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AUTO WORKERS RESUME WORK AT HIGHER PAY

Plants Prepare to Turn to Capacity

WHISTLE CALL LABORERS BACK

Boost in Salaries Put Into Effect Recently Adds \$40,000,000 to Annual Payroll

Detroit, Feb. 13.—(AP)—Automotive plants reopened today to the vanguard of more than 100,000 General Motors employees summoned back to their jobs since settlement of the six weeks' strike.

The whistles blew for 1,800 men in Flint, Mich., key city in paralyzing deadlocks. Thirty thousand more were to resume work there Monday with thousands more following through the week.

Preparations for a return to capacity production were rushed in the far flung factories of the corporation which turns out nearly half of the nation's cars.

The Chrysler corporation announced a pay hike averaging 10 per cent two days before the strike was settled. The Packard motor company followed with a five cent an hour boost yesterday for 12,500 workers.

These two raises, together with that of General Motors' previously announced boost, will put an additional \$40,000,000 a year into the pay envelopes of about 300,000 wage earners.

Drys Get Comfort In Fight Against Control Measure

Technical Victory Won in Setting County Option Bill For Special Order Tuesday

Reflector Bureau. Raleigh, Feb. 13.—Discouraged drys have perked up a bit and have derived more than a crumb of comfort from their tactical and a bit technical victory in setting the county option liquor bill as a special order of business for Tuesday afternoon.

Principal source of encouragement lies in the fact that they beat off a controller offensive which would have sent the liquor bill through the Senate Friday afternoon.

It was the very first time that the well-oiled, smoothly functioning control machine failed to perform perfectly. Somewhere along the line a cog slipped and as a result a motion by Senator Lee Gravelly, of Nash, to take up the bill Friday was defeated 25 to 17, when Senator L. A. Martin, Lexington, successfully offered a substitute naming Tuesday as the date for consideration.

All observers agree that the vote itself meant exactly nothing so far as a test of pro and anti control is concerned, but the county among political prognosticators point to the fact that the drys have gained time which may prove valuable to them.

One Senator who supported the Martin substitute rather scathingly remarked:

"I know what Martin wanted. He wanted us to go home over the week-end and get our tails barbecued."

This same Senator said he voted with the Davidson Senator in order that there might be no possible charge that the controllers "ram-rod" the measure through the Senate.

Summed up, the consensus is that the control bill would have been law by Friday night if the Gravelly motion had prevailed. As it is, it can't be enacted before Tuesday, and many things have been known to happen politically within much shorter spaces than four days.

Pitt Superior Court Begins Here Monday

A week's term of Superior court is scheduled to get underway here Monday morning for trying civil cases and will be followed by two weeks of criminal court.

Although several weeks of criminal court have been held here recently, a large number of cases appear on the docket.

Bernice Aspinwall and Bernard Moore, two young white men charged with the brutal attack on G. Lem Pleasant—probably will be tried at the criminal term.

Mr. Pleasant has returned to his home here from Johns Hopkins hospital and is expected to take the stand against the pair.

Norris Sees 'Danger' In FDR's Court Plan



Leaving a White House conference, Senator George Norris of Nebraska, independent ally of President Roosevelt, said he saw "danger" in the President's proposals to increase membership of the Supreme Court. (Associated Press Photo)

WATERS SPEED TOWARD GULF

Legion of Workers Man Lower River Valley Levees

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 13.—(AP)—A yellow flood tide that despoiled cities, towns and farms in the valleys of the Ohio and Mississippi poured toward the Gulf today while an alert legion of workers manned the lower valley levees.

Army engineers and veterans of many high water sights foresaw victory over the greatest flood in the nation's history.

Stricken cities along the Ohio began to dig from under the slime of devastation, strewn with the wreckage of countless homes and buildings. The death list stood at 466. The Ohio fell rapidly along its entire course below Cincinnati. The Mississippi's retreat quickened from Cairo, Ill., to Helena, Ark., where levee defenders watched the passing crests leave bulwarked dikes intact.

Raymond Elijah Craft Is Claimed By Death

Funeral services for Raymond Elijah Craft, 45, respected farmer of the Matry section of Greene county who Thursday afternoon, were conducted at the home this afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. Mr. Miller, Methodist minister of Hookerton. Burial followed in the Matry cemetery.

Mr. Craft died in Parrott Memorial hospital in Kinston after a brief illness.

He is survived by his wife; four sons, Sam, James, Lyman and Earl Craft; two daughters, Misses Mary Ethel and Athlene Craft, all of the home place; his mother, Mrs. Rilda Craft of Griffin two brothers, Josh and Rufus Craft of Griffin; and two sisters, Mrs. J. W. Moore and Miss Nettie Craft of Greene county.

WEATHER FOR THE WEEK

Fair and colder at beginning, rain and warmer middle, and fair and colder toward end of week.

Sales Tax Foes Defeated At Every Turn In House

Reflector Bureau. Raleigh, Feb. 13.—Foes of the sales tax in the House have taken their worst beating since the much-assailed measure was first enacted into North Carolina law as "an emergency measure."

Battling grimly, but hopelessly, they have butted their heads against a stone wall in every effort they have made to lift any substantial part of the tax. Their sole victory to date, out of nearly a dozen efforts, has been to place bread in the exempt list along with lard, flour, meal, and six other staple necessities.

Even here, had they not been able to orate about the "very staff of life" and to draw an almost tearful picture of ragged urchins trying to buy a loaf of bread without the penny needed to pay the tax, they would have taken another wallop on the chin.

So complete and utter has been

Assembly Seems Well On Its Way Toward Job's End

Biggest Problems of Legislature, Including Revenue Bill and Liquor Measure, Solved So Far As Lower Branch is Concerned

By RALPH L. HOWLAND. Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 13.—(AP)—A hard-driven legislature this week neared sine die adjournment as weary assemblymen apparently solved their biggest problems.

The house early this morning passed and sent to the senate the huge revenue bill designed to raise approximately \$75,000,000 during the biennium—exclusive of the highway and agriculture funds. A treasury surplus of \$3,000,000 as of June 30, 1937, would be employed to meet a total general fund appropriation of about \$79,000,000—a financial status which brought smiles to A. J. Maxwell, commissioner of revenue, and to Representative Bryant of Durham, who were responsible mainly for the rapid report of the joint finance committee. Bryant and Senator Webb of Lenoir are chairmen of the revenue body.

The Hanford liquor measure, allowing counties to vote for control, which drys contended was "ram-rod" through the house, was set as a special order in the senate for next Tuesday. Wets claim a majority there. Drys, led by Senator Martin of Davidson, are not inclined to talk—about their senatorial following.

The old age assistance and child aid bill, calling for financial aid from the counties, passed the senate with but one dissenting vote and many persons conceded it would pass the house without difficulty. It provides that persons who prove their inability to support themselves may realize a maximum

Proposed Court Changes Main Topic Capitol Hill

Other Developments Hold Interest in Washington

Washington, Feb. 13.—(AP)—The beginning of a historic dispute over enlarging the supreme court took form this week amid administration cries of "no compromise" and opposition predictions of defeat for the President's proposal.

Satisfaction over settlement of the General Motors strike, arguments about the Wagner labor act in the supreme court, a presidential recommendation for long time economic planning—each had its place in developments of the week. The main topic at White House and capital alike, however, was the merit of the President's chosen course on judicial reorganization.

Some of Mr. Roosevelt's opponents called for a constitutional amendments instead, but his supporters said this called this a long process. It could be thwarted by action of 13 legislatures they pointed out.

His proposal to infuse new blood into the court, possibly enlarging it to 15 members, is direct and constitutional in the administration's view.

Negro Convicted Of Engaging In Assault

Only one case was tried in City court this morning, that of a Negro charged with assault as a result of a fight on Evans street. The Negro was fined \$5 and costs.

