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Adlai And President To Confer

Accepts Eisenhower Bi-Partisan Luncheon Date Set For Tomorrow

WASHINGTON (UP)—Adlai E. Stevenson today accepted President Eisenhower's invitation to join him tomorrow at a luncheon for a group of Republican and Democratic House members.

White House press secretary James C. Hagerty said that Stevenson—defeated by Mr. Eisenhower for the presidency—will confer with the President in his office at 12:30 p.m. tomorrow.

Then Stevenson will join the chief executive at another in a series of congressional lunches which Mr. Eisenhower has been holding for two weeks.

A "tentative" invitation had been extended to Stevenson before his Jefferson-Jackson day dinner speech in New York Saturday night.

In this speech Stevenson expressed the fear that the Republicans were turning back to "dollar diplomacy" and wielding a "big stick" over foreign allies. Stevenson also taunted the new administration for replacing "New Dealers" with "car dealers."

Stevenson, who is here mending Democratic political fences, smilingly insists that if he runs for anything it will be "for cover."

Mr. Eisenhower expressed interest in Stevenson's forthcoming trip to the Far East, and invited his campaign opponent to drop in at the White House and talk it over. White House aides were unable to give the precise time of Stevenson's appointment, but it was indicated he may be the President's guest at lunch tomorrow.

The former Illinois governor, now titular head of the Democratic Party, had a heavy schedule for his three-day visit to the capital. Today's round of activities included a staff meeting at the Democratic National Committee in the morning, visits with House and Senate Democrats in the afternoon and a reception in the evening for some of the leaders in his unsuccessful presidential campaign.

Tomorrow, in addition to his talk with Mr. Eisenhower, he plans to see some State Department officials about his Far East trip and talk to the ambassadors of some of the countries he will visit.

It was assumed the call at the State Department would include a talk with Secretary of State John Foster Dulles whom he criticized, in a speech Saturday night, for adopting a "big stick" policy toward European Allies.

The invitation to the White House was for the specific purpose of talking about Stevenson's trip. Another meeting, for Stevenson to report to the President on his return, probably will be arranged. That was done in the past by other defeated presidential candidates who went globe trotting—the late Wendell L. Willkie in 1941 and Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York in 1951.

Stevenson is scheduled to sail from San Francisco March 2. He plans to visit most of the countries in the Far East, perhaps including the battle front in Korea.

N.C. Symphony To Woo Support With Soft Music

RALEIGH (UP)—The soothing strains of Lichstein's music will echo through the State Capitol tonight to take the minds of North Carolina's legislators of their work, and the North Carolina Symphony Orchestra hopes the music will be persuasive enough to entice the General Assembly to come through with an extra \$35,000.

Since 1947 the orchestra has given the General Assembly a musical thanks for its \$15,000 a year state appropriation. Conductor Dr. Benjamin F. Swalin has asked the Joint Appropriations Committee for \$50,000 this year. The assembly will hear nine selections tonight, including a solo by Miss Beatrice Griffin, concertmistress of the orchestra, who will play "Liebesfreude" by Krumpholtz.

DYING IS COSTLY WEST LIBERTY (UP)—The cost of dying has risen at West Liberty. Cemetery trustees voted to raise the price of digging a grave from \$20 to \$50.

N.C. Farm Loan Director Here



State Director of the Farm Loan Administration, J. B. Slack (left), was in Greenville Friday inspecting the local Farm Loan Administration office. Shown with Slack, looking over progress records are County Supervisor Ralph Harris (center) and Field Representative Marion Holland (right). (Reflector Photo by Roy Hardee)

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Conferees Progress On Encouraging Freedom Fight Map Repudiation Of Yalta

WASHINGTON (UP)—President Eisenhower and his congressional leaders today made "some progress" on a resolution encouraging people fighting for freedom in Soviet satellite countries or elsewhere.

Senate majority leader Robert A. Taft, leaving the weekly White House legislative conference, said the resolution will repudiate parts of the Yalta and other international agreements which "might be construed to limit the freedom of people for self-determination."

However, Taft said, the Yalta agreement is not the principal target. "The idea is not a repudiation of any particular agreement, but rather of any construction that would lead to acquiescence on our part to suppression of freedom in satellite countries or elsewhere," Taft said.

He said the language of the resolution was one of the major subjects taken up at the White House session.

"It was discussed at some length and we made some progress," Taft said. No date was agreed on for introduction of the resolution. There is no thought that such a world-wide declaration by the government can do more than to encourage suppressed peoples behind the Iron curtain.

Sen. H. Alexander Smith (R-N.J.) told reporters he was confident a resolution would be approved by Congress. House Republican leader Charles A. Halleck of Indiana also felt the resolution will be approved.

Taft said Democratic congressional leaders will be consulted before the resolution is offered for adoption.

There is no thought in administration circles that repudiation of Yalta would in itself free a single citizen of a Communist slave state.

Rather, it was seen as a move in the President's campaign of psychological warfare against the Kremlin, one which might help eventually in weaning satellite states from Moscow's side.

Down Three MIGs While Screening Massive Air Raid Sabrejets Enjoy 'Field Day'

SEOUL (AP)—U. S. Sabre jets today shot down three Russian-built MIG's, probably destroyed another and damaged seven while screening a massive air raid on a big Communist troop and supply buildup area.

The U. S. Fifth Air Force reported the Communist jet fighter probably destroyed a third and damaged four. They were shielding Allied fighter-bombers which knocked out two generators at the big Suho hydroelectric plant on the Yalu River boundary of Manchuria.

More than 500 Air Force, Marine and U. S. carrier planes turned the giant Suho plant—the world's largest—into a pile of junk last June 23, but the Communists evidently had rebuilt it.

Today's target for the big Allied air strike was Kyomipo, about 20 miles southwest of the Korean capital of Pyongyang.

Participating in the stepped-up air blows were Marine Capt. Ted Williams, famed former Boston Red Sox slugger, and Air Force Maj. James Jabara, America's first jet ace, who is flying his second combat tour in Korea.

William's fighter-bomber developed trouble over the Kyomipo target area—presumably hit by ground fire—when he was forced to crash land. He walked away from the wrecked and blazing plane.

Jabara, from Wichita, Kan., was credited with damaging a MIG, the first claim of his second combat tour after 20 or more fruitless missions. On his first tour Jabara destroyed six MIG's, probably destroyed another and damaged four Allied warships, meanwhile, began the third year of their bombardment and siege of the Eastern Korean port of Wonsan. The U. S. heavy cruiser Toledo and two destroyers, the Wedderburn and Moore, shelled shore installations.

The siege of Wonsan is the longest in U. S. naval history. It began Feb. 16, 1951, after the U. S. 1st Marine Division and other U. N. units were evacuated in the Eighth Army's retreat from North Korea. AP correspondent Olen Clements, aboard the U. S. carrier Valley Forge, described Wonsan as "a battered hulk of rubble and death."

He said the city, which once had a population of 100,000 and was Eastern Korea's transportation hub, has been reduced to an estimated 30,000 Communist soldiers and a handful of civilians.

U.S. Interceptors Chase Two Away From Japanese Islands

Russian Planes Fired Upon

TOKYO (UP)—U. S. F-84 Thunderjet fighters today intercepted and fired on two Russian warplanes violating the northern Japanese border in the first clash between the American and growing Soviet Far East air forces.

The jets scored hits on one Soviet plane before the intruders turned and fled to the sanctuary of Soviet territory.

Gen. O. P. Weyland, U. N. Far East Air Force commander, said the American jets intercepted the two Russian planes—identified as single-engine propeller-driven fighters—over Hokkaido, Japan's northernmost island.

It was the first positively confirmed flight by Russian planes over Japanese territory since Jan. 13, when the Japanese government warned Russia that American fighters guarding Japan would meet border violators with bullets.

The two Thunderjets on a routine patrol over northern Japan were guided by radar to the Russian aircraft at 9:15 p.m. e.s.t. Sunday.

At the time, the Russian planes were heading across the Nemuro Peninsula, a neck of land that juts eastward from Hokkaido to within two miles of a Russian-occupied island in the disputed Habomai group.

Weyland said the interceptors closed in on the two Russian planes and identified them as LA-11's (Lavachkin Elevens), Soviet fighters of the 400-mile-an-hour class.

"Pursuant to a standing instruction, our interceptor pilots signaled the intruders to land," the announcement said. "The landing signal was ignored by the LA-11 pilot."

The leader then opened fire, scoring hits on the fuselage and wings of one of the intruders.

The two Russian planes turned and fled northeastward toward the Kurile Islands. The Thunderjet pilots broke off the action to avoid flying into Russian territory.

The disclosure immediately heightened fears in war-torn Japan that further shooting incidents might be the spark needed to ignite World War III.

The first official Japanese reaction came from Takejo Shimoda, chief of the Foreign Office Treaty Bureau, who said that since Japan asked the United States to defend it, "any responsibility is Japan's."

Today's incident was the first in which American guns were fired at Russian aircraft. On two occasions, American patrol planes inside Japanese territory have disappeared, victims of Soviet fighter planes.

Prisoner Flees Road Gang Today Near Grimesland

GRIMESLAND—A Pitt County prisoner, serving time for a felony charge, escaped from a road gang working on the overhead bridge near here early this morning.

Prison officials listed the escapee as being Jimmy Reynolds, 25-year-old white man. His home address was given as California. Where he was sentenced was not immediately disclosed.

The escape apparently occurred around 10 o'clock this morning when the work crews were engaged in clearing right of ways in the area.

At the time of his escape, Reynolds was reported to be wearing dark brown prison garb. He is six feet tall, weighs around 170 pounds and is of medium build.

He is known to usually go bare-headed. He has short brown hair and blue eyes. He has two tattoos on his left arm, one of a woman and the other of the figure nine.

A radio alarm alerted officers of the Sheriff's Department, prison camp officials and State Highway patrolmen, who converged on the location.

Searches of the prison camp near Grimesland were rushed to the area in an effort to pick up a trace of the escapee.

At last reports, received after noon today, the prisoner was still at large and the trail had led in the direction of the Pactical community.

Fire And Thieves Deal Garage One-Two Punch \$6,300 Theft Is Reported

By ROY HARDEE Reflector Staff Writer
Fire and thieves dealt the T. and W. garage a one-two punch last night.

The garage was considerably damaged from a fire which was discovered in the building at 9:20 last night. Greenville firemen fought the blaze for over one hour before bringing it under control.

However, when the smoke and flames had died down sufficiently to allow entrance into the smoke-filled offices of the firm, it was discovered by Willie Tripp, owner of the company, that the safe had been looted.

Tripp reported to City Detective N. H. Byrd that his office had been entered and his safe robbed of \$6,300. The money was reported to have been all \$5 bills.

Chief of Police S. G. Gibbs stated after investigation of the robbery that officers had been unable to determine any means of entry into the building by the alleged robbers.

Gibbs reported that Tripp told him he closed the building around 6:30 last night. The fire was discovered at 9:20 when a man reported to a passing police patrol car that the building was on fire.

Officer W. E. Cole, patrolling in North Greenville at the time, stated he had just come by the building around five minutes earlier, and did not observe anything on fire. He further said that he stopped at a filling station some few blocks away and that a man came to him to report the building afire.

A radio message was sent to Police Department summoning the fire department.

Several markings were found on the drenched safe and tools known to have belonged to the company were found on the floor near the open safe.

However, Chief of Police Gibbs had this to say about the robbery: "The safe did not appear to have been sufficiently damaged to enable the safe to have been punched open and entry gained into the unit."

The fire was confined to the storage rack for tires which was located over the top of the show rooms and offices of the building. Firemen had difficulty in entering the building since a sliding door to the garage was jammed. More than nine firemen were required to force open the door.

Most of the fire was around a flue from an office stove which ran up through the racks of tires and other stored items.

Firemen remained at the scene for at least 30 minutes after extinguishing the blaze.

Several new cars and others in the garage for repairs were removed from the building while the fire was in progress as a safety measure.

Damage to the office and show rooms was confined mostly to smoke and water. Part of the ceiling in the show room was burned into but no other damage resulted.

It was understood that the company's records were intact and did not suffer damage from the fire or water poured onto the burning tires.

Chief Gibbs said that his department is still investigating the robbery of the safe.

It was not determined whether the building and its contents were insured.

New Petition Circulated Among Business Firms Ask End One-Way Traffic

By JESS POINDEXTER Reflector City Editor
For the second time since one-way streets went into effect in Greenville, a petition requesting that the system be abolished is circulating about the city.

The pertinent difference in the two petitions is that the most recent document is being signed exclusively by owners of Greenville business firms, and not just individual citizens of the city.

A spokesman said this morning the idea for the petition was formulated by a group of Greenville businessmen who entertained the opinion that the one-way street system is detrimental to the city's progress.

DREW PETITION
After short discussion on the proposition that potential customers may be driven away from Greenville to some other city by the intricacies and difficulties of negotiating local streets, the group drew up the petition.

The petition states, in effect, that the people who sign the paper feel the present system of one-way streets in Greenville is not conducive to business and progress of the city. They feel, it says further, the system is causing a loss of business to the city generally.

According to authentic reports, "four or five" members of the original group have circulated the petition throughout the city and, to date, have obtained the names of 42 local firms which oppose the system and want it abolished.

The spokesman, who preferred "not to be quoted at this time," said participation is purely voluntary on the part of business firms. "No pressure of any kind is being applied," he declared.

