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Rep. King Claims Treasury Sought To Stifle Probe Of Tax Scandals

Charges Interference With Work In New York Investigation

WASHINGTON (UP)—Rep. Cecil R. King charged today that the Treasury Department tried to "stifle" the congressional tax scandal inquiry by "interfering with its investigation in New York."

The California Democrat, chairman of a House ways and means subcommittee which has unearthed nationwide irregularities in the Internal Revenue Bureau, said he "took such measures as I deemed necessary" to "safeguard vital evidence" in the group's files.

U.S. Attorney Frank Parker said in New York yesterday that the subcommittee had "impeded" a grand jury investigation of alleged tax scandals in New York by taking key documents to Washington just as his office was preparing to use them in the inquiry.

The papers, which were investigative reports compiled by four Internal Revenue Intelligence agents, had been in the subcommittee's custody in New York. Subcommittee staff members took them to Washington shortly after midnight Tuesday.

King said the documents would remain in the custody of the House sergeant at arms "pending further clarification of the situation."

It was learned that the documents involved former Internal Revenue Commissioner Joseph D. Nunan Jr.; James B.E. Olson, who quit last August as supervisor of the Alcohol Tax Unit in New York; Carroll A. Mealey, former deputy commissioner in charge of the Alcohol Tax Unit; and Daniel A. Bolch, former chief of the New York Intelligence Unit.

King made his accusation in a statement issued by subcommittee headquarters here. The subcommittee is now in San Francisco investigating irregularities in the Internal Revenue office there.

King said "certainly Treasury officials" instigated the grand jury inquiry in a move "to interfere with our investigation in New York."

"We have obtained undisputable evidence," King said, "that Treasury experts familiar with the facts agreed that presentation to a grand jury at this time was not advisable. These experts were not even consulted."

"Above all, we have clear evidence that the decision to refer these matters to the U.S. attorney in Brooklyn was made solely for the purpose of stifling the investigation of this subcommittee."

Chapman Plans To Appeal Ruling

WASHINGTON (UP)—The much fought-over hydroelectric plant for Roanoke Rapids headed into another round today.

Interior Secretary Oscar Chapman said he would appeal the case to the U.S. Supreme Court as soon as papers could be drawn.

The Federal Power Commission gave Virginia Electric and Power Company a go-ahead on a multi-million dollar dam and power project on the Roanoke River.

The court said the case with Veeco and Chapman appealed to a circuit court. Circuit court upheld the verdict.

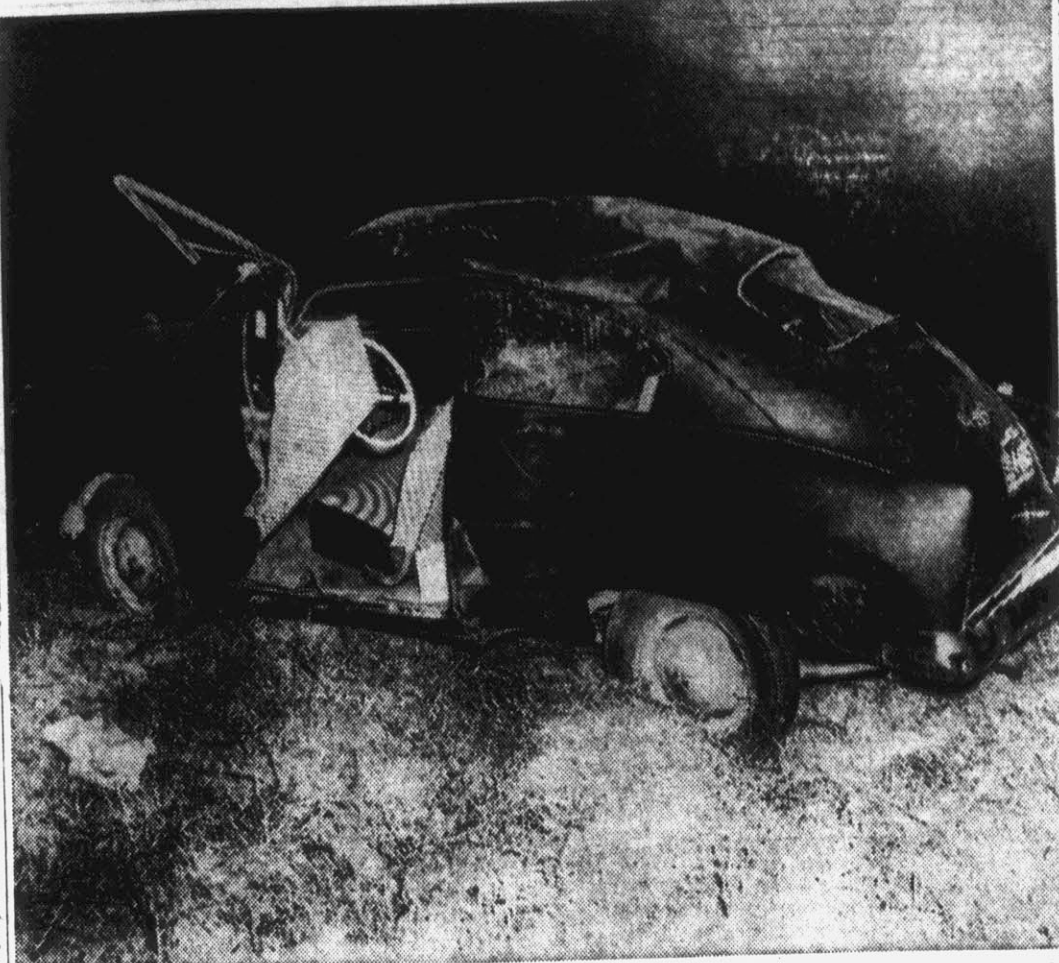
Almost Won Her Race With Stork

BURLINGTON, N. C. (AP)—Mrs. Calvin L. Jones, a Japanese war bride, almost won her race with the stork yesterday. She gave birth to a son in the elevator at Alhambra General Hospital.

Mrs. Jones—her Japanese name is Shirazee—was taken to the maternity ward by two ambulance drivers. They had brought her from her home 12 miles from Burlington in rural Alamance County.

On the way up in the elevator there was a wail, announcing that the stork had won. A doctor took over and reported that mother and baby were doing fine.

Car Overturns Several Times In Accident



Five persons were injured, none seriously, yesterday afternoon when their automobile, shown above, turned over several times near Belvoir as the driver lost control of the vehicle. The accident occurred on the Porter road about two miles north of Belvoir around 4:30. A charge of careless and reckless driving has been lodged against the driver of the car, Walter Harris, Jr., Route 1, Greenville. (Reflector Staff Photo by Roy Hardee.)

Booming Year For School Enrollment

City Schools Already Count More Students Than Last Year; Ranks Swelling Every Day With New Arrivals

By MURIEL SHOTWELL

Reflector Staff Writer

There are 3,589 pupils enrolled in the Greenville City Schools this year which is a gain of 74 over last year and new pupils are being enrolled daily.

Superintendent of City Schools J. H. Rose said the gain of 74 over last year is abnormal because the enrollment usually drops after September but this year is gained since the beginning of the school year. He said he expected for the school year to wind up with 100 more students than last year.

The gain in enrollment is attributed by Rose to the growth of city by DuPont people and children of tenant farmers who have moved into the city. "We are experiencing a growth in the population of the city," Rose said.

A break-down of the enrollment shows there are a total of 1,899 in the Negro schools, 1,690 in the white schools and 481 students enrolled in the elementary school and 481 students enrolled in Greenville High School. In Epps High school the enrollment reaches 251 and 1,439 students are enrolled in the Negro elementary schools.

For the 3,589 students in the city schools there are 118 teachers and principals employed, 65 of the number are white and 54 are colored. Other employees such as the superintendent, secretaries, maintenance men, janitors, maids, and lunchroom workers equal 17, making a grand total of 136 full-time employees.

Rose said five teachers in the city school system were paid from local funds and one-third of the salaries of the six vocational teachers were paid from local funds. The state pays one-third of the salaries and the federal government pays the other one-third.

Small Tornado Near Wilmington

WILMINGTON (AP)—A storm, described by farmers as a "small tornado," struck in the truck farming area of Castle Hayne community today.

A number of barns, garages and trees were reported blown down. Farmers of the area, about eight miles north of Wilmington, were unable to give any estimates of damage. The area is widely known for its truck crops and flower bulbs.

The weather bureau here reported winds of 47 miles an hour.

Pitt Peanut Crop Quotas Being Prepared After Allotment Slash

The total acreage allotment for peanuts in North Carolina this year has been cut nearly 30 percent under the 1951 allotment, Pitt County PMA Secretary James Meredith reported this morning.

The final state allotment of 192,986 acres for 1952 was announced last week. This is a reduction of 44,890 acres under the 1951 allotment of 237,876 acres for North Carolina. This year's allotment is 18.9 percent short of the 1951 figure.

"The decrease results from government purchases of Virginia type peanuts in 1951, which are still on hand," Meredith explained. "The Pitt County PMA Committee is now computing this year's individual farm allotments and they should be completed and mailed out to farmers around March 1."

Meredith disclosed that due to a change in the law for 1952, it is necessary to refigure all peanut allotments based on plantings for the last three years. This does not include excess acreage.

"Any farm that had no peanuts planted in the last three years will have no allotment for 1952 unless a new farm allotment is applied for and approved," the secretary stated. "The closing date for filing applications for new farm allotments is March 1."

According to Meredith, a farm with no allotment will be allowed to plant up to one acre of peanuts, which may be sold without payment of any penalty. For this reason, allotments of less than one acre are not established.

"The excess oil provision applies again for 1952," Meredith asserted. This provision allows peanut producers to harvest up to the 1947 planted acreage on the farm. The peanuts planted in excess of the 1952 allotment may be sold for oil.

The secretary stated, however, "it does not appear that this year there will be any refund for excess oil peanuts similar to that received by farmers in 1951."

In direct contrast to the peanut acreage reduction in North Carolina for all types of peanuts has been increased from 1,673,102 acres announced last November, to 1,705,741—an increase of 32,639 acres.

No figures were available on Pitt County allotments for this year.

Five Injured In Highway Wreck

Careless, Reckless Driving Charge Is Lodged Against Man

BELVOIR — Five persons were injured when their speeding automobile overturned about two miles north of here on the Porter Road around 4:30 yesterday afternoon.

A charge of careless and reckless driving has been pressed against Walter H. Harris, Jr., 26, of Route 1, Box 123 Greenville as a result of the accident.

The accident occurred when W.M. Davis, injured officer stated, was driven by Harris, owned by W.M. Davis, also of Route 1, Greenville, overturned three times as the driver lost control of the car in a curve.

In the car with Harris at the time of the accident was his wife and three small children.

As the car went out of control and turned over, the right door of the automobile opened, spilling the five children onto the soft sand shoulders of the highway.

An ambulance was dispatched to the scene from Greenville, but the five were taken to a local doctor's office and later to Pitt Memorial Hospital for treatment.

The car, a 1951 model, was a total loss. Patrolman Jim Davis, investigating officer stated, was paid \$351,837.81, and the county paid \$30,000.00. The Federal and State governments paid \$16,001.30 for vocational education and donations and miscellaneous amounts to \$42,322.34.

"It is easy to see how small an amount of the total operating cost of the Greenville City Schools is borne by the local tax payer," said Rose.

The \$30,000 received from the county is used to repair, maintain, and insure the buildings, to pay for retirement, and to pay the local school share of vocational education. The county gets the money from fines, forfeitures, penalties, dog taxes, some ABC store profits, and a small county-wide tax levy.

The money received for local taxes is used for the following purposes: To employ extra teachers not provided for by the state, such as a librarian, public school music teacher, teacher of physical education, coach, and others; and to supplement salaries of all teachers in amounts ranging from \$180.00 to \$270.00 per year.

To pay extra janitors, maids and bus drivers not provided for by the state; and to furnish needed school supplies and meet all other necessary charges not provided for by the state.

The local tax rate for operating the Greenville City School is 25 cents on the \$100.00 and last year produced \$42,322.34.

Egypt Offers To Pay Damages For Cairo Riots

CAIRO, Egypt (UP)—The Egyptian government said today it deplored the bloody Cairo rioting of Jan 26 and offered to pay a maximum of \$14,000,000 in damage claims.

The offer was made in notes to 15 nations which protested the rioting and destruction, in which more than 40 persons died.

The government said preliminary investigation showed the instigators sought to exploit for their "sinister desires" demonstrations that protested clashes between British troops and Egyptian police at Ismailia.

The Egyptian government deplored these events and resulting losses not only because of the great number of Egyptian and foreign inhabitants in the capital, but also for the entire Egyptian economy," the notes said.

Powers Sought

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Truman said today he will ask Congress to give Newbold Morris, his government cleanup man, power to subpoena people and documents.

Morris, 56-year-old socially prominent New York attorney, was picked on Feb. 1 to take command of the long-demanded probe into tax scandals. He said his first job will be to investigate Attorney General McGrath's Justice Department.

Mr. Truman said at his news conference he had conferred with Morris about the latter's plans and announced in a statement:

"I intend to see to it that Mr. Morris has access to all information he needs that is in the possession of the executive branch, and the authority to examine and require testimony of all officers and employees of the executive branch."

At yesterday's session, the board also approved the purchase of a new police car for the city, an addition that has been under discussion for some time.

Gov. Scott Fills Court Positions

RALEIGH (AP)—Gov. Scott yesterday appointed Solicitor William K. McLean of Asheville a special Superior Court judge and named Lamar Gudger, Asheville attorney, to succeed him.

McLean succeeds Judge Harold K. Bennett, who has tendered his resignation, effective March 2, to enter private law practice in Asheville with George Ward.

Gudger will serve as solicitor for the 19th judicial district which comprises Buncombe and Madison Counties.

Communist Truce Negotiators Seek Right To View Secret UN Weapons

PANMUNJOM, Korea, Friday (UP)—The Communist truce negotiators are trying to get the right to inspect secret United Nations military equipment during an armistice. Allied spokesmen charged today.

The Allies insist that neutral armistice inspection teams be barred from conducting "inspections for examination of design or characteristics of any aircraft, tank, vehicle or other munitions or implements of war."

But the Communists, in a sudden shift of position, demanded yesterday that inspection teams have the right to inspect all equipment arriving in Korea.

"At first the Communists agreed that the teams should not gather military intelligence," Allied spokesman Col. Don O. Darrow said. "Now either they want to gather the military intelligence or they are afraid we will use it as an excuse to keep the neutral teams from looking at equipment."

In another new development the Peiping radio alleged two new violations of the Kaesong armistice negotiation zone. Peiping said two Allied planes flew over Panmunjom village, where the truce talks are conducted, at 8:30 a.m. Wednesday and that a lone plane violated the zone at 9 p.m. Tuesday.

At yesterday's talks the Communists presented a revised program for exchanging war prisoners and promised to unveil tomorrow a new compromise proposal for a

post-armistice peace conference. Col. George W. Hickman of the United Nations said the Reds' prisoner exchange plan moved closer to Allied thinking on the workings of joint Red Cross committees to supervise the exchange.

But the Reds rejected the Allied demand that prisoners be given the right to refuse repatriation. For this reason, U.N. staff officers may turn down the revised program.

Liaison officers arranged a meeting of the full truce delegations for 10 a.m. Saturday (8 p.m. Friday EST) to hear the promised Communist compromise proposal for a full-dress Korean peace conference.

The Communists at first proposed that the meeting be held Friday, but the U.N. asked that it be delayed until Saturday and the Reds agreed. No reason was given for the Allied request.

The full delegations had recessed two days ago to give the Communists time to prepare the new proposal on the fifth and final item on the armistice agenda—recommendations to the belligerent governments.

At that time, both sides were in general agreement on the desirability of a peace conference or steps toward it—within 90 days of the signing of an armistice.

They also agreed that the conference should negotiate the withdrawal of foreign troops from Korea and a peaceful settlement of the Korean problem.

Marine Cleared In Traffic Death

Coroner's Jury Decides Darr Should Not Be Indicted

A coroner's jury of six men last night debated only 16 minutes to return a finding that a 30-year-old Cherry Point Marine should not be held for criminal action in connection with the February 8th traffic accident death of a Negro motorist.

However, nearly two hours were taken up by the witnesses and jury members in hearing testimony offered by investigating officers and others dealing with the case.

The jury heard statements by Cpl. H. M. Morrow and Patrolman Jim Davis who investigated the accident first.

