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WEATHER REPORT

Fair tonight; Tuesday increasing cloudiness, slowly rising temperature, possibly followed by rain in extreme west portion in the afternoon or at night.

HOUSE PASSES BILL TO FREE PHILIPPINES

Measure to Grant Independence to Islands in 8 Years Receives Action.

The House today passed the Hare bill to grant independence to the Philippines at the end of eight years.

Washington, April 4.—(AP)—Representative Bacon (R., N. Y.), today made public a letter Secretary Stimson wrote to Chairman Bingham of the senate territories committee declaring that for the United States to free the Philippines "would be a demonstration of selfish cowardice and futility on our part" to every foreign eye.

Bacon made public the letter a few minutes after he had prevented the House from taking up under a unanimous consent agreement the Hare bill to grant independence to the islands.

In opposing the move to grant the islands' independence, Secretary Stimson wrote:

"It needs no imagination to grasp the effect which such a result would have upon the moral prestige and material influence of the United States in the Far East.

"To every foreign eye it would be a demonstration of selfish cowardice and futility on our part. No matter under what verbal professions the acts of withdrawal were clothed, to the realist observers of that part of the world it would inevitably assume the aspect of abandonment of the ward we had undertaken to protect.

"In the orient, far more even than in the west, prestige is the measuring rod of success. Such a change would be an irreparable blow to American influence.

"Again, our presence in the Philippine Islands has already contributed to the development of a new base of political equilibrium throughout the area of the Western Pacific and Eastern Asia. At present, or within any definite future, withdrawal of American sovereignty from the Philippines and the termination of American responsibility in aid for the island would profoundly disturb that equilibrium.

"It would inevitably have an unsettling effect in the relation of political thought of the various races, or nations, in the far east and in relation to the contacts of those races, or nations, among themselves and with the rest of the world."

Murder Shows Increase in N. Y.

New York, April 4.—(AP)—Commissioner Mulrooney's annual outline of outlawry, telling of multiplying murder and increasing crime and of more effective prosecution and greater punishment—was presented today to Mayor Walker.

Murder and manslaughter increased 16.1 per cent in New York City during 1931, the commissioner reported. Holdups were 23 per cent greater in number than in 1930.

The year had 272 homicidal shootings—98 more than the year before.

The commission noted that 12,000 persons appeared in the police "lineup" during the year, and he made this comment:

"The lineup presents a parade of youths ranging in age from 17 to 21, versatile in crime, who cold bloodedly and calmly recited voluntarily the most intimate details of the planning and execution of ruthless crime."

Union Promises Help to Strikers

Langley, S. C., April 3.—(AP)—striking textile workers here and at Bath and Clearwater today had the assurance of the support of the central labor union of Augusta, Ga. Asserting the walkouts last week were justified, the Augusta union adopted a resolution pledging its "whole-hearted support" and charging the mills had inaugurated the "stretch-out" or multiple-loom system.

Approximately 1,200 workers are on strike. They said notices of an additional 10 per cent wage cut after two like cuts had already been made caused the walkouts.

Most of the strikers are members of the United Textile Workers, a union affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

PRINCIPALS IN HAWAII 'HONOR' SLAYING TRIAL



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Four persons accused of slaying Joe Kahahawai, Hawaiian native charged with attacking Mrs. Thomas H. Massie, went on trial today in Honolulu. The accused are Lieutenant Massie, Mrs. Granville Fortescue, New York and Washington society matron, mother of Mrs. Massie; E. J. Lord and Albert O. Jones, naval enlisted men. Clarence Darrow, noted criminal lawyer, will participate in the defense.

Thirty Persons Killed In South Over Week-End

Atlanta, April 4.—(AP)—Thirty persons were killed in accidents over the south during a summer-like week-end.

Automobiles took the greatest number of lives—twenty-two, accidents with guns resulted, fatally for two, two were killed in an airplane crash, two were burned to death, one died by asphyxiation and one was killed by a train.

Kentucky reported five deaths, Georgia and Virginia four each, Mississippi and Florida three each, Louisiana, Arkansas, Tennessee, North Carolina and South Carolina two each and Alabama one.

BANK ROBBER IS CAPTURED

Chicago, April 4.—(AP)—A debonair man of 30 whom a woman's jealousy placed in the hands of the police has erased "unsolved" from the records of bank robberies in more than a dozen cities through a confession attributed to him by the police.

For a long time the authorities of the midwest and the west coast sought Donald Loftus, 30, a dangerous robber who worked alone. Yesterday he was apprehended in a barber shop of Mishawaka, Ind., a city of 30,000 about 94 miles from Chicago. Because the authorities said, a jealous woman tipped them of his whereabouts.

Of build so slight and manner so calm there was nothing of a hold-up man in his appearance. Loftus laughed over his own jokes as he unfolded the story of his activities to Chicago police who had quietly moved him from the Indiana city during the day.