BOARD ACTION
He further stated, that when the petition has been circulated so thoroughly as to give every business in the city an opportunity to sign or reject it, it will be presented to the Board of Aldermen for action.

"However," the authority asserted, "the document will not be taken before the board until everyone concerned has had a chance to determine whether they wish to endorse such action."

The first petition against the one-way street system was presented to the Board of Aldermen several months ago but it was signed by random individuals and did not meet with favorable action by board members.

Green Street To Become Two-Way Thoroughfare Tomorrow On Trial Basis

Effective tomorrow and on a trial basis only, Green Street will be open to two-way traffic after being open to one-way traffic since the summer.

Chief of Police S. G. Gibbs announced that change in traffic on Greene Street is the major change in the city traffic system since the one-way street system was put into effect.

Highway officials and city workmen began delimiting the affected street this morning and it is hoped to be in readiness tomorrow morning when the change becomes effective.

At the present, Greene is a one-way street but tomorrow it will be opened to both North and Southbound traffic. Traffic moving North will be allowed to make a left turn on Fifth Street; a left or right turn on Fourth; a left turn on Third; and a right turn on Second.

Southbound traffic will be able to make a left or right turn on Dickinson and a right turn on Fifth; a right or left turn on Fourth; a right turn on Third; and a right turn on Second.

However, truck traffic will still be routed on Pitt Street.

The new system on Greene Street will eliminate all parking on that street.

Chief Gibbs said that traffic on Greene Street will be watched and probation will be made on those streets off Greene which show congestion.

Points Debated In Arguments Over Sec. Benson's Farm Outlook

By PATRICIA WIGGINS United Press Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON (UP)—Questions and answers about the farm price problem that has set off a controversy between Secretary of Agriculture Ezra T. Benson and some members of Congress:

How much have farm prices declined?
For the past two years, prices farmers received for their crops and livestock have moved gradually downward. The level of all farm prices is now 11 per cent under year ago.

Cotton is now selling at 29 7/8 cents a pound compared to 41 3/8 cents two years ago; hogs at \$17.80 a 100 pounds compared to \$30;

beef cattle at \$19.70 a 100 lbs. compared to \$27; wool, 51 cents a pound compared to 9 cents.

Some crops, like wheat, have not dropped so sharply in price. But production costs—fertilizer, machinery and others—have not dropped as much as prices received by farmers so farmers' net income has shrunk even on these crops.

What is "parity"?
Government economists have figured out a price on each commodity which they say will give the farmer a fair return on his crop in relation to his costs of production and living expenses. The "parity" price also is supposed to be fair to people who buy the crop.

As of last month, 17 out of 23 major crops were selling below their parity level.

What caused the farm price drop?
Three factors are generally blamed for the decline in farm prices: Record high production in recent years; a falling off in foreign demand, which leaves big surpluses on domestic markets; a general weakening in inflationary pressures since the Korean war.

Why hasn't the decline shown up at retail food counters?
A seven per cent rise in costs of marketing farm foods last year almost wiped out the 11 per cent decline in food prices the consumer might have expected. It takes big and sustained drops at the farm level for prices to change at retail level.

What about government price supports?
The Agriculture Department is now required by law to support six basic crops—wheat, corn, cotton, peanuts, rice and tobacco—at 90 per cent of their parity price. That mandatory high level requirement expires in 1954.

Price props on dairy products are set at 90 per cent of parity but they must be re-set by March 31 when current dairy year ends. Is Benson ignoring the support law?
No. On the contrary, he has repeatedly emphasized his intention of observing the "spirit and intent" of the price support law

until it expires at the end of next year.

Some farm state congressmen are concerned, immediately, because Benson has wide discretionary powers under the law to lower support prices on all but the six basic crops. He has resisted demands for a specific pledge that he will not do this.

More fundamentally, these lawmakers interpret Benson's public statements as a strong indication that he favors a different kind of farm law after 1954—one that would give him even broader discretion in setting low or high price supports as he feels necessary to discourage or encourage production of a particular crop.

Why would Benson want to lower supports?
Some farm experts contend that dropping support levels is a better way to discourage overproduction of a surplus crop than placing direct government controls—such as acreage allotments—on farmers planting.

What do Benson's opponents want?
A drive is already underway in Congress to extend the present farm law—with rigid high price supports on basic crops—through 1957. Many GOP farm state congressmen are convinced that flexible price supports are political poison.

Social and Personal

All items for this page received after 10 a. m. will be published the following day. Dial 3354-9 a. m. to Noon; 1 to 4:30 p. m.

Demolay Initiates 27 Greenville Youths

A total of 27 young Greenville boys Saturday night received the initiatory degree of the Order of Demolay in a ceremony preliminary to organizing a local chapter.

A degree team from Raleigh and officers of the chapter there met at the local Masonic Lodge at 7 o'clock and conferred the initiatory degree upon the 27 candidates for the order.

The ceremony was attended by fathers of the several candidates, and by numerous members of the Greenville Masonic Lodge. Greenville Lodge No. 284, A. F. and A. M. is sponsoring the local chapter of Demolay, but candidates are not required to have Masonic connections to become members.

Last Rites Held For Mrs. James B. Little

Mrs. Lula Fleming Little, 88, died at 9:15 Sunday morning in Greenville at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. E. Rawl. Mrs. Little has been falling in health for several years and has been critically ill for a week.

Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Rawl by the Rev. R. E. Hardaway, pastor of the Memorial Baptist Church in Greenville. Burial was in Cherry Hill Baptist Cemetery.

Mrs. Little was a native of Pitt County and was daughter of the late John B. and Emily Thigpen Fleming. In 1893 she was married to James B. Little of Pitt County and his death occurred in 1912. She has been a resident of Greenville since 1907.

Mrs. Little is survived by two daughters, Mrs. E. E. Rawl of Greenville, and Mrs. R. S. Atkinson of Kenly; two grandsons, E. E. Rawl, Jr. of Greenville, and R. S. Atkinson, Jr. of Rocky Mount; a granddaughter, Mrs. J. S. Joliff of Fayetteville; three great-grandchildren, a sister, Miss Maggie L. Fleming, and a brother, John B. Fleming, both of near Greenville.

Valentine Motif Used In Tournament

Members of the Pitt County Chapter of the East Carolina College Alumni Association sponsored a bridge and canasta tournament held Friday evening in the North Dining Hall at the college and attended by approximately a hundred players. The event was a benefit entertainment, the proceeds from which will increase scholarship funds at the college.

The dining hall was attractively decorated with red camellias, carrying out a color scheme suited to the Valentine season. Refreshments of ice cream with center decorations of red hearts and of cakes ornamented in red were served.

Prizes were awarded at the end of the games to the following in bridge games: Mrs. Charles Wilkerson, Charles Wilkerson, Miss Ruth White, and C. H. Mosey; in canasta games, Miss Eunice McGee, Mrs. Margaret Hux, C. W. Briscoe and Dr. James Stewart. Dr. Eva Williamson received as a door prize a three-tiered cake, and Miss Katie Tunstall was given a birthday prize. Others who won prizes during the evening were Mrs. Mildred Smith, Mrs. C. W. Briscoe, Miss Mary Thomas Smith, and Mrs. Susie Webb.

Fodie Hodges of Chicod chapter president; James W. Butler, alumni secretary at the college; Miss Ruth White, dean of women at the college; and other officers and members of the Pitt County organization welcomed guests and assisted with the entertainment of those present.

of heavy rain upstate and a 3 1-2 inch precipitation in the Greenville area.

Mrs. Barrett Reviews Plays

Mrs. W. D. Tucker entertained the Chatham Book Club Tuesday afternoon. The home was beautifully decorated for the occasion with arrangements of early spring flowers.

Following a short business session Mrs. Carl Adams, program chairman, presented Mrs. Agnes Barrett, who delighted her listeners with "Current Broadway Palys." She reviewed briefly the eight new showing which have had the longest run on Broadway, and two recent openings, "The Crucible" by Arthur Miller, a story of witchcraft in Salem in 1692, based on facts, which Mr.

Miller took from records of that day in Salem; and "The Time of the Cuckoo" starring Shirley Booth. My favorites, continued Mrs. Barrett, the two I would put first of those I have seen are "The King and I" and "South Pacific," with "The Time of the Cuckoo" third.

After this delightful program the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Will Moore, served a delicious salad course, carrying out the Valentine motif. Books were exchanged and the club adjourned.

Almost Inch Of Weekend Rain

Nearly an inch of rain fell in the Greenville area between Saturday

morning and Sunday night. Brisk winds accompanied the showers. Three and one-half inches of rain fell here during February and rain fell on 10 of the 16 days of the month. Mrs. Carl E. Maiden, local observer for the U. S. Weather Bureau, reported.

Highest temperature here Sunday was 72 degrees. Lowest last night 33 and at 8 a. m. yesterday the mercury registered 36 degrees.

Yesterday a year ago, the highest

temperature here was 44 degrees. Lowest that night 34, and at 8 a. m. next day it was 43.

Many scientists believe that the songs of most birds are the assertion of claims to certain territory for nesting.

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Social Calendar

MONDAY

6:00 p.m.—A.A.U.W. meeting at home of Mrs. Walter Krausnick, 701 E. 5th St.
6:30 p.m.—Rotary Club
7:00 p.m.—Lions Club
8:00 p.m.—Lodge No. 885, Loyal Order of Moose

TUESDAY

3:30 p.m.—The Sans Souci Book Club will meet with Mrs. W. L. Hall.
3:30 p.m.—Mrs. Vance Perkins will be hostess to the Inter Se Club.
6:30 p.m.—Greenville Chapter No. 149 O.E.S. will have a covered dish supper honoring all new members. Husbands and wives are invited.

WEDNESDAY

8:00 p.m.—Chapter 149 O.E.S. meets.
8:00 p.m.—Faculty Wives Club of East Carolina College will meet in the Training School cafeteria.
8:00 p.m.—St. Elizabeth's Chapter of the W. A. of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will meet.

THURSDAY

7:30 p.m.—The Girl Scouts' Leaders Club will meet with Mrs. J. K. Proctor, 601 East 5th Street.
8:00 p.m.—St. Raphael's P.T.A. meets at the school.
8:00 p.m.—Chapter 1308 of the Women of the Moose will meet.

FRIDAY

3:30 p.m.—The Greenville Garden Club meets at the club house.
6:30 p.m.—Kiwanis Club
6:30 p.m.—Exchange Club
7:30 p.m.—Red Men meet.

Card of Appreciation

I would like to thank the Missionary Baptist Church and Sunday School Class of Winterville for the visits, kind words, lovely flowers and nice cards given to my wife, Mrs. Alfred Ross of Winterville, during her stay in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

ALFRED ROSS

Engagement Broken

The engagement of Miss Betty Jean Hudson of Greenville, Rte. 2 to Bobby Gene Wadford of Greenville has been called off on mutual agreement.

P.T.A. Study Group

The third P.T.A. Study Group meeting will be held at West Greenville School Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. Dr. Walter C. Humbert, Pitt County health officer, will give a lecture on "Juvenile Delinquency."

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Warren of Ayden announce the birth of a daughter, Janet Maria, at General Memorial Hospital on January 29.

Mrs. Warren is the former Carrie Shirley of Hookerton.

Valentine Luncheon Given To Compliment Brides & Brides-Elect

Mrs. J. B. Kittrell and Miss Elizabeth Kittrell entertained a Valentine luncheon Saturday at one o'clock at their home on East Fifth Street as a compliment to Mrs. William Phillip Moore Jr., a recent bride, sharing honors with Mrs. Moore were Miss Adelaide Warren whose wedding will take place in early summer and Miss Janice Roberson of Bethel who will be married in April.

Other recent brides seated at the dining room table and sharing honors were Mesdames Conner Merritt, Tom Rowlett, William Bowen, Bancroft Moseley, Rieley Cox and David Willard III.

Covers were laid for ten at the bride's table which was centered with a large Valentine nosegay surrounded by ten miniature nosegays, which red satin ribbons and Valentine place cards were attached. After the guests found their places and pinned on their nosegays they presented a striking Valentine picture.

As remembrances of the occasion each was presented a white organdy apron sporting red heart-shaped pockets.

Seated throughout the house at smaller tables with similar center arrangements were 24 other close friends and relatives of the honorees.

A three course luncheon was served carrying out the Valentine motif.

Home Ec Department Entertains At Tea For Faculty and Staff

Faculty and staff members at East Carolina College and their husbands or wives were guests last Tuesday afternoon at a delightful tea, at which members of the Advanced Foods Class of the Home Economics Department of the college and their instructor Miss Alice Strawn of the faculty were hostesses.

The reception room of the Flanagan building were beautifully decorated for the social event. Camellias and flowering quince were used in attractive arrangements and made the scene of the tea a colorful one. The dining table from which refreshments were served was spread with a white lace cloth and had as its centerpiece a design of red camellias.

Greeting guests as they arrived at the tea were Alice Jackson, Emily Rivenbark, India Wright and Clara Mason. During the afternoon, Mary Lee Gillette, Margaret McArthur, Josie Ray Sessome, and Jean Mohr cupped tea. Goodbyes were said by Ramona Outlaw and Kathryn Richards. Others who received and entertained guests included Evelyn Davis, Delphia Rawls, Dorothy Rasland, Margaret Grant and Gwendolyn Williams, and Dr. Bessie McNeil, director of the college department of home economics.