Davis stated that he was enroute to a wreck at Calico Crossroads and was leaving Greenville by the New Bern highway when he arrived at the scene of the second accident.

He told the jury of the position of the cars and of the injured persons when he arrived.

Alice Stanley, 42-year-old driver of the car which was hit by the Marine, died of injuries suffered in the accident some 20 hours after she was admitted to Pitt Memorial Hospital.

Witnesses pointed out that the car driven by the woman was on the right side of the road and "shot across" into the path of Sgt. Darr's automobile as he attempted to pass it.

The impact, according to officers, spilled the woman and her two small children onto the road, where the woman sustained head injuries.

One witness told of passing the car, after blowing his horn, and because of the way in which the driver of the vehicle was acting, he looked into his rear view mirror to see if the Marine sergeant's car "made it."

It was then that the witness stated he saw the car lunge across the road into the path of Darr's automobile.

The witness also stated that the Marine attempted to cut his car to the right but could not avoid striking the other vehicle.

The patrolman stated that they were unable to get any statement from the woman at the hospital before she died, due to her condition after her arrival there.

Alice Stanley's husband and two other witnesses took the stand to tell about the accident. All three said they witnessed the fatal crash.

The accident occurred about two miles from Greenville on the New Bern highway around 4:30 on a slight curve, with clear visibility, according to the officers.

Sgt. Darr did not take the stand. Patrolman Davis quoted Darr as saying that the woman did not give a hand signal when she pulled into the path of his car.

Darr had been released the night of the accident without bond.

The fatality was the first for Pitt County this year.

New Ayden Chief Of Police To Be Named Tomorrow

AYDEN — The identity of Ayden's new police chief is still the question standing foremost in the minds of the city's citizens.

At a special called meeting of the town Board of Commissioners yesterday afternoon, several applications previously under consideration by the board were reviewed.

Commissioner Norman Dale stated this morning that the name of the new chief will be announced tomorrow. No further details in regard to the appointment were available today.

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Atlantic Christian College Head Addresses Pitt Unit Of NCEA

FARMVILLE — "The heart and core of the educational process is not the course of study, but the growing minds of boys and girls," said Dr. D. Ray Lindley, president of Atlantic Christian College.

Dr. Lindley spoke at "The Center of the Educational Process," the last night meeting of the Pitt County Unit of the North Carolina Education Association. The meeting has held in the Farmville High School auditorium.

In opening his address, Lindley told the teachers in the Pitt County Schools that he was there to congratulate them because they are engaged in the most thrilling adventure of life, dealing with the universe and to pay his respects to their courage in accepting the responsibility of teaching.

"The greatest crime is the crime against the minds of boys and girls by adult leaders," Lindley stated.

The educator pointed out in his address that the lives of boys and girls could be penalized by a teacher's own shortcomings. "A scientist is successful if one ex-

periment out of 1,000 is a success, but the price runs as teachers pay for one blunder is terrific."

Dr. Jackson of the Pitt County Historical Association appeared before the teachers last night urging them to help him in the recording of the past. He said a record was being made to form a working association to preserve Pitt County's record of growth.

He specifically asked for aid from the teachers of history and from students in the schools.

At the opening of the meeting, the Farmville High School singing band, under the direction of N. C. Maehout, played a number of popular musical selections.

During the business meeting, F. O. Hodge, chairman of the non-die committee, reported on the selection of nominees for the coming election of Pitt County NCEA officers. The following persons were included in the nominations:

Coye L. Lewis, Chicod, and Charles Tucker, Farmville; president; Paul Clark, Winterville; Albert Tyson, Grifton, and Mrs. Hope

Truman Prodded Into Telling Plans

Biggest Bombers 'Raid' Carolinas

Air Force Discloses Unseen B-36s On Missions Over Area

CHARLOTTE (AP)—Mighty Air Force B-36 bombers are flying over the Carolinas on mythical bombing raids.

The fact that the aerial battle-wagons are making bombing runs over the two states was disclosed here today when it was learned that an Air Force detachment to determine the accuracy of the bombers is being set up at nearby Morris Field.

It's likely that few Carolinians have seen the giant planes on their raids because they're flying at altitudes ranging from 30,000 to 40,000 feet. And some of the raids may have been conducted at night.

The bombers are based at Carswell Air Force Base at Ft. Worth, Tex. They make their flights over the Carolinas without pausing and there are no plans for them to stop. Few airports in the two states have runways long enough and strong enough to receive them.

The detachment to check the results of the bombing runs is composed of 21 men and four officers. An advance group already has started operations of the unit, designated as Detachment 16 of the 3903rd Radar Bomb Scoring Group.

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Mrs. S. T. White Hostess To Sans Souci Club Members

The Sans Souci Book Club met Tuesday afternoon at the spacious home of the president, Mrs. S. T. White.

After dispensing with routine business Mrs. White gave a most interesting and instructive paper on the Hudson River. The club program for the year has been built around famous rivers and has proven to be a most enjoyable one since it brings to remembrance the great events and the thrilling history in song and story that has happened along these avenues of trade and travel.

In keeping with the approach of the Valentine season Mrs. White read a short sketch of the life of Saint Valentine and had the club members and guests draw parts of valentines which when matched brought together interesting conversational groups. Mrs. J. B. James and Mrs. M. L. Wright then passed out materials for making valentines and later acted as judges in the contest for the prettiest constructed valentines. Mrs. H. A. Hendrix and Mrs. J. T. Cheatham received heart shaped boxes of candy for first and second prizes respectively.

At this point Miss Denny Lee Bryson was presented and sang a group of love songs very appropriate to the occasion. She was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Hendrix. Her deep, rich, beautifully trained soprano voice and her charming personality delighted all present and she graciously responded to the resounding applause accorded her by singing several encores.

Following this delightful hour of fun and inspiration the hostess assisted by Mrs. James, Mrs. Wright and her granddaughter, Mary French Haves served a delicious salad plate beautifully appointed and using the valentine motif. With this was served coffee and appropriate accompaniments.

In addition to Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Hendrix and Miss Bryson the following guests were present: Mrs.

J. J. Perkins, Mrs. Carl Richardson, Mrs. N. O. Warren, Mrs. James S. Jenkins, Mrs. T. I. Wagner and Mrs. Lawrence Smith.

Floating Shower Fetes Bride Elect Of February

Miss Geraldine Taylor, bride-elect of February 23, was honored at a floating shower party on last Saturday afternoon when Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Taylor and Miss Katherine Taylor entertained for her.

Guests were invited to call between the hours of 3:30-5:30 at the Taylor home on the Bethel highway. The home was attractively decorated with white iris and green fern, which were used in many lovely combinations for table and mantel arrangements.

As the guests arrived, they were welcomed at the door by Mrs. Frank Taylor and asked to register in the bride's book. Before going to the dining room for refreshments, the guests were ushered into the gift room, where the many attractive shower presents were on display.

In the dining room the table was centered with a green and white bridal arrangement. Miss Hilda Speight poured punch and guests served themselves to accompanying sandwiches, salted nuts, bridal cakes and decorated minis.

Miss Taylor, the honoree, was given a corsage of white iris and gifts of a silver bon bon dish and a blanket from the hostesses.

Program Given On Mardi Gras At Semi Cent

The members of the Semi Cent Book Club met with Mrs. C. E. Fleming at her home on River Drive on Tuesday night.

Mrs. Frank Strawn, president, presided over the routine business meeting. She announced the purchase of a new book for the club, entitled "The Singing Hills" by Lillian Craig. She also introduced a new member, Mrs. Joanne Braswell, who was extended a warm welcome by those present.

Mrs. Harry Forbes was presented by the president as the guest speaker for the evening. She gave an entertaining account of the Mardi Gras season in New Orleans, showing pictures and telling amusing incidents which have occurred during the carnival season.

She described the krewe organizations which plan the balls and parades, telling of the elaborate pageants which are held, the extravagance of the floats, costumes and decorations for them, and spoke in detail of how they were conducted.

Mardi Gras itself, the last day which precedes Lent, was described as a street festival day in which the population of the city participates. The gay social season is concluded with the glamorous balls which are given by the krewe of Rex and Comus on Mardi Gras night.

During the social hour, the hostess served apple tarts, salted nuts and hot coffee, after which the books were exchanged and the club adjourned.

Reedy Branch Church
Every member of Reedy Branch Church is urged to attend services Sunday, Feb. 17, as there will be a very important business conference.

Social and Personal

All items for this page received after 10 a. m. will be published the following day. Dial 3344-0 a. m. to Noon; 1 to 4:30 p. m.

Mrs. D. D. Overton is spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Brim, in Greensboro.

Mrs. J. C. Wilkes of Candor, N. C. is visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Fleming.

Mrs. A. L. McLeod of Camden, S. C. and her granddaughter, Priscilla McLeod, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John D. Grier at their home in Elmhurst.

Birth Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Elwood Eiks announce the birth of a daughter, Lois Marietta, on February 11 at Taylor Hospital in Washington.

Mrs. Eiks is the former Alice Mae Mills of Greenville, R. I.

Birth Announcement

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Bapp announce the birth of a daughter on February 12 at Pitt Memorial Hospital.

Dr. Bapp is a resident physician at the local hospital.

Birth Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mumford of Greenville announce the birth of a son, Darr Jr., on February 5 at Pitt Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Mumford is the former Mrs. Virginia Keel of Robertsonville.

Camp Hardee Notice

The Girl Scout Council voted at a recent meeting to have printed attractive folders of Camp Hardee to mail to prospective campers.

At the request of Mrs. E. L. Henderson, anyone who has pictures of the camp or pictures showing group activities there is asked to call the girl scout office or to mail them to Mrs. Henderson.

Good care will be taken of them and the owners may have them back after the folder is made up.

ful way the results of Dr. Wilson's three-year study (1926-1929) of crimes—especially of dope addiction—at Leavenworth prison. It reveals the great need of a more humane attitude towards criminals and the sound sense back of rehabilitation efforts.

Mrs. Savage Gives Book Review At Literature Dep't

Mrs. J. W. Tetterton entertained the Literature Department of the Woman's Club Tuesday afternoon in her lovely home on Fifth Street. Mrs. J. C. Wooten and Mrs. H. A. Coleman were assisting hostesses.

Delicate Spring flowers and camellias about the rooms fitted in harmoniously with the valentine motif used for the table decorations and delicious refreshments.

At roll call quotations were given from men famous in history. Most of these were chosen from the writings of Abraham Lincoln to do honor to his birthday.

After refreshments and a short business meeting, Mrs. R. P. Rogers, chairman, turned the meeting over to Mrs. J. L. Savage who gave, in her strong and yet often humorous way, an interesting and enlightening review of Dr. Paul Wilson's best-seller, "My Six Convicts." This book gives in a very readable and force-

SOCIAL CALENDAR

THURSDAY

3:30 p.m.—Executive Board of W.S.C.S. of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church meets in Molly Brown Room.

7:30-9:00 p.m.—Christian Workers Training Institute at Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church.

FRIDAY

3:30 p.m.—Greenville Garden Club will meet at the Woman's Club. Program on conversation.

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

40 Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR

February 14, 1912

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith went to Robertsonville today to attend a marriage.

It rained nearly all last night and today, but there is yet considerable of the last snow left.

A new club composed of young married women has been organized here, and will be known as the pleasure club. The first meeting was held Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. W. L. Best.

Steam heated houses will have to come to avoid trouble with freezing water pipes.

Grimesland P.T.A. Holds Monthly Meet

The Parent-Teachers Association of the Grimesland school met on Tuesday night at the school.

Elbert Mills, president, presided over the business session.

The meeting was opened with the singing of "America the Beautiful," followed by the group prayer.

Mrs. Lloyd Whitchard, secretary, read the minutes which were corrected and approved. Mrs. Cosart, treasurer, gave the financial report. After the taking of the room count, prizes were awarded to the rooms taught by Mrs. Ainsley, Mrs. Nixon and Mrs. Powell for attendance.

Following routine reports from the different committees, Mrs. Ainsley announced that a Queen of Hearts program would be presented at the school tonight in celebration of Valentine's Day.

Mrs. Allan Powell announced that a barbecue supper would be served by the Beta Club before the next P.T.A. meeting for the purpose of raising funds to send delegates to the state convention which will be held in the early spring.

For the program hour two movies were shown by Mrs. F. F. Hendrix, which were based on citizenship and inflation. The names of the films were "Joe Turner, American" and "Kip Van Winkle." The movies were enjoyed by all present, and the meeting adjourned at the conclusion of the films.

Canasta Caper Club Honors Mrs. Lee

Members of the Canasta Caper Club honored one of their members, Mrs. Walter Lee, when the club met at the home of Mrs. Reece Huffstetler on last Thursday afternoon.

Upon arrival the honor guest was presented with a beautiful corsage. Places were laid for eight card players. The table at which Mrs. Lee sat was centered with a heart shaped cake carrying out the valentine motif. The hostess served ice cream and cake, accompanied by coffee, after which many attractively packaged gifts were given to Mrs. Lee.

After the refreshment hour and the opening of the presents, canasta was played for the remainder of the afternoon.

Named Candidate Of Progressives

PHILADELPHIA (UP)—West Coast attorney Vincent Hallinan has been drafted as the Progressive party's presidential candidate, a Progressive party rally was told here last night.

More than 1,000 persons attended the rally at town hall where several thousands dollars was contributed for a campaign to secure signatures to place candidates on the Pennsylvania ballot next November. Speakers included former Congressman Vito Marcantonio, leader of the New York American Labor Party.

Reports General 'Deeply Touched'

NEW YORK (UP)—Miss Jacqueline Cochran, famous pilot and co-chairman of the "Serenade to Eisenhower" rally held in Madison Square Garden last Friday, said today the general was "deeply touched" by the demonstration.

At the same time, he reiterated he was not a politician and would not actively seek the Republican presidential nomination, she said. Miss Cochran flew to Paris to see the general immediately after the rally.

Fire Fighters Run Into Trouble

PORTLAND, Ore. (UP)—While answering a fire alarm yesterday a fireman tumbled off a truck and another fire engine smashed into a big truck, lost a wheel and backed into a Portland trolley bus—but the fire was controlled.

It turned out to be smoke from a boiled-over coffee pot.

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Beverly Neilson Guest Speaker At Cosmos Club

Mrs. Bob Ross was hostess to members of the Cosmos Book Club on Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Beverly Neilson was introduced as guest speaker and spoke in glowing terms of her experiences and work in the Hawaiian Islands during the past summer.

Miss Neilson, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Neilson, was one of six young persons selected by the Southern Baptist Church to do field work in some of the mission stations during the past summer.

She described the life of the natives—their living habits, their social and economic status, and their problems of rehabilitation following the war. The description of their gardens and the natural beauty of the islands was particularly enjoyed by the club members.

She told of her work as counselor and kindergarten teacher among the natives while there. She interspersed her remarks with many personal references to things which she saw and did while visiting around the islands. Members asked her questions concerning some of the customs and life of the people, which she graciously answered.

The hostess used spring flowers for decorations, and in her dessert course which she served, she carried out the valentine motif in plate favors.

Miss Winnie Petty was a special guest for the afternoon.

The longest eclipse of the sun in modern times occurred in 1937. Viewed from the Pacific Ocean area it lasted 7 minutes and 4 seconds.

The paintings in the Prado Museum in Madrid were removed and hidden during the Spanish Civil War of 1936-39.

Alabaman, 72, Is Turning To Art

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (UP)—A 72-year-old man who worked with a rubberized paint for 30 years might well qualify for the more than 100 pictures.

title of "Grandpa Moses." James K. Stewart, who once entertained while dressed in kilt, has copied the technique of Grandpa Moses in combining painting with old age.



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Wilson County Solicitor To Address Kiwanis Club

Silas Lucas, solicitor of the general county court of Wilson County, will be here to speak to the members of the Kiwanis club tomorrow night at 6:30.

Newspapers all over the state have hailed Lucas as an after-dinner speaker and the late Wilbur Royster of Raleigh remarked that Lucas was "the last of the old school southern orators". By profession, Lucas is a lawyer and has been solicitor of the Wilson County General Court since 1934 but by nature and preference, he is an entertainer.

As well as being an entertainer



SILAS LUCAS

and lawyer, Lucas is a musician. He has been a student of the trombone since he was 15 and was the organizer of town and high school bands, plus being a composer and a member of the Methodist Church choir.

Lucas discovered his knack for oratory as mayor of Wilson when he had to welcome conventions to the tobacco town. He was one of the youngest mayors in the country, being only 26 when he went into office in 1923.

