

BRANCH BANK THEFT TRY FAILS

Nine Holiday Deaths Over County



THREE DIED HERE—The body of Clifton J. Moye, 20, lies pinned in the right front seat after a wreck in which he and two others died late Saturday night on the Pactolus Highway. Nathan Tripp, 18, dying of injuries, is lying in the drivers seat while Earl Jones, Jr., 13, is dead on the floor of the back seat. Rudolph Buck, 25, seriously injured has just been removed from the rear seat. (Reflector Photo by Bob Hilldrup).

Five Lives Lost In Auto Wrecks

By BOB HILLDRUP
Reflector Staff Writer

Nine persons are dead today—five of them from auto wrecks—in the wake of the bloodiest Fourth of July weekend in Pitt County's history.

The dead from traffic accidents are:

Earl Bright, about 21, of Route 2, Ayden.

Albert Alligood, 60, of Chocowinity.

Earl Jones Jr., 13, of Route 4, Greenville.

Clifton Moye, 20, of Route 5, Greenville.

Nathan Tripp, 18, of 101 Blount St., Winterville.

In addition, a Negro family of three was found in a burned home near Winterville early Saturday morning, possibly the victims of foul play, and a 15-year-old Negro boy, Elvin Carr, drowned near Robertsonville yesterday. (See other stories).

Moye and Jones were killed outright near Pactolus Saturday night and Tripp died from injuries in the same wreck early yesterday. Alligood died yesterday afternoon after a Sunday morning wreck near Winterville and Bright was killed last night at the intersections of Highways 264 and 11.

Bright, who was riding alone, apparently went to sleep at the wheel of his car as he was travelling east on 264. His vehicle crossed the intersection near the South-11 Drive-In Theater, hit a ditch and crashed into a corn field. He died almost instantly from a broken neck and chest injuries.

Boykin, who handled all three fatal crashes, said that Bright apparently dozed at the wheel, ran through the intersection and missed a curve. His car left no skid marks on the road and evidence indicated that his driver was not applying until he struck the dirt right-of-way. The accident occurred about 11:45 p.m.

Alligood, meanwhile, died about 2 p.m. at Pitt Memorial Hospital yesterday of head and internal injuries sustained about 10:15 a.m. Sunday when the car in which he was riding was involved in a collision with another vehicle at the intersection of the Old Tar and County Home Roads just east of Winterville.

Alligood was a passenger in a car driven by David Bazemore, 38, of Route 2, Winterville. William Bazemore, apparently a cousin, and also in near Winterville, received a seriously injured elbow and cuts to the face, neck and ears.

Charles Worthington, 28, of Route 1, Winterville, the driver of the second car, received cuts and a broken shoulder. The two cars also ended up off the highway in a corn field following the wreck.

Patrolman Boykin said that manslaughter charges were awaiting David Bazemore, who apparently ran through a stop sign while headed toward Greenville on the Old Tar Road. Worthington was apparently traveling toward Winterville.

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The Pactolus wreck, which occurred approximately a mile from the Beaufort County line on the Pactolus-Washington Highway at 11:45 p.m. Saturday, brought instant death to Jones and Moye. Tripp died early yesterday at Tayloe Hospital in Washington and a fourth man, Rudolph Buck, 25, of Winterville, was still hospitalized with a concussion and severe facial cuts.

Three Vehicles Involved

The accident apparently came about when a car owned by an illiterate Negro, Zeb Best, 30, of Route 3, Washington, had a flat tire while being towed by another car toward Pactolus. It had been bought the same day, Best said, from a Washington junkyard for \$25. The driver of the tow car abandoned Best and an approaching dump truck, driven by William Robert Herring, 31, of LaGrange, was flagged down.

Herring stopped on the highway and was asked for assistance by Best. He replied, "Just a minute and let me pull off the highway." He had just started to move to the right of way when the car carrying Jones, Moye, Tripp and Buck piled into the back of the truck.

The impact knocked the truck into the car belonging to Best and rendered Herring unconscious. A tiny puppy in Herring's truck escaped injury.

Both Herring and Best said that the death car, driven by Tripp, "seemed to be doing a hundred" when the collision occurred. The speedometer of the car stopped at 86 miles per hour and no skid marks were found on the highway to indicate that brakes had been applied by Tripp prior to the crash.

Several broken beer bottles were found in the death car.

Passersby called Beaufort County highway patrolmen and an ambulance from Washington. Pitt Patrolman D. E. Perry arrived within minutes, closely followed by Patrolman Boykin. Moye's crumpled body was in the right hand front seat and Jones in the right hand back seat.

Tripp was slumped beneath the steering wheel, apparently dead when the patrolmen arrived. He moved momentarily, however, and he and Buck were carried to Tayloe Hospital in Washington.

Jailed, Released

Both Herring and Best were lodged in county jail here following the accident but were released following a coroner's hearing by Griffin Rouse the following day.

Firemen with the Greenville rescue truck pried open the door to remove Moye's body and it was not until 2 a.m. that the debris had been removed and blood and glass swept from the highway.

Four passengers in the death car were badly mangled.

The car slammed under the rear of the dump truck and spun around, practically blocking the highway. Evidence at the scene apparently indicated that the group had been returning from Whichard's Beach.

A large crowd gathered at the scene at first, but gradually dispersed the operations of the rescue workers.

The accident occurred on a perfectly straight road 32 feet wide.

The five deaths placed Pitt County among the leaders in violent deaths in the state and brought to eight the number of persons killed in auto accidents in the county this year.

Oddly enough, the three previous fatalities—in Greenville, Farmville and near Fountain—all involved pedestrians.

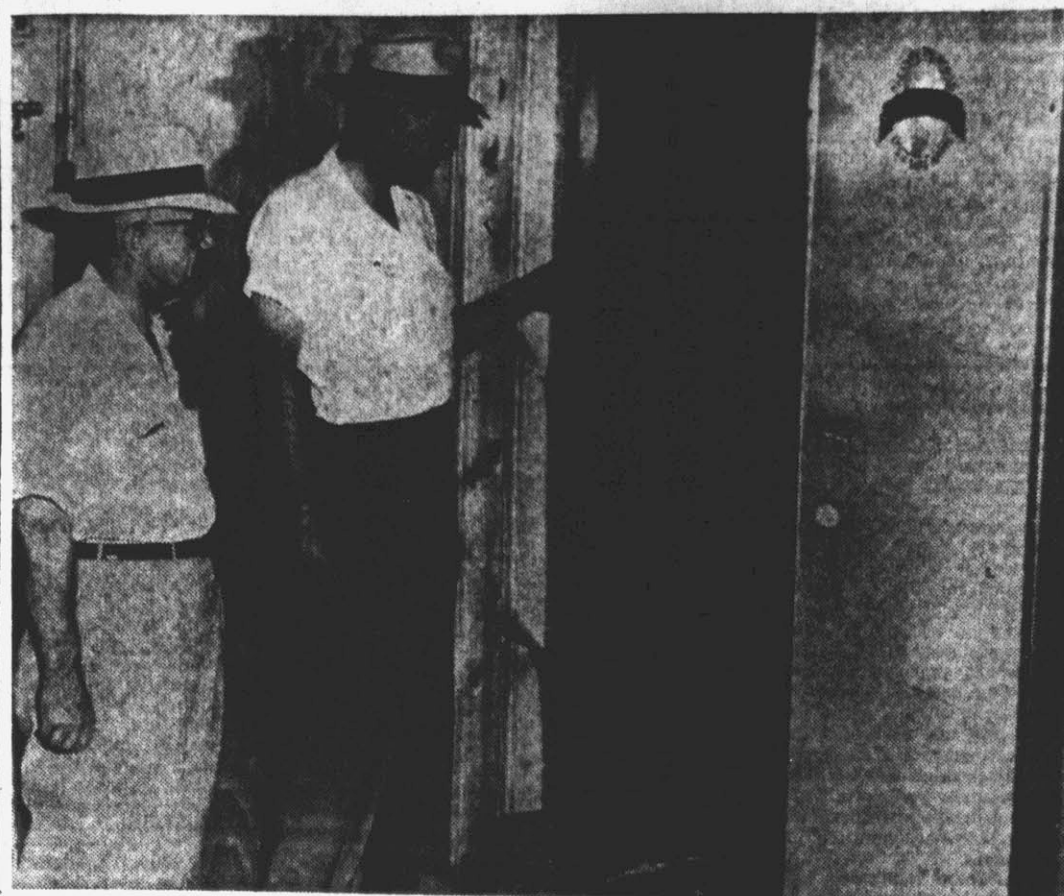
Commissioners Review Budget

Pitt Commissioners held their regular monthly meeting today, devoting the proposed county budget for the fiscal year and hearing routine reports from various departments.

The board met in a brief session yesterday in spite of the fact it was a holiday. They complied with the law requiring a meeting on the first Monday in the month to draw a jury for a coming term of Pitt Superior Court. The session yesterday was adjourned until this morning after the jury had been drawn.

Starting this morning an hour prior to the regular 10 o'clock session for the meeting, the commissioners devoted considerable time to budget considerations before going into routine monthly sessions. This afternoon they will meet jointly with other county boards to draw a new member of the Pitt County ABC board.

The board held tentative sessions in an effort to trim some \$65,000 off the proposed county budget in order to hold the county wide tax rate for this year at or near the 60 cents levy for 1954-55.



Det. Lt. N. H. Byrd (right) points to the spot from which a brass lock was removed on the walk-in safe at Meadowbrook branch bank. Looking on is Sheriff Ruel W. Tyson. Thieves entered the bank last night, tampered with all three safes and opened drawers. Nothing was reported missing. (Reflector Staff Photo).

Worked Hard, But Couldn't Enter Safes

Robbers Didn't Get A Cent

By ALVIN TAYLOR
Reflector City Editor

Thieves last night broke into the Meadowbrook Branch of Guaranty Bank and Trust Co., knocked handles and other parts from safes and tore through desk and counter drawers but came away without a penny for their troubles.

The bank robbers jammed the front door of the North Greenville branch bank and searched through the entire building sometime between noon yesterday when Bank Cashier W. H. Woolard Jr. left the building and 8:30 this morning when the first employee arrived for the day's work.

Discovering the break-in was Mrs. Wilma Tyson who said she did not realize the bank had been entered until she went to the rear of the building and opened the bank's largest safe.

Mrs. Tyson said she opened the front door of the building using her key and did not notice that it had been jimmied. She then went to the rear safe and opened it. It was at that time she looked down on the floor and saw parts which had been removed from the safe.

The bank employee then saw that the rest of the building had been ransacked. She waited until other employees arrived and police were called.

The culprits had opened and ripped through virtually every drawer in the bank in their search for loot. Alarms had been made to enter each of the three safes in the building.

They had removed an iron bolt from a front safe in which Woolard said the bulk of the cash had been kept. On the large walk-in safe in the rear of the building they had removed a brass catch, apparently using wrenches which they had brought to the scene to loosen the bolts that held the outside catch.

The main inside bolt on the big door was untouched. On a third safe, which stands near the walk-in safe, they had twisted each of the two handles from the double doors.

Papers in various desks in the bank had been strewn around and drawers under the teller windows were pulled open.

The robbers had tried to open a heavy metal side door of the building. Finding that impossible they apparently moved to the wooden front door where they were successful in gaining entrance.

Cashier Woolard said a quick check this morning revealed nothing missing from the building. Other bank officials said damage to equipment was very minor. Parts for two of the safes can be quickly reassembled. Only the safe from which the handles were broken off will require any repairs, they said.

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He said the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the State Bureau of Investigation had been notified and agents were on the way to Greenville. Detectives searched the entire building for fingerprints as their investigation of the break-in continued. The investigation delayed the opening of the bank slightly from the usual 9 a.m. to about 9:45.

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Krushchev Says Honest Agreement Wanted

Russia Prepared To Wait

MOSCOW (AP)—Communist Party Secretary Nikita Khrushchev said yesterday that Russia wants an agreement "on an honest basis" at the Geneva summit talks but is strong enough to wait if the West is not prepared to negotiate seriously.

Khrushchev's host at the U. S. Embassy's Fourth of July party, Charles d'Aulaires, Walter N. Wamsley, replied: "I do not think the President of the United States would go to Geneva without serious reasons."

The Communist party chief and other top Russian officials, including Premier Nikolai Bulganin, put in a surprise appearance at the party. No such high-ranking group of Soviet leaders have ever before attended an embassy function.

In a speech he said he wanted to make to the guests, Khrushchev said the Russians are not going to the July 18 conference "with broken legs"—crippled by harvest failures or other breakdowns in the Soviet economy.

"We are going upright like soldiers to meet with worthy partners and that is the only right way," he declared. "If we talk on an equal basis, all parties, and if the talks are honest and sincere, equal to equal, something will come of it."

The party was held in the elm-shaded garden of Spasso House Ambassador S. E. Bohen's residence. In addition to Khrushchev and Bulganin, former Premier Georgi Malenkov, First Deputy Premier A. I. Mikoyan and Defense Minister Georgi Zhukov were among the Soviet bigwigs on hand.

With Bohen in the United States helping Eisenhower prepare for the Geneva talks, Wamsley and Mrs. Bohen did the honors.

Asserting that people in the West "pay little attention to what we say and prefer to read tea leaves," Khrushchev told Wamsley: "They ponder why the Soviet Union has made so many proposals that please the West so much. Of course we made these proposals not for the purpose of pleasing somebody. We made these decisions because they were the right decisions and this is what motivated us."

The Soviet chief added that some people "think that if the Soviet Union makes a contribution there was something that forced it to make that decision and even that the Soviet Union was afraid of some catastrophe if she did not."

Four Carolina Trailways buses collided, one behind the other, this morning on U.S. Highway 258 about one mile north of Farmville.

No one was injured in the collision.

The four buses were loaded with officers and were en route from Norfolk Naval Base to a Naval Base at Charleston, S.C.

The accident occurred about 11:30 a.m. when the lead bus stopped in the highway to avoid oncoming traffic. The second bus in the group crashed into the rear of the first, the third into the second

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Miss White, Lieutenant Peacock Wed In Formal Ceremony

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The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alexander White of this city, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Peacock of Chapel Hill.

The Rev. Dr. Wallace I. Wolverton, rector of St. Paul's church, officiated at the double ring rites.

Arrangements of white stock, carnations and baby's breath placed on the altar between burning tapers formed the background for the ceremony. Pink and white Queen Anne's lace was banded in the church windows, and the pews were marked with ties of pink tulle and rosebuds.

