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Showers, thunderstorms and gusty winds tonight; Wednesday clearing, windy and a little cooler.

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They Renounced Communism



A group of North Koreans, captives of the Allies on Koje Island, waves South Korean flags and cheers after a fight between rival groups at Koje. These men, in stockade 93, renounced Communism. Other prisoners in stockade 92 did not. A rock fight broke out between the two groups. South Korean soldiers on guard duty opened fire killing 12 and wounding 26 (AP Wirephoto via radio from Tokyo).

Reds Inject New Snags At Truce Parley Session

Balk At Opening Of Pyongyang To Neutral Truce Inspection Teams

PANMUNJOM, Korea (UP) — The Communists balked today at opening Pyongyang, capital of Red North Korea, to neutral truce inspection teams.

Col. Andrew J. Kinney of the U.N. objected to the Communist list. He insisted that it should include the two capitals because they are the most important cities and transport hubs in Korea.

Staff officers reported no progress at the end of their two-hour, 16-minute meeting.

A second group of staff officers adjourned for the day after only 22 minutes.

Chinese Col. Tsai Cheng-wen said the Reds were not yet ready to answer seven questions submitted by the U.N. Monday relating to an exchange of war prisoners.

In the truce supervision talks, the Reds proposed that Allied "ports of entry" for rotated troops and supplies be limited during an armistice to Inchon, the West Coast port for Seoul; Pusan, at the southeast corner of Korea; Kangnung, on the East Coast; Kusan, on the West Coast; and Suwon, site of an airport south of Seoul.

The Allies on Monday had proposed Seoul, including its port of Inchon, and Taegu, former headquarters of the 8th Army and site of an airport in Southeast Korea, instead of Inchon alone and Suwon.

For themselves, the Communists suggested Sinuiju, on the Yalu River Manchurian border in the northwest corner of Korea; Manpojin, farther up the Yalu near the northern tip of Korea; Hungnam, an East Coast port; Chongjin, a Northeast Coast port, and Sinanju, at the mouth of the Chongchon River on the Northwest Coast.

The Allies had proposed Pyongyang with its West Coast port of Chinnampo, instead of Sinanju.

Cautious View

WASHINGTON (AP)—Secretary of State Acheson said today he believes the Korean truce negotiations will be successful, but he cautioned against "either optimism or pessimism" in the present stage of the prolonged talks.

Acheson was before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee to urge approval of the full \$7,900,000,000 administration asks for foreign aid.

But under questions from Sen. Wiley (R-Wis), Acheson's testimony became in effect a quick review of foreign affairs in general.

1. The United States is "continually working" to get its Allies to provide a larger portion of troops in Korea — without success so far.

2. The situation in Indo-China, where the French are locked in battle with Communist-led forces, is "very serious" and will remain so until the French can put a large, trained native force in the field.

Disclosures In New Truman Book Draw Chilly Reaction

Pitt Men Receive Threatening Notes

Five Letters 'Signed' By Klan, But Sheriff Doubts Authenticity; Crude White Cross Found; Drinking, Gambling Criticized

By ROY HARDEE Reflector Staff Writer

The possibility that some form of the Ku Klux Klan might be blossoming in Pitt County was unearthed today when it was learned that five letters, allegedly sent by the Klan, have been received by Pitt County men.

Discovery of the possible Klan activity by the Sheriff's department which was made last Friday, has been termed by Sheriff Ruel W. Tyson as "the work of some pranksters."

Letters were received by five men in the Clayport section of the county Thursday or Friday of last week, warning each about drinking and gambling, telling each that the Klan was watching them and would beat them up if they did not stop.

In addition to the five letters received through the mails, a small wooden cross, wrapped with white cloths has been found at the home of one Pitt citizen.

Nearly two weeks ago, a small cross about 14 inches long, wrapped in a piece of sheeting tacked on with small nails, was found in a flower box in the yard of Sylvester Vick, carpenter who lives on the Washington highway. No attempt had been made to burn the cross.

The crude cross affair bore a scribbled note, written on a piece of gray cardboard: "Quit drinking. The cross was found by Vick's wife and was reported to the authorities.

Each of the letters bore the postmark of the Greenville post office and were postmarked around three o'clock on March 12. In addition, all of the letters were written on the same type of paper, lined note book paper, and mailed in plain white envelopes.

One of the letters bore traces of lipstick around the edges and on the letter itself.

A sample of one of the letters is as follows: "We, the Ku Klux Klan, are sending all men who drink whiskey a letter. You had better stop drinking. Don't say you don't because we have been sitting around stores and other places watching you. If you don't because we have been sitting around stores and other places watching you, we mean what we tell you. KKK."

The names of the five men who received the letters were revealed by the Sheriff's office to be: Andrew Haddock, Ayden Route 2; George Roaches, Ayden Route 2; David Smith, Ayden Route 2; M. D. Vandford, Vanceboro Route 1, and Austin Smith, Route 2, Ayden.

Sheriff Tyson has in his office four of the letters received by the men with the letters reportedly returned by Austin having not been returned.

"There have been no reports of any organized Klan in the county received by the Sheriff's department," Tyson reported this morning "and no other reports have been made to the Sheriff's office with the exception of the letters and the cross."

"I don't think it is anything in the world pertaining to the Klan,"

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Veteran Members Of Congress, Including Doughton, Level Fire At 12-Year Limitation For Lawmakers; Byrnes Angrily Denies Rebuke By President

By MERRIMAN SMITH United Press White House Writer KEY WEST, Fla. (UP)—Disclosures in a new intimate book about President Truman brought chilling reaction today from veteran members of Congress and a wrathful blast from James F. Byrnes, former secretary of state.

The book is "Mr. President," by William Hillman, a collection of personal and official memoranda, letters, diary excerpts and exclusive interviews.

Byrnes, now governor of South Carolina and a leader in the Southern anti-Truman revolt, gave the lie to the President about a sharply-worded letter Mr. Truman says he read to Byrnes on Jan. 5, 1946, in effect accusing him of assuming too much authority in handling U.S. foreign policy.

Hillman's book contained the text of the letter, with an introductory note signed "HST" in which the President said he read it to Byrnes personally because he wanted to emphasize its importance.

Byrnes said he never heard of the "letter" until the book went on sale today.

"Mr. Truman's statement that he read the letter to me is absolutely untrue," Byrnes said. "Had he done so, he would have had to write another letter accepting my resignation."

Another disclosure in the book was that Mr. Truman favors a 12-year limit on the tenure of any individual senator or representative.

Regardless of party, members of the House and Senate were almost unanimously cool toward such an idea. Most of them felt that the background and experience gained during a man's early years in Congress were invaluable for his service. Several pointedly referred to Mr. Truman's 17 years in Washington as senator and President.

"If a congressman is any good 12 years isn't enough," said Rep. Robert L. Doughton, (D-NC), who at 88 is the oldest member of the House and has served in Congress 44 years. "His a poor congressman, then one term is too many."

Mr. Truman believes that "twelve years in Washington is enough for any man," the book discloses.

And he advocates revolutionary changes in the structure of the federal government to "help cure senility and seniority—both terrible legislative diseases nationally."

He would limit the service of U.S. senators to two six-year terms, increase the House term to four years and limit each representative to 12 years in Congress.

This contrasted with a flat White House denial last April that Mr. Truman had ever regarded such a plan seriously.

Other disclosures: 1. The President favors legislation to remedy the "virtual immunity" now accorded "the corrupts" who entice government officials and workers into dishonest practices. Mr. Truman says that "there is nothing I detest so much as a crooked politician or corrupt government official but the type of businessman who is a fixer is even lower in my estimation."

2. Mr. Truman would put all federal district attorneys and U.S. marshals under civil service, removing them from federal patronage. This would bring "a howl from the patronage boys all the way down the street," he told Hillman, "but I will fight for this vital and urgent change."

3. In 1948, when Bernard Baruch refused Mr. Truman's invitation to serve on the Democratic Party fi-

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Minnesotans Cast Votes In Presidential Primary Test

Eisenhower And Kefauver Backers Bid For Write-In Votes; Both Men Off Ballot; Favorite Sons Overcloud Issue

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. (UP)—Minnesotans voted today in the nation's second presidential primary of 1952 with supporters of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower and Sen. Estes Kefauver trying to garner write-in votes for their candidates.

Snow fell in many parts of the state during the night, but clear weather was expected during the day. Polls opened at 7 a.m. and will close at 8 p.m.

The turnout was expected to be about 200,000.

The Republican ballot carried the names of former Minnesota Gov. Harold E. Stassen and Edward C. Slettedahl, a politically unknown St. Paul school teacher running as a stand-in for Gen. MacArthur.

It also listed their 28 Republican delegates.

On the Democratic ticket, only the name of Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey (D-Minn) appeared along with his 26 delegates.

Eisenhower's backers, sparked by his showing in the New Hampshire primary, were particularly fervent in trying to line up write-in votes in their 11th hour campaign.

And the Kefauver supporters also were active for the same reason.

But neither group was wildly enthusiastic about their chances.

Bot Stassen and Humphrey are favorite son candidates on their respective ballots.

Humphrey ran in the primary at the request of President Truman and he will turn over his delegates to the chief executive if Mr. Truman decides to run again.

Kefauver, Eisenhower and MacArthur all were knocked off the ballot by the State Supreme Court. Kefauver and MacArthur had asked to be removed earlier, but Eisenhower's name was taken off over the objections of his Minnesota boosters.

The write-in drives by the Kefauver and Eisenhower supporters were intended to grab off some of the delegates to the national conventions.

A victory for either, however, would pose a legal problem which would have to be decided in the courts.

The Minnesota primary is a battle for delegates. Since neither has any delegates in Minnesota, a victory for them would present the legal situation of winning candidates without any delegates elected to represent them at the conventions.

The Greenville Recreation Commission last night voted to make an official request of the city board of aldermen for a resolution turning over to the recreation commission for a specified period of time the land which is to be developed into Elm Street Park.

Recreation Director Warren Carroll said just what period of time would be requested has not yet been decided, but added that the land should be under the jurisdiction of the recreation commission to insure its continued use as a recreation area after it is developed by local organizations which have secured a development program for the area.

Carroll presented the commission a detailed report on plans for developing Elm Street Park under the direction of a special committee to be made up of representatives of local organizations which join in the project. The commission recommended that a quorum of its members be present at each meeting of the steering committee to keep in close touch with the progress which is made on the development.

The commission also discussed a movement for having the Negro citizens of the city develop a designated area near the South Greenville school as a major recreation area for Negro citizens of the city. Plans have been made for the development of the area, and Recreation Director Carroll and Commission Member Dr. Kelly were designated to work with the Negro citizens in the development of the area.

Carroll, Kelly and Lester Turnage were appointed to work out arrangements with the Negro semi-professional baseball team of the city for use of Guy Smith Stadium during the baseball season.

The commission approved a salary increase of \$25 month retroactive to January 1 for Recreation Director Carroll.

Wallace Denies 'Mr. X' Identity

Challenges President To Name Him 'Dangerous Dreamer'

SOUTH SALEM, N. Y. (UP)—Henry A. Wallace, former secretary of commerce under President Truman, said today that if Mr. Truman names him as the "Mr. X" of his diary "I shall charge him with deliberate character assassination... to make money... and 'build political prestige.'"

Wallace made the charge in a statement following publication of a biography of Mr. Truman by William Hillman.

In the diary Mr. Truman said: "Mr. X is a pacifist 100 per cent. He wants us to disarm our armed forces, give Russia our atomic secrets and trust a bunch of adventurers in the Kremlin political bureau. I do not understand a 'dreamer' like that. The German-American Bund under Fritz Kuhn was not half so dangerous."

He said he had received a "no comment" reply from presidential secretary Joseph Short.

"If Mr. Truman ever admits Mr. X is I," Wallace said, "I shall charge him with the same deliberate character assassination which he finds so despicable in others. To make money, to build political prestige and to eliminate 'red herring' seems to be the explanation of this incredible passage in X in the diary."

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Sees Control Of Atom Materials Now Impossible

LONDON (AP)—A British science journal declared today world stocks of atomic bomb material have become so big that an international control plan giving "absolute security" is impossible.

This opinion was advanced by the monthly News Magazine of the Atomic Scientists Association, founded in 1946 by British scientists who helped produce the world's first atom bomb in America.

In discussing atomic control measures, it suggested "some acceptable compromise between the unobtainable ideal of absolute security and the present intolerable drift."

The journal said in an editorial that even the destruction of bombs already stockpiled would raise the danger of "serious biological consequences" through radioactive contamination of the world's atmosphere.

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Report Study On Parking Problem

Merchant Board To Ask Aldermanic Group For Joint Meet

The Greenville Merchants Association Parking Committee reported to the board of directors last night its findings and recommendations for improving the parking situation here. President Charles A. White presided.

The directors authorized the Parking Committee to ask the Traffic Committee of the Board of Aldermen for a joint conference to discuss the situation. B. C. Johnson, Van Fleming and D. J. Whitard, Jr. composed the merchants' Parking Committee.

The aldermen recently had a traffic survey made with a long-range program planned. Included in the recommendations was the definite need for the 10- and 15-minute parking places to be checked by police, with special attention given to the area adjacent to the postoffice.

President White appointed Bill Drum to represent the Merchants' Association on the Greenville Recreation Steering Committee for developing Elm Street Park.

President White and city officials appeared before the State Highway Commission in Raleigh February 28 and endorsed the proposed continuation of Highway 13, which comes down the western shore to Norfolk, Va., and into North Carolina, including Greenville.

The Merchants' Association last night congratulated Jason H. Blount upon his reelection to the board of directors of Tobacco Associates, Inc., at a recent meeting in Raleigh. Incidentally, Blount represents all merchants in the tobacco areas on this board. Tobacco Associates, Inc., was organized in 1916 to work for the interest of tobacco and to increase tobacco exports.

The Greenville Merchants' Association will be represented at the North Carolina Merchants' Association's annual convention to be held in Raleigh May 18-20.

Chairman E. S. Webb reported a new member of the Greenville Association, Collins-Pridmore Department Store, located in the Young building on Dickinson avenue.

ERWIN FILES RALEIGH (AP)—Dr. Clyde A. Erwin, state superintendent of public instruction, yesterday filed with the State Board of Elections to retain his seat in the May 1 Democratic primary. He has served in his present post since 1934.

Replacement For Revenue Office Himself Ousted

WASHINGTON (AP)—Monroe D. Dowling, named seven months ago to replace an ousted internal revenue collector in New York City, has been ousted himself.

Revenue Commissioner John B. Dunlap yesterday announced acceptance of Dowling's resignation, by request "in connection with an irregularity in one of his (personal) income tax returns." The action, Dunlap stressed, had nothing to do with Dowling's conduct in office.

Dowling was the nation's eighth—and the New York City area's third—collector forced from office in the current investigation of tax irregularities. He was named by President Truman in August to succeed James W. Johnson and clean up the Upper Manhattan District.

Probing Attacks Driven Back By UN Forces

SEOUL, Korea (UP)—The Communists threw more than 1,000 men against United Nations lines in eight probing attacks last night and early today.

The newly attacked between the truce conference village of Panmunjom and Korangpo along a four-mile front west of the Imjin River. The Reds tried to soften up Allied lines with heavy artillery, mortar and automatic weapons fire, then attacked in four company-sized waves.

All attacks were repulsed. No since Dec. 28 have the Communists been so aggressive in the Korangpo area of the Western front.

The renewed assault may be an indication the Reds have decided they need the territory and are willing to pay for it in blood.

Pulled Gun On Television Set

HUNTINGTON PARK, Calif. (AP)—Mad because he didn't like the program, Thomas Steiner pulled out a gun and shot up the television set. Police told this story today: Steiner, 32-year-old metal worker, was a guest at a neighbor's party. The party was to celebrate the neighbor's purchase of a new 20-inch TV set.

When singer Dorothy Kirsten came on Steiner turned up and marked "don't like it." He pulled out a pistol and fired into the screen.

The TV set died instantly. Steiner was booked on a drunk charge.

Senator Says Eisenhower Left Door Wide Open For A Return

WASHINGTON (UP)—Sen. Frank Carlson said today that Dwight D. Eisenhower has kept the door "wide open" to return to the United States before the Republican convention.

Kansas Republican is director of the national Eisenhower headquarters here.

Having predicted time and again that Eisenhower will return from Europe to the GOP nominating convention, Carlson refused to be swayed by a letter from the general made public yesterday by 19 House Republicans. All Eisenhower supporters, they had urged him to come home and start campaigning at once.

Eisenhower replied that "during the next few months, no other job or mission that I can discharge seems more important" than the one in which "I am now engaged."

He said he "inclines, in the advice of friends or 'possibilities that lie ahead' cannot outweigh 'an inescapable and present duty.'"

In Paris today, Paul G. Hoffman said that he believes Eisenhower regards his New Hampshire primary victory as a "clear-cut call" to political duty.

Hoffman, co-chairman of "Citizens for Eisenhower," said he urged the general to return to the U.S. "as a candidate for the presidency," several weeks before the Republican convention.

"Last year in November," Hoffman said, "his attitude was one of great reluctance even to the notion he should stand for the nomination."

"Now with New Hampshire behind him, I feel he is thoroughly persuaded there is a real call to duty. He is no longer theorizing, but is aware the campaign is on, although no campaigning is expected of him in the primaries."

In Concord, N.H., Secretary of State Enoch D. Fuller announced today that official returns of the March 11 primary gave Eisenhower 46,661 votes to 35,838 for his nearest competitor, Sen. Robert A. Taft of Ohio.

Meanwhile, Taft swung around

before in a two-week campaign before its April 1 primary, which he regards as his major pre-convention test. His supporters are predicting that he will win 24 of the 30 Wisconsin GOP convention delegates.

Eisenhower will not be a candidate in the Wisconsin race.

Neither Taft nor Eisenhower was before Minnesota voters today as that state held the second of the nation's presidential primaries.

Harold E. Stassen, former Minnesota governor who ran third in New Hampshire, was opposed in the GOP presidential primary only by Edward C. Slettedahl, "favorite son" backed by supporters of Gen. Douglas MacArthur. Eisenhower supporters were conducting a write-in campaign.

In the Democratic primary, Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey was the unopposed "favorite son" candidate of delegates who will support President Truman if the chief executive seeks re-nomination. Backers of Sen. Kefauver also were seeking write-in votes.

List Of Exhibits For Art Festival Announced

Many Art Groups Making Ready For Exhibitions

The seventeenth annual Community Arts Festival opens Friday of this week and extends through Saturday of the following week.

