
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school, Deacon Frank Williams, superintendent.  
11:30 a. m.—Worship services second and fourth Sundays.  
The public is cordially invited to attend.

**ST. TIMOTHY MISSION**  
Astron Place and Lincoln Park  
Fr. Joseph H. Banks, pastor.  
Worship services on second and third Sundays at 7:30 p. m. and 9 p. m. respectively.  
The public is cordially invited to attend.

**ST. STEPHENS A. M. E. Z.**  
Jerner Mimes and Wallace  
Rev. Hayes, pastor  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school, David Hope, superintendent.

11 a. m.—Worship services fourth and second Sundays.  
The public is cordially invited to attend.

**St. JOHN F. W. B.**  
Lincoln Park  
Rev. Bobbit, pastor  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school, Deacon Armstrong, superintendent.  
11 a. m.—Worship services third Sundays.  
The public is cordially invited to attend.

**BIBLE WAY**  
Foot of Wallace Street  
Rev. Edward Rowe, Pastor  
10 a. m.—Sunday school.  
11 a. m.—Worship services.  
The public is cordially invited to attend.

**MT. MORIAN HOLINESS**  
Mariboro  
Rev. Dunn, pastor.  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.  
11 a. m.—Worship services on 1st Sundays.  
The public is cordially invited to attend.

**ST. LUKE FREE WILL BAPTIST**  
West Cotton  
Rev. Alonzo Joyner, pastor.  
10 a. m.—Sunday school.  
11 a. m.—Worship services on 4th Sundays.  
The public is cordially invited to attend.

**BYNUM CHAPEL PRIMITIVE BAPTIST**  
East Hines St.  
Elder Grover Patton, pastor.  
11 a. m.—Worship services fourth Sundays.  
Everyone is invited to attend.

**MACEDONIA BAPTIST**  
Corner Wallace and Walnut  
Rev. John A. Mehans, pastor.  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school, Mrs. M. L. Blount, superintendent.  
11 a. m.—Worship service first and third Sundays.  
Everyone is invited to attend.

**Price Gains On Georgia Markets**  
VALDOSTA, Ga.—(UP)—Prices and quality of offerings are holding steady on the Georgia-Florida Flue-cured Tobacco markets.  
Yesterday's quotations showed gainers of only \$1 to \$2. Lugs and cutters showed normal changes while some nondescript brought best prices for the grade this season. Blocked sales continued on all auctions in the belt.  
General quality was practically the same as that of Wednesday, with proportions of common leaf grades slightly larger. More fair and good grades were offered, however, and less low qualities marketed.  
Sales were chiefly common to fair leaf, low to fine lugs, cutters and nondescript.  
Yesterday's quotations:  
Leaf: good lemon \$60, fair lemon \$58, fair orange \$56, low lemon \$54, low orange \$41, common orange \$50; cutters: fair lemon \$64, low lemon \$62, low orange \$60.  
Lugs: fine lemon \$63, good lemon \$62, good orange \$60, fair lemon \$57, fair orange \$54, low orange \$41; nondescript: best thin \$31, best crude \$22.50.

**O'Dwyer Transfers Million To U. S. From Mexico**  
WASHINGTON — (AP) — The State Department said today Ambassador William O'Dwyer transferred \$1,000,000 (M) from Mexico to New York as a transaction between the Mexican and U. S. governments.  
In a statement, it said the transfer was a regular financial transaction and in accordance with "accepted practices."  
The statement, issued through the press office, added some published reports of recent days, "have created the unfortunate impression that the transaction was extraordinary and even irregular."  
"These reports have absolutely no basis in fact," it said.  
The New York Daily News first reported the transfer of the funds. It said the senate crime committee had an investigator looking into it.

**Request Curfew 'To Protect Girls'**  
INDIANAPOLIS (UP)— Police chief John J. O'Neal asked military authorities today for a midnight curfew on soldiers from nearby camps to protect them from "girls who won't stay off the streets."

**Colored News**  
The Usher Board of Phillippi Christian Church will meet with Sister Rosa Bush Sunday at 4 p. m. Immediately following this meeting, the Planning Committee will meet.  
The Dollar Club will meet with Sister Hattie Williams Tuesday at 8 p. m. Members and friends are urged to attend these meetings.  
The City Union Usher Board will meet at Cornerstone Baptist Church Monday, Aug. 6, at 8:30 p. m. All members are asked to be present.  
The Pearlie Gate Quartet will render a program at York Memorial A.M.E. Zion Church Sunday evening, Aug. 5, at 8 p. m. Sponsored by Usher Board No. 2. The public is cordially invited.  
Usher Board No. 2 of York Memorial A.M.E. Zion Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Mary Wade, 618 Clark St., Sunday, Aug. 5, at 3 p. m. All members are asked to be present.  
There will be a special choir rehearsal for the Senior Choir of Mt. Calvary Church Sunday evening at 5:30 p. m.