Proceeding the entrance of the bride party, a prelude of nuptial music was presented by Miss Eva Hoopes, organist, and Miss Denyse McLawhorn, soloist. Miss McLawhorn sang "O Perfect Love" by Barnby, "The Greatest of These Is Love," arranged by Bitgood, and "A Wedding Benediction" by Lovelace. The traditional processional and recessional by Wagner and Mendelssohn were used.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an original formal gown of white tulle and lace over satin. The bodice featured a portrait neckline edged in lace, and tiny cap sleeves. A front panel of lace extended the length of the bouffant skirt, fashioned of tiers of lace-banded tulle which swept into a chapel train. Her four-tiered fingertip veil of white and pink silk illusion was attached to a lace and pearl coronet. She wore elbow mitts of lace and carried a small white satin covered Bible topped with a white orchid and showered with a cascade of feathered carnations. The Bible is one which has been in her family for many years and was used by her great-grandfather, Bishop Henry C. Lay, at the time of his consecration.

Miss Elizabeth White was her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Helen White Hawes, cousin of the bride, Miss Mary Ann Waldrop and Miss Virginia Perkins, all of Greenville; Miss Janet Green, cousin of the bride from Chapel Hill; Miss Letitia House of Beaufort; and Miss Leonora McCormick of Columbus, Ga.

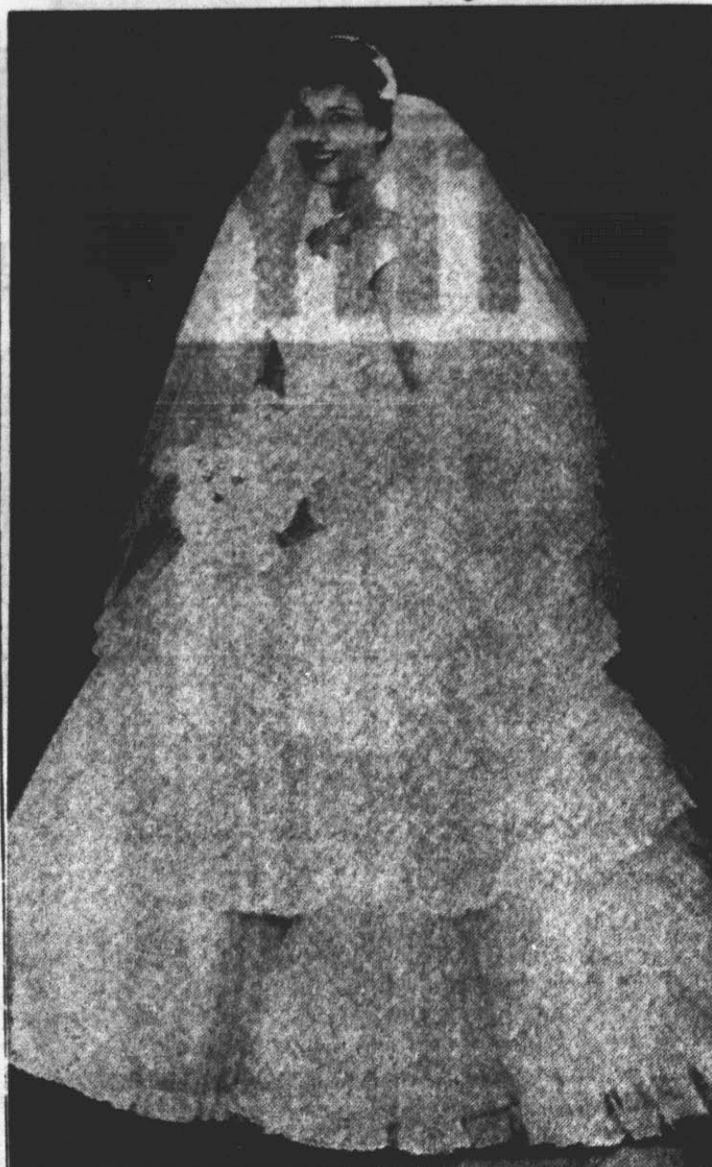
They were all gowned in identical floor length dresses of baby pink lace and tulle. The bodices featured a sweetheart neckline and was topped with a ruffle of lace edged in a tulle ruffle. The full tiered skirt was banded in lace. Headpieces were bandeaux fashioned of tiny pink flowers and tulle. They carried cascade bouquets of azalea pink carnations.

Flower girl was little Miss Jamie Leigh White, niece of the bride. Her dress was similar to the other attendants' and she scattered rose petals from a pink basket tied with carnations and tulle.

Dr. Eric Peacock Jr. of Chapel Hill acted as best man for his brother. Ushers were Hallette S. Ward Jr. of Lake Junaluska, cousin of the groom; Charles Alexander White Jr. of Greenville, brother of the bride; Alfred W. Hamer Jr. of Morganton, C. Houston Teague of Lexington, Va.; David J. Sharpe of Chapel Hill and A. C. Sorrell of Durham.

George Lay White, brother of the bride, served as acolyte.

The bride's mother wore a floor length dress of turquoise lace over taffeta with matching hat. Her corsage was of pink roses. The mother



of the groom was gowned in mauve lace with matching hat, and her corsage was also of pink roses.

Immediately following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. White entertained at a reception in the parish house honoring the bridal couple.

A pink and white color rose was observed in the decorations of mixed garden flowers. The mantel in the Guild room featured a bouquet of white gladioli and daisies flanked by silver candelabra holding long white tapers, and the stairway in the hall was entwined with greenery with an arrangement of white gladioli placed at the newel post.

Guests were greeted by Dr. and Mrs. Sam T. White II and little Miss Jamie Leigh White. Mr. and Mrs. W. Reid Perkins received at the entrance of the Guild room and made the introductions to the receiving line composed of the bride and groom, their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Tilden White, grandparents of the bride, and the bride's attendants.

Also receiving in the Guild room were Mrs. Helen White Hawes and W. H. White.

Dr. and Mrs. John L. Winstead and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Green, aunt and uncle of the bride from Chapel Hill, directed guests to the banquet hall where they were received by Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Little, Dr. and Mrs. Wallace I. Wolverton and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Greene.

Here the long refreshment table was laid with a cloth of ruffled white tulle over pale pink satin and ap-

pointed with three silver branched candelabra which had in their centers epiphyllies filled with arrangements of pink snapdragons, carnations, roses and baby's breath.

Mrs. J. L. Fleming and Mr. and Mrs. James L. Fleming Jr. presided at the punch bowl placed at one end of the table, while at the other end Mrs. J. B. White and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McMillan served pink and white ice cream. Assisting in serving bridal cakes, mints and cheese straws were Misses Catherine Clark, Margaret Fleming, Anne Sutton, Sudie Mae Spain, Janice Omond Terry Flanagan, Lou White Winstead, Mary French Hawes, Margaret Ella Green, Anna Louise White, Joe Betty Barrett, Mary Frances King of Raleigh, Lou Grosland of Charlotte, Mrs. Zack Taft and Mrs. Virginia Haynes.

Dr. and Mrs. K. B. Pace and Mrs. Lytle G. Zuber, aunt of the bride from Columbus, Ohio, invited guests to the hall where Mrs. W. L. Whichard and Mrs. Verlin Gripp of Sioux City, Iowa, presided at the bride's book.

Goodbyes were said to Mr. and Mrs. Alton Barrett, Miss Jane Hadley and Mr. and Mrs. David J. Whichard.

For traveling the bride changed to a two-piece costume dress of black and white cotton. She wore a small black hat with white trim, and white accessories. Her corsage was the orchid lifted from her Bible.

Upon their return from a wedding trip to the mountains, the couple will be at home at Fort Bragg.

Mrs. Peacock is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Tilden White of Greenville and Mrs. George William Lay of Chapel Hill and the late Rev. Lay, former rector of St. Mary's School and Junior College in Raleigh. She was educated in the Greenville city schools and graduated from St. Mary's Junior College in 1953, where she majored in voice and piano. This spring she received an A. B. degree with a major in voice from Salem College where she was chosen 1955 May Queen. She made her debut at the 1952 Terpsichorean Ball in Raleigh.

Lt. Peacock whose father is a professor in the School of Business Administration at the University of North Carolina, graduated from Gordon Military College in Barnesville, Ga. and received a B. S. degree in commerce from the University of North Carolina in 1950. In 1952 he was awarded the Master's degree from the Harvard graduate school of business administration. From 1952 until 1955 he was employed by First Mills Inc. of Durham. He is currently serving on active duty with the Air Force at Pope Air Force Base, Fort Bragg. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Beta Gamma Sigma honorary fraternities, Alpha Kappa Psi professional fra-

ternity, and Sigma Nu social fraternity.

Out-of-Town Guests
Out-of-town guests for the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. Eric Peacock Jr., David Sharpe, Miss Maude Lee, Mrs. William B. Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Green, Miss Janet Green, Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Howell of Chapel Hill; Mrs. Hallette S. Ward, Hallette S. Ward Jr., Miss Ulyse Lancaster, Lake Junaluska; Mr. and Mrs. C. Houston Teague, Lexington, Va.; Miss Leonora McCormick, Columbus, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. Joe House, Miss Letitia House, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Woodland, Beaufort; Miss Mary Frances King, Raleigh; Mr. and Mrs. W. Bruce Warren, Miss Hansey Warren, Durham; Dr. and Mrs. W. Collier Bailey, George C. Bailey, Norfolk, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. P. McNeer Dillon, Miss Patsy Dillon, P. McNeer Dillon Jr., Statesville; Miss Mary Lou Crosland, Charlotte; Mrs. Sam Cornwell, Miss Elizabeth Cornwell, Miss Janet Cornwell, Minneapolis, Minn.; Mrs. Verlin Gripp, Sioux City, Iowa; Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Leps, Miss Josephine Leps, Gainesville, Fla.; Miss Elizabeth W. Holmes, Mount Olive; Mrs. Lytle Zuber, Columbus, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hamer, Morganton; A. C. Sorrell, Durham; Dr. and Mrs. Major I. Fleming, Rocky Mount; Mr. and Mrs. Laurie Ellis, Mrs. Dennis T. McLawhorn, Miss JoAnne McLawhorn, Miss Denyse McLawhorn, Winterville.

Rehearsal Dinner, Cake Cutting
Following the Peacock-White wedding rehearsal Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Tilden White, Mrs. Helen White Hawes, Miss Helen White Hawes and William Henry White entertained at a dinner and cake cutting at the Woman's Club.

Guests were received by the hosts and hostesses and the guests of honor and directed to the front parlors where a color note of pink and white was observed in the floral decorations of dahlias, gladioli and baby's breath. From a table covered with a lace cloth over green satin and appointed with an antique bowl of pink flowers and silver candelabra holding green tapers, fruit appetizers, melon balls, stuffed grapes and cheese hearts were served by Miss Dornier Jenkins, Miss Lou Winstead, Miss Mary French Hawes and Miss Elizabeth White.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alexander White and Mr. and Mrs. Eric Peacock received at the door of the banquet hall and directed guests to the banquet table laid with a white embroidered cloth and centered with a silver tureen filled with stock, gladioli, carnations and baby's breath. This arrangement was flanked on either side by silver candelabra holding green tapers. Guests were served turkey, ham and accompaniments by Mrs. J. B. White, Mrs. J. L. Fleming and Mrs. G. B. W. Hadley. They were shown by Dr. and Mrs. Sam T. White II to small tables, holding arrangements of white flowers, placed throughout the room. Mantels in the parlors and banquet hall were banded with magnolias.

A three tiered wedding cake iced in green and white centered the bride's table which was covered with an imported Venetian lace cloth over green satin. The base of the cake was surrounded by green carnations while on either side were placed five branched silver candelabra holding white tapers. Members of the wedding party were invited to this table where bridal tokens were drawn and the cake was cut by the bride and groom. Wedding cake was served with lemon sherbet and green and white mints.

The honoree, her mother and Mrs. Peacock, mother of the groom, were remembered with orchid corsages. The guest list included members of the wedding party, out-of-town guests, family and a number of close friends.

Wedding Breakfast
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Waldrop and Miss Mary Ann Waldrop entertained the Peacock-White wedding party and out-of-town guests at a wedding breakfast at their home on East Tenth Street Saturday morning.

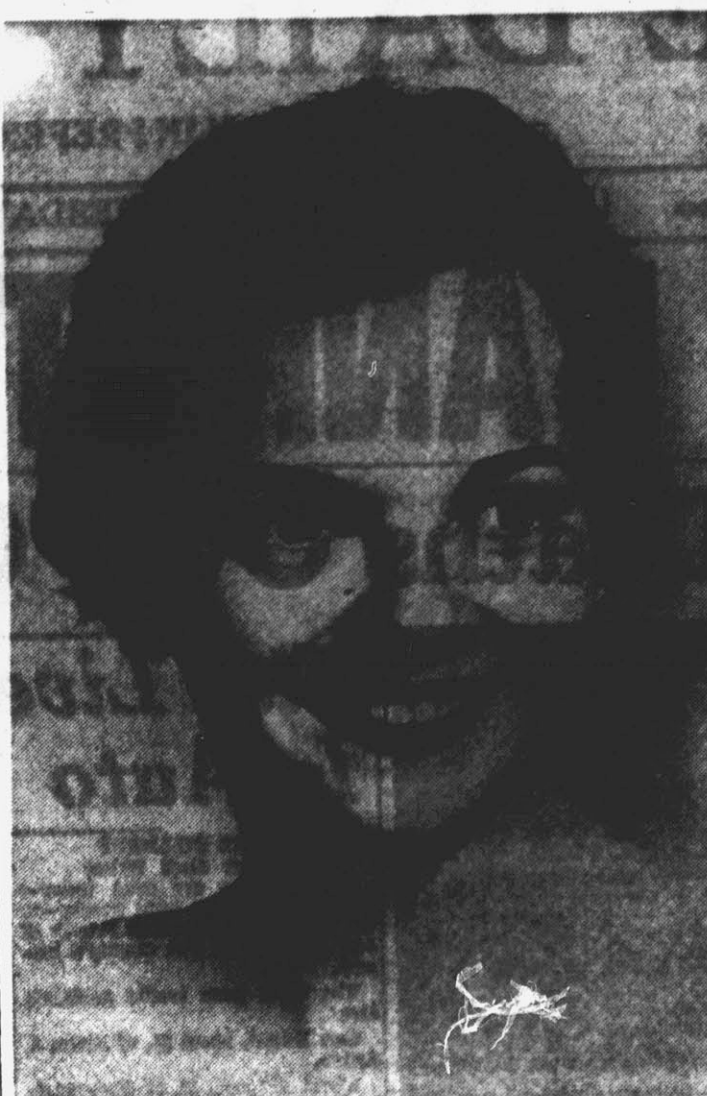
Guests were greeted by the bride and groom, and the bride's attendants. Mixed floral arrangements were used in decorating the home, and the bride's table was laid with a cloth of pale green organza over satin, centered with a flocked wedding bell tied with tulle and lilies of the valley and tied with white majestic daisies and gypsophylla. The centerpiece was flanked by spun sugar bells filled with decorative mints. Wedding place cards designated the seating arrangement at the bride's table and auxiliary tables.

Following the three course meal all the bridesmaids and ushers toasted the bride and groom.

Thirty-two guests were present for the occasion.