This outstanding event, which is sponsored by the Greenville Woman's Club and the Community Arts Center, in cooperation with 14 other city organizations, will have as its theme "The Arts In Our Community and State." Special emphasis will be placed on the modern aspects of painting, literature, sculpture, dancing, music and other art forms. During the week of March 24-29, there will be daily exhibits and different programs scheduled for almost every hour of the day and night. The exhibit will open on Monday at 9:00 A.M. and will remain open daily through the following Saturday until 5:30 P.M. There will be an exhibit of modern furniture and paintings by North Carolina artists at the Art Gallery, while on the main floor of the Sheppard Memorial Library will be a display of Currier and Ives original prints and a special exhibit of books. At the Woman's Club during the week will be exhibits by local and North Carolina artists and also one by the elementary and high school students at the recreation center. The school exhibit will be under the supervision of James A. Walker, supervisor of art in the city schools.

The art department of East Carolina College will exhibit a showing of work by students at the Woman's Club, while the students of the Industrial Arts department, under the supervision of their instructor, Dr. Kenneth Bing, will display an exhibit of work done by that department.

An exhibit by the Negro elementary and high schools can be seen in the auditorium of the C. M. Epps high school, arranged under the supervision of Mrs. M. B. Allen, art supervisor.

From 2:30 to 3:30 each afternoon there will be a showing of color slides representing the best in modern art of the 19th and 20th centuries. These color slides have been lent by the Philadelphia Museum of Art especially for the festival.

The participating organizations which are taking part in the Community Arts Festival, in addition to the sponsors, are the Music Club, Garden Club, Little Theatre Guild, Junior Theatre, Black Masquers, Rose School of Speech.

Also the Art Department of East Carolina College, Industrial Arts Department of East Carolina College, Workshop Division of the Teachers Playhouse of East Carolina College, the art, drama and music divisions of the city and county schools, Beaux Arts Club of Greenville, Greenville Recreation Commission, Radio Station WOTO and the Sheppard Memorial Library. The Arts Festival committee for 1952 is composed of Mrs. J. G. Tabor, chairman, Mrs. R. P. Rogers, Miss Lelia Higa, Mrs. Georgia P. Hearne, Miss Beatrice Chauncey, Mrs. J. K. Long, Miss Dora Clout, Francis Lee Neel, Mrs. K. F. Whitely, Mrs. H. S. Ragsdale, James A. Walker, Miss Nell Stallings, Mrs. J. H. B. Moore, Mrs. Vance Perkins, Mrs. W. H. Davenport and Mrs. M. B. Allen.

Children's Little Theatre One skit of the Children's Little Theatre is planning a meeting this week. The cast of Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs, directed by Mrs. Virginia Garrison, will have a rehearsal Thursday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock at the armory. If anyone can't be present please call 8085 and tell Mrs. Garrison. The other skits will no doubt meet next week if sickness does not prevail and the cast can get together. Each child in the Theatre is requested to study his lines and the director will get in touch with each one as soon as rehearsals begin.

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Social and Personal

All items for this page received after 10 a. m. will be published the following day. Dial 2324-9 a. m. to Noon; 1 to 4:30 p. m.

Charles R. Fleming Jr. of Detroit, Lt. John B. Fleming, Mrs. Fleming and little son Johnnie of Fort Campbell, Ky. left Saturday for their respective homes after a short visit to Charles and John's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Fleming, East Dudley Street.

Mrs. Tommie Eilers has returned home from Pitt Memorial Hospital and is improving steadily.

Mrs. R. W. Davenport is recovering from an appendectomy in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Godley, Mr. Walter Hudson of Greenville and Mr. Edward Hudson of Ayden returned Wednesday from Sanford, Fla. where they attended the funeral of Mr. Walter Hudson's brother, Mr. J. L. Hudson.

Little Jimmy Stokes of Route 3 Greenville is confined to his home with measles.

Women In The Church

By MARY FOWLER

Dr. Irma Hignbaugh, of Coffeyville, Kansas, formerly a missionary in China, has been working with the National Council of Churches of Japan in promoting Christian home life in that land. This has been carried on through churches, schools, in public prints, in legislative assemblies, and in meetings of parents and teachers. Recently the National Council adopted these principles to emphasize across the nation:

"In view of the fact that the family tragedies are generally caused by a lack of faith in God, we recommend to all the churches and Christians, to do their best in family evangelism through efficient religious education, by establishing closer mutual cooperation between the church and home. In order to give our youth and children wholesome scientific education and proper guidance for social fellowship, we shall take measures to publish and distribute the necessary reference books and pamphlets, to meet this need. We shall try our best to prevent the moral degradation of youth and children, recommending the best methods to reach them through their homes by clearly defining the real cause and by enforcing the Prohibition law of juvenile drinking and smoking.

"In order to bring some reform in social education, we shall call attention of the government authorities and general public, to prevent the evil influence of prostitution and to forbid such illegal business as is connected with gambling, bicycle racing and the like. Meantime we shall take measures to uphold and make known the spirit of the 'Children's Charter' to the general public.

As it is our conviction that war is a crime deserving the home and bringing dreadful tragedies to mankind we wish to join our prayers with Christians all over the world and press forward to establish an enduring peace through disarmament of all nationalities, and with the permission of the gospel of the Prince of Peace. The present general situation of confusion in moral order in home and community was ushered in by democracy without God which helped to acquire freedom and human rights, yet failed to foster the sense of duty and responsibility."

Panel Discussion Planned For PTA Meeting

At the Training School Parent-Teachers meeting on Thursday night, the program will center around the pre-school child.

A panel discussion will be held, with Frank Steinbeck serving as moderator. Others taking part in the panel will be Mrs. J. B. Newman, Mr. Judson White, Mr. J. C. Clifford, Dr. H. G. Haney, Miss Annie Mae Murray and Miss Julia Fisher. Questions for discussion will cover the preparation of the child for entrance into school next year. Audience participation is expected and questions will deal with the emotional, health and social problems which confront the child who is entering school.

A special invitation is extended to parents who, though not now a member of the organization, will have children who will enroll in school the first time next year. Mrs. Dink James, president, will preside.

Funeral Wednesday For William H. Britt

FARMVILLE — William Henry Britt, 68, of Farmville died at his home in Farmville this morning at 2:40 following an extended illness. He was the son of the late John D. and Emma Dale Britt of Greene County. Mr. Britt was a successful farmer of Greene County in the Maury community for 25 years. His health forced him to retire about one year ago at which time he moved to Farmville. He was a member of the Farmville Baptist church.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Farmville Baptist church conducted by Dr. E. W. Holmes, local pastor. Interment will follow in the Snow Hill cemetery. The body will remain at the home until one hour prior to the services at which time it will be taken to the church to lie in state until the time of the service. Mr. Britt is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary McLawhorn Britt; three daughters, Mrs. Joe Taylor of Farmville route two, Mrs. Charlie Moore of Snow Hill route two and Mrs. Lacy Maxwell of Steadman; two sons, Russell of Farmville route two and Charles Thomas of the home; one sister, Mrs. J. D. Murphy of Lizzie; one brother, Gilmore Britt of Snow Hill, and sixteen grandchildren.

Social Calendar

TUESDAY
8:00 p.m.—Chapter 149 of the Eastern Star meets.
8:00 p.m.—The Redemptive Life Mission conducted by the Rev. Walter Williams, Miss Eleanor Snyder and Miss Mary Louise Villaret at St. Paul's Episcopal Church.
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WEDNESDAY
7:15 p.m.—Beaux Arts League meets at the Third Street School hut.
8:00 p.m.—Junior Women's Club meets at the club house.
10:30 a.m.—Coffee hour for Women of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Miss Mary Louise Villaret and Miss Eleanor Snyder in the parish house.

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THURSDAY
7:30 p.m.—Training School P.T.A. meets in College Theatre auditorium.
8:00 p.m.—Mrs. W. C. Goodwin will be hostess to the Arles Book Club.
8:30 p.m.—Coffee hour and group meetings in parish house of St. Paul's Episcopal Church for officers and leaders of all organizations, church school teachers and workers.
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FRIDAY
6:30 p.m.—Kiwanis Club
6:30 p.m.—Exchange Club
7:30 p.m.—Red Men meet.

Junior Class Play
The Junior Class of Farmville High School is presenting the annual Junior Play Friday night, March 21, at Perkins Hall, the local auditorium in Farmville, at 8:00 p.m. Admission fees are 35c for all school children and 50c for adults. The name of the play is "No Place Like Home." Leave your own and see what we mean.

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FHA And FFA Give Banquet For Parents

GRIFTON—On Friday night the Future Homemakers and the Future Farmers of America of the Grifton school with their sponsors, Mrs. Lillian Hart and Mr. Paul Bradley, entertained at a daughter and mother, son and father banquet in the school cafeteria.

The banquet table was centered with lovely boules of red roses and allium, while a spray of fern and white statice and tall white candles at intervals down the table made a pretty arrangement.

At each place was a booklet with the emblems of the clubs, in which was the program of the evening. The invocation was said by Mr. Bradley and Vance Abbott gave the welcome to which Mrs. Edith Lee responded.

A delectable three course turkey dinner was enjoyed after which the aims and achievements of the Future Homemakers were explained by Mrs. Hart. A ceremony with Argent Tucks, Carolyn Davis, Sara Lee, Hilda Buck, Peggy Buck, Geraldine Adams, Phyllis Haddock and Bertha Cannon lighting the candles, representing the different goals of the club was held. Acting for the group as narrator was Mildred Sellers.

Mr. Bradley made a brief talk for the boys club telling of the honors that the boys have made this year in their field of work and the projects they are now working on. The FFA emblem was built by John Robert Lewis and Bernard McLawhorn. Acting as narrator was Ernest Robertson while Mrs. Braxton of the music department rendered appropriate music during these ceremonies.

Acting as waitresses for the evening were members of the home economics class, Dawn Smith, Betty McCotter, Joyce Koon, Pat Stokes, Joyce Cannon, and Peggy Abbott.

40 Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
March 18, 1912

House Items
House, N. C.—Miss Louise Fleming spent Sunday with her friends in Stokes.

We hope Misses Fleming and Ellington will have a nice crowd at their commencement Thursday night.

L. B. Fleming spent Sunday with his friends at home near here.

Miss Essie Ellington was in town today.

We were glad to see such pretty weather Sunday.

The land in getting in plowing condition.

Days and nights are getting close to an equal length.

Bar-B-Que Supper
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Tennessee Girl Married To Former Local Resident

CLARKSVILLE, Tenn.—In a lovely home wedding Miss Mary John McCraw pledged vows with Corp. Edward Barber of Fort Campbell, Ky. on Saturday, March 8. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George McCraw of St. Bethlehem and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Barber of Greenville, N. C.

The Rev. H. A. Hamby, Baptist minister, read the vows, after a program of nuptial music which Mrs. Henry Boncutter sang "Because" by Guy d'Ardelet, accompanying herself. She played "Always" by Berlin and for the professional "The Bridal Chorus" from Lohengrin by Wagner.

Greenery and heather were banded to form a background for the wedding party. Graceful white tapers burned on the mantel to cast a soft glow over the scene.

The bride's father, Mr. McCraw, gave her in marriage. She wore a white faille suit, a small fitted white straw hat trimmed with veiling and a white orchid corsage.

Miss Jane Moon, maid of honor, was dressed in a changeable grey taffeta model. She wore a matching hat and a corsage of red roses.

The bridegroom had for his best man, Sgt. Robert Spears of Fort Campbell, Ky.

After the wedding, the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. McCraw, entertained at a reception at their home. Mrs. Bernard Armistead, Mrs. McCraw's sister and Mrs. I. E. Black, her sister-in-law, assisted with the hospitality.

The beautifully arranged table was centered by a square white wedding cake which sprays of lilies of the valley and tiny red roses decorated. White tapers in holders surrounded by lilies of the valley and small red roses intertwined with greenery, burned at the four corners of the cake to add to the beauty of the reception scene. Spring flowers were used in arrangements.

After the bride and groom cut the cake, Mrs. Black served it while Mrs. Armistead poured punch.

Mrs. Armistead wore a dress with black velvet bodice and bronze taffeta skirt. Mrs. Black was attired in a blue suit.

The bride and groom left for a wedding trip. For traveling, Mrs. Barber chose a navy faille suit and a small matching hat. She wore a white orchid corsage.

Corporal Barber is with the C. Battery, 69th Field Artillery Battalion, at Fort Campbell, Ky.

Selling Seed Packets
The pupils of the Third Street School are busy selling packets of flower and vegetable seed.

The project is being sponsored by all the grades in an effort to raise money for additional supplies for the school.

All gardeners who have not already done so are requested to contact one of the pupils of the school for his seed needs.

West Greenville P.T.A.
The P.T.A. of West Greenville School will meet on Wednesday afternoon at 3:30. All parents are urged to attend.

Movies On Camp To Be Shown
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Art Exhibit By School Pupils

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The drawings, which are representative of the work of each pupil, are posted in the rooms for the benefit of the parents, to whom a special invitation is extended to visit in the classes this week.

At the end of the week, the best of the works of art will be selected by the teachers and the principals, with the cooperation of James Walker, art supervisor for the city schools, for use in the school exhibit which will be shown during the Community Arts Festival week.

The teachers urge all parents to visit this exhibit and thus lend encouragement to their children's endeavors.

Farmville News

Mrs. Manard Thorne returned to her home Tuesday from Melchior Clinic in Wilson and is recuperating nicely.

Mrs. C. H. Mazingo was a Greenville visitor Friday morning.

Mrs. Carrie Bell Joyner, Mrs. G. A. Newton, Bob Newton, Mrs. Skinner Willoughby, Mrs. Archie Cayton were Wilson visitors Thursday.

Friends will regret to learn that C. H. Mazingo is not doing so well. He will go back to Duke Hospital Tuesday.

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In The Services

Larry R. Webb, Route 1, Fountain, N.C., was promoted to the rank of Sergeant while serving with the 7th Cavalry Regiment, First Cavalry Division, on Hokkaido, Japan.

Corporal Harold V. Barnhill, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barnhill, of Bethel, is returning home under the Army's rotation policy after serving with the Seventh Division on the Korean fighting front.

Barnhill is a medical technician in the 32nd Infantry Regiment, and has been awarded the Combat Medical Badge and the Korean Ribbon with one campaign star. He entered the Army in October, 1950.



Lloyd M. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Williams, 1225 Evans Street, Greenville, departed March 5 for the U. S. Naval Training Center at San Diego, Calif., where he will undergo his recruit training.



Cpl. Milton R. Stallings (above), son of Mr. and Mrs. Dancy Stallings, Route 3, Ayden, graduated last week as the outstanding student in the Map Compiling Specialist course at the Engineer School, Ft. Belvoir, Va. Stallings has been in the service for 20 months.

Following graduation ceremonies he will return to his current assignment at the Rapid City Air Force Base, Weaver, S.D.

First Lieutenant Melrose A. Nimmo (above), son of the Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Nimmo of Greenville, is stationed in Germany as a medical officer of the 915th Medical Ambulance Company. He was a Warrant Officer in World War II.

At the time Nimmo was called back into the service two years ago, he was a medical student at the Lincoln Chiropractic College, Indianapolis, Ind.

Pfc. Joseph E. Person, son of Mrs. Q. C. Person of Crawford Street, Bethel, was recently graduated from the Navy's Dental Technicians School at the U. S. Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill. Pfc. Person is a member of the Air Force.

Major Leslie D. Smith, son of Mrs. S. A. Smith, 1201 Forbes Street, Greenville, has been assigned to Third Army Headquarters in Atlanta with the Investigation Division, 3rd Army Provost Marshal Section.

Maj. Smith entered the Army in 1940, was commissioned in January 1943 and saw service in Africa, Italy and Southern France. He has only recently returned to the United States following his second tour of duty in Europe.

Pvt. Alvin Taylor, formerly of 209 West Second St., Greenville, departed March 13 for Seattle, Washington for shipment overseas following a furlough home. Taylor joined the armed forces in October, 1951, and trained with the Combat Engineers at Fort Belvoir, Virginia.



Pvt. Charles M. Everett (above), of Greenville, is currently taking part in jungle warfare maneuvers in the Panama Canal Zone. Everett is serving with Co. B of the 33rd Infantry Regiment at Ft. Kobbe, Panama, C.Z.

East-West Conflict Is Discussed Before Club

Dr. Richard C. Todd of the social studies department of East Carolina College last night addressed the Greenville Rotary club on the "Irrepressible Conflict" which he said now looms between the East and the West.

In the mid-19th century, the speaker said, an irrepressible conflict over economic, social and political principles developed between the North and the South in the United States and had to be settled by a war. Today, he asserted, a similar conflict is developing between the East and the West in the world separated by the Berlin axis.

Two ideologies have developed, one about the United States and one about the Soviet Union, the speaker said, and they are diametrically opposed. We are both out for the world in our own way. Pointing to the economic, political and social development of Russia under communism, Todd stated that Russia has 8,500,000 square miles of territory—one-sixth of the world's inhabitable territory. "The urge for access to the world's seas is important to Russian thinking. There are enormous potentials in important to Russian thinking. There are enormous potentials in Russia in water power, oil and coal. They have 200,000,000 people concentrated mostly in South European Russia, and the people are affected more immediately by what happens in Europe than in Asia."

Todd said the fusion of many groups of people has been made possible by a program of Russification which has reduced all variety between the peoples, but there still remains a "multitude of tension and animosity." The three generations of religious persecution, Todd said, "has had sufficient success to reduce organized religion to a minor factor today. The country lacks the moral fibre we have in the western world."

The speaker explained briefly the political organization of Russia, terming it "a total dictatorship camouflaged by a structure of democracy. We must look behind the Russian constitution to find the power behind Stalin and the Politburo. It is as dictatorial a regime as the world has ever known." The economy of the country is collectivism, Todd said, although



HOSTESS HELD IN SHOOTING:—Police Chief Browne Hairgrove (left), of Overland, Mo., escorts Miss Betty Lou Tracy, an airline hostess who is held without charge at St. Louis in the fatal shooting of Lawrence E. Keil, 43, a superintendent of Ozark Air Lines. Hairgrove said the attractive 20-year-old stewardess told police she shot Keil during a quarrel after he accused her of dating other men. (AP Wirephoto).

Pitt Explorer Scouts At Cherry-Point Outing

Approximately 30 Pitt County Explorer Scouts were among the 250 young men Explorers from the East Carolina Council who attended the three-day encampment held at Cherry Point during the past week-end.

The purpose of this Encampment as an Explorer Activity was to call together again the young men leaders of the state to exchange ideas and to renew the will to carry on their outstanding work. The Marine Corps, as host, under the direction of Major General V. E. Megee, Commanding General, furnished an exciting background for this activity. From the word go at the registration desk in the Cherry Point School the Explorers were faced with an entirely new vocabulary. There the young men were assigned to billets in Wing number 229 or 201 where they were given instructions to make up their sacks and be prepared for drill instruction after a brief tour of the base.