# BRACELETS



Handcuffs are made of steel—the stuff with which we build bridges and skyscrapers and churches!

But all men have not learned to build. Some have learned to destroy.

Hence, in a land where men treasure freedom, there must be handcuffs for some in order that the rights of all may be safeguarded.

But there is a better way. Religious training is a sure vaccine against the spiritual disease that produces criminals. The Church can provide our children with the God-given moral foundations on which life should be built.

And which is the stronger safeguard of the things we hold dear? A pair of steel "bracelets" ... or a Church crowded with eager children and conscientious parents?

**THE CHURCH FOR ALL ... ALL FOR THE CHURCH**

The Church is the greatest factor on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a storehouse of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive. There are four sound reasons why every person should attend services regularly and support the Church. They are: (1) For his own sake. (2) For his children's sake. (3) For the sake of his community and nation. (4) For the sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral and material support. Plan to go to church regularly and read your Bible daily.

Ready to go? See how easy it is to get ready to go to church. Fill out this card and mail it to the American Bible Society, Dept. 1, 450 Park Ave., N. Y. 22, N. Y.

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# McDermott Pitches And Bats Red Sox To 5-2 Victory

## Cleveland Defeats Philadelphia A's

### Indians And Bosox Gain On New York As The Yankees Drop One, Win One; Boston And Cleveland Tied For Second

By FRED DOWN  
United Press Sports Writer

Catch-hitting Clyde Volmer has cooled off to about 10 degrees Fahrenheit but the Boston Red Sox have a new wonder-bat today—lean Maurice McDermott, who not only hits but pitches too.

McDermott, who showed promise of greatness three years ago, seems at last to have found the key. The towering southpaw took personal command of the Detroit Tigers in Boston's 5 to 2 victory last night—firing a seven-hitter and smacking a three-run homer and a single to drive in four runs.

McDermott's performance, coupled with the Cleveland Indians' 3 to 2 victory over the Athletics and the Yankees' split with the Browns again threw the American League race into a virtual three-way tie. The Indians and Red Sox were tied for second place only a half game behind the Yankees.

Even the White Sox do not appear definitely out of the race yet. They downed the Senators 7 to 4 last night and now trail by 1-2 games, not too much with two months of the season remaining.

The jobs in Boston used to be that the Red Sox management couldn't decide whether McDermott was a pitcher or a hitter. Now they know—he's both.

In his last start McDermott pitched 16 innings to beat the Indians. He wasn't that good last night but he did strike out six and he faltered in only the fifth and sixth innings when the Tigers scored single runs.

The Red Sox gave McDermott a run in the first inning and then

# "Booster's Night" Planned For Greenville Tonight

## Dismissal Of Ninety Cadets Is Bitter Blow For Academy

By OSCAR FRALEY  
United Press Sports Writer

WEST POINT, N. Y. (UP)—They walked just as rigidly erect on the plains of West Point today but their usually bright faces were blank and the bright gleam of pride was gone from their eyes.

"Duty, honor, country."

That's the motto of the corps. Only three words, but three words they carry emblazoned on their hearts as well as etched on their eagle-gilded insignia.

For more than 150 years, cadets have grown into officers under the grim, gray towers of the Hudson. Grant, Lee, Sherman, Pershing, Eisenhower, MacArthur and others of that bright legion carried the Spartan banner high and never let it fall.

They sing of their deeds, and the legendary feats of others, up here at The Point. But through it all, they sing mostly of "the honors of the corps." It's a living thing to the kids in gray, and they long have guarded it with their own personally conducted honor system.

So it was a bitter blow to every man at West Point—as well as to an admiring nation—when it was revealed that 90 cadets faced expulsion for cheating at examinations.

This has been a sad year in sports, one even worse than 1919 and the Black Sox scandal. The Black Sox were professionals, playing for money. That they made a "deal" was bad, but the flesh is weak, especially professional flesh.

But for sheer scandalism, nothing ever approached 1951. There was a flurry in 1945 when several Brooklyn College students were caught throwing games for gamblers. But, since January, 29 basketball players from six colleges have been arrested or implicated in dealing with gamblers to regulate the outcome of collegiate court contests.

That was unpardonable. Yet, it is possible to pity the players sucked into such deals. Many of them were poor boys scraping their way through to an education. The lure of easy money, particularly when they weren't asked to lose but

## Greenville High Releases Roster Of Head Coaches

Greenville High School announced today the names of the four men who will guide the athletic teams for the coming school year.

Roland "Bo" Farley will be the athletic director, with all athletics under his supervision. In addition to this position, Farley will also be head coach for the basketball and baseball teams.