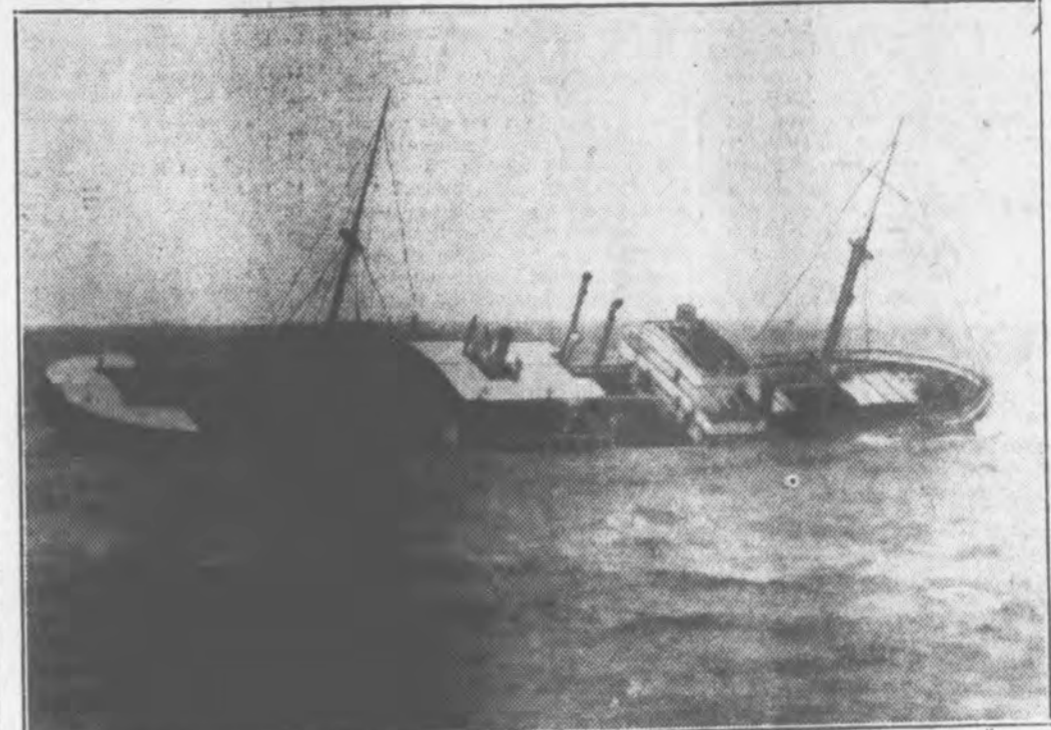
Free Scholarship Awarded Member Of Pitt 4-H Club

Austin Smith has been declared the 4-H club member with the best all-round record for 1936 in Pitt County, and as a result will be awarded a free scholarship to the 1937 State Short Course, held at State College the latter part of July. He has also received a wrist watch as a result of his record with his corn project.

He was selected on the basis of his production record as shown by his 4-H record books; his participation in club and community activities—such as exhibits, judging contests, fairs, achievement day programs, etc.; by his leadership in his club, community, and other organizations; by his story of his 4-H club experiences, and his high school record.

Austin's record has been forwarded to State College where it will be considered in connection with similar records from other counties in the State for the 4-year scholarship to the North Carolina State College of Agriculture, offered by the Clean Nitrate Educational Bureau to the boy who is judged as the most outstanding 4-H club member in the state.

---AND YET SHE SURVIVED THE SEA'S WRATH



Her cargo of limes shifted in the hold, the Norwegian motorship Rigel was floundering around with starboard decks swash when the Coast Guard cutter Modoc sighted her 400 miles off Cape Hatteras, North Carolina. It looked like the next swell might send her and the crew of 29 down to Davy Jones' Locker. But with the Modoc standing by, the sailors moved back the cargo and the vessel righted herself. And then, despite the fact only one of her twin engines was working, she left her convoy and headed for New York. (Associated Press Photo)

TEACHER MEET HELD AT ETC

Twenty Counties Represented at Session Here Today

Hundreds of teachers from at least twenty counties are in Greenville today taking part in a conference on the major problems in the teaching of reading, a subject of prime importance in the school curriculum.

The morning session was held in the Training School but people coming in, filed the aisles, stood along the wall, and were banded in the corridors near the doorway, so the afternoon meeting was moved to the Austin Auditorium, where the crowd could be comfortably accommodated.

Miss Hattie S. Parrott, of the State Department of Public Instruction, who called the conference, presided over the first meeting, which opened at 10:00 o'clock this morning. She presented the program and gave directions for the procedure for the day. She explained the purpose of the conference by saying that it was a part of the plan to establish clinics in the State so that teachers could acquire a technique in discovering the difficulties in reading and their causes with the idea of preventing and correcting these difficulties.

On their arrival the teachers were given registration blanks on which space was provided for them to write the specific problems they wished to have discussed. Dr. C. L. Adams had charge of the open discussion meeting, presenting the problems that had been asked for by the teachers. The major problems called forth interesting discussions from the floor and the minor problems were automatically disposed of by lack of response.

The second part of the program was a tour of the Training School for the purpose of seeing the equipment for reading activities which were on display in the various classrooms. The teachers were directed to the reading room.

Postponed Piano Marathon. Ottawa, Kas. (AP)—Death of his grandmother forced postponement this year by Robert Beeler, famous blind pianist, of his annual birthday piano marathon. Last year on his thirtieth birthday he played 1,208 selections in 20 hours.

Music To Feature Evening Services Tomorrow Night

Six Protestant Churches of City Sponsor Joint Meeting at Methodist Church

The union Sunday evening service of the six participating Protestant churches of Greenville will be held tomorrow night at 7:30 in the Jarvis Memorial Methodist church.

A feature of the service will be the singing of "Incline Thine Ear" by Baines, by a mixed quartette composed of Mrs. Dink James, Miss Agnes Fullilove and Messrs. Parkinson and Taber. Congregational singing will be led by June Rose, chairman of the music committee for the union services.

A splendid message has been assured for tomorrow's service, and it is expected that another congregation of record-breaking attendance will be present. Visitors to the city are especially welcomed.

Local churches participating are the Episcopal, Presbyterian, Methodist, Christian and the Memorial Baptist and Immanuel Baptist churches.

Florida now makes a great ceremony of inaugurating a new governor, but the farmers of the state's constitution back in 1885 believed a 63-word oath of office sufficient.

Threats Made Of Another Serious Shipping Tie-Up

San Francisco, Feb. 13.—(AP)—A threatened tie-up of West coast shipping by seamen protesting against the Copeland act approached a crisis today, the first test of a court order delaying its enforcement.

A deputy federal shipping commissioner here sought instructions from Washington after three maritime unions got the federal court to restrain him from enforcing the act. Sealing of two Dollar liners awaited his action.

PLOT HATCHED KIDNAP QUINS

Two of Dionne Sisters Said Be Intended Victims

Toronto, Canada. (Canadian Press) Feb. 13.—(AP)—The government's protectors of Canada's famous Dionne quintuplets charged provincial police today with faking every shred of a story "two foreign looking" men were plotting to kidnap two of the pretty little sisters.

Police and attorney General Arthur Roebuck were inclined to think the tale a hoax. However, two extra guards were dispatched to the Calander nursery binging to five the men who walk a beat around the eight foot steel fence which guards the little girls.

The story of the kidnap plot reportedly hatched on a Toronto to Buffalo bus, first was told in an anonymous call to the wife of a township constable yesterday.

All Legionnaires having sons eligible for membership in the organization are urged to bring them to the dinner meeting. No cards will be mailed informing members of this meeting.

House Approves Tax Bill; Early Adjournment Seen

Reflector Bureau. Raleigh, Feb. 13.—With the revenue bill already enacted by the house and due to be taken up by the senate Monday, the general assembly is well on its way towards an early adjournment, unless the senate decides to pick the revenue bill to pieces and make changes in it that will seriously delay its final enactment.

For whatever changes are made in the bill in the senate must be approved by the house before the bill can become law.

The house is just six weeks ahead of where it was during the 1935 session, as far as the revenue bill is concerned. For while the house passed the revenue bill on its third reading a few minutes past midnight this morning and sent it to the senate, where it will be sent to the finance committee or put on the calendar Monday, the house did not pass the revenue bill on its first reading in 1935 until April 28.