Host Ship 9, of Cherry Point, assumed leadership of the various Wing groups, under the direction of some principles of capitalism are used in an effort to produce efficiency and create greater production.

Dr. Todd was introduced by Rotarian Carl Adams who had charge of the program. Guests at the meeting last night were R. A. Biron of Midland, Mich., and Billy Moye of Greenville. Visiting Rotarians were Roger Patterson of Hot Springs, Ark., Maynard Fletcher, Ray Phillips and President Charles White appointed L. M. Buchanan to represent the Rotary club on the steering committee for the development of recreation facilities at Elm Street park, and announced that the Rotary Ladies night will be held at the West Greenville School auditorium on March 31. Election of officers for the coming year will be held at the meeting next week. Dr. John Mewborn of Farmville, of Sea Explorer Skipper P. R. Hog-

ard, Committee Chairman Allen P. Olmstead, and Scoutmaster B.E. Fones.

In this brief glimpse of the life at Cherry Point, the World's largest Marine Corps Air Station, there was much that these young men Explorers did not understand. In the mess hall the Explorers went through the long chow line, it may have had the atmosphere of a cafe, certainly Harold Flanagan, Troop 25 of Farmville thought so as he hailed a Marine Messman on duty, "Hey waiter," called Flanagan, "what kind of ice cream do you have around here?" The Marine, realizing the innocence of the Explorers answered patiently that there was no ice cream now but "you'll get it today, tomorrow, or the next day, I don't know."

Beginning with an early morning reveille and a big breakfast, Saturday morning and afternoon activities were the main attractions to the Explorers. Ten Scouts at a time went on an inspection tour of the R4Q1 "Flying Box Car" Marine personnel told the Explorers such information as unloading airborne supplies in seven seconds, weight capacities of 10,000 pounds, how parachutist leave the ship, etc. In the mass of strange looking instruments in the pilot's cockpit the young men heard about Ioran navigation equipment, the instrument panel, automatic pilot, etc. There was a puzzled expression on the faces of these fellows but one face brightened up and pointed to the one familiar looking instrument and said, "Hey look, a Morse code key!" The officer in charge verified the identification.

Three buses transported the Explorers on their tour. As the Explorers entered the Radiological building they passed by a huge mirror giving a full view of every passer by. Few Scouts failed to look at themselves as they passed, and saw the sign above reading, "Are you looking at a Marine?" The comments were many and varied. Movies of Marine activities at Tarawa and Marianas were shown.

Everyone was interested in the trip to inspect the Jet planes. Many of the fellows were familiar with photographs of the F9F Panther and the F2H Banshee, but here they learned from a pilot the less technical side of jet aircraft. In operation a jet engine reaches 350 degrees centigrade and many of these degrees warmed the inquisitive young Explorers as they huddled around the FOF Panther as the pilot blasted.

Among the Explorer Scouts attending the outing from Pitt County were from Sea Scout Ship one, troop 30 and 36 of Greenville: Jack Clifford, Don Strader, Rudy Ross, Mitchell Johnson, Dickie Newell, Billy Johnson, Brad Brooks, Jimmy Phelps, Preston Jarvis, Billy Tripp, Bill Taft, Mac Churchhill, Joe Taft, and Morris Morrow.

From troop 34 of Ayden: Sammy Smith, Steve Farish, Gordon Hart, Bobby Johnson, Thurman Worthington and Bobby Harris.

From troop 200 of Winterville: Graydon Tripp, Ray Jackson, Bert Worthington and Douglas Jackson. A complete list of Greenville Explorer Scouts attending the encampment was not available to The Reflector this morning.

The temperature of the sea at great depths is only two or three degrees above the freezing point of fresh water.

L. H. Rountree Dies From Heart Ailment
Mr. Lon H. Rountree 83, died at his home near Greenville Monday night at 11 o'clock from a heart ailment. He had been ill for several days. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.
Mr. Rountree was a native of Pitt County and had lived most of his life in the Greenville community. He was son of the late L. C. and Louisa Sumerell Rountree, and was a farmer and also had been a merchant. He was a member of Greenville Lodge No. 284, A.F.&A.M., and was awarded a fifty year service pin several years ago. In 1894 he was married to Lucy May Abbott of Winston.
Surviving are his wife; five sons, Harry G. and Dick Rountree, both of Wilson, Earl A. Rountree of Glendale, Calif., R. L. Rountree of Baltimore, Md., and W. S. Rountree of the home; four daughters, Misses Louise and Ruth Rountree, both of the home, Mrs. Richard Gobel of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. George Rose of Falls Church, Va.; 10 grandchildren and four great grandchildren.
The American Legion's "Tide of Toys" has sent more than 10 million toys overseas.

Monday's Cases In Police Court
In Police Court yesterday, Judge Charles H. Whedbee found Amos Barrett, Negro, guilty of assaulting Henry Cummings, Negro, with a deadly weapon. The court gave Barrett 30 days in jail, suspended on condition that he pay \$15 court costs and \$15 for the use of Cummings. He is to remain of good behavior and not molest or harm Cummings, the court order provides.
The court found probable cause in the case against Clinton T. Anderson, who was charged with larceny. Prayer for judgment was continued on payment of \$25 fine, costs deducted, and pay \$10 for the use of W. H. Tripp.
Drunk: Henry McLawhorn, Negro, 30 days or pay \$10; Raymond L. Gray, Negro, \$10.
ROBBERY AT GARAGE
Police today were investigating a report that some person broke into Lloyd Williams' Garage, 200 Grande avenue, last night and stole an automobile battery.

Continued Cool
The highest temperature in the Greenville area yesterday was 57 degrees. Lowest last night, 35, and at 8 a.m. today the mercury stood at 40 degrees. Yesterday, a year ago, the highest temperature here was 62 degrees. Lowest that night, 33, and at 8 a.m. next day it was 48 degrees.
The flood in Tar River at Greenville continues to drop and the level of the stream today was nearing the 11-foot mark. The highest level reported during high water was slightly over 16 feet.



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Strength for the Day

By EARL L. DOUGLAS
A CHRISTIAN NATION?

We are supposed to be living today in a Christian country. Yet fifty million adults in the United States have no church connections whatsoever, and twenty million children are without any religious instruction. Conditions are better in Canada than in the United States, but they are not enough better to produce complacency.

We might almost say that the United States and Canada are Christian nations—minus 50 per cent. When we deduct from the nominal Christians the dead wood in all the churches and the people who call themselves Christians without having any right to do so, then we have reduced the sincere, genuine group of Christians down to a pretty small handful.

The Bible is very definite as to how the spiritual life of a nation is to be improved. In both the Old and New Testaments the emphasis is upon the home. The law of God is to be taught to children, to be talked about in the ordinary walk and conversation which make up life. God's Word is to be written upon the doorposts of the house and upon its gates.

We try to place the responsibility for the religious education of boys and girls solely on the church and Sunday-school. This responsibility must be placed primarily upon the home. When the adults get religion, the children will get it too.

Another Dig At Southern Industry

Another member of Congress from Pennsylvania has taken a dig at expanding Southern industry and the federal administration in view of contracts for textiles which went to Southern plants instead of those of the North.

It is the second time in a period of a relatively few weeks that a member of Congress from the Keystone state has voiced outspoken opposition to the dent in northern industry which is being made by the new industrial South.

This time it was Pennsylvania's Senator Martin who accused the government of throwing thousands of Pennsylvanians out of work by showing favor to "Johnny-Come-Lately, non-union plants in the South" in the form of government contracts for shirts and underwear. Martin's statement hinted that pressure would be forthcoming to seek some measures to have government contracts competed for by only southern plants which paid the same wage scales as similar plants in the North.

It was only a few weeks ago that another Pennsylvania member of Congress proposed that government contracts not be let to industries in the South which had been established through favors granted by local citizens or local governments where the industries were located.

At the time of the previous statement, The Reflector pointed out that the South had used its resources and ingenuity to woo northern industries to taste the vast pool of labor and resources which the Southern states can offer new industry. And likewise that the South would have to continue to wage its vigorous battle to gain new industry in view of the growing concern north of the Mason-Dixon.

The South has made great strides industrially during the past two decades, and the shift of industry to Southern states is gaining momentum. The South is just coming into its own industrially after being held down for far too many decades. At the time when the new industrial spheres are opening up, it would certainly be amiss for the federal government to enact or even contemplate legislation or directives which would discriminate against the industry of the southern states.

The South has asked no favors of the federal government in its uphill battle for new industry. Now that the concerted program carried on by the Southern states is beginning to bear fruit, the northern sections which long have enjoyed a stable industrial economy should not begin yelling "foul."

An Example Others Could Follow

The Air Force at the Pentagon has set a good example which could well be followed by other agencies of the federal government. It is slicing its public relations staff 65 per cent.

This public relations project in the federal government is something which, in our opinion, has gotten far out of hand. At the outset, let it be understood that The Reflector is firmly of the opinion that the public should be kept well informed about government activities, but the scale upon which the federal government has gone into public relations is far beyond what is needed.

Almost every agency or department of the federal government, no matter how large or how small, has its own public relations staff. Almost every congressional committee, no matter how important or how obscure, has some person or persons to grind out release after release on activities. Indeed, almost every member of Congress has at least one staff member whose job it is to keep the folks back home informed on what is going on in Washington and particularly what the "boss" is doing.

Every day the federal government spends thousands of dollars turning out public relations material for home consumption. Some of it is well worthwhile, but far too much of it is fit only for the waste basket.

The general public needs to be kept well informed on government activities in various fields, but the Reflector is firmly convinced that the government's public relations program could be cut extensively without impairing its effectiveness, and at the same time save the taxpayers many of their hard-earned dollars.

National Whirligig

WASHINGTON—Congressional carelessness is partially responsible for Internal Revenue "corruption" and for the kind of Casey-Morris ship deals which have enabled smart politico-legal operators to clean up tax-less millions on an extremely small investment. The blame for Washington's crooked and unethical conduct does not rest solely on the man in the White House.

The remedies concocted by Congress for these conditions constitute an admission of that fact. Senate investigators have reached the private conclusion that the lessees of government tankers, which they sublet to the Reds, but there is as yet no evidence that the "double talk" assumed illegal form.

That would be an extremely indirect method of hooking a former "new deal" Congressman—Joe Casey and his shipping associates. In fact, it would tip off future operators. Therefore, the only way to prevent repetition of a scandalous operation is to close the legal loopholes.

PERFUNCTORY—Although Senator Walter F. George of Georgia has been a severe critic of Internal Revenue law-breakers, he admits tacitly that the committee which he heads—Senate Finance—helped let the rascals and corruptionists get into key offices in the first instance.

All appointments of Internal Revenue commissioners and collectors must be approved by his committee and confirmed by the Senate. In the past, however, this task has been handled in a perfunctory and slipshod manner. If the appointee was satisfactory to the Senators from his state, he was automatically cleared by the George group and the Senate.

CHARACTER—Neither body made any attempt to ascertain the character, the experience, the business and political connections, or the background of the candidates for these important jobs.

The only test applied to them was political. In view of the fact that seven collectors have been convicted, indicted or suspended, it is obvious that this system has not made for efficiency or honesty in this service.

In the future, Senator George says, every man appointed or reappointed to a high post in Internal Revenue will have to appear personally before his committee, and justify himself on grounds other than politics. He must produce references and even more definite evidence of his character, his ability, his experience and his devotion to the public welfare.

IRONIC—In installing this reform, the Georgia Senator admits, though not too noisily, that the legislative branch—at least the Senate—must share responsibility with the executive and appointive officials—namely, the President—for the current orgy of inefficiency, dishonesty and downright graft in the Internal Revenue and other agencies.

It does seem ironic, however, that the Senate must ask of Presidential appointees: "Are you an honest and incorruptible man?"

SHIFT—The compliments which Senator Estes Kefauver paid President Truman after the Tennessee triumph in the New Hampshire primary surprised and disappointed many of his backers. In view of White House enmity toward the man who first spotlighted the issue of corruption, they figured that he was repudiating his anti-Truman supporters in the Granite State.

But this Kefauver shift is part of a definite and deliberate strategy which, he hopes, will land him the Presidential or Vice-Presidential nomination. In his primary campaign speeches, Mr. Kefauver turned his fire on Truman. He intimated that the Missourian had been lax and slow in cleaning house. His New Hampshire victory showed its effectiveness.

LOYAL—His advisers, however, point out that he can get nowhere, politically, without White House support. He had already offended the hard-bodded bosses twice. First, by backing "Ed" Crump, the Memphis postmaster, in winning the senatorial nomination. Secondly, by daring to enter the primaries before Mr. Truman had said whether he planned to run again.

Selected Shorts

SOUTH BEND TRIBUNE—"The Tribune believes that this early in the presidential campaign people should have a correct view of Senator Taft that his acts and his ideas may be thoroughly studied by the independent person whose great object in voting is to cast his vote for the one he feels will give the nation the best service. The Tribune believes that of all persons now seeking presidential honor Senator Taft measures up to the essential of sound judgment, complete Americanism, unselfish desire to give the people the best service humanly possible and all those other attributes that mean so much in this great country."

SOUTHERN WEEKLY (Dallas, Tex.)—"If the Republicans should nominate Senator Taft, we shall want to see him elected. If he is nominated, and if as the result of a successful revolt in the Democratic National Convention the State Democratic parties in most of the Southern States should withdraw support from the national Democratic ticket, we cannot hope that he will be chosen as the Southern nominee. The Southern Democrats will then put out their own ticket. But in States where this is not possible because of control of party machinery by Trumanites, there must be wholehearted support of the Republican ticket."

Topographical Study



Somebody Told Me

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

Last week I ran into H. B. Gaskins of Gaskins' Jewelers who said, "Jack, I wish you'd put something in your column for me. Almost every day somebody comes into my shop and tells me that his watch is wound so tight that it won't work."

"That's logical," I said. "I've had the same thing happen to me."

"But that's my point, Jack. There's no such thing as winding a watch too tight. It's just like a mule pulling a wagon so hard that it wouldn't move. Any watch is designed so that when you wind it to the maximum it clicks back one notch, which is enough allowance for the watch to run. When the watch stops there is something else mechanically wrong with it. It might be gummed up with oil that's been in there a year or more, maybe there's grit that's clogged the wheels, the balance

staff might be broken, or a variety of other things."

It is a very popular theory that the hands of a watch should never be turned backwards. H. B. quickly squelched that belief. "You can turn the hands backwards," he said, "and never hurt it. Also, some people believe that a watch should be wound only clockwise, without using the ratchet for convenience. But there is no harm in using the ratchet."

In recommending general care of watches, H. B. says that a watch should be wound every 24 hours, preferably in the morning, because getting-up hours are more regular than going-to-bed hours. A watch will last longer when it is wound at the same time every day.

There was a confusion I had to make to H. B. I don't understand the significance of levels in a watch, H. B. explained. "Jewels

in a watch reduce the friction and cause the watch to be more accurate. Actually, the jewels (usually rubies) have holes in them, through which the various shafts in the mechanism of the watch work. Naturally the shaft working enclosed in a jewel will cause less friction than a jewel working against the metal case."

There are not enough jewels in a watch to take care of every shaft, but naturally the more jewels, the more accurate the watch. The better-known manufacturers are no longer making a seven-jewel watch. But any watch with 15 or more jewels is considered a very good watch.

The life of a watch naturally depends upon the care it gets. Good watches vary in life from 10 to 50 years. There are many watches working today that are 60 years old.

And I thank you.

Business Today

Today's grain of salt may be taken with those announcements, so frequent of late, that some company is being discontinued or merged with another because of rising costs.

The fact is that everybody's costs have risen since the start of the Korea war and many are still rising. Mail, phone, and shipping charges are going up for everybody; labor is costing more for most firms, and while there is a breathing spell right now in the rise of materials and commodities, most of them are at higher levels and some—notably steel at the moment—are going higher.

And when costs go up, the normal and legal action is to increase the price of the product. Of course, there is the Office of Price Stabilization to reckon with if the higher price is above the ceiling. Sometimes there are delays, but if there is any case in which the price ceiling was granted, a company proved that unavoidable higher costs had critically reduced profits, it has escaped attention of this department.

So, when a company announces that it is quitting "because of higher costs," there is a grave suspicion that its product or products do not have merits for which buyers will pay a higher price.

There are exceptions, of course. When a company is so located that a rise in freight costs puts it at greater disadvantage to competitors, when a company is forced to pay higher wage rates than others in the industry (as in the case of Northern textile mills at present) or when some other factor rises more for one firm than another, then indeed the higher-cost reason rings true.

But when a company is competing even-Stephen with the rest of its field, then a discontinuance may be caused simply by the quality of the product.

There are a thousand things wrong with inflation, but there is one thing right. It is that when inflation causes a price increase, the buyer re-examines the value of the product. In the appliance field, many new manufacturers appeared after the war. Some produced quickie, shoddy products, often underselling the leaders. For a while, these seemed a good buy. But when higher labor and material costs forced everybody to increase prices, consumers re-examined the offerings. They were willing to pay a few dollars more for a good appliance but not for an inferior one. And when the makers of the inferior articles shut down, they

U. S. SPACE CADETS ON 23-HOUSE DAY
Hardest working men in America must be the government publicists. The Budget Bureau reported to the House Appropriations Committee that public relations and publicity men and part-time workers equivalent to another 1,007.5 full-timers. That nine-tenths of a full-time worker is that fellow who wanders around without his head.

On the basis of the volume of press releases and publications turned out in Washington, the full-time work day must be close to 23 hours a day.

Government information men used to be called "flacks," an old term for circus press agents. Now they are being referred to as "space cadets," the space involved being in newspapers and magazines.

MUTUAL'S ANNIVERSARY MARKED BY BOOK
The history of mutual insurance is told in a 381-page book, "Biography of AN IDEA," by John Bainbridge, published by Doubleday & Co., New York, at \$4. The book marks the 200th anniversary of mutual insurance in America, which was started on March 25, 1752, as the Philadelphia Contributionship for the Insurance of Houses from Loss by Fire. Benjamin Franklin was the organizer, although he did not originate the idea. Similar insuring plans had been in operation in England earlier by several associations, including one named the Hand-In-Hand.

NEW PRODUCTS
Pictures: a modern version of the old magic lantern is being brought out by Bing's Things, Inc., 9028 Sunset Blvd., Hollywood 46. Instead of glass slides it has 160 pictures on a reel of 16 mm film, synchronized with an album of records.