Open House
On Saturday afternoon Mrs. J. L. Fleming and Dr. and Mrs. John L.

Plans September Wedding



Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Davis of Carthage announce the engagement of their daughter, Doris Harriet, and Louis Erwin Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Clark of Greenville. The wedding will take place on September 17 in the Carthage Methodist Church.

Winstead held open house for the Peacock-White wedding party and out-of-town guests.

Miss Mary French Hawes and Joe Winstead and Miss Lou Crosland and Jim Winstead were on the front porch to welcome the guests.

Dr. and Mrs. Sam T. White II received at the front door and presented guests to the receiving line composed of the host and hostesses, the bride couple-elect, their parents and Mr. and Mrs. Sam T. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Waldrop and Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Dillon of Statesville directed callers to the dining room where a color scheme of gold and green was carried out. The table was laid with a green satin cloth and centered with an arrangement of yellow roses, gladioli and majestic daisies.

Mrs. J. B. White and Mrs. M. I. Fleming poured punch while assisting in serving party accompaniments carrying out the gold and green color motif were Miss Helen White Hawes, Miss Elizabeth White, Miss Lou Winstead and Miss Patsy Dillon.

Guests mingled informally throughout the house and porch which were decorated with arrangements of white summer flowers. Goodbyes were said to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McMillan.

Approximately 100 guests called during the afternoon.

Coffee Hour

On Friday morning at 11:30, Mrs. J. B. White and Mrs. Thomas McMillan entertained at a coffee hour at the home of Mrs. White honoring Miss Barbara White, bride-elect. Miss Lou Crosland and Miss Mary French Hawes welcomed the guests at the front door, inviting them into the hall where they were received by Mrs. White, Mrs. McMillan, Miss Barbara White and Mrs. Charles White, mother of the bride. Mrs. John Winstead invited the

THURSDAY
7:30 p.m.-10:30 p.m.—Painting for Fun, Recreation Building, Elm St. Park.

FRIDAY
10:00 a.m.—Ladies Day at the Country Club.
6:30 p.m.—Kiwanis Club.
6:30 p.m.—Exchange Club.
7:30 p.m.—Red Men meet.
7:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m.—Pre-teen square dancers meet at Elm St. Park.

SATURDAY
7:30 a.m.—Credit Women's Breakfast Club meets at Old Towne Inn.

About half the two billion dollars given private charity in the United States each year goes to charity rackets, says the Twentieth Century Fund.

Births
Dixon
Born to Mr. and Mrs. William I. Dixon, Winterville Rte. 1 a daughter, June 27 at Tayloe Hospital, Washington, N. C.
Mrs. Dixon is the former Miss Alberta Evans of Black Jack.

Masonic Notice
There will be instruction on the work of the three degrees Wednesday night at 7:30. Officers of the Lodge and interested Master Masons are invited to attend and enjoy the fellowship of learning the work.
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Hollywood Presbyterian Church Scene Of Schurrer-McGowan Rites

Miss Nina Lou McGowan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lennie McGowan of Greenville Route 2 became the bride of Roger Arthur Schurrer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin J. Schurrer of Cleveland, Wisconsin on Sunday, July 3 at 4:30 p.m. in the Hollywood Presbyterian Church.

The Reverend Matthew McGowan, brother of the bride, of the Chestnut Mountain Presbyterian Church, Georgia, officiated at the ceremony assisted by Reverend Edward Lee Willingham of the Hollywood Presbyterian Church, pastor of the bride.

Preceding the ceremony a program of nuptial music was presented by Miss Patricia Stanley and Mr. E. F. Metz of Greenville, violinist. Mrs. Edward Lee Willingham sang "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life" and "The Wedding Prayer." She sang "The Lord Bless You and Keep You" the benediction.

The pews forming the center aisle leading to the altar were decorated with gladioli, fern and white satin ribbons. The vows were spoken at the altar banked with baskets of white gladioli, plumosa and fern. In the background were seven branched candelabra with myriads of cathedral candles and a commodor and emerald bridal greenery. A wrought iron prie dieu with satin covered cushions and white nylon tulle was used in the center. On either side was tall candelabra holding cathedral candles.

The bride given in marriage by her father wore a ballerina gown of lace over satin designed with a portrait neckline. The bodice was fitted and had a bouffant skirt of lace and tulle. The long sleeves ended in calla points over the hands. Her finger tip veil of silk illusion was attached to an off-face cap of lace and tulle embroidered with pearls. She carried a satin covered prayer book showered with stephanotis and centered with a white hybrid orchid. She wore a diamond lavalier, gift of the groom.

Mrs. Raymond Brock, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Her ballerina gown was of mauve and over tulle with a fitted bodice and full bouffant skirt featuring a net stole. She wore a matching bandeau and mitts and carried a colonial bouquet of orchid nylon tulle and orchid carnations with matching satin ribbon.

The bridesmaids were Mrs. Tom Forbes and Mrs. Robert Stokes of Greenville. They wore ballerina gowns of blue net over tulle with a fitted bodice and bouffant skirts featuring a net stole and diagonal tucks across the bodice to the hip line. They wore matching bandeaus and mitts and carried colonial bouquets of azalea pink carnations tied with matching ribbons.

Mr. Raymond Brock, brother-in-law of the bride, was the best man and the groomsmen were Charles Edwin McGowan, brother of the bride, Tom Forbes, Johnnie Edwards and Frank Diener Jr., brother-in-law of the bride.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. McGowan wore a gray silk shantung street length dress with pink and white accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

Immediately following the ceremony the bride and groom and wedding party received in the back of the church.

Mrs. Schurrer is a graduate of Chocod High School and East Carolina College. Since her graduation in February she has been employed by the North Carolina Extension Service as an assistant Home Demonstration Agent in Halifax County.

Mr. Schurrer is a graduate of Central High School and has served 3 years in the United States Marine Corps.

Immediately following the ceremony the couple left for their wedding trip. For travel the bride wore a navy suit with white accessories and a white orchid from her prayer book. After a wedding trip to Wisconsin the couple will make their home in Raleigh where Mr. Schurrer will be enrolled as a student at North Carolina State College.

Following the wedding rehearsal Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alder entertained at a rehearsal party for the wedding party and out-of-town guests.



St. James Methodist Church To Install New Officers Tonight

The Stewards, trustees, and other officers of the St. James Methodist Church of Greenville will be officially installed this evening at 8 o'clock, in a special half-hour service conducted by the Minister, the Rev. J. Malloy Owen. In addition to officials of the Church itself, the newly elected officers of the Sunday School, Woman's Society of Christian Service, Methodist Men, and Methodist Youth Fellowship will be installed.

The new Conference year began with the adjournment of the Annual Conference in Fayetteville last Thursday evening.

The special installation service will follow the July supper meeting of the St. James Methodist Men, to be served at 6:45 p. m. this evening. Following the installation service, the new Official Board of the Church will hold its first meeting at 8:30. Board officers will be elected for the year 1955-56.

New stewards elected by the recent Quarterly Conference are W. Calvin Stokes, James G. Smith, J. C. Lamm, Dr. Leo W. Jenkins, Mrs. H. Franklin Steinbeck, John M. Farrow and Wilbur L. Croom, for terms extending through June 30, 1958. Re-elected stewards are Dr. Ernest W. Larkin, Jr., Howard L. Hodges, Jr., Van C. Fleming, Jr., Dr. Edward J. Carter, Leslie H. Garner, Gordon B. Berry, R. Connor Merritt Jr., Mitchell E. White, Jr., Joseph Garland Stone, George W. Smith, Edward A. Conway, Perry White, Harold S. Bowers, and Per Krogh.

In addition to the above Official Board members, all other officers of the Church and church organizations will be installed in the 8 o'clock service tonight.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

All items for this page received after 10 a.m. will be published the following day. Dial 6166—9 a.m. to noon; 1 to 4:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Jr. and children have recently moved from Santa Ana, Calif. to Greenville and are residing at 408 Ash St. Mr. Allen plans to enter E.C.C. and begin preparation for the ministry. Mrs. Allen is the former Dorothy Denny of Wilson.

Mrs. H. F. Snuggs and children of Pittsburgh, Pa. are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hellen.

Miss Jo Ann Manning has accepted a position with the North Carolina Dept. of Revenue in Raleigh after spending two weeks at Cherry Grove Beach, S. C. and two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Manning.

Broadcasting Two Keystone Sermons

Two of the main sermons delivered at the North Carolina Annual Conference of the Methodist Church held last week in Fayetteville will be broadcast by delayed transcription each morning this week by Radio State WGTG, Greenville, on its "Morning Meditations" program at 9:35 A. M.

Preacher, the Rev. Dr. Paul Rees, Minister of the First Church of the Covenant, Minneapolis, Minn., the two key-note addresses will be heard in twenty minute sections as they are introduced by the Rev. J. Malloy Owen, Minister of the St. James Methodist Church in Greenville.

Dr. Rees is the only minister whom Dr. Billy Graham has invited to preach on his weekly radio broadcast "The Hour of Decision."

Andresen, New ex officio stewards are Charles T. Marston, Sunday School Superintendent; Billie R. Lyverly, Membership and Evangelism Commission Chairman; Deanie Boone Haskett, Education Commission Chairman; J. Frank Strawn, Missions Commission Chairman; Kenneth G. Hite, Finance Commission Chairman; Howard L. Hodges, Jr., Lay Member of 1956 Annual Conference; Leon D. Hunning, First Reserve Lay Member of 1956 Annual Conference; Wyatt R. Highsmith, Lay Leader; Louise Anchors, Treasurer; Mrs. Ruland W. Davenport, Woman's Society of Christian Service President; Ruland W. Davenport, Methodist Men president; Mike Riddick, Methodist Youth Fellowship president. Elected a trustee for a three year term is Dr. George P. Harvey.

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Youth Revival

A youth revival is now going on in the Grace Free Will Baptist Church in Greenville. Rev. Jack Paramore is doing the preaching. The pastor, Rev. Rashie Kennedy, announces that the meeting will continue through Wednesday night.

30 Years Ago Today

July 5, 1925

The Literary Club is another new department of the Woman's Club. It has been organized and every member of the Woman's Club is eligible to membership. The Literary Club is planning a splendid program for the year's work and expects to accomplish great things. Those interested in this department who would like to join can call Mrs. W. H. Woolard.

Mr. L. A. Stroud, manager of Quim-Miller Co., left this morning for Chicago to attend the largest furniture convention held in the world. While away Mr. Stroud will visit Grand Rapids, Mich. and Sheboygan, Wis.

Vocalists To Offer Musical Hit Songs

Muriel Birkhead, soprano, and Charles Dunn, baritone, will present tonight at 8:15 in the Austin auditorium a program which will feature popular songs from musical comedy. The program, sponsored by the East Carolina College Entertainment Committee, will be open to the public. Selections on the program will feature the light and the tuneful side of good music and will include works by Jerome Kern, George Gershwin, Rodgers and Hammerstein and other popular composers.

Dr. Messick To Head Pamphlet Committee

President John D. Messick of East Carolina College has accepted an appointment as chairman of a committee which will prepare a pamphlet "Selecting a College President" for the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education.

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Industrial Arts Exhibit Thursday

Students of industrial arts at East Carolina College will stage an exhibition of their work in handicrafts at the college Thursday, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Room 125 of the Flanagan building.

The showing of projects carried out by students has been planned largely for teachers and prospective teachers. Exhibits, however, will be of interest to hobbyists and others interested in hand work in various media. Those who wish to attend are invited to be present.

Students of elementary industrial arts will display examples of work, both ornamental and utilitarian, in wood, tin plate, galvanized iron, copper, leather, and plastics. Scrapbooks, prepared by students and containing suggestions for vitalizing instruction in industrial arts, will be included in the exhibition.

Accompanying this group of projects will be a collection of text books on industrial arts and of simple tools used in making the objects on display.

Students in a college class in metal work will be represented by a selection of work which they have done in the industrial arts department.

The exhibition has been arranged under the direction of Dr. Kenneth L. Bing, director of the East Carolina Industrial Arts department. Students will act as guides and will be present to explain the projects and to conduct visitors through the shops in the department.

Joint Hosts To White Shriners

All Sojourners of the Greenville White Shrine of the White Shrine of Jerusalem were invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Cannon on East Tenth Street Wednesday evening. Co-hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ricks, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Forrest and Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Edwards.

The home was beautifully decorated with garden flowers.

Following several contests and games, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Carrington invited guests to the dining room where punch, poured by Mrs. Louise Wells, ham, biscuits, cookies, nuts and sandwiches were served.

Following the social hour a tour was made of the Cannon flower garden with its fish pond and swimming pool.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Redd and Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Carawan were invited guests.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO OWNERS OF VACANT LOTS IN CITY OF GREENVILLE

City Ordinances require each property owner to keep vacant lots cleaned of weeds and tall grass.

Lot owners are advised that if the lots are not cut within a reasonable length of time, the City will have the work done and charge the owner the cost thereof.

The City has made arrangements with Mr. Lawrence Tyson to cut the lots. He may be contacted at telephone No. 4798 or 4628.

C. K. BEATTY
Director of Public Works
July 1-5-8

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed and delivered by Robert E. Howell and wife, Rena C. Howell, to Dink James, Trustee for First Federal Savings & Loan Association of Greenville, North Carolina, dated December 30, 1950, of record in Book 2-28, page 413 of the Public Registry of Pitt County default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured thereby and other terms and provisions of said instrument violated, the undersigned will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash before the Courthouse door in Greenville, N. C., at 12:00 o'clock noon Friday, July 8, 1955, the following described lot or parcel of land and improvements thereon:

BEGINNING at an iron pin at the intersection of Myrtle Street and Washington Street and running in a northerly course 150 feet to an iron pin; thence in an easterly course 66 feet and 8 inches to an iron pin; thence in a southerly course 150 feet to an iron pin, to

Myrtle Street; thence in a westerly course 66 feet and 8 inches with the property line of Myrtle Street to the point of BEGINNING. This being Lots No. 8 and No. 16 and 8 inches of the western part of Lot No. 9 in Block 12 of the Higgs Brothers property. The same being the identical property conveyed by J. W. Higgs and wife, Sadie D. Higgs, to Robert E. Howell and wife, Rena C. Howell, by deed dated March 20, 1946, of record in the Pitt County Registry in Book R-22, page 434. For further description see map made by H. L. Rivers, March, 1924 for E. B. J. W. and J. S. Higgs, appearing of record in Map Book 2, page 180 of the said Registry. This 3rd day of June, 1955.

DINK JAMES, Trustee
June 14-21-28 July 5

NOTICE

NORTH CAROLINA
PITT COUNTY

The undersigned, having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of J. L. Jolly, deceased, late of Pitt County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before June 21, 1955, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This 31st day of June, 1955.
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The Stern Challenge Must Be Accepted

The stern challenge issued North Carolina's 15 new Superior Court judges should be kept foremost in the minds of the new jurists as they assume their highly respected and tremendously responsible positions.