A hundred thousand dollars, he said, was the loot he obtained in 14 robberies extending from Ohio, Illinois and Wisconsin to California between 1929 and 1931 and there were four of the victimized institutions whose names he could not even remember.

He robbed for funds to entertain women, three of whom he bigamously married in recent weeks, he said. He worked alone but once he "hired a bum" in Plainfield, Ill., to help and "gave him the price of a meal." Two .45 calibre pistols enforced his commands.

He lived in a luxuriously fitted apartment in South Bend, four miles west of Mishawaka, and when the police raided it following his arrest, they found 61 suits of clothes, two riding habits, 17 sets of matched golf clubs. To the management he was a wealthy broker with connections in the east.

Mrs. Jim Haskett Dies at Pasadena

Mrs. D. D. Haskett has received a message from her son, James Haskett, of Pasadena, Cal., telling of the death of his wife yesterday. No information regarding funeral arrangements was given. The deceased visited Greenville in recent years and made a number of friends who will regret to learn of her death.

Elizabethtown.—(AP)—David B. Johnson, 38, Bladen county solicitor, and his office helper, Alfred Hall, negro, were killed when Johnson's car left the highway and ran over an embankment of the Wilmington-Fayetteville highway here.

MOTHER KILLS TWO CHILDREN AND THEN SELF

Sister-in-Law of Rev. Harry Emerson Fosdick Commits Crime In N. J.

Montclair, N. J., April 4.—(AP)—Mrs. Raymond B. Fosdick, sister in law of the Rev. Harry Emerson Fosdick, shot and killed her two small children and herself at her home here today.

Police found the bodies in the house after neighbors heard the shots about 9:30 a. m. Mrs. Fosdick had been very nervous, the police learned, and under the care of a physician.

Her husband, a lawyer and brother of the noted New York pastor, was not at home and was believed to be in New York.

The two children were Susanne, 15, and Elaine, 9. Fosdick is former under secretary of the League of Nations. He is a trustee of the Rockefeller Foundation and of Princeton University.

He was assistant corporation counsel of New York from 1908 to 1910 and comptroller of the finance committee of the Democratic national committee in 1912. In 1916 he was special representative of the secretary of war on the Mexican border and again represented the War Department in France in 1918 and 1919. During the latter year he was also civilian aide to General Pershing.

Mrs. Fosdick before her marriage was Miss Winifred Finlay, of Montclair.

TAX MEASURE HOLDS STAGE

Question of Bridging Gap Between Deficit and Bill Faces Senate.

Washington, April 4.—(AP)—Standing out conspicuously today in the whole question of balancing the federal budget, was the necessity of bridging a gap of approximately \$200,000,000 between the expected deficit for 1933 and the billion dollar tax bill just passed by the House.

The insistence of Secretary Mills that only government reorganizations and definite suspension of the least essential activities now required by law can save this sum has brought the matter to a definite head. A solution may be indicated during this week.

The Democratic leaders of the House, embarked upon their own program of economy, claim they will bridge the gap by reducing government expenditures. Their special economy committee is engaged with a proposal to cut government salaries by some \$135,000,000 or more, and is considering legislation to combine a few government activities.

The reduction of appropriation bills below budget estimates is continuing in the House appropriations committee, while the Senate's committee today takes up the question of executing the Senate request for a flat ten per cent cut in all the departmental bills presented to it. Chairman Jones (R., Wash.), however, was doubtful that more than \$100,000,000 could be saved this way, while Mills agreed most of this type of saving is merely postponement and will balance the budget only on paper.

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Arms Confab to Discuss European Difficulties

London, April 4.—(AP)—It was definitely settled today that the four-power conference which meets here Wednesday will discuss not only means of extending financial aid to the nations of the Danube but the whole of Europe's difficulties, including reparations, disarmament and war debts.

Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald made the announcement last night after a preliminary conversation with Premier Andre Tardieu of France, who came here yesterday and remained for further discussions today.

PRES. HOOVER URGES CONGRESS TO ASSIST IN ECONOMY PROGRAM

Americans Go On Trial For Murder In Hawaii

Honolulu, April 4.—(AP)—With police guard surrounding the judiciary building to keep the curious away, trial of the most sensational criminal case in the history of Honolulu opens in a little courtroom in that gray stone structure today. It was from this building that Joseph Kahahawai, young Hawaiian, was lured by a fake court summons January 8. His friends never saw him alive again.

Later the same day his body, shot through the chest, was found shrouded in a sheet in a motor car driven by Mrs. Granville Fortescue, gray haired eastern society woman (Continued on Page Four)

BABY SEARCH ON IN LONDON

Major Schoeffel Confers With Scotland Yard; Lindbergh Acts Himself.