The orator graduated from the University Law School and opened a practice in 1922 in Wilson, the next year he was elected mayor and served for two terms. After 20 years as building up his reputation as a lawyer, he has turned to professional speaking and has been highly recommended by a number of notables.

Shipyards in Britain are busier than they have been for 30 years. Jupiter is a mean distance of 43,900,000 miles away from the sun.

Water is the Dismal Swamp of North Carolina and Virginia. It is named to the color of dark cider, submerged peat and twisted roots and stumps.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF VALUABLE TIMBER LAND

For sale at the courthouse door in Greenville, North Carolina, at 12:00 Noon at public auction on Thursday, February 21, 1952, 49 acres of timber land in Pitt County, approximately 500,000 feet of timber, mostly good grade pine.

A map of same can be inspected at the office of the undersigned.

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Heavy Docket In Court Yesterday

More than five hours was required yesterday to clear the docket at the Wednesday session of Greenville city traffic court.

A total of 24 cases were tried during that time with several of the cases taking up much of the court's time.

William Clark was not guilty of improper turning.

James C. Chapman was fined \$50 less costs as part of a 60-day suspended sentence for speeding, with the provision that he not operate a motor vehicle for two weeks except when chauffeuring L. A. Spears in daytime.

Clifton Brock was not guilty of following too closely.

Joseph Gray, charged with improper brakes, had prayer for judgment continued in the case.

Jason Scarborough paid \$15 for speeding.

William D. Braxton paid \$5 fine for failure to keep proper lookout while backing.

Richard L. Spivey was found not guilty of leaving the scene of an accident and reckless driving.

Jesse Lee Willis, charged with no operator's license, paid \$25 less cost of court.

Robert E. Wooten, improper brakes, paid \$15.

Herbert A. Buck, passing on bridge, paid \$5.

Willie R. Spellman, failure to stop for traffic light, paid \$10.

Joe Green Jr., no operator's license, was called and failed. The judge issued a capias instanter for him.

George E. Barber, failure to stop for "stop" sign, paid \$5.

Oscar Bynum, careless and reckless driving, was given a 60-day suspended sentence on payment of \$30 less costs and pay \$5 to Greenville Utilities for damage to property and also not violate any motor vehicle laws for one year.

Ellen Dixon, no operator's license, was fined \$25 and costs.

Charlie Heath, allowing unlicensed driver to operate motor vehicle, paid \$25 less costs.

Butler R. Avery, careless and reckless driving, was given a 30-day suspended sentence on payment of \$25 and make adequate payment for damage caused, and not violate any motor vehicle law for one year.

Simon Rouse, larceny, 30 days on roads in each of two cases. The sentences are to run consecutively.

Gernab C. Hopkins, affray, paid \$5.

David Lee, assault on female, 60 days suspended on condition that he remain away from, and not visit, harm or molest, Mary Sheriff for one year and pay \$15 cost and remain of good behavior for one year during which time he is not to violate any law.

Robert Lee Harris, drunk and disorderly, was not guilty.

John Barnhill, no operator's license, paid \$25 less costs.

U. S. weather maps are prepared from information obtained by telegraph and radio from hundreds of weather stations in the United States, Canada and other points.

Moisture-laden winds from the Aleutians area first drop heavy rain on Northern California and then leave the rest as snow in the Sierra Nevada Mountains.

Bound For San Francisco



Shown above are Mr. V. A. Merritt and son, Norris Merritt, of Greenville, who will depart tomorrow for a national General Electric dealers' meet in San Francisco. At a recent Raleigh meeting, V. A. Merritt was named "G-E Dealer of the Year" for North Carolina; his son also won a trip to San Francisco, led all retail salesmen in a recent G-E contest.

Altrusa Club Meets; Votes Scholarship To Crossnore

Mrs. Ruel Tyson and Miss Bessie Scott were hostesses to the members of the Altrusa Club at their regular meeting on Tuesday evening, February 5, at the home of Mrs. Tyson.

The meeting was opened with the reading of the Principles of the Altrusa Club by Miss Marian Perry. The president, Miss Frances Wahl, presided over the business session, during which she reviewed the work of the last month and outlined future plans of the club.

Mrs. J. B. Spilman, field secretary for the Tuberculosis Association, gave the program on "The Woman of the Year." She prefaced this subject with information and data on her work with the TB Association. Both subjects were particularly interesting to this group.

Since Dr. Mary Sloop, a native of North Carolina, was chosen as na-

tional Woman of the Year, Mrs. Spilman said that all North Carolinians should be proud of her achievements. Her outstanding accomplishments for Avery County, her untiring efforts for mountain children, her resourcefulness in securing funds for Crossnore School all gave her the title of the Grand Lady of the Blue Ridge.

So forcefully did the life of this woman impress the club members that they were unanimous in voting a scholarship for a year to benefit some worthy ambitious young woman. The Altrusa Club is an expression of the search for the best in character, business and citizenship and it was felt that this project meets with that principal.

At the close of the program the hostesses served a delicious salad course which carried out the club colors in plate decorations.

Fountain News

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Pollard and family of Crisp were guests of Mrs. J. P. Nichols Sunday.

Pfc. Alexander L. Owens has returned to camp at Fort Benning, Georgia after spending ten days at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nichols and sister, Mrs. Dillard of Enfield, Mr. Nannie P. Hearne of Macclesfield, Miss Ellen Parker of Washington, N. C. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Newton Sunday.

Mrs. West Joyner of Rocky Mount is on an extended visit with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Moore.

Mrs. Mattie Nichols and Mrs. Jasper Morgan have returned from a four-week visit with Mrs. Nichols' sister, Mrs. Mary J. Peterson of Staten Island, New York. Mrs. Nichols' daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Petty and Mrs. Nichols' son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Nichols of Washington, D. C.

Mr. Jimmy Horton was weekend guest of Mr. James Thorne, a student of State College, Raleigh.

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son, Larry Edwards, Mr. Don Ward and Mrs. Bettie Hess of Crownsville, Maryland spent the weekend with Mr. Manning's parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Manning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Harris and daughter, Ann, Mrs. R. A. Fountain and Miss Envy Owens spent the weekend in Richmond, Virginia. Mrs. E. P. Whitakers of Kernersville joined her sister, Mrs. Fountain, in Richmond and accompanied her to Mrs. Fountain's home in Fountain for an extended visit.

Mr. George Nichols of Rocky Mount spent Saturday at home with his mother, Mrs. J. P. Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. House and son, Michael of Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Janice and son, Luther, of Robertsonville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mark W. Owens Sunday.

Mr. Bobbie Morgan of Newport News spent the weekend with his father, Mr. Milton Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Staley Gupton moved last week from Louisburg to Fountain, in the home on Main Street that was vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bryant and children the last of January when they moved to Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dail and daughter, Mary, of Stantonburg and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dail and children of Wilson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Walston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Owens Jr. spent Sunday in Norfolk with friends. Little Neata Barnhill returned with Mr. and Mrs. Owens for an extended visit.

Miss Marjorie Killebrew of Winston-Salem spent the weekend at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Killebrew.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams of Plymouth were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Killebrew Sunday.

Mrs. C. M. Smith spent Monday in Roanoke Rapids with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Knott. Mr. Smith was Richmond business visitor Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Smith returned to their home in Fountain Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. William W. Owens and daughter, Judy, were dinner guests of Mrs. Owens' mother, Mrs. T. B. Heath of Greenville Tuesday.

The Fountain School Parent-Teachers Association will hold its regular meeting Wednesday night, February 20, in Fountain school auditorium at 7:30 o'clock. Parents and teachers are urged to attend.

The Fountain Presbyterian Church senior choir rehearsal will held Wednesday evening at 7:15 o'clock.

The circles of the Women of the Fountain Presbyterian Church met in the home of Mrs. A. C. Gay Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. R. A. Fountain, the vice-president, Mrs. Ben H. Owens, presided over the business session.

Mrs. Hardy Jonsson opened the meeting with prayer and read Exodus Chapter 20 verse 17 which is the last of the ten commandments.

Mrs. Philip M. Cory read the article, "God's Claim On My Life," by Rachel Henderlite.

The hostess served delicious refreshments to the following: Mrs. Hardy Jonsson, Mrs. G. E. Trevathan, Mrs. Ben H. Owens, Mrs. A. C. Gay, Mrs. J. A. Mercer, Mrs. Jimmie Sutton, Mrs. J. W. Reddick, Mrs. Philip M. Cory, Mrs. Paul Burnett, Mrs. J. L. Peele, Mrs. J. L. Dozier, Mrs. J. H. Owens and one visitor, Miss Anna Gardner.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Fountain Baptist Church met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Alford Jones, with twelve members present.

The program chairman was Mrs. Stancil Dilda. The topic for the month was "The Ministry of Prayer." The following ladies took part on the program, Mrs. Stancil Dilda, Mrs. L. P. Yelverton, Mrs. R. F. Speight, Mrs. R. L. West, Mrs. Henry Smith, Mrs. Pete Baker, and Mrs. Alford Jones. Mrs. E. B. Beasley presided over the business session that closed with prayer.

The hostess served Coca Cola, chicken salad sandwiches and cookies.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Trevathan, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dozier, Rev. Philip M. Cory, Mr. R. A. Fountain, Mrs. G. W. Jefferson Sr., Mr. James Lang Jefferson, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Burnett attended the Presbyterian Mid-Century Seminary service and supper at Rocky Mount Country Club Monday evening.

The president of the Seminary, Dr. B. R. Lacy of Richmond, Virginia, was the principal speaker and was assisted by several Seminary students. Dr. Lacy showed the film of the South and responsibility the Seminary has for today.

Menhaden, a species of fish, much oil when caught in the autumn as when caught in the spring.

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Madrigal Music Program Given At Music Club

A program of madrigal songs was presented to around forty-five members of the Greenville Music Club Tuesday evening at the Woman's Club.

Mr. Ed Durham of the College music faculty gave commentaries on madrigal music throughout the program. He stated that the word madrigal comes from madrial, which means pastoral and usually tells about love. The madrigal style of music began in Italy in the fourteenth century, but reached the height of its popularity and perfection in England during the Elizabethan era. Many people find it difficult to listen to madrigal music, for they have been accustomed to listen to one tune, and madrigals have several melodies often with contrasting rhythms but so written that they combine together satisfactorily. Each part or voice is a melody, and to enjoy it one must be able to follow three or four or five melodies, proceeding together and yet independently.

His comments added greatly to the understanding of the program.

Mr. Dan Vornholt of the College music department organized and directed the group which sang, and the numbers given by them were composed in a period ranging from

the sixteenth to the nineteenth centuries. Madrigal singers of the evening were: sopranos—Miss Gladys Reichard, Mrs. John Karnak, Miss Denny Lee Bryson; altos—Mrs. H. A. Hendrix and Miss Ruth Lambie; tenors—Mr. Dan Vornholt, Mr. George Perry, Mr. Spruill Spain; basses—Mr. A. O. Thirkeldsen and Mr. J. C. Clifford.

Long Memory Is Helpful To Law

ANNISTON, Ala. —(UP)—A sheriff remembered the days of his youth, so Russell Cobb went back to jail.

When Cobb showed up to pay a fine at Anniston, sheriff A. A. Fate recognized him as one of his playmates when he was a child in Calhoun County.

Fate also remembered receiving a "wanted poster" on Cobb. Cobb was returned to prison to finish out a sentence from which he was paroled several years before.

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THE ASCENDING TOWER OF TRUTH
There is nothing more shocking or ridiculous than
truth. The first time we hear an unusual truth ex-
pressed, we are inclined to laugh at it. Bernard Shaw
always insisted that he was not a humorist; he main-
tained that the reason why he made so many people
laugh was because he told the truth. We are always
fascinated or amused by the unusual. A new approach
to truth almost always appears to us to be ridiculous.

When Columbus proposed sailing west across the
Atlantic Ocean in order to reach the East Indies, the
nobles of Spain fell off their banquet chairs laughing.
The idea was manifestly absurd. Pasterur was per-
secuted when he advanced the theory of the transmis-
sion of disease by means of germs. All sorts of dog-
gerel was written about the Wright Brothers and their
crazy flying machines. Some of us can even remember
when Albert Einstein was universally looked upon as an
irresponsible freak.

Nothing seems more absurd than truth with
which we are not familiar. Read Shaw's Prefaces, and
between your paroxysms of laughter ask yourself what
you are laughing about. You may discover that it is
truth with which up to that time you had been utterly
unfamiliar.

A new truth is usually shocking or ridiculous. We
can seldom take it without a laugh or a snarl.

Pitt County Money Went Up In Smoke

Carelessness caused Pitt County farm-
ers to lose thousands of dollars worth of
timber this week. Carelessness was the
cause of numerous forest fires which swept
through acre after acre of woodland in the
county leaving much timber and many
young trees either destroyed or damaged.

Here in Pitt County equipment for fight-
ing forest fires with a good head start is
vastly inadequate. Once a fire starts eating
its way through the underbrush and trees it
is difficult to stop. As a result almost
every year fire sweeps through hundreds
of acres of Pitt's woodland.

Many of the forest fires in Pitt County
—the vast majority of them we will ven-
ture to say—could be prevented if farmers
would take the necessary precautions to
prevent them while they are burning off
ditch banks and other areas on the farms.
Still other forest fires in the county could
be prevented if the motorists would be
careful with the cigarettes and matches
they toss from their automobiles along the
highways and by-ways of the county.

Timber is becoming an increasingly im-
portant agricultural crop in Pitt County,
and the farmers and other citizens should
take every possible precaution to prevent
destruction of the crop. In Pitt County
where facilities for forest fire fighting are
so limited, prevention is by far the most
important factor in preserving woodland
from destruction by fire.

A farmer takes every possible precau-
tion to make sure his tobacco, corn and
other crops are not destroyed by fire. Pitt
farmers should take just as much precau-
tion to see that their timber does not go
up in flames.

Best Purification Is In The Grass Roots

Senator Willis Smith's assertion that po-
licies of the national Democratic party have,
during the past several years, absorbed the
majority of the fundamentals of socialism
was far from political chatter.

The firm foundation of the truth upon
which the statement was made is what
causes it to sear so on the skin of the Demo-
cratic bosses who realize how far to the
left the program of the party has moved.
Yet they cringe to hear the word "social-
ism" mentioned in the same breath with
the party name. By the same token they
have found that gifts made possible through
a socialistic program in government tends
to draw votes early in the program, and
they are reluctant to give up the socialistic
planks in the platform at the risk of losing
votes.

The truth upon which Senator Smith's
statement is founded is what lies behind
the very fact that a large majority of the
Southern representatives in the halls of
Congress have not fallen in behind much
of the Fair Deal program of President Tru-
man. They are fully aware that a large

part of the Fair Deal is too far to the left
for the welfare of the United States and its
people in the long run.

Members of Congress and the people of
the individual states have only to look to
Britain to see what plight lies in store for
those who are wooed into the blissfulness
of the welfare state as it is depicted by ad-
vocates of socialistic measures. Socialism
looks pretty as a shade tree, but it bears
bitter fruit.

For its own good and the good of the na-
tion, the Democratic party needs a lot of
purification. The only place from which
the purification can come is from the grass
roots of the party—from the people who
do the voting rather than the big bosses
who weigh every proposal from the stand-
point of votes it will attract rather than the
permanent good it will do.

The socialism which has been gaining
stature in the Democratic party should be
relegated to its proper place of insignifi-
cance, but the feat can only be accomplish-
ed if the rank and file members of the Dem-
ocratic party make themselves heard in no
uncertain terms.

How Many Watchdogs Does It Take?

The Reflector is very much in favor of
close scrutiny of federal spending by mem-
bers of Congress, but we remain very con-
scious of the pyramiding and overlapping
of federal agencies and congressional com-
mittees.

Congress already has set up a goodly
number of "watchdog" groups to keep
check on federal spending and other mat-
ters in the various agencies. Now Senator
McClellan has proposed in a bill setting up
a super-watchdog committee to watch over
government activities and perhaps to watch
over the "watchdog" committees as well.

It may be that Congress needs a super-
watchdog committee, but one is set up,
it seems logical that some of the "terrier"
committees could be done away with.

The peoples' representatives need to
keep an eye on the activities of the various
agencies, but Congress already has so
many "watchdog" committees it is begin-
ning to have a similarity to the city dog
pound.

National Whirligig

WASHINGTON—Despite East-West Republican
differences over Presidential personalities and the party
leadership, neither the Taft nor Eisenhower gen-
eralisms anticipate any serious row over the party
platform.

Nor do their views coincide on a 1952 statement
of principles simply because of the cynical viewpoint
that a platform is something to be forgotten after
election.