Bill Kittrell, who has been active in midget and junior athletic teams the last three years, has been acquired as head coach of the varsity football eleven. Kittrell was also elected to the high school faculty as a Civics teacher.

He will be assisted in coaching the gridiron squad by David Barnum, annerman, who is a graduate student at East Carolina college, played football at the United States Naval Academy.

Charles C. Titt will also assist Kittrell. He will probably coach the junior varsity basketball team.

Kittrell will have charge of the track team, one is formed by the school this year.

Teachers were acquired in an effort to further expand the athletic program in Greenville. The school started this expansion in the 1950-51 school year.

The Greenville High School Boosters Club, which is in the process of formation now, has promised all its efforts to this expanded program. The club will hold an organization meeting next Monday night in the school library, at 8:15.

## Greenies Play Farmville Red Sox In Bright Belt League Activity; Game Needed By Greenville To Make Playoffs

Greenville and Farmville meet tonight in a Bright Belt League contest in the local ball park at 7:45.

The contest has been designated as "Booster's Night" for the Greenies, who are fighting desperately at the present time to qualify for the league play-offs. Various clubs and individuals in Greenville have donated their time and services toward making the project a successful one. Several business firms have given contributions to be used as prizes for lucky ticket holders.

Greenville is resting in sixth place in the loop at the present time but that it could make the post-season series with a clean sweep of the last four games in regular activity. Besides the game here tonight, the Greenies travel to Farmville Sunday afternoon and then wind up the year with a two game series against Fremont next week.

Manager Bill Phillips has assigned the pitching chore for the important first game tonight to right-hander James Pollard. Pollard performed with the professional Greenville club here several years ago, and has since been playing with service teams. He lost but one game during the last two years of service participation.

Phillips has a capable mound corps to draw upon if Pollard does not hurl. Southpaws Leonard Sullivan and Johnny Foell and right-handers B. B. Ricks, Billy Edwards and David Bryan round out the pitching staff of the Greenies, one of the more formidable in the six team Bright Belt League.

Greenville has steadily improved in the last three weeks, although not winning a majority of the games played, most of its losses have been by less than four runs.

**Probable Line-ups**

Greenville	Boyd, ss
Herring, ss	Phillips of Chahin, 1b
Webb, 2b	Towes, c
Clune, 1f	Moye, 3b
Britt, c	Collie, 2b
Piehrak, 3b	Tripp, 1f
Gay, rf	Ricks, rf

## Twenty New Records Made In Wilson AAU Swimming

WILSON—(AP)—The Southern AAU Swimming and Diving championships continued here today with what must be the hottest field of entries ever to compete in the event.

The swimmers all but rewrote the record book from beginning to end in yesterday's opening program. Twenty new Southern marks were hung up in the 24 events run off. Two American records and two national AAU records also were shattered.

The University of North Carolina's ace, Jimmy Thomas of Baltimore, Md., hung up one of the American records and set a new Southern AAU mark.

Thomas won the Senior Men's 900 meter individual medley with a time of 3:50.1, eclipsing the old American record of 3:57.4 set by Adolph Heifer in 1944. Thomas' mark was set on a short course, but made on either the short or long course.

Thomas set a new Southern AAU mark in the Senior Men's 100 meter backstroke. His time of 1:07.2 bettered the 1:14.5 mark set by Bill

## Little League Resumes Action After Lay-Off For Tournament

Exchange and Moose emerged on the long end of 9-0 and 10-3 scores respectively yesterday as they defeated the Kiwanians and Jaycees, in that order.

The games were the first to be played after the closing of the Fourth District tournament Thursday.

George Nikola curled two hit balls to win over the Kiwanians, 9-0, for the Exchangeites. Nikola was never in serious trouble, retiring the side in order in each inning but the fifth, when Barney Barrett doubled.

The winners scored the winning run in the first inning. Catcher Roger Bullock led off the ball game with a long triple, and scored as Francis Nunn grounded out, pitcher to first.

Bullock led the batting attack of the Exchangeites, with two singles and a triple. Charles Smith rapped off a pair of doubles.

**MCGEE HOMERS**

Jim McGee led the Moose to their 10-3 victory over the Jaycees with a grand-slam home run over the leftfield fence. McGee who collected a pair of homers in the tournament, rapped off a double and a single to go with his four-bagger.

The Moose scored two runs in the third to come from behind and go ahead in the contest. Eddie Lee started with a single and stole second. McGee followed with another single, and Lee scored as the third baseman errored the throw. McGee scored the winning run on a passed ball.

McGee took the pitching honors of the game also, going the entire distance and allowing but one hit. He fanned five in the four inning game.