Hal Boyle's Column

NEW YORK (AP)—Is the belly laugh getting old-fashioned?
One way to judge a people is to read what they laugh at. And there are some who believe the American sense of humor is going downhill.

Many professional comedians complain the nation is developing an ulcer on its funnybone. "People are too tense," they say. "People won't take the kidding they used to. They don't like to laugh at themselves any more."

An antidote to this trend in a tense political year is provided by Editor Donald Day in a book of selections from Will Rogers called "How We Elect Our Presidents." It is a handy little guidebook back to sanity for both candidates and voters who take themselves too seriously.

Looking back at these many years after his death on an Alaskan tundra, the humor of the gun-slinging cowboy still stands up well. But the cutting quality of his quips stands out more clearly now that the grin that went with them is buried. Will drew his larrikin nose tight on a lot of nonsense in his time that needed strangling.

One wonders whether the statement of today could hold their tempers if they were the target of his artful tosses. Would they have held still for Rogers, who wrote:

"Ain't it funny how many hundreds of thousands of soldiers we can recruit with nerve? But we just can't find one politician in a million with backbone."

Nominating committees for vice president in 1924. Will said:

"Another big reason why I should be nominated is I am not a democrat. Another still bigger reason why I should be nominated is I am not a Republican. I am just progressive enough to suit the dissatisfied. And lazy enough to be a stand-patter."

Will Rogers loved the circus atmosphere of political conventions and described politics as "the best show in America."

"I love animals and I love politicians, and I like to watch both of 'em play either back home in their native state or after they have been captured and sent to a zoo or to Washington," he confessed.

Here are a few of his more memorable remarks, some of them as seasonable as ever:

"Ohio claims they are due a president as they haven't had one since Taft. Look at the United States, they haven't had one since Lincoln."

"Corruption has supplanted the tariff as a national issue. It's hard to get people to believe a thing is corruption when it's something that has always been going on. It's like the poor, it's always been with us."

"The more you read and observe about this politics thing, you got to admit that each party is worse than the other. The one that's out always looks the best."

"The Democrats take the whole thing as a joke and the Republicans take it serious and run it like a joke. So there's not much difference."

"Harding is sending out his speeches on the phonograph. Well, so public will have one consolation—A record when dropped breaks easily."

Washington Letter
By JANE EADS
WASHINGTON—Wives of members of Congress forgot politics and re-election campaigns when they celebrated the 44th anniversary of the founding of their own organization, the Congressional Club.

"We really let our hair down and kicked up our heels," said Mrs. Thomas R. Underwood, wife of the Democratic senator from Kentucky.

Mrs. James C. Davis, wife of the Democratic congressman from Georgia, presided over the gay "brunch" and past presidents saw themselves "taken off" by sister members dressed as coeds of the '20s from their home-state colleges.

The hilarious skit was directed by Mrs. Walter Granger, wife of the Republican congressman from Utah, and featured Mrs. Burns Garrett, daughter-in-law of Judge Finis Garrett, former congressman from Tennessee. Mrs. Garrett wore a conkin coat on the back of wife of the Democratic congressman, Mrs. George M. Grant, wife of the Democratic congressman from Alabama, wore a ridiculous old-fashioned bathing suit with long stockings. Mrs. Jamie L. Whitten, wife of the Mississippi congressman, portrayed the "Sweetheart of Big-Mouth Chi." Mrs. Hugh Peterson, wife of the former Democratic congressman from Georgia, was a prancing white-costumed majorette.

Mrs. Noble Gregory, wife of the Democratic congressman from Kentucky, and Mrs. Joseph A. Hebert, Jr., daughter of the late Sen. Gronna (R-N.D.) whipped up the song arrangements. Though her broken right hand was in a cast, Mrs. Hebert ably accompanied the songbirds on the piano. Afterwards club members autographed the cast.

Mrs. Clifford Davis, wife of the Democratic congressman from Tennessee and a former president of the club, reviewed the "progress of the organization. Mrs. Everett Dirksen, wife of the Republican senator from Illinois, "looked into the future."

Past presidents attending the "brunch" were Mrs. Porter Dale, wife of the former Republican congressman from Vermont; Mrs. D. A. Reed, wife of the Republican congressman from New York; Mrs. Edward R. Burke, wife of the former Democratic senator from Nebraska; Mrs. Clifford Davis and Rep. Marguerite S. Church (R-Ill.). Mrs. John J. Williams, wife of the Republican senator from Delaware, was in charge of the affair.

Around Capitol Square

Reflector Bureau By LYNN NISBET Asso. Afternoon Dailies

BLOCS—Indications are that there will be very little bloc or group voting in this year's primary elections. Experiences of those who sought to mobilize blocs and appeal to prejudice in the 1950 primary did not encourage repetition of the effort. This year, as in most past elections, the people of North Carolina will vote as individual citizens, not as pawns moved about by self-constituted leaders or bosses. At least that is the condition prevailing now, and experienced observers can see no prospect that it will change materially before the primary.

ENDORSEMENTS—Information from reliable sources, though not properly classified as authoritative, is to the effect that there will be less attempt on part of organization and racial leaders to force constituent votes through the process of formal endorsement of candidates or instructions about how to mark ballots. Information is that with respect to state-wide candidacies and in congressional district races there will be no formal endorsements by labor unions, despite the fact some candidates have sought such endorsement.

INDIVIDUALISTIC—It is well known that appeals openly made to state officials and employees to play on "the team" have repelled many of those whose votes were sought to be controlled; and there is no evidence that such tactics have impressed any employees who were not already inclined in that direction. It is equally obvious that there is no such thing as a "farm vote," because the farmers are manifesting their traditional personal independence in thinking and voting. Special appeals openly directed at prejudices of school teachers likewise are having little effect so far. There are a few labor unionists, a few farmers, a few school teachers, and some in every other occupational group who selfishly put their own interests ahead of everything else. The preponderant majority, for picture and govern themselves in accordance with what they think is greatest good to the most people.

PARTIES—This concept of individual responsibility rather than class or bloc control is manifesting itself in connection with the national election this fall. Result of the New Hampshire presidential preference primaries proved that the people of that New England state are thinking for themselves. Resentment among North Carolinians against efforts of the party organizations to whip citizens into following the lines established by the leaders has not had opportunity to express itself. Tarheel Republicans will have that opportunity at the state convention in Charlotte on Tuesday. The Democrats will have at their state convention, in Raleigh on May 22. Members of both parties will have first occasion to cast formal votes in the primary on May 31. The constituted (some of it self-constituted) party leadership may get in some effective work ahead of that date, and apply still more effective pressure before the November election. Indications now are that such pressure will be less potent than usual, because to greater degree than ever before the individuals are doing their own thinking.

DANGER—This situation is dangerously hailed by public spirited folks as good. But there is recognizable danger in it. One top flight state official and Democratic party leader, who asked not to be quoted by name, pointed out some of the dangers of the other day. He noted that in a democratic-republican form of government it is necessary to maintain party responsibility. If every citizen is permitted to fix his own rules and standards to vote as his purely personal opinion dictates without due regard for the rights and opinions of others, the only possible result will be chaos. On the other hand, if the individual citizen surrenders all his personal prerogatives, to a party organization the only possible result will be dictatorship. North Carolinians for more than two centuries have maintained fairly equitable balance between these extremes and there seems no reason to fear they will not do this year.

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AN UNMET OBLIGATION
Greensboro Daily News
President J. D. Messick of East Carolina College dealt with one of the Daily News' favorite subjects, the obligation of the State of North Carolina to every child within its confines, when he addressed the Northeastern Division of the Association for Child Education in session at Greenville the other day.

The E. C. C. head specifically declared the school curriculum should be so versatile and so comprehensive that the slowest moving child in a classroom realizes satisfaction in accomplishment and the most brilliant child is challenged to his greatest effort.

But, if we may venture a question, does this obligation on the state's part apply only to curriculum? Don't we get into the realm of school personnel, of adequate classroom space, of reduced teacher load and of specialized teacher training? Isn't it too much to expect that all types of children, especially the slow movers on one extreme and the brilliant on the other get what we would like for them to get out of the same classroom, the same teacher, the same assignments and the same methods?

North Carolina has done little or nothing in the sphere of specialized education. There is a wide gap between institutionalization of children and those slow movers who are accepted

into the public school system and that gap, along with more adequate provisions for pupils of both extremes, is in great need of bridging. The slow movers in particular, should be better taken care of on the local level; but that care is not to be provided, as we see it, until far more than curricular changes, leading to versatility and breadth, are effected.

The responsibility even extends to the state's teacher training institutions where, so far as we know, no teachers are being turned out to do this special job which the public school system ought to be doing.

North Carolina has an unmet obligation to which it must still be aroused.

What Other Papers Are Thinking

OHIO CLAIMS THEY ARE DUE A PRESIDENT AS THEY HAVEN'T HAD ONE SINCE LINCOLN.

"Corruption has supplanted the tariff as a national issue. It's hard to get people to believe a thing is corruption when it's something that has always been going on. It's like the poor, it's always been with us."

"The more you read and observe about this politics thing, you got to admit that each party is worse than the other. The one that's out always looks the best."

"The Democrats take the whole thing as a joke and the Republicans take it serious and run it like a joke. So there's not much difference."

"Harding is sending out his speeches on the phonograph. Well, so public will have one consolation—A record when dropped breaks easily."

Murder is Forgetful

BY WILLIAM G. BOGART

AP Newsfeatures

Chapter 22

Kay had been silently crying through the trek back to the house. Now she opened the bedroom door and watched her mother disappear into the room. She turned to look at Johnny Saxon. He saw her bite the inside of her lower lip.

He said, "We were close that time." She smiled. "She's liable to remember everything all of a sudden. Don't be discouraged."

"I'll stay with mother. I'm not going to leave her."

"But get some sleep."

She tried to smile. "I'll try." Ed, the freckled-faced garage man, was saying, "This one's sure gonna be a scorcher if we don't get some rain."

"Isn't it, though?" Johnny said. The mechanic from the Northport garage had just picked him up outside the entrance to the Smith estate. It was a little after ten o'clock, and since the day was Sunday, there was little traffic at this hour on Route 25A.

"Of course we could've walked... it's only a little ways from here. But it's too blasted hot."

It seemed as if they had only started—Johnny noted that the speedometer registered less than a mile—when Ed slowed the car and turned off to the right into a dirt country road. He eased the car to the side of the narrow road and stopped.

"Well," he said, looking at Johnny Saxon, "here we are."

They climbed out to the roadway and Johnny passed the fellow a cigarette.

"Shall we... ah... take a look?" Johnny suggested.

"Oh, sure." The big mechanic motioned to the intersection of 25A, just behind the car. "It's this way."

Johnny followed him, sunbaked dust kicking up from his heels as he walked.

They turned back along the main road for about fifty feet. The field beside the road was a large one, perhaps twenty-five acres studded with dried-up, stubby corn stalks. There was no fence separating the field from the road. A slight drop-off of not more than two or three feet formed the border between open field and highway.

The garage man paused and pointed down at the field. "It was just about there."

"Where they found Smith?"

The man nodded. He flicked away his cigarette and wiped sweat from his face with the crook of his arm.

"Where was the car—the one you have at the garage now?"

Ed motioned ahead. "Down here. I'll show you."

They covered perhaps a hundred yards. Then the mechanic went down the slight incline from the roadway and looked along the edge of the field. He paused beside an old tree stump. "Here you are. Right here is where she went off the road."

Johnny came up to him. He realized the man referred to Irene Smith. The fellow was explaining, "A couple of feet more and she would've missed this stump and not even got hurt."

Johnny quickly saw what he meant. The only obstruction had been the short, thick stump. The machine had struck it, the grease had rubbed off the axle. It explained the "loed-in" front wheels and the bent axle on the car in the Northport garage.

"She sure gave it a smack," Ed said. "A good thing she didn't crack her skull when her head hit the steering wheel."

"Yes," Johnny agreed absently. He said, "Shall we start along?"

"Sure. I thought you'd waste your time coming out here. There isn't a thing..."

"There isn't any water, either," said Johnny.

Walking beside him, the mechanic gave him a puzzled look. "Water?"

"I thought there might be a brook or something near the road. Instead of backing the car out onto the main road, the garage man drove down the side lane, looking for a place to turn around. It was because of this that Johnny saw the weather-beaten sign nailed to a tree just ahead."

"Wait a minute," he said. Ed stopped the car.

The sign read:

PRIVATE PROPERTY
Rifle Range Located Just Beyond Hill. Danger. Keep Out.

M. Smith

"How far is it from here?" Johnny asked.

Ed indicated a slight downward grade directly ahead of the parked car. "Just up the hill, beyond the hollow. Drive you up there if you like."

"All right," Johnny said.

The car had dipped down into a willow-shaded hollow. On their right was a narrow inlet of marsh land that led in from Long Island Sound. The road, almost level with the marsh, was muddy at this point. The mechanic drove slowly.

"At high tide," he said. "The water seeps in from the marsh. Lousy driving here."

"Yes," agreed Johnny.

"There's not much to see," Ed said, stopping the car. "All boarded up. Used to be quite a hangout at one time for those rich guys. Sundays they'd all be over here blasting away at clay pigeons or targets."

Johnny indicated the dirt road ahead. "Where does this go?"

It runs dead end, up the road a piece," said the garage man. "There's a couple estates up there. Still private, like this place."

As though on a sudden impulse, Johnny said, "Look, I think I'll walk back along the shore. I need the exercise."

Ed shrugged. "Just as you say." He grinned. "You paid for the ride, though. You might as well get the benefit of it."

"I'll take a rain check. Thanks just the same."

Johnny watched the man as he drove away.

(To be continued)

Recreation Dept. Weekly Schedule

- TUESDAY**
- 3:30—Little League Final Day for Contract Checks—Armory
 - 7:30—Little Theater Guild—Armory
 - 8:00—Discuss Little League Baseball with Farmville Group
 - Negro Program—South Greenville
 - 2:45—Basketball
 - 3:15—Horseshoes
 - 3:45—Dodgeball and Children's Games
 - Eppees Playground
 - 3:35—Teen-Age Center
 - 4:00—Organization of Girls Softball Teams
- WEDNESDAY**
- 1:30—Folk and Square Dancing—Training School
 - 3:30—Little League Baseball Practice—West Greenville
 - 7:30—Little Theater Rehearsal—Armory
 - 8:00—Steering Committee for Elm Street Project—Armory
 - Negro Program—South Greenville
 - 2:30—Children's Games
 - 3:00—Basketball
 - 3:30—Horseshoe and Softball Practice
 - 4:00—Dodgeball
 - Eppees Playground
 - 3:35—Teen-Age Center
 - 4:00—Organizations of Boys Softball Teams
- THURSDAY**
- 10:00—12:00—Folk and Square Dancing—West Greenville
 - 3:30—Little League Baseball Practice—West Greenville
 - 7:30—Little Theater Rehearsal—Armory
 - Negro Program—South Greenville
 - 2:35—Basketball
 - 3:10—Children's Games
 - 3:35—Horseshoes and Softball Practice
 - 4:00—Basketball
 - Eppees Playground
 - 3:35—Teen-Age Center
 - 4:00—Table Tennis Tournament Starts
 - 4:30—Softball
- FRIDAY**
- 10:00—Start Preparing Armory for Art Festival
 - 2:30—Folk and Square Dancing—Training School
 - 3:30—Little League Baseball Practice—West Greenville
 - 7:30—No Teen-Age Activities due to Ball at High School
 - Negro Program—South Greenville
 - 2:30—Horseshoes
 - 3:00—Children's Games
 - 3:00—Basketball
 - 4:00—Dodgeball
 - Eppees Playground
 - 3:35—Teen-Age Center
 - 4:00—Softball
 - 4:00—Table Tennis
 - 7:30—Teen-Age Center
- SATURDAY**
- 10:00—Little Ladies—Armory—Prizes Awarded
 - 7:30—Teen-Age Activities in Snack Bar—Armory
 - Negro Program
 - 7:30—Teen-Age Center—Eppees

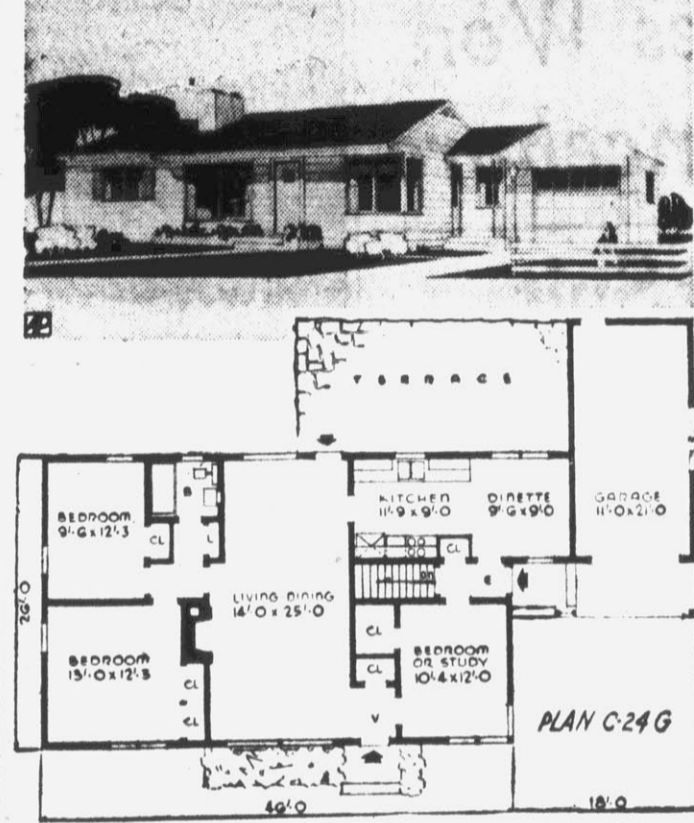
Building Permits

- C. W. Dunn, West 3rd St. (between White & Davis), duplex
- D. W. Worthington, N. Pitt (between Moore & Morton), whse.
- Bertha Mae Hawkins, 12th St. (between Cotanche & Forbes), garage apt.
- Marvin L. James, Summit St. (between 1st & A), dwlg.
- Ione Hooker Marshburn, Tucker Circle, Sandwich Drive Inn.
- Standard Supply Co., N.E.R.R. tracks, whse.
- S. E. West, 10th Street (between Elm & Oak), dwlg.
- Carolina Sales Corp., Evans St. (between 14th & 15th Sts.), whse.
- W. G. Dunn, Dunn St. (between Arlington Dr. & Pine), dwlg.



