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## HOUSE REJECTS CHANGES MADE IN LIQUOR BILL

### Measure Sent to Conference by Lower Branch

## SENATE BEGINS ON REVENUE BILL

### Senator Webb Explains Tax Levying Bill, With Durham Solon Presiding

Raleigh, Feb. 17.—(AP)—The county liquor option bill went to conference today to adjust differences between the senate and house when representatives refused to concur in the amendments.

Representative Bryant of Durham asked the house to refuse to accept changes voted by the senators late yesterday and was sustained.

Speaker Cherry then appointed Bryant, Blount of Beaufort and Cooper of New Hanover, all vigorous county option backers, as members from the house for the conference group.

President Horton of the senate said he had not decided on his conference as the senate considered the biennial \$75,000,000 revenue bill as a committee as a whole.

Horton later said he probably would name Senators Rodman of Beaufort and Ballentine of Wake as senate conferees. Ballentine sponsored some of the senate changes.

Senate amendments to which the house objected would:

Prohibit drinking at football games or any place of public assembly; provide no "dry" voting township except a county seat could have liquor stores located upon it; require uniform prices throughout the state; require supervision by the state control board of all purchases; and set up county enforcement units under sheriffs to prevent illegal liquor sales.

Senator Webb of Lenoir explained the revenue bill which levies taxes for all state purposes except highways and prisons as Senator Hill of Durham presided over the senate as chairman. The senators quickly approved with one minor amendment about one third of the measure and Webb said he hoped to complete work on all but controversial sections today.

Representatives sent in more new bills than on any day so far this session, 30 or more. One passed would require state departments heads to give information to legislative committees.

## Measure Provides That State Make Cement For Roads

### Bill Offered by Hanford of Alamance Would Put North Carolina in Manufacturing Business

Reflector Bureau.  
Raleigh, Feb. 17.—(AP)—The State of North Carolina would go into the business of manufacturing its own cement, under terms of a bill introduced in the House Tuesday by Representative Ed R. Hanford, of Alamance.

Mr. Hanford was author of the so-called Hanford liquor bill which would have authorized establishment of four state distilleries. This feature was stricken out by a House committee.

The Alamance legislator figures it would be a tremendous saving to North Carolina if a cement plant were established and importation of this important road-making material from other states discontinued.

His bill would give the Highway Commission authority to establish a cement manufacturing plant after careful study of the advantages of the entire proposal and an inspection for the best available site. It would permit use of regular highway department funds for setting up the plant.

Discussing his measure, Mr. Hanford said that cement can be manufactured for 70 cents a barrel against more than \$2.60, the average price now being paid. The plan would save the state not less than half a million dollars annually, he estimates.

There is no cement plant, either private or public, in the state, he points out, and there would be absolutely no competition between the state-owned and operated plant and any domestic plant manufacturing for private sale, even should one be later established, as terms of the measure authorized only manufacture for state use and not re-sale to the public.

Mr. Hanford knows his cement from long experience. He built the first concrete bridges ever constructed in North Carolina.

## AUTO WRECKS TWO-STORY BUILDING—NOBODY HURT



An automobile leaped the curb in Los Angeles, tore down a two-story building and tons of debris fell on the car in which three persons were riding—but nobody was injured. The car happened to strike a vital corner post supporting the building and it crashed in a flash. (Associated Press Photo).

## State-County Controlled Liquor Stores Approved

### No Damage From Blustery Winds Throughout N.C.

Charlotte, Feb. 17.—(AP)—Cold, blustery weather prevailed over parts of North Carolina today, while stiff winds whipped the coast causing small craft to seek shelter.

No damage was reported, however. The highest wind velocity was 30 miles an hour. A few utilities lines were blown down in some places.

Snow blanketed much of the Western part of the state.

In Buncombe, Ashe and Watauga counties, snow, mixed with sleet and rain, fell yesterday, accompanying a temperature drop which sent the thermometer hurtling down to 18 degrees in some sections. Temperatures were reported at 26 degrees in Asheville last night.

## SEEK METHODS TO AVOID STRIKES

### Union Leaders Draft Proposal for Arbitration Board

Detroit, Feb. 17.—(AP)—Methods of settling "past, present and future" union grievances in General Motors plants formed the agenda today for negotiations representing the corporation and the United Automobile Workers of America.

Union leaders said they had drafted a proposal for establishing tribunals to arbitrate such grievances, but declined to reveal details before submitting it to the General Motors representatives at their morning conference.

The conferees, who opened their sessions yesterday, are to meet at 10 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. daily until they have completed action on the union's six demands which were not dealt with in last week's settlement of the General Motors strike.

The topics to be discussed include hours of work, wage scales, seniority rights and other working conditions. Yesterday they considered seniority rights and discrimination cases, but if any conclusions were reached they were not announced.