Tar River Level Is Still Rising

Tar River in the Greenville area rising the past several days, was slightly above the nine-foot level yesterday.

The average depth of the stream here is from 3 1-2 to 4 1-2 feet. The river is still rising, but it is not expected to reach flood stage. Leland Mizell, observer for the U. S. Department of Commerce, reported. He said the high water is a result

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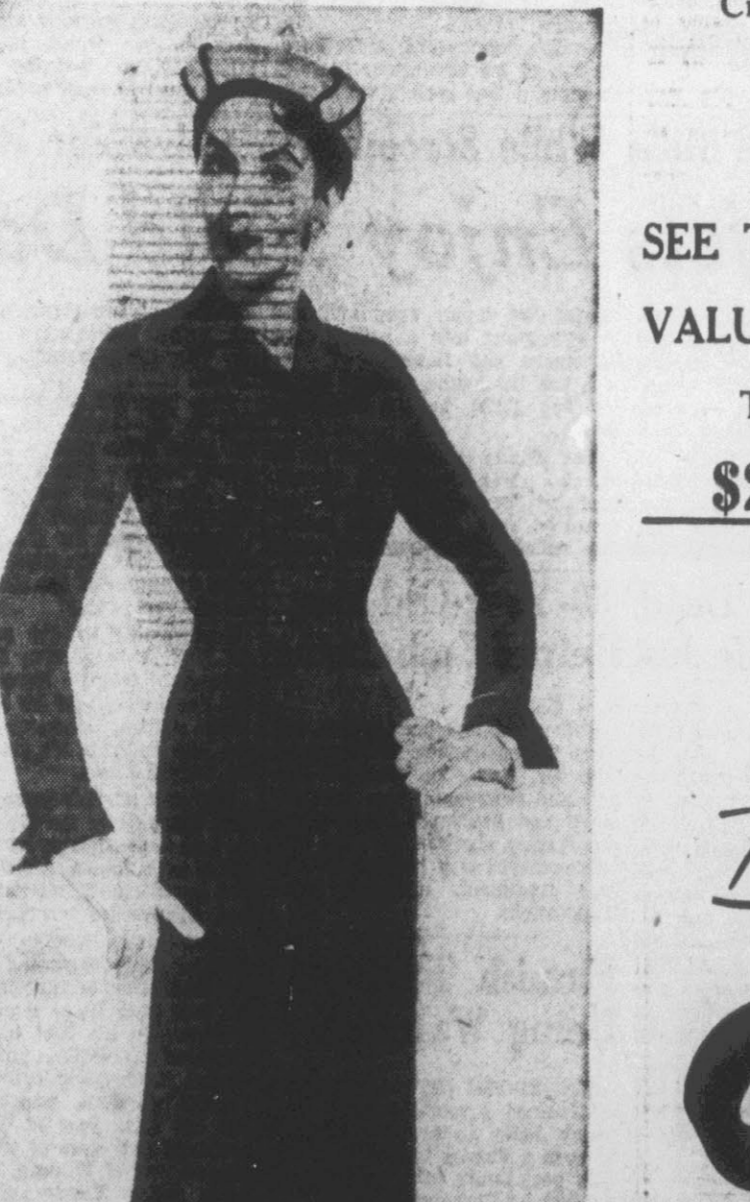
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opening for one of the most intense propaganda battles they have waged in the cold war.

When the President announced his decision, it was as if a signal had been given. Communist newspapers throughout the world denounced the move as an example of open brutality by what they termed the sham of American justice. They pictured American justice in much the same light as their own actually is.

Alive, the Rosenbergs would have been constant symbols of the influence of international politics can have in stopping American justice short of its consummation. Dead, the Rosenbergs will become martyrs of the communist factions. The communist leaders will see that their names live to inspire other fanatics to greater acts of treason against their fellow men.

That the death penalty imposed upon the Rosenbergs will deter other fanatics from crimes similar to those of the convicted couple is seriously doubted. That it is a supreme example that international politics can not be played with American justice can not be debated.

President Eisenhower's decision is truly a victory for the strength of men under the system of just and upright courts. At the same time it virtually assures another American defeat in the propaganda war with the communists.

Even so, The Reflector much prefers the loss of a propaganda battle rather than seeing the courts of the United States succumb to the pressure of an international situation.

National Whirligig

WASHINGTON—American taxpayers will suffer a needless loss of more than \$1,000,000 as a result of projects undertaken by the Navy and Interior Department during the Truman Administration in deliberate defiance of specific Congressional prohibition against their actions. The financial setback, however, is not so important as the two former Cabinet members' contempt of Congress.

It is not a Republican but a Democrat who has ruled that former Navy Secretary Daniel A. Kimball and former Interior Secretary Oscar Chapman used Federal funds illegally. He is Controller General Lindsay C. Warren, veteran member of Congress from North Carolina until appointed to his present post by F.D.R. Another high official involved is former Attorney General James P. McGrath.

Besides disallowing payments of money expended in these illegal operations, General Warren has asked the Navy for a full report on its violation of the law and his own rulings. The projects responsible for this hankover scandal are prosecution of a water rights suit in California and construction of a power transmission line on the Savannah River along the Georgia-South Carolina border.

WATER WANTED FOR MARINE BASE—The Navy's action threatened to deprive 16,000 users of access to water from the Santa Margarita River and other sources in the vicinity. Insisting that all the water in the basin and watershed was required for a Marine base at Camp Pendleton, Secretary Kimball's predecessor, Francis P. Matthews, began the suit against these small farmers, whose livelihood depends on access to irrigating water.

Navy personnel acted in high-handed manner. Marines in uniform served warrants and searched their homes. They rode up and down the area in military vehicles. Bypassing the U. S. District Attorney, the Navy conducted from a well-guarded office inside Camp Pendleton.

RESIDENTS' RIGHTS TO WATER—The residents have farmed in the region for many years, and their families for several generations. They contend that there is sufficient water for both their crops and the Marines, including an 18-hole golf course and officers' expansive lawns within the camp.

In the Appropriation Act for the Department of Justice, Senator Knowland obtained enactment of a proviso barring any use of the funds for prosecution of the water rights suit. When Navy asked Warren if this clause also prohibited the use of its own money in the case, Warren replied that it did. Then began the funny business.

William H. Veeder, who had been handling the case for the Justice Department, was transferred to the Navy payroll. He continued to supervise preparation of the legal action, using Marine planes and facilities on his numerous trips to California. Both the Navy and Justice Departments denied publicly that Veeder was on either payroll. He used both departments' facilities, however.

Under Warren's ruling, Veeder and his staff can collect only by suing the United States, and first they must obtain permission from Congress for the right to sue the Government.

CHAPMAN'S POWER LINE—Former Secretary Chapman's insistence on building a nationwide, Federal power system is responsible for his difficulty. He authorized construction of a 41-mile power line from the Government's Clark Hill generating plant to serve the Greenwood County Electric Power Commission, a preferred customer, at an outlay of \$1,163,000.

Chapman disregarded another Appropriation Act proviso that he must first try to buy power from two private companies and use their lines. He reported to Congress that he could not make a private deal. But both Warren and a Federal District Court have held that he made no sincere effort to negotiate or use existing lines. Warren has disallowed payment here, too.

And the line remains unfinished as another monument to attempted bureaucratic domination and defiance of Congress.

Selected Shorts

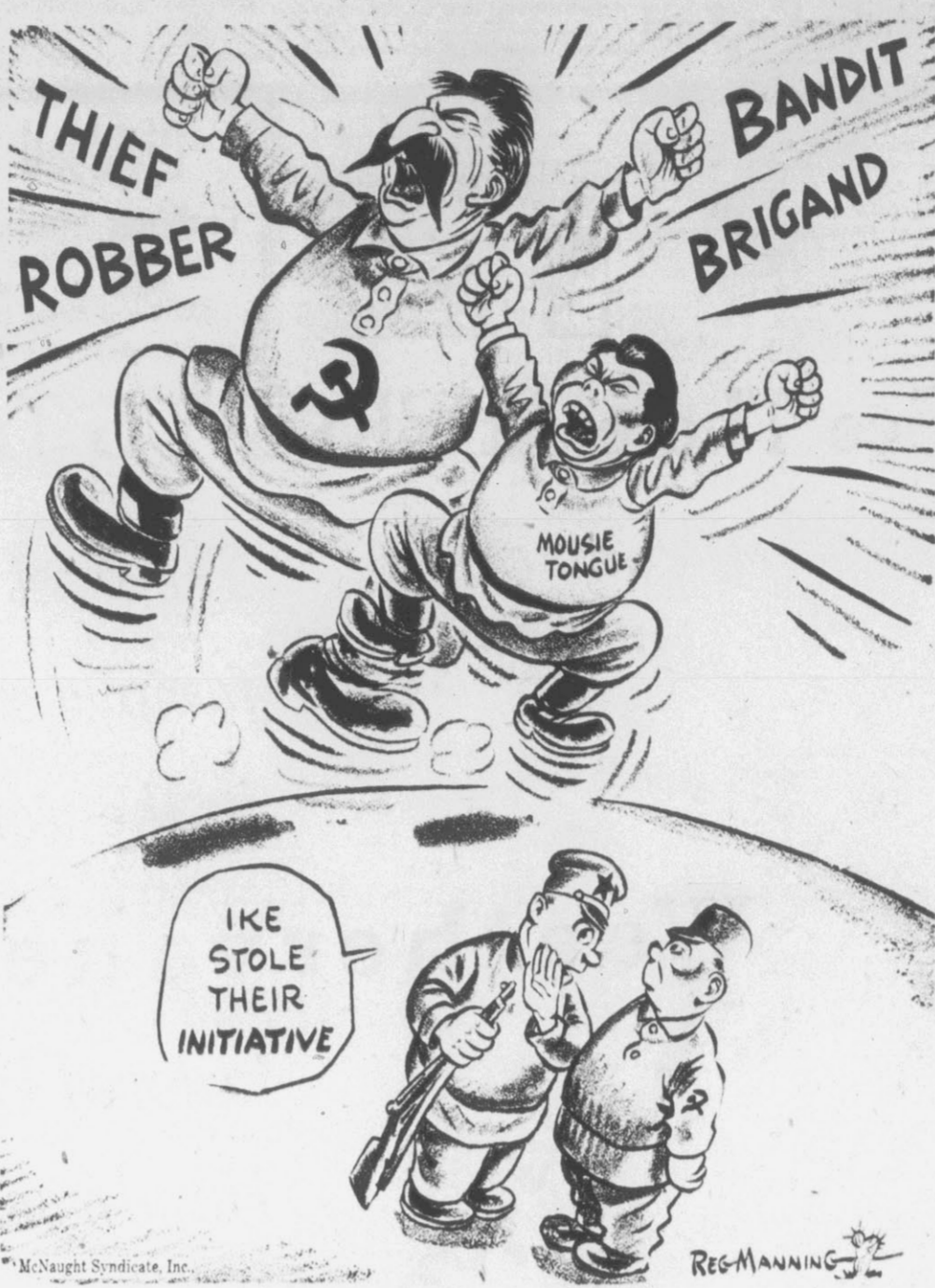
The extent to which State travel expenses, automobile maintenance, and printing can run into large sums of money is strikingly pointed out in the current issue of "North Carolina Facts," the new publication of the North Carolina Research Institute, Raleigh.

Total expenditures for these three items during fiscal 1951-52, according to the publication, released today, exceeded the total appropriations for all purposes, for the same period, for the legislative branch of the State, the judiciary, and the combined offices of the Governor and the members of his Council of State. The figures apply only to General Fund agencies and do not include State Highway activities. The figures also do not include travel expenses of per diem board members and commissioners of various agencies.

The publication points out that total expenditures for travel, motor vehicle maintenance, and printing in General Fund agencies during the year totaled \$3,035,000. During the same period total appropriations for all purposes for the General Assembly, the entire judiciary of the state, and the offices of the Governor, Attorney General, Secretary of State, Treasurer, State Auditor, Secretary of Agriculture, Secretary of Labor, Insurance Commissioner, and Superintendent of Public Instruction totaled \$3,017,000.

In making its analysis of the sums involved, which are based on reports of the Advisory Budget Commission, "North Carolina Facts" points out that the figures are published as a matter of public interest and without any inference that the amounts are too much or too little.

Seeing Red



Around Capitol Square

By LYNN NISBET
EMERGENCY—Governor William Umstead does not think that the need for a 10 per cent salary bonus for State employees for the current fiscal year, including the six months of the calendar year 1952, constitutes an "emergency" within the meaning of the executive budget act. He feels strongly enough about it to make a statement on that point the occasion for his first formal official message to the General Assembly since his inaugural address. A letter from the Governor was read in both branches of the Legislature effectively opposing the idea of a special supplemental appropriation bill for retroactive additions to salaries. The letter cites the law which prohibits the Governor recommending or the General Assembly enacting such legislation except in situations that can be classed as "emergencies."

CHANNELS—During his campaign and in his inaugural address, the Governor recommended the pay increase to be made retroactive to last July 1. The official report of the advisory budget commission included that item along with more than \$600 million for other State purposes. The Governor's letter is in effect nothing more nor less than insistence that the item be handled through regular legal channels, just like the other recommendations—including establishment of a permanent cash working fund of some \$17 million. There is no intimation that Governor Umstead has changed his mind about paying the bonus.