It was, in a sense, the blind hand of history which
foreordained what may turn out to be a lucky stroke
for the G.O.P. It may help to prevent the convention
or post-convention split between the rival factions
on which Truman Democrats count heavily for a
November victory.

It is generally agreed among inner Republican
circles that the 1948 platform will serve as a model
for the 1952 document, with only a few modifications.
The only major changes will consist of emphasis on
"Truman corruption," which did not figure in the
contest four years ago because it was then only a
specter, and a sharper broadside against the Truman-
Acheson foreign policy in the light of 1948-1952 reverses
in the "cold war" with Russia and the "police action"
against North Korean and Chinese communists.

BACKGROUND—Therefore, the practical poli-
ticians believe that the background history of 1948
platform-making, as well as the four avowed candi-
dates' views on the subject, assure a peaceful and
generally satisfactory solution of this sometimes knotty
problem.

It so happens that Senator Taft of Ohio, who was
recognized even then as "Mister Republican," wrote
the portion dealing with domestic questions—labor,
agriculture, social security, veterans, housing, con-
servation, reclamation and water power.

Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, who has become
the national campaign manager and principal spokes-
man for General Eisenhower, was given the assign-
ment of hammering together the selections which
criticized the Roosevelt-Truman-Acheson foreign pro-
gram, and which offered substitute Republican ideas.

SUBSCRIBED—Governor Dewey of New York and
Governor Warren of California sponsored a few un-
important changes, and then the formal and most
recent summary of Republican philosophy.

Harold E. Stassen, who did not then fancy himself
as a world statesman, was a Dewey adviser on farm
problems. Neither privately nor publicly did the Min-
nesotan take exception to the 1948 paper.

Thus, personally or by proxy, every current can-
didate for the Presidential nomination has subscribed
in a specific or general way to the declaration of four
years ago.

SIGNIFICANT—Governor Warren's attitude is
especially noteworthy because he may show up with
enough supporters to determine the eventual nominee.
By throwing his 100-odd delegates to Taft or Eisen-
hower, he could be the "kingmaker." He has described
the 1948 platform as "the finest our party has ever
written."

But the most significant fact is that any of the
front-runners in the race could stand on the four-
year-old statement without sacrifice of any major
convictions. It should be noted, however, that the
General's views as given here are those attributed to
him by his senatorial sponsors. They depict him as a
middle-of-the-roader, although less conservative than
Mr. Taft.

ISSUES—Aside from foreign affairs, the two issues
which may produce differences between the civilian
and military aspirants are supposed to be labor and
social security. The Eisenhower faction seeks to picture
Mr. Taft as an utter reactionary on these questions.

On labor, the 1948 document from the Ohioan's
hand declares for "collective bargaining," but it points
out that employers' rights should be given equal pro-
tection in the process. It supports the "fundamental
right to strike" save when national health, safety or
security are endangered. It urges improvement, not
repeal, of existing labor-management legislation—
namely, the Taft-Hartley Act.

Politicians doubt whether "Ike," as the nominee,
would demand either softening or strengthening of
this declaration.

SECURITY—General Eisenhower has been quoted
as—or misquoted—as critical of President Truman's so-
cial security beliefs. He is supposed to feel that they
have been too extravagant, too generous and too par-
tial to the beneficiaries. He once said, in effect, "If
all people want is security, they can go to prison."

The portion of the 1948 platform written by Mr.
Taft demands "extension" of the social security pro-
gram, and "increase of benefits to a more realistic
level." Regardless of how "Ike" has been represented
or misrepresented—on this question, politicians doubt
if he can afford to take exception to this plank.

Sassy Valentines



Somebody Told Me

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

Greenville's newest civic club, Exchange, recently had their annual election of officers, in which Bill Riggins was elected president. Last night I heard a story on Bill that happened over a year ago but is worth telling now that he is president.

Bill and Sam Worthington, then the club's president, were at Wrightsville Beach for the state convention of Exchange Clubs (there are 44 in the state). During the session the nominations committee happened to announce the candidates just before the meeting adjourned for lunch. It was very noticeable that not a single candidate for the Board of Directors was from Eastern Carolina; that is, east of Raleigh.

Grady of Wilson and Bill got together and discussed the matter. They realized that after lunch there would be an oppor-

tunity for nominations from the floor, so it was time for Eastern Carolina to organize. The planning was done in Bill's room during the lunch hour.

Back in session, Judge Grady nominated Sam Worthington and Bill immediately took the floor, speaking in Sam's behalf. Each speech was supposed to be about three minutes, but Bill rocked the delegates by keeping the floor for one hour and three minutes, for the longest speech on record at any State Exchange convention.

As an approach, Bill said, "Gentlemen, there's an awful lot of North Carolina east of Raleigh." From then on, it was strictly a filibuster, with Bill giving every detail about Sam.

After Bill's speech, the delegates were completely worn down and thoroughly convinced that Sam

was the man for the job. There were no other nominations, and Sam was elected unanimously.

The funny part of the story came to light the next day, when the Wilmington paper came off the press, reporting the convention. The reporter and photog-
rapher were so impressed with Bill's speech that instead of running a picture of the successful candidate, Sam, they featured Bill's picture.

For the installation services Bill had to get out of bed from a week's sickness. He was installed by a doctor and told him that he should go home and go to bed. "I've been in bed for a week," Bill said, "but I'll bet I feel better than you do." The doctor agreed, but said there were too many people sicker than he was for him to hit the sack.

And I thank you.

Around Capitol Square

Reflector Bureau

By LYNN NISBET

Asso. Afternoon Dailies

NOT BAD—Two problems which have given North Carolina farm leaders a lot of concern are not so serious as the Tarheels have thought, according to Charles F. Brannan, secretary of agriculture in President Truman's Cabinet. Brannan told newsmen at a press conference to Governor Scott's office Tuesday that the fertilizer situation is easing up, and that the selective service calls for military personnel is being handled pretty well.

FERTILIZER—The fertilizer situation is a better one, especially with respect to nitrogen, he said. He had not heard of any prospect of jammed warehouses or delayed deliveries, due to slowness of farmers in placing orders for their individual needs. The North Carolina Department of Agriculture last week warned farmers that delay in ordering and accepting deliveries might cause a jam later.

DRAFT—As to operation of the military draft, Brannan said, his department had very cordial working relations with the selective service setup, and that he felt farmers were being given fairly reasonable consideration. Many of the complaints arise, he said, from failure to follow through with appeals from call notices by local boards. He added that the situation is getting tighter. He discussed at some length the distinction between a farm boy who works with his family or as operator of his own farm, and the industrial worker in town, and pointed out that because of living conditions in the home as well as the integrated management-labor status of the war, the average farm worker is less easily replaced than the industrial worker. He anticipated that more farm boys will be called into military ser-

vice, but thinks the defense department will continue to recognize the importance of farm production along with development of fighting forces.

DISAPPOINTED—The Cabinet member was in Raleigh to address the North Carolina Farm Bureau Federation and some of the Farm Bureau leaders were frankly disappointed at the limited opportunity they had for talking with him. They had arranged a reception committee to meet him at the train and had tentatively set up a press conference at the hotel earlier in the morning. As it turned out, the State's No. 1 car met the train, Brannan had breakfast at the mansion with Governor Scott, then went to the press conference, which had been arranged at special request of several newsmen, and did not get to the hotel until barely in time for a one o'clock luncheon. Some of the local reporters also were disappointed at the press conference.

It was largely taken over by Harvey Dinkins, of WSJS radio station in Winston-Salem, who set the stage for a speech extolling the virtues of the New Deal and the Fair Deal, federal government loans to REA and telephone development, and gave the Secretary an opportunity to say that the nation owes Governor Scott a debt of gratitude for his emphasis on these matters.

COMPLIMENTS—Brannan and Dinkins exchanged compliments about which was most ardent in support of the national administration program, and the press conference broke up—with-out anybody getting any chance to ask Governor Scott any of the questions they had in mind specifically affecting North Carolina's upcoming political campaign. It was gotten into the record that "our governor has built

a ten mile road" in Piedmont North Carolina that cost \$100,000 and had increased land values a million dollars worth. It was put into the record whether this added million showed up on the tax books.

LAND PRICES—That opened up another phase of discussion about the high price of farm land, which indirectly dealt with the whole problem of inflation. Dinkins appeared disturbed because farmers in North Carolina cannot buy land and go into farming at prices that prevailed a few years ago. Brannan said the same condition prevailed all over, and was even more marked in the Middle West. He added that nobody can get into the mining business now with a few hundred dollars, nor into the textile business with a few thousand dollars. Like most of the men who built fortunes in these fields of activity not so long ago, Farming has become not only a recognized, but big business.

POLITICS—Meanwhile the Farm Bureau folk, downtown were going about the business which had brought them, together in a state convention—and which had little relation partisan or factional politics, except as politics and candidates fitted into their overall farm program. Public speeches by farmer, manufacturer and labor representatives indicated no such full endorsement of the national administration politics as were being stated at the governor's offices. And while most of the registered convention delegates were moving around among them, Marshall Jureles of Winston-Salem and Roy Rowe of Burgaw, both wearing delegate badges, were promoting their candidacies for lieutenant gov-

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Business Today

Ever since the days of the old medicine shows, when a few Indians did a war dance and some one banged out a tiny tune before the speaker began his talk about the merits of snake oil, there has always been a close alliance between trade and entertainers. The affiliation probably goes back further than that. The cave man may have wrestled a bear, two falls out of three, before he went into his commercial about his axe heads. And this relationship has continued in our day through radio and television.

But this relationship has been taking a new turn lately. Not content with casual alliances with mummery, some corporations are establishing permanent, almost family, relations with entertainers.

Even this is not new. Al Jolson and other stars took stock in movie companies in payment for their services. But that was still within the fields of entertainment.

Now we find Eddie Cantor signed with a lifetime contract with the Welch wine company. He will, it is said, be an "active associate" and not a mere puppet of a sponsor. He is reported to have more than a salary interest in the corporation. And one of the more popular radio commentators is reported to have been cut in for a large block of stock of the cosmetic firm that sponsors him.

Long-term acquisition of the personality of entertainers has appeared in the auto automobile industry. Oldsmobile has signed up Jean Ruth and John Leckner to become more or less permanent "Oldsmobile Sweethearts," paying a large sum to persuade them to forget their Hollywood ambitions. They will do TV commercials, entertain dealer groups and be worked in various stunts over the period of their contract.

This trend, if it is a trend, has a parallel in the military field. Many of our more celebrated generals have been signed up by large corporations on their retirement from service. In some instances, it appears that there is still a lot of dynamic executive ability left in the old boys; in other instances it appears that they are largely useful for prestige and publicity. In the latter cases, they have a lot in common with entertainment stars who commit themselves to long-term.

CANNED FOODS

SUPPLIES VARY
The Department of Commerce's latest count of wholesale distributors' stocks of canned fruits, vegetables and juices show 18 categories in smaller supply than a year ago and 15 in

greater supply.
There were smaller stocks of beans, corn, peas, asparagus, lima, sweet potatoes, apricots, fruit cocktail, peaches, pears, pineapple, apples, red pitted cherries, sweet cherries, tomato juice, orange juice, pineapple juice and apple juice and cider. There were larger stocks of tomatoes, beets, carrots, pumpkin and squash, sauerkraut, spinach, catsup and chili sauce, tomato puree, tomato sauce, applesauce, cranberries and sauce, grapefruit segments, plums and prunes, grapefruit juice and blended citrus juice.

ROSIE THE RIVETER
OUTNUMBERED NOW

There were more people in the labor force last year than in 1944, a study of government data by the National Industrial Conference Board shows. There were also more women in non-agricultural jobs last year than in 1944.

The Board estimates 17,900,000 women were working last year, 400,000 more than in 1950 and 800,000 more than in 1944. The total labor force was put at 66,000,000 compared with 64,700,000 in 1950, and 65,000,000 in 1944.

FURNITURE SALES

FIGURES DIFFER
The Federal Reserve Board gives a brighter picture of furniture store sales in December than does the Department of Commerce. Commerce's figures on large retail furniture stores showed sales 4 per cent below December 1950; Federal Reserve's report for stores of all sizes show a 1 per cent gain.

The FRB report showed cash sales down 6 per cent, installment sales up 9 per cent, and charges down 17 per cent.

BANDITS WORSE

THAN DRAGONS

One of our favorite papers in the drug and chemical field reports: "Very little dragons blood is available for shipment from Malaya, the reason being given that gatherers are subject to attack by bandits."

Dragons blood is a resin from a large tropical tree and is used in industry.

PROTECTIVE: A rubber-cushioned fender cover to protect the finish of cars while being serviced has been announced by Industrial Covers Co., Akron, Ohio. It consists of a grease-proof vinyl film laminated to be thin cushion of airform rubber.

COMBINATION: A new tool for coffee cans consists of a spout; one end opens the can with a beer can opener action, then looks into place. The other end has a cap which measures a teaspoon of coffee. It is by California Projects, Inc. 8818 1/2 Sunset Blvd., Los Angeles 46.

Hal Boyle's Column

TAMPA, Fla. — (AP)—The American fighting man in Korea is the nation's valentine today.

But he is pretty much taken for granted. And the war he is engaged in is less on the lips of his countrymen than the subject of national politics.

Traveling about the country now you cannot help being struck about how much talk there is about the coming election, and how little there is about the conflict in Korea.

The weary months of truce negotiations, the long and intricate quibbling over terms for a ceasefire, have more and more added the Korean stalemate into the background of the national consciousness.

It is truly becoming a "forgotten war." At least for the time being. Many people bring up the subject only as a springboard for a verbal blast about "what's wrong with Washington."

The fresh question of "Who do you really think will be in the White House for the next four years?" simply holds more national interest than the seemingly changeless situation in the faraway rice paddies and hills of Korea. That wary fact must give the American men stationed there a blue feeling.

An officer's wife who recently returned with her husband from a tour of duty in the Far East said:

"When I first came home I was mad at the lack of interest shown here in the war. But now days go by, and I don't even read about it myself. Isn't that a shameful thing to have to admit?"

It is a terrible thing, but a very normal human reaction. The farther away a war is, the longer it drags on, the less you think about it unless you have someone dear to you involved in it.

Among those who do discuss the war there is a growing, bewildered anger. There is a kind of vague clamor for more drastic action.

"I think it's time for us to quit being Russia's puppet," said a manufacturer. "Why don't we march into Manchuria and end it?"

This bold attitude is fairly popular among civilian armchair chair generals, frustrated by the twilight nature of the Korean action. The American people are still used to old-fashioned wars that had a beginning, a middle and an end—wars waged mightily and won as quickly as possible.

They have no appetite for the Asiatic type of warfare, in which time is of no great concern, and battles flare up and die inconclusively away. But this is what we have in Korea, and to fight a series of these nibbling, "puzzling wars may be our fate for a generation in our slow grapple to halt the probing thrusts of Communism in arms.

Why not march into Manchur-

ia? Many infantry leaders feel it would only mire us more deeply in a rutted oriental landscape, where we might suffer millions of more casualties without achieving a final military decision.

They fear this would only widen the area of stalemate and spread our resources more thinly, opening a wound we could not close without a tremendous third world war.

The American soldier will have a lonely time this Valentine's Day, holding a nameless hill in a half-forgotten war the folks back home don't even like to talk about much any more.

Washington Letter

By JANE EADS

WASHINGTON — A woman is doing one of the most important and tricky jobs in the United States right now. It's a job requiring the discretion of a Supreme Court justice, so she can't talk much about it.

She is Dr. Kathryn McHale, one of the three people charged with solving the delicate, highly-involved question of civil rights versus national safety.

A noted scholar and for 21 years general director of the National Association of University Women, Dr. McHale was appointed by President Truman to serve on the Subversive Activities Control Board (SACB).

This board was established by the Internal Security (McCarran) Act of 1950 to render judgment on organizations and individuals declared subversive by the Department of Justice. Since April, 1951, the board has been holding hearings daily, Monday through Thursday, on the question of whether the Communist Party in this country is under foreign domination and control as charged by the Department of Justice.

If the board finds the subversion charge is true, the organization will be required to register and its members will be deprived of various citizenship privileges.

A dignified, gentle-mannered, sweet-faced woman who looks much younger than her recorded 63 years, Dr. McHale was born in Logansport, Ind. She has served as professor of psychology and philosophy at Goucher College, Baltimore; Columbia University in New York City, and the University of Minnesota. She considers her current job the most challenging of any she's tackled.