London, April 4.—(AP)—Major Charles H. Schoeffel of the New Jersey state police, who came here in connection with the investigation of the kidnapping of Charles A. Lindbergh, Jr., visited Scotland Yard this morning and conferred with high police officials there.

Major Schoeffel has been dubbed "mystery man" by a host of newspaper men who have vainly sought some trace of him since he landed in England.

He entered Scotland Yard unrecognized and when he emerged a half hour later he drove rapidly away in a taxicab still unidentified by a large crowd which had gathered outside.

The New Jersey trooper saw Lord Tranchahard, the police commissioner and heads of the criminal investigation department while at the Yard.

The authorities there obviously were helping him maintain the secrecy with which he wished to surround his movements, and all they would say after the conference was:

"He has been in connection with the Yard but any information regarding the nature of the communication must come from the New Jersey state police."

The plans of Major Schoeffel (Continued on Page Four)

THREE KILLED IN ELECTION

Scores Wounded As Germany Goes to The Polls to Cast Ballots.

By JOHN A. BOUMAN (Associated Press Staff Writer)
Berlin, April 4.—(AP)—Germany's second Presidential election campaign in less than a month was in full swing today, with three dead, scores wounded and hundreds under arrest within a few hours after the opening gun was fired.

The voters will decide in a runoff on April 10 between President Paul von Hindenburg, Adolf Hitler, and Ernest Thaelmann. Because of his heavy vote in the first election last month Hindenburg was conceded to be in an excellent position for another victory, which would clinch his election.

Hitler began his campaign on the stroke of noon yesterday, ending the political truce ordered by the government for the Easter holidays. He mounted a rostrum at Leipzig before 50,000 people and cored the government for "failing to show any positive achievements in 14 years of existence."

Preceding him on the platform August Wilhelm, son of the former Kaiser, who declared the Nazis were not fighting President Von Hindenburg as a man, but the "poitrons who misused his name or their own nefarious purpose."

Adam Stegerwald, minister of labor in Chancellor Heinrich Brüning's cabinet, led off Von Hindenburg's campaign.

The Nazis, he said "seek to establish a dictatorship similar to that of Italy and to create a party of the army to enforce their dictatorial views upon the German people. Such a state of affairs would put everything the country has suffered in the past into the shade."

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WANTS BOTH HOUSES TO ACT

Declares Further Reduction of Federal Expenses for Next Year to be Absolute Necessity; Sees Lack of Unity in Various Agencies of Congress.

Washington, April 4.—(AP)—In a surprise speech in Congress, President Hoover today called for the appointment of delegates from both the Senate and the House to work with him in framing "a complete national program of economy."

The president declared further reduction of federal expenditures for the next year to be an absolute necessity.

He asserted, however, that various agencies in Congress working toward this end lacked the necessary unity of action.

"Therefore," he continued, "I recommend to the Congress that in order to secure this unity of effort and prompt action, and thereby insure the relief of the taxpayer and a balanced budget, at the same time protecting vital services of the government, that representatives be delegated by the two Houses, together with representatives of the executive, should be authorized to frame for action by the present congress a complete national program of economy and to recommend the legislation necessary to make it possible and effective."

"Such a course would expedite rather than delay the passage of appropriations bills."

The president asserted, he was convinced that "only by such unified, non-partisan effort" and by "a willingness to share the difficulties and problems," could federal expenditures be properly curtailed.

Mr. Hoover said the "limit of executive authority to bring about economies has been reached," and that only by amendment of existing laws, eliminating and consolidating government bureaus could the end be attained.

CHINESE TOLD TO STAY OUT

New Regime in Manchuria Intends to Keep Chinese Officials on Outside.

By GLENN BABE (Associated Press Correspondent)

Tokyo, April 4.—(AP)—Henry Pu-Yi's new regime in Manchuria intends to order officials of the Chinese government to keep out, the Japanese consul at Changchun reported today to the foreign office here.

First, the Manchukuo government of the former big emperor plans to protest the entry of Dr. Wellington Koo, former Chinese foreign minister, into the country with the League of Nations investigating commission when it proceeds there, the consul reported. Officials were understood also to be drafting a note to Nanking, declaring all Chinese officials unwelcome.

Dr. Koo is acting as Chinese assessor with the league commission. The cause of the ban, as reported by the consul is indignation over Nanking's denunciation of the Pu-Yi regime and its refusal to consider Manchuria as anything other than part of China.

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Attend Funeral Of E. T. Clark

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Clark were called to Roanoke Rapids last night on account of the death of Mr. Clark's father, Edward Thomas Clark, 75, prominent attorney of that place.

The deceased, who died yesterday, was a brother of the late Chief Justice Walter Clark of the North Carolina Supreme court and was prominent in the section of the state where he spent the greater part of his life.