The general belief, however, is that the senate will spend more time on the bill than did the house, since the senate this year is moving

SENATE READY FOR BIG ISSUES

Prepares to Take Up Liquor Bill and Revenue Act

Raleigh, Feb. 13.—(AP)—The senate passed 21 bills today and prepared to act next week on liquor and money matters.

After the unprecedented action in the house in passing and sending the senate the record \$145,000,000 appropriations bill and \$75,000,000 general fund revenue bill for 1937-39 within 48 hours after they were reported by committees, the joint finance chairmen announced appointment of the revenue machinery act committee.

Senator Pittman of Lee will head the senate group, with Rep. Clark of Lincoln, chairman for the house. Members are: Senators Hughes of Pasquotank, Sanders of Alamance, Larkin of Jones and Hutchins of Madison and Representatives Hobbs of New Hanover, McDuffie of Wilkes, Siler of Chatham, Rouse of Lenoir, Fulghum of Johnston and Horner of Lee.

The huge appropriation measure passed in four and one-half minutes last night in a surprise move. The senate will act on the local option bill Tuesday, Lieutenant Governor W. P. Horson predicted, and then will take up the revenue measure Wednesday.

All the bills passed by the senate were minor in nature. The house and senate meet next at 8 o'clock Monday night, the house having held its Saturday session a few minutes after midnight this morning to pass the revenue bill.

To Organize Chapter Sons Of The Legion

A local branch of the Sons of The American Legion will be organized at the next meeting of Pitt County Post 39, to be held at the Third Street hut Tuesday night at 6:30 o'clock.

All Legionnaires having sons eligible for membership in the organization are urged to bring them to the dinner meeting. No cards will be mailed informing members of this meeting.

GLASS BRANDS FDR PROPOSAL AS 'FRIGHTFUL'

Virginia Senator To Speak Against Suggestions

DECLARES MOVE UNPRECEDENTED

Five Senators, Three of Whom Oppose Changes, Confer At White House

Washington, Feb. 13.—(AP)—Senator Glass (D. Va.) said today President Roosevelt's proposal to increase the Supreme court unless justices over 70 retire was "frightful." He added he was ready to speak in the senate against it. The caustic Virginian in his first statement on the President's court program said:

"I am going to speak in the senate, to say that I am utterly opposed to it. I think it is a frightful proposal, unprecedented since the founding of the government."

"I don't mean to say it hasn't been suggested before to increase the number of judges, but just exactly this proposal is unprecedented since the foundation of the government."

Glass, a frequent critic of Roosevelt administration policies, particularly monetary, issued his statement at the same time as Mr. Roosevelt was conferring at the White House with five Democratic senators, three of them oppose to enlarge the supreme court.

Pitt Contributes Total Of \$4,909.45 To Aid Sufferers

Contributions Ranging From Few Cents Upwards Made To Red Cross Flood Relief

Pitt County's contributions to the Red Cross flood relief fund have reached a total of \$4,909.45 or twelve times the original quota of \$400 asked in the first call by the Red Cross. The first call for \$400 was quickly followed by a second call increasing the quota to \$800 and a third call fixed the minimum quota for this county at \$2,000.

Response to these calls for relief has come from every section of Pitt County and the contributions have ranged from a few cents to as high as \$100 each. Well over 1,000 Pitt County citizens including children and all races, have had a part in making Pitt County's total contribution more than twice as large as any Red Cross relief fund ever raised in this county.

Contributions are as follows:

Previously reported	\$4,894.65
Miss Emma Fleming	1.00
Friend	1.00
R. E. Corbett, Jr.	50
C. B. Spain	1.00
Counter Donations Hill Home	6.42
Drug Store	2.88
Counter Donations Chas. Horne	2.88
Drug Store	2.88
Lillian R. Taylor (teacher 5th street colored school)	1.00
C. V. Chase (teacher 5th street colored school)	1.00
Total	\$4,909.45

Error in listing in Thursday's report Red Oak Home Demonstration Club should have been Red Banks Home Demonstration Club 3.00.

Rocky Mount Florist Believed Be Suicide

Rocky Mount, Feb. 13.—(AP)—Herman Blount, 32, owner and manager of a local florist company, was found dead early today in his parked car five miles from here and a piece of arden hose fastened to the exhaust of his closed coupe and brought up behind the seat led police to believe he had ended his life by breathing carbon monoxide gas.

The motor was not running at the time the body was found after Blount had been missing since yesterday, but officers said the switch was turned on and the motor apparently had choked. No reason for the act was advanced.

Blount leaves a wife, two children, his father and sister and two brothers.

No Clues Discovered In Death School Girl

Sparta, N. C., Feb. 13.—(AP)—Sheriff Walter Irvin this morning admitted officers are not searching for a definite suspect in the slaying of Elva Brannock, 19-year-old high school girl, whose body was found in from here yesterday. She had been missing since Monday.

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CHURCHES

PENNSYLVANIA HOLINESS Corner 13th and Reade Sts. Rev. J. W. Berry, Pastor. 8:45 a. m.—Sunday School; J. W. Berry, Supt. Morning and evening services at the usual hour. Come, worship with us.

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH Corner Cotanche & Tenth Sts. Rev. S. B. Denny, Pastor. Services every fourth Saturday and Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES 11:00 a. m.—Lesson-sermon in the Pythian Hall. Sunday School at same hour.

FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. R. P. Harris, Pastor. 8:45 a. m.—Sunday School; W. F. Owens, Supt. A cordial welcome awaits you in each study group. 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship. Sermon: "Reaching for a Higher Plane of Living." Special music. 6:30 p. m.—F. W. B. Leagues. 7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship. Sermon: "Setting a Goal and Marching Toward It." Monday, 4:00 p. m.—Junior Missionary Circle. Monday 7:30 p. m.—Ladies' Aid Society meets in the church. Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Prayer and Praise. Discussion led by Mrs. D. A. Windham. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

JARVIS MEMORIAL M. E. CHURCH Rev. Thos. McM. Grant, Minister. 8:45 a. m.—Sunday School—J. H. Rose, Supt. Morning worship 11:00 a. m. Organ Prelude: "Larghetto." Anthem: "Thou Majesty Divine." Offertory: "Solace." Sermon by the Pastor. 6:45 p. m.—Ephrath League. 7:30 p. m.—Union Evening Worship in this church. The public is cordially invited to all of these services.

MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. A. W. Fieschmann, Pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Mr. E. R. Conway, Jr., Superintendent. You are welcome in all departments. Come, study with us. Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.—Sermon by Dr. A. C. Reid, of Wake Forest College. Baptist Training Unions 6:30 p. m. Union Community Evening Service 7:30 p. m. We unite with the churches of the city at the Jarvis Memorial Methodist church auditorium. Wednesday evening 7:30—The Mid-week Devotional Hour and Study of God's Word. You are invited.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Rev. Robert C. Grady, Minister. 9:45 a. m.—Church School. C. K. Beatty, Supt. Men's Bible Class. Judge Dink James, Teacher. College Girls' class. Miss Frances Fields, Teacher. 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship. Sermon: "The Message of Lent." 2:30 p. m.—Sunday School at Hollywood. 5:00 p. m.—Junior Choir practice. 6:30 p. m.—Senior Society meeting. 7:30 p. m.—Union Evening Worship in the Methodist church.

CHURCH OF ST. PETER THE APOSTLE Rev. Charles J. Gable, Pastor. Rev. James J. Noonan, Assistant. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered at 8:30 a. m. and 10:30 a. m. Sermon, Rotary and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament at 7:30 p. m. Monday: Devotions to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal at 4:30 p. m. Wednesday and Friday: Stations of the Cross at 4:30 p. m.

EIGHTH ST. CHRISTIAN CHURCH (Disciples of Christ) Wm. A. Ryan, Minister. 9:45 a. m.—Bible School. 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship. Sermon: "The Challenge of Lent." Special Music. Duet: "Come Unto Me," Mrs.vice League.