Gov. Hodges voiced the sentiments of The Reflector, and we feel a large number of North Carolinians when he told the new judges "only by self-analysis and correction can the courts and the bar hope to hold the respect and confidence of our people."

The state's chief executive also said he felt the courts could hold the respect and confidence of the people "by installing better procedures, by de-emphasizing unnecessary technicalities, by refusing to put up with dilatory tactics causing cases to remain on dockets for months and sometimes years . . ."

North Carolina's court dockets are shamefully congested with old cases which

have been put off time and again and have never come to trial. That applies to criminal dockets which have large backlogs of cases in many counties, and is even more pronounced in the civil dockets in counties throughout the state.

The courts and the jurists which preside over them must assume a portion of the responsibility for the deplorable situation. Members of the legal profession likewise must share the responsibility for delaying tactics which have caused much of the congestion in Superior Court calendars. The general public of the state has also contributed to the undesirable condition by its passive attitude toward the courts which had done little to encourage expeditious handling of civil and criminal cases.

North Carolina's number of Superior Court judges were increased by the 1955 General Assembly because of general recognition of the seriousness of the situation, and a determination to rectify the unhealthy situation.

The primary responsibility for bringing Superior Court dockets up to date in the next two years rests upon the shoulders of the judges. In this task they will need the help and support of members of the bar as well as the rank and file citizens of the state. With proper determination on the part of all three groups, the state's courts can reach the desired goal by 1957.

New Attorney General Has Demonstrated Ability

In the selection of William B. Rodman to succeed the late Harry McMullan as North Carolina's Attorney General, Gov. Hodges has picked an able attorney and legislator.

Although Rodman lacks popularity among many groups in North Carolina, he has demonstrated his ability at the bar as well as in the Senate and House of the North Carolina General Assembly.

As chairman of the House Finance Committee during the 1953 and 1955 legislative sessions, Rodman demonstrated his ability to deal with difficult problems in difficult situations. That experience should stand him in good stead in the tedious days which lie ahead for the Attorney General's office in North Carolina and other Southern states.

In the appointment of Rodman as Attorney General, Gov. Hodges has killed two birds with one stone. He has paid off another political debt, for Gov. Hodges is indeed indebted to Rodman for the handling of his finance program in the legislature; and at the same time he has chosen an attorney of proven ability for the state's highest legal office.

Strength for the Day

By EARL L. DOUGLASS
A PAT ON THE BACK

The words of an old popular song advised us, "Give yourself a pat on the back, and say to yourself, 'Your jolly good health, you've had a good day today.'"

There is probably some sound psychology in this. We all like to be reassured, praised, congratulated. Provided confidence does not swell into over-confidence and self-delusion, it is good to be able to hold up our heads.

But better still is giving someone else a pat. We all tend to regard ourselves as not nearly so lucky or happy as we ought to be. Yet if we look around with anything like an impartial view, we are likely to be astonished at the number of people whose good fortune is much less, whose burden is heavier.

The neighbors with the crippled child; the young wife whose husband has suddenly died; the friend with no job; the fellow-worker in poor health—what of them, and the hundreds like them in even our own small world? We cannot solve their problems; we can never really bear their burdens, but we can help.

This very day, by a friendly word, a small courtesy, a few minutes of sincere interest, you can make someone's sky a bit brighter. And you may be surprised to find out that your own sky is brighter, too.

National Whirligig

Democrats Also 'Like Ike'

By RAY TUCKER

WASHINGTON—Democrats on Capitol Hill have apparently appropriated the Republicans' 1952 campaign cry of "We like Ike." According to a survey by the Congressional Quarterly, they are running almost neck-and-neck with the Republicans in support of Administration policies and doing even better in the foreign field than the GOP.

In fact, the opposition's partiality toward the President has increased instead of diminishing, even though the Parties must square off in a national election next year. At last year's Congress, the Democrats supported Ike only 39 per cent of the time, whereas the figure has jumped to 57 per cent today. Totals for the Republicans are 74 and 64 per cent, showing a 10 per cent falling off on his side of the aisle.

For some reason, Senate and House Republicans have changed positions with regard to Ike. Last year, the Senate stood behind him only 68 per cent, as against 74 per cent today. Last year, the House backed him 77 per cent of the time, but the figure has fallen to 61 per cent at the present session.

REPUBLICANS BOW FOR REASONS—But there is a catch—a flaw—in the Republicans' following of the line laid down by their first President in 20 years. Many bowed to the leaders' lash and went along because of outrage considerations. They did not want to endanger jobs for their constituents by antagonizing President Eisenhower or Sherman Adams, patronage dispenser. Moreover, they realize that they may have to live with and run with Ike in next year's campaign.

The Democrats' support on the other hand, was a free-will offering. In the foreign field, where they voted for the Administration 69 per cent of the time, as against the Republicans 62 per cent, the opposi-

Dread That Kitchen, Cold And Efficient

Somebody ought to start predicting that in two more generations young husbands will not be gloating over the brides cooking and murmuring "just like Mom used to cook."

Food processors are going further and further into the field of preparing foods so that the individual touch in cooking may become a thing of the past. More than that, some seers are broadly hinting the kitchen (as such) is on the way out in future homes.

Biscuits, pies, cakes, rolls and even cookies are to be had today, requiring only a few minutes in an oven. Meats, vegetables and even elaborate salads and desserts are ready to be given only the final touch before placing before the family.

Prepared mixes, frozen foods, canned foods and partially-prepared foods . . . your grocery store is loaded with them.

Does this portend the decline of culinary artistry?

The drudgery (some call it) of kitchen work is being reduced at a fabulous rate; its place is being offered standardized foods, in flavors and preparation.

We know some women today take a great deal of pride and satisfaction in their kitchen skills, just as their mothers did before them. Their kitchens are always friendly places where you like to go, if for nothing better than to just stand around and absorb something of the richness they hold.

The thought of its passing leaves a sombre tone in an otherwise cheerful outlook on what tomorrow will bring.

Business Today

Hardware Sale Shift

By ELMER ROESSNER
Many hardware stores are having a tough time. Department stores, with expanded do-it-yourself departments and credit terms have captured part of what used to be the trade of the traditional hardware store. The Sears, Montgomery Ward and other chains have taken another slice. Lumber yards, by adding hardware counters, have won a segment. Appliance stores, appliances whetted by profits on power tools, have added other hardware items. And variety stores, supermarkets and discount houses have cut themselves in for some of volume.

A father-and-son team in Boulder, Colo., decided to do a little fighting back. John Valentine Sr. and Jr. picked National Hardware Week for their time. The weather turned bad but the Valentines plunged ahead.

They kicked off an eight-day campaign with a full page, two-color newspaper advertisement and followed up with four more full pages and other displays to make a total of 1,087 column inches. This was backed up with radio commercials and 5,000 three-color circulars.

In addition, the Valentines arranged to have a number of factory representatives put on demonstrations in their store, they decorated their windows and provided give-aways for new customers.

The results: During the eight days despite inclement weather, the Valentines' sales were 17.12 per cent over the same eight days in 1954. And the National Retail Hardware Association named the Valentines the "Hardware Retailers of the Year," and presented them with a station wagon.

In announcing the award, Fred Olmstead, NRHA promotion manager, said, "The creative imagination demonstrated by John B.

Valentine, Jr., and his son in the hardware war, sales promotional efforts may well serve as the near-perfect example of what a well-planned retail promotion campaign can do to stimulate consumer buying."

AUTOMATION: THREE MEN RUN A PRODUCTION LINE
The trend toward automation in manufacturing is illustrated by a production line in a new \$100,000 addition to the Culligan plant at Northbrook, Ill. Off this line come plastic-lined water softener tanks.

On the line, galvanized metal tanks are automatically and blasted inspected, washed in hot water, sprayed with a plastic lining, inspected again, baked, and filled with a softening compound.

SOVIET STEPS UP GOLD SALES TO WEST

The theory that Russia's current peace moves are a consequence of internal troubles gains some coloration from its suddenly increased export of gold.

Pick's World Currency Report says that in the first five months of this year Soviet Russia has sold 3,500,000 ounces of gold to the British. Equalization fund and an Anglo-Swiss banking group. This gold, worth \$125,000,000 at American rates, is more than was sold in all of 1954 and only slightly less than was sold in all of 1953.

NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING AT NEW RECORD PEAK

Virtually "every newspaper lineage record in the book" was broken in May, according to measurements of 120 newspapers in 45 cities by Media Records. Recently buying newspaper space at an all-time record rate of \$650,000,000 Harold S. Barnes, director of the Bureau of Advertising, American Newspaper Publishers Association, declared on a basis of the Media figures.

Some Suggestions For Today's Investors With Vision

By ROGER W. BABSON
BABSON PARK, Mass. — Last week I showed that Uranium, Aviation, the Telephone, and Television are opening up the entire world to businessmen with vision. I will now offer some suggestions to investors with vision.

J. R. GOVETT
For the past 100 years English and American promoters have sought "concessions" to invest money and do business in foreign countries. These concessions consisted of railroad and trolley lines, electric power plants, manufacturing or merchandizing operations, and later mining and timber rights. Some were unprincipled exploitations, but most have been honestly operated. All, however, have given little attention to the local people of these foreign countries, almost none of whom have had a stock in the enterprise.

These "one-sided" agreements have caused many diplomatic misunderstandings and even revolutions. "Against the white man" Where the "white man" has insisted on his "pound of flesh" and has refused to voluntarily give up anything, he has ultimately lost, but in Burma this has not been the case. I have in mind Burma Mines Limited, Burmah Oil Co., and other foreign developments. Burma has a wonderful climate and faces on the Bay of Bengal mid-India. During World War II Burma was sacked by the Japanese, and Burmese companies were forced to reorganize. J. R. Govett of 37 Dover Street London, formulated a plan which will be used worldwide.

THE BURMA PLAN

Mr. Govett's plan divides stock ownership, and membership on the Board of Directors of the Foreign-owned companies between the old stockholders and the foreign government at the start of the reorganization. One half of

the stock goes to the old stockholders, and the other half is put in trust in a Rangoon bank to be delivered to the Burmese Government as it contributes labor and native supplies. The Govett Plan insures that the profits hereafter will be divided fifty-fifty. The foreign national supplies the ore or oil, or customers if it is a utility, while the English and American investors supply the "know-how" and management.

I not only believe in the future of these Burma "50-50" companies, but also I believe in other companies in Africa, Australia, and Argentina which are considering the Govett Plan. Powerful Standard Oil interests have just adopted a similar plan for the Argentine, and the St. Joseph Lead Company may follow. A great opportunity for the Govett Plan lies with the American & Foreign Power Company which has holdings in Argentina, Brazil, Mexico, Venezuela, Colombia, Ecuador, Guatemala, Panama,

Chile, Cuba, Costa Rica and China. Most of these properties I have personally visited, including the Shanghai Power Company.

SHANGHAI POWER COMPANY
This was a most valuable property in a city of 6,000,000 population. When it was expropriated by the Communists, it probably could have been saved by adopting the Govett-Burma Plan; but the American & Foreign Power Company, which owned it, hesitated to make such an offer fearing to set a precedent. As a result, the Shanghai Power Company bonds sold to U.S. investors originally for \$1,000 each, can now be bought for \$5 each. The properties are still mentioned in the annual reports, but no capacity, output, or earnings figures are included.

Certainly the stock of the American & Foreign Power Company is one of the most interesting of foreign investments today. There are 7,224,338 shares of

common stock outstanding, and a large debt. The stock paid \$0.75 in 1954 and sells at about \$4. If the Management has the vision and courage to gradually change the ownership of its foreign properties over to the Burma Plan, this American & Foreign Power stock could sell much higher.

This would especially be true if Congress should pass certain tax legislation favoring foreign investments. If, however, the Management and Congress are stubborn, this stock could become valueless. Several times I have personally talked this problem over with the Company's famous founder, the late Sidney Mitchell, but it was wasted breath on my part. He was an honest and remarkable man, with technical training and great energy, but he was a hard dictator with very little social vision. Unfortunately, this applies to the heads of many big corporations today that have large foreign investments.

He indicated that when he gets the utilities general, the utilities commission and the agriculture boards filled he may let many of the other 130-odd appointments "ride" for a time while devoting his attention to State finances and budget control. There are few real vacancies on the numerous boards and commissions, because the statutes provide that incumbents hold over until their successors are named and qualified.

Furthermore, Governor Hodges has demonstrated purpose to continue in office all incumbents who will agree to do the job assigned. That attitude was manifested in reappointment of Superior Court judges, education and C&D board members and others without too much consideration as to how or by whose choice they first came to their positions.

Around Capitol Square

Hodges Convinced Governorship Is Three-Man Job

By LYNN NISBET

TRIPLE-DUTY — Seven and a half months in the Governor's office has convinced Luther Hodges that it is a three-man job. He told reporters he had analyzed it like this. It takes just about full time for one man in normal working hours to

handle the paper work of the office. The preparation and delivery of speeches, including time required for traveling to and from speaking points, is another full time job. Then there is the most important part of all, that for which the people elected a Governor, the "running of the

State." Somewhat facetiously and in answer to a reporter's question the Governor admitted that being a candidate is also almost a full time job.

Governor Hodges has two able men assisting his private secretary, Ed Rankin, and an administrative assistant, Paul Johnston. Governor Scott also had two assistants in the office, the first two had been executive in other such need. The Governor has also a very competent clerical staff. None of these persons has authority in his own name to perform official duties of consequence, and however much help they may be in handling details the Governor is still accountable.

RELIEF — Act of the 1955 Legislature implementing a constitutional amendment ratified last fall relieves the Governor of responsibility for paroles, placing that duty in the hands of the board appointed by him. His office also was relieved of appointing justices of the peace, but he still must commission notaries public.

Offsetting the relief afforded by transfer of paroles and justices of the peace to the board, the Governor with responsibility for appointing nearly all printing and publications done at taxpayers expense. It is expected that this item will be handled by the budget bureau, which although technically a division under the Governor's office is physically separate and housed in a different building.

The Governor took cognizance of complaints that the paroles commission as it has been constituted for the past two years the same personnel having been reappointed under the constitutional provision for complete authority has been hard boiled and hard to reach. He released statistics covering the past five administrations which tend to refute this charge, and also provide interesting sidelight as to the effect of economic conditions on prison population.

During the Enimhaus administration, 1933-37, there was an average of 17,000 prisoners admitted each year. There were 2,244 paroles, an average of 361 per year, or 33 per cent of admissions. The Hoy administration, 1937-41, had 19,000 yearly admissions, 2,094 paroles, an average of 6734 a year or 354 per cent of admissions. The Broughton regime, 1941-45, saw only 6,300 admissions, a year with a total of 2,508 paroles, a yearly average of 627 or 9.95 per cent of admissions.