Mr. Clark is survived by two sons, A. L. Clark, of Roanoke Rapids, Solicitor D. M. Clark, of Greenville, and one sister Mrs. Fella Graves, of Mebane. Surviving him are one brother, Henry Clark, of Scotland Neck, and four sisters, Mrs. Sallie Clark Graham, Mrs. Fattie Patterson, Mrs. Dora Nicholson and Miss Lucy Clark, all of Raleigh.

Funeral services will be conducted tomorrow at 3 o'clock and burial will be made in the family burying ground near Roanoke Rapids.

Navy Sub-Chase Damaged in Crash

San Pedro, Calif., April 4.—(AP)—In collision with the passenger carrying English freighter, Japanese Prince, on the high seas off Point San Vincente, the navy sub-chaser No. 34 headed to this port today in tow of the coast guard cutter Tamora.

Radio reports revealed the vessel was badly damaged in a crash last night, but was in no apparent danger of sinking.

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ABOUT TOWN

Thanks to the fine pitching of **Berry Dail**, Greenville high school baseball team got away to a flying start in the opening game of the conference season last Friday.

If the expectations of Coach (Soup) Porter are fulfilled, the season will end with Greenville in possession of a long string of victories. If the club could defeat a formidable aggregation like that from Tarboro with only one week of training, it is impossible to forecast just how many games will be annexed by the time the trip around the conference circle is made.

Coach Porter is hopeful the **Powell** will rally behind his boys this season and contribute their bit toward making the club exactly what everybody hopes it will be—champions of the Northeastern Athletic conference.

Hearings on the bill providing full payment of compensation to veterans of the world war will begin April 11 and members of the House committee will be able to size up public opinion on this important question.

Proponents of the measure will argue that the payment of the rest of the money due the soldiers would aid in the economic recovery of the nation and help unemployed veterans gain a firmer foothold.

Opponents on the other hand, will contend that the government is unable to pay the two billions of dollars involved in the measure and if the bill were passed it would retard plans recently outlined by the President for rehabilitation of the government.

The veterans have more cause to demand payment of what the government owes them than does the railroad in asking for millions of dollars in loans to enable them to meet their obligations—securities held by Wall Street bankers. If the moneyed interests were able to float the loans in the past they should be able to carry them a while longer. On the other hand, the thousands of men walking the streets in quest of labor cannot much longer put off eating, and the quicker the government realizes the fact that the quicker the country will recover from an unprecedented financial situation.

President Hoover has said he would veto the bill were it passed by Congress. The Chief Executive, surrounded by every luxury mortal could desire, evidently does not appreciate the motive behind the demand for payment of what millions of men sacrificed their lives to earn—a measly pittance when apportioned to each individual, but a mighty influence for keeping life in the bodies of those who are living from hand to mouth, hardly able to keep body and soul together.

This is one of the paramount issues before the country at this time and if Mr. Hoover carries out his purpose of vetoing the bill should Congress pass it there is every reason to believe some other person with a keener appreciation of human life will take his place at the helm of government when the time comes for casting of ballots.

Information that a New York manufacturer is considering Greenville as a location for one of his basket plants will be received with interest by business men of the community.

The city has been in need of industries to keep business at a normal stage during the summer months, and the coming of such an industry should do much toward improving conditions.

Weekly payrolls have contributed to development of the most important cities of the nation, and what they have done for those places they would certainly do for Greenville.

We have had the opportunity to obtain manufacturing plants before in recent years but for some unaccountable reason, business men let the chance slip through their fingers and other towns in this part of the country profited by our failure to act.

Situated in one of the most pro-

Kitty Frew

By Jane Abbott

SYNOPSIS: Christmas Eve passes slowly while Kitty Frew waits for her husband, Gar. At last friends bring him home. This is unexpected, although Gar leads a spendthrift, gay life. While Kitty urges him to be practical, she does not realize that his theater work leads to interest in Marge Crosby.

"WHAT PRICE CHRISTMAS?"
 Tubby anticipated Kitty's cry of alarm.

"It's nothin', Kit—he took a little too much, that's all, his Merry Christmas business, y'know. Just let Red and me put him to bed. He'll be fine and dandy in the morning, you'll see. The stuff was all right, don't worry."

Kitty, wordless, retreated before them, her eyes averted from the sight of their dragging burden. A nausea seized her. She went to the window and flung it up, wildly, staring blindly into the black and white night.

Oh, that wasn't her Gar—that hanging, shambling figure!

"I say, Kit," Tubby came out of the bedroom and stood beside her, his round face concerned. "Don't take it like that. It doesn't happen to Gar very often. Of all us fellows Gar knows the best when to stop. It got him tonight because he hadn't had any supper. Come on, Kit, come away from that window. He took her arm urgently. Kitty shuddered away from his touch.

"I loathe you all!"

"Now, Kit, you don't, not anything of the sort. Tomorrow Gar'll be as sorry as hell, missing the party. Don't be hard on him. It's when a fellow stubs his toe like this he needs his wife. You got a tree all fixed up and everything, haven't you? And a new dress? Kit, come on to the dance with me. I'd like that."