KEFAUVER MAPS CAMPAIGN—Sen. Estes Kefauver (D-Tenn.) (right), fresh from his New Hampshire primary victory over President Truman, talks future campaign plans with Mrs. Kathryn H. Stowe, vice chairman of the National Kefauver campaign organization, and his general campaign manager, John T. O'Brien (left) in his office in Washington. A great believer in the political power of the handshake, Kefauver said he "will continue to take my campaign ton the people." (AP Wirephoto).

HOMES FOR AMERICANS



AP Newsfeatures

FLEXIBLE LIVABILITY is featured by this plan with a spare room that can be used for a third bedroom or study. A side entrance from the garage, in addition to front and rear entries is a convenient detail. This is Plan C-24-G by the Small House Planning Bureau, St. Cloud, Minn., and St. John, N. B., Canada. The house covers 1,261 square feet without garage and contains 23,263 cubic feet with basement. The architects suggest wood siding and asphalt shingle roof.



Dear Judge

AP Newsfeatures

It is true this is Leap Year, but are you going about your manhunt in the right way?

In the opinion of bachelor Norman Scott, handsome new addition to the Metropolitan Opera's roster, you're getting all the wrong advice. Says he: "Defenseless females are getting plenty of wrong info given by pompous males taking advantage of the situation to sound off. One list of do's and don'ts even suggested that a girl point out to her swain how economical marriage is, the obvious advantage of two incomes contributing to one rent, or the pooled savings accounts that can buy an automobile earlier. How silly can you get?"

In Norman's opinion, if you have to point out the economic advantages of marriage, you've got a pretty weak case. The average young man in seeking a mate isn't looking for a girl to balance his budget, but one who is going to flavor his life. Most men would rather a girl be a lot of fun than a paragon of thrifty virtues, he says.

Norman does agree, however, that romance isn't as spontaneous as filmland would have us believe, and sometimes a good program will help Dan Cupid over the hurdles.

No matter what your campaign, according to Norman, make sure it is based on one fundamental: Arrange to be courted. Do this by joining a church, club, community chorus, dramatic society, philanthropic organization. By the nature of your choice, you are likely to meet people with whom you have tastes in common.

There's a tradition that women are frail, Norman reminds us. They should encourage the idea, he thinks. It brings out the chivalry in the male. Sometimes romance springs from odd experiences. He recalls that once when touring with the City Center Opera, one of the girls in a minor part slipped and fell while carrying her own suitcase. A male member of the company gallantly assisted her to her feet, carried the suitcase the rest of the way, and charmed by her feminine gratitude for masculine aid is still carrying suitcases for her. Says Norman:

"When an emergency of accident throws you in contact with a gentleman you'd like to know better, make the most of it."

He cautions against the aggressive approach, although he's in favor of not sitting and waiting for the gentleman to make the first move. There are endless variations to the traditional technique of "dropping a handkerchief" as a young man passes by, he says. You don't have to trip him. Norman thinks the best plan is to have a go-between, a mutual friend, arrange the first encounter, trying to make it look accidental rather than planned.

Another way the advice-givers are off the beam, he says, is the idea of finding something in common in developing a new romance. A girl deliberately seeking points of similarity often is a bore to the young man. Points of difference are more stimulating, he thinks.

Most unattached men are bored with their solitary state, he believes, and as much on the lookout for a permanent partner as any girl. It's all up to the girl.

Why isn't Norman married? That's a good question; he hasn't met the right girl.

Charm Chat



By THELMA BRASWELL

A good permanent lasts a long time so don't wait till "D" day to decide on your hair styling. Fashion articles and illustrations in women's magazines will give you some ideas and the shop where you intend to have your permanent will have many styles illustrated for your guidance. Take your time in deciding on the style you want, come to a complete understanding with your beauty operator, then make your appointment. The competent operator will know just how to set the curls to achieve the desired result and you are much more likely to be pleased with your appearance.

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New Court Fight Looming Over Rollins College Head

WINTER PARK, Fla. (UP)—A new bitter feud loomed today in the Rollins College campus as Dr. Paul Wagner decried an out-of-court settlement of the ousted president's \$100,000 libel-slander suit against the school.

A joint announcement yesterday by school officials and Wagner that Rollins had paid the 34-year-old educator \$50,000 to settle the suit had scarcely been issued before both parties attacked each other in press statements.

"The very fact that the board has come to me willing to make a settlement... tells a story in itself," declared Wagner.

Prof. Hugh F. McKean, acting president since Wagner's removal, immediately blasted the statement as libelous. He also accused Wagner of violating a written pact in the settlement not to issue any more statements to the press.

There were reports on the campus that the college may file suit against Wagner for violating the agreement.

Wagner said he issued his statement despite the promise in the settlement because the college "leaked the story in New York last week and I thought I should state the facts."

Wagner, once labeled "education's boy wonder" by a national magazine, still has a \$600,000 damage suit pending against Rollins trustees.

Remarking that "this settlement frees me to return to the field of education," Wagner said he would announce plans "within a few days" to go with a large organization—as executive director of a national educational project.

Wagner was fired in April after a controversy arose over his announcement that one-third of the school's staff was to be dismissed for economy reasons.

Marines Back On Tripoli Shores

TRIPOLI, Libya — (AP) — The U. S. Marines are back on the shores of Tripoli.

This time they didn't have to fight their way through a Mediterranean fleet of 18th Century pirate ships. They landed unarmed and in civilian clothes in a luxurious four-engine passenger plane.

Six are here. They're on a peaceful mission as security guards at the U. S. legation. They don't wear uniforms and don't carry guns. They stand guard duty, act as couriers and carry out other routine jobs.

Farm Wife Wins Renown With Art

PONTIAC, Ill. — (AP) Mrs. Hannah Gallup, farm wife artist who never has had an art lesson, uses dime store brushes and household paint to put pictures on canvas. Her work attracted attention at an exhibit at the local armory. Her painting is realistic to the last hog house or broken fence-rail. Once she painted an old barn that a neighbor was going to tear down. When he saw the painting he decided the scene was too pretty to mar, so the barn is still standing.

The population of Rotterdam is about 675,000.

'You're Now a Father, Soldier'



That's the news a Red Cross field director brings to this G.I. in Korea. Emergency communication is one of the many services performed by the Red Cross for American troops all over the world.

Deeds

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- J. B. Beppard al to Royce H. Hunsucker al \$10
- J. S. Manning al to State Hy. & Public Wks Com. \$4,000
- James T. Keel al to Henry McDaniel Jr. al \$10
- J. A. Mercer al to J. H. Deans, Trs., al \$1
- Robert Booth, Com. to James Blount: \$42.50
- Heber B. Tripp to William Johnston al \$10
- J. W. Higgs al to City of Greenville \$300
- E. Leon Roebuck Jr. al to James T. Keel al \$10
- Inez Pittman Crater al to William O. Moore \$10
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- Curtis L. Briley al to H. G. Mendenhall \$4500
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- M. D. Lassiter al to H. L. Taylor al \$10
- E. E. Rawl al to C. B. Spain al \$10
- Elda Mae Mills Woodward to Mary E. Jones \$1
- S. Reynolds May al to Frank Wilson Jr. al \$10
- Preston Harrington al to Lloyd S. Dixon al \$10
- Celia Worthington to Garris-Evans Lumber Co. Inc. \$10
- Ethel Lee Cobb et al to Dr. Paul E. Jones \$100
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Ayden Teams Win Coastal Conference Championships



PERENNIAL CHAMPS—That's what the other four teams in the Coastal Conference are beginning to say about the Ayden girls team shown in the above picture by staff photographer Roy Hardee. The powerful Ayden sextet walked to its third consecutive championship last night by dropping Vanceboro, 60-45. Shown in the picture in the customary order of left to right are: (kneeling) Co-captains Alice Jean Smith and Charlene Smith; (first row) Barbara Harper, Gwen McLawhorn, Betty Jean Padley, Wilma Stocks, Jo Ann Padley, and Barbara Bradshaw; (second row) Peggy Conway, Manager Kemp Edwards, Bybil Meeks, Coach E. F. Johnson, Katherine Bright, Mamie Wooten, Coach Thomas Craft, and Goldie Harris.



COASTAL CHAMPIONS—Ayden's Tornados romped to their second straight Coastal Athletic Conference basketball championship last night by blasting Vanceboro in the finals, 50-33. The Tornados lost only to South Edgecombe during the regular conference season. The players are, left to right: First row—Curtis Dennis, Delano Cox, Mac Whitehurst, Randall Harrington, and Hal Edwards; second row—Manager Ripley Tripp, Billy Powell, McLawhorn, Todd Kittrell, Billy Holland, Billy McGlohon, and Coach Stuart Tripp. Another player, Jamie Lang, Jr., was forced to sit out the final game because of measles. (Refer to Sports Photos by Roy Hardee).

Postponed Tournament Titles Won By Ayden With Wins Over Vanceboro

By MELVIN LANG
Reflector Sports Writer

AYDEN — Coach Stuart Tripp's Ayden Tornados recovered from a first period state of listlessness here last night to register a 50-33 decision over Vanceboro, nailing down their second consecutive championship in three years of competition in the Coastal Conference.

Vanceboro seemed into a 3-0 lead in the first two minutes of the game, but Randall Harrington and Delano Cox soon put Ayden back in the ball game. By the end of the first quarter, the Tornados had tied the score at 9-all, after leading by 7-5 at one point in the closing minutes.

Playing in its first game in over a week, Ayden showed its lack of practice in that first few minutes, but with Harrington and Cox paving the way it quickly took over the lead in the second period and were never seriously threatened during the remainder of the game. The Tornados turned the game into a rout in the final period, leading at one point by 20 points.

Defensive play on the part of Curtis Dennis and Hal Edwards played a big part in the Ayden victory. Dennis' blocks of possible shots under the basket consistently upset the Vanceboro offense, while Edwards was the Tornado floor leader, making it possible for Harrington, Cox, and Mac Whitehurst to run up the score in Ayden's favor.

Cox, who was selected for the All-Tournament team along with Whitehurst, led the night's scoring with a total of 15 points, with most of them coming from long set shots that swished the nets. Whitehurst was next for the winners with 13 points, with nearly all of them coming in the last half. Harrington poured in 11 points during the night.

For Vanceboro, it was Wesley Gladson, another all-tourney performer, who carried the brunt of the scoring attack. Gladson turned in an excellent floor game while pouring in 12 points for Coach George Wood. Furry Powell connected for seven points while J. L. Peterson and Jack Taylor each scored five points.

The game was originally scheduled to have been played on Friday, February 29, but was postponed in order that Ayden might participate in the district playoffs for the state championship. The mix-up was further confused when Vanceboro was host to an all-girls invitational tournament last week, while both teams played in their respective county tournaments week before last.

The box:

Player	fg	ft	pf	tp
Vanceboro (33)	11	12	2	5
Taylor, f	2	1	2	5
F. Powell, f	3	1	4	7
R. Gladson, f	0	2	0	2
W. Gladson, c	4	4	0	12
C. Powell, g	1	0	1	2
Peterson, g	1	3	1	5
Totals	11	11	8	33
Player	fg	ft	pf	tp
Ayden (50)	19	7	8	45
Harrington, f	5	1	4	11
Dennis, f	1	0	3	2
Whitehurst, c	6	1	1	13
Kittrell, e	0	1	1	1
Cox, g	7	1	2	15
Edwards, g	2	2	3	6
McLawhorn, g	1	0	0	2
Totals	22	6	14	50

Score by periods: Vanceboro 9 3 10 11-33; Ayden 9 13 15-50. Officials: Graybill and Wadford.

Awarded Bout In Clinching Match

NEW YORK — (AP) — Johnny Saxton was named the "winner" over disqualified Lester Felton of Detroit in a boring clutchiest in Madison Square Garden last night. Many of the 3,958 paying customers, who booted from the third round, walked out well before referee Harry Kessler disqualified Felton at 1:31 of the sixth round for continuous holding. It was a scheduled 10 round bout.

Felton's purse of about \$5,000 was ordered held up.

THE STATE RESTS
MIAMI, Fla. — (AP) — Sam McCormick, secretary-treasurer of Hialeah, recently turned over a \$1,047,315.58 check to the Florida State Racing Commission, it covered only seven days of racing from Feb. 19 to 26 and was the largest single tax payment ever made by a Florida track.

PLEADS GUILTY
GAFFNEY, S.C. (UP) — Jack B. Herrill, 27, of Asheville, N.C., pleaded guilty here yesterday to armed assault on a Gaffney service station operator Jan. 23, and was sentenced to 10 years.

Anti-Trust Suit Filed Against IBC

NEW YORK (AP) — The International Boxing Club, which has contracts with every world champion from featherweight to heavyweight, today was faced with the biggest fight of its three-year career.

The government filed a civil anti-trust suit against the club yesterday, maintaining the IBC is conspiring to monopolize championship fights in the United States.

Commenting on the action in Washington, Atty. Gen. J. Howard McGrath said the suit was intended to remove monopolistic practices. The public, contestants, promoters, and radio and television broadcasters are "entitled to a free, competitive market in a business which commands such wide public interest," he added.

Both James D. Norris of New York and Arthur Wirtz of Chicago, owners of the IBC, promptly defended their actions.

"As far as we are concerned, we've acted on advice of counsel, who said all our actions were perfectly legal," said Norris in Miami Beach, Fla., where he is vacationing. "If the government finds otherwise, we'll just have to change."

"It is my understanding that personal service contracts are exempted from the anti-trust law," commented Wirtz in Chicago. "From a purely personal angle, I can't understand why we should be sued for putting our bouts on television, while the National Football League was sued for not putting their games on television."

An anti-trust suit instituted by the government is pending against the NFL for restricting television of its games.

The government contends in the suit that the IBC obtained contracts from champions and leading contenders in all major weight divisions requiring the fighters to box exclusively for the IBC. The club also is accused of controlling the sale of radio, television and motion picture rights to the fights and obtaining exclusive use of principal arenas in New York, Chicago and other large cities.

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ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (UP) — Rookie Andy Carey was the rage of the New York Yankees' camp today and one big reason why Manager Casey Stengel believes the world champions may not be hurt by the loss of Billy Martin during the first few weeks of the American League season.

Anti-Trust Suit Filed Against IBC

Ayden Paces All-Tourney Teams

AYDEN — The Ayden basketball teams, champions in both the boys and girls divisions of the Coastal Conference, led the all-tourney team picked at the conclusion of play last night.

Coach Stuart Tripp's Ayden boys placed Mac Whitehurst and Delano Cox, center and guard, respectively, on the all-tourney team. Wesley Gladson, a smooth-working center, represented the runner-up Vanceboro team, while Robersonville's Darrell Gurganus and Farmville's Charlie Fitzgerald rounded out the mythical quint.

Heading the girls team is forward Alice Jean Smith of Ayden, a tall brunette who tossed in 71 points in the two games that her team played in the event. Ayden, which won the championship for the third time in a row, also placed forward Katherine Bright and guard Peggy Conway.

The third forward is Jean Hill of Vanceboro. Farmville's Phoebe Webb and Vanceboro's Beverly Witherington complete the six all-tourney performers.

Sportsmanship trophies for the season play went to Farmville's boys and to Vanceboro's girls, respectively.

Baseball Briefs

By UNITED PRESS
SAN BERNARDINO, Calif. (UP) — A no-hitter in the spring doesn't win a pennant in September but it was enough today to make Leo Durocher of the New York Giants look forward confidently toward the defense of the National League title.

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ALL-TOURNAMENT — Three of the boys picked for all-tourney berths in the Coastal Conference are shown in the above photo. They are Wesley Gladson of Vanceboro (12), Mac Whitehurst of Ayden (8), and Delano Cox of Ayden (3). The other two boys who were chosen, Charlie Fitzgerald of Farmville and Darrell Gurganus of Robersonville were not present when the picture was made.

Bucs Open Baseball Card Thursday at Cherry Point

The East Carolina Pirates will open their 1952 baseball schedule Thursday afternoon when they travel to Cherry Point to meet the Marine Flyers. Coach Jack Boone will take 18 of the 30 players who have been working out for the past two weeks.

Coach Boone has not announced any starting line-up for the game but it is known that he plans to use three pitchers against the Marines. "These games we have scheduled with the service teams are mainly to test the new boys and to give us a chance to settle down before we move into North State Conference competition," Coach Boone said yesterday.

Boone is being assisted this year by Norman Clark, a student at the college. Clark formerly pitched for Greenville in the Coastal Plain League and has had several years of professional experience. He is doing special work with the pitchers plus assisting Boone in other details.

Boone also announced that there is the possibility of playing some of the Pirates' home games in Guy Smith Stadium. Nothing definite along that line has been settled, however, and an announcement will be made later in the season.

The Pirates will return home Friday afternoon with a game against the Receiving Station of Norfolk, Virginia, Naval Base.

Many kinds of one-celled life are difficult to classify as either plant or animal.



ADVICE FROM AN EXPERT—Ayden's basketballers got a little advice from their coach, Stuart Tripp, during a time-out period in their game with Vanceboro last night in the finals of the Coastal Conference tournament. They went on from there to take a 50-33 victory, and their second championship in the three-year history of the league.

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Willie Sutton On Trial Today For \$64,000 Robbery Of Bank

NEW YORK (UP)—Willie (The Actor) Sutton, an advocate of crime without violence, stands trial today in a courthouse swarming with guards and armed plainclothesmen. Sutton is charged with a \$64,000 bank robbery.

Measures taken to safeguard principals in the trial were unprecedented. Even Queens County Judge Peter T. Farrell was told he must show a pass to be admitted.

Farrell was under 24-hour protection. So were 16 witnesses to the March 9, 1950, holdup of the Sunnyside branch of the Manufacturers Trust Co.

A heavy police guard was ordered to surround the Queens County Courthouse and patrol all corridors of the building.

Detectives were instructed to mingle with carefully-screened spectators in the courtroom.

The extraordinary precaution was the result of an atmosphere of fear and intimidation hanging over the trial of Sutton and two accused henchmen, Thomas (Mad Dog) Kling and John De Venuta.

The man who led police to the mild-mannered Sutton, 24-year-old Arnold Schuster, was murdered March 8. Since then his family and the doctor who found his body in a pool of blood near the Schuster home in Brooklyn have received a stream of letters threatening their lives.

FBI agents traced one of the death threats last night to William Brinckerhoff Brown, 61, a Long Island gravedigger. He was arrested and charged with mailing "an anonymous threatening communication on Feb. 22 to the late Arnold Schuster."

Indictments in the Sutton case charge robbery, assault, grand larceny and burglary. The witnesses, mostly bank employees, already have identified Sutton and his two pals and presumably were ready to do so again before a jury.

Sutton, imprisoned on felony charges three times, faces a mandatory life sentence under New York's habitual criminal law if convicted.

When he made his last escape from a Philadelphia prison in 1947, he still owed 105 years in unserved time.