RECIPROCALITY—The learned lawyers who compose Senate Judiciary 2 committee discovered that reciprocity works on both sides of the State. Senator Henry Smith had a bill requiring that employment agents from other States, other than governmental employment security folks, must obtain license from the State and the county for each county in which they solicit laborers. Smith explained that the law was devised by counties bordering on South Carolina, which State has a similar but stricter law, in order to prevent pirating of farm labor. The committee was about ready to go along with the idea, until Senator Pilson Godwin of Gates spoke his little piece. His district borders Virginia to about the same extent as Smith's borders South Carolina. So far as he has heard Tarheels and Cavaliers pay little attention to the line in seeking jobs or workers, and they get along fine together.

Senator Calvin Edney of Madison reported comparable conditions in his area which borders Tennessee. Smith had expressed the hope that enactment of the law might induce South Carolina to repeal the statute in that State. Godwin and Edney wondered if it might also induce Virginia and Tennessee to enact similar laws to the detriment of existing cordial relations in their communities. So action on the bill was deferred to work out conflicting interests.

BORDER—Every once in a while something happens to remind members of the General Assembly as well as other citizens and 41 counties in North Carolina border other States, with two of them adjoining two States. Beginning at the southeastern corner on the Atlantic Ocean and moving westward, northward and eastward by the Atlantic it is found that Brunswick, Columbus, Robeson, Scotland, Richmond, Anson, Union, Mecklenburg, Gaston, Cleveland, Rutherford, Polk, Henderson, Transylvania and Jackson touch South Carolina. Jackson may run a few yards to touch Georgia along with Macon, Clay and Cherokee. Cherokee also borders Great Smoky Mountains National Park, Haywood, Madison, Yancey, Mitchell, Avery, Watauga and Ashe.

VIRGINIA—Ashe, also borders Virginia and moving eastward there are Alleghany, Surry, Stokes, Rockingham, Caswell, Perrow, Granville, Vance, Warren.

FRAGHT WITH PERIL (Washington Daily News)
It is beginning to look as if the General Assembly is all stirred up over the question of school consolidations in North Carolina.

Whether or not legislation designed to curb consolidations will be passed or not, we do not know. Bills with that objective in mind have been prepared, we are told, and at least one bill has been introduced. The legislature is about to appoint a committee to study methods of protecting smaller schools in this consolidation fight.

The real fight stems from the efforts of residents of Bertie county to save Mars Hill and Merry Hill schools in that county. And then other legislators are joining in the fight, and now it looks as if the matter will become statewide in scope.

Without going into the pros and cons of the consolidation, all of us admit that no community wants to lose its school. Regardless of whether that community has a daily enrollment of 25, 50, or 100, the people of the community want the school to remain intact.

An amendment has been presented to the legislature which is fraught with peril. This amendment, if we understand it correctly, provides that whenever and whenever a school consolidation controversy arises, that a special impartial and disinterested group from the county where the controversy arises shall be appointed by the resident judge of the judicial district to study the matter and make appropriate recommendations.

Such an amendment, we feel, is charged with dynamite. We see a great deal of peril in it. It is not that any special committee would be dishonest and false. We know that the resident judges would do their best to get the best committees possible.

But it is possible to get an impartial and disinterested committee from any county where such a

controversy arises? We doubt it. And the amendment says that the special committee shall come from the Boards of Education and the county commissioners.

Such an amendment would be placing these men on the spot, and it would not be fair to them to place them in such a position. Probably the man who introduced the amendment doesn't realize the intense feeling prevalent all over a county when a consolidation issue arises. And in most cases the Boards of education have already gone on record one way or the other before consolidation is determined.

We'd dislike to see such an amendment passed. We just don't believe there is a situation possible where our educational and political leaders can be "disinterested" in cases of consolidation. And we firmly believe that instead of settling the issue or solving it, that the feeling and ill will will be intensified under such an amendment. And that will tend to make matters worse instead of better.

The proposed amendment, we believe, is a dangerous one. It is fraught with peril, ill conceived, and dangerous repercussions will likely result if it is accepted.

A MOST VICIOUS RACKET (Kinston Free Press)
One of the most vicious rackets in this country is the so-called "speed trap."

Motorists from out of the state in which these traps happen to be are stopped under all sorts of pretenses, charged with exceeding speed limits and given an opportunity to plead guilty and pay about half or a little more than would be required as a alleged bond if they want to take the time to fight the case.

In a recent article under the caption "Dirty Work At The Cross Roads" appearing in The New York Times, North Carolina, Virginia and Georgia come in for some very bad publicity. According to this article: "The Three-A's blues bulge with complaints of

alleged courts. In North Carolina those who are most familiar with proper traffic regulations, believe that the plan to identify definitely the highway patrol is a far better one than to permit speed traps.

It appears, however, from The New York Times article that in spite of the recognized patrol system, there are many traps and the State comes in for a lot of harsh, but probably justified criticism.

The Free Press believes it would be in order for the Legislature to take cognizance of this situation and take vigorous steps to put a stop to the speed trap racket.

In fact all states in the Union would do well to do so. Real speeders, reckless and drunken drivers should be stopped and handled in such fashion that they will not find it so easy to repeat. The average driver, however, who is driving along at a moderate rate, even though a mile or two above the supposed speed limit for a particular section, should be protected. We believe it is possible to do so.

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The article goes on to give specific cases where Florida bound motorists have been stopped on U. S. Highway 301 and given the option of putting up a \$50 bond for an alleged violation of speed limit, or pleading guilty and paying \$27.35 or such matter for fine and costs.

The arrests in these cases are not as a rule, if ever, made by visible patrols or law enforcement officers. On the contrary the accused are victims, so to speak, of disguised constables or traffic officers who allegedly are working hand in hand with justices of the peace. The fees are liberal for both the arresting officers and the

Business Today

By ELMER OESSNER
In this era of greater social consciousness on the part of business, the problem what to do about employees reaching retirement age is getting added attention.

More employers are realizing that simply turning a man out to the Social Security and pension fund pastures is often heartless. Sometimes it is little short of signing a death warrant. A man without interests in life often deteriorates rapidly in health.

There is a selfish side to the problem, too. Complete retirement of old employees is often cutting off valuable, irreplaceable experience.

Many corporations have now established psychological retirement programs, parallel to the financial programs. These psychological programs begin several years before the retirement. Advisors try to get employees to develop new interests and then to develop programs for their own retirement.

Workers are encouraged to become interested in hobbies and to join organizations; organizations are urged to recruit members from employees approaching retirement age. It is pointed out that a man retiring still has many hours of work left in him and that devoting ten or twenty hours a week to an organization may not only be helpful to its purpose but may also keep the man young for many years.

In Rochester, N.Y., this idea is being used on a community wide basis. Retired businessmen are invited to join the Chamber of Commerce's Senior Consultant Council and members of the Council help new businesses by giving them the advantage of their experience.

Another tack on the same course is now being used, largely experimentally, by some corporations. This consists of making retired employees advisors of the company itself. They come to the plant or office one or two days a week, make suggestions and discuss problems. Sometimes they share in the training of new employees. Thus the firm still gains the advantage of the best of their experience. The modest fees paid, meeting old friends, and having a sense of belonging is often better than any tonic a doctor can prescribe.

HOME-FURNISHING STORES MAKE LARGER GAINS
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Strength for the Day

LOOK OUTWARD
An alarming number of people are suffering from mental illness, today. Despite energetic building programs, state asylums are overcrowded. Private institutions are thriving—if that is the right word. Some psychiatrists, especially in the larger cities, can scarcely find time for all the patients who wish to lie on their couches and pour out their woes.

What is wrong with all these people? Few have any reasonable cause for fear. Still fewer are suffering from serious nervousness. Poverty is not the upsetting factor, for some mental patients spend hundreds of dollars per month on psychiatric treatments.

But there is one very common element: most mental patients are highly self-centered. People having "nervous breakdowns" or suffering from more severe mental disorders are very likely to be those who have devoted their lives to serving themselves. They frequently have few or no unselfish interests, and are rarely deeply attached to others.

Men who love and believe in something outside themselves can generally manage to keep going, no matter what their troubles and difficulties. Men who worship themselves sooner or later find that they are serving a false god, and suffer the consequences. And the same holds true for women.

"Whoever will save his life shall lose it; but whoever will lose his life for my sake, the same shall save it."

For A Better Greenville In The Future

There has been some question raised — and rightly so — concerning proposed legislation which would give the city of Greenville jurisdiction over the development of property within an area one mile beyond the corporate limits of the city.

Without a special law created by the General Assembly, Greenville's jurisdiction over use of property is confined to the corporate limits of the city. What the bill proposes is that city officials have authority to extend the building and property usage code which applies within the corporate limits to property within one mile outside the city limits.

The purpose of the bill is to insure that development of property which will likely come into the city be done according to the code that applies to property developed within the corporate limits of the city. By such a measure practically all territory taken into the corporate limits of the city in the future would be developed in accordance with the city code.

If the proposed legislation becomes law — and The Reflector believes it should — Greenville will not be faced in the future with the problem of taking into the city developed or partially developed property which is not in keeping with the code that applies to sections within the city.

We can not see how it will work any sort of hardship upon individuals who own or develop property within the one-mile radius outside Greenville's corporate limits.

The bill proposes another step in far-sighted city planning which Greenville needs if it is to profit by the mistakes made in the development of the city in the past.

The Price Of Justice Remains High

Julius and Ethel Rosenberg must die for their crime of giving American atomic secrets to the Russians.

President Eisenhower denied their plea for clemency.

The President's decision was right. The Rosenbergs were given a fair trial under the system of true justice. They were found guilty by their fellow citizens of betraying the whole nation, and their sentence was imposed by the court.

There are few people in the nation other than the communists and their fellow travelers who feel that under justice the lives of the two traitors should have been spared by the President.

President Eisenhower elected to uphold justice rather than abrogating it for political expediency in the game of international politics.

From the standpoint of justice, Mr. Eisenhower followed the only road which was open to him. From the standpoint of wisdom in the game of international politics and the cold war of propaganda, the President's decision gives the communists an

Hal Boyle's Column

By HAL BOYLE
NEW YORK (AP)—Britain soon will formally open amid pomp and pageantry her second Queen Elizabeth.

And my, how times have changed since the first Queen Elizabeth took the throne nearly 400 years ago.

Historians often write nostalgically about "the spacious days of Good Queen Bess." But the housewife of today would regard the lot of the average woman then as a living nightmare.

There not only were no radio or video soap operas to break the boredom of household chores. Soap itself was beyond the reach of all but the rich.

The Fuller Brush salesman would enjoy none of his present prosperity. He'd have starved. Shirts used cloth to clean their teeth, and the bathtub was un-known. In fact one great lady who formed the habit of taking a bath once a month regularly was regarded as a bit eccentric.

Famous beauties of the 16th century enhanced their charms by coating their teeth with a substance now used to paint houses white lead.

A wife had to be an all-round odd job handyman. In a treatise called "Delights for Ladies," Sir Hugh Plat listed a few things a good homemaker should be able to do: "Brew ale, milk cows, make these, mold candles, spin, weave, sew and bake; also pluck geese for feather beds and put in and take care of both a vegetable garden and a herb garden."

When these little duties were done, the wife could spend the rest of the time meditating how lucky she was to be married. There was a law that single women could be arrested for the crime of being old maids.

Today a stenographer can dress about as well as a society debutante. There was no such nonsense under Good Queen Bess. She herself didn't have a pair of silk stockings until she was 28 years old. They were black net. But to wear these "silken nether-socks" legally you had to have the equivalent of an income of about \$12,000 to \$15,000. Lusheries such as silk stockings were regarded as filthy too good for the common people. So were a lot of other things.

In 1656 Good Old Queen Bess proclaimed a so-called "sumptuary law" sternly designed to keep people in their proper places by regulating their dress and appearance.

Only a countess could wear saddles. The wearing of lappets, velvet, embroidery, leopard fur, or gold and silver ornaments was prohibited to persons of low income.

It was a tough time, too, for ladies who shoplifted finery they couldn't afford. You could be put to death merely for stealing a handkerchief.

Many a present-day husband with a free-spending wife might think it would be wise to revive this old law. Save him money. But he would find it applied to him also.

Dear Old Queen Bess was equally hard on lower class male peacocks. It was high style then for

Washington Letter

By JANE EADS

WASHINGTON—Instead of sitting at home to receive, or attending tea parties, Mrs. Howard W. Ream found a more practical way to promote good will during her husband's assignment in Thailand.

While her husband, a Mutual Security Agency field crop specialist, worked and traveled with Thai agricultural officers, Mrs. Ream was on a full-time job of teaching home economics. A graduate of the University of Wisconsin, where she majored in that subject, she was first asked by staff members of the Kasetsart University at Bangkok, and some Americans, for help in food preservation.

"This was so successful, that they then asked me to help set up a home economics division in the college to train teachers," she told me on her return to Washington, where her husband has resumed his duties at the Department of Agriculture.

On an entirely volunteer basis, Mrs. Ream set up classes, one semester in food preservation and later one-year courses in nutrition and food preparation. No class was under 25 in number, but they were made up mostly of boys. Only 1 girl was attending the college when she began the classes.

"We had no physical set-up to begin with," Mrs. Ream recalled. "We didn't even have glass jars or cans in which to preserve food, but later we were able to buy some. We cut our rubber jar rings out of old inner tubes. Now they're working on the production of some glazed poultry jars which are much 'as expensive'."