It got through Kitty's distress that Tubby was trying to help her. She smiled, a little wanly. "Oh, no, Tubby, thanks, I couldn't go. But I'm all right." She let him shut the window behind her. She faced Red as he came out of the bedroom.

"Thanks, Red," she said to him, her head up, her eyes proud.

"He's sound asleep now, Kitty. You won't hear a peep out of him until morning."

Tubby lingered after Red had gone out of the door.

"Sure you won't change your mind and come along with me?"

"I couldn't, Tubby."

"Well, then, Merry Christmas, Kit."

The holidays well over, "What price Christmas?" laughed Kitty, dolefully, facing a little accumulation of bills which had come in after the first of January. She had put them unopened into a drawer of the buffet. It had been a childish thing to do.

She'd been afraid of a quarrel. Gar always was so difficult when she touched on their finances. And just now she could not bear that any rift should come into the closeness that had grown out of that horrible midnight of Christmas Eve.

She had lain that night through, uncomfortably curled among the pillows of the divan in her living-room, sleepless, wretched, shamed. Long after a thin streak of cold daylight crept across the room she had fallen into a troubled sleep from which she had wakened to find Gar kneeling beside her. His remorse had been heartbreaking. He had been incoherent, humble, self-debasing, burying his face against her shoulder like a little boy.

"You'll hate me always. You'll never forgive me. I don't deserve to have you forgive me, spoiling your Christmas. I was disgusting. I won't ask you to forgive me."

And she'd found that she could forgive him when he clung to her so, and that such forgiving was sweet.

"It won't happen again, sweet, you'll see. You know what I think of men who can make such beasts of themselves."

She did know. She knew Gar's fastidiousness about his personal appearance. She could believe him when he said it never would happen again.

During the days that followed he had been anxiously devoted, loving, humbly appreciative of her forgiving.

The play had run through the holiday week with great success. Kitty had sat with Gar through the first performance sharing his nervousness and his satisfaction.

"Now we'll have to get busy on the next play," Gar had said and she had felt no rebellion; his interests were wholly hers.

She frowned down, now, at the

envelopes before her; she wouldn't let these bills come between her and Gar.

She knew the exact amount of some of them. Stratten's, for the new evening dress, the milk bill. She glanced over Bond's; she smiled. If Gar would let her buy his clothes for him she'd find just as good somewhere else for less money!

She took up the florist's bill last. Her glance running over its items stopped at the entry of two corsages bought on the same day, December third. Her calculation shot back to that night at the Rainbow Gardens. Gar had sent Marge the orchids. Or, no, he had intended the orchids for her and the flowers she had worn for Marge.

"But it's all right," she said aloud. She put the bill with the others. "Only he must stop sending flowers to anyone for awhile."

She considered the total amount of indebtedness, determinedly crowding back the alarm in the figures gave her. They'd meet it by living very carefully for the next few months. But Gar must help her in her economies. She'd talk it over with him tactfully, without any reproaches. She'd wait for his most amiable mood.

He came home that evening very amiable, but with plans that precluded any talking over of their budget. He'd met Isabel Peters and she wanted them to come over for a game of bridge. Buck Sewell was going to make the fourth.

Kitty liked Isabel Peters and enjoyed bridge. But Gar invariably overbid, scorning any fear of losses. Tonight he was more reckless than usual. At one o'clock he tossed twelve dollars carelessly on the table.

The next morning, while he and Kitty were eating breakfast, he grumbled over what he called his rotten luck. "Let me have a good hand and my partner always holds a bust!"

"Gar, we ought not to play for money."

"We'd look like a couple of nice pikers if we refused!"

"Well, then, let's not play for awhile."

Now, now was the time to talk to Gar about the bills! But not as though she were afraid!

(Copyright, Jane Abbott)

Kitty meets David at a dramatic moment tomorrow, and gains a clue about Gar and Marge.

Practice On In Piedmont

Charlotte, April 4.—(AP)—A three weeks training period before the initial game of the season open today for Piedmont League clubs.

A few ball players have been working out for some time in all the league cities and Raleigh and Wilmington hopefuls have been hard at work for ten days, but the training season officially opened today for Charlotte, Winston-Salem, Durham, Greensboro, High Point and Asheville.

Only the pitchers and catchers reported in the Hornet camp this morning, but there were big squads on hand elsewhere.

Philadelphia—Humbled under an 8 to 4 count by the Phillies in the city series opener Saturday, the Athletics heartened themselves yesterday by traveling to Newark to defeat the Bears 4-2. The five-game city series, for the championship of Philadelphia, will be renewed today.

Kansas City—Larceny of bases, the Detroit Tigers have discovered, is rife in the American Association. Yesterday they watched the Kansas City Blues steal three bases in the eighth inning of an exhibition game which the Blues won, 6 to 5.