The schedule for the remaining part of the season has been rearranged. The Lions and Jaycees meet today in a doubleheader. Monday, the Exchangeites play the Lions while the Jaycees meet the Kiwanians. The Elks tangle with the Moose Tuesday in a twin-bill. The Kiwanians and Lions round out the regular season play Wednesday in a single game. The Elks and Exchangeites meet in a play-off game Thursday to determine the first half champion.

Score by innings (1st game) r h e  
Exchange 104 022 9 8  
Kiwanis 000 000 0 2  
Batteries: Nikols and Bullock; Folger, Barnhill, and Oakley.

Score by innings (2nd game) r h e  
Moose 202 6 10 6  
Jaycees 300 0 3 1

## Barnum Leads In Tam O'Shanter

CHICAGO (UP)—The chase for first prize money of \$2,250 in Tam O'Shanter's annual "All American" open was narrowed down today, but big John Barnum of Grand Rapids, Mich., still held a shaky one stroke margin after one "bad round."

Barnum, the first day leader with a stupendous eight-under-par 64, shot a yesterday on his second round tour of the 6,400-yard course, and every one of the bad swings came on the second nine. His 36-hole total of 138 left him barely ahead of the pack at the midway point.

Hard on his heels were Fred Hawkins, El Paso, Lew Worsham, Pittsburgh, Al Bessink, Mt. Clemens, Mich. N. Y., and Ted Kroff, New Hartford, N. Y., all with 139. Lawson Little, Pebble Beach, Cal., Tommy Bolt, Durham, N. C., Cary Middlecoff, Memphis, and Lloyd Mangrum, Chicago, all had 140.

In the men's amateur division, Toledo's Frank Stranahan went one over par with a 73, but increased his margin to seven strokes with a 139 total compared to 148 for Harold Foreman of Chicago, who had 71 on his second tour of the links.

Babe Didrikson Zaharias, Chicago, notched a 76 in her second par round for a 152 total for 36 holes to grab a two-stroke margin over Beverly Hanson, a newcomer to the pro ranks from Fargo, N. D., who had a 78 after her opening day 76.

George C. Trautman, minor league president, told the committee yesterday that baseball must find some way to control big league broadcasts if the minor leagues are to survive.

Trautman said the minors are "saturated" with baseball broadcasts which hurt attendance. Most minor league games are played at night, he said, and "after hearing four or five games in one afternoon in one little community, by the time our game starts in the evening, everyone is a little tired of baseball."

The committee was in recess until Monday, when it will hear deposed baseball commissioner A. B. (Happy) Chandler.

## Kiwanis Wants Semi-Pro Baseball; Enjoys Music

By CHESTER WALSH

The Kiwanis Club last night favored supporting a semi-pro baseball team in Greenville after Guy V. Smith, "daddy of baseball" here recommended it.

Smith said the club, owned by Connecticut interests, was in debt in 1950 for \$12,000, and that the debt increased \$4000 this season to total \$16,000.

"I feel sure our people are not going to pay this \$16,000, a debt incurred by a northern syndicate," he said, "and the best we can do is to support a semi-pro team for five years, when the debt automatically will be liquidated."

The former president of the Greenville baseball club, when it was owned by local interests, said a semi-pro team, with players from here and other Eastern Carolina towns, might be beneficial in numerous ways for Greenville.

Kiwanis Secretary David C. Moore, Jr., said admission to the games now is only 50 cents, and he urged Kiwanians and others to attend the games and encourage the team. After the meeting a committee of Kiwanians sold many tickets for tonight's game.

Judge J. W. H. Roberts had charge of the program and presented his son, J. Rodney Roberts, Musician Apprentice, U. S. Navy, stationed on the USS Newport News, Norfolk, Va., talented baritone singer. His wife accompanied him at the piano.

Li-Governor Eli Bloom of the Seventh Kiwanis division inducted as a member L. F. (Buck) Johnson, sales manager of the Bright Leaf Motor Company.

"Red" Clifford and Eli Bloom, the Kiwanis "Shoeshine Boys," reported that they netted more than \$60 last Saturday shining shoes in the downtown section of the city. Lee Roy Bell donated the polish. A dollar was the lowest price for a shine and one man, B. Bruce Sugg, Sr., paid \$5. The money goes to the underprivileged child fund.

Don H. Conley announced he will be host at supper to the Kiwanis Club's officers and directors at Proctor Hotel next Tuesday night, August 7, at 6:30.

The club distributed small folders containing the names and meeting dates of Kiwanis clubs in other parts of the state. John Dickens, manager of Carolina Office Equipment Company, donated them.

## Western Amateur Finals Underway

DETROIT—(UP)—Marjorie Lindsey of Decatur, Ill., and Mary Ann Downey of Baltimore, Md., battled it out for the fourth time this year today in the 36-hole final of the Women's Western Amateur golf championship.