Because of the public fear aroused by the Schuster killing, and also because many veniremen might have strong opinions against the defendants because of the murder, legal circles said selection of a jury might be a prolonged job.

Police have been searching desperately for clues in the Schuster murder and for witnesses to it. They believed witnesses to the ambush slaying in a Brooklyn residential section might be holding back in fear that they, too, might become targets for the killer's gun.

Frederick J. Tenuto, a murderer who escaped prison with Sutton in 1946, has been named as a suspect and a nation-wide search is on for him.

COURT OFFICIALS PLAN TO guard each juror official. They instructed guards to screen all persons—including lawyers, newspapermen, and veniremen—who try to enter the third-floor courtroom.

Idle Indians Are Hunting Jobs

CHICAGO (AP)—American Indians are job hunting here. A placement service to help Indians find jobs in Chicago and vicinity has been set up by the Federal Bureau of Indian Affairs. The bureau says Indians are leaving Western reservations because of lack of work.

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Flutist Chosen As Competitor For Scholarship

David Gilbert, flutist, of the Greenville High School will represent the northeastern district of North Carolina in a competition for a scholarship given by the state Federation of Music Clubs for study next summer at the Transylvania Music Camp.

Gilbert was chosen as the scholarship competitor for the district at a contest-festival held at East Carolina College, Saturday, March 15. Approximately forty public school students of music participated in various events during the day and were rated on their performances.

Mike Malone, trombonist, of Edenton was selected as alternate to Mr. Gilbert. Finals in the state scholarship competition will be held in Hickory in April, where representatives of the seven districts of the Federation of Music Clubs will participate in the event.

Gilbert is a member of the Greenville High School Band and the East Carolina Orchestra, a college-community organization. Along with other local musicians, he will be presented in a recital on American Contemporary Music during the Community Arts Festival in Greenville Sunday afternoon, March 23, in the City Woman's Club.

George E. Perry of the music department at East Carolina College acted as judge at Saturday's contest festival here. Carroll Bizelle of Elizabeth City, district festival chairman, was in charge of arrangements for the day.

Winners of superior ratings in the contest festival are: Frances Kugler, Patricia Jefferson, Kathleen Turner, Carol A. Adams, Lynette Jefferson, Barbara Morris, Patricia Turner, Patricia Guthrie, all of Washington; Vicky Walker, Sarah Benson, Alice Marie Benson, Nancy Bowers, Woody Tetterton, Shirley Etheridge, Becky Cutchin, Margaret Louise Hamilton, Marvin Bradley, all of Whitakers; Rosa Hollowell, Edenton; Patricia Baum, Manteo.

Parolee Is Back In Prison At His Own Request

RALEIGH (AP)—A 33-year-old parolee of Greensboro is back in prison — at his own request. Milton C. Leonard asked that he be returned to complete a two-year sentence he was serving when paroled last December. Paroles Commissioner T. C. Johnson yesterday granted his request.

Leonard was convicted in Guilford in July, 1950, of breaking and entering, larceny and receiving. He told Dr. Johnson a neighbor woman was causing him trouble and he was afraid it might end with him assaulting her. The parole chief gave Leonard permission to move to another town but he declined, saying he would rather serve out his prison term. He is expected to be released within 90 days.

Near-Heaven For Money-Lenders

SINGAPORE (AP)—The Singapore government is probing money-lending in the colony following complaints that borrowers are being fleeced for as much as 200 per cent interest. It plans amendments to the moneylenders ordinance, which allows an interest of "only" 48 per cent.

Japanese Goods Outsell British

Karachi, Pakistan (AP)—Japan has edged out the United Kingdom as Pakistan as chief supplier of imported goods bought privately. An official review of non-governmental seaborne trade for 1951 shows that Japan sold to Pakistan products worth over 107 million dollars while the United Kingdom supplied only 98 million dollars worth.

NAMES MEAN NOTHING KNOXVILLE, Tenn. (UP)—Two men with misleading first names were inducted into the Army as privates at the Knoxville recruiting station. They were General L. Phillips and Lieutenant Tisdale.

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Danish Speaker To Be At College

Hans Joakim Schult of Denmark, now touring America under the auspices of the Danish Embassy in Washington, will address students at East Carolina College Thursday morning. Using "Life in Denmark" as his topic, he will speak at an all-college assembly at 10 o'clock in the Austin auditorium. Mr. Schult is the representative of the Danish Society in the United States. This organization, founded in Denmark in 1940, has as its aim informing other nations about Denmark and giving the people of Denmark a picture of conditions in other countries.

A master's degree graduate of the University of Aarhus, Mr. Schult served as chief secretary of the Danish Society in Denmark from 1947 to 1951. During this time he guided a number of study tours in Denmark for foreign teachers and others and participated in international summer schools and conventions in many European countries.

In 1949 he spent several months in the United States studying the work of the Human Rights Commission of the United Nations. He was executive secretary of the Danish United Nations Association from 1950-1951. In addition, he is an author and a translator.

Probing Death In Liquor Raid

NORTH WILKESBORO, N. C. (AP)—Officers probed today into the Sunday night death of Glenn Johnson who was killed during a raid on a liquor still.

Alcohol Tax Unit officers said Johnson was pinned to the ground and crushed by a liquor-laden jeep which he was guiding through dark woods near a still, 10 miles south of here. The officers, who raided the large still in the vicinity of Johnson's home, said the jeep was taking a load of liquor from the still and that Johnson was serving as a guide through the dark pines.

Carl Holler, driver of the jeep, has been charged with violation of prohibition laws and is scheduled to be tried in Federal court in May. He is free under bond.

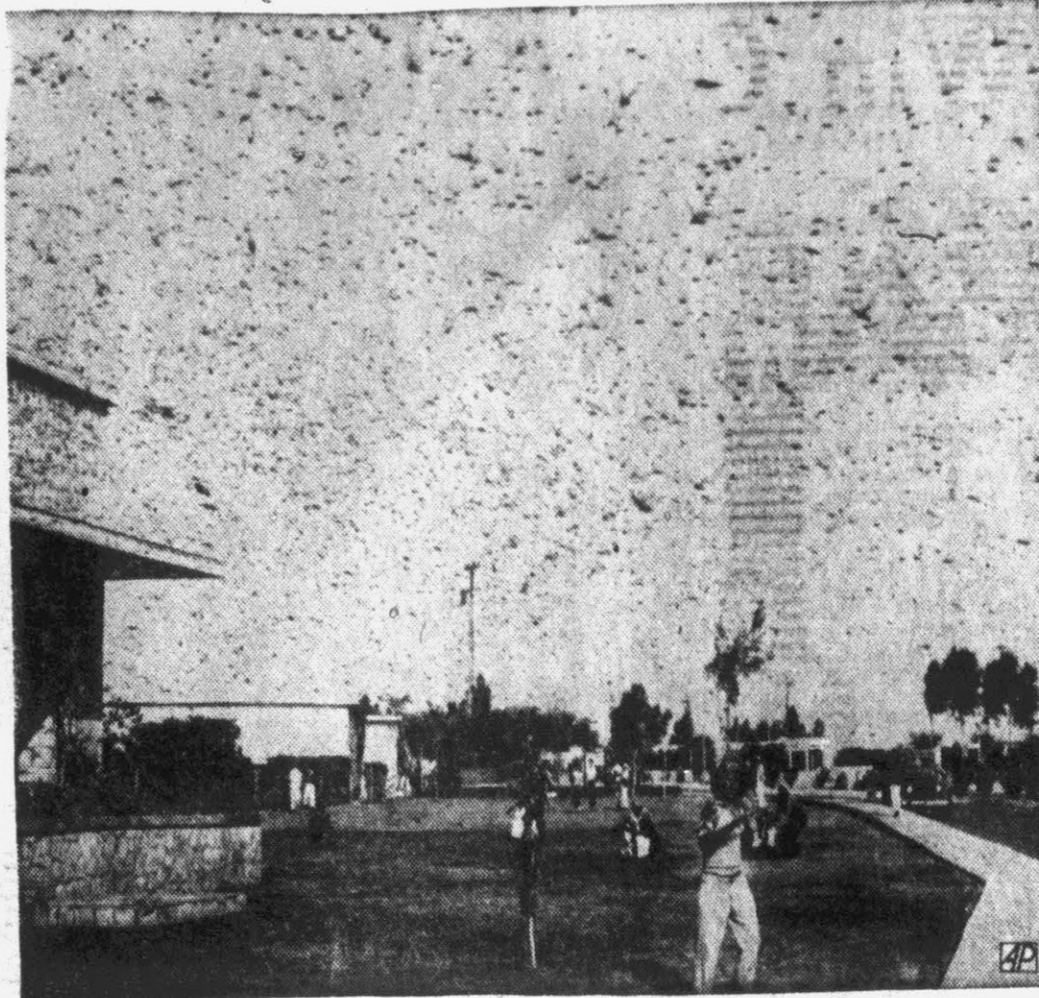
Wilkes Coroner I. M. Myers has scheduled a hearing into Johnson's death for Friday at Wilkes Court House.

Rita Agrees To Consider Talks

HOLLYWOOD (UP)—Rita Hayworth has agreed to take "under consideration" Prince Aly Khan's plea for a personal telephone conversation before she divorces him "in a few days," Khan's attorney said today.

Attorney Charles Torem arrived here from Paris and had a "sympathetic conversation" with the actress yesterday. He said she promised to give "more thought" to her divorce plans.

Nevertheless, Miss Hayworth said she expected to complete her first film in two years, "An Affair in Trinidad," by today and after a few days rest would go to Reno, Nev., to divorce the Indian potentate.



LOCUSTS PLAGUE ARABIA—Swarms of locusts fill the sky over the central area of the Arabian-American Oil company quarters in Dhahran recently during one of the worst scourges in Saudi Arabia's modern history. Arab employes of the company beat noisemakers and move about in an attempt to save the lawns and foliage from the locusts, traditional pests of the Middle East since Biblical times. (AP Wirephoto).

Taft Supporters Appear To Be In Saddle At N. C. Convention

By NOEL YANCEY

CHARLOTTE (AP)—Taft supporters appeared in the saddle as North Carolina Republicans gathered today for their state convention.

The big job facing more than 1,000 delegates as they met was selection of the last four of the state's 26 delegates to the GOP national convention. Of some 22 delegates chosen in district conventions, 11 are known to favor

Taft, three are for Eisenhower and eight have not committed themselves publicly.

However, on the eve of the state meeting, Taft's state manager, Frank C. Patton claimed 15 of the 22 are for Taft and "we'll probably get two more." Supporters of the general disputed this.

In the past Republicans have named four party leaders as their delegates - at - large to the national convention, the national committeeman, and committeewoman, the state chairman and the candidates for governor.

J. E. Broyhill of Lenoir, a Taft supporter, is national committeeman, and J. M. Bailey of Marshall, is state chairman. Both are expected to be re-elected, and to be named as delegates. There were indications that Mrs. W. P. Few of Durham, the national committeewoman, might run into opposition in the election of delegates.

Leading contenders for the gubernatorial nomination were Clyde Green of Boone, a Taft supporter, and Herbert F. Seawell Jr., of Carthage, who leans toward Eisenhower. Seawell is a lawyer and Green is a merchant and one-time president of the North Carolina Merchants Association.

The convention is scheduled to convene at 10 a. m., and the keynote address, to be delivered by Sen. Welker (R-Idaho), will come at 11 a. m. Selection of delegates, nomination for state offices and adoption of a platform will come in the afternoon.

Four national convention delegates were elected yesterday in the last two of 12 district conventions. The Ninth District delegates, meeting at Statesville, named two Taft delegates. They are Worth Little of Albemarle and Frank Smith of Caldwell County. At Asheboro, the Fourth District selected Joen Johnson of Johnston County and L. S. Lewis of Asheboro. Neither would comment as to his preference for the presidential nomination.

None of the delegates chosen at the district conventions were instructed on a presidential nominee. Leaders of both the Taft and Eisenhower delegates doubted that any attempt would be made to instruct the four delegates - at - large.

An observer at today's convention was Rep. Carrol Reece of Tennessee. Taft's Southern campaign manager. He predicted last night that Taft will be nominated "by acclamation" at Chicago and said Eisenhower's victory in the New Hampshire primary hasn't changed the picture at all.

As the convention convened three candidates were running for state vice chairman. They were Mrs. Leslie Kountze of Lenoir, Mrs. Jessamine Hiatt of Clinton and Mrs. Anne K. Hickman of Winston-Salem.

Man Is Charged With Dynamiting Home Of Girl

COLEMAN, Tex. (UP)—A 47-year-old man, Alvie Cecil Hester, was charged today with assault with intent to murder after admitting he dynamited the home of a 19-year-old girl because she refused several times "to go away with me."

Hester was charged in Justice Court. He admitted yesterday at Austin, Tex., where he had been taken for a voluntary lie detector test, that he set off the Saturday night blast which ripped up the floor and knocked out part of a wall in a bedroom of the three-room home of the T.F. (Johnny) Scott family.

Ruby Christine Scott, 19, three other Scott children and their father escaped injury. But Mrs. Eula May Scott, 45, Ruby's mother, was injured and remained in critical condition at a Coleman hospital.

TRUCK WRECKS PLANE HYANNIS, Neb. (UP)—George C. Menard's airplane flight from Sioux City, Ia., to Cheyenne, Wyo., was interrupted here when a truck ran him down. Menard was forced to put down his small plane on a highway during a minor snowstorm. Both vehicles were badly damaged but no one was injured.

Rhinoceros Died Of Broken Heart

NEW YORK (UP)—An unhappy tale of a rhinoceros who died of a broken heart after her mate succumbed to a seizure of hiccoughs was revealed with the arrival here of the American President Lines ship chuyler Otis Bland.

Capt. F. Roebuck, skipper of the vessel, said the beast, valued at \$18,000, were being transported from the Far East to the Miami Rare Bird Farm, Inc., when they died at sea.

Roebuck said the male died shortly before the ship docked at Naples after suffering an apparent fit of hiccoughs.

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Report Irregularities In Handling Wildlife Funds

RALEIGH (AP)—The State Wildlife Resources Commission was advised yesterday by State Auditor Henry Bridges to use more caution in handling its funds.

Bridges said several irregularities showed up in an audit of the commission's records for the fiscal year ending June 30. These included: 1) at least two game protectors were short in funds, 2 some protectors are depositing license fees in their personal bank accounts, and 3) travel allowances were issued so far in advance and in such large amounts they appeared to be in the nature of loans. Funds of the Wildlife Commission come from the sale of hunting and fishing licenses. The bulk of its income is handled by the commission's wildlife protectors. The commission's net revenue for the 1950-51 fiscal year were \$1,306,417.61.

Bridges said a state audit showed two former wildlife protectors, Gordon Holler of Charlotte and William E. Woody of Grover, were short by approximately \$8,400. The shortages were known before the auditors began their work and, Bridges said, a new system has been set up by the commission to prevent similar problems in the future.

Bridges said Woody was discharged and that he had paid up his difference of \$3,082.50. The auditor added that Holler showed a difference of \$5,353.50 in his report. He was killed in an automobile accident. Bridges said a claim has been filed with the administrator of the Holler estate and an effort is being made to claim the bank balance of \$3,652.61 in his name, "which we believe is state license money."

The world's highest commercial airport is at La Paz, Peru.

Wanted Mail

NORFOLK, Va. (AP)—A former Elizabeth City, N. C., sailor who wanted mail so badly he allegedly took letters addressed to his companions was ordered held in \$1,000 bond here yesterday.

Francis Joseph Moran, 24, of Otisville, N. Y., faced Federal court action after a hearing before a U. S. Commissioner.

Moran, until recently, was stationed at the Elizabeth City, N. C., Naval Air Station. He finished his enlistment several days ago and was given an honorable discharge.

While at Elizabeth City, Moran allegedly took from the mail several letters addressed to other men. He offered no defense yesterday, other than to say he had not received any mail for himself for several weeks.

Says She Picked Up Wrong Bottle

HOLLYWOOD (UP)—Stage and screen comedienne Una Merkel said today she "foolishly" picked up a wrong bottle when she recently took an almost fatal dose of sleeping pills.

"I had been ill with the flu and virus, and I didn't know until I was in the hospital that I had been foolish enough to reach over to my bedside table and pick up the wrong pills," she said.

The 49-year-old actress with a Southern drawl who was rushed to a hospital March 4 for treatment said there was "no suicide intent about it."



CONVICT SIGNS "FREEDOM" PAPERS—Henry Hawk, Nebraska penitentiary inmate and self-taught "prison lawyer" signs papers at Omaha which released him on \$10,000 bond and gave him his first taste of freedom since he was convicted of murder 15 years ago. Hawk had gone to court time and again seeking release. He finally made "the grade" this week on a habeas corpus action when a federal judge held the original trial was "lacking in fundamental fairness." (AP Wirephoto).

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Silo Grill will be closed for three weeks, beginning today, March 18th.

Reopening date will be announced later.

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Stocks And Market Reports

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market gave ground today under gentle selling pressure.

The railroads provided an early island of steadiness around which the market had an opportunity to rally, but there was no upside response.

As a consequence, the rails gradually softened and the remainder of the market slid to the downside out of the mixed price pattern that prevailed in early trading.

Losses reached between 1 and 2 points. Some rails and oils went to this extreme range on the downside. Most of the market's decline was in a fractional area. Gains were almost universally small.

Some plus signs were seen in distillers, aircraft, merchandising issues, utilities, and chemicals.

Lower were Atlantic Coast Line, Southern Pacific, Northern Pacific, Gulf Oil, Amerasia Petroleum, Texas Pacific Land Trust, Paramount Pictures, United Gas Corp., Anaconda Copper, Eastman Kodak, American Woolens, Bethlehem Steel, Chrysler, U. S. Rubber, and Boeing.