Memphis, Tenn.—Manager Lew Fonseca's White Sox pitching staff is proceeding full steam ahead. In two successive games, his pitchers have yielded but a grand total of six hits.

Los Angeles.—The Cubs said good bye to California today, leaving behind an exhibition record of 15 victories and 10 defeats. They resume their exhibitions at Fort Worth, Tex., tomorrow.

Jersey City—Manager Shonk Collins of the Red Sox hopes his men will continue the batting streak that has marked the trip north. Earl Webb has hit safely ten times out of his last dozen times at bat. McManus has been cracking out double headers and Rethrook, despite his Charley Horse, has been enjoying his best showing of the spring.

High Point.—(AP)—The old Washington Street Methodist church, now an automobile storage house, was gutted by fire and 20 automobiles destroyed.

Marion.—(AP)—Earnest Cuthberton, Roscoe Cuthberton, John Bailey and Miss Parker were seriously injured in a triple automobile wreck here.

Gastonia.—(AP)—R. Grady Rankin, textile executive, has gone to Roanoke, Va., where his daughter, Annie Boyce, lies seriously injured after an automobile accident near Hollins college where she is a student.

Gaston.—(AP)—Authorities were seeking the person who entered the home of Miss Myrtle Warren, city music teacher, set fire to dresses in her closet and mutilated furniture with a knife.

Joe Guyon, manager of Asheville, had a group of holdovers on hand there and looked forward to the arrival of a bunch of players farmed to the Tourists by Louisville, owner of the Asheville club.

Miss Maddox, she says, needs confidence and more competition with the best players. Miss Maddox was southern champion in 1929 and is the present Georgia and Atlanta City champion.

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right, is almost on a par with that of Miss Mafreen Orcutt, who defeated Mrs. Hill in the North and South tournament. Miss Maddox isn't as consistently long off the tee as Miss Orcutt but on the days when she is at her best, she can drive as far as the Englewood, N. J., star.

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Miss Margaret Boney, of New York, who is a student at St. Mary's, Raleigh, is spending the spring holidays with Miss Mary Wall Bost.

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Mrs. Kora Farabow, of Kinston, was a Greenville visitor today.

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Mrs. Clinton Harrell, of Raleigh, was the week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. J. S. Ficklen.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Bausell, of Bristol, Va., are guests of Mrs. Bausell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Thigpen.

Kings Daughters to Meet Patient Circle Kings Daughters will meet with Mrs. T. T. Hollingsworth Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

On U. N. C. Honor Roll Miss Edna Claire Stroud and Louis Skinner, of this city, were among those on the honor roll of the University of North Carolina.

Dinner at College The dining room at East Carolina Teachers college presented a festive scene for dinner Sunday.

The room was profusely decorated with red and yellow tulips and jonquils which were sent by the florist at Terra Ceia. The tables were attractively appointed.

Card of Thanks I wish to express my sincere appreciation to all those who were so kind and thoughtful at the death of my wife.

Commissioners Meet The Board of County Commissioners was in regular monthly session at the court house here today but only matters of a routine nature were scheduled to come up for consideration.

Woman's Council The Pitt County Woman's Council will meet Thursday, April 7 at 2:30 p. m. After a short business meeting a joint program will be enjoyed with the Greenville Woman's club.

Hortense Moyer Circle to Meet The Hortense Moyer Junior Circle of the Kings Daughters will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 with Miss Clara Louise Moyer.

END OF THE CENTURY CLUB TO MEET TUESDAY The End of the Century club will meet tomorrow (Tuesday) afternoon at 3:30, with Mrs. W. S. Harden on East Ninth street.

Return From Raleigh Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Willard, Miss Frances Willard and Miss Bertha Pritchard have returned from Raleigh where they attended State College Engineers Fair.

Home Mission Study Class A most interesting and helpful study of home missions was made by a group of women of Jarvis Memorial Methodist church last week, March 29-April 1, with Mrs. J. B. Kittrell as leader.

The study, "The Challenge of Change," by Dr. John Milton Moore is a timely subject and deals with problems in America today. What has happened to America? There are changes in America produced by inquiry, knowledge, freedom, wealth and power. America was founded on religion, shall we keep it Christian.

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The most valuable thing in the universe is human personality. Personality, brotherhood and service. These are the social principles which Jesus laid down and by the operation of which alone society is to become the Kingdom of God.

Lincolnton.-(AP)-Saying he had received no official notification, Charles A. Jones, who has said he would not run, had no statement to make regarding his nomination as Republican candidate for Congress from the tenth district.

Training School P. T. A. to Meet The primary group of the Training School Parent Teachers Association will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. Mrs. E. L. Hillman will speak on The Vacation for Primary Children.

The grammar grade group will meet at 3:30.

Rev. A. W. Fleischmann in Hospital Rev. A. W. Fleischmann is in Pitt Community hospital where he underwent an operation this morning.