Both reached the finals with victories at the 18th hole yesterday. Miss Lindsey defeated Bonnie Randolph of Columbus, O., 3 and 2, and Miss Downey beat Grace Lenczyk of Newton, Conn., 4 and 2.

Miss Downey holds an edge over her Illinois rival in matches played to date this year. She defeated the 26-year-old Miss Lindsey, the five-time Illinois state champion, 1-up in the Palm Beach tournament and scored a 3 and 2 triumph in the semi-finals of the trans-Mississippi meet, which she later won. She dropped a 5 and 4 verdict, however, in the North and South tournament.

Clara Jane Mosack, a member at host Plum Hollow Club, and 18-year-old Barbara Romack from Sacramento, Cal., reached the consolation finals. They were to play 18 holes today.

Emil (Dutch) Leonard, now pitching for the Chicago Cubs, began his pro career with the Dodgers in 1933. He was sent back to the minors in 1936 and came up with the Washington Senators in 1938.

## Rep. McCulloch Calls For Broadcast Investigation

By HERBERT FOSTER  
United Press Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON (UP)—Rep. William M. McCulloch (R-O) called today for a study of radio and television baseball broadcasts before deciding whether the game violates anti-trust laws.

McCulloch, a member of a House monopoly subcommittee investigating baseball, said that a week of hearings has failed to turn up enough facts to determine whether organized baseball is interstate commerce and thus subject to anti-trust laws.

The subcommittee seeks to determine whether baseball should be exempt from the anti-trust laws—if it is violating them.

McCulloch said judicial thinking on the scope of interstate commerce apparently has changed since the late Chief Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes wrote a Supreme Court opinion in 1922 that baseball was neither "interstate" nor "commerce."

One judge in the suit of outfielder Danny Gardella against the New York Giants—which was settled before it reached the supreme court—said baseball was definitely interstate commerce.

Besides, McCulloch said, baseball is big business, king in millions of dollars at the gate. World Series broadcast rights alone have been sold for \$6,000,000 for five years, he noted.

McCulloch said that if he becomes convinced that baseball is violating anti-trust laws, he will press for legislation to allow the game to operate.

Broadcasting is one—but only one—of the key factors which may put the game in interstate commerce now, he said.

George C. Trautman, minor league president, told the committee yesterday that baseball must find some way to control big league broadcasts if the minor leagues are to survive.

Trautman said the minors are "saturated" with baseball broadcasts which hurt attendance. Most minor league games are played at night, he said, and "after hearing four or five games in one afternoon in one little community, by the time our game starts in the evening, everyone is a little tired of baseball."

The committee was in recess until Monday, when it will hear deposed baseball commissioner A. B. (Happy) Chandler.

## Battlefield And Uncle Miltie Race

OCEANPORT, N. J.—(AP)—All eyes will be on two of the nation's top three-year-olds entered in the choice stakes at Monmouth Park today.

Battlefield and Uncle Miltie each will go to the post in the mile and one quarter race in an attempt to complete a comeback after what started as a disappointing season.

The two horses have been winning lately and the victor today figures to be crowned king of the three-year-olds.

Jockey Eddie Arcaro probably will ride Battlefield in this one and Dave Gorman will up on Uncle Miltie.

Over this same Monmouth track a year ago in the sapping stakes the two colts broke into the big time. Battlefield won with Uncle Miltie getting place money.

The three other sophomores in the stakes who could throw a monkey wrench into the picture are the Wood-Lyn stable's Tom Q.; Frank A. Bonnell's Mully S.; and A. F. Wall's Golden Trend, an attempt to Uncle Miltie in the Lampighter Handicap.

## Farmville Eleven Announces Slate

Sam D. Bundy, principal of the Farmville School, today announced the schedule for the 1951 football year. The dates of September 14 and October 12 are open and it is the desire of the school officials to fill these two dates. Any school with these open dates will contact Elbert Moye, coach, Farmville. Coach Moye will be in his fourth year and will be assisted by Charles T. Tucker.

The schedule:

- September 14—Open
- September 21—Hertford, there
- September 28—Snow Hill, here

## Fam And Sexias Carry U.S. Hopes

By CORNELIUS RYAN  
United Press Sports Writer

RYE, N. J.—(UP)—Herb Flam of Beverly Hills, Cal., and Vic Seixas of Philadelphia can clinch the American zone semifinals for the U. S. Davis Cup tennis team today by beating Mexico's Vega brothers, Armando and Rolando, in doubles.