Governor Cherry, 1945-49, paroled 2,910 an average of 7275 a year or 661 per cent of the 11,000 annual admissions. Governor Scott's record from 1949-53 was 2,197 paroled, an average

of 549.26 each year or 3.92 per cent of the 14,000 average annual admissions.

By way of comparison it is noted that during the past year, June 1, 1954, through May 31, 1955, Governors Unstead and Hodges, at instance of the paroles commission, paroled 780 prisoners, or 4.87 per cent of the 16,000 admissions. That is more in actual number than in any previous year and is more percentage wise than any administrations except Broughton and Cherry.

That is where economic conditions come into the picture. The lowest percentage was established by Enimhaus in the depression years when outside jobs were not available and when many prisoners preferred security rather than taking a chance for scarce jobs. The highest percentage occurred in the Broughton war years when acceptable manpower was in short supply and there were heavy demands for civilian labor.

STATE — Getting back to the Governor's job of "running the State" which he regarded as most important of all the three-phase activities, Governor Hodges said he thinks he is fairly "current" on required appointments to important positions. He has made this year more than 100 appointments and has, according to his count, 140 to go. Most of these are of relatively minor significance, although necessary for naming an attorney general,

a utilities commissioner, a member of the board of agriculture and perhaps a few others must be regarded as highly important.

He has named all the judges, education board members—for both public schools and higher institutions, filled all vacancies on C&D and health boards, three of four vacancies on the board of agriculture and one of two on the utilities commission. Also he has completed most of the advisory and study commissions authorized by the General Assembly and a number of institutional and examining boards.

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Tony Curtis Is Riding High In Film Career

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Tony Curtis is hotter than a firecracker these days, and nobody could be happier than Tony Curtis.

Tony has always been his own best booster, and it's refreshing in a way. There's enough hypocritical modesty in this town. Obviously actors are sold on themselves or they wouldn't be actors.

Tony breezed into his dressing room during the lunch break of "The Square Jungle." He plays a boxer in the film and was sporting a pair of trunks and a tattered robe.

"Like it?" he grinned. "I had it tailored especially for me."

He excused himself for a shower to wash off the glycerin which had been used on his body during fight scenes. No sense in a star's using his own sweat, you know.

Tony munched on a lean lunch of cold cuts, designed to keep his figure under control.

Meanwhile he enthused about his film future.

He leaves next month for Europe, where he'll co-star with Gina Lollobrigida and Burt Lancaster in "Trapeze," directed by Carol Reed.

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Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Clumsy boat
4. Iridescent jewel
8. Pay one's part
12. Disputations
15. Pitcher
16. Pigeon
17. Nothing
18. Humor
20. Spin
22. Note of the scale
24. Small explosion
26. Period of time
27. Exists
29. Cuckoo
31. Beam
33. Scraped lines
35. State of a body glowing with white heat

DOWN
3. Requite
40. Pointed hill
41. Of us
42. Syllable of hesitation
43. Chalice
46. Dibble
48. About
49. Gray-white mineral
51. Genes of the cow
53. Serpent
55. Split
57. Musical work
60. Unkind
63. Wagers
64. British statesman
65. Seino



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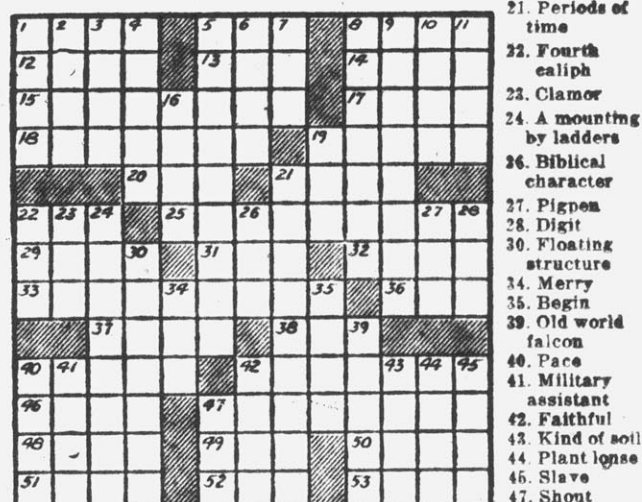
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ACROSS
1. Cudgels
5. Definite one
8. Baby carriage
12. Single thing
13. Operated
14. City in Nevada
15. Deprive of natural qualities
17. Solemn assertion
18. Draw
19. Turkish money
20. Ostrich-like bird
21. Applaud
22. Soft drink
26. Most drowsy
28. Speak imperfectly

DOWN
31. Sea bird
32. Roman statesman
33. Unknown
36. Grain
37. Bodily structure: abbr.
38. Prosperous times
40. Saline
42. Molasses
46. Chinese money of account
47. Wrinkles
48. Taro root
49. Regret
50. Gain by labor
51. Hammer head
52. Affirmative
53. Danish parmesan



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Well Plastered, Inside And Out

YADKINVILLE, N.C. (AP)—State Highway Patrolman R.L. Carpenter arrested a man who was really plastered.

The man piled up his car on a highway and came out white as a ghost. A sack of flour in the car had burst. Carpenter said the man

also was plastered with the usual stuff.

TWO-BIKE BOY

ALBUQUERQUE (AP)—Donny Potter, 15, had heard of two-car families. Sounded like a good idea. He got another bike—sort of beaten up, but it'd run. His good one he used to ride to school. The other was to use on his paper route. "I just didn't want to bang up my good bike," he explained.

Copper Strike In Its Fifth Day; Talks To Resume

DENVER (AP)—The nationwide copper strike moved into its fifth day today as an estimated 22,000 members of the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers continued picketing at plants and mines operated by three of the four biggest producers.

All negotiations concerning the independent union's demand for a 20-cent hourly wage hike, guaranteed annual wage and fringe benefits were suspended over the Independence Day weekend.

However, a union spokesman at Denver said he expected the talks would resume on several fronts today.

The walkout began early Friday at facilities of the Phelps-Dodge Corp., Kennecott Copper Corp. and American Smelting & Refining Co. after Mine-Mill contracts with the firms expired.

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Sports Roundup

By GAYLE TALBOT

NEW YORK (AP)—The sooner that Wes Santee or some other American runner hotfoots a four-minute mile, the better, say officials and employees of the local branch of the AAU. They're beginning to get a bit impatient.

For nearly 14 years now the Metropolitan Assn. has been giving house room to a large and handsomely imposing hunt of silverware, just waiting for the day when it can thrust the prize into the hands of a fellow citizen and scam out of there, having finally discharged a solemn obligation.

Back just over a year ago, when Roger Bannister and John Landy began ripping off four-minute miles for weekend exercise and it looked as though the feat might become commonplace, the girls around the office hauled the two-foot trophy from its hiding place and gave it a terrific polish.

Since then they have watched despairingly as Santee has failed to make the mark, and the trophy has been reverting to its former tarnished state.

The story of the orphaned object goes back to Sept. 25, 1941, when Col. Hans Lagerloef, a member of the local Swedish American Athletic Club, decided it to the Metropolitan group for presentation to the first Yankee doodler to hit the magic mark "before Nov. 1, 1946."

The colonel evidently felt there was going to be a four-minute mile almost any day, and he assumed naturally, that an American would be the bucko to do it. He played safe only to the extent of saying that, in the improbable event nothing had happened within the specified period the AAU could do with the cup as it saw fit.

There came the rub. There was a war, and for several years America's athletes had things to do other than running the mile. When Nov. 1, 1946, came and went without the mug having found a home, its temporary guardians had to make a decision. Either they could award the percolator to, say, the first amateur athlete turning in an honest expense account, or they could stick to Col. Lagerloef's original dream. They've been stuck ever since.

Farmville Club Wins Two Games

Farmville's second place members of the Coastal Plain League won two out of three weekend ball games to move closer to the league's top rung. Bill Kennedy's team shipped New Bern 13-0 Friday night behind the three-hit pitching of Fred Pittman, then split two games with Williamston on Saturday and Sunday.

Pittman was a complete master of the Friday night tussle as he shut out the Schiltz Bears. Farmville backed up the tall right-hander with a fourteen hit attack off the New Bern pitching.

Pittman and Streeter Tugwell led the Farmville hitting with three for four. Tugwell's three hits included two triples.

Saturday's Game
Saturday night young Jerry Trotter relieved Lefty Johnson in the third inning and went on to win the game for the Farmville team. Trotter allowed only one run over the seven innings he hurled. Farmville got eight hits off Williamston's Van Sexton to gain the 4-2 win.

Tugwell and Millard Webb each got two hits for Farmville.

Sunday's Game
Sunday afternoon Williamston's strikeout ace, James Perry, fanned only two Farmville batters but still scattered eleven hits well enough for the Braves to gain a 9-3 win. Williamston ganged up on Farmville pitching for five runs in the seventh inning to insure the win. Farmville touched Perry for three runs in the third, but could not score on him after that. The young Williamston high school ace gained his third consecutive win of the year in the game.

Wednesday night Farmville goes to Rocky Mount for a game with the Leafs, then they meet the Greenville Greenies in Farmville on Saturday night.

Yesterday's Stars

MONDAY'S STARS
By The Associated Press
PITCHING—Tom Hurd, Red Sox, allowed just two hits in 6 1/3 innings of his relief work to earn his fourth victory. Boston won the nightcap 10-5 and swept a double-header from the New York Yankees.

HITTING—Duke Snider, Dodgers, belted his 26th and 27th home runs and drove in five runs in a 3-for-4 first game performance, then drove in another run while getting 2-for-3 in the nightcap in an 11-2, 6-3 Brooklyn sweep of the Philadelphia Phillies.



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Greenies Defeat New Bern By 9-1

The Greenville Greenies snapped a 6-game losing streak here yesterday afternoon by pinning league-leading New Bern 9-1, in a Coastal Plain League game. The win gave the locals a split in the two-game series, New Bern having won Saturday night by a 6-5 count.

The victory was No. 15 against 14 losses for the fourth-placed Greenies. New Bern gained its 15th win and dropped its 10th loss.

Right-hander James Earl Pollard, after many fruitless starts, spun a brilliant 6-hitter for the triumph. The tall fastballer allowed two hits to only one New Bern player and held a enemy bows, except one, in the one-base category. Dean Hudson went the distance for the osers, allowing eight base hits.

Jim Carbone, Bears' centerfielder, doubled to rightfield in the fourth and scored a moment later on F. Bessie's single. Shortstop Joe Pollard got the next man to ground out to end the inning.

Heavy Assault
Greenville blew a tight 2-1 game wide open in the eighth inning by exploding for seven runs. Blaney Moye, the top man in the batting order, singled and was followed on base by Tom Boyd who walked. Mat Hall blasted a two-bagger and

Bowie Tripp connected for a booming triple, three runs scoring. Bobby Clark singled Tripp home and scored himself later on an error Earl Tripp and Bobby Flye also trotted across before the side was out, both scoring on infield grounders.

Leading the hit parade for the locals were Moye with two for five, Hall with two for four, and Clark with two for four. Hall and Tripp got Greenville's only extra-base smashes.

Saturday night in New Bern, the Bears pushed across a run in the ninth to break a 5-5 deadlock. Carbone worked Bobby Flye, who had relieved Junior Yohn in the eighth, for a walk and scored the winning run on Larry Gaskins' timely hit.

Early Lead

The Greenies had tied the game up in the eighth by scoring twice. Earlier in the sixth, they broke loose for three runs to take a momentary 3-2 lead. New Bern fought back for two runs in the seventh and one in the eighth to gain a tie and eventually go ahead.

Finney and Price teamed up to scatter six Greenville hits. Price was the winner, having relieved Finney in the fifth. Coggins started for Greenville but gave way under the hot sun. Yohn took over for him but had to be replaced himself in the eighth. Flye, who finished up, was the loser.

Mat Hall and Tom Boyd were the hitting stars for the Greenies with three for five and two for five respectively. Carbone, one of the hitting leaders in the league, had two hits for New Bern.

Marshall Happer Wins Net Title

GREENSBORO (AP)—Marshall Happer of Kinston held the junior title of the North Carolina Closed Junior Tennis Tournament today after his 6-2, 6-8, 7-5 victory over Dave Pearsall of Charlotte here yesterday.

Jack Hepting of Asheville won the boys' singles, defeating Reid Monroe of Salisbury 7-5, 2-6, 6-3. Hepting and Stan Cocke of Asheville teamed up to defeat Monroe and John Talley of Gastonia 6-1, 6-3.

The doubles team of Pearsall and Happer were to continue their junior doubles finals against Bill Weaver and John West of Durham today. Pearsall and Happer won the first set yesterday 6-4 while Weaver and West won the second 6-1 before rain halted the match.

Kinston Takes TBL Lead; Rice Fires No-Hitter

TOBACCO BELT LEAGUE

	W	L
Kinston	13	1
Tarboro	12	2
Pinetops	11	5
Grimesland	6	10
Falkland	2	12
Belvoir	1	12

Saturday's Results
Kinston 7, 17, Belvoir 0, 1
Grimesland 5, Falkland 4
Tarboro 7, 0, Pinetops 3, 3

Sunday's Results
Tarboro 8, Pinetops 2
Kinston 9, Belvoir 0 (forfeit)
Grimesland 13, 3, Falkland 5, 1

Kinston regained undisputed possession of first place in the Tobacco Belt League last weekend with three victories over last place Belvoir while Pinetops was handing Tarboro its second loss of the year.

Tarboro won two of three games with third place Pinetops, but the single loss dropped them down into second place behind the torrid pace of the Eagles.

Pinetops now trails Tarboro by two games. Fourth place Grimesland moved up closer to the leaders with three victories over Falkland. The Grimesland team is making a strong bid to get into the first division.

Belvoir dropped deeper into the cellar with its three losses, one loss because they could not field a complete team.

Johnny Rice of Kinston recorded the league's first no-hitter of the year Saturday afternoon as he shut out the Belvoir team without a safe bingle. Rice continued the spectacular pitching he has shown all year long.

Next weekend Tarboro and Kinston meet each other in three games that should pretty well decide the outcome of the pennant race. The outcome will go a long way toward settling their fight for first in the league.

Taxes Help Keep Trabert Amateur

Cincinnati (AP)—Federal income taxes may keep Tony Trabert a tennis amateur, the Wimbledon singles champion said today.

"I have no professional plans," he confided in an interview. "I have had no offer. If someone made me a definite proposition, I would consider the pros and cons."

One factor, he said, would be the taxes he would have to pay on any lump sum from a professional contract.

The 24-year-old champion, dubbed the "All-American Boy" because of his professional proficiency and his good off-the-court behavior, said he had a fine job as the West Coast representative of the American Security Bank Note Co.

"By staying an amateur, I can make the necessary business contacts for my firm, come out better financially and build a future," he explained.