"Its far-reaching import makes one duly humble but stimulates one to exercise the best of one's abilities," she said. "One thing of which we are all deeply conscious is the need of being fair and responsible for our conclusions."

The SACB hearings are all open to the public, and Dr. McHale wishes the public would attend. "I think they'd get a perspective on how a quasi-judicial board operates and how evidence is introduced and debated by the attorneys," she said.

What Other Papers Are Thinking

SAINTS IN PRISON STRIPES

(Greensboro News)

It must be a source of disappointment, if not embarrassment, to Walter Anderson, state prison director, that so many disastrous things have happened lately at Halifax County Prison Camp, widely publicized both locally and nationally as "The Prison That Found God."

Some months ago the influence of a visiting church group set the inmates on a new path. This was following Anderson's appointment as prison chief. (He was widely publicized then as a religious man deeply aware of the powers of the spirit.)

At Halifax superintendent and guards reported an amazing transformation. Two of the "converted" convicts spread religion through the camp. Cursing stopped. There was an air of politeness, humility and newfound good humor among the inmates. Director Anderson told about the Halifax conversion in speeches about the state. He was proud of the camp.

Then the backsliding began. The two young prisoners who started the revival and who had been spotlighted in national publicity executed an escape. Because of their saintly behavior, they had been placed in honor grade, which facilitated the get-

away. Only one of the young men has been recaptured.

Next a Halifax guard killed one member of a working road gang and winged another. They sought to run. No evidence has been presented to show that the guard was not acting in line of duty, although such shooting is serious when it takes a life.

To a good Christian such disillusionment at Halifax proves nothing except that evil is in continuing struggle with good and sometimes wins several rounds. Still, Prison Director Anderson and his associates should and probably will be more leery of would-be saints in prison stripes from now on.

Murder is Forgetful

BY WILLIAM G. BOGART

AP Newsfeatures

Chapter 4
Johnny's level eyes flickered slightly. "If you mean about her suffering amnesia, I already understand..."

"It's more than that," Kay said. "She's had a terrific shock, and so we have to be very careful." My goodness, she remembers none of us at all. Besides, she now thinks she is an actress. You'll think she acts oddly, but please try to remember that she recalls nothing at all since that night two weeks ago..." Her voice faltered and her gaze dropped.

"You mean," Johnny asked gently, "about... your father?"

Kay nodded. "Have you heard?"

"Only a part of it," said Johnny. "If it's all right, I'd like to hear the whole story."

The girl said, "Mother and father were driving back from New York that night. Her voice

was low. "What exactly happened, no one knows. Father was found the next morning, shot, on a lonely side road near Little Neck. The police found the car in the same vicinity. It had gone off the road and was a total wreck."

Johnny said, "You mean, he was shot and then the car went off the road?"

"They don't know. That's it. The doctors think that mother must have been in the car, though, when it crashed. Some sort of injury hurt her head. It explains her loss of memory." She paused, and Johnny thought that she did not seem like a very young girl, then, but more like someone who had grown up overnight. "We didn't locate mother until two days ago," she went on. "We found her living under another name in a hotel in New York. She really thinks she is some other person."

"She remembers nothing?"

"Nothing at all," said Kay. Her voice was trembling a little. "How she got there, where she's been all this time since the accident, what she's done... no one knows. The doctors say she might snap out of it suddenly, and then again it might be months. She merely considers us friends who have asked her out here. She does not even remember father."

"What do the police have to say about it? I mean, the shooting..."

Kay's eyes stared somewhat dully ahead. "They figure it must have been an attempted holdup. Father always carried considerable money with him. They surmise that father was perhaps ordered to drive on. She could have heard the shot, later, and in her excitement crashed the car and hurt her head. There was no one who saw the accident."

Johnny touched the girl's slim arm. He said quietly, "I'll do all I can to help. The way I understand it, they figure that if your mother regains her memory she'll be able to tell just what happened. She might be able to say who... killed your father. That is... if it was anyone she knew."

"Yes," said the girl. "Helping mother to remember is part of it. But that isn't the only reason we need you. Uncle Thomas also employed you because of the notes."

Johnny frowned. "Notes?"

"Like this one," said Kay, taking something from the pocket of her beach robe. Unfolding it carefully, she handed it to Johnny Saxon. "It came in the mail the day before yesterday, and was addressed to mother."

Johnny read the words that were typed on a single sheet of white paper. They said:

YOU ARE NOT IRENE SMITH. DON'T TRY TO REMEMBER WHO YOU ARE. IF YOU DO, THERE MIGHT BE ANOTHER ACCIDENT!

There was no signature.

"Any idea what it means?" Johnny asked.

"That's just it!" said the girl. "We haven't the slightest idea."

Moe Martin said, "Say, maybe the woman's an impostor."

Kay looked at him. "Naturally I know my own mother."

"Yeah, that's right," Moe said, eyes blinking.

"Johnny said, 'And you don't know who might have sent this letter?'"

"No," Kay's eyes swept to Johnny Saxon's, and she added tensely, "Her life is in danger. That's why we need someone like you. We understand you used to be a fiction writer. Well, mother was working on a novel. And so we figure that if you keep reminding her about writing—talking shop, as it were—keep bringing up little details that will make mother remember her book, it might help to restore her memory."

Moe Martin had been listening attentively. Now he asked, "What kind of book was it?"

Johnny had been expecting him to ask such a question.

"That's just it!" exclaimed Kay. "Mother always felt sort of self-conscious about showing the manuscript to anyone. In fact, she always kept it laid away some place. If we could find it, it might stimulate her memory. And now..."

"Yes?" prompted Johnny.

"The book has disappeared!" (To be continued)

The first patent for a system of wireless transmission in the United States was issued to Dr. Mahlon Loomis, of Washington, D. C., in 1872.

Teen-Age Designer Scores Style Triumph



STRICTLY FABULOUS... These are two creations from the first collection of 17-year-old EdGies Bove, youngest designer in America, introduced recently at a fashion show sponsored by a brassiere company (Maidenform), coordinating outer wear with foundation garments. Both gowns pictured dramatize the bust interest. The white taffeta sheath at left is decorated with drop crystals and a red taffeta bodice top, worn with a dramatic red taffeta theater coat. The gown at right is magenta taffeta, skin-tight, with a fishtail flare at the hemline; shoulder straps and décolletage are encrusted with lilacs, and it is worn with striking full-length cape.

Recreation Dept. Weekly Calendar

THURSDAY
4:00—Rehearsal for Teen-Age Queen Contestants
8:00—Square Dance Instruction — All Adults Invited — Good Leadership (Armory)
Basketball, Armory
Third Street League
3:30—Blue Devils vs. Red Devils
4:00—Wolfpack vs. Jayhawks
4:30—Junior High Boys
Negro After-School Program
South Greenville
2:45—Children's Games
3:30—Horseshoe Contest
4:00—Basketball
Eppees High
3:30—Organization of Kite Groups
4:15—Teams Practice Basketball
FRIDAY
4:00—Prepare Armory for Teen-Age Activities
5:00—Children's Junior Theatre meeting at the Armory
7:00—Judging N.F.L. Speech Contest
7:30—Teen-Age Activities, Armory
Negro After-School Program
South Greenville
2:35—Children's Games
3:35—Basketball, Juniors
4:00—Horseshoe Contest
4:30—Basketball
Eppees High
3:30—Lakers vs. Tigers
4:15—Rens vs. Indians
Basketball, Armory
Training School League
3:30—Wolfpack vs. Wildcats

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Abyssinian governor
4. Stripling
7. Of the Pope
12. Branch of learning
13. Frozen confection
14. Each
15. Beetle
16. Deterioration
17. Accumulate
20. Always
21. Scold
22. Single things
23. That woman
24. Turn aside
28. Candle
30. Compilation
31. Black birds

DOWN
2. Open
3. Of apples
5. Hord of whales
6. Shower
8. Certain
9. Filament
10. Pertaining to the sun
11. Perplexing question
17. Since
18. Onward
19. Poem
25. Spread for drying
26. Big
27. Line
28. Dutch commune

OFF AVAST TAP
LEA DINNER IN
DENIZEN ATTIC
CREW OVAL
OLIO SAMENESS
MIENS BASK AH
END APART RIA
NE ONES YIELD
SNUGGLED ROBY
VEST OVAR
CRUEL SPENDER
OIL EMEER ERA
BOA READY REP

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

DOWN
1. Modern detecting device
2. Fragrance
3. Artifice
4. Covers
5. Expert aviator
6. Proper
7. Base
8. State positively
9. Write
10. Part of a circle
11. Caustic solution
12. Hall
13. Cut
14. Worthless leaving
15. Conjecture
16. Domestic fowl
17. Bitter vetch
18. Alienate
19. Dispatch boat
20. Canine
21. Yellow bugle
22. Went quickly
23. Glass
24. Assistance
25. Stomped
26. Wear away
27. Suspended
28. Small duck
29. Wolframite
30. Palm leaf
31. Correlative
32. Romanesque

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9:30—Teen-Age Valentine Dance
All children should start preparing at once for the big KITE TOURNAMENT. All kites must be HOME-MADE. Watch for time and place. Marble Tournament starts in March. City winners will get a trip to Greensboro. Knuckle down, boys and girls!

Poor Addressing Slows GI Mail In Pacific Area

SAN FRANCISCO —(UP)— Incomplete addresses are resulting in "thousands" of letters and packages being delayed in reaching Army and Air Force troops in the Far East.

The San Francisco port of embarkation said its mail business clearing through the Army postal service has hit its post-World War II peak.

Because of the heavy load, Army postal officers said every letter and package should contain the man's name, rank and service number, the identification of the unit with which he is serving, the APO number, and the words "Care of Postmaster, San Francisco" if he is in the Pacific.

During December, some 150,000 pieces of overseas mail had to be turned over to federal directory service employees because they were incorrectly addressed.

Police Find Lost Child, But They Lost Him Again

OKLAHOMA CITY —(UP)— Local police admit they searched all night for a missing three-year old boy they already had found.

The boy, Marvin Gene Owens, wandered away from the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ing, after eating his evening meal.

Officer R. H. Grubaugh found the boy shortly afterwards, took him to the Sunbeam orphan's home for keeping until his parents were found, turned in a written report and went off duty.

The grandparents discovered the boy was missing about midnight and called police. Officers hunted the streets the rest of the night. The hunt didn't end until 8 a.m. when someone got around to reading Grubaugh's report.

Avoids Speeches For 25 Years

THOMASVILLE, N. C. —(UP)— One record held by one of the nation's oldest city managers has been broken, but another stands intact.

Since R. M. (Pete) Cooksey came here in 1923 to become city manager he had not missed a day at work because of illness until a recent operation was necessary. When Cooksey took the job it was with the understanding he would never be expected to make a speech.

For the past 28 years he hasn't. His 28 years of service makes Cooksey the oldest city manager in the nation in years and point of service with the exception of the manager at Winnetka, Ill.

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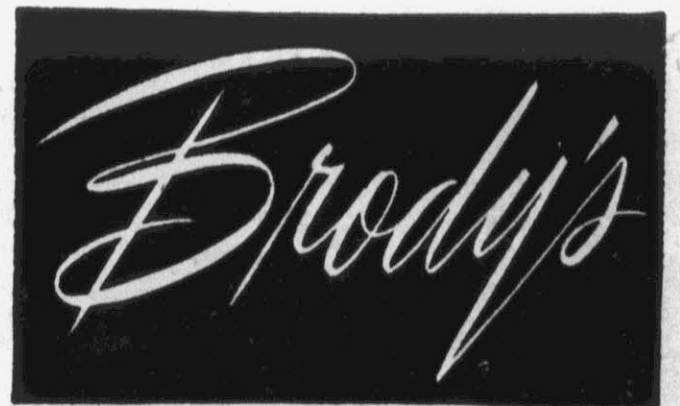
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The Sport Reflector

By JIMMY ELLIS

After surviving all the troubles which cropped up at the January meetings of the Coastal Plain League, President Ray Goodman's circuit is having more troubles. As seems to be the usual case, Tarboro is the team which is causing most of the worries right now.

Recent developments in the Edgecombe capital indicate the club is having a little trouble getting the necessary backing. President Goodman told a representative of the Goldsboro News-Argus Tuesday that he had no comment to make at the present time but that Tarboro had been trying to get a working agreement with the Tampa (Florida) Smokers of the Florida International League (a class B circuit).

Thus far, that agreement hasn't been worked out and Tarboro is fast heading toward the rocks as far as pro ball is concerned. Tarboro may be some chance of Tarboro staying in the league without the working agreement but most observers are inclined to believe that local interests (in Tarboro) don't want to take the risks involved.

Owners in the league are being cautiously sounded out as to whom they would favor to replace the Edgecombe team in case Tarboro club official has definitely committed himself. That's Elton Warrick, president of the Goldsboro club.

Mr. Warrick has established himself as being opposed to any movement to get Elizabeth City into the league and if another club is found necessary, he favors the entry of Wilmington. He gave his support to Wilmington at the first of the year and claims to have rounded up some support since the Wilmington entry was turned down.

Incidentally, the Goldsboro club is going to undergo another change in name this year. A recent contest among fans in the city has resulted in naming the new organization the "Jets." The club was known for many years as the "Goldbugs" before becoming the "Cardinals" in 1950. When the St. Louis backers pulled out at the conclusion of last season, the club went to a new group of owners, bringing about the need for a new name.

Other recent developments from Goldsboro show that Nick Geer, business manager under the Cardinals, will be the business manager again this year. Geer resigned from the Cardinal organization when St. Louis gave up their holdings. He's currently employed by a Goldsboro radio station.

Wes Livengood has already been signed to manage the Goldsboro team for the coming year.

The East Carolina Pirates will

close out their home conference schedule with a single contest this weekend. Coach Howard Porter's Bucs will meet Atlantic Christian Friday night in the Battle of the Bohunk Bucket.

The Pirates got the Bohunk Bucket earlier this season when they stomped the basketball Bulldogs on the ACC floor. Before that, the Bulldogs had kept the bucket on the strength of a couple of baseball victories last spring.

A quick look at team scoring for the Pirates shows that Bobby Hodges has moved into a big lead in individual scoring for the team. Big Fipps has scored 361 points in 17 games thus far while Sonny Russell, who has appeared in all 18 of the Pirates' games, has scored 311. Hodges' average per game places him high among scorers in the North State Conference.

Work is progressing rapidly on the new gymnasium at ECU and the athletic department of the college may be using the facilities of the big structure early in the next quarter.

Most of the actual construction work has been completed and all that seems to remain to be done is to clean up the place. Yesterday, workmen were busy throughout the plant cleaning up and preparing to put the main floor bleachers in place. All in all, the big building appears to be pretty good although some waste space is evident.

The Washington (N. C.) press has been lately putting the needle to members of the Washington Pam-Pack for not hustling on the basketball court. Sports Editor John Morgan has not mentioned any names in his column but he has been quite a bit to say about finding road games for the Pack much rougher than home games.

More than just a few fans were keenly disappointed in the Washington club's showing last Friday when they played in Greenville. The Pam-Pack seemed thoroughly content to let the game roll along as Greenville desired in the first half. They didn't look at all like the team which had defeated Greenville (in Washington) earlier this year.

When the second half began, it was evident that Washington had undergone a change of mind but they were too far behind to be effective. If they had insisted on hustling throughout the game as they hustled in the last half, the final score might have been a different matter.

As it was, Greenville was keenly alert to take advantage of the lackadaisical Washington performance. The Phantoms hustled all the way. Washington realized too late what was happening to them.

Elon Wins Over Bulldogs; WCTC Beats Catawba

By the Associated Press
The Appalachian Mountaineers will meet Guilford College and Western Carolina will visit High Point in scheduled North State Conference basketball games tonight.

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Elon moved into a tie for conference first place with Appalachian last night when she defeated Atlantic Christian 77-38. The Elon Christians started slow, gaining only six points in the first quarter but pulled 26 in the second period to pull ahead 34-21 at half-time. Elon center Don Halthoorn led the scoring with 21 points. Jay Clark with 12 points topped the Atlantic Christian offensive.

The Western Carolina Catawba, paced by guard Paul Taylor with 25 points, defeated the Catawba Indians 77-73 last night. Forward Bill Hunsucker was high scorer for Catawba with 28 points.

MONOGRAM PREXY
CHAPEL HILL—Barry Farber, senior from Greensboro, has been named president of the University of North Carolina's Monogram Club.