Mrs. Ream wrote notes and lectured in English (she also taught an English class), and Miss Chuan Chom, a professor in organic chemistry, who has taken over as head of the home economics division, interpreted. The Reams, who are from Milwaukee, went to Thailand in June, 1951. Ream, with the Department of Agriculture 18 years, now speaks Thai fluently. His daughter Lois, 19, now a home economics student at the University of Maryland, Mrs. Ream also does very well with the language. The boys, Robert, 16, and David, 13, who went to the Woodstock American school in India, mastered Hindi as well.

"Back here Lois and I gamble on and on in Siamese," Mrs. Ream said. "Lois wants one day to go back to Thailand, to teach. I never wanted to do it. There was so much yet to do. I would like to finish the job I started."

Sunfighter's Return

by Leslie Ernenwein

Mounting the roan, Rimbaud rode across the ridge and gave Maiben's place a casual appraisal. The long, dirt-roofed log cabin was flanked by a wagon shed and two corrals. Except for three tamarisk trees that shaded it on the west, the yard was free of growth and thus furnished fair protection against a sneak attack. A Flyswarmered quarter of beef hung on the wagon shed, two shrunk-up cowhides draped the corral fence, and tin cans littered one side of the yard.

"Did they bother you?" Maiben shook his head. "But I didn't sleep, regardless. Not a wink." He led his horse over to the corral, unsaddled, and forked it on a feed of hay. When he came into the kitchen he said wearily, "This dodging ain't no fun, for a fact." "Even with a pretty girl to keep you company?" Rimbaud asked slyly. Maiben didn't like that and showed it in the quick way he said, "Della didn't stay long." He wat-

ched Rimbaud pour coffee, adding, "She's a trifle on the frisky side, but it don't mean a thing." Rimbaud grinned. "It might mean something to Lew Stromberg if he caught her," he suggested. "I tried to tell her that. She says her old man thinks more of cattle than he does of people." "Shouldn't wonder," Rimbaud reflected. Maiben sat down and blew steam from his coffee. Then, as the two roans started a commotion in the corral, he jumped up tipping over his chair and clawing for his gun. "Just our ponies trying each other out for size," Rimbaud said. Seeing the tension oozing from Maiben's haggard face, he added, "You're spooked as a bunch-quitter bronc." "It's the listening," Maiben said. "The listening. I listen all the time."

He reached behind some staples on a bottom shelf and brought out a gallon jug. He pulled the cork, tilted the jug expertly, and took a long drink. "Snake-bite medicine," he said. "Want a swig?" Rimbaud grimaced. The thought of whisky before breakfast was hugely distasteful to him. "Don't like the stuff that well," he said, like the stuff that well. Maiben took another drink before putting the jug away in its hiding place. "I'm supposed to be a teetotaler," he admitted with a sly wink. "A fellow who never takes a drink—not even a glass of beer. Drinks would sure be surprised to know I keep a jug in the house. But there's times when a man needs a drink real bad. Like now." He sat down and loosed a gusty sigh and began eating. But his bloodshot eyes didn't relax. To be continued.

Corn Acreage In County Nearly Double Tobacco

Four crops accounted for the use of more than 129,000 acres of Pitt County farm land during 1952. Figures revealed today by the County Agent's office shows that the largest number of acres devoted to any one crop was that of corn. A total of 78,000 acres of corn was planted in the past year. From that acreage an estimated 2,000,000 bushels of corn was harvested by county farmers. It is also estimated that that amount nearly 50 per cent of the corn was sold within three or four days after harvest. The remainder was stored for later use on the farm or to be sold when prices reached their peak. Next in line for the number of acres used for any one crop was tobacco. There were 39,871 acres of tobacco planted in the county during last year's season. With the eight per cent cut ordered in tobacco quotas, the acreage will drop to 36,681 in 1953, the County PMA office revealed. Running a close race for the number of acres used were cotton and peanuts. Acreage devoted for

EARLIER TO WORK WASHINGTON, UP)—An electric gadget that counts cars flowing into Washington showed today that government employes have been getting to work exactly 21 minutes earlier since President Eisenhower issued his get-to-work-on-time order.

CAROLINA GRILL Good Food Reasonable Prices 24-Hour Service

Sixty-Three Pupils From Eight Schools In Speech Tournament

By ROY HARDEE Reflector Staff Writer

A total of 63 High School students from eight North Carolina schools took part in the annual speech tournament sponsored here Saturday by the Greenville Lions Club. The one-day speech tourney was broken down into three divisions with five prize-winners in each class. Divisions opened to the students were, (1) beginners; (2) experienced; and (3) declamation. Schools sending students to take part in the contest were Ayden, Burlington, Kinston, Raleigh, (Nedham Broughton), Roxboro, Stokes, Walsenburg, and Greenville, Raleigh, Stokes, and Burlington participated for the first time this year.

Greenville speechmakers took one third and one fourth place ranking. Ayden placed two fourth place winners and one fifth entry. In the beginner's division there were 24 entries; with 20 in the experienced oratory section; and 19 in the declamation division. All together, the total number of speeches made by the students for the three rounds of speaking Saturday and the Friday night practice session, was 251. R. P. Searling, director of the annual event reported today. Startling stated that he was "Well pleased with the number of entries in the speech tourney and the annual event is steadily growing each year."

Lunches was served at the North Dining Hall on the campus of East Carolina College, with Bobby Langston, president of the Greenville NFL, presiding. Rich Stone, of Raleigh, presented a story entitled "Uncle Remus Story" which was well received by the group. Starting then present NFL membership certificate to Henrietta Swayne, Degree of Honor seal to Jimmy Phelps and the Degree of excellence seal to Bobby Langston. After the conclusion of the afternoon round of speaking, awards were presented to the winners by Henry Swayne, vice-president of the Greenville Lions Club, sponsors of the annual tourney. Winners and their divisions are as follows: Beginner: First: Norman Bowen, Roxboro; Second: Larry Williams, Burlington; Third: Harriet Herring, Kinston; Fourth: Margaret Beattie, Raleigh; Fifth: Barbara Griffin, Ayden. Declamation: First: Margaret Paris, Raleigh; Second: Robbin Weaver, Roxboro; Third: Ruth Evelyn Topping, Greenville; Fourth: Diamie Mosley, Ayden; Fifth: Peggy Sanders, Kinston.

Roxboro students walked away with two first place awards, and one second place winner; while a Raleigh student cropped the other first place opening.

National French Contest Scheduled For April 15

Announcement that the National French Contest, in which North Carolina high school students participate annually, will be held this year on April 15 has been made by Mrs. Marguerite A. Perry of East Carolina College, chairman of the contest in this state. The competition is sponsored by the American Association of Teachers of French.

Honorable Mention: Millie Tripp, Ayden; Barry Black, Burlington; Buddy Gentry, Betty Brown, Harriet Carver, Jimmy Green; Bruce Crumpton, Buddy Hall and Jackie Sturm, all of Roxboro; Joyce Gilbert, June Bullock, Shelton Whitehurst, Nina L. Perkins of Stokes; Janice Eason of Walsenburg, and Jimmy Phelps and Jack Clifford of Greenville. Pitt County students taking part in the tournament were: Jean Briley, June Bullock, Shelton Whitehurst, Bonnie Wynn, Joyce Heath, Carol White, Janet Eakes, Nine L. Perkins and LeVerne Joyner all of Stokes High School; Sheila Cannon, Willie Tripp, Gwen McLachorn, Geraldine Jolly, Diamie Mosley, Barbara Griffin, Wilbur Jackson and Steve Parish of Ayden; Jimmy Phelps, Ruth E. Topping, Ginger Worthington, Bob Langston, Henrietta Swayne, and Shirley Holland of Greenville.

Last year forty-three schools throughout North Carolina participated in the annual contest, according to Mrs. Perry; and 1046 students took examinations in four categories planned for students of various degrees of advancement in the study of French. It is hoped that this record will be topped by this year's entrants.

Invitations to participate in the 1953 contest were issued early this week by Mrs. Perry to secondary schools throughout North Carolina. Tests will be given on five levels of advancement. Those who wish to participate have been asked to notify Mrs. Perry as soon as possible and to place orders for tests by Monday, March 2.

All students of French in public, private, and parochial secondary schools are eligible. Mrs. Perry states. The purpose of the national contest, she explains, is to encourage interest in French and to recognize excellence in scholarship among students of the language. "Although participation automatically places the student in a national competition," says Mrs.

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Lafayette Miller Slated To Die On Next Friday

RALEIGH AP)—Lafayette Miller, 21-year-old Negro convicted of murdering a Beaufort County farmer, is scheduled to die in Central Prison's gas chamber next Friday. In January, 1952 Miller was convicted of shooting Harvey Boyd, young Chocowinity white man. On the preceding Thanksgiving Eve two highway patrolmen stopped a car Miller was driving for routine investigation. They found Boyd's wife, shivering in her night gown, in the car's trunk. She testified at Miller's trial that Miller kidnapped her after slaying her husband. Gov. Umstead could still intercede in Miller's behalf. The State Supreme Court twice has declined to set aside the death verdict.

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- 30. Hard-shelled fruit 32. Line 33. Coincides 35. Scold 37. Lawless crowd 38. Rodent 40. Governor 41. Mince oath 43. Abyss 45. Negative 47. Constituent 51. Silkworm 53. Rave 55. Region 56. Fragment 57. "---- upon a time" 58. Unit of weight 59. Lad 60. Row

- 61. Ancient Italian family DOWN 5. Fun 6. Tip over 7. Southern constellation 8. Dale 9. Relating to rural life 10. Epoch 11. Degraded 19. Show to a seat 21. Word of choice 23. Chafe 25. Speck of dust 26. Pitcher 27. Halt 28. Excited 29. Politeness 31. Laconic 34. Pouch 36. Ransack 39. From there 42. Perform Change 46. Jog 48. Sins 49. Orderly 50. Domesticated 51. Flow back 52. River; Spanish 54. Keel-billed cuckoo

Folks agree... Coke is delicious with lunch

Pitt County Conference Tournament Begins Tonight

Winterville, Bethel Top County Standings

It's all over but the shouting in Pitt County Conference basketball leagues, and the shouting begins tonight in Farmville when Pitt County teams once again square off in tournament competition for championship laurels.

The tournament will be held in Farmville Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, then after a day of rest Thursday, semi-finals and finals will be played in East Carolina College's new Memorial gym on Friday and Saturday nights.

Last Saturday morning, coaches of the teams met in Greenville and arranged the pairings as follows.

IN FARMVILLE GYM
Monday, Feb. 16

Girls—Belvoir vs. Ayden, 7:30 p.m.
Boys—Chicod vs. Belvoir, 8:45 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 17

Girls—Bethel vs. Grimesland, 6:00 p.m.
Boys—Grifton vs. Grimesland, 7:15 p.m.
6 Girls—Stokes vs. Grifton, 8:30 p.m.
Boys—Ayden vs. Farmville, 9:45 p.m.

Wednesday, Feb. 18

Girls—Winterville vs. Chicod, 6:00 p.m.
Boys—Bethel vs. Stokes, 7:15 p.m.

Girls—Farmville vs. Winner of Belvoir-Ayden game, 8:30 p.m.
Boys—Winterville vs. Winner of Chicod-Belvoir game, 9:45 p.m.

IN MEMORIAL GYM (GREENVILLE)
Semi-Finals, Friday, Feb. 20

Girls—Winner of Bethel-Grimesland vs. Winner of Winterville-Chicod, 6:00 p.m.
Boys—Winner of Bethel-Stokes vs. Winner of Grimesland-Grifton, 7:15 p.m.

Girls—Winner of Stokes-Grifton vs. Winner of Farmville-Belvoir, 8:30 p.m.
Boys—Winner of Ayden-Farmville vs. Winner of Winterville-Chicod-Belvoir, 9:45 p.m.

Finals, Saturday, Feb. 21

Girls semi-final winners, 7:30 p.m.
Boys semi-final winners, 8:45 p.m.

Winterville and Bethel, defending champions of last year, both

won regular season crowns this year and rank favorites to retain their championship status.

Competition among top four teams in each division has been fierce this season and anyone of the leaders may hit a hot streak and walk off with the crown.

Bethel boys got off to a shaky start in early season dropping games to Ayden and Winterville but recovered and went undefeated in the second session to top conference standings for the third consecutive year.

Winterville's championship team ran roughshod over most county foes but ran afoul Stokes aspiring eagles to suffer a defeat and were tied by the Bethel lassies.

Coaches of teams are looking forward to what they feel will be one of the best tournaments of all.

Coach Walter Latham of Bethel: "This tournament should really produce some fireworks. The pairings pit the best against each other."

Coach Albert Tyson of Grifton: "Practically every team has one or more players who can really pour in the points. It should be an exciting tournament."

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GIRLS DIVISION				
Team	W	L	T	Pct.
Winterville	14	1	1	.933
Stokes	11	3	0	.786
Bethel	9	5	2	.614
Farmville	5	3	3	.600
Chicod	8	6	1	.570
Grifton	6	7	1	.462
Grimesland	5	9	3	.357
Belvoir	2	14	1	.122
Ayden	0	13	0	.000

BOYS DIVISION				
Team	W	L	T	Pct.
Bethel	14	2	875	
Ayden	11	2	846	
Grifton	10	4	714	
Winterville	11	5	688	
Stokes	8	6	572	
Farmville	3	8	273	
Grimesland	3	11	214	
Chicod	3	12	200	
Belvoir	1	13	071	

BOXING CARBIE LEWISTON Me. (UP)—A promising young welterweight boxer Faul Griffin, hasn't allowed some ring success to go to his head. He banks all his purses and lives on what he earns as a taxicab driver.