His many friends will be glad to know that he is getting on as well as could be expected.

Entertain in Honor of Mrs. Blount Mrs. E. B. Ficklen and Mrs. James S. Ficklen were charming hostesses Saturday morning at a bridge luncheon and again at bridge Saturday afternoon, honoring Mrs. William Blount of New York.

The home of Mrs. E. B. Ficklen was lovely with profusions of tulips, daffodils, bridal wreath and other spring flowers.

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Enjoys Reading Reflector While Seeing the World Earl J. Dees, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dees, of Greenville, enjoys reading the "Daily Reflector" while seeing the world in the United States navy.

In a letter asking for a change of address, young Dees, signing himself as "an enthusiastic Reflector reader," had the following to say:

"Since leaving Quantico, Va., I have visited Charleston, S. C., the Mardi Gras festivities in New Orleans, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, through the Panama Canal to Balboa, C. Z., and Panama City, Republic of Panama. From there I sailed direct to this place, Bremerton, Washington. An enormous amount of mail awaited our arrival here and the larger part of Easter morning was devoted to reading the "Reflector."

A congested docket was indicated for the regular session of County court which will convene tomorrow morning with Judge W. L. Whedbee presiding.

Court was suspended the last two weeks on account of the two weeks' term of Civil court which adjourned last Friday.

Although it had not been definitely ascertained how many cases awaited hearing, it was believed court would be in session about two days.

Heavy Docket Faces County Court Tuesday

Sam Dudley, member of the Board of County Commissioners, is the possessor of a perfectly formed tomahawk found on his farm a few miles north of Greenville.

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Two Men Freed Of Murder Face Perjury Charge

Lexington, April 4.-(AP)-Cleared of manslaughter charges in connection with the death of Sheriff James A. Leonard in February, George A. Younce, former district solicitor, and W. F. Brinkley, attorney, today were under \$1,000 bond on a perjury indictment which was not expected to be tried for some time.

Leonard was killed, Younce said, when the latter tried to take the officer's gun after Neil Wimmer, of Roanoke, Va., had been shot in an automobile wreck dispute.

Younce and Brinkley told their story at a second coroner's inquest, and were indicted for perjury for denying knowledge of the manner of the sheriff's death at the first inquest.

Brinkley was freed under a non-suit order by Judge Vernon G. Cowper in the manslaughter case, and Younce was acquitted by the jury Saturday night.

OFFICERS STOP NEW YORK COLLEGE STUDENTS



College students from New York were stopped by officers in Bell county, Kentucky, while on their way to the coal fields where they said they would study conditions. One of the students can be seen at the right appealing for his rights.

Three Fires Here Over Week-End Boast of Wealth Believed Caused Death of Family

Three fires in Greenville over the week-end did damage which firemen today estimated at slightly over \$2,000.

Flames gutted the home of Thad Wooten, colored, on Fleming street, in the western section of the city, this morning about 1:15 o'clock. The loss was placed at \$1,500. The origin of the blaze was not determined.

Early this morning an unoccupied house belonging to Henry Freeman, colored, in the Riverdale community, was partially destroyed by fire of an undetermined origin. The loss was estimated at \$700.

Sparks flying from a chimney fired the roof of the home of Charlie Allen, colored, on High street, but the blaze was extinguished before much damage was done. The loss was placed at about \$10.00.

The department responded to a false alarm late Saturday night but the alarmist was not apprehended.

El Paso, Tex., April 4.-(AP)-Officers considered a theory that boasts of imaginary wealth caused the massacre of seven members of the family of Malquadio Espinosa as they pressed a search for the killers over the border country today.

The 60-year-old Berino, N. M., dairyman and member of his household who survived the slaughter Friday night said his wife and six children were shot down when they were unable to comply with a demand of three robbers for \$5,000.

Mrs. Luis Espinosa, widow of one of the victims, said that the father, although he seldom drank, always imagined himself fabulously rich when intoxicated.

She expressed the opinion he might have claimed to have money concealed in his home and that the trio had heard of it.

He Does Both Philadelphia-Maj.-Gen. Smedley Butler swears (he confesses), but he also prays before every campaign address. "I ask the Lord to please help me say the right thing," he said, "and it's been a big help."

By the Skin of His Teeth Fishkill, N. Y.-William Craig's dog got smart just in time. Craig figured the hound was getting old, so he arranged to have him put to death. When he reached the dog pound they were all out of lethal gas, so the dog was taken home to await the gas arrival. As if he knew what was up, the dog suddenly began chasing rats with his old time vigor. By the time the gas arrived he had dispatched 28 rodents. Craig decided to let him live.

What Will Women Do Next? Boston: Men are traditionally supposed to be sea cooks, but the freighter Kinnika has arrived with two maids in the galley. The crew said it had been long since they had eaten such delicious chook.