ESCAPE IF YOU CAN

BY FREDERICK JACKSON

SYNOPSIS: When Count Vronski, who is blackmailing Anne Phelps with love letters, is shot dead in her studio, at least three persons are nearby: Anne, Clarke Bigelow and Karsanokoff, the glamorous dancer. They hide the corpse during a party, then Bigelow and Dr. Austrelitz, the physician, move it to Vronski's rooms. Police arrest Thorne Dryden, who had been Vronski's valet, and his wife, Lorna, and check her off their suspect list which still includes Karsanokoff and Baroness Dormstatt.

Chapter 35 An Anonymous Letter

It was half past three. Bigelow felt irritable and depressed and he did not know what to do with himself. He picked up the latest editions of the papers and after one look at them, settled down in a corner to examine them eagerly.

The police had received an anonymous communication which was reproduced in facsimile. It was typewritten and read:

To the Police of New York, Gentlemen: The man who was recently found dead in his apartment and who was known as Count Anton Vronski was an impostor. Really, he was a Russian peasant from the Vronski estates in Russia and his name was Paul Cienkowitz. In the revolution, he joined the Bolsheviks but he afterwards turned traitor and had from Russia with a fortune in stolen jewels. The Vronski family was wiped out during the revolution. This man deserves the death which came to him.

The newspapers wondered if the letter furnished a valuable new clue to the murder or if it was merely a red herring intended to obscure the trail.

Bigelow went to his room to call Austrelitz, but his telephone was ringing as he unlocked his door and Austrelitz was on the wire.

"Hello! Have you seen the evening papers?" asked Austrelitz. "Yes, a few minutes ago. I was just going to call you. What do you make of it?"

"That letter was typed on the machine in my private office," said Austrelitz significantly. "I've just typed out a copy to compare with the facsimile in the paper and I'm sure. It's an old machine, you know, and the eccentricities of the type are identical."

"Good Lord!" cried Bigelow. "You mean you think—" "The lady who managed to get in there and wait for me yesterday," said Austrelitz gravely. "Bigelow whistled under his breath. "But don't discuss it this way," advised Austrelitz. "Are you going to be free for a bit?"

"I'm afraid so," admitted Bigelow gloomily. "Get a taxi then, and come up?" "Right!"

The Torn-Off Letterhead Bigelow hung up and put on his hat and coat, but with his hand on the door-knob, he hesitated, glancing uncertainly at the telephone. With a slight shrug, he turned back to call up Anne. But Walters answered, informing him that she had not yet come in. He glanced at his wrist-watch, thinking she was taking a long time over lunch, then with a sigh, he set out.

In the lobby, the little man took up the trail and followed Bigelow, but although Bigelow acknowledged his presence with a scowl, he made no effort to shake him off.

Dr. Austrelitz had him ushered in without delay, and laid out for his inspection on the desk the facsimile of the letter the police had received and the copy he had made himself on his old typewriter.

"Look at these!" said the doctor quietly. Bigelow examined them interestedly.

"You see how the e is blocked up so that the top part prints solid," pointed out the doctor, "and the u is slightly crooked and the capital C both in 'Count' and in 'Cienkowitz' prints slightly above the line? It doesn't seem possible to me that another typewriter would have all three defects—or at least, not probable."

"But how in the world did you think of comparing this typing with the typing done on your machine?" asked Bigelow curiously. "I don't know. One recognizes typing done on one's own machine, I suppose without realizing it oneself, one's mind becomes aware of the various oddities of the type. And then there was one curious thing that I observed yesterday without really thinking about it. You know how one sometimes notes and records an impression mechanically without realizing until afterward that one has done so?"

"Yes," noticed Bigelow. "Well, it happens that I have a habit of pacing the floor when I'm restless or absorbed in thinking. I did it yesterday while Karsanokoff was here and as I passed the desk, my eyes fell upon the wastepaper basket several times. The basket was about half full of wastepaper, and on top of it lay a thin strip of paper—the letterhead torn or cut off a sheet of my stationery. Its presence there aroused a vague curiosity somewhere in the back of my mind, but I was too intent on what Karsanokoff was saying and looking to concentrate on the matter of the torn-off letterhead. And by the time Karsanokoff had departed, I had forgotten about it. But this afternoon when I saw the newspaper, I remembered that I had typed here. Afterward, I questioned Miss Westcott and she assured me she had not brought it in the basket. So it must have been Karsanokoff. No one else used this room except when I myself was present."

Bigelow nodded. "I think it's fairly clear then, that Karsanokoff typed the letter. Do you suppose she represents her government or some Russian secret order formed to deal with cases like Vronski's?" "It seems possible. And I can think of no good reason why she should have written the letter if the facts in it are not true. I mean—if she was officially acting as nemesis, there is a purpose in her sending the letter—to let others know what fate traitors can expect. Otherwise what purpose could there be?"

"She might have sent it in an effort to set the police on the right trail—or perhaps merely to aid Dryden." Austrelitz shook his head with a faint smile. "In my opinion Madame Karsanokoff is too interested in her own career; to waste time or thought on matters that do not directly concern her. Let me lay before you my own reasoning in regard to that letter. Here is my line of thought."

"You Think She Shot Him?" AUSTRELITZ began to pace the floor. "Either the facts in that letter are false or they are true. If they are false, she has gone to some trouble to invent them and for what purpose? To clear Dryden—a man that she does not know? That doesn't seem likely. On the other hand, if the facts are true, they mean more to you and me than to the police. They mean that Karsanokoff must have learned them in order to be able to reveal them. But when did she learn them after Vronski's death or before?"

"Before, of course—" cried Bigelow. "We can't be sure of that, but if she knew them before, we could understand something which puzzled us—her curious reactions when you first mentioned Vronski's name to her on the ship and when you afterward presented him."

"She knew who he was all the time!" cried Bigelow. "I think so. I think she recognized his name on the ship but wasn't certain it was the man she had in mind until you actually presented him."

"And a few hours after that, he was shot," said Bigelow. "Yes," said Austrelitz. "They looked at each other gravely. "You think she shot him?" asked Bigelow. "Yes, I have thought so from the beginning, only I could think of no way of establishing the fact except by eliminating all other possibilities. And until now, you must remember, we have had no motive to ascribe to her."

"Do you want to establish the fact of her guilt?" asked Bigelow curiously. "I mean—you don't want to see her in Dryden's place, do you?" "No, I can't honestly say I do. Theoretically, one realizes that it is one's duty as a citizen of a civilized community to see that a murderer or murderer's spy the just penalty for his or her crime. But in a case like this, where the victim was a thorough scoundrel and the murderer such a beautiful creature and such a brilliant dancer—one hesitates to denounce her. On the other hand, is one to let Dryden go to the chair?"

"Certainly not," agreed Bigelow. "I'll admit the case against him does not seem very strong, but one never knows about juries. So much depends upon how the lawyers present their case—and what sort of brains the jurymen have got and what sort of lives they've lived. Any number of things. Suppose the case goes against Dryden and he's convicted, and Karsanokoff has by that time departed these shores—that she has no inclination to confess and sacrifice herself to save him. She may argue that he meant to kill Vronski—that he would have killed him if she hadn't saved him the trouble—and that therefore he is just as guilty as she is and just as deserving of punishment."

(Copyright, 1937, Frederick Jackson) Austrelitz makes an appointment with the doctor, Monday.

Daily Cross Word Puzzle

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

ACROSS: 1. Measure by walking. 5. De under obligation. 8. Sounding voice. 12. Winklike. 13. Writing implement. 14. Not fat. 15. Water bottle. 17. Soft and languid. 19. Serpent. 20. Follow. 22. Irritate. 23. Old musical note. 25. Intervening. 27. Give the right to. 28. Copper cent. 29. Law. 30. Parent. 31. Light open river boat. 32. Pronoun. 33. Spout for drawing sap. 34. Holdings of honor cards not in sequence. 41. Coat with an alloy of tin and lead. 42. 551. 43. Owens. 44. Weld. 45. Came to rest. DOWN: 1. South American animal. 2. Alack. 3. Floor covering. 4. Historical period. 5. Overt. 6. Ourselves. 7. Cloth or invest. 8. Beverage. 9. Yeast. 10. Not exciting. 11. Semiretious stone. 14. Covered with plumage. 15. Answered. 21. Reeking furnace. 24. Kind of thread. 25. Asiatic kingdom. 27. Type squares. 28. Pile. 29. Old exclamation. 31. County in Nevada. 32. Word of consent. 33. Football position. 35. Pronoun. 40. Halibut. 42. Fits one inside another. 44. Cure. 45. Large pulp in early Christian churches.