New York — (UP) — 2 P. M. stocks:

American Can	121
American Car & F	34 1/2
American T and T	154 1/2
American Tobacco	37 1/2
Atlantic Coast Line	91 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio	19 1/2
Brooklyn Aviation	49 1/2
Eschschm Steel	48 1/2
F. Ing Aircraft	48 1/2
Borden	51 1/2
Briggs Mig	34 1/2
Chesapeake and Ohio	34 1/2
Chrysler	71 1/2
Coca Cola	106
Colgate P P	42 1/2
Continental Can	42 1/2
Corn Products	68 1/2
Curtis Wright	57 1/2
Douglas Aircraft	85
Dupont	43 1/2
Eastern Air	24 1/2
Eastman Kodak	43 1/2
General Electric	57 1/2
General Motors	52 1/2
Goodrich	60 1/2
Goodyear	43 1/2
Gulf Oil	57 1/2
International Chem	20
International Harvester	39 1/2
International Nickel	44 1/2
International T and T	154 1/2
Johns Manville	67 1/2
Kennecott	77 1/2
Kroger Co	33
Liggett and Myers	67 1/2
Lorillard	22 1/2
Monsanto	96 1/2
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Studebaker	35
U S Rubber	80
US Steel	81
Warner Bros	14 1/2
Western Union	39 1/2
Westinghouse Air Eke	25 1/2
Westinghouse Elec	37 1/2
Woolworth	42 1/2

CHICAGO (AP)—USDA—Salable hogs 15,000; fairly active; closed active, uneven, but generally around 25 cents lower on butchers and sows; top 17.25 paid sparingly late; most choice 190-230 lb. 16.85-17.15; 230-250 lb. 16.50-17.00; most 260-290 lb. 16.00-16.50; several loads 300-375 lb. 15.35-16.00 most sows 400 lb. and under

Daniels Suspects HST Is Through

RALEIGH (UP) — Jonathan Daniels, President Truman's semi-official biographer, said today the new book about Mr. Truman is "the best and perhaps the only evidence yet available that Truman will not run again."

In a review of William Hillman's book "Mr. President," Daniels said his own feeling is that "this book is a volume prepared in farewell by a much lambasted president who wants very much to depart with the understanding and affection of the people of the United States."

The review was printed today by the Raleigh News and Observer, of which Daniels is editor. Daniels opened his review with the words: "In spite of the fact that this handsome technicolor volume sells for \$5 in a country where most \$5 books are bought by Republicans, it will be widely read and fairly said on the basis of most of its content that this is the Harry Truman campaign biography for 1952. It could be that."

But Daniels adds it is his own feeling that it is the President's farewell. "Make no mistake about it," Daniels said, "the author of this book very clearly is Harry S. Truman." He said "in direct unbroken narrative and exposition Hillman contributed about 10 pages of the text. The rest is pure Truman."

NEW YORK (AP)—Noon prices were 55 cents a bale lower to 5 cents higher than the previous close. May 40.92, July 39.92 and Oct. 36.95.

CHICAGO (UP)—Grain futures moved irregularly at mid-morning on the Chicago Board of Trade, with selling leading to general price declines.

Markets opened generally lower and continued their slight decline after the opening. Losses ranged up to a cent in September wheat. Soybeans were off 1/2 cent to unchanged.

CHICAGO (AP)—Butter steady; receipts 588,818; eggs steady; receipts 19,349.

Long Letter For Soldier In Korea

PASADENA, Calif. — (AP) — Pfc. John Klotzle, now in Korea, will be evicted by his mail-loving buddies when he receives a "wholesale" letter from home.

The letter, some 131 feet long, was sent recently to Mrs. Diane Dunbar and the soldiers' family of Pasadena. They had sent sheets of paper to 176 of Klotzle's friends throughout the United States asking them to write something to be included in the huge scroll.

One of the messages is from Klotzle's former boss promising the soldier his job back when he returns.

POLITENESS CALLED FOR OXFORD, Miss. — (UP) — Johnny Vaught head coach at the University of Mississippi here says "Yes, sir" to the manager of his freshman football team. Faser Triplett of Louisville, Miss., though only 19 has been appointed a full colonel on the staff of Gov. Hugh L. White.

Brazil has completed its 12th and final airstrip of a string leading from Manaus on the Amazon south east to Rio de Janeiro.

Colored News

Funeral services for Mrs. Hattie D. Parker, who died at her home Sunday, will be held Wednesday at 3 p.m. at York Memorial Methodist Church with the Rev. P. H. Munford officiating. Burial will follow in the Brown Hill Cemetery.

Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Louise Telpher of the home; a niece, Mrs. Susie Archie of Richmond, Va.; a nephew, Mr. Zeno Telpher; and one brother-in-law, Mr. George Telpher.

The Matron's Social Club will meet Wednesday night at 8:00 at the home of Mrs. Annie Little on Pitt Street.

The Ladies Social Sorority Club will meet tonight at 8:00 at the home of Mrs. Novella Hopkins, 115 E. Second Street.

The Modernette's Social Club met at the home of Mrs. Esther McGill Tuesday, March 11. Business of importance was discussed. The next meeting will be at tonight at the home of Miss Rita Morning, 510 Roosevelt Ave., at 8 p.m.

CHARLOTTE (AP)—Eisenhower forces got up early today to steal a march on Taft supporters at the state Republican convention here.

When delegates assembled at the Armory Auditorium, they found the convention hall plastered with huge pictures of the broadly-grinning general. At the front of the hall were several big posters—red, white and blue—proclaiming "We Like Ike." Before the start of the meeting there wasn't a Taft poster or picture in the hall.

Cape Johnson Deep, of the coast of the Philippines, is the world's deepest known ocean hole.



AWAY THEY GO: Meet the hoofing team of Durante, Truman and Jackson. The president's daughter finds little time for warbling as Jimmy "Schmozzle" Durante (left), and his veteran partner, Eddie Jackson, go into one of their many routines during a practice session at Los Angeles for the trio's television show. Miss Truman, who has been vacationing near Los Angeles between concerts, will be a guest star on the comedy show. (AP Wirephoto).

Disclosures . . .

(Continued from page one) nance committee, the President wrote him that the decision caused "much disappointment. A great many honors have passed your way, both to you and your family, and it seems when the going is rough it is a one-way street. I am sorry that this is so."

The President thought in 1948 that Russia intended to invade Turkey. He felt in 1946 that "unless Russia is faced with an iron fist and strong language, another war is in the making." And he regards the prevention of World War III as the major accomplishment of his seven years in the White House.

The Hillman book, published by Farrar, Straus and Young, is a collection of Truman memoranda, letters, diary excerpts and exclusive interviews with Hillman, a veteran Washington reporter.

It stemmed from Mr. Truman's desire for "the world to know the presidency as I have experienced it and to know me as I am." It gives the chief executive's opinions on a great variety of subjects and presents a perhaps-unprecedented close-up of a president while still in office.

The rebuke to Byrnes is contained in the transcript of a memorandum which Mr. Truman wrote himself. The President considered it so important that he neither mailed it nor had it typed, but read it to Byrnes himself on Jan. 5, 1946. In it, Mr. Truman said: "I do not intend to turn over to Cabinet members) the complete authority of the President nor to forego the President's prerogative to make the final decision."

"Therefore the President should be kept fully informed on what is taking place. This procedure . . . is vital in foreign affairs."

No date appears on the detailed memorandum in which Mr. Truman lays out his desire to prevent "senility and seniority" from dominating Congress by limiting service to 12 years.

But the memorandum apparently was written sometime in 1947 and perhaps later, after Congress had passed a constitutional amendment imposing a two-term limit on presidential tenure. The amendment was later ratified but does not apply to Mr. Truman.

"Twelve years in Washington is enough for any man," the President wrote in the memorandum. "After 27 years of service, no president, senator or member of the House of Representatives should be eligible for re-election."

"We would help cure senility and seniority—both terrible legislative diseases nationally—if twelve years were the limit of service."

This, he said, would get rid of "old time senators who made even Louis XIV of France and George III of England look like shining liberals."

The President gave the memorandum to Hillman for inclusion in the book despite a congressional uproar a year ago when such a proposal first was attributed to Mr. Truman.

In April, 1951, Jonathan Daniels, North Carolina editor and author and former White House secretary, wrote in a magazine article that Mr. Truman wanted to limit all congressional service to 12 years.

After the article appeared, press secretary Joseph Short called it a "misleading distortion," and said "The President has never considered the subject seriously."

Hillman's book pictures Mr. Truman in many different roles—an angry scold at those who disagree with him; a tender, attentive father yearning for his wife and "baby" (daughter Margaret who is now a concert, radio and television star); a barbed critic of Congress and the press; a homey philosopher.

Of Congress, he once wrote: "The 81st Congress—Congress meets—too bad, too. They will do nothing but wrangle."

Box Score

RALEIGH (AP)—The Motor Vehicles Department's tally of state highway accidents for the 24-hour period ending at 10 a.m. today:

Killed—1
Injured—25
Killed this year—194
Killed to date in 1951—213
Injured this year—1,972
Injured to date in '51—2,658

Another Bid For Railroad 'Peace'

WASHINGTON (UP)—The government made another bid today to settle the three-year railroad labor dispute.

The National Mediation Board called chiefs of the three brotherhoods and carrier officials to a meeting this afternoon in hope of a break in the dispute that began March 15, 1949, when the unions filed their first demands for contract improvements.

The move came as the brotherhoods—the conductors, engineers and trainmen—prepared to challenge a court injunction that halted their three-day strike last week.

The government claimed the walkout against the New York Central and two other lines was illegal and endangered the defense effort.

Union leaders will appear in Cleveland Federal Court Thursday to fight a move by the Justice Department to continue the injunction and block any future strike action.

Government attorneys claim that since the lines are in federal control—having been seized in 1950 to prevent a strike—the workers are not free to strike.

Today's meeting was the first joint session in several months. At the last stage of negotiations, the carriers had offered a 38-cent hourly increase for yard employees and 23 1/2 cents for workers actually involved in operation of the trains.

While the cash awards were acceptable, carrier demands for tightening the working rules have met stiff resistance by the unions.

The brotherhoods claim the proposed work-rule changes would wipe out the wage increase.

Jet Planes Set Non-Refuelling Flight Record

NEUBERG, Germany (UP) — Two United States Air Force F-94 Thunderjets landed here today after a 2,800-mile flight without refueling. Air experts called it "probably the longest sustained jet flight in aviation history."

The flight spanned seven nations and took 4 hours and 48 minutes, which included an average speed of nearly 585 miles an hour.

The two planes took off from a U. S. air base here at 9:45 a.m. They flew over Germany, Austria, Switzerland, Italy, France, Britain and Belgium and returned at 2:33 p.m.

A Republic Aviation Co. representative at the air base said that "to the best of my knowledge, this is the longest sustained flight made by a jet without refueling."

Object To Taxes Going For Arms

TOPEKA, Kans. (UP) — Kansas internal revenue officials had two "conscientious objectors" to income taxes on their hands today.

Miss Edith Aidis of St. John, Kans., and the Rev. Gerhard Friesen of Newton, Kans., defied federal income tax laws on grounds that "too much of the money goes for military armament."

Both are among 41 persons over the nation who have signed a statement issued by the Tax Refusal pacifist movement patterned after the non-violent resistance ideas of Mahatma Gandhi and headquartered in New York.

Avers Communists Urged American Negroes Rebel

BALTIMORE — (AP) — A former Negro Communist yesterday testified in the trial of six Communist conspirators that the party urged American Negroes to rebel and demand a nation of their own.

The witness, William Odell Nowell, off Detroit, said he was trained by the Communist Party to spread that idea among Negroes in Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Kentucky and Tennessee.

Nowell appeared as a government witness in the trial of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Frankfeld, Mrs. Dorothy Rose Blumberg, Leroy Wood, George Meyers and Maurice Braverman, on trial on charges of conspiracy to teach violent overthrow of the government.

The former Red identified Frankfeld as one of six with whom he attended the Lenin School in Moscow in 1931.

The party announced a few days before Frankfeld's trial that the former Maryland, Cleveland and Boston organizer was expelled for writing a pamphlet which took the position that President Truman was worse politically than Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis).

The party holds that the two are "equally dangerous," it was explained in the Red house organ, the Daily Worker.

Yesterday's court session wound up the first week of the trial in which John Lautner and Paul Crouch, also former Communists, testified that the party teaches violent revolution in the United States.

Roast Beavers Said Good Meal

HELENA, Mont. — (AP) — A customer asked caterer Fred Jorgenson to stuff and roast two beavers.

"They smelled like we were cooking cottonwood trees," he said. "But they got nice and tender like chicken." Jorgenson reported the patrons "licked the platter clean."

Pastor Invented New Word Game

EFFINGHAM, Ill. — (AP) — Rev. P. W. Hayes, pastor of the Central Church of Christ, has invented a word game called "smarzee." He hopes to finance the building of a new church from sales of the game.

The game is related to a crossword puzzle. It has value in teaching spelling and increasing vocabulary.

Art Awards Are Fixed In Venice

VENICE — (AP) — Prizes totaling \$7,000 will be awarded by an international committee to artists participating in the 26th Biennial Art Exhibition opening in June.

Four prizes of about \$1,500 each will go to an Italian and foreign painter and to an Italian and foreign sculptor. Two prizes of about \$300 will be awarded to an Italian and foreign engraver.

AMERICAN LEGION POST MEETS TONIGHT 7 O'CLOCK

Pitt County Post No. 39, American Legion, will meet at the Legion Home tonight at 7 o'clock. Supper will be served Dutch treat. Commander Lester E. Turnage Jr. will preside.

Believe Rescuer Died Of Strain

WEST FRANKFORT, Ill. (UP)—A coal miner who aided rescue efforts after the Dec. 21 New Orient mine blast, died yesterday. A doctor said his death might have been caused by exertion during the rescue operations.

Elsie Barnfield, 48, was in the mine when the explosion occurred killing 119 miners. He escaped and returned to search the wrecked mine with rescue teams.

Dr. John Summers said a heart condition which caused Barnfield's death may have been aggravated during the rescue operations.

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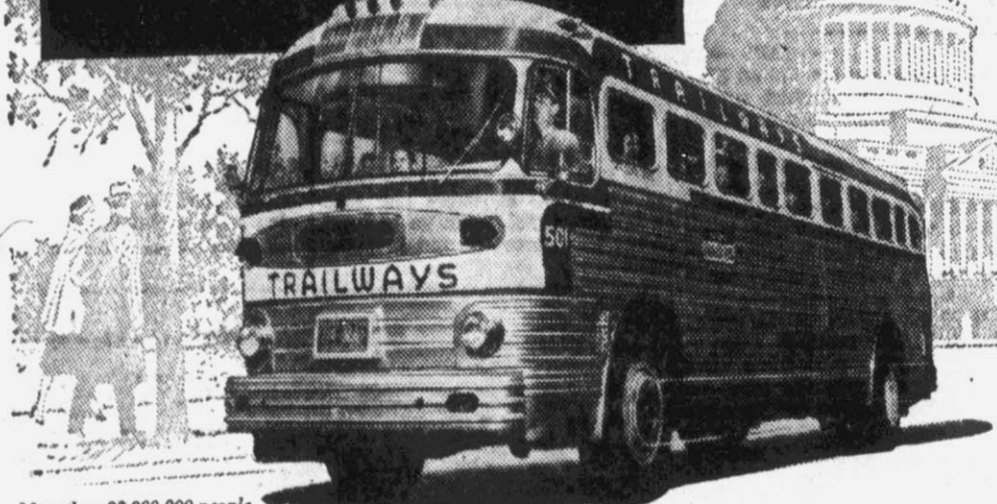
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antee that a contract will be en-
tered into with the Town within ten
days after the award to the bidder
and that the required bond will be
executed.

In lieu of a certified check or cash
for five per cent of the amount of
the bid, the bidder may offer a cer-
tified check in an amount equal to
two per cent and a bid bond in an
amount equal to three per cent of
the bid, as a guarantee that the con-
tract will be entered into with the
Town within ten days after the
award to the bidder and that the
required bond will be executed.

The Town reserves the right to
reject any or all bids or to accept
the bid or bids that appear to be to
the best interest of the Town.

No proposal may be withdrawn
after the scheduled closing time for
the receipt of bids for a period of
fifteen (15) days.

By order of the Mayor and Board
of Commissioners of the Town of
Fountain, N. C.
J. L. Peelle, Mayor
R. A. Gardner Jr., Clerk
Engineers:
Henry L. & Thomas W. Rivers
Greenville, North Carolina
March 4 & 18

NOTICE OF REMOVAL OF GRAVE
Pursuant to the provisions of
Chapter 65, Article 5, of the Gen-
eral Statutes of North Carolina, and
Chapter 76 of the Public-Local and
Private Laws of N. C. (1919), notice
is hereby given to the relatives and
next of kin of some unknown per-
son whose body is buried in a grave
located on Lot 71, Sec. "B" in the
Brown Hill Cemetery in Greenville,
N. C. that the grave of said un-
known person will be removed to
some single grave plot, in Section
"D" of said cemetery under the di-
rect supervision of the County
Health Officer.

This the 22nd day of February,
1952.
City of Greenville
By H. H. Duncan, Clerk
Feb. 26 Mar. 4-11-18

NOTICE OF SERVICE OF
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY

L. P. McGee vs. Ruby Lee McGee,
the defendant Ruby Lee McGee will
take notice that an action has been
brought against her by L. P. McGee

for divorce on the grounds of two
years' separation in the Superior
Court of Pitt County, and that she
is required to be and appear at the
office of the Clerk of the Superior
Court of Pitt County, Greenville
North Carolina, on or before the
25th day of March, 1952, or within
twenty days thereafter, and answer
or demur to the complaint which is
now on file in said office, or the
relief prayed for in the complaint
will be granted.

This the 19th day of February,
1952.
H. L. LEWIS JR., Ass't Clerk
Superior Court Pitt County
Mar. 4-11-18-26

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Having this day qualified as ex-
ecutor of the Estate of Mary L. Buck,
this is to notify all persons having
claims against the estate to file them
with the undersigned at the ad-
dress given within twelve (12)
months from this date or this notice
will be plead in bar of recovery. All
persons indebted to the estate will
please make immediate settlement.
This the 26th day of February,
1952.

JOHN W. BUCK, Executor of
the Estate of Mary L. Buck
Rt. 1, Box 114, Vanceboro, N.C.
S. O. Worthington, Atty.
Feb. 26 Mar. 4-11-18-26 Apr. 1

answer the call
GIVE!
1952 RED CROSS FUND

THIEVES COMPLETE
SPOKANE, Wash. — (UP) —
Police reported that burglars who
broke into vending machines at a
trucking firm didn't get a thing.
Burglars had emptied the ma-
chines two nights earlier.

By FAGALY and SHORTEN

THERE OUGHTA BE A LAW!

EMPHATICALLY YOU TELL 'EM AND THE SIGNS ARE JUST AS PLAIN...

THIS MERCHANDISE IS NOT RETURNABLE YOU KNOW, MADAM!

ABSOLUTELY NO REFUNDS

OH, YES, IT'S EXACTLY WHAT I WANT! WRAP IT UP, PLEASE!

POSITIVELY NO EXCHANGES

IT DOESN'T FIT! I WANT A REFUND!

NO REFUNDS

NO EXCHANGES

THANKS TO HUBERT BIEHLE, 5336 A NORTHLAND, ST. LOUIS 13, MO.