Bohunk Bucket At Stake Tomorrow Night

Pirates Host To ACC Bulldogs In North State Game

Pirates Seeking Ninth Win Of Year Against Conference Opposition

The East Carolina Pirates will close their home North State Conference schedule tomorrow night when they meet the Atlantic Christian College Bulldogs in a renewal of the annual Battle of the Bohunk Bucket. The game is slated to begin at 8 p.m.

This will be the second meeting of the two clubs this season. In the first meeting of the team East Carolina defeated the Bulldogs 77-60 in Wilson.

The Bulldogs have been paced this season by a variety of performers but lately, most of their scoring punch has been centered in big Ray Shiffner. Shiffner played his first North State Conference game in the first meeting of the Pirates and the Bulldogs. Since that time, he has maintained a scoring average of almost 20 points per contest although the opposition has finally realized his worth and started taking steps to halt his pivot play. He stands 6-5 and is the tallest man on the ACC squad.

Other than Shiffner, most of Coach Jack McComas' reliance has been placed in guard Jim Hebbe and forward Jay Clark. Hebbe is the Bulldogs' floor leader while Clark has established himself as one of the more consistent of the team's scorers.

This contest will be the final conference game for the Bulldogs who are in the position of not having a single victory in 15 loop starts. Their latest defeat came last night at the hands of the Elon Christians who moved back into a tie for first place. The Bulldogs are in the loop cellar and have been eliminated from any consideration as participant in the annual North State Conference tournament which will be held in Statesville after regular season play is finished.

At Wright Gymnasium, the home of the Pirates, practice went as usual yesterday for the Bucs. They went through a long and spirited drill topped by a scrimmage session with substitutions made frequently on both clubs.

Another short workout is scheduled for today by Coach Howard Porter. After that one is over, the Bucs will just sit tight until game time tomorrow night.

No line-up changes have been announced by Porter for the game tomorrow and he is expected to start the same team which started last Saturday against Elon. That line-up has Sonny Russell and Bobby Hodges at the forwards, Toddy Fennell at center, and Ritchie Blake and Paul Jones at the guards.

If any change is made, it will probably come at the guard spot occupied by Jones. The Thomasville sophomore has played second string to senior Louis Collier most of the year but was started last week against Elon and put on Ben Kendall, the scoring sensation of the Elon team. Jones did a good job on Kendall and Collier saw only limited action.

BASEBALL GAMES
CHAPEL HILL—The University of North Carolina baseball team will open its 1952 slate against Michigan State and Yale in a round-robin series next month.

TAR HEEL NOW
CHAPEL HILL—Gene Hooks, former Wake Forest baseball star, is doing graduate work at the University of North Carolina now.



SMITH WORTHINGTON, ace forward for the Greenville Phantoms, will be idle along with the rest of his team mates tomorrow night, but he will swing back into action next Tuesday when the Phantoms travel to Roanoke Rapids. Smith is the scoring leader for the Phantoms, averaging over 14 points per game for the season. (Reflector Sports Photo by Roy Hardee).

Southern Loop Has Two Games Tonight

By the Associated Press
West Virginia's Mountaineers and Maryland's Terps, two of the best cage quints in the Southern Conference, run up against low-ranking teams tonight.

The Mountaineers, currently leading the league with a 9-1 record, open a three-day swing through Virginia with a stopoff at Virginia Tech. West Virginia previously downed the Techmen, 78-53.

Maryland is host at College Park to the University of Richmond Spiders. The Terps have won six and lost two games in conference play and are seeking a berth in the annual tournament March 6, 7 and 8 at Raleigh.

Both the Mountaineers and the Terps should have easy going tonight. Tech, West Virginia's foe, has been able to win only three of 10 loop tests. Richmond's record is even worse—1-8.

All conference teams were idle last night.

COVER PICTURE
CHAPEL HILL—The current issue



Just before taking off for Oslo and the Winter Olympic Games, the U. S. bobsledders met at Lake Placid's Mt. Van Hoevenberg run. The four-man team, left to right, includes Howard Crossett, Jim Atkinson, Pat Martin and captain-driver Stan Benham. The two-man team is John Helmer and Fred Fortune, Jr., while the No. 2 four-man team includes Hubert Miller, Henry Stern, Dick Severino and captain-driver Jim Bickford. Between the sleds are, left to right, Manager-Coach Curt Stevens, an Olympic veteran, and Jack Garren, U. S. bogsled committee chairman.

Marciano Scores TKO Over Savold; Stops Challenge

Joe Louis Says He Will Retire

LOS ANGELES (UP)—Joe Louis, who ruled the world's heavyweight boxing ranks for 11 years only to wind up beaten by old man time, hung up his gloves today for the second time and said only exhibitions would lure him back into the ring.

"I'm through with fighting—except exhibition matches," the Brown Bomber declared. "I've been thinking about it for quite a while, and I guess now is as good a time to announce it as any."

Louis, too old at 37 to swap punches with the youngsters chasing the diadem he held for so long, said any fighting he does in the future will be with oversize training gloves.

"Training gloves are small enough," he said, "as long as there's no title at stake." The former champ said he had no exhibition bouts scheduled at the moment but hoped to make a few appearances this spring.

Everglades Show Has Semi-Finals

PALM BEACH, Fla. (UP)—Defending champions Bea McWane of Birmingham, and Bob Sweeney of Palm Beach are favored to enter the finals of the Everglades Mixed Foursome golf tournament today at the expense of Mary Agnes Wall of Menominee, Wash., and Ted Bassett of Palm Beach.

Polly Riley of Fort Worth, Tex., and J. Walcott Brown of Manassas, N.J., last year's runners-up, are expected to beat Catherine Fox Park of Bloomfield, N.J., and Tim Holland of Miami in the other semifinal.

Miss McWane, who usually produces her best golf in foursomes play, and Sweeney gained the semifinals yesterday with a 3 and 2 triumph over 15-year-old Berridge Long of Huntington, W.Va., and Arthur Ruffin of Pinehurst, N.C.

Miss Wall and Bassett advanced by eliminating Betty Rowland of Lexington, Ky., and Reginald Boardman of Palm Beach, 4 and 3. In other quarter-final contests, Miss Riley and Brown easily defeated Edean Anderson of Helena, Mont., and Jack Cendoya of Havana, 6 and 5, and the Park-Holland team ousted Grace DeMoss of Corvallis, Ore., and Lynn Creason of Harrisburg, Pa., 3 and 2.

FORMER FRESHMAN COACH
CHAPEL HILL—George Barclay, new assistant football coach at the University of North Carolina, coached the Tar Heel freshmen in 1938. He's a former All-America player under Carl Shavely here in 1934.

PHILADELPHIA (UP)—Unbeaten Rocky Marciano, a rusty heavyweight challenger, admitted today he would need at least one more fight before trying to win the title. His unimpressive performance in stopping ancient Lee Savold convinced him of that.

Marciano was credited with a seventh-round technical knockout over 35-year-old Savold of Englewood, N.J., when the blood-smeared veteran was unable to continue as he sat in his corner after the sixth session.

Manager Marty Weill said he would like to have Marciano of Brockton, Mass., get another "sharpening" bout with Roland La Starza, Dan Bucceroni, or Coley Wallace.

Before 9,243 fans in Convention Hall last night, Marciano battered Savold about the ring for six rounds but not once did he floor him. And he "officially" required one more round for finishing Lee than did

Joe Louis last June. Louis belted out Savold in six rounds in Savold's last fight.

Regardless of heavy booing during most of last night's bout, it was a financial success. The gross gate of \$61,386 and the \$35,000 from television—blackout in the Philadelphia area—indicated Marciano's purse would be about \$14,000 and Savold's about \$20,000.

John (Ox) DeGross, boxing commissioner for Southeastern Pennsylvania, said that Savold has been automatically suspended for 30 days, according to Pennsylvania rule regarding knocked-out fighters.

Further, DeGross said he had called Savold and his manager, Bill Daly, to appear at his office sometime next week for a "man to man chat." The commissioner indicated Savold might be forced to retire from the ring when he observed, "The man has had his day."

U.S. Win Opens Winter Olympics

By HENRY THORNBERRY
United Press Sports Writer
OSLO, Norway (UP)—Andrea Mead Lawrence of Rutland, Vt., won the women's giant slalom ski race and the No. 1 U. S. team placed second at the half-way mark of the two-man bobsled competition today, as the 1952 winter Olympics began.

The 19-year-old Mrs. Lawrence sped down the shortened 1,000-meter Norfjell course in two minutes, 6.8 seconds and collapsed happily in the arms of her husband, David Lawrence, at the finish line. Kathy Rodolph of Hayden, Colo., finished fifth in 2:11.7.

The No. 1 U. S. bobsled team of Stan Benham of Lake Placid, N.Y., and Pat Martin of Massena, N.Y., cascaded down the 1,500-meter course once in 1 minute 23.03 seconds and then in 1:22.12 for a combined time of 2:45.15.

The bobsled competition is decided by the best combined time for four heats. The final two heats are scheduled for tomorrow.

Germany's No. 1 team of Andreas Oster and Laurens Nieberl was first at the half-way mark of the bobsled event with a total of 2:42.40.

By winning the giant slalom race, Mrs. Lawrence became the second U. S. woman ever to gain an Olympic ski medal.

Mrs. Lawrence, who first com-

peted in the Olympics at the age of 15, showed little fear of the treacherous Norfjell course as she zigzagged her way through the bamboo gates at a breakneck speed.

Gretchen Fraser of Vancouver, Wash., captured the special slalom event in the 1948 winter games. Mrs. Fraser is coach of the 1952 U. S. women's ski team.

The No. 2 U. S. bobsled team of Fred Fortune of Lake Placid and Floyd Wisler of Ausable Falls, N.Y., placed seventh after the first two runs. Fortune and Wisler were timed in a total of 2:47.94.

Mrs. Lawrence, smiling happily, said, "the track was fine, fast and difficult, and the gates were very good."

Her husband, also an excellent skier, said, "I was more anxious during the race than I had been competing myself. This is one of the greatest events of our life."

NO BASEBALL
CHAPEL HILL—Bud Wallace, University of North Carolina kicking star in football, will not play with the Tar Heel baseball team this spring. He was a member of last year's nine but has decided to give up the sport this year.

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Stocks and Market Reports

NEW YORK (UP)—Stocks steadied around noon today after a further decline brought the industrial average to a new low for the year. Trading increased moderately over yesterday's total. Sales to 11 a. m. amounted to 340,000 shares, compared to 320,000 shares in the same period yesterday.

Railroad issues produced several firm spots, notably Santa Fe which sold at 78 1/2 up 1 1/2. Northern Pacific 68 3/4 up 7/8. Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul & Pacific 20 1/4 up 1/4. Missouri-Kansas-Texas preferred 55 1/4 up 1/4. Southern Railway came back from 50 3/4 off 1/4 to 51 1/4. Union Pacific made up nearly all of a 2 point decline.

St. Regis Paper was active and up slightly. U.S. Gypsum gained more than a point and Texas Gulf Sulphur a point. A few others had fractional gains.

About the best that could be said of the remainder of the market was that it was not adding to the early losses. Some of them ran to 2 points or more. Pennsylvania salt lost 3 1/2 to 60 1/2 on reduced earnings and recovered a point of the decline.

Chrysler was down a point as the time approached for its directors to meet for dividend action. General Motors eased a fraction. The steel slipped off after setting small gains. Utilities lost a few cents.

NEW YORK (UP)—2 p.m. Stocks	
American Can	120 1/2
American T & T	156 1/2
American Tobacco	61 1/2
Atlantic Coast Line	81 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	18 1/2
Bendish Avn	50 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	50 1/2
Boeing Aircraft	47 1/2
Borden	51 1/2
Briggs Mfg	23 1/2
Cannon Mills	49 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	34 1/2
Chrysler	70 1/2
Coca-Cola	107 1/2
Colgate-P.P.	43 1/2
Continental Can	45 1/2
Corn Products	69 1/2
Curtis-Wright	9 1/2
Douglas Air	57 1/2
Du Pont	25 1/2
Eastern Air	45 1/2
Eastman Kodak	45 1/2
General Electric	51 1/2
General Motors	51 1/2
Goodrich	57 1/2
Goodyear	44 1/2
Gulf Oil	84 1/2
International Chem	21 1/2
International Harvester	34 1/2
International T & T	16 1/2
Johns-Manville	63 1/2
Kennecott	85 1/2
Kroger Co	34 1/2
Liggett & Myers	69 1/2
Lorillard	21 1/2
Monsanto	95 1/2
Paramount P	27 1/2
Packard	45 1/2
Paramount P	27 1/2
Pennsylvania RR	11 1/2
Pepsi-Cola	9 1/2
Philip Morris	42 1/2
Reynolds Tobacco	33 1/2

Tuesday's Cases In Pitt County Court

A white man whom Judge Dink James ordered to leave the county immediately following Tuesday's session of County Court turned up in Greenville again yesterday.

Less than 24 hours after Judge James suspended a six-month road sentence and released B. J. Pittman on the promise that he would cease molesting his wife and leave Pitt, Nash and Edgecombe Counties, Pittman was back in Greenville pestering his wife.

Mrs. Adelle Wooten Pittman called the courthouse early yesterday morning and informed authorities there that her husband was "around pestering me again." A capias was issued for Pittman and he will probably end up back in jail, officers said.

Curtis Moore, 18-year-old Pictou Negro, who reportedly slashed David Lee Peterson three times with a knife, received a sentence of six months on the roads. The road sentence was suspended, however, upon pay David Lee Peterson the sum of \$75.00 for loss of work. He was also ordered to pay the costs of hospital and doctors' care.

Other cases were: Claude Jenkins, non-support of his illegitimate child, plead not guilty and adjudged not guilty. Linberg Pitt, non-support, sentenced to six months on the roads, sentence suspended upon condition he pay \$5.00 per week into the county welfare office and pay \$25.00 immediately.

Richard G. Beacham, violating the school attendance law, not pros with leave.

Vernon E. Wingate, failing to give a hand signal, ordered to pay court costs and surrender his driver's license for 10 days, filed notice of appeal to Superior Court.

Henry L. Jones, passing an automobile at an intersection, ordered to pay court costs and surrender his driver's license for 10 days.

Thomas Whitley Thomas, driving while his operator's license was suspended, sentenced to 90 days on the roads, sentence suspended upon condition he pay a fine of \$200 and court costs and recommended his license be suspended an additional two years.

Lamb Thigpen, careless and reckless driving, fined \$25.00 and court costs and suspended his driver's license for two years with the recommendation that it be reinstated after he pays damages.

Beck Pettaway, violation of overloading laws, fined \$25.00 with court costs deducted.

Joe Porter, violation of overloading laws, fined \$25.00 with court costs deducted.

Paul W. Kaiser, speeding, ordered to pay court costs and surrender his driver's license for 10 days.

Matthew Morris, driving without operator's license, dismissed.

Carlton H. Mills, speeding, ordered to pay court costs and surrender his driver's license for 90 days.

James Douglas Tyson, carnal knowledge of girl under 16 years of age, not guilty.

Colored News

The 20th Century Club gave a pre-Valentine ball at the Club Tropicana on February 13. Prizes were given. First prize, Miss Agnes Parker; second prize, Bryant Harris; third prize, Andrew Dupree.

Rev. P. H. Mumford wishes to remind members and friends of the special service to be rendered in Farmville next Sunday at 3 p.m. All who have cars are asked to help furnish transportation. Departure 2:30 p.m., York Memorial Church. Every member of the choir asked to register in this program.

The members of the Church of God in Christ, located on Clark Street, invite all friends to attend the special meeting tonight.

Rev. L. B. Davenport of Plymouth and his choir from Washington and also Rev. Lorrie from Washington will be present to give special programs.

On next Thursday night Elder James Spruill and his choir from Roper and Plymouth will conduct services at the church. The public is cordially invited to attend both services.

AYDEN COLORED NEWS

P.T.A. Meets
The Ayden High School P.T.A. met in the high school library on Sunday, Feb. 10, at 5:00 p.m.

An interesting program was presented by some of the parents and teachers. The members opened the meeting with the singing of the Negro national anthem. The invocation was pronounced by the Rev. J. H. Trower, while Brother William Dixon read a Scripture lesson.

Mrs. Nina Scott directed the group in singing "Lord, I Want To Be A Christian," followed by a narrative on Negro history which was given by Miss Fannie Whitehurst. Mrs. Nina Scott rendered a solo, singing "My Desire." After the conclusion of the program the president proceeded with the business of the day.