Ted Slides Home Safely In Raid On Korean Front

AT A U. N. ADVANCE AIR BASE, Korea (UP)—Capt. Ted Williams, former Boston Red Sox outfielder, on his first combat mission in Korea, crash-landed his flaming jet plane today at this advance air base.

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Ayden Wins Two Coastal Games

AYDEN—The Ayden Tornados romped to a pair of easy Coastal Conference conquests over South Edgecombe teams here Friday night in the regular season's finale.

The Ayden girls, a crew which has had its troubles frequently this year, had absolutely no trouble at all in scoring a 58-44 win in the first half of the doubleheader with South Edgecombe while the Tornados boys romped to a 76-30 win in the second game.

Betty Jean Padley's 28 points were high for the night in the girls game but they were barely ahead of Winterville's 26. Jones led the scoring for South Edgecombe with 19.

In the boys game, a double barreled attack of Randall Harrington and Mac Whitehurst spring-boarded Ayden off to a tremendous lead in their game. Harrington took high-scoring honors with 18 points while Whitehurst was right behind with 17. Fulton led the South Edgecombe scoring with 16.

Ayden led 26-3 at the end of the first quarter and 37-11 at the half.

The boxes:

Girls Game		Boys Game	
Pos. S. Edgecombe	44	Ayden	58
F—Powell	16	Stokes	24
F—Webb	6	Padley	28
F—Jones	19	McLawhorn	5
G—R. Corbett	Stokes		
G—M. Corbett	M. Wooten		
G—Gay	Martin		

Score by quarters:	
South Edgecombe	8 11 11 14—44
Ayden	16 12 16 14—58

Subs:	
South Edgecombe	Cum-

E. Carolina Frosh Score Win Over Jacksonville

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Scoring honors for the night went to Tommy Warren of the Jacksonville cagers. The dead-eye guard hit 13 set shots, tossed in two free throws, and added a lay-up shot for good measure to wind up with a total of 30 points for the night. His closest rival for the scoring laurels was Walter Stanfield of the baby Bucs. Stanfield, a former Selma high school star, tallied 18 points. Bill Hutchinson of the Frosh dropped in 17 and Gary Scarboro and Eugene Rose added 14 apiece.

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Wilmington's Class AAA Wildcats will stand in as the next opponent for the baby Bucs. The Wildcats and the Frosh will tangle at 6:30 Wednesday night in a preliminary to the East Carolina-High Point game.

The box:

Jacksonville (60)		E. Carolina (71)	
Simpson, f	5 0 0 8	Stanfield, f	8 2 2 18
Carson	5 0 0 8	Rose, f	5 4 1 14
Blake, c	1 5 4 7	Pope, f	1 0 1 2
Toler, c	0 1 0 1	Hutchinson, c	8 1 3 17
Warren, g	14 2 0 30	Biggs, c	1 0 1 2
Glover, g	2 0 3 4	Scarboro, g	6 2 1 14
		Thigpen, g	2 0 3 4

Totals	
Jacksonville	26 8 11 60
Freshmen (71)	fg ft pf tp
Stanfield, f	8 2 2 18
Rose, f	5 4 1 14
Pope, f	1 0 1 2
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Totals	
Jacksonville	11 19 13 60
Freshmen	16 15 20 71

Free throws missed: Simpson 2, Toler 1, Blake 2, Warren 1, Glover 5, Hutchinson 3, Stanfield 3, Scarboro 2, Biggs 2.

Recreational Basketball STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T
Wildcats	9	3	
Tigers	6	5	1
Angels	6	6	
Wolverines	2	9	1

Redskins		Wolves	
Redskins	8	2	
Red Devils	7	4	
Giants	7	4	
Hotshots	4	8	

Angels (7)		(13) Tigers	
Beverly	1	Nobles	3
Overton	7	Russell	3
Davis	2	Cranford	2
Hardee	4	Coltraine	4
Jones	4	Stancill	4

Wolverines (11)		(16) Wildcats	
Winsate	4	7	Stancill
Bryley	7	5	Cranford
Hardee	4	4	Russell
Overton	4	4	Cranford

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Wolfpack vs. Blue Devils, 4:10	
Wildcats vs. Warhaws, 4:50	
Cougars vs. Globetrotters, 3:30	
Thursday, Feb. 19—	
Wolfpacks vs. Warhaws, 4:50	
Globetrotters vs. Wildcats, 3:30	
Blue Devils vs. Cougars, 4:10	

GIRLS TRAINING SCHOOL	
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BOYS GAME			
Pos. S. Edgecombe	30	Ayden	76
F—Fulton	16	Harrington	18
F—B. Dunn	2	Whitehurst	17
C—Craft	6	Kittrell	11
G—Pridgen	3	Edwards	7
G—Burgess	Lang	4	

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Bethel Racks Up Pair Of Wins

BETHEL—The Bethel Indians' high school basketball teams wound up the season in grand style here Friday night by downing Stokes High in a pair of Pitt County Conference games.

With Pitt County Conference leading on a victory the Bethel boys came from behind in the final quarter and thundered down the stretch for a 71-66 victory.

The triumph gave Bethel a 14-2 conference record which barely nudged out Ayden's Tornados who finished with an 11-2 mark.

Carrie Ayers and Mary Jo Wynne hit the hoop for 28 and 23 points respectively to garner a win in the opening conflict. Jane Bullock and Judy Etheridge scored 22 and 18 for the losers.

The Bethel lassies nailed down third place ranking in final conference standings with the win.

GIRLS GAME
Bethel (69) (51) Stokes
F—Doughtie 18 Etheridge
F—Ayers 28 14 Copeland
F—Bryley 18 22 J. Bullock
G—M. Whitehurst Meeks
G—Riddick Worthington
G—J. Whitehurst Tyson
Score by periods:
Bethel 15 22 14 18—69
Stokes 15 9 18 9—51
Substitutes: Bethel—Wynne 23, James, Stokes—Warren 2, J. Bullock, Gurganus.

BOYS GAME
Bethel (71) (66) Stokes
F—Nelson 21 28 J. Warren
F—House 19 14 Roberson
C—L. Tetterton 2 21 White
G—B. Tetterton 13 2 Butler
G—Council 9 1 D. James
Score by periods:
Bethel 15 21 11 24—71
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Pirates Wallop Christians To Insure Conference Rank

By JIMMY ELLIS
Reflector Sports Writer

East Carolina College's Pirates assured themselves of at least a tie for first place in the final North State Conference standings by walloping the second-place Elon Christians 91-69 before a full house of partisan fans in Memorial Gym Saturday night.

The victory was East Carolina's twelfth in 14 league games. The Christians have no worst four out of thirteen games and must win their last three while the Pirates must lose their last two if the teams are to be tied for first place.

East Carolina's remaining games are with High Point and Atlantic Christian.

While the victory Saturday night was essentially a team win, the Pirates' one-two punch of Sonny Russell and Bobby Hodges was still outstanding. The high-scoring pair tallied 77 points apiece in addition to brilliant rebounding and defensive games. Russell, the senior All-Stater from New Bern, played an outstanding all-around game as did Hodges, the big All-Conference center from Kinston. Hodges' defensive work was especially outstanding in that he held Elon high-scoring Dee Atkinson to only 14 points.

Elon very obviously missed the services of the suspended Ben Kendall but, nevertheless, they managed to stay right with the Pirates for the first 15 minutes of playing time. In that first quarter and a half, the lead changed hands four times and the score was tied three times.

With seven minutes of second quarter playing time remaining, the Pirates began the drive which put them ahead for keeps. Hodges hit a

field goal to put the Bucs out front. 22-18. Dee Atkinson got three points for Elon but J. C. Thomas and Hodges worked for three Pirate points and the Bucs moved ahead. 25-21. Dave Mattox kept the Christians close with a field goal but Hodges and Thomas hit again to shove the Pirates four points ahead.

With the score 27-23, Jack Musten hit a field goal for the Christians—their last points in almost four minutes. By the time the Elon squad got around to scoring again, the Pirates had ballooned their lead to 38-23 and were practically smelling the championship. After that, Elon gave out with very little trouble and Coach Howard Porter's East Carolina reserves saw considerable second half action.

The Saturday night contest was nothing like the first meeting of the teams, a month ago on the Elon court. In that game, the Pirates had to press hard to eke out a 7-75 victory. Russell got 20 points and Hodges got 23 against much stiffer defensive men than they faced Saturday night.

Behind Russell and Hodges in the scoring columns were Elon's Atkinson, with 14 points, and Jack Mitchell, with 12. Billy Hawkins, the high-scoring guard, was held to only seven points by Cecil Heath and Jack Malloy, normally a forward who hits in the 'teens at least, was held to eight points by Thomas. Thomas turned in some fine offensive work himself, getting 10 points for the night.

Paul Jones, a reserve who has worked his way up through the ranks, saw considerable action Saturday night and wound up with seven points and indications of more extensive play.

The Pirates will meet High Point Wednesday night in their final home game of the season. The night has been designated "Sonny Russell Night" by Ulrate fans and appropriate ceremonies will be held to honor the Bucs' All-Star and All-Conference forward who will be playing his last home game for East Carolina.

The box:

Elon (69)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Malloy, f	3	2	4	8
Mitchell, f	6	0	5	12
Hall, f	1	7	2	3
Gauldin, f	4	6	4	8
Atkinson, c	4	6	4	14
Mattox, c	1	1	5	3
McDaniels, c	0	5	1	5
Musten, g	2	3	5	7
Whitley, g	0	0	1	0
Hawkins, g	3	1	2	7
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1-Special Notices

The FRANK WILSON Store "KING CLOTHIERS since 1893" Jan. 19-1 mo.

PEST CONTROL SERVICES - Rats, mice, roaches. For homes, offices, commercial buildings, estimates free. Ivey Coward Exterminating Company, 108 N. Holly Street Phone 3996. Sat-Mon-Fri

CLIFF SAYS... "For free estimate on your paint and wallpaper jobs, call" C. H. EDWARDS HARDWARE HOUSE DIAL 2418 16-6ts

2-Lost and Found

YOUR PERSONAL DETECTIVE IS A Daily Reflector Lost and Found ad when something of value is missing. Through a Classified ad the finder is often traced in a matter of hours! Phone 5717 for an ad-writer. 27-12ts

5-Help Wanted

MAN OR WOMAN TO TAKE OVER route of established Watkins customers in the city of Greenville. Earnings unlimited. No investment necessary. Write J. R. Watkins Co., Dept. S-3, Richmond, Va. Jan. 26 Feb. 2-9-16-23

TEACHERS WANTED GUARANTEED INCOME Interesting vacation positions paying teachers selected \$750 to \$1500, depending on ability and length of vacation. Minimum income guaranteed. Highly satisfying experience which will advance you professionally. Requirements: Age 25-50 years, 3 years' teaching experience, good record and standing. Write in confidence for personal interview, giving phone. Write "Female Teachers," P. O. Box 408, Greenville, S.C. 16-11

IF YOU ARE IN NEED OF HELP of any kind, phone 5717 and place a "Help Wanted" ad. It will get you many good prospects. 28-12ts

8-Work Wanted

YOUR CARPENTER WORK, CABINET work, remodeling and repairing would be appreciated by a skilled workman who needs it. Call 3283 after 7:30 p.m. 14-6t

PAINTING AND DECORATING floor finishing and wallpapering. Dial 3657-7, M. H. Cannon, Washington Highway. 16-14

10-For Rent

FOR RENT-BUSINESS PROPERTY, 417 Washington Street, City, 2 1/2 x 70 ft. Owner will remodel for desirable tenant. Answer "For Rent," Box 401, Greenville, giving financial responsibility and intended use. 14-3t

NICE ROOMS FOR RENT-WITH hot and cold water, hot air heat. By month, week or night. Call 3782, or can be seen at 1111 Dickinson Ave. Feb. 11-13-16-18-20-23

FOR RENT-3 ROOM APARTMENT with half bath, unfurnished. Call 4085, Mrs. J. W. Evans, 313 E. 14th St. 14-6t

SANDING MACHINE FOR RENT at Blackwood's Associate Store, 110 West 5th Street. Phone 4307. 12-6t

FOR RENT-ONE LARGE FURNISHED front room. Close to bath. For one or two persons. Call at 214 Greene Street or phone 4332. Jan. 24-1f

FOR RENT-5 ROOM HOUSE with venetian blinds, 108 Sylvan Drive, Tucker's Circle. Call 4014 at night. 16-11

FOR RENT FOR CASH-16 ACRES farm land, with tobacco barns, 5 acres tobacco allotment, 1 1-10 acres peanuts. Contact F. D. Duncan, Business Manager, East Carolina College. 16-2t

FOR RENT-OFFICE SPACE IN centrally located office building. Will remodel for desirable renter. Phone 4536 or see Carl Pierce. 16-6t

FOR RENT-3 ROOM FURNISHED first floor apartment. Private entrance and bath, hot and cold water. Newly-decorated. Dial 5535. 16-3f

14-For Sale

IT'S A TREASURE BEYOND measure-Fine Foam for cleaning rugs and upholstery. Belk-Tyler's, 3rd floor. 16-6t

YOURS TO ENJOY, IF YOU EMPLOY Glass water-clear hollycum coating. Ends waxing. Belk-Tyler's, 3rd floor. 16-6t

FOR SALE-ONE AND ONLY home roll-up aluminum awning. Your choice color; also insulation weatherstripping and siding. Terms phone 2238 C. L. Lupton Co. Your comfort is our business. 8-1 t

SADLER FLOWER SHOP Winterville, N. C. Phone 3705 Landscaping, shrubbery, holly, pyracantha, camellias, rosebushes, azaleas, peonies, shade trees, pansies, candytuft, feverfew, hollyhock, English, shasta daisies, stock, digitalis. Feb. 4-1 mo.