The U. S. raced off to a 2-to-0 lead by winning the opening two singles matches yesterday at the Westchester Country Club. Art Larsen of San Leandro, Cal., the U. S. national singles champion, defeated Armando Vega 7-5, 6-3, 4-6, 7 and Flam easily whipped Mexican champion Mario Limas 6-1, 6-2, 6-4.

Victory for non-playing Capt. Frank Shields' experimental Flam-Seixas doubles combination will give the Americans the series and qualify them to meet the winner of the Canada-Cuba series for the American zone championship.

The American zone champion will play Sweden, the European titleholder, for the right to challenge Australia for the huge silver trophy at Sydney next December.

For 27-year-old Seixas, who is ranked eighth in the U. S., today's doubles match will be his first crack at Davis Cup competition. Seixas reached the semifinals of the 1950 Wimbledon championship and this year has won tournaments at Spring Lake, N. J., and Merion, Pa.

Although the Flam-Seixas combination is regarded as makeshift in U. S. tennis circles, it is expected to have little difficulty in disposing of the Vega brothers.

Southpaw Chet Nichols, rookie hurler for the Boston Braves, is the son of a former major league pitcher.

Monte Irvin of the New York Giants led the Negro National League in batting with a mark of .423 in 1941.

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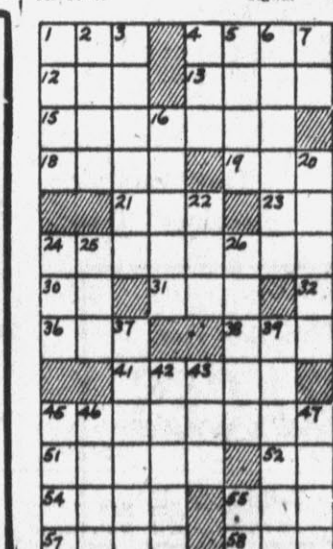
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4. Border  
8. Strike with the open hand  
12. Transgress  
13. Castle of India  
14. Lima bean  
15. Grassy fields  
17. Corroded  
18. Cover with a hard surface  
19. Run away in panic  
21. Night before  
22. German city  
24. Measuring instrument  
27. Number  
29. Abraham's birthplace  
31. Cover  
32. Unit of work  
33. Again; nevertheless  
34. Lumberman's half-boot  
38. Change for use of money  
41. Speedily  
42. Clear part  
46. Words of an opera  
48. Feminine name  
51. Melodies  
52. Straps for leading horses  
54. Metal container  
56. Measure  
57. Tear apart  
57. Existence  
58. Constellation  
59. Distress signal  
**DOWN**  
1. Fibre plant  
2. Scope  
3. Move or journey  
4. Past  
5. Bends  
6. Overcoat  
7. Symbol for tantalum  
8. Form  
9. Hidden  
10. Retired  
11. Sheet of glass  
12. Fence  
13. Type squares  
19. Item of property  
22. Final vessel  
24. Drinking vessel  
25. Southern constellation  
26. Decree  
28. Bitter vetch  
29. Clear glass  
33. Ribbed fabric  
34. Salute  
37. Small houses  
39. Lower  
40. Compound  
42. Variety of quartz  
43. Roman bronze  
45. Fine openwork material  
46. Character in "Antony and Cleopatra"  
47. Food  
48. Composition for three  
50. Roman bronze  
53. Pasture  
54. Greek M



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**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE**  
Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Jesse S. Willard, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 12th day of July, 1952, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.  
This July 12, 1951.  
JAMES S. WILLARD, Administrator of the Estate of Jesse S. Willard  
July 14-21-28 Aug. 4-11-18

**EXECUTRIX NOTICE**  
Having this day qualified as executrix of the estate of Richard E. Nelson, deceased, late of Pitt County, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate to file them with the undersigned within 12 months from this date or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to the estate will please make immediate settlement.  
This the 28th day of July, 1951.  
BLANCHE NELSON, Grifton, N. C., Executrix of the estate of Richard E. Nelson  
July 28 Aug. 4-11-18-25 Sept. 1

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE**  
Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Jordan Nobles Sr. late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 27th day of July, 1952, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate

## British Royalty To Visit Truman In Late October

LONDON (UP)—Princess Elizabeth and her husband, the Duke of Edinburgh will visit President Truman in Washington in late October. An announcement said they have accepted Mr. Truman's invitation for them to visit him from Oct. 24 to 28 after they finish a tour of Canada. They will be his guests at Blair House. Royal sources said it was not yet determined which other American cities—if any—the pair would visit during their tour. The trip will be the first visit of British royalty to the United States since 1939, when King George VI and Queen Elizabeth attended the New York World's Fair. Elizabeth and the duke are scheduled to sail for Canada in late September. Many varieties of fireflies are 'fireless.'