NOTICE OF SALE Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain Deed in Trust executed and delivered to H. A. White, Trustee, by Joshua Dupree Sr. and wife, Victoria Dupree, and Joshua Dupree Jr. and wife, Eva Dupree, on the 17th day of June, 1927, which said Deed in Trust is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book P-16, page 197, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured thereby, the undersigned will offer for sale for CASH at public auction before the Court House door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, on

Saturday, April 23, 1932 at 12 o'clock, Noon the following described tracts of land:

FIRST PARCEL: Beginning at a stake, Stephen Leggett's northeast corner, and runs west a straight line to Stephen Leggett's northwest corner, a stake; thence North to the said Henry McLawhorn's Home Place; thence East to his southeast corner; thence South to the beginning. Containing 161-2 acres, more or less, and known as a part of the Samuel Brewer land, and being the same property described in a deed from W. F. Carroll and wife to Henry McLawhorn, dated February 16, 1908, recorded in Book W-7, page 363.

SECOND PARCEL: Beginning at the point the beginning at the northeast corner of said tract of land and from thence running 421-2 poles South to a black gum; thence West 127 poles to the beginning. Containing 331-3 acres. Being the same property described in a division of land between Henry McLawhorn, Samuel Brewer and Church Mills.

This 21st day of March, 1932. J. B. James, Trustee. Mar. 24-11w-4wk.

NOTICE OF SALE Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain Mortgage executed and delivered to S. S. Smith by L. P. Ellis and wife, M. Ethel Ellis, L. R. Ellis, and Mrs. M. M. Ellis, widow, on the 27th day of September, 1926, which certain Mortgage is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book O-16, page 3, default having been

made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, the undersigned will offer for sale for CASH at public auction before the Court House door in the Town of Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, on

Monday, April 25, 1932 at 12 o'clock Noon the following described tract or parcel of land lying and being in Winterville Township, to-wit:

Beginning at an iron stake in the side of the old road in the Harrington line, a new corner made by L. P. and L. R. Ellis, and runs thence with the division line between them, as follows: South 31-2 West 241-4 poles to a creek of ditch; then with said ditch and beyond and across the field South 141-2 West 44-5 poles to a stake in a ditch on the outside of the field; then up said ditch and branch as follows: South 73 East 43-5 poles; South 63 East 123-4 poles; South 25 East 61-2 poles to a stake in said branch; then South 5 West 301-2 poles to said Jackson corner, a stake, the corner of Roy T. Cox and R. H. Hunsucker also runs with their line North 85 West 63 poles to a stake their corner; then with another of their lines North 5 East 98 poles to a stake pointed by trees in a ditch; then up said ditch, it being L. H. Ellis, as follows: North 83 East 26 poles; North 351-2 East 2 poles; North 121-2 East 11 poles; North 41-2 East 13-4 poles; North 64 East 2 poles; North 74 East 4 poles; South 88 East 4 poles to the old road; then with the same South 20 East 61-4 poles; then South 42 East 43-4 poles to a red oak in the old line; then with the same South 85 East 7 poles to the beginning. Containing 46.5 acres, more or less, and being the same property decided to L. P. Ellis by H. E. Ellis and wife by deed recorded in Book N-15, page 132, reference to which deed is hereby made.

The above property sold subject to a prior claim in favor of the North Carolina Joint Stock Land Bank of Durham, N. C.

This 23rd day of March, 1932. S. S. Smith, Mortgagee. F. G. James & Son, Attys. Mar. 24-11w-4wk.

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the following described real estate, located in Greenville Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, to-wit:

That certain piece, parcel or lot of land, situate and being in West Greenville and being a portion of the T. R. Cherry property allotted to Miss Lillie Cherry; beginning at a stake at the northeast intersection of High Street and Sheppard Lane, which lane runs east of the J. L. Moore property and running thence in a northerly course with the eastern line of said lane 42 feet; thence eastwardly and parallel with High Street 120 feet; thence in a southerly course and parallel with said Lane 42 feet to the northern line of High Street, 120 feet to the beginning, being the same lot conveyed by Samuel Johnson and wife, Dora Johnson, by deed recorded in Book C-15, page 74, and by Alonzo Cherry and wife to Dora Johnson by deed recorded in Book E-14, page 236, and the same lot upon which has been erected a dwelling and whereon the said Joshua Dupree now lives and is designated as Lot No. 3 in Block "A" as appears on map of the land of H. S. Sheppard made by D. C. James on June 11, 1911.

This the 30th day of March, 1932.

H. A. White, Trustee. J. J. White, Admr. F. G. James & Son, Attys. Apr 1-11w-4wk.

Los Angeles-Philip K. Wrigley He may see plenty of action as the Pittsburgh Pirates were here for the opening game of a four-game series which will close the late William Wrigley, Jr. two teams' California spring trip.

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