BUILD WITH BRICK - FOR beauty and economy, common brick \$30.00 scratch face brick \$33.00 per thousand delivered. E. J. P. Brick & Tile Co. Inc. Dial 3633. 8-28 t

BEYOND CHICKS - START NOW Remember, one fall egg is worth three spring eggs in profit. Drum's Hatchery, West End Circle Greenville, N. C. Jan. 23-1 mo.

14-For Sale

FOR SALE 1949, 4 door, Roadmaster Buick. Beautiful metallic finish, Dynaflow Drive, Radio Heater, New White Sidewall Royal Master tires. Just like new. Privately owned. Can be financed. Will consider trade \$1295.00 Call SIMON MOYE, JR. at Phone No. 3715 or 4218 during day. 11-6ts

GET SALT "FREE" BREAD FRESH daily at People's Bakery, 815 Dickinson Ave. Jan. 29-1f

FOR NEMATODE CONTROL USE Dowfume W-85. Get your supplies from A. D. Manning, Grimesland Telephone 3634-7. 10-6t

LARGE SIZE GLADIOLI BULBS, dahlia roots, rose bushes. White's Stores. 10-12t

FOR TOP SOIL, FIELD DIRT, rock and sand delivered. Contact Mr. Bernice Braxton, phone 3676, Ayden, N. C. Jan. 23-1 mo.

IT'S HAPPY HARVEST IN THE want-ad! For bargains in real estate, cars, merchandise and general needs, turn to the want-ads and you're right! Phone 5717 and place your ad today. 28-12t

FOR YOUR TAILORED DRESS and sport shirts, size 13 1/2 to 20 sleeve lengths, 30 to 37. Beautiful patterns. See me, H. P. Johnson, phone 2906. Made any way you want them. They cost no more than stock shirts. 14-2t

PIANOS Rodkin's Piano Store, 722 Dickinson Ave. Phone 5110. It's the place to buy new and rebuilt guaranteed pianos from \$100. Tuning, reconditioning, refinishing, restyling, and rentals \$5 per month.

INSTALL PERMA-STONE ON OLD new homes, buildings, for beauty, permanence, strength, economy. If interested, terms can be arranged. No down payment. Easy monthly payments. "Pitt Perma-Stone Company," 500 N. Greene Street, Phone 3108-3952, Greenville, N. C. Jan. 28-1 mo.

FOR SALE-ONE ANTIQUE VICTORIAN sofa, in red velvet. One cherry and mahogany 4 drawer chest. Phone 2757. 13-3t

IF YOU'RE DREAMING OF WHAT you'd do with extra dollars, you can quickly get them through a Daily Reflector Classified ad. Round up those possessions you'd just as soon be without, and sell them through a "For Sale" ad to folks now in the market for them. Such things as pieces of furniture, electrical appliances, rugs, antiques, musical instruments, sports needs and toys find buyers fast! For an ad-writer phone 5717. 27-12ts

17-Homes For Sale FOR SALE-NEW 4 ROOM PERMA-STONE house in Meadowbrook. Large living room, 2 large bedrooms, bath, extra large kitchen with dinette and large hall suitable for den. Liberal financing. C. Frank Dail, Tadlock Agency, Phone 2397 or 5680. 12-5t

21-Real Estate ONE BEAUTIFUL LOT FOR SALE on Vance Street, down on river, three blocks from Third Street School. Is approximately 85x220 feet. See or call your Electrical salesman, J. D. Fleming Jr., 305 White Street, Phone 5710. Jan. 19-1f

35-Expert Services Income Tax Returns REASONABLE RATES RELIABLE SERVICE -SEE- Troy Dodson -AT- 800 W. 3rd Street Phone 3191 14-6ts

TELEVISION And RADIO SERVICE Expert Repairs - All Makes 20 Years Experience. 304 E. 5th St. Phone 5533 William Radio & TV Co. Feb. 12-1mo.

FREE ESTIMATES ON YOUR fall and winter interior and exterior painting. Select your wallpaper from our new deluxe books. Globe Hardware Company, 5th & Washington Sts. Phone 3232. Oct. 20-1f

"BOYD" PAINTING Painting, Spray or Brush - Wallpapering and decorating - Free estimates - References furnished - and Satisfaction guaranteed - We contract - The labor and material - or just the labor, your choice. Mechanics and equipment for any type job. W. D. BOYD Dial 5556 P. O. Box 211, Greenville, N. C. 12-4ts

WANTED-3 ROOM UNFURNISHED-downstairs apartment with private bath and hot water. Near downtown Greenville preferred. Call 3141. 13-6t

52-Autos, Trucks 1949 FORD - \$895.00 with radio and heater. A custom 95 horsepower six turbo sedan with a written guarantee at Flanagan's. Pay \$295 down, \$45.78 per month. 14-2t

WHEN YOU DRIVE IN HERE YOU know you'll be getting the friendliest, most efficient service anywhere. Stop by anytime! Carr Allen's Texaco Station, in front of court house. 16-6t

1948 PLYMOUTH - \$350 A small, English manufactured Ford ideal for city driving. Gives excellent gasoline mileage. For doors, comfortable transportation for four people. Flanagan's. 14-2t

FOR SALE-1947 DODGE TRUCK in good condition; two 23 horsepower air-cooled Wisconsin motors, in good condition; one tobacco stick machine with saws and belts; one cutoff saw. See me at Dixie Warehouse or Carolina Grill any day. E. L. Moore. 10-6t

1950 FORD - \$1095.00 Has completely rebuilt engine, new ship covers, heater. Two tone paint. A 1950 model guaranteed in writing, for \$1095 at Flanagan's. Compare prices! 14-2t

ART SCHOOL-DRIVE IN ANY day. We'll show you the art of Pure-Sure lubrication. It's beautiful the way we do it. Rick's Service Station, 3rd & Colaniche, 9th & Evans. 16-6t

1940 DODGE TUDOR Exceptionally clean, has radio and heater. A nice car for \$395 at Flanagan's. 14-2t

DEMONSTRATOR Nash Ambassador, two tone Gray, driven less than 1,000 miles. Foam rubber cushions. Weather Eye air condition. Overdrive. Reclining seats. Twin beds. New car guarantee. Absolutely spotless. Over \$300 Off List Price. Liberal Trade-in Allowance. Can Be Financed. -See- Simon Moye, Jr. or Ray McKenzie -At- GREENVILLE EQUIPMENT CO. HOME OF NASH 1900 Dickinson Ave. Phone 3715 or 4218 Feb. 11-1f

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP All persons will take notice that the co-partnership, heretofore known as Lautares Brothers and composed of Peter G. Lautares and John G. Lautares, has been this day dissolved. George Lautares, son of John G. Lautares, has purchased the interest of Peter G. Lautares in said co-partnership business and will assume and pay any indebtedness of said co-partnership which may be due and owing by Peter G. Lautares, and Peter G. Lautares will no longer be responsible for any indebtedness hereafter incurred by the co-partnership which will continue with John G. Lautares and George Lautares as co-partners, under the firm name and style of Lautares Brothers. This February 12, 1953. PETER G. LAUTARES GEORGE LAUTARES Feb. 15-23

NOTICE TO CREDITORS Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of Paul Edwards, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned, or her attorneys, on or before the 30th day of January, 1954, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 30th day of January, 1953. HATTIE S. EDWARDS Admrx. Estate of Paul Edwards James & Speight, Attys. Feb. 9-16-23 Mar. 2-9-16

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS Having qualified as Administratrix of the estate of Dr. Thomas G. Basnight, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned below, on or before the 17th day of January, 1954, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 17th day of January, 1953. EMMA W. BASNIGHT, Administratrix C.T.A. of the estate of Dr. Thomas G. Basnight Dink James, Atty. Jan. 19-26 Feb. 2-9-16-23

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE OF LAND By virtue of power vested in me by deed of trust executed to me by E. K. Allen and wife, Margaret Williams Allen, on the 23rd day of

PUBLIC NOTICES

December, 1948, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, in Book L-25, at page 7, default having been made in the payment of the note therein secured, and the holder of said note having requested the trustee to advertise and sell said property in accordance with the provisions of said trust, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at public auction, at the Court House door, in Greenville, North Carolina, on Saturday, February 21, 1953, at 12 o'clock, Noon, the following described parcel of real estate, lying, being and situate in Greenville Township, in the County of Pitt and State of North Carolina, to-wit:

That certain lot, tract or parcel of land, together with all the permanent improvements thereon and hereafter placed thereon, built or erected on said land, lying and being in the City of Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, and lying on the southerly side of and adjacent to the Norfolk-Southern Railroad Company right of way, and on the north side of Allen Avenue, and BEGINNING at an iron stake in the north property line of Allen Avenue at the common corner of lot No. 1 of Map No. 2 as shown on Map hereinafter referred to, and running thence north 34 degs. 16 mins. west with the line of lot No. 2, 204.90 feet

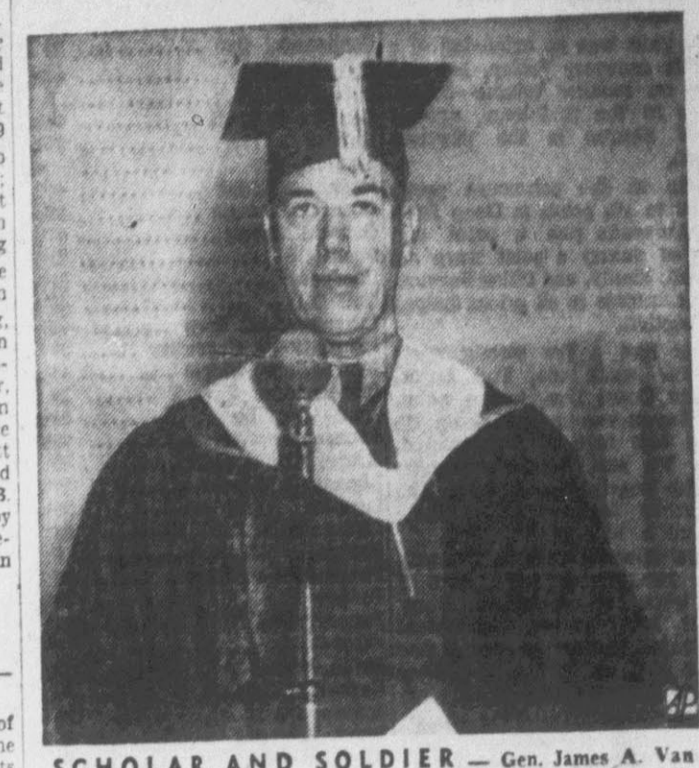
to an iron stake in the southern line of the Norfolk-Southern Railroad Company's right of way; thence along and with the southern right of way line of said railroad south 89 degs. 17 mins. west 201.60 feet to an iron stake in the Hemby line; thence south 38 degs. 00 mins. east 297 feet to an iron stake on Allen Avenue; thence eastwardly along and with the northern property line of Allen Avenue 150 feet to an iron stake at the place of the beginning, and being lot No. 1 as shown on Map of Survey made by W. C. Dressbach & Son, C. B. and Surveyor, dated May 1, 1948, and recorded in Map Book 4, at page 45 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, and being part of the land conveyed to E. K. Allen by Sam B. Underwood Jr., Commissioner, by deed dated April 22, 1948, and recorded in Book C-25 at page 611 in the Pitt County Registry. This January 19, 1953. R. B. LEE, Trustee Jan. 26 Feb. 2-9-16

FIREMEN USE RADIO OWASCO N. Y. UP-Use of two-way radio communication by the Owasco and Auburn fire departments made it possible for firefighters to arrive at the George Newell farm at nearby Niles in time to save the house.

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SCHOLAR AND SOLDIER - Gen. James A. Van Fleet, retired U. S. Eighth Army commander, addresses Republic of Korea National Assembly in Pusan after receiving honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from Seoul National University.

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NOTICE! Now is the time to fix your yards. I have new equipment and am prepared to haul in dirt, break, grade and seed your lawns. Also to disk and break your farmland and pull off ditch banks. I am still hauling builders sand. J. W. Miller Farmville, N. C. Phone 3038

WE ARE NOW DELINTING AND treating cotton seed; also soy beans and oats. Bring them early and avoid the planting season rush. J. P. Sumrell, Ayden, N. C. 10-12t

Reserve Hospital Plan "1 Day to 80 Years" Phone 4119, Box 736 Greenville, N. C. "PAYS DOCTORS' BILLS" Clip and Mail for Information

TYNDALL'S REPAIR SHOP is now ready to take orders for your portable outdoor toilets with concrete floor. Call for free estimates. Phone 601, Fountain Jan. 27-1 mo

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IF THE MAN OF THE HOUSE won't teach you, we will. Learn to drive the safe way. Dual-control cars, professional instructors. Call L. E. Anderson 2980 Dec. 11-1f

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Stocks And Market Reports

NEW YORK (UP)—Oil shares featured a modest rise on the stock market in the morning dealing today.