BLONDIE

MUST BE NICE TO STAY AT HOME AND NOT HAVE TO GO TO THE OFFICE EVERY DAY

OH, IS THAT SO?

I READ THAT A WIFE WALKS FIVE MILES A DAY DOING HER HOUSEWORK AND SHOPPING

DOING A WASHING USES SIXTEEN MORE MUSCLES THAN IT TAKES TO DRIVE A TRUCK—AN IRONING TAKES AS MUCH ENERGY AS SHOVELING A TON OF COAL

YOU'RE LUCKY GOING TO AN OFFICE

WISH I'D LEARN TO KEEP MY BIG MOUTH SHUT

OZARK IKE

NICE GAME, ROSCOE...YUH SHO LOOKED GREAT BANGIN' 'EM OUT THEM FIVE HITS!

JUST A SAMPLE, JUNIOR... WHY BACK IN PUNKIN'-VILLE!

TUBBINS! STEP IN HERE, PLEASE!

WELL...EVEN MANAGER SKELLEY WANTS TO CONGRATULATE ME!

OR MAYBE HE WISHES TO APOLOGIZE FOR GIVING YOU THAT SIGNING TO BUNT IN THE NINTH FRAME!

YEAH, SKIP!

COME IN, MR. TUBBINS...IT'S HIGH TIME WE HAD A MAN-TO-MAN TALK!

I'M SURE HE WAS DELIGHTED WHEN YOU CROSSED HIM UP WITH THAT HOME RUN, ROSCOE!

RUSTY RILEY

AN ODD THING, INSPECTOR... SHORTLY AFTER YOU TWO LEFT, A LONG-DISTANCE CALL CAME THROUGH FROM NEW YORK SAYING WOULD HAVE TO PAY RANSOM TO GET BACK 'SUNBEAM'S SON'!

GO ON, MR. MILES!

THE VOICE SAID I WAS TO LEAVE THE MONEY WRAPPED AS A GIFT PACKAGE AT CONNIE MAITLAN'S HOUSE... MISS MAITLAN, AS YOU KNOW, IS THE FORMER OWNER OF MY COLT... IT SEEMS THAT TOMORROW IS HER BIRTHDAY... SO THE VOICE SAID...

I CHECKED WITH CONNIE... TOMORROW IS HER BIRTHDAY... AND SHE'S GIVING A PARTY... SHE INVITED US ALL... IF SHE'S A HORSE-THIEF, I'M AN ELEPHANT!

BUT, JEEEPERS! THE REAL THIEF WILL BE THERE... ALL RIGHT!

FLASH GORDON

WE SHOULD HAVE ALL BEEN INSIDE THAT SHIP! IT WOULD HAVE BEEN QUICKER THAN STARVING!

GET A HOLD OF YOURSELF, TEX! THAT WON'T HELP US NOW...

THERE MAY BE SOME FORM OF PLANT LIFE SOMEWHERE ON THIS MOON, KENT! YOU AND TEX SEARCH ACROSS THE TUNDRA, WHILE DALE AND I TRY THE CAVES! WE'LL MEET BACK HERE IN AN HOUR!

YOU'RE NOT GOING TO KEEP THAT RENDEZVOUS, FLASH! NOT FOR A LONG TIME!

THE PHANTOM

SON! YOUR COMMISSION IN THE JUNGLE PATROL HAS COME THROUGH!

BUT, PATER... I WANT TO BE A LIBRARIAN!

TIGHT THREE GENERATIONS OF SMYTHES HAVE SERVED GLORIOUSLY IN THE JUNGLE PATROL! YOU CAN'T BREAK TRADITION!

PATER, I DON'T LIKE THE JUNGLE. I DON'T LIKE BUGS! I'M AFRAID OF ANIMALS AND GUNS AND NATIVES AND—ALL THAT!

WILSON MERRY 3-7

YES, A MAN OF YOUR PACK UP AND BE OFF!

Crossword Puzzle

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
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89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99
100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

DOWN

1. Equality
2. Mean
3. Determine
4. Part of a church
5. Vapor
6. Alternative
7. Excited
8. Cut down
9. Land measure
10. Shril whistle
11. Odor
12. Huge animal
13. Night before
14. Parcel of ground
15. Embrace
16. Preserve
17. Stone
18. Insect
19. Vagabond
20. Slippery
21. Intimide
22. Intimidate
23. Wonder
24. Food fish
25. Purpose
26. Ecclesiastical unit
27. Covered
28. The insect
29. Automobile
30. Simultaneous
31. Chafe
32. Dandy
33. French coin
34. Jewel
35. Accomplish
36. Negative

ACROSS

1. Small cushion
4. Gone by
7. Accumulate
11. Hall
13. Boothing
14. Medicine
15. Intermission
17. Moo
18. Concerning
19. Read sounder
20. Side of a
21. Row
22. Green stone
23. Soak up
24. Sister of one's parent
25. Epoch
26. Swimming
27. Mistle

28. Drinking vessel
29. Perform
30. Sun rod
31. Caller
32. Seat in church
33. Run
34. Strike
35. Cavern
36. Cover
37. Paint
38. Transportation charge
39. Side of a
40. In favor of
41. Blundering
42. Fragrance
43. Demand
44. Payment
45. Take legally
46. Not in
47. Edge of a garment

Burney Upholds Verdict And Fine Of Pitt Court

A Pitt County man who took an appeal to Superior Court after being fined \$1,000 in County Court for violating the liquor laws, yesterday heard Judge John J. Burney uphold the previous sentence.

"I won't even consider reducing the \$1,000 fine," Judge Burney told Oscar Mizelle in Superior Court yesterday, "and if you hadn't come in here and told the truth about it, I would have given you a long road sentence."

In addition to the \$1,000 fine, the judge sentenced Mizelle to 12 months on the roads, sentence suspended provided he remain on probation for three years and not violate any liquor laws.

Other cases heard before Judge Burney yesterday were:

Edward H. Reed, reckless driving, 90 days to roads, sentence suspended upon condition he pay a fine of \$25.00 and costs and remain of good behavior and not violate any law for two years. He is also to operate a motor vehicle on the public highways for 12 months or until he has made adequate restitution to the city of Greenville and Carolina Grille for property damage.

Margaret Louise Herring, contempt, dismissed.

Lillian Ariene Harris, driving drunk, fined \$100 and costs and operator's license revoked for 12 months.

John Edward Vernon, breaking and entering and larceny, sentenced to serve from two to three years on roads.

Charlie Smith, driving drunk, abates.

Offie Bryant, violating the liquor laws, six months on roads, sentence suspended provided he remain of good behavior for two years and pay costs.

Leroy Bell, breaking and entering and larceny, found guilty of breaking and entering in jury trial and sentenced to 12 months on the roads.

L. C. Harris, assault on a female with intent to commit rape, sentenced to five years in State Prison, sentence suspended provided he remain on probation for five years and pay court costs.

Gulford Webb, assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill and larceny, sentenced to 12 months on roads.

Wilton McDowell, larceny, at end of jury trial the court directed a verdict of not guilty.

Walter Sawyer Called To Trial

ELIZABETHTOWN, N. C. — (AP) — Walter Sawyer, 34, charged with murdering former State Legislator U. S. Page, was called to trial here today.

A special venire of 100 prospective jurors from nearby New Hanover County was ordered to report for the trial. The Bladen County grand jury yesterday returned a true bill against Sawyer, father of five children and a former tenant on one of Page's farms.

Solicitor Malcolm B. Seawell said he would seek a conviction of first degree murder. Page, a merchant and resort owner, was found shot to death in the doorway of his store at Page's Lake the morning of Dec. 30. He had been shot eight times with a .22 rifle.

Sawyer allegedly confessed to officers Jan. 11 that he shot Page because "he had taken bread out of the mouth of my children."

In his alleged confession, Sawyer said he took his family to a theater in St. Pauls the night of Dec. 29, went to Page's store, shot him and then returned and got his family. Officers quoted him as saying he threw the rifle into a wooded area, but a search failed to find the weapon.

Capitol Square

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group or party responsibility, which is the essence of genuine democracy.

TIMELY — The observations of this anonymous official are timely. At noon on Saturday of this week the legislature will close for filing notice of candidacy for state-wide and district offices, four weeks later the door will be shut again further (tries for the general assembly and county offices. Many people think the closing time should be much later in the year, which means the primary should be set for late summer instead late spring. Those who enter their names Saturday or on April 19 will not be voted upon in the primary until May 31, cannot be elected until November 4, and will not take office until next January. Many things can happen in the nine and a half months between filing time and office-taking time to change public sentiment. To paraphrase the statement of another party leader, who's a refuse to be quoted by name, one reason for the growing inclination to bolt party lines is the long spread between filing and nomination — which in many instances is equivalent to ultimate election. More and more people are showing reluctance to be bound in November by action of somebody else in March.



BUSINESS BUT NOT AS USUAL.—Business is carrying on in Big Bear, Cal. but with some difficulty as snow from the main street in business district has been pushed up almost into doorways of business houses in an attempt to make a through road for late people. A fresh storm over the weekend is expected to add more miseries as well as snow. (AP Wirephoto.)

Capitol Clean-Up Work Proposed

RALEIGH — (AP) — A cleaning job is proposed to rid the 119-year-old State Capitol of its coating of grime and soot.

The Council of State is expected to meet sometime next week to consider a request for funds to finance the work.

The cleaning job — a steaming hot bath — was proposed by George B. Cherry, superintendent of the state's Buildings and Grounds Department. It has the support of Gov. Scott and the State Board of Buildings and Grounds. The capitol has been cleaned once before, about 25 years ago.

A new facial also is proposed for the governor's mansion. The mansion's last cleaning was in the 1880s.

Cherry expects the proposal to bring a storm of protests from the cultural societies and garden clubs. He said so yesterday. Suggestions in the past to separate the capitol from its dirty coat have been blocked by protests.

Cherry said, "There is nothing historic or antique about dirt and grime and grease. The capitol just needs a first class cleaning, and that's all there is to it."

UNDERTAKERS' STRIKE — An undertakers' union strike that would tie up most of the burials and embalmings in the city is scheduled to begin April 2. Both sides have been invited to a mediation meeting in an attempt to avert the work stoppage.

The Orinoco plains of Venezuela are covered with waxy grass and dotted with scrubby trees.

Forty-Two N. C. Schools Enter French Contest

Forty-two North Carolina secondary schools, represented by a total of 1028 students of French, will participate in the National French Contest, sponsored by the American Association of Teachers of French, according to Mrs. Marguerite A. Perry of the East Carolina College foreign languages department, state contest chairman.

The date of the contest in North Carolina schools, originally announced as April 25, has been changed to Monday, April 21, Mrs. Perry stated. The change was considered advisable to prevent a conflict in dates with the Drama Festival for North Carolina High Schools in Chapel Hill.

The tests will be administered locally in the forty-two participating schools. Copies will be mailed to these schools early in April.

North Carolina will receive about \$330,000 from the first appropriation under the act. The federal government will pay 75 per cent of the cost of construction of state armories from that fund and the state must provide the remaining 25 per cent.

Sign Removal To Be Enforced

RALEIGH (UP)—The State Highway Commission teamed with the highway patrol today and prepared to clear from highway rights of way all advertising signs not removed in compliance with several months of polite requests.

Dr. Henry Jordan, chairman of the highway commission, ordered division and district engineers and maintenance crews to notify the highway patrol of any signs located on state-owned property at the edge of any highway.

He said patrolmen then would serve notice on the firm or person owning the sign, and if it wasn't removed in a "reasonable" time, would cite them on a misdemeanor.

UN Clerk Fined For Narcotics

NEW YORK (UP)—A former United Nations clerk was fined \$1,500 yesterday and ordered deported to his native Lebanon for smuggling narcotics into this country in the false bottom of a trunk.

Boulos Stephan, 38, who has a wife and five children in Beirut, said he was an addict. He said the narcotics would have lasted him seven years and were worth \$25,000.

Wizard To Speak

LEESVILLE, S. C. (UP)—Imperial Wizard Thomas L. Hamilton of the Association of Carolina Klans today announced a "public speaking" for Saturday at 8 p.m. near Coward.

Prices Higher Now

ANADARKO, Okla. (UP)—Saving \$50,000 by not building a county courthouse in the depression-days of the mid-1930s is proving to be poor economy for Caddo county commissioners. Contractors estimated the same building will now cost \$900,000.

Armory-Building Will Begin Soon

RALEIGH (UP)—Construction of federal-aid armories at Burlington, Lenoir and Red Springs may begin next month, Adjutant Gen. John Hall Manning said today.

Manning said the National Guard Bureau in Washington would complete by April 1 detailed plans and specifications for the types of armories to be built jointly by the state and federal governments under the National Defense Facilities Act.

Construction can begin on North Carolina's three top-priority armories almost immediately afterward, Manning said, unless the State Armory Commission wants to modify federal plans. Any changes proposed would have to be approved by the National Guard Bureau, he said.

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Man Is Missing After Air Crash

DALLAS, Tex. (UP)—Navy and police crews today searched for a man missing after a C-46 tipped and crashed in the air and crashed in flames. Two of the other 20 men were killed after they parachuted.

Eighteen men escaped serious injury when they bailed out of the burning ship. No trace of the missing man, believed down in a wooded section of East Dallas, has been found.

The twin-engine transport, carrying several Korea veterans home on long-awaited leaves, crashed 200 yards from the San Jacinto elementary school at about 4 p.m. yesterday. Battle souvenirs and Oriental keepsakes were strewn among the wreckage.

The pilot, Capt. R. C. Wesley of Pensacola, Fla., radioed the tower at the Dallas Naval Air Station a few minutes before the crash and reported engine trouble. He was unable to return in time to make an emergency landing.

Classes had been dismissed at the school only half an hour before the blazing plane fell. School boys tried to save the life of the naval officer by tugging at his legs as a high wind pulled him along behind his billowing parachute.

But they were unable to free him from the harness, and he was pulled through a barbed wire fence. He was dead on arrival at a hospital.

Officials said the transport was enroute from California to Cherry Point, N. C. Survivors included Seaman W. N. Harris of Henderson, N. C.; Seaman J. D. Bizzell of Rockymount, N. C.; Marine 2nd Lt. C. F. Sparks of Havlock, N. C.

Safety Engineer To Demonstrate Before Students

Greenville High School students will have an opportunity tomorrow morning at 11:30 to see for themselves how the false impression and sense of security that a driver of the modern automobile feels when behind the wheel, so often leads to trouble.

W. W. Morris, safety engineer for the Farm Bureau Insurance Companies, will lecture at the school and later direct a demonstration on Summit Street. He will demonstrate correct and incorrect driving habits of motorists.

"The high point of the demonstration will come, however, when driving tests are made with various students and faculty members in the specially equipped car Morris uses," Principal O. E. Dowd said today.

"Three revolvers mounted on the front bumper of the safety engineer's car will fire yellow paint bullets to indicate the distance required to stop the car in an emergency," he added.

The driver being tested will be signaled to stop by a red light mounted above the radiator. The first paint bullet will be fired automatically at the same instant the stop signal is flashed. The second will be fired automatically when the brake is applied and the third when the car halts. Distance between the spots of paint will then be measured to determine the reaction and braking distances.

Tests will be limited to 20, 30 and 40 miles per hour speeds because of the danger in making emergency stops at higher speeds. Greenville police officers will be used in the high speed tests.

The Farm Bureau Insurance Companies have presented the driving demonstration and tests for student bodies of more than 3,000 high schools and colleges in 12 states. The program is being brought to Greenville under sponsorship of the local Farm Bureau Insurance Companies' office.

Military Rites For Serviceman

Cpl. Willie L. Shackelford, 31, died as a result of injuries received in an auto accident at Temple, Texas, on Friday, March 14th.

Funeral services will be conducted at the First Baptist Church in New Bern Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by the pastor, the Rev. Charles Parker. Burial will be in the Trenton Cemetery, Trenton, N. C. The body will remain at the S. G. Wilkerson & Sons Funeral Home until nine o'clock Wednesday morning at which time the remains will be carried to the church. Full military honors will be accorded by a squad of men from Fort Bragg.

Cpl. Shackelford, son of Mrs. Lovie Gardner Shackelford and the late Jesse W. Shackelford, was born near Greenville and spent most of his youth near Blounts Creek. He attended schools at Blount Creek and Aurora, and entered the U. S. Army in 1940. He was discharged after the war in 1945, and was employed at the Barber Boat Works in New Bern for about a year. He then went to Texas, and re-enlisted in the Army in 1949, and had recently returned from Korea. He was married to Mamie Lou Loving of San Antonio, Texas, in 1944.

Surviving are his wife; a daughter,

Betty Hutton Is Wed Early Today

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (UP)—Betty Hutton, who signed she "sure missed the state of being married" after her divo, from camera manufacturer Ted Briskin, exchanged vows with dance director Charles O'Curran early today.

They were married by Judge Frank Manamee in a surprise civil ceremony at Hotel Last Frontier. They will honeymoon here.

Miss Hutton said she suddenly decided to fly here from Hollywood while they were having dinner last night at 10:00 p.m. Her charter plane, arrived here at 12:30 a.m. and was married 30 minutes later.

The blonde singing star said she met O'Curran last summer while working with him on the picture "Somebody Loves Me." Since then he has staged all her acts.

Miss Hutton returned from Korea where she entertained troops only last Saturday. O'Curran made the trip with her.

Since Miss Hutton filed for divorce from Briskin a year ago, she has had a number of off-and-on-again romances.

"I do enjoy being married," she confided. "I didn't get divorced because I wanted to."

Valor Medal Is Given Carlsen

NEW YORK (UP)—Capt. Kurt Stay-Put Carlsen, the Flying Enterprise skipper who made a valiant but futile attempt to save his ship in storm-tossed waters off the English coast in January, was awarded the American Bureau of Shipping's Gold Valor medal yesterday.

LIGHTNING RAISES GAIN — MARION, O. — (UP)—Lightning struck the municipal airport, nearly \$500 worth of damage, closed the field to night operations for about three weeks and necessitated a check of some 600 miles of electrical wiring. Ten transformers and 100 light bulbs were put out when the bolt crashed into wiring.

There are no growing plants on sea bottoms below depths where light can penetrate. No amphibians live in the sea.

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Suspense Story of a Great Love!
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DORIS HAYES
BOB HOPE

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Jane RUSSELL
Victor Mature — Vincent Price
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EVA GABOR
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WILLY ASTOR
EVERETT CLAY

HIT NO 2 Will Be Shown Only Once — At 8:30.

EERIE MYSTERY! CHERRY RUMPKINS!
CHARLES STARBUCK SMILEY
BURNETTE

STREETS OF GHOST TOWN
COLUMBIA PICTURE

Color Cartoon
Free Passes In Our Program

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