## TOM & JERRY



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## THE PHANTOM



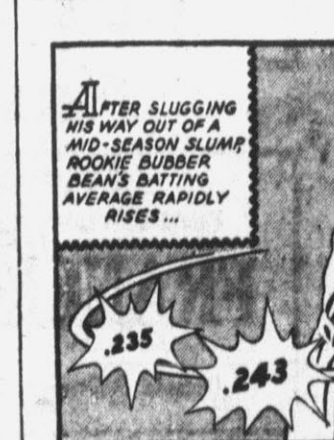
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### Police Chief Fired By Board Of Aldermen

SPRING HOPE—(AP)—Police Chief J. C. Mooney, who more than once tread on important toes, has been fired by the Spring Hope Board of Aldermen.

Soon after assuming office last January, Mooney bobbed into the news when he arrested Congressman Harold D. Cooley, who lives in neighboring Nashville, for speeding.

### Light Bulb Has Burned Since 1906

HUMBOLDT, Ia.—(UP)—Miss Elisabeth Bury can't understand why an electric light bulb in her dining room continues to burn.

### Four Methodist Laymen Of City Attend Retreat

Four Pitt County Methodist laymen will attend a retreat at Camp Don Lee beginning this afternoon.

### Dr. Willis Of Farmville Died

FARMVILLE—Dr. William Moore Willis, 62 prominent physician died at Park View Hospital, Rocky Mount, at 4 a. m. today after several years' failing health.

Funeral arrangements had not been completed.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Annie Jones Willis, formerly of Pink Hill; three sons, W. M. Willis, Jr., of Charlotte, Thomas W. Willis of Newton, and John R. Willis, U. S. Army, stationed at Lackland Airfield, San Antonio, Texas; one sister, Mrs. L. L. Leary of Morehead City, and one brother, John T. Willis of Morehead City.

### Prowler Breaks In Wooten Home

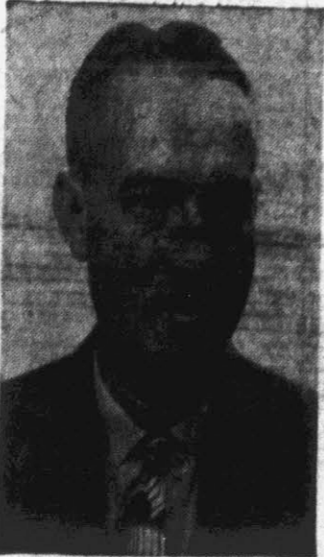
Police are holding Artis L. Briley, 39-year-old Negro, on the charge of forcible trespass at Mrs. Pattie E. Wooten's home, on Maple street, last night.

Police quoted Mrs. Wooten as saying she heard a noise in the house shortly before midnight. When she and her son went downstairs to investigate they found a screen on a window that had a broken latch.

### Dies In Hospital After Auto Wreck

RALEIGH—(UP)—James S. Knight Jr., 30, died in Rex Hospital early today after his car went off the road near Knightdale.

### T. Staton Ross Dies In Durham



T. STATON ROSS

T. Staton Ross, 45, prominent Ayden businessman and extensive farmer, died in Duke Hospital in Durham at 9:10 Friday morning following a brief illness.

Funeral services were conducted from the home this afternoon at 4 o'clock, and interment followed in the Ayden cemetery.

### Police Relieve Traffic Mishaps

A traffic accident chart prepared by the Greenville police department is a comprehensive review of traffic mishaps in July and an analysis of what caused them.

### PITT — SUNDAY And MONDAY!



Loretta Young and Joseph Cotton are starred in the technicolor comedy "Half Angel." The laughs are fast and furious in this story of a lady sleepwalker.

### Ayden Troop 34 Presented Charter At Rotary Meeting

AYDEN — A Boy Scout troop charter presentation, and a court of honor highlighted the meeting of the Ayden Rotary club last night.

Following the presentation of the charter the scouts of Troop 34 repeated the scout oath and the scout law in a candle lighting ceremony.

### Marine Mishaps On Pacific Coast

SEATTLE—(AP)—Marine mishaps that plagued the Pacific Coast today brought death to at least two persons.

In addition, the Coast Guard at Seattle reported it had received a distress call from an unidentified vessel in southeastern Alaskan waters early today.

### Suggests Negro Colleges Be Put Under One Board

RALEIGH—(AP)—North Carolina's Negro colleges and universities should be consolidated under a single board of trustees similar to that of the Greater University, Governor Scott reiterated yesterday.

The Governor, who has made the suggestion several times, declared at his news conference "I think the last legislature should have consolidated" the state's Negro schools.

In the years to come, the Governor said trustees for the proposed Negro Greater University would combine with trustees of the present Greater University in running all state supported institutions of higher learning.