STANDINGS

TUESDAY'S BASEBALL
By The Associated Press
(Eastern Standard Time)
AMERICAN LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.	Behind
New York	52	27	.658	—
Cleveland	46	31	.597	8
Chicago	44	30	.595	8 1/2
Boston	44	35	.557	9
Detroit	38	37	.507	12
Kansas City	33	42	.440	17
Washington	26	49	.347	24
Baltimore	21	53	.284	28 1/2

MONDAY'S RESULTS
Boston 4-10, New York 2-5
Chicago 6-3, Kansas City 3-4
Cleveland 6-8, Detroit 5-5 (1st game 15 innings)

Baltimore 6, Washington 2
NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.	Behind
Brooklyn	55	22	.714	—
Chicago	44	36	.550	12 1/2
Milwaukee	40	36	.526	14 1/2
Cincinnati	35	37	.486	17 1/2
New York	37	40	.481	18
St. Louis	34	40	.459	19 1/2
Philadelphia	33	43	.434	21 1/2
Pittsburgh	27	51	.346	28 1/2

MONDAY'S RESULTS
Brooklyn 11-6, Philadelphia 2-3
Pittsburgh 4-3, New York 3-5 (2nd game 11 innings)

St. Louis 4-5, Milwaukee 2-4 (2nd game 10 innings)
Cincinnati 6-3, Chicago 3-4

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Red Sox Move Into Fourth

Bosox Take Two From Yankees

By ED WILKS

The Associated Press

What in the world are the Boston Red Sox doing back there in fourth place? The way those guys look they ought to be away out front in the American League race.

They showed just about everything a manager could want—power hitting and great pitching—while whacking the league-leading New York Yankees in a double-header yesterday 4-2 and 10-5.

Ted Williams pounded a double and a towering home run in the opener. He walked as a pinch hitter in the nightcap.

But it wasn't all Williams. Willard Nixon made his record 7-2 over the New Yorkers, knocking home two runs with a single before retiring from the mound in the first game because of the 96-degree hit after five innings. Ike DeLoach took it from there.

A grand slammer by Jackie Jensen and a three-run homer by Norb Zaichin in the ninth were the big blows in the nightcap. Tom Hurd held New York to two hits in 6 1/3 innings of relief.

The sweep gave Boston 24 victories in the last 29 games.

Cleveland took second place in the league by beating Detroit twice, 6-5 and 8-5 while the White Sox slipped to third by splitting at Kansas City Chicago won the opener 8-3, lost the second 4-3. Baltimore beat Washington 6-2 in the only single game action.

In the National, first-place Brooklyn rapped Philadelphia twice, 11-2 and 6-3; Chicago split with Cincinnati, losing 6-3 before winning 4-3; St. Louis took two from Milwaukee, 4-2 and 5-4; Pittsburgh beat New York 4-3, then lost 5-3.

The day's work left the Yanks atop the American League, five games up on Cleveland, and Brooklyn ahead of the Cubs by 12 1/2 in the National. The Fourth of July rule of thumb has sent 36 American League leaders on the Fourth to the World Series in the past 54 years. Thirty-four of the National League leaders at this point have gone on to win in the last 55 years.

Both the Yanks and Dodgers, incidentally, have been among the more notable exceptions to the rule in the past.

Cleveland moved a half game ahead of the White Sox on Hal Naragon's pinch single to beat Detroit in the 15-inning opener with Bob Lemon winning No. 11 in relief. Larry Doby hit a pair of homers and Al Rosen one in the nightcap, but it was Bobby

Young's two-run triple that broke up a 5-5 tie for the victory.

The White Sox had 16 hits to beat Kansas City in their first game, but the A's bounced back to win the nightcap on an unearned run in the eighth after Hector Lopez had tied it two innings earlier with a two-run homer.

There were a total of 37 homers hit in the 15 games yesterday (the one-day record is 40) and the dodgers smacked six of the National League's 20. Duke Snider belted Nos. 26 and 27 and drove in six runs for the day while Don Newcombe and Clem Labine kept the Phils in check. For Newcombe it was No. 14.

A triple by Wally Moon and a single by Bill Virdon gave St. Louis the 10-inning nightcap at

Milwaukee after Del Crandall's pinch three-run homer had tied it in the ninth. Tom Poholsky six-hit the Braves and Rip Repulski broke up a 2-2 tie with a homer to win the opener.

Art Fowler limited the Cubs to four hits and Ted Kluszewski hit his 27th homer as Cincinnati topped Chicago in the opener. In the nightcap, Gene Baker broke it up for Chicago with a fifth-inning home run as Warren Hacker finally got a winner after eight straight defeats by the Redlegs.

The Giants salvaged a split on Willie Mays' 23rd homer in the 11th inning of the second game. Pittsburgh won the first when Paul Giel walked home the big run in the ninth inning.

Willie Miranda hit a bases-loaded double and Ray Moore, a reliever turned starter lined a two-run single as the Orioles scored four times in the eighth to beat Washington and end a 13-game losing streak.

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Second Half Leaders



Leading the league in the second half of PONY LEAGUE play are the undefeated Redmen. They have won four straight in the second half after finishing second in the first half. Left to right, front row: Johnny Moore, Charles Gray, Randy Bass, Melton and Aubrey Harrison. Back row: Charles Staton, Billy Cox, Billy Brown, Arthur Andrews, and David Garrison. (Reflector Sports Photo by Bruce Phillips)

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Sees No Rise For Communist Trade

WASHINGTON (AP)—Harold E. Stassen says it appears unlikely that 1955 will see a further increase in Western trade in non-strategic goods with the Communist bloc, up 24 per cent last year.

Stassen said in a report to Congress that Moscow is using commerce with the West as a "vehicle of an often aggressive total foreign policy."

"Through these overtures of the Soviet bloc present a continuing challenge, they have failed to divide free nations which are co-operating in the flow of strategic materials."

"These nations, while willing to trade in peaceful wares, not only refused to ship strategic materials but have strengthened their control over war potential items."

Stassen's report, on trade controls during the last six months of 1954, was submitted in his recently relinquished post as foreign aid director. It was made public last night.

He said "prospects are not bright" for a further increase in nonstrategic West-East trade this year, and that there is a chance the level may decline somewhat.

He reported that Western trade with Communist China declined somewhat last year, although there was "a marked increase" in Chi-

nese trade with Japan.

Japanese exports to Red China were said to have jumped from 4½ million dollars in 1953 to about 15 million last year. That compared with total Western shipments to China last year of about 265 million dollars, mostly in the form of fertilizers, textiles and medicine.

Stassen attributed to agricultural difficulties in Russia increased purchases by Moscow of meat and other foodstuffs from the West.

Giving the gain as 7 per cent, he said the increased meat "went to the table of the privileged few," and added:

"The Soviet consumer is just pretty much where he was before—with lots of propaganda and not very much to eat or wear."

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WNCT-TV Schedule

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 - 9:30—Crusader Rabbit
 - 10:00—The Day After Tomorrow
 - 10:30—Sports Highlights
 - 11:00—Weather
 - 11:30—Carolina News
 - 12:00—Doug Edwards, CBS
 - 12:30—Songs of Week, CBS
 - 1:00—The Clue
 - 1:30—Jewel Box Jamboree
 - 2:00—Homer Briarhopper
 - 2:30—Ames Brothers
 - 3:00—Make Room for Daddy, ABC
 - 3:30—Orion Express
 - 4:00—44-0000 Question
 - 4:30—Burns and Allen, CBS
 - 5:00—Inner Sanctum
 - 5:30—Mr. District Attorney
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 - 6:30—Sports Nitecap
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 - 8:30—Carolina News
 - 9:00—Kroll's Nest
 - 9:30—Name-O
 - 10:00—Morning Meditations
 - 10:15—Godfrey Time, CBS
 - 10:30—Strike It Rich, CBS
 - 11:00—Musical Scrapbook
 - 11:30—Search for Tomorrow, CBS
 - 11:45—Guiding Light, CBS
 - 12:00—Bob Williams Show
 - 12:30—Welcome Travelers, CBS
 - 1:00—Farm Facts
 - 1:15—News
 - 1:30—Songs of the Islands
 - 1:45—Art Linkletter's Houseparty
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 - 2:30—Good Cooking
 - 3:00—Brighter Day, CBS
 - 3:15—Industry on Parade
 - 3:30—On Your Account, CBS
 - 4:00—Contemporary Drama
 - 4:30—Cartoon Carnival
 - 5:00—Cactus Jim Club
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 - 7:00—Julius LaRosa, CBS
 - 7:30—Godfrey and Friends, CBS
 - 8:00—Kit Carson
 - 8:30—The Millionaire, CBS
 - 9:00—I've Got a Secret, CBS
 - 9:30—The Fight, ABC
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Judge 'Minded Own Business'

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—"Mind your own business," retorted Joseph Adjmi, 19, when a motorist asked if he didn't know he was breaking the law by jaywalking.

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Priceless Field Notes Of Historic Expedition Found

By GRAHAM BERRY

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Who owns the priceless "lost" field notes of the Lewis and Clark expedition?

The notes, penned by Capt. William Clark and covering the first 17 months of the historic expedition into the Western wilderness, turned up three years ago in an attic in St. Paul, Minn. No one even knew they existed.

The writings, of incalculable historical value, detailed the activities of the pioneers while camped at the mouth of the Missouri River, preparing for their journey into the Pacific Northwest.

The notes cover the period from December, 1803 to April, 1805. Persons who found the faded papers in an old desk were so surprised that they turned them over to the Minnesota Historical Society to determine their authenticity.

The desk belonged to Gen. Joan Henry Hammond, who died 65 years ago. It was in the attic of the home of his daughter, Mrs. Sophia V. H. Foster who died in 1952.

Authentication of the notes touched off a series of legal moves to establish their ownership. Heirs to the Hammond estate, the Minnesota Historical Society and Un-

cle Sam all claimed ownership.

Justin Turner, a noted West Los Angeles collector and attorney for the American Manuscript Society, said his society intended to file a new action within a week opposing the government's claim.

Gen. Hammond's heirs, represented by the Pitt County Co. of St. Paul, contend they own the notes because they have been in the possession of the family for years. It is not known how the general acquired them.

The historical society claims it was given the notes by one of the heirs.

After the trust company sued the historical society for the papers in September, 1953, the federal government filed an intervening petition to contest the ownership.

Asst. U.S. Atty. Gen. J. Lee Rankin produced a letter by Pres. Thomas Jefferson, written in 1805, which instructed Capt. Clark:

"Your observations are to be taken with great pains and accuracy." The letter continued to say that several copies of notes should be made, preferably on birch leaf because it is "less liable to injury from damp than common paper."

Jefferson also instructed Clark: "At the end of the expedition repair yourself with your papers to the seat of government."

Rankin asserted the notes always belonged to the government and that the Jefferson letters show they were made specifically under instructions of the president.

Turner said the manuscript society, representing 800 large libraries and collectors, also is filing an intervening petition contending the government has no more right to the Clark papers than to any other of thousands of historic documents which have been in private hands for years.

He declared Clark's field notes

of later phases of the three-year expedition have been in the hands of the American Philosophical Society in Philadelphia since the early 1800s and have never been claimed by the government.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in those two certain Deeds of Trust executed by Malissa T. Atkinson and husband, Carey Atkinson, to W. W. Lee, Trustee, one dated the 29th day of September, 1952, and the other dated the 29th day of September, 1953, of record in Book Q-26, at page 93, and Book Q-26, at page 96, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, for CASH, at the Courthouse door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, at 12:00 noon on Monday, August 1, 1955, the property conveyed in said Deeds of Trust, described as follows, to-wit:

"First parcel: Being all of Lot No. 32, Block 'A,' as shown on map of Biltmore Addition, and as shown on plat prepared by Thomas W. Rivers, dated May, 1951, and recorded in Map Book 8, at page 89, of the Pitt County Registry, to which map reference is hereby made for a more complete and accurate description; this being the identical property conveyed by S. Reynolds May and wife, Doris G. May, et al. to Malissa Atkinson, by Deed dated the 26th day of September, 1952, of record in Book Q-26, at page 124, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County.

"Second parcel: Being all of Lot No. 31, Block 'A,' as shown on map of Biltmore Addition, and as shown on plat prepared by Thomas W. Rivers, dated May, 1951, and recorded in Map Book 8, at page 89, of the Pitt County Registry, to which map reference is hereby made for a more complete and accurate description; this being the identical property conveyed by S. Reynolds May and wife, Doris G. May, et al. to Malissa Atkinson, by Deed dated the 26th day of September, 1952, of record in Book Q-26, at page 123, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County.

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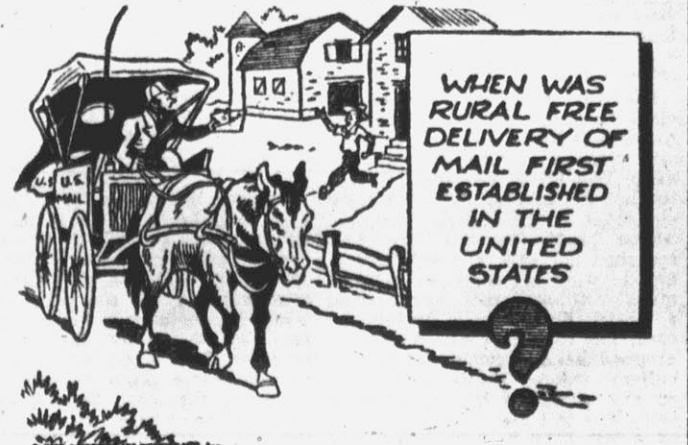
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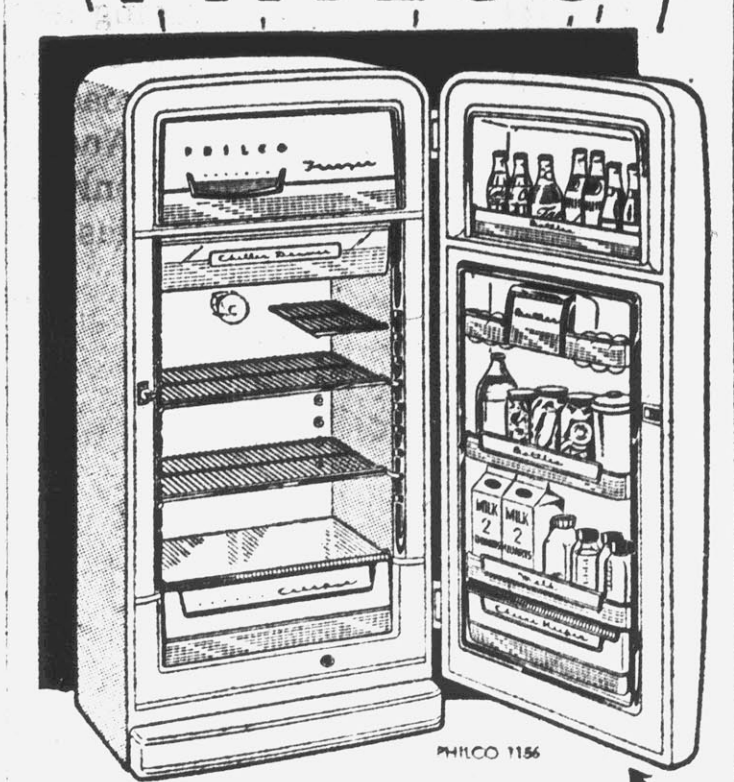
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Unfinished Crime

By Helen McCloy

CHAPTER ONE

Moxon knew that someone was following him. Covertly, he glanced at the plate-glass window he was passing. No one reflected there was lurking visibly. Yet still he heard the uneven cadence, through the diffuse shuffle of smoother gait—tap and drag, tap and drag. Too rapid for a pace that faltered visibly, he decided. Just neurotic quickstep that favored one leg a shade more than the other. A lie rather than a limp.