10x10 grid for crossword puzzle with numbers 1-61 indicating starting points for words.

The Jarvis Memorial Methodist church at 7:30 o'clock.

Colored Churches SYCAMORE HILL BAPTIST CHURCH Corner Greene and First Sts. Rev. J. A. Nimrod, Pastor. 9:30 a. m.—Sunday School; W. D. Miller, Supt. In this department of the church we are inviting more members and friends to come and study God's word with us. 11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. 6:00 p. m.—B. Y. P. U. C. C. McGilroy, director. 7:30 p. m.—Evening Service. Sermon by pastor.

ST. ANDREW'S MISSION (Colored Episcopal Church) Bonner's Lane Rev. Worth Wicker, Priest-in-Charge. Evening prayer and sermon, 3:00 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all colored people to worship with us.

ST. GABRIEL'S CATHOLIC CHURCH (For the Colored) Fifth St., and Tyson Ave. Services every Sunday at 10:30. Prayer and sermon every Monday and Friday evenings at 7:45.

ST. JOHN'S C. M. E. MISSION Sheppard Street Sunday School, 10:45 a. m. Preaching every first Sunday at 11:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Preaching every third Sunday at 3:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. The pastor will be on the scene the said days and hours as mentioned. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

PHILIPPI CHRISTIAN CHURCH (Disciples of Christ) Corner 13th and Greene Sts. Rev. J. C. Artis, Pastor. 9:30 a. m.—Sunday School. 11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. You are invited to attend these services.

MT. CALVARY F. W. B. CHURCH Rev. E. M. Hill, Pastor. 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School; Joe Killebrew, Supt. Preaching every fourth Sunday at 11:30 a. m. Evening worship every fourth Sunday at 7:30 p. m. Thursday, 7:30 p. m.—Prayer meeting.

YORK MEMORIAL A. M. E. ZION Located Abernethy Avenue. Rev. C. W. McNeill, pastor. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Julius Haskins, president. Morning service 11:00 a. m. Evening service at 7:30. Sermon by the pastor.

MAN WAVES BATTLESHIPS TO STOP; TRIES TO SELL FISH Canton, O. (AP)—When midshipman James M. Carnes came home on leave after a midshipman's cruise to Europe, he reported a man in a rowboat, waving frantically, stopped the battleships Arkansas, Oklahoma and Wyoming off the Shetland Islands. The man paddled alongside one of the ships, whose officers thought him in distress, held up two fish the said days and hours as mentioned. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

PRETTY PATTI PICKENS A BRIDE



There's plenty of sweet harmony in the love song Patti Pickens and Robert Simmons are singing in New York—they eloped to Newburgh, N. Y., recently and were married in the home of a friend. Patti is one of the singing Pickens Sisters who went from their home in Macon, Ga., to radio and stage fame. Her bridegroom is a member of radio's celebrated Revelers Quartet. (Associated Press Photo)

Legislative Chaff and Chatter

Reflector Bureau. Raleigh, Feb. 13.—Most applauded statement made to date in the House came Thursday from the lips of Representative T. C. Stone of Rockingham.

Answering a question of Libby Ward "Whether you would rather give the teachers a salary increase or prevent allocation of gasoline tax funds to the general fund?" the Stoneville solon snapped:

"What's the use increasing the teachers salaries if you can't get the children to school?" Mr. Ward sat down, thoroughly vanquished for the first and only time so far in the session.

Strange paradox. This legislature is more tightly Administration-controlled than any in several decades. Yet it is determined to enact a county-option liquor bill in the face of strong opposition by Governor Hoey, head of the Administration.

The House committee on roads was in a killing frame of mind at its most recent sitting. Thursday Chairman Con C. Johnston handed up a big batch of bills which his group recommended "Do NOT pass." Among them were practically all those calling for reduced license tag fees. This feature, it is claimed, will be attended to in an Administration bill, lower license prices being one of Governor Hoey's campaign pledges in the primaries and the general election.

Representative J. B. Volger, Mecklenburg, has introduced a resolution urging North Carolina's Congressional delegation to support the Bulwinkle bill authorizing coinage of \$25,000 in half-dollars to commemorate the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence.

When he put the bill in and asked immediate passage under suspension of the rules, Speaker Gregg Cherry slyly quipped: "Is the Mecklenburg delegation united on this?"

The query was more or less pertinent in view of the fact that the three Mecklenburgers of the House had seldom voted as a unit on any measure.

There's still no accepted explanation of the failure of former Governor and Senator Cameron Morrison to wear his "wing" collar at the dry hearing Thursday.

Few people care anything about repeating trips to the state prison, but Camden's Representative H. V. Leary, a member of the committee on penal institutions, had dinner recently with Warden Honeycutt, then remarked:

"You're going to be troubled with me a lot out here from now on."

John Harmon, Jr., who was campaign secretary for Sandy Graham in the governor's primary last spring, was in Raleigh Thursday renewing political acquaintances and perhaps building a few fences. He has just hung out his law shingle over in Durham, where he is well known as a Duke alumnus.

Winterville To Have Public Forum Monday

Winterville will have its first Forum on Monday night in the High School auditorium. Dr. Louis B. Hill will speak on the topic—"Southern Agricultural Problems and Suggested Solutions."

The public is invited to attend this Forum and to take part in the discussion to follow Dr. Hill's talk. Mrs. Hill, a native of Tennessee, received her B. S. degree in Education from Teacher's College, New York; her M. A. degree in Political Science from Columbia University; and her Ph. D. degree in American History from Vanderbilt University. She also has studied at the New York City Bureau of Municipal Research, the University of Chicago and Cornell University. During the past fourteen years Mrs. Hill has taught Social Science in Colleges in the East and Middle West, also in the National University of Mexico, Mexico City. She has been speaker and organizer for Women Suffrage in Missouri; West Virginia, and New York; speaker and organizer for League of Women Voters, and County Chairman of that organization in Dutchess County, New York, for a number of years; and teacher of Parliamentary law in various Women's Clubs in several states. Mrs. Hill has also traveled extensively in foreign countries. She is the author of "The History of Mount Zion Methodist Episcopal church, 1809-1931," "State Socialism in the Confederate States of America" and "Joseph E. Brown of Georgia and the Confederacy."

69 - YEAR - OLD MAN READS BIBLE 105 TIMES Allentown, Pa. (AP) Henry B. Leh, 69 year old resident of Egypt, Pa., says he has read the Bible 105 times since 1902. He has worn out three Bibles and a fourth is frayed. "When I went to school, I read a book that said the word 'and' was used 51,200 times in the Bible," he said. "I counted them and that's right."

He is in an Allentown hospital now, recovering from a broken leg and spending most of his time reading—reading the Bible.

The buying power of North Carolina farmers is reported by agricultural statisticians as being materially greater than at any other time in recent years.

HOPES ROUTED FOR DIVERSION

Bigger Victory Scored Than Had Been Hoped For

Raleigh, Feb. 13.—The anti-diversionists scored a bigger victory than they had hoped for in the house and almost completely routed the road fund raiders when Chairman Victor S. Bryant of the house finance committee accepted without opposition the substitute amendment presented by Representative Clarence Stone of Rockingham county expected to make it impossible to divert any highway money into the general fund unless and until all general fund revenues, including any surplus, are entirely and completely exhausted.

The amendment further provides that such an amount as may be needed to prevent a deficit in the general fund cannot be transferred except upon order of the Governor as Director of the Budget and then only such an amount as may be needed.