The present Greater University has three units. They are the Liberal Arts University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill; N. C. State College at Raleigh, a technical and agricultural institution; and the Woman's College at Greensboro.

Scott said the present Greater University should be expanded to include East Carolina College at Greenville, Appalachian State Teachers College at Boone, and Western Carolina Teachers College at Cullowhee.

As a nucleus for the proposed Negro consolidation, Scott suggested N. C. College at Durham, a liberal arts school, and A & T College at Greensboro, an agricultural and technical school.

By consolidating and offering specialized schools, the Governor said, the state would save money by avoiding duplication of courses at different schools.

### Reds Throw ... Ridgway ...

(Continued From Page One) cause of the wealth of ammunition expended in neutralizing it. The hill lay southeast of Kumsong, the enemy's principal build-up base on the central front.

(Continued From Page One) reports that the U.N. delegation is seeking a cease-fire line north of Wonsan, the Red capital, and the east coast port of Wonsan, 80 miles north of the parallel.

(Continued From Page One) of-living increases granted other textile workers who have an escalator clause in their contract.

(Continued From Page One) In announcing the new formula yesterday, board chairman George W. Taylor said its effect would be long-range rather than immediate.

(Continued From Page One) The Los Angeles Coast Guard said it was possible that due to freak atmospheric conditions this might be the report of the sinking picked up at Seattle.

SUNDAY — MONDAY

### Jivin 'Jumpin' Romance With Music!

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### Stage Fright

Friday — Saturday "TAHITI HONEY"

### Judge Fines Negro Man \$75 In Case Involving Whiskey

Judge Charles H. Whedbee, in Police Court today, found Jesse Nobles, elderly Negro man, guilty of possession of non-tax paid whiskey for purpose of sale.

He sentenced the defendant to 30 days in jail, suspended on payment of \$75 fine, costs deducted. Nobles, who is now under probation, paid his fine.

The court ordered that the probation be continued and that the defendant not violate any liquor law for two years.

### Colored News

The Housewives' League will not have another meeting until September 3, 1951.

Lillian Pearce, secretary

The United Daughters Club met Sunday, June 22, at the home of Mrs. Nora Corey. The meeting was opened with a song and prayer. A report was served. Next meeting will be Sunday, Aug. 4, at the home of Mrs. Janie Corey, 1300 3rd St. All members are asked to be present.

## PITT

LAST TIMES TODAY

Humphrey Bogart  
ERROL FLYNN  
Randolph Scott  
Miriam Hopkins  
in "VIRGINIA CITY"

Tom 'n' Jerry Cartoon

SUNDAY And MONDAY

### Confessions of a Lady Sleepwalker!

She really got around... And what she did with her eyes closed will open yours to the gayest comedy of many a day — or night!

LORETTA YOUNG · JOSEPH COTTEN

## HALF ANGEL

TECHNICOLOR

Nora was a perfect lady... Who became a national scandal every time she closed her eyes!

Color Cartoon "R'coon Dog — Latest News"

That "Farmer's Daughter" Team

TUESDAY — WEDNESDAY — THURSDAY!

FRANCIS Talks Again And The Screen is Frantic With New Fun!

## FRANCIS GOES to the RACES

Starring Donald O'Conner, Piper Laurie and FRANCIS, The Talking Mule

ment made July 15 that no armed personnel would be within a half-mile radius of the conference site and that only military police would be within a five-mile radius.

### Asked To ...

(Continued From Page One) the powerful House Rules Committee and a 100 per cent administration supporter.

Faced with almost certain Senate defeat, Mr. Truman's aides tried yesterday to work out a compromise with Douglas. But they never had a chance to propose a com-

promise because the scheme apparently blew up in a burst of publicity.

Two Senate sources said Mr. Truman's aides had hoped to get Douglas to drop his objections to the nomination of Cornelius J. Harrington in return for Mr. Truman's withdrawal of his nomination of Drucker. This would permit Douglas to get one of his candidates—Benjamin J. Epstein—nominated as a district judge.

South-11

## Drive-In Theatre

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Sat. Nite Last Times — Double Feature

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GUINN "Big Boy" WILLIAMS · VINCE BARNETT

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TUESDAY

### "FOLLOW THE BOYS"

Starring The Andrews Sisters — George Raft Jeannette MacDonald — Peggy Ryan And Many More Top Hollywood Stars

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### 2 BIG HORROR FEATURES

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No. 1 "HOUSE OF FRANKENSTEIN" Starring BORIS KARLOFF

No. 2 FRANKENSTEIN Meets THE WOLF MAN Starring BELA LUGOSI

FRIDAY — SATURDAY

## REX ALLEN

### "RODEO KING and the SENORITA"

## STATE

Ends Today  
TIM HOLT in "PISTOL HARVEST"