His fluid glimpses of the people close behind him congested in memory as vivid and exact as a still from a moving picture. The sailor, sinewy in close-fitting blues too hot for late spring, eyeing the conspicuously decorative woman, whose people wore a bow that matched her suit. The stoop-shouldered woman, with a camel's meekly stubborn face, who carried a heavy library book under one arm. The little boy, with a convict-cropped head, trotting beside that bulbous woman asheathed in print-ed silk stretched taut as sausage skin. The tall man, face shadowed by a hat brim a shade wider and paler than those New Yorkers wear. Just behind him, the slender youth with pale brown skin and dark, morbid eyes, who had been looked well in turban or ta-boosh. A typical New York crowd, stencils every one. Lonely Sailor Ashore, Sophisticated Lady, Sex-less Culture Bound, Harassed Housewife with hat, Tourist from Far West, Tourist from Far East. All apparently normal, but... He could still hear the cadence of that quickstep ticking like a time bomb, tap and drag, tap and drag, the "A" of the Morse code.

Was it someone's father back? Someone he couldn't see? Or was the limp so slight it couldn't be seen, only heard?

Police?

Or one of the others?

There could easily be an Asiatic among them. Or a certain type of woman. His side glance sought another plate-glass window, passed over the housewife and the sailor, settled on the man in the Western hat. Moxon had seen one of the others, close to, once two days ago, in a fly-specked, dingy night club in the Village. Spotlight on

the floor show deep shadow in the corner booth where the man sat over his beer. Sat the whole time so Moxon had no way of estimating his height. Dressed like an Eastern—white shirt, dark tie and suit. A banker's face, cool, shrewd, flinty, but it was hard to summon those features one by one and reassemble them. All Moxon could recall was a pale, cold eye that had looked on evil unmoved. The wide-brimmed hat now or even the face. Only a tall, striding figure that wavered in the glitter of plate glass, like something under water. Most cops were built like that.

Suppose he were a cop: did he know that he had only to put out his hand and Moxon would be caught with the goods? What a pleasure it would be to arrange a little surprise for the cop, so he would find nothing in Moxon's pockets by the time Moxon was searched. Was it too late? Couldn't he find some place to stash the thing in the next few minutes? Some place where they couldn't find it, and he could later?

They would try to persuade him, but he didn't persuade easily. Not when there was 20 grand at stake, he didn't. If there was nothing on him, he could laugh at them, claim he didn't know what they were talking about. After a few hours they would have to let him go. They might not believe him, but they couldn't hold him without evidence. They would let him go and follow him again, hoping he would lead them to the place where he had hidden the thing.

He wouldn't. He would hide it so cunningly, in such an unforeseeable place that he could pick it up in a minute as soon as he had shaken off the man tailing him.

But where? There was no such hiding place. At least, none that could be improvised in a few seconds. He had only seconds left now. He felt that.

His one hope was to lose the man behind him in a crowd, quickly and cleanly.

He plunged into the 10-cent store at 20th St. It was crowded. He turned into a cross aisle. Through the shifting mass of faces he saw one face he knew just coming

through the side door from the cross street.

It stopped him like a blow.

With the clatter and chatter of shoppers all around him, he could no longer hear the cadence of anyone. Yet he knew the step was still there, closing in on him. He couldn't go back. He couldn't go forward.

He darted left, around the toy counter. One glance at the counter beyond brought inspiration. In a few heartbeats he saw the situation whole. He could even relish the humor. This counter was festooned with necklaces of fat, improbable pearls and the central bin was piled haphazardly with pendants and bracelets of colored glass. A placard clamored for attention: "Anything on this counter for 20 cents."

Housewives and stenographers pawed over the pearls jostling each other. Cultivated pearls had made any kind of fake pearls respectable. But the central bin was deserted except for a girl in a raincoat looking at a bracelet of green glass squares. She would move on in a moment. She wasn't the sort of girl who would buy trash.

Moxon's hand slipped into his coat pocket. His fingertips met something hard. Half the beauty of the stone was its antiquity. That meant it was badly cut. That and the size would deceive any passer-by who didn't know rubies. It was 5:25 now. The store closed at 5:30. Police couldn't hold him if he didn't have the jewel. They hadn't enough evidence without it—only suspicion. As for the others, they would be nasty, but what could they do, if he didn't have it on him? He might hold them off tonight with some plausible story of stashing it elsewhere then give them the slip on his way to the fake hiding place tomorrow morning and come back here alone, a 9:30, just as the store opened. He'd be the first one in. He'd make sure he wasn't followed that time. And then—he could buy back the Fire of India for 20 cents. Anything on this counter?

He was taking a chance, but it was the only chance he had and the odds were in his favor. One against a thousand that anyone else would buy the jewel in the next five minutes, before the store closed.

He was walking past the central bin now, slowly, calmly, apparently unconcerned. A quick glance around. In that instant, he saw no face he knew. His hand came out of his pocket in a closed fist, rested for a moment on a corner of the bin came away limp and empty. He had hardly paused. Now he moved on without a backward glance, past the swathe of waxy pearls, past the toy counter bright with plastics, back to the Fifth Ave. entrance he had used when he came into the store only a few moments ago. He almost hoped he was still being followed.

He would enjoy watching the face of anyone who searched him now—police or the others.

At the corner of 38th he was stopped by a red light. A little crowd was waiting. He saw the sailor again and the woman with the poodle. There was the shaven head of the little boy with the plump mother. Beyond them old camel-face and a man in a wide hat. The same man?

Then there was short savage blow just above the kidney. His hands clawed at air.

Then the bumper of a heavy car broke his spine and the primitive man, who had always crouched behind the facade called Moxon, screamed as he died.

CHAPTER TWO

It was after 5 when she came out of the library—a small, neat girl with short hair. She carried a portable typewriter. A luggage tag, dangling from its handle, proclaimed it the property of Miss Sara Dacre with an address on 52nd St.

She paused on the flight of steps between the stone lions to look at one of Manhattan's few vistas—three tall smokestacks at the end of 4th St. The sky beyond was thick with a dull, diffuse cloudiness, almost white. Silhouetted against it a long, level cloud of deeper gray was like a dark shore. The sky itself seemed a pale, still lake in a windless dusk, holding the last faint radiance of day. She took a deep breath of the

cool air and went down the steps to Fifth Ave. where she turned south. At 29th St., she crossed the avenue and went into the 10-cent store.

Squares of green glass caught light from a bulb overhead and flashed almost as bravely as emeralds, but the coarse cut and brassy setting repelled her. She put on her eyeglasses and studied the pearls—especially a single strand with a faint cast of pink.

She was aware of a scream somewhere outside in the street. People were always screaming at each other in New York to make themselves heard above the din of traffic. A pendant caught her eye—a single lump of red glass that lay in one corner of the bin, half hidden. The glass was round and large as a robin's egg. In shadow, it was the deep, dark red of a crimson rose, but when she picked it up, it caught the overhead light and seemed to burst into flame. She hesitated, then looked around for a saleswoman.

A tall man was coming down the aisle, struggling through the crowd toward the Fifth Ave. door. "Why, Gerry! What are you doing here?"

He stopped with a look of amazement. Suddenly his smile came warm and quizzical. It made a mature, almost grim face look boyish and impudent. "I buy my socks here, you know."

"Lipstick. They carry all the brands in sample sizes. I wanted something vivid to brighten my old gray taffeta."

"That would be more to the point." He was looking at the pendant which had caught her eye. "A lot of color and sparkle for 20 cents."

"Too much?" Sara laughed. "I'm often tempted to buy junk jewelry but I suppose it's like dyeing your hair; you deceive yourself, when you think you're deceiving others."

"Be your age, Dacre! You're not trying to deceive people when you wear a hunk of glass as big as this. Everyone knows it must be fake or it would be in a museum. But who cares? It still brings color to your cheeks, even if it is synthetic."

"When you say synthetic, you mean imitation. That's so cheap."

"Cheap? Now I've got you taped, Dacre! You have to see the price tag before you can decide whether a thing is beautiful or not."

"There's no flaw or stick in it," admitted Sara. "Naturally—because it's not a stone at all, just glass. And the color isn't too bad. But it's funny they haven't bothered to imitate the proper cutting of a good ruby. There's no table

and no faceting. It's just cut cabochon, like a caruncle."

"What do you expect for 20 cents?" he returned. "I don't even know what a table is!"

"I heard about such things from my aunt Caroline. She has beautiful sapphires."

"My aunt don't have any sapphires." The pendant, dangling from her fingers caught the light again and seemed to explode in a shower of fiery sparks. "Look at that setting," he went on. "Quite different from the others on the counter."

Sara looked at it more closely. A tiny dragon held the red glass in four delicate claws. It had two minute chips of red for its eyes. The whole thing swung from a thread of chain, fine almost invisible.

"Quaint. But the metal is too bright a yellow to pass for gold. Why, it's soft!"

She had taken the dragon between thumb and forefinger. It bent like wet clay under the light pressure. "It would brighten my gray taffeta."

"And yet you're afraid to wear it." The glint of mischief in his eyes matched the red glitter of the glass. "You're still afraid of Aunt Caroline and her 96 rules for what the well-bred young girl should wear."

"Why, Gerry Hone, I am not!" Sara raised her voice. "Isn't there any salesgirl at this counter?"

A girl with tired-looking blonde hair answered from the toy counter across the aisle. "We're short-handed just now. I'm supposed to handle both counters." "That will be 20 cents and tax."

"Why is this pendant set differently from the others on the counter?" asked Sara.

"There's a mixed lot of odds and ends on this counter," the girl explained. "Stuff from various jobbers who've gone broke. That's how we're able to retail it for 20 cents. That one is probably worth more. Maybe as much as \$3. Jewelry is on special sale today, so there's a box to go with it."

The long, flat cardboard box was too big for Sara's handbag. "I'll carry it for you. After all, I made you buy it." He thrust it into the side pocket of his jacket, where it sagged noticeably.

"Your tailor wouldn't approve," murmured Sara.

"My suits are ready-made. Dacre. No tailor can push me around." He picked up her typewriter and they moved down the aisle together, toward the Fifth Ave. entrance. "What about dinner?"

"Have you forgotten? I always dine at Aunt Caroline's on Thurs-

days."

"Couldn't you break that date for once?"

"I could, but—" "Then it's settled. I know a cozy place at Madison and 34th."

They pushed through double glass doors to the twilight street and turned toward 38th.

"What's the crowd for?" cried Sara. People were gathered in a dense knot at the corner. Others, passing by were pausing as if checked by an invisible, magnetic force.

"Move along now! Break it up!" A uniformed policeman shouldered his way through the crowd to its edge.

"What happened officer?" asked Gerry, quietly.

The policeman's knowing eye appraised Gerry and Sara, decided they would be O.K. on the witness stand.

"Guy struck by a car. Hit and run. Dead when me and my partner got here in the prowl car. We're waiting for an ambulance. Either of you see anything?"

"No," said Gerry. "We just came out of the 10-cent store and—" "I seen the whole thing!" A young sailor interrupted eagerly. "This character was standing here on the curb with the rest of us, sitting for a green light. Lost his footing somehow and pitched forward right under a car."

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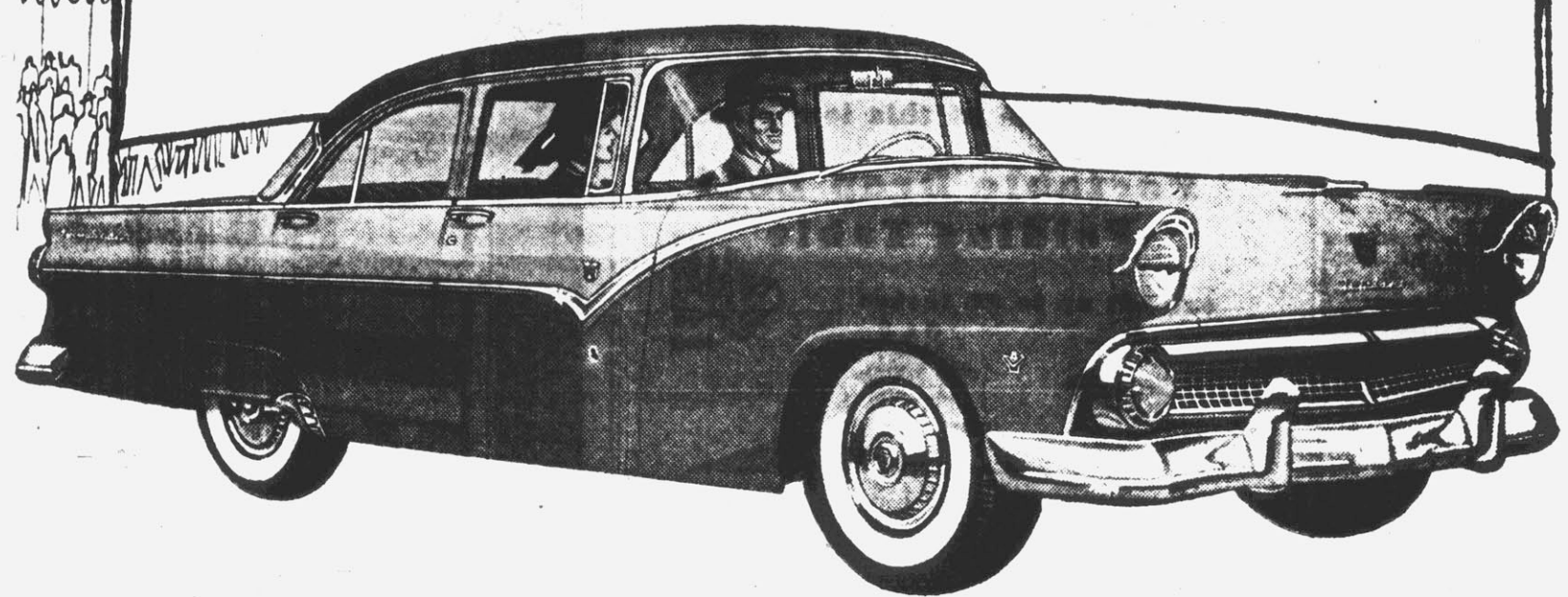
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Stock And Market Reports

NEW YORK (U. S. —) The stock market advanced today under strong leadership. Pivotal issues made sharp gains, some running to around 11 points at times in the case of high-priced Du Pont. Losses were relatively small.