The adoption of this amendment is regarded as a thumping victory for the forces in the house opposed to any highway fund diversion and as going a long way towards driving the anti-diversion bung back into the highway fund barrel.

For while the anti-diversionists had been ready to compromise Thursday by agreeing to the continued diversion of \$1,000,000 a year from the highway to the general fund, whether it was needed to balance the budget or not, in order to defeat the revenue bill provision for the diversion of \$2,100,000 a year from the highway fund, the new provision definitely puts a stop to the flow of \$1,000,000 a year which has been running out of the diversion bung hole for the past four years.

For now on, not a single dollar of highway revenue can be diverted unless and until every single dollar of general fund revenue, including any surplus that may be carried over from previous years, has been expended.

I regard the action of the house in adopting the Stone amendment as a distinct victory for those who are opposed to diversion and in favor of more adequate construction and maintenance of the county roads," Rep. Con C. Johnston of Iredell, chairman of the house committee on roads, said following the adoption of the amendment. Though a strong "administration" man in everything else, Chairman Johnston refused to go along with the administration leaders favoring the diversion of \$2,100,000 a year from the highway fund and fought shoulder to shoulder with the opponents of this diversion throughout the Thursday's session of the house, the most heated session so far. In fact, most observers here are giving Johnston the credit for having made Governor Clyde R. Hoey "see the light" with regard to the dangers of diversion and with having enlisted the Governor's support for the Stone amendment. It was very evident that something very unusual had happened over night and that the administration forces which had fought with their backs to the wall on Thursday had decided not to fight at all by Friday, when they accepted the amendment without protest.

Even Chairman Capus M. Waynick of the State Highway and Public Works Commission is not only satisfied with the adoption of the Stone amendment but almost jubilant over it. He feels that the general assembly has a last taken a definite stand against any form of diversion and that it has definitely abandoned the policy of the last four years of diverting at least \$1,000,000 a year from the highway to the general fund, whether this amount was needed or not.

"This action by the state are at last fully conscious of the inadequacy of present highway revenues and of the need for the expansion of more highway revenue on the secondary roads," Waynick said today. "It also shows that the auto-

mobile owners are tired of having the taxes they pay for road purposes used for other things. It is a great victory for the motorists of the state, also for the rural people who live on the 48,000 miles of country roads which need improvement but could not get it as long as highway funds were diverted to other uses."

It is still problematical, of course, as to what the senate will do with this section of the revenue bill. But in view of the very strong sentiment against diversion in the house, the general belief is that the senate will accept the Stone amendment without serious opposition, since the house would not consent to any change in this section.

TEACHERS MEET HELD ECTO

(Continued from page one) vided into small groups who, with guides, examined the books, maps, charts, pictures, and various other kinds of materials that are used in the teaching of reading.

Miss Wahl, principal of the Training School announced the plan the teachers had in mind, when they selected and arranged the material. She said they intended it to be considered as a study of reading environments and asked that they look for evidences of activities that are a result of reading understanding, in various subjects such as, science, literature, art, the social sciences, which includes history, geography and civics and music.

The hostesses were the teachers and supervisors in the Training School, assisted by their student assistants and student-teachers. These handled the registration and were ushers and guides.

During the luncheon intermission the visitors had a delightful social hour. About a hundred of them had luncheon in the College dining room, and the others scattered about over town.

At the afternoon session a reading clinic was held in which there was a demonstration with special equipment. Attention was paid to reading tests, remedial work, and the prevention and correction of reading difficulties. This was followed by reports of the classroom visits made in the Training School in the morning. The questions on materials and methods and evaluations of reports were features of this hour. The last item on the program was a stimulating and coordinating reading program in which the teachers had a chance to learn something of texts and supplementary materials, could get ideas about practical uses of the library, and considered the influence on reading of motion pictures and the radio.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue of the power and authority vested in me by that certain mortgage to J. J. Harrington of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt county in Book Y-15, at page 417, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured thereby, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash at public auction at the courthouse door in Greenville, N. C., at 12 o'clock noon on Monday,

March 15th, 1937, the following described real estate: Lying and being in Pitt County, State of North Carolina, and in the Town of Greenville, and being a one-half undivided interest in those two lots designated as Lots Nos. 6 and 7 in Block "G" on that map of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book No. 1, at page 71, and being in the Ridgeway Division of said Town and being the identical two lots of land described in that deed of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book E-17, at page 207.

This sale is made subject to all unpaid taxes and assessments of any kind now due and owing the County of Pitt and the Town of Greenville, N. C.

This the 12th day of February, 1937. J. J. HARRINGTON, Mortgagee dec'd. By J. C. GASKINS, Adm'r. Charles Whedbee, Atty. 2 13 law 4wks

White's Stores, Inc. Shrubs—Rose Bushes—Ferns—SHRUBS: Red Radiance, Hadley, Sensation, American Beauty, Sunburst, Los Angeles, Pink Columbia, Double White Killarney, Paul's Scarlet Climbing, Tausendschon Climbing, American Beauty Climbing. ALLE ROSE BUSHES AND SHRUBS 25c EXCEPT NANDINAS, 50c EACH. FERNS: Althea, Forsythia, Weigelia Pink, Weigelia Red, Hydrangea, Lilac, Deutzia, Buddleia, Golden Arborvitae, Chinese Arborvitae, Photinia Serrulata, Nandina, Asparagus, Boston, Sprengerii.

Saturday, Feb. 13th, 1937.

Social and Personal

Dr. and Mrs. W. I. Wooten and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Waldrop left this afternoon for Florida. Mrs. Waldrop will spend some time with her sister in Winter Haven. Charles Cobb is at home from Duke University for the week-end. K. R. Curtis, superintendent of the Wilson county schools, was here today. J. L. Kilgo went to Durham today to see Mrs. Kilgo, who is in Duke hospital. Miss Mildred Horton is at home from Vanceboro for the week-end. Mrs. A. H. Critcher, Mrs. C. B. Rowlett, Mrs. D. E. Taylor and Mrs. L. B. McCormick spent today in Durham. Miss Judith Dupree is attending the mid-winter dances at the University of North Carolina. Miss Ava Myatt is the week end guest of Mrs. A. E. Hobgood. J. H. Boyd III is at home from Clayton for the week end. J. C. DuVal has returned from Richmond, Va.

Social Calendar

MONDAY

3:00 P. M.—The Executive Committee of the Woman's Council of Eighth Street Christian church, will meet in the church.

3:30 P. M.—The Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. G. V. Smith.

3:30 P. M.—Regular meeting of the Woman's Council of Eighth Street Christian church in the church.

3:30 P. M.—The Woman's Auxiliary of St. Paul's Episcopal church will meet in the parish house.

3:30 P. M.—The Intermediate Girls' Auxiliary of Memorial Baptist church will meet in the church.

3:30 P. M.—The Junior Girls' Auxiliary of Memorial Baptist church will meet in the parsonage.

6:30 P. M.—The Rotary club will meet.

8:00 P. M.—The American Association of University Women will meet in the high school library. Hostesses will be members of the school faculty.

TUESDAY

6:30 P. M.—The American Legion will meet in the Third Street school hut.

7:30 P. M.—Chapter 149 Order of Eastern Star, will meet in the Masonic Hall.

7:30 P. M.—St. Mary's Auxiliary will meet in the parish house.

WEDNESDAY

7:30 P. M.—The choir of Jarvis Memorial Methodist church will meet for practice.

7:30 P. M.—The choir of the Christian church will meet for practice.

8:30 P. M.—The choir of Memorial Baptist church will meet for practice.

THURSDAY

6:45 P. M.—The Pitt County Alumni of the University of North Carolina will meet for the annual dinner in the dining room of East Carolina Teachers College, followed by a dance at the Country club.

FRIDAY

3:45 P. M.—The Junior Woman's club will meet in the club building. Hostesses will be: Mrs. Lee Folger, Jr., Mrs. Ed Wilkerson, Mrs. W. L. Nobles and Mrs. Troy Burnette.

Taylor Carr Improving

Taylor Carr, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Carr of this city, is improving. He is at Johnson-Willis hospital, Richmond, Va., following an operation.