Mrs. J. C. Burney organized a group of the younger parents for basketball players and other important activities. At the close of the meeting the group was ushered into the Home Economics room where they were served light refreshments by Mrs. B. Mebane, home economics teacher.

A quarterly meeting was held at Morning Star Holiness Church on Sunday. Many friends attended the services throughout the day.

The Masonic Lodge held its St. John's Day service at the A. M. E. Zion Methodist Church last Sunday afternoon.

Special Services Planned
Rev. W. L. Jones, along with his choir from St. Mary's and ushers from Savannah Church, will render a special service for the benefit of the band uniforms Sunday, Feb. 17, at Zion Chapel Free Will Baptist Church. The song services will begin at 7:30 p.m. All friends are asked to come out and help in this service, which is being sponsored by the P.T.A.

Sewing Circle Meets
The Sewing Circle group met at the home of Mrs. Travis Dixon on Planter's Street on Tuesday, Feb. 12. The members present were Mesdames J. M. Reaves, Mary King, Nina Scott, Lottie Canady, Lizzie Cox, M. T. Burney, Mary Dawson, Bessie Seely, Annie Jones, W. H. Warren, Mary Smith, Misses Harriet Holly, A. M. Wilson and Rev. H. R. Reaves. At the conclusion of the work the hostess served an appetizing plate with tuna fish salad, valentine candy, salted nuts and Russian tea. The living room was decorated beautifully with regal lilies and jonquills.

No Replacement For Case Worker

No one has yet been found to replace Georgia Hughes, child welfare case worker, who resigned to accept the position as Superintendent of Public Welfare in Carteret county January 1.

Her 146 service cases have been divided among the general case workers as an emergency measure. All adoption cases, however, will be done by Mrs. Elizabeth R. Avery, case worker, and lost of the probation cases will be serviced by Paul Hodul, case worker.

Thunderstorm

Rainfall accompanying the thunderstorm early this morning was recorded at 45 inches by the local weather observer, Mrs. Carl Maiden.

The thunderstorm occurred around four o'clock this morning but the temperature rose one degree from the low recorded yesterday at 38. High was recorded at 65.

A year ago yesterday, high was 77 and low was 50. There was no rain.

GRANTED CHARTER
RALEIGH (A.P.) "Harmony Acres, Inc.", an organization for men and women over 60 years old, was granted a charter by Secretary of State Thad Reed today.

The majority of television stations are in the states north of the Ohio River and extending from the Atlantic to the Western plain area.

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Apples - - - - 5 Lb. Bag 49c

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Oranges - - - - 1-Lb. 9c

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Cultivating Houseplants Requires Special Knack



By CYNTHIA LOWRY
AP Newsfeatures Writer

Gardeners with the greenest of thumbs outdoors are frequently among those who wallow in the winter months that they never have any luck at all with their houseplants.

Houseplants, however, don't flourish through luck, but as a result of a great deal of attention, understanding and—let's face it—study.

There are literally hundreds of plants which can be grown in the house. Obviously each one is going to do better if the owner understands its particular needs. The indoor gardener may decide that a few pots of geraniums are just what is needed to brighten up a dull north window, and decide on a row of African violets strung

along a picture window with exposure to full sun. Disappointment is bound to result, no matter what other attention the plants get. Geraniums, it so happens, enjoy a lot of sunlight; African violets do not.

However there are some generalities which can be briefly noted which apply to the care and upbringing of most houseplants.

Best Soil for Pots
Take the matter of soil to start with. For most house plants, the best soil is made up of a recipe something like half rich garden soil, one quarter sharp sand and one quarter humus, leaf-mold or peat moss. Some experts advise just good top soil enriched by bone-meal. Most plants, however, thrive on light soil rather than heavy soil. This permits the en-

trance of some air. Practically all house plants require good drainage, achieved by placing potholders (or broken flower pot pieces) at the bottom of the flower pot, with a layer of fine gravel over it and followed by the soil. About half an inch should be left between the top of the soil and the top of the pot for ease in watering.

Watering the houseplants is important, and there again the plant-keeper has to study and learn by experience. Plants should be watered when they need it; they must not be over-watered so that they rot nor under-watered so that they shrivel. Most plants appreciate being watered with the liquid at room temperature. African violets should be fed from the base of the pot with water which actually is warm.

A Formula for Feeding
Houseplants must be fed, too. A good formula consists of a 4-12-4 commercial fertilizer dissolved in warm water at a rate of one tablespoon to a quart of water, and administered at a rate of about a half cup each week or even less often. Some people vary this feeding every other week with a half cup of liquid manure (about the color of fairly strong tea).

Most houseplants do best in windows providing some sun—south, east and west windows. For those homes with a sun problem, however, there are satisfactory and colorful houseplants like ivy in its many forms, philodendron, sansevieria, ferns and rubber trees which prefer little direct light.

Much—if not most—failure in raising houseplants lies in the areas of humidity and temperature. If you suspect the former is the culprit, the easiest way to find out is by purchasing a fairly inexpensive gadget for measuring the amount of moisture in the air. If it shows the house is so dry only a cactus can survive, the situation may be remedied by placing pans of water over radiators or among the plants themselves and by spraying the growing things.

Most houseplants flourish best in temperatures between 60 and 70 degrees—no higher. Today, many houses are kept at constant daytime heat as high as 75 degrees—and plants object. It is necessary too that they experience a night-time heat between 10 and 15 degrees cooler than day-time—as they would if growing outdoors.

Control of pests, however, is easier than among plants outdoors. Plant lice—aphids—are disposed of by spraying with or dipping the top of the plant into a solution of nicotine sulphate and soapy (not detergent) water. Mealy bugs, which look like bits of cotton, are easily disposed of by wiping them off with a cotton-tipped toothpick dipped in alcohol. If the plant is heavily infested, mealy bugs may be eliminated by using a special white oil spray. If red spider is present, a spray containing rotenone is usually effective.

Find Marriages Are More 'Popular' Now

LOS ANGELES (UP)—A family relations expert says her studies showed:

1. Marriage is becoming increasingly popular.
2. Present-day young people marry younger than their parents did, but...
3. They don't select their spouses as wisely.

Dr. Evelyn M. Duvall of the University of Chicago told a meeting of obstetricians yesterday that the girls of the post-war era want to "take advantage of every sure thing they can find in an unsure era."

She said more than half of the girls in the United States now marry by the time they are 20, and there are fewer spinsters than there were in the period from 1890 to 1900, when 50 per cent of girls between 20 and 24 were unmarried. In 1949, less than 33 per cent of the girls in the 20-to-24 age group were unmarried.

The median age for marriage by the population was 22.7, compared with a median of 26.1 in 1890, when only 63 per cent of the population ever was married.

In 1950, she said, 78.6 per cent of the population was married, and while the population increased 70 per cent between 1900 and 1940, the number of marriages climbed 128 per cent.

But in the same period, the divorce rate increased 374 per cent. "It is certain that the selection of a mate was done more carefully in 1900 than in 1940," Dr. Duvall said.

'52 Conservation Program Starts

The 1952 Agricultural Conservation Program opened Monday of this week, James Meredith, secretary of the Pitt County PMA, said yesterday.

The secretary said any serial number farm that has or has not applied for assistance under the 1952 program year will be eligible to apply.

"Assistance will be \$1.00 for every acre of crop land, not to exceed \$500," Meredith stated. "The amount any farmer received under the ACP program since the end of September, 1951, will be deducted from this year's assistance."

This means, he said, that if farmer has 10 acres of crop land and has already received \$85.00, he will not be eligible for \$15.00. If he has not received any assistance since September, 1951, and has 100 acres of crop land, he will be eligible for assistance, totaling \$100.

"How a farmer's crop land exceeds 800 acres, he will only be eligible for \$500," the secretary stated that no assistance will be given on seed at this time.

Office hours will be from nine a.m. until four p.m. each week day. "No assistance will be given Saturdays as we have only one clerk working that day," Meredith disclosed.

A full-grown menhaden, a species of fish, weighs about three-fourths of a pound and measures a foot in length.

Jungle Men Are Given A Treat

KOTA BAHRU, Malaya —(AP)—Grateful Royal Air Force officers recently treated a pair of Malaya jungle men to a short spree in comparatively civilized Kota Bahru.

The jungle dwellers, who had helped two crashed R. A. F. officers find their way to a village, saw the sea for the first time, rode in buses and attended an amusement park. To top off their visit, the Air Force bought them \$130 worth of shirts, shorts, combs, shoes, needles, thread, belts, tobacco, fishing nets and mirrors.

Robins Flocking To California

PASADENA, Calif. —(AP)—The robin population in Southern California is the largest in years and nobody seems to know why. However, the Audubon Society has ventured a theory or two:

The society believes heavy storms in nearby mountains have forced the red-breasted birds down to warmer climes. Also the recent use of plants with red berries to landscape Southern California homes has some bearing on the case—robins love red berries.

IN THE BAG
PHILADELPHIA (UP)—The well-dressed young man asked the shopkeeper's wife for a paper bag, which he put over his hand to conceal a pistol he drew from his pocket as he announced a holdup. The bandit escaped with about \$60.

One of the world's most impenetrable jungles is located in Venezuela.

Elephant Future Is Being Debated

LEOPOLDVILLE, Belgian Congo —(AP)—Should the Belgian Congo's estimated 100,000 elephants be killed or protected? This question is now the object of a quarrel between local officials and elephant hunters on one side and the local Association for the Protection of Nature on the other side.

According to estimates from the chief of the hunting services, some 585,000 elephants have been killed since 1889 based on the number of tusks traded. The Association for the Protection of Nature is accusing the administration of tolerating mass destruction of elephants. Approximately 3,100 elephants were killed in 1950.

Japanese Toys Finding Market

SYDNEY, Australia (Up)—Japanese toys have been selling as well as they have in the past, but restrictions ease this year, the supply will not meet the demand, an importing company official said recently.

One company, believe to be the only one importing Japanese toys into Victoria, has already had to restrict allocations. One shop manager said he had to replenish his line three days after it appeared on the shelves. "When it comes to buying people forget international differences," he said.

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Stassen Backers Issue Petitions

PHILADELPHIA (UP)—Nominating petitions to enter Harold E. Stassen in the Pennsylvania Republican presidential preference primaries were circulated throughout the state today and probably will be filed before next Monday's deadline.

Stassen, on leave as president of the University of Pennsylvania, has announced he will enter the April 22 primaries. Backers of other presidential hopefuls continued to debate the advisability of entering the Pennsylvania preferential primaries.

Doors Opened To Art Students

NEW YORK (UP)—Dimitri Mitropoulos, musical director of the New York Philharmonic-Symphony Orchestra, has established a precedent for Carnegie Hall. During rehearsals visitors previously were barred from the hall but Mitropoulos now permits 100 art students to set up their easels and paint the symphony in action.

Gives \$250,000 To Sanitarium

CHICAGO (UP)—Albert Pick, hotel tycoon of Miami Beach, Fla., has given \$250,000 to the La Rabida Jackson Park Sanitarium here to help fight rheumatic heart disease among children.

The gift, announced yesterday, will be used to build an annex to the sanitarium for a health, recreation and education center for children suffering from the heart ailment.

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A Size 65c	B Size 39c
Lettuce Large 4's	2 for 29c
Sweet Potatoes	5 lbs. 49c
Seal Sweet Oranges	5 lbs. 25c
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HEAVY WESTERN CHUCK ROAST	lb. 69c
BONELESS STEWING BEEF	lb. 79c
SHORT RIBS OF BEEF	lb. 49c
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TENDER CALF LIVER	lb. 89c
FRESH PIG LIVER	lb. 39c
FRESH TENDER GROWN FRYERS	lb. 49c
CENTER CUT PORK CHOPS	59c
END CUTS	lb. 45c

FROZEN FOODS	
Orange Juice	2 for 29c
12 oz. Strawberries	35c
Harris Breaded Shrimp	69c
Harris Devil Crab in Shell	23c
Tide, large	29c
Surf, large	29c
Fab, large	29c
Super Suds	29c
Duz	29c
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Sta-Flo	
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Thousands Of Britons Pay Last Tribute To King Lying In State

By ROBERT MUSEL
United Press Staff Correspondent
LONDON, (UP) — Britons filing by King George VI's coffin in Westminster Hall passed the 200,000 mark today and tens of thousands more waited patiently in snow, sleet and rain for their turn.

It was his sorrowing subjects' last chance to pay tribute to the king as he lay in state in the vast hall adjoining the houses of parliament.

Tomorrow the coffin will be taken in a majestic funeral procession from Westminster Hall to Paddington Station for the train journey to a final resting place in St. George's Chapel at Windsor Castle.

Some 10,000 troops and 1,426 detectives will line the circuitous 3 1/2 mile route through London's streets to keep back crowds expected to total 2,000,000 persons.

Representatives of all the world's remaining monarchies will take part in the funeral procession. They include at least six sovereigns — the greatest collection of royalty to assemble anywhere since before World War II.

Swathed in winter clothes against 32-degree temperatures and huddled beneath umbrellas, the line of mourners stretching across the misty Thames River and along the South bank shuffled past the purple-draped coffin surmounted by the crown jewels and flanked by women, gentlemen at arms and guardsmen in ancient dress.

Like the 185,000 who preceded them during the first two days of the coffin was on view, the people who entered in ones and twos were the plain citizens of Britain who regarded the death of King George Feb. 6 as a personal loss.

The doors will remain open until sometime early tomorrow morning. By then, almost 300,000 persons will have filed past the catafalque — a throng equal to the number who paid their final respects to George V when he lay in state for four days in January 1936.

Last night Dowager Queen Mary, Mother of George VI, and the Duke of Windsor, his brother and predecessor on the throne, also visited the catafalque.

The 84-year-old queen reluctantly agreed not to take part in the state funeral tomorrow because of her age. Windsor, who ruled briefly in 1936 as Edward VIII before abdicating to marry American divorcee Wallis Warfield Simpson, had arrived earlier in the day from New York.

Almost ignored in the grieving capital were the royalty, diplomats and statesmen assembling for the funeral tomorrow.

Already here or on the way were Kings Paul of Greece, Gustaf of Sweden, Haakon of Norway, and Frederik of Denmark, Queen Juliana of the Netherlands, and the Grand Duchess Charlotte of Luxembourg. Queens Louise of Sweden and Ingrid of Denmark accompanied their husbands.

LUCKY CHANNEL
LOS ANGELES —(AP) Television station KLAS-TV of this city regards the channel which it occupies as a good omen. Its station-break sign reads "KLAC-TV, Lucky Channel 13".



THREE QUEENS AT WESTMINSTER:—Queen Elizabeth II (left), Dowager Queen Mary (center), and Queen Mother Elizabeth, all veiled in black, stand at entrance to Westminster Hall in London after arriving with the body of King George VI from Sandringham where he died. The body will lie in state at Westminster for several days until the funeral.—(AP Wirephoto by radio from London)

Taft Campaigns On West Coast

PORTLAND, Ore. —(AP)—Sen. Robert A. Taft of Ohio told more Western voters yesterday that he is the Republican party's best bet for the presidency.

His speaking tour, through which he hopes to pick up Republican convention votes without engaging in primary election campaigns in the West, takes him next to Eastern Oregon, and then into Idaho.

He told overflow crowds in two speeches here last night that he knows how to run a campaign without a "me-too complex."

"I am confident that if I can guide the campaign, the Republican party can and will win," he told an estimated 4,000 who paid \$2 each to hear him at a box-lunch dinner. His other speech attracted 600, who paid \$5 each for dinner at a church.

The formula he gave for his campaign: "An all-out attack on the immorality of this administration, on the unlimited spending and taxing

and bureaucratic regulation of the Fair Deal, and on the disastrous foreign policy which has led to Russian power and unnecessary war."

National French Contest Slated For April 25

The National French Contest, sponsored by the American Association of Teachers of French, will be administered in North Carolina secondary schools Friday, April 25, according to an announcement by Mrs. Marguerite A. Perry of the East Carolina College foreign languages department, state contest chairman.

All students of French in public, private, and parochial secondary schools are eligible, Mrs. Perry states.

Those who wish to participate have been asked to notify Mrs. Perry before Saturday, March 1, and to forward requests for copies of the tests. The examinations are standard, printed, objective tests in two parts, each of which requires thirty minutes for completion.

The five divisions included are: French I, first or second semester of first year French; French II, first or second semester of second year French; French III, first or second semester of third year French; French IV, first or second semester of fourth year French; and French V, special category for students whose background, residence, or education make them as fluent in French as in English.