The gain was an extension of a sizeable recovery Friday, but was made on smaller volume—300,000 shares in the first hour, against 810,000 shares in the previous session.

Gains in the petroleum group ranged to 1 1/2 points in Deep Rock Oil. Amerada rose a point and gains of nearly a point were set by Shell, Skelly, and Cities Service. Readjustments in oil prices helped this section.

Rails had a few strong spots and one weak one. The latter, Atlantic Coast Line, lost a point. New Haven ran up to 29 1/2 up 1 1/2 and a new high on fair volume. Santa Fe and Northern Pacific were up nearly a point each. The high-priced Mahoning Coal Railroad hit a high at 550 up 1.

A few specials were in demand. Gains ranging to more than a point were set by Bullard, Borg-Warner, Intertype and Continental Can. Mojud Hosiery reached a new high at 15 1/2 up 3/4. Miami Copper made a high at 28 1/2 in a firm metal section.

NEW YORK (UP)—Stock prices at 1 p.m. EST.

American Can	32 3/4
American Car & F	35 3/4
American T & T	159 3/4
American Tobacco	69 3/4
Atlantic Coast Line	114 1/4
Baltimore & Ohio	27 3/4
Bendix Aviation	63
Bethlehem Steel	53
Boeing Aircraft	45 1/4
Borden	54 3/4
Briggs Mfg	41 3/4
Cannon Mills	49 1/4
Chesapeake & Ohio	40 1/4
Chrysler	91 3/4
Coca Cola	121
Continental Can	50
Corn Products	67 3/4
Curtiss-Wright	9
Douglas Aircraft	64 1/4
DuPont	97 3/4
Eastern Air	25
Eastman Kodak	44 3/4
General Electric	68 3/4
General Motors	65 1/4
Goodrich	73 3/4
Goodyear	51 3/4
Gulf Oil	42 3/4
Interchemical Corp	22 3/4
International Harvester	30 3/4
International Nickel	44 1/4
International T & T	18
Johns-Manville	69 3/4
Kennecott	78 1/4
Kroger Co	40
Liggett & Myers	77 1/4
Lionel	26 1/4
Lorsant	92
Packard	6
Paramount Pictures	28
Penny	68 1/4
Pennsylvania RR	22
Peppi-Cola	12
Philip Morris	50 3/4
Reynolds Tobacco B	42 3/4
Seaboard Airline	108
Sears Roebuck	59 1/2
Southern Co	18
Southern Railway	80 3/4
Standard Oil (N.J.)	73 3/4
Studebaker	41 3/4
Union Carbide	69 3/4
U S Pipe & F	39 3/4
U S Rubber	29
U S Steel	40 3/4
Warner Bros	13 1/2

NEW YORK (UP)—Produce:

Potatoes: Prices are basis per 100 lbs. bags unless otherwise indicated. Quiet. Maine Katahdins 1.75-2.00; New York 50 lbs 1.25; California long white 5 lbs 3.00; Virginia red bliss bu box 50 lbs 1.50; Long Island Katahdins, 50 lbs 90-1.90; Idaho russets, 4.00; 50 lbs 2.75-3.00; Nebraska red bliss No. 1A 50 lbs 3.00-5.00; Floridas, 50 lbs red bliss 1.75-3.75.

Sweet potatoes: (bu bsks) Steady. New Jersey golden 3.50-5.50; white 3.50-5.00; medium whites 3.50-4.50; mediums 2.00-3.25; other New Jersey grades 1.25-2.00. Yams: (bu bsks) quiet. North Carolina, 4.50-6.50; other grades 2.50-4.25.

Live poultry quiet. Few early sales. Rabbits all varieties 20-35.

NEW YORK (UP)—Cotton futures prices at 11 a.m. EST today: New York March 32 1/2; May 33 1/8; New Orleans March 32 7/8; May 33 1/4.

RICHMOND, Va. (UP)—Hog market steady at 20.00 for good and choice 180-220 lb barrows and gilts.

General Collins 'Thanks' Reservists For Big Role

A letter of appreciation to all Army Reserve units and individuals for their part in the Korean emergency will be published in the February issue of "Report to the Army," a publication for Army Reservists.

The letter, written by General J. Lawton Collins, Chief of Staff, United States Army, is addressed "To the United States Army Reserve" and reads as follows:

"As we in the Army face the challenges of the new year, I feel that it is particularly appropriate to pay tribute to our splendid Army Reserve for the very real contribution it has made to the growing security of our nation since the outbreak of Communist aggression in Korea.

"I want to take this opportunity, especially, to express my heartfelt gratitude to the many fine units of the Army Reserve and to the individual Reservists who have been called into active military service since June 1950. Their response has been magnificent, and I am confident that, when the complete story of their accomplishments is known to all, another brilliant chapter in the history of the Army Reserve will have been written.

"It is fundamental to our American way of life to depend on our citizen-soldier in time of peril, and the men and women of the United States Army will always be proud to serve side by side with our Reserve forces. On behalf of the officers and men of the United States Army, may I convey to each Reservist who so served our most sincere thanks and warmest admiration."

The Army Reserve provided 699 units to the Active Army following the outbreak of Communist aggression in Korea. Altogether, 215,000 Reservists were recalled in units or as individuals. This force, made up predominantly of World War II veterans, was a powerful factor in the build-up of the Army after June 25, 1950.

Many Reserve units and individuals were in Korea within a few weeks of receiving orders to active service. The majority of Reservists recalled as member of units or as individuals have been returned to civilian life.

Five Fire Alarms During Weekend; One Is Costly

It was a busy week-end for local firemen who answered five fire alarms in the city.

However, only one of the alarms resulted in any damage, the fire department reported.

Around noon Saturday firemen were called to Third and Evans when the kitchen of a Negro residence caught fire. Firemen encountered difficulty in locating the blaze since no one remained at the alarm box to direct firemen to the blaze.

The fire was located later at the home of Willie Perkins, 208-A East Third Street, nearly two blocks from the fire alarm box.

Curtains in the kitchen had caught fire but were out when firemen arrived.

Firemen cautioned against turning in fire alarms and then not remaining at the box in order to direct firemen to the fire.

Two grass fires were put out Saturday afternoon, one in the Village Grove section of Greenville and a second one on Oak Street.

Last night around 9:15, the T. & W. Packard Garage in North Greenville was discovered on fire and considerable damage resulted.

The fire apparently started from a flue which ran through a rack of stored tires. Firemen had difficulty in battling the blaze because of its location and the dense smoke.

Only a small part of the building was damaged and there was no loss to cars stored or left in the building over the weekend.

No estimate as to the loss was made last night.

An overheated oil stove sent firemen to 1715 South Green Street around ten o'clock Saturday night.

No damage was reported from the stove which was in the home of Larry Early. The building was owned by Sam White.

boundary; and that ideas which seem good for mid-state counties like Davidson and Wayne might play havoc with Cherokee, which must compete with Georgia and Tennessee, or Ashe which has to deal with Tennessee and Virginia.

Charlotte in North Carolina, for example, is the recognized trading and banking center for a large area in South Carolina, just as Norfolk in Virginia is the "big town" for several northern counties in this State. For purposes of trading, banking, hospitalization and recreation the people who live in a large area of the mountains pay no attention to the fact that Asheville is in North Carolina and Knoxville is in Tennessee.

BALANCE — In the overall adjustment a pretty fair balance is maintained, but the laws of all the States must be considered with the border areas in mind. Residents of counties bordering South Carolina used to buy liquor in North Carolina because of the tax. Since Charlotte, Asheville and Tryon have ABC stores the reverse is true, and our southern neighbors are bringing their money to North Carolina. For the same reasons, thirsty residents of

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TUESDAY
William Holden
Nancy Olson
William Bendix
In
"Submarine Command"
ENDS TODAY
"THE BRIGAND"

Events For Remainder Of Term For Farmville School Announced Today

Got Everything Except The Coil

FARMVILLE—Events throughout the remainder of the school year for Farmville School students were announced today.

From March 6 through May 19, the following days will mark some events for the students: Friday, March 6, Junior Class Night; Friday, March 13, Senior Class Stunt Night; Friday, March 27, Sophomore Class play.

Friday, April 10, Junior-Senior Banquet and Dance; Thursday, April 16, Music Festival; April 17, Voice recital; Thursday, April 23, seniors go to Washington, D. C.; and Friday, May 1, dance recital.

Friday, May 8, Girl's Chorus program; Sunday, May 10, Mother's Day Band Concert; Friday, May 15, piano recital for grades two through seven; Sunday, May 17, Commencement sermon; Monday, May 18, Graduation Exercises and Commencement Address; and Tuesday, May 19, piano recital for grades eight through 11.

FARMVILLE—Pitt County ABC officers moved quietly onto a still site near here Saturday morning and captured the complete outfit except for copper coil.

The captured outfit was composed of a 50-gallon "drum" boiler and two 50-gallon capacity fermenters containing approximately 25 gallons of mash, officers reported this morning.

J. M. Ward, member of the local ABC force, explained that the unknown operators were using oil burners for heating and evidently had made a run sometime Friday night, because the outfit was still hot.

No liquor was found at the still, the officer stated, and the copper worm used for condensing purposes had been removed from the still when operators left the scene of a night's illegal activity.

The still was destroyed by officers where it was found, near the point where the Pitt-Wilson-Green county lines converge.

Officers participating in the raid were Ward, "Chief" J. L. Taylor, Richard King and H. B. Lilley.

Five Recaptured

MONROE, N. C. (AP)—Five of the six prisoners who escaped from Union County jail Saturday were back in custody today, but police were still searching for John Sturdivant, a 21-year-old Negro.

Robert Lee Anderson, 21, of Gastonia was the latest to be picked up. Police said he was recognized by city police as he walked along Highway 54 near Monroe and surrendered willingly.

Sheriff Ben H. Wolfe said last night that Walter Fisher, 19-year-old Negro trustee who unlocked the cell doors for the convicts on the getaway day, had given himself up voluntarily yesterday. He told police he aided the convicts because they promised him \$500 from a cache of money they had in the woods. He never got it, Wolfe said.

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Living Room — Kitchen and Tile

Bath, One Block from College. Good Location

See or Call — Tel. 2612

HOOKER & BUCHANAN

Moose Lodge To Sponsor Dance And Floor Show

The Greenville Moose Lodge is sponsoring a floor show and dance at the Armory next Thursday night, February 19.

Proceeds will be for the benefit of Elm Street Park.

Bruce (Bubbles) Beckers orchestra and spotlight revue, recently featured in New York City and Miami, Florida, has been engaged for the benefit dance and floor show. The show starts at 8 o'clock.

The band leader presents the acts preceding the dance. Members of the cast include Jimmy Stutz, "very fast juggling star"; Toni Young, "lovely lady of song"; the Burke Twins, "girl tap and acrobatic dance team"; and Jimmy Gross, "impersonator extraordinary of singers and musical instruments."

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The public is invited to be present. Refreshments will be served in the work room of the library.

Girl Scout News

Troop 19 from Third Street School gave a Valentine dance on Friday night, February 13th from 7:30 until 10 o'clock at the Rotary Club. The girls did all the decorating themselves. Red streamers of varying lengths were hung from the rafters, to which were attached red and white hearts, favors for the guests.

The long table was covered with white with a wide red ribbon running down the center upon which red candles in branched candlesticks were placed at intervals. Iced drinks, cookies, nuts and candy were served during the evening. Games and dancing were enjoyed by all. Besides having fun, credit was earned on a hostess badge by some of the girls.

Adult Meetings For Next Two Weeks Mapped

Meetings for adults in the schools of Pitt County will continue for the next two weeks with the schedule for this week already lined up.

Last week Miss Carolyn Flewlen, nutritionist, spoke to the groups on buying foods wisely and gave a demonstration by contrasting one housewife's shopping basket with another. A good enrollment was reported at the meetings.

The schedule for meetings for the week is: Tuesday, 3:30, Bethel, "Legal Matters Concerning the Home." Clifton Everette; and Thursday, 4:00, Ayden, "Legal Matters Concerning the Home." Mr. Booth and Chiodo, 2:30, "Home Care of the Sick," Mrs. Howard Gradis.

Next week's schedule will be announced later.

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Basketball Teams Robbed During Saturday Game

JUST TO MAKE SURE

PARIS (UP)—Officials at Aut-eul Race Track made sure today that no small fry would try to lie about their age to get inside in violation of a law against children attending races. They posted a sign: "Children Under Four Feet Not Admitted."

Thieves literally took the East Carolina and Elon basketball players to the cleaners during Saturday night's game between the two teams.

City police today reported they were investigating the theft of a number of items from the players' dressing rooms.

Loot taken from the Elon players included two pocket knives a wedding band, four class rings and one birthstone. East Carolina players lost two lighters, one overcoat, one class ring, a watch and \$2.50 in change. A total of \$3.00 was removed from the Elon locker room.

NAMED SUCCESSOR

RALEIGH (AP)—John C. Rice has been appointed to succeed R. P. Moore as director of the North Carolina Crop Improvement Association.

Colored News

Miss Louise Adams of East Orange N. J. spent the weekend with her aunt, Mrs. Isabell Ebron, of 112 Washington St.

Pvt. John D. Duncan was home for 10 days from Fort Jackson, S. C. He left today for California and from there will go overseas. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Duncan.

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