"The Mikado"

For several weeks the boys' and girls' glee clubs of Greenville High School have been practicing on the various choruses and arias in the opera, "The Mikado," and since Christmas the acting has also been emphasized.

Belva Dare Harris, Clair Brown, Robert Musselwhite, Kate Foley, Lawrence Holliday, Mary Lorraine Horne, Robert Earl Clerk, Edward Conway and Earl Dunn head the cast and are well supported by several choruses. Colorful costumes, replicas of the typical dress of native Japan were ordered for the nine principals of the cast. The chorus costumes were designed by Miss Jessie Schnopp.

Presbyterian Auxiliary The Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church will meet on Monday afternoon at 3:30 with Mrs. G. V. Smith.

Mrs. Clements in Hospital Mrs. A. W. Clements is in Watts hospital, Durham, for an operation.

Memorial Baptist Sunbeams The Memorial Baptist Sunbeams will meet in the primary room of the church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Eastern Star Valentine Party Greenville Chapter No. 149, Order of the Eastern Star, held a delightful Valentine party on Thursday evening, February 11. About 7 members and friends attended the party. The rooms were beautifully decorated, carrying out the Valentine idea. Punch was served with red and white candied grapefruit peel, stuffed dates and red heart-shaped cookies, by Mesdames David Williford, Ed Tucker, J. L. Fleming, W. Morton and Luella Stancill. Fun was provided by the entertainment committee, composed of Mesdames E. E. Rawl, Nash Joyner and Hugh Ragsdale. Bingo was thoroughly enjoyed, as were several contests and cake walks. Little Miss Jennie C. Joyner, in heart costume, delighted her audience with a tap dance and song, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. H. R. Goodall. A nice sum was raised at this party for the benefit of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home at Greensboro.

Valentine Party Class 6A of the Methodist Sunday School was delightfully entertained at a Valentine party from 8 to 9 o'clock on Friday evening by Miss Helen Aman at her home on Maple street. Games and contests were enjoyed with about eighteen present. Delicious refreshments, carrying out the Valentine idea, were served by Little Misses Frances and Marion Brown.

Christian Church Council The executive board of the Woman's Council of Eighth Street Christian church, will meet on Monday afternoon at three o'clock in the pastor's study. The regular meeting of the Woman's Council will meet in the pastor's study at 3:30 Monday afternoon. The topic for discussion will be "Health Conditions Among the Negroes of Pitt County."

Memorial Baptist Auxiliary The Intermediate Girls' Auxiliary of Memorial Baptist church will meet in the church at 3:30 on Monday afternoon. The Junior Girls' Auxiliary will meet at the parsonage at the same hour.

Scouts Books in Library Sea Scouts and near-Sea Scouts, get busy! "Sea Scout Manual," "What Sea Scouts Do," "Handbook for Skippers," "Handbook for Boys," "Handbook for Patrol Leaders," "Swimming and Water Safety." The books listed above have been placed on the "Scout Shelf" at Sheppard Memorial Library.

Speaks to College Students "Be brave enough to be kind, and courageous enough to speak in terms of gentility at all times," was the message Rev. T. M. Grant, of Jarvis Memorial Methodist church, brought to the College students at the assembly yesterday morning. In his analysis of personality, he showed that those people who have the idea that to become hard and bitter in language and attitude is a sign of bigness are mistaken, for the biggest thing in life is the fineness within oneself, which is at the heart of personality. To give expression to this rather than to suppress it, is a true sign of bigness.

Columbia Alumni Dinner Columbia University alumni throughout the eastern section are invited to join the Raleigh Columbia Alumni Association in a dinner at the Needham Broughton High School on February 18, at 6:30 o'clock, to be given in honor of Dr. Paul Mort, who is director of the School of Advanced Credits in Education of Columbia University. Dr. B. Y. Tyner of Meredith College is the president of the Raleigh Columbia Alumni, and Miss Hattie S. Parrott of the State Department of Public Instruction, is the secretary. Those who plan to attend the dinner are requested to notify Miss Parrott. The price of the plate is 75 cents.

Kiwanis Ladies' Night Members of the Greenville Kiwanis club entertained their wives or lady friends at their regular meeting in the Woman's club building last night. The hall of the building was beautifully decorated with suggestions of St. Valentine's Day. Members and guests were met by officials of the club and their wives and ushered into the reception room where punch and waters were served. President Berry Bostic opened the program and the entire group joined in singing. Following the dinner, the meeting was turned over to the program committee, composed of Chairman O. P. Matthews, W. J. Bundy, Dr. J. M. Barrett, D. C. Moore, Jr., and General Program Committee Chairman D. H. Conley. Miss Mary Evelyn Thompson of the College rendered piano solo selections, after which Mr. and Mrs. John D. Holmes of Farmville sang two selections. Misses Helen Sawyer, Mary Hoover Boyd and Elaine Sawyer entertained the guests with another trio while favors were being distributed. Little Miss Alice Ruth Bundy, daughter of Kiwanian and Mrs. W. J. Bundy received wide applause with two tap dance numbers. Mrs. Holmes and Mrs. Clifford Bostic sang a duet to bring the scheduled musical program to a close. Miss Marian Wood accompanied Little Miss Bundy, Mrs. G. V. Smith played for Mr. and Mrs. Holmes, and Mrs. Holmes and Mrs. Bostic, as well as for the trio numbers. Mrs. R. A. Tyson was accompanist for one of the trio numbers and also played for the club singing, led by H. A. McDougle. The women were welcomed by Mr. Bundy and Mrs. Ed Batchelor responded. Following a contest in which a number of the women guests participated, prizes were awarded to Mrs. G. V. Smith, Mrs. W. E. Hooker, Mrs. H. A. McDougle, Miss Marian Wood and Miss Mary Hoover Boyd. What-not vases bearing the Kiwanis emblem, were given to each of the women present.

A. A. U. W. Study Group Anyone might have seen as early as 1920 where Germany was going, argued one member of the A. A. U. W. study group, Thursday afternoon in the group study of Nazi Germany. As evidence the speaker read the main points in the platform of the German Workers' Party—the Nazi Party—from a pamphlet the party had published in 1920. The pamphlet, written in German and then translated into English, listed such objectives as the union of all Germans in a strong nation, the abolition of the provisions of the Versailles Treaty, the acquisition of land and territories for colonists; and other aims toward the realization of which Nazi Germany seems to have moved. The study-group, going in this meeting from the consideration of the Italian form of fascism to the German, found striking similarities in the conditions in the two countries that opened the way for fascism. It was pointed out also, that in these countries all the changes have been brought about within at least the letter of the law. The topic for next week will be Hitler, the man, and the relation of the German regime to the rest of the world. —Reported.

Seeing Through My Windshield

By ETHEL NICE, H. D. A.

4-H Meetings The 4-H clubs of Bell Arthur, Bethel, Pierce, Pactolus, Stokes and Falkland met this week. In each club six boys and girls gave programs on "Wildlife and Conservation." These club members are interested in protecting and caring for the birds, flowers, shrubs and trees. They would like you to help in any way you can. Don't destroy any wild life thoughtlessly and help in fire prevention. A wealth of natural beauty and profitable wildlife exists at present but this will not always be true if we do not take care of them.

H. D. Meetings The Stokes Home Demonstration Club met Thursday afternoon in the home economics room at the school. The Bethel Club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Ward. The Red Banks Club met Friday afternoon with Mrs. E. H. Boyd. In each club the subject was "Propagation and Transplanting." Plant exchanges were held after the meetings.

Poultry Meeting An all day poultry meeting will be held in Goldsboro Tuesday, February 16. All poultry breeders are urged to attend. This state stands 44th from the top in poultry production. The meeting will be called at 10 o'clock in the court house. The home agent plans to attend and will be glad to take the first four who would like to go. Contact this office as early as possible.

Electricity Meeting Tuesday night at 7:30 a meeting will be held in the court house for all interested in installing electricity. D. E. Jones from State College will be with us for this meeting. Between seven and eight hundred rural homes are using electricity and many others are waiting to be served. If you are one of this number come out for this meeting.