Community Life Art Exhibition Being Displayed

Twelve panels based on the subject of community life in America made up an exhibition entitled "Look At Your Neighborhood," which is now on display at East Carolina College in the art department, Austin building. Visitors will be welcome during the two weeks when the series will be shown, February 15-29. Dora Clot, chairman of the department of art has announced.

The exhibition was compiled in the Museum of Modern Art, New York, and was lent to the East Carolina department of art through the courtesy of the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, Richmond.

Subjects of the panels include "A Park," "A Shopping Center," "A Community Center," "When We Build Again," and eight others.



SHOVELS AT 105: — Albert Woolson, a Civil War veteran of Duluth, Minn., wields a snow shovel as he cleans off a walk at his home on his 105th birthday "Exercise judiciously" is one of Woolson's recipes for a long life.—(AP Wirephoto)

ON BOMBING ROUTE
MONTREAL —(AP)—If there is an atomic war, Montreal is a "Canadian target No. 1, and we cannot expect the enemy to by-

pass us," said Brig. J. Guy Gauvreau, Montreal civil defense head. "Bombers on their way from Murmansk to New York do not have to detour to visit Montreal," he noted.

INSULT TO INJURY
LINCOLN, Neb. (AP)—Some one took 10 chickens from the hen-house of George Botel. But what really made Botel mad

war this: The prowler also stole the lock off the hen-house door.

FULL OF LEAD
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"What's for Dinner?" is a problem easily solved even on a low budget with a menu built around a Wilson's Certified Picnic or a Wilson's Tenderloin Picnic. In fact you will get two delicious fresh-cooked meals with wonderful ham-like flavor.

TO GET TWO FINE MEALS

Set your Wilson's Picnic with shank to your right and pointing down. Then with point of a sharp carving knife find bone "A." Now cut down, following this bone to the right to point "B." This frees an all-meat, boneless section "C" for a delicious meal.

A BONELESS ROAST

Bake this boneless piece in a slow oven, 325°F. for 20 minutes to a lb. if it is a Wilson's Certified Picnic* or about 1 hour if it is Wilson's Tenderloin Picnic* which needs a mere warming, for it is already cooked. If you wish, glaze as you would ham. Here's an all-meat (no bone) thrifty cut which will yield 8 to 10 delicious slices. Serve plain or accompany with raisin or cherry sauce.

A BOILED DINNER

On another day simmer the bone-in piece with vegetables — carrots, potatoes and onions. Cabbage wedges may also be added for last half hour. Result a delightful "boiled" dinner. But mind you, never let it reach boiling.

Any leftover tidbits may be used in sandwiches, casserole or "ham" loaf. Your family will "love" the ham-like flavor of Wilson's Picnics.

Both Wilson's Picnics... the "Certified" and the "Tenderloin" are oven-ready. In fact the latter is fully cooked and comes to you ready-to-eat, if a cold meat is desired. Wilson's Tenderloin Picnic is the one with the yellow Wilson label as distinguished from the orange wrapper on "Certified" Picnic. Both come in sizes to suit your family (4 to 8 lbs.).

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Farmville News

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Teel and son were Goldsboro visitors Saturday. Mrs. Catherine Newborn and children accompanied them back to spend the weekend.

Mrs. Eddie King visited Mrs. Skinner Willoughby Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Joyner had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cooper of Kinston.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Herring of Wilson visited Mrs. Fred Smith Sunday.

Marion Shirley of Raleigh visited her mother, Mrs. Hannah Shirley this weekend.

Sgt. William Letchworth of Shaw Field, South Carolina, is spending a few days in Farmville.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Matthews of Alexandria, Virginia spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. El-Ramey.

W. Leslie Smith of Raleigh spent the weekend with his brother, Jack Smith, of the Bell-Arthur section.

Misses Faye and Joyce Corbett of Kinston spent the weekend at home with their parents.

Tommy El-Ramey and a friend returned from a trip to Washington, D. C. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. El-Ramey, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Matthews visited friends in Cherry Point and New Bern Sunday.

Charles Ray Townsend of Raleigh spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. C. R. Townsend.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Corbett of Farmville, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith of Macleesfield, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith of Bell-Arthur, and Leslie Smith of Raleigh were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Duke of Kinston Sunday afternoon.

Pic and Mrs. Emerson Roebuck and daughter, Lynn, of Cotuit, Mass., are visiting the former's father, Mr. A. Q. Roebuck of Farmville for two weeks.

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Farmville, was honored last Wednesday night at his new home in the Bell-Arthur section with a surprise birthday party.

The guests were invited to the dining room by Mrs. J. M. Smith. Ice cream, cake and salted nuts were served from an appointed table.

covered with a cut-work linen table cloth using an arrangement of pink carnations and fern for the centerpiece with pink candles in crystal candelabras. The huge cake was a two-tiered birthday cake covered with white icing, pink decorations and pink candles.

The party was a get-together of sisters, brothers and close friends.

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Orphans Win In Eviction Battle

CHICAGO, Jan. 1—(UP)—Forty-two orphans are secure in their home on Chicago's south side after a four-year attempt to evict them finally had been thwarted.

A Judge John P. Haas in Superior Court held invalid a city zoning ordinance which would have forced the Illinois Protestant Children's home to find new quarters.

Home owners in the neighborhood had joined the city and spent four years in a legal fight to oust the orphans. They contended that only single family dwellings were legal in the area.

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FOR RENT—ONE 3-BEDROOM
house located on Jarvis Street. If interested call 3293. 12-3t

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PRETTY GOOD, HUH?

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Popular Apathy, Distractions, Puts Govm't In Hands Of Few Politicians

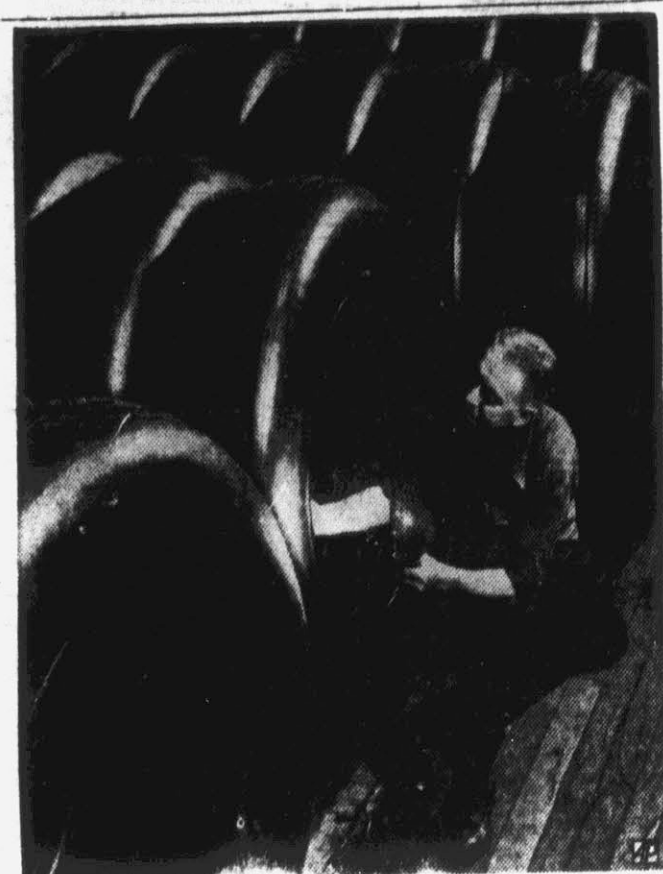
By JAMES MARLOW
WASHINGTON (AP) — Most people don't take an active part in politics because they are too busy making a living other ways, or lack interest. But, since we have a two-party system, and apparently want it, someone has to run the parties.

There has always been a politically active minority willing to do the running. They range from the humble precinct workers to the fat-necked bosses. Their reasons vary: Some are earnest, considering it a social responsibility; some want power; and some have a lust for loot.

Up to the end of Washington's second term there had been no big political parties. And when a successor to him had to be chosen, between national and state leaders. The people had no say. For years afterwards presidential candidates were chosen by party caucuses in Congress, even though the parties had taken shape.

This method began to hit the rocks in 1824 when Congress turned down Andrew Jackson. Four years later he got into the White House for two terms. But he was so scorched by the 1824 deal that he urged Congress, in eight annual messages, to set up direct primaries to let the people pick the party presidential candidates. Congress, of course, didn't, and still hasn't.

Since around 1940 the candidates have been chosen by delegates from all the states at the parties' national nominating conventions. Theoretically, that is, for more than once the delegates have been



SUPPORTING JET POWER — King-sized tires checked at Goodrich Akron, Ohio plant were developed for use on Air Force's B-47 jet bomber and can support 24½-ton load.

bossed state conventions, got his state's Legislature to adopt a primary law. By the time of World War I, 18 states had adopted such laws. Their purpose: To let the people of those states express some preference for party candidates to be chosen at the national convention and to elect delegates to the conventions.

Sixteen states—New Hampshire, Minnesota, Nebraska, Wisconsin, Illinois, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, Ohio, Maryland, West Virginia, Oregon, Florida, California, South Dakota—still have primaries.

They're a hodge-podge, each a little different from the other, a few pledging the delegates to vote at the convention as the people who elected them desire, some giving the delegates a free hand, some urging them to be conscientious. And the preferences among the candidates, expressed by the people voting in the primaries, have no binding effect at all on the conventions, although they may show how the people at home are thinking and thus influence the convention.

In their "Growth of the American Republic," Samuel E. Morison and Henry Steel Commager have a comment: "The direct primaries which had aroused the enthusiasm of LaFollette, Theodore Roosevelt and Wilson proved a distinct disappointment, for professional politicians quickly found a way to control the primaries."

The failure of these hodge-podge primaries among just 16 states does not mean that a national law, setting up a single primary with teeth in it for every state, wouldn't be successful in letting the voters pick the candidates.

Congress, of course, would be the key in setting up such a national law. It's been urged to do so many times.

And in the past few weeks measures have been offered in Congress to establish by law such a national primary in one way or another. But don't be anything is done about it. This year, anyway.

Capitol Square

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error. William Umstead of Durham, without a badge, was not letting the assembled farmers forget he is running for governor. Oscar Elrod of Winston-Salem, also badged as Forsyth delegate, was making hay as a candidate for the supreme court.

TRENDS — Appraisal of sentiment among the conventioners is difficult because nobody likes to tell a candidate in so many words "I can't vote for you," and each of the working candidates reported very favorable reception among the delegates. On one point there can be no question: The Farm Bureau folks are much more interested in the governorship than in any of the other offices. Some of them admit this may be unwise, because the General Assembly, including the Lieutenant Governor, and the courts may be in position to exercise more control over the activities of ordinary citizens more than can the governor. That doesn't change the basic fact that there is more interest in the governorship and that Umstead is the outstanding favorite of this group as of this date.

PROTEST — The obvious lead held by the Durham candidate and the obvious support of the Farm Bureau leadership for him, caused one man—who admittedly favors another candidate—to protest in open meeting Tuesday morning the "political activity of some of our officers."

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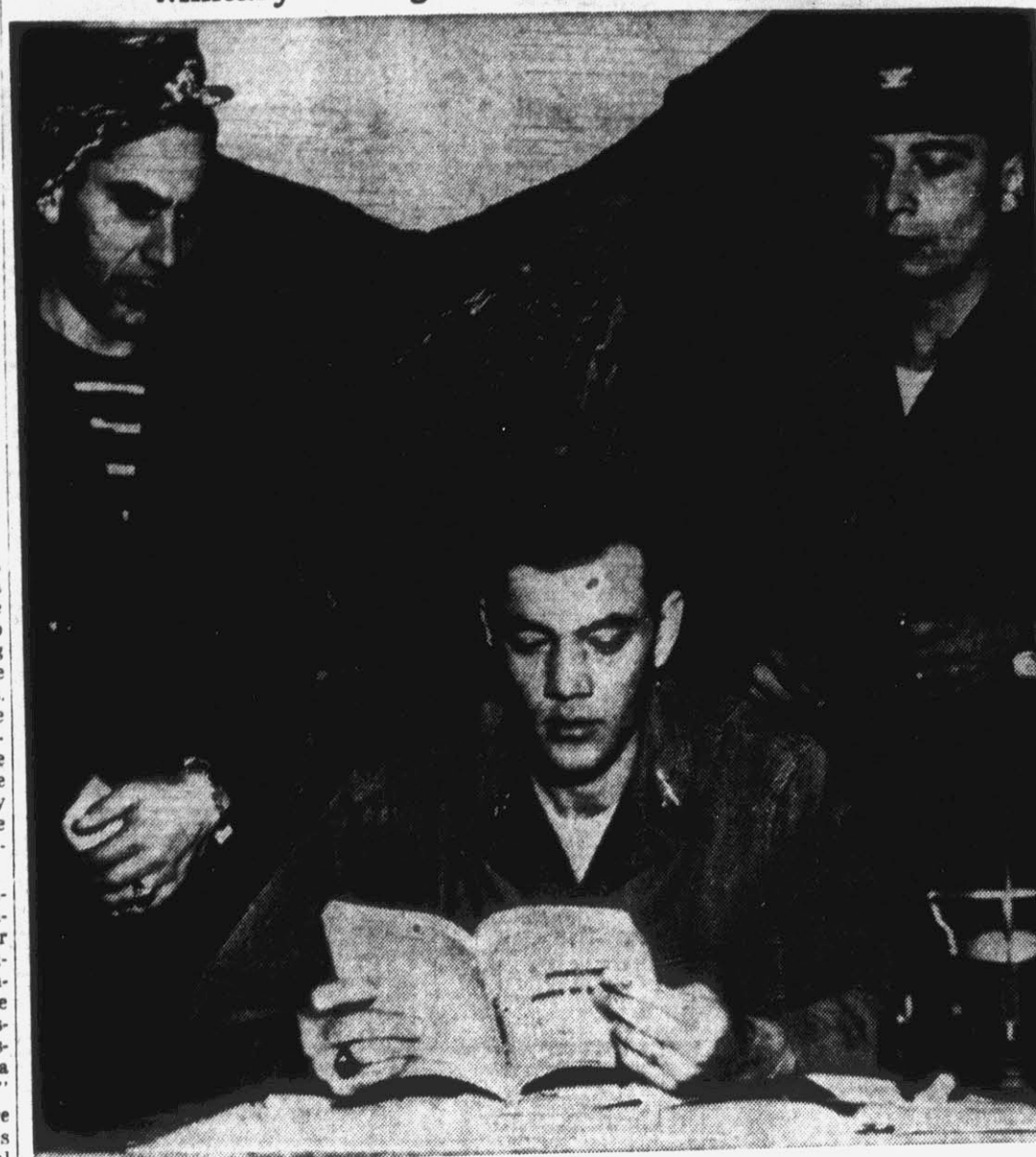
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Shirley Ross - Nick Valle - Lyle Talbot and Tamara - The Fabulous Dancers
NOVELTY—CARTOON—NEWS

Military Intelligence Demonstration Here



Shown above are members of the 525th Military Intelligence Service Group which will present a program on Military Intelligence here Friday night at eight o'clock in the local offices of the Organized Reserve Corps. The two-hour program will deal with many of the intelligence problems faced by front line operations and will bring out some of the traits of the Soviet Military service units.

A Third Army Mobile Intelligence Instruction team, organized and trained by the 525th Military Intelligence Service Group stationed at Fort Bragg, will present to the Organized Reserve Corps of the Greenville area tomorrow night a two-hour show dealing with military intelligence.

The program which is designed to instruct officers and enlisted men on intelligence problems and procedures, will be given at the local Reserve Headquarters, located at 106 Ficklen Street.

The highlight of the evening is an hour-long play dramatizing the "Intelligence Cycle".

Titled "The Laundry Ticket", the play tells of a harried intelligence officer who one night is faced with the problems of securing vital information on enemy movements. His efforts through the night are recounted until dawn bringing the play to a exciting climax.

Colored News
Card of Thanks
We wish to thank our friends, both white and colored, for their cooperation and expression of sympathy during the death of our husband and father, Tom Grimes.

Malessa Grimes and Family
There will be a quarterly meeting at Sweet Hope F. W. B. Church Sunday, Feb. 17, at 11 a.m. The pastor, Rev. Z. D. Harris, will speak from three thoughts, "Get Right With God," "How to Get Right With God," and "When to Get Right With God." Music by the senior choir. At 2 p.m. dinner will be served in the dining hall. At 3 p.m. Rev. E. H. Harris and his choir, ushers and congregation of Spring Branch Church will conduct the evening service. The public is cordially invited. Sweet Hope Church is near Simpson.

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