Trading was at a brisk pace and maintained a rate better than Friday's 2,540,000 when the market was advancing.

Steels were the most active of the major groups. Both U. S. and Bethlehem Steel were strong. Motors were highlighted by a sharp run up in General Motors. Chrysler also was well ahead.

Coppers had a flurry of activity at higher prices. Also higher were the railroads, oil chemicals, and a long list of miscellaneous stocks affected by corporate developments.

Western Union and Texton American were higher after arrangements were made to sell Western Union's foreign cable business to Texton American.

American Viscose and Monsanto continued climbing, quite sharply at times, on persistent merger rumors.

The stock market last Friday completed its seventh straight weekly advance. The Associated Press average of 60 stocks on Friday was up 80 cents at \$173.60, a new record high mark.

CHICAGO (U. S. —) Salable hogs 11,000; general trade moderately active to slow; uneven; butchers steady to 50 higher; sows steady to 25 higher; most U. S. No. 1 to 3's 180 - 230 lb butchers 19.25-20.25; several loads and lots No. 1 and 2's under 220 lb 20.35-20.50, and about one double deck mainly No. 1's 180 - 210 lb 20.75-21.00; most mixed No. 1 to 3's 240-270 lb 18.50-19.25; instances more on No. 1 and 2's around 240 lb; a few 280 - 300 lb 18.50-18.75; most sows 400 lb and lighter 14.50-17.00; a few lots choice under 300 lb 17.25-17.75; 400-500 lb 12.75-14.50.

Salable cattle 18,000; salable calves 400; slaughter steers uneven but general trade moderately active, active to slow; uneven; butchers steady to 50 higher; heifers active, strong to 50 higher; cows steady; bulls steady to strong; vealers 1.00-2.00 higher; stockers and feeders slow, steady; a load of prime 1,100 lb steers 25.75, and a load 1,000 lb yearlings 25.50; a few loads prime steers

Radio WGTC Schedule

WEDNESDAY
5:58—Sign On
6:00—Morning Almanac
7:00—News
7:05—Early Risers Club
7:30—State News
7:35—Joe Overman
7:45—Music To Remember
8:00—News
8:05—Pitt County Highlights
8:10—Wed. Aff. Specials
8:15—Music Over Coffee
8:30—Swap & Trade
8:34—Music Over Coffee
8:45—Birthday Wheel
8:50—Music Over Coffee
8:55—Bundle of Joy
9:00—Real News
9:35—Musical Interlude
9:40—Morning Meditations
9:55—Obituaries
10:00—Morning Melodies
10:25—Employment Reporter
10:30—News
10:35—Morning Melodies
11:25—News
11:30—The Farm Hour
11:45—Farm Service Program
11:50—The Farm Hour
12:00—Farm Agents
12:10—The Farm Hour
12:15—Market Reports
12:20—The Farm Hour
12:30—News
12:35—Joe Overman
12:45—Farm News Digest
12:50—Musical Interlude
12:55—Hillbilly Jambores
1:25—News
1:30—1590 Club
1:35—Warmup
4:25—Scoreboard
4:30—Queen for a Day
5:00—Ebony Hit Parade
5:30—On the Bandstand
5:45—Organ Melodies
5:50—Harry Wisner
5:55—News
6:00—Sports Highlight
6:05—Variety Cafe
6:30—News
6:35—Joe Overman
6:45—Variety Cafe
6:55—Daily Reflector Headlines
7:00—Parade of Bands
7:15—Dinner Date
7:30—Gabriel Heatter
7:45—In the Mood
8:00—Sgt. Preston
8:30—Music 33
9:00—Esso Reporter
9:05—Music 33
10:00—Starlight Serenade
11:00—Scores & News Headlines
11:05—Sign Off

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RALEIGH (U. S. —) (NCDA)—Hog prices steady to 25 higher. Tops of 19.75 at Beaufort, Siler City, Castle Hayne and Rich Square; 19.50 at Snow Hill, Farmville, Micro, Elizabethtown, Goldsboro, Dunn, Newton Grove, Nahunta, Clarkton, Warsaw, Bailey, Whiteville, Jacksonville, Plymouth, Kinston, New Bern, Benson, Smithfield, Fayetteville and Clinton; 19.25 at Tarboro, Enfield, Hamlet, Tabor City, Shallotte, Lumberton and Washington; 19.00 at Keno, Wilson and Rocky Mount.

Tobacco Barn Is Lost To Fire This Morning

WINTERTOWN (U. S. —) Local firemen were called to a tobacco barn fire on the Don Langston and Jack Jones farm between Winterville and Greenville this morning.

Winterville Fire Chief Lloyd Worthington said the barn burned to the ground but firemen managed to save a shelter and oil drums. Other nearby barns were not endangered.

Worthington said both fire trucks were sent to the blaze with one returning to Winterville immediately.

Worthington estimated that eight or nine hundred sticks of tobacco were lost in the blaze.

Last Rites Held For Earl Junior Jones; Moye Plans Pending

Earl Junior Jones, 13, and Clifton Moye, 20, were killed instantly at 12:10 o'clock Sunday morning when the car they were riding in ran into the rear of an asphalt truck four miles from Pactolus toward Washington. They were cousins. Earl Junior was the son of Mrs. Victoria Jones of near Greenville and late George Jones, and Clifton was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert J. Moye of North Greenville.

Funeral services for Earl Junior Jones were conducted at the Wilkerson Chapel at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon by the Rev. J. E. Danford, Pentecostal Holiness minister of Greenville, and burial was in the Parker's Chapel Cemetery near Greenville. Earl Junior was born Greenville, and a member of the Pactolus School. He is survived by his mother; two brothers, William Lewis Jones of Bath and James E. Jones of the home; three sisters, Mrs. Douglas O'Mary of Bath, Mrs. Robert Eakes of near Greenville, and Barbara, a half-sister, Mrs. Ben Bechum of near Bethel; and his grandfather, Richard Hassell of North Greenville.

Funeral arrangements for Clifton Jones Moye are incomplete. He spent all his life in and around Greenville and attended the Belvoir School. He was a member of the Salvation Army. He is survived by his parents; two sisters, Mary Jane and Martha Jane Moye of the home; two maternal grandfathers, Richard Hassell of North Greenville, and the paternal grandmother, Mrs. Rachel Moye of near Greenville.

William A. Craft Succumbs In Ayden

AYDEN (U. S. —) William A. Craft, 76, retired farmer and World War I veteran, died at his home here Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock after a long illness. Funeral arrangements had not been made.

Surviving are his wife, two sons, Charles Craft of Miami, Florida, and William Craft of the home; one brother, Joseph Craft, Rt. 1, Winterville; five sisters, Mrs. Will McLawhorn, Mrs. Frank McLawhorn and Mrs. Hope Manning, all of Winterville, Mrs. Sally Ann McLawhorn of Ayden and Mrs. Clara Beaton of Snow Hill.

N. C. Has 31 Violent Holiday Fatalities

Reading Problems Will Be Conference Subject

"We Can Teach Them to Read," says Dr. Keith D. Holmes of the East Carolina College department of education, speaking of children in the public schools. This encouraging dictum on a subject of wide interest and concern in education will be the topic of the annual reading conference to be staged under Dr. Holmes' direction of the college on Wednesday.

Previous reading conferences have brought to the campus each summer several hundred teachers, parents, and school administrators. A similar group from various sections of the state is expected to be present Wednesday.

The program, beginning at 9 a.m. in the McGinnis auditorium, will include as participants eleven members of the college education and psychology departments; thirty-one public school teachers, now taking work in the reading clinic at the college; thirty-one young people receiving help at the clinic with their reading problems; and others.

An all-day session, the conference will focus attention on reading through symposiums, lectures, and demonstrations of teaching and diagnostic testing. Dr. Holmes states.

Dr. Carl L. Adams, director, and other faculty members of the college department of psychology, will open the conference with a symposium on critical psychological factors which can be graphically tied to the child's difficulties in becoming a successful reader. They will analyze factors present in both home and school society. Professional and lay literature

Last Rites Today For J. Key Brown

J. Key Brown, 64, retired Greenville druggist, died at his home in Greenville at 10:10 o'clock Sunday night. He had been in failing health for several years.

Funeral services will be conducted at the home at 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon by his pastor, Rev. W. M. Howard Jr., and burial will be in Greenwood cemetery.

Mr. Brown, son of Mrs. Elvira Moore Brown, Greenville and the late James Brown, was born and reared in Greenville. He attended the University of Maryland and was graduated from the School of Pharmacy there in 1913. He had held a pharmacy license since then in North Carolina and Virginia.

From 1914 until his retirement in 1954, Mr. Brown operated a drug store in Greenville. He had served on the Board of Stewards at the Jarvis Memorial Church for 41 years, and he had served on the Board of Directors of the State Bank and Trust Company since its organization. He was a member of the Greenville Masonic Lodge, 284, A.F.A.M., the Royal Arch Masons, Greenville Chapter 50, the Bethlehem Commandery 25, Knights Templar, and the Sudan Temple. Mr. Brown was married to Emma Purvis of Scotland Neck in 1914. She died April 13, 1953. He is survived by his mother; two sisters, Mrs. Ellie B. Tolson of Greenville and Mrs. L. A. Watts of Selma; four brothers, Dr. James Brown of Baltimore, Md., Dr. Garland Brown of Chicago, and Dr. W. M. B. Brown and Harry M. Brown of Greenville.

Edward Earl Bright Funeral Wednesday

Edward Earl Bright, 23, died as a result of injuries received in an auto accident early Tuesday morning near Greenville.

Funeral services will be conducted at Timothy Christian Church at Gardner's Crossroads Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock by the pastor, the Rev. Horace Quigley. Burial will be in the Ayden Cemetery. The body will remain at the Wilkerson Funeral Home and will be carried to the church one hour prior to the time of services.

Earl spent all his life in the Ayden community, and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bright of Cannon's Crossroads. He was a farmer. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Sara Lou Bright, two daughters, Anne and Teresa Bright of the home; his parents; two brothers, William Bright of Littlefield and Jimmy Bright of Cannon's Crossroads; and a sister, Mrs. Gladys Bergstrom of Joliet, Ill.

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
At least 31 persons died violently in North Carolina during the long July Fourth weekend. However, latest reports showed the traffic death toll to be at 18, one less than in 1954.

The list of deaths included those occurring between 6 p.m. Friday and last midnight.

The collapse of a suspension bridge at Cherokee was the major accident. The bridge pulled loose from its moorings, plunging 50 sightseers into the shallow Oconaluftee River and killing two women.

They were Mrs. Henry T. Haile Jr., 35, of Daisy, Tenn., and Mrs. Lawrence Rainwater, 38, of Atlanta, Ga.

Three persons were killed in a three-car crash near Pactolus Saturday night. They were Nathan Crisp, 18, of Pitt County; Earl Jones Jr., 13, of Rt. 4, Greenville; and Clifton Moore, 20, of Rt. 5, Greenville.

Two persons were killed in a three-car crash in Nash County. They were George B. Mangum, 58, of Rocky Mount, and Joseph Clendon Rackley, 60, also of Rocky Mount.

Funeral Held For Mrs. Emma Gurganus

Mrs. Emma Gurganus, 63, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Barrow, Greenville, at 11 o'clock Saturday night. She had been ill for the past eight months and critically ill since Thursday night.

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Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Henry Barrow of Greenville; a son, Jasper Jackson of Greenville; six grandchildren; and three brothers, John, Henry, and Louis Wobblenton of Williamston.

Mrs. Gurganus was born and reared in Martin County and was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Wobblenton. She was married to Kelly Jackson of Martin County, and he died in 1919. She had been living in Greenville with her daughter, Mrs. Barrow, for the past 20 years. She was a member of Stokes Christian Church.

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Funeral Held For Mrs. Emma Gurganus

Mrs. Emma Gurganus, 63, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Barrow, Greenville, at 11 o'clock Saturday night. She had been ill for the past eight months and critically ill since Thursday night.

Funeral services were conducted at the Wilkerson Chapel at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon by Elder A. B. Ayers, Primitive Baptist minister of Beargrass, assisted by Dr. H. G. Haney, pastor of the Eighth Street Christian Church. Burial was in the Bowen Cemetery near Beargrass.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Henry Barrow of Greenville; a son, Jasper Jackson of Greenville; six grandchildren; and three brothers, John, Henry, and Louis Wobblenton of Williamston.

Mrs. Gurganus was born and reared in Martin County and was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Wobblenton. She was married to Kelly Jackson of Martin County, and he died in 1919. She had been living in Greenville with her daughter, Mrs. Barrow, for the past 20 years. She was a member of Stokes Christian Church.

Colored News

Members taking part in the manless wedding will practice Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at Sycamore Hill Baptist Church.

All members of the youth group and adult leaders of Sycamore Hill Baptist Church are requested to meet at the residence of Mrs. L. R. Taylor on Tyson St. Wednesday, July 6, at 8 p.m.

The Matron's Social Club will meet Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Latham, 909 Imperial St.

Mrs. Hester Ellison and son John Lloyd left Saturday to spend the fourth of July in Washington, D. C. and New York with relatives and friends.

FIVE-DAY WEATHER FORECAST FOR N. C.
Temperatures will average a little above normal Wednesday through Sunday with quite warm and humid weather most of the period. Rainfall will average around one-half inch occurring as scattered afternoon and evening thundershowers throughout the period.

Wright of Franklinton, drowned in a pond yesterday.

Fire took the lives of three members of a Negro tenant family at Rt. 1, Winterville. The victims were June Crawford, 34, his wife, Mary, 33, and their 12-year-old son William.

An argument in Charlotte reportedly led to the stabbing death of Cpl. James Little of Charlotte, stationed at Ft. Lawson, Wash.

Eugene Pegries was fatally shot during an argument near Laurinburg.

A 44-year-old Berkley, Mich., man, Clyde Lane, was robbed and fatally shot near Laurinburg.

Charlie Wilson, 19, of Durham, drowned in a pond near his home. The collision of his motor scooter with an automobile resulted in the death of Darrell Majett Davenport, 18, at an Elizabeth City hospital.

Dr. Jordan Beale Powell Jr., Asheville dentist, was killed in the crash of his light plane near Como.

A 40-year-old farmer, Jack August Furman Settig, 26, drowned in Rose Bay near Swan Quarter after his boat overturned.

A 15-year-old Robersonville girl, Elvira Carr, drowned in a fish pond.

Mrs. Louise M. VanLandingham, 36, of Williamston, was scalded to death while taking a bath. Coroner W. W. Biggs began an investigation.

Morris Eldridge Ganey, 19, of Lanvale, was electrocuted when he fell and struck a power line while erecting a TV antenna on the roof of his home.

Robert Dale Williams, 26, of Newton, was killed when the car in which he was riding struck an embankment near Conover.

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