Council President to Broadcast Mrs. B. L. Tyson, president of the Home Demonstration Council will give a short talk over WPTP next Thursday at 1:45 P. M.

Club Schedule for the Week Monday, 8:30 a. m.—Members of the 4-H club, H. D. club and Grange will meet at Pierce Community House to work on the grounds. The front lawn will be sloped, the banks planted with Bermuda grass, a soft ball diamond and a tennis court outlined in the rear and several shrubs and trees will be planted. Dinner will be served in the club house at noon. Tuesday 10 a. m.—Poultry school in Goldsboro. Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.—Electrification meeting at Greenville Court House. Wednesday, 12:11 a. m.—Child 4-H club at the school. Wednesday, 2:30 p. m.—Grimesland 4-H club at the school. Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Red Oak 4-H club at club house. Thursday, 10:15 a. m.—Grifton 4-H club at school. Thursday, 2:30 p. m.—Pierce H. D. club at Community club building. Friday, 9:30 a. m.—Fountain 4-H club at school. Friday, 2:30 p. m.—St. John H. D. club at church.

Movie Musings AT THE PITT NEXT WEEK Sunday and Monday: "Lloyds of London," an impressive, historical picture featuring Freddie Bartholomew, Madeline Carroll and Sir Guy Standing. (Family). Also Paramount News. Tuesday: "Wedding Present," a farce comedy romance featuring Joan Bennett, Cary Grant and Conrad Nagel. (Adults). Added Screen Song and novelty "Going Places." Wednesday and Thursday: "You Live Only Once," a keen adult melodrama, furiously exciting and breath-taking, starring Sylvia Sid. Added and Henry Fonda. (Adults). Added Tabloid novelty and "Stranger than Fiction."

WOMEN In The News



ITALIAN BRIDE-TO-BE In Milan, Italy, it was announced Signorina Orsola Buvoli, 22-year-old daughter of a local business family, soon would be married to Vittorio Mussolini, 20-year-old Ethiopian war veteran, son of Il Duce.



MOUNTAIN BRIDE Lugging a doll half as large as herself, 9-year-old Eunice Windsted turned up at her parents' cabin in the Tennessee mountains and announced she had married Charlie Jones, 22. The doll was a wedding present from her 6-foot husband.



BEST PROPOSER Dorothy Aley, an Arnett, Okla., girl employed in the Washington office of young Senator Josh Lee from her home state, got a free trip to Hollywood by winning a movie-stunt Leap Year proposing contest.



VOLUNTEER Therese de Laboulay, daughter of the French ambassador, volunteered for work in the flood emergency and was assigned to the information desk at Red Cross headquarters in Washington.

At the State Next Week Sunday: "Rose Marie," starring Nelson Eddy and Jeannette MacDonald. Added "The Ski Parade," novelty. Monday and Tuesday: "All American Champ," with Stuart Erwin and Betty Furness. (Mature). Also musical "Camp Meeting," and Metro-tone News. Wednesday: "Kelly the Second," a comedy riot with Patsy Kelly, Charlie Chase and Pert Kelton. Also selected short subjects. Thursday: "Men in White," a tense, touching drama featuring Clark Gable and Myrna Loy. Also selected short subjects. Friday and Saturday: Gene Autrey, the singing cowboy in "Ride, Ranger Ride." Also "Cats in the Bag" cartoon and Chapter 13 of "Darkest Afrika."



Lovely member of the impressive cast appearing in the moving picture, "Lloyds of London," opening at the Pitt Theatre Sunday.

BILL TO LIMIT TIME OF WORK

Law Will Be Enacted Regulating Hours Of Labor

By HENRY AVERILL (Reflector Bureau Writer)

Raleigh, Feb. 13.—This legislature is going to enact North Carolina's first law regulating and limiting the hours which male persons over 18 years old may work. And for this achievement principal credit is due young George Uzzell, junior member of the Rowan House delegation.

It is true that the solons are not going any too far in the matter of regulation or limitation. It is true that some parts of the bill they probably will pass are nothing more or less than idle gestures and meaningless phrases. But it is equally true that for the first time they are going to admit the principle that "The Relationship of hour of labor to the health, morals and general welfare of the people is a subject of general concern which requires appropriate legislation."

None of these worthy ends would have a chance of attainment except for the tenacity and vigor with which the Salisbury legislator has stuck to his guns in the face of discouraging set backs. A brief review of events proves

this thesis beyond any shadow of a doubt. Soon after the opening of the session and while the federal Child Labor amendment was still up for consideration, a bill was introduced by Representative Mc Bryde, of Cumberland, limiting hours of labor to 40-hours per week in the textile and tobacco industries and to 48 hours per week in other industries. After a hearing, the committee on Manufacture and Labor, of which Mr. Uzzell is chairman, voted against the bill, 11 to 8. Which might have ended things with a less determined chairman than the up-and-coming Salisbury lawyer. He prepared a minority report, but feeling that it would probably be killed if presented he maneuvered for re-reference of the entire bill to his committee. It succeeded and thus the chance of opponents to lay the whole thing on the table vanished. Followed repeated conferences and discussions. Mr. Uzzell pressed his case in every quarter, and as a result there was put into the House law making mill the measure which seems destined to become law.

It isn't what believers in the shorter work week want—not by a long shot. It was drawn, according to reliable information, under the watchful eye of large industrialists who certainly are not going to concede too much to liberal views. It's provisions that even when ten of sixteen named states shall have enacted similar legislation is just about the same thing as saying it shall be effective "When hell freezes over," to use the words of a short-week advocate. But it admits a principle. It provides that male persons over 18

CAROLINIAN ENGAGED TO BARCLAY



While McClelland Barclay, the famous artist, and his model, Virginia Moore, visited in Palm Beach, Fla., their engagement to be married "in about a month" was announced by her mother, Mrs. John M. Moore of Bennettsville, S. C. The illustrator and Miss Moore are shown preparing to leave Palm Beach for a visit in Bennettsville. (Associated Press Photo)

shall not be compelled to labor more than 48 hours in any week or more than 10 hours in one day, nor more than six days in any consecutive period of seven days. It reduces to 48 hours a week and nine hours a day the labor of women. In these respects it receives the full support of short-week advocates, though it doesn't go nearly so far as they would like. These short-week supporters will doubtless offer amendments incorporating their ideas. These amendments will almost certainly be defeated. But when the firing is over, North Carolina will have a labor hour regulating and limiting measures on the statute books.

Man About Manhattan

By George Tucker

New York—Tom Pappeal, sports cartoonist, wears shirts only of midnight blues. They run to deep blues, blacks, greens and reds, because, as he points out, "they keep clean longer." Sylvia Sidney's name is Spohia Kosow. Horace Heldt, the bandsman, is a crack amateur photographer and clutters up his apartment with "dark" rooms and developing fluids. He also collects first editions of sheet music published prior to 1914. Melvyn Douglas' last name is Heselberg. Afrique, the impersonator, takes his name from Africa, where he was born. It almost ruined his act when the King abdicated, his best bit being a marvelous takeoff on His ex-Majesty. The records reveal that Bill Gaxton's name is really Gaida. On formal occasions, Liddy Holman wears a full wreath of gardenias in her hair. Kitty Carlisle's name is Kathryn Kahn. Sasha Sissel, who is known as The Tiger Man (because he captures them with his hands and shoots them with bows and arrows), is a cultured Russian and speaks six languages fluently. Helen Hayes' last name is Brown. Our Mother Goose note for the week includes mention of a bakery in Queens which is called The Ginger Bread Man. There is also a writer in New York named "Lable" Jack Horner. The Murray Hill hotel is on the exact site where Washington once flew into a rage after a not too successful duel with the British. When his men retreated he snarled at them with his sword, and snarled their names. History doesn't record whether he snarled. Every inch of scenery in Broadway theaters is inspected once each week—to minimize fire hazards and to cut down insurance rates. Another precaution is the application of a shellac-like substance having an asbestos quality. No bit of theatrical scenery, however fragile, is exempt.

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