## Halifax Farmer Dies From Pistol Wounds

Enfield, Feb. 17.—(AP)—D. S. Moss, 68, prominent Halifax county farmer, killed himself with a pistol shot through the temple at his home today, according to the verdict of T. M. Cooper, Halifax coroner.

Relatives said Moss had been despondent since the death of his wife two weeks ago.

Soviets say the number of individual depositors in the State bank in Moscow now exceeds a million, their savings amounting to \$56,000,000 rubles.

## SHIP SINKS IN OREGON RIVER

### Reported "At Least Half of Crew of 40" Rescued

Reflector Bureau.  
Portland, Ore., Feb. 17.—(AP)—The gale-swept Columbia river claimed the Italian motor ship Felice early today in a collision with the freighter Edward Luckenbach, which went aground on Cottonwood Island after the crash.

The Felice sank up to the promenade deck and authoritative sources said "at least half of the crew" of 40 was rescued.

Crashing as one of the worst storms in years swept the mouth of the Columbia river with wind howling up to a velocity of 45 to 55 miles an hour the two ships came together about 40 miles down the slowly-bending Columbia from Portland.

What happened to the rest of the crew of the Felice was not learned immediately.

The 38 men in the crew of the Edward Luckenbach were reported uninjured.

The Luckenbach's bow was reported stove in.

## Legionnaire Sons Organize Chapter At Meeting Here

Organization of Sons of the American Legion Started Here With Request For Charter

Thirty-one sons of legionnaires of Pitt county post No. 39 were on hand last night at the regular meeting of the Legion, at which time action was taken leading to the organizing of a chapter here of the Sons of the American Legion.

Another meeting will be held some time next week, on a date to be decided later, at which time officers probably will be selected and other organization plans made.

When the local chapter is organized, it will be one of the few in Eastern Carolina. It is understood that Raleigh and Wilson, and possibly other places, have such organizations.

Efforts are being made to have every son of an ex-soldier enlisted in the youth organization. While 31 was considered a good number, it is possible that others will come in later.

Experiments have shown that animals can be immunized against many times a fatal dose of the venom of poisonous snakes.

## Lindberghs Reported Safe Following Forced Landing

Jerusalem, Feb. 17.—(AP)—Reports from Baghdad tonight said Colonel and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh had made a safe forced landing in a sand storm near Rutbah wells, in the Syrian desert.

Baghdad, Feb. 17.—(AP)—Airport officials, awaiting the arrival of Colonel and Mrs. Charles Lindbergh, expressed anxiety today when the American fliers were half an hour overdue on a trip to Cairo.

## REBEL FORCES OPEN ATTACKS ON TWO AREAS

### Offensives Menacing Core of Government Territory

## ADVANCE ALONG SOUTHERN FRONT

### Insurgents Attack By Land and Air To Break Madrid-Valencia Highway

(By Associated Press)  
Insurgent forces hurled strong offensives on two fronts of the Spanish war today, both menacing the core of government territory.

In the South the forces of General Francisco Franco forged steadily toward Valencia, temporary seat of the government, apparently with no defense army to obstruct their path.

The new line on the southern front reached east of Motril, about 50 miles from Malaga on the coast. The insurgent army, fighting to complete the isolation of Madrid, attacked by air and land to break the Valencia highway line from the capital. Officers reported heavy government casualties on a stretch of the highway.

But the government said a counter-offensive on this front was turning the tables.

At Valencia the government took a new mandate of absolute power from all popular front parties and mobilized every possible unit of manpower to resist the insurgent offensives.

## Solicitor Burney To Attend Inquest Into Torch Death

### Irman Clemmons Accused of Setting Fire to Gasoline-Soaked Body of Man After Party

Wilmington, Feb. 17.—(AP)—District Solicitor John Burney said today he would go to Southport tonight to attend the inquest there at 7:30 o'clock into the torch death of Hobson (Hobby) Sellers, 21-year-old truck driver of Supply who died here early Sunday morning of burns received a week previously when his gasoline-soaked body was set afire.

Officers alleged Irman Clemmons, 32, of Supply soaked the body of Sellers in gasoline the night of February 6 at the height of a beer drinking party as the young man lay ill beside the Shellite Supply highway. Clemmons is being held without privilege of bail, pending the outcome of the inquest tonight.

Clemmons has stoutly maintained his innocence.

## Paul McNutt Chosen Commissioner of P. I.

Washington, Feb. 17.—(AP)—President Roosevelt nominated Paul McNutt, former Indiana governor, today to be United States high commissioner to the Philippine Islands.

McNutt will fill a place that has been vacant since late last summer when Frank Murphy was given a leave of absence from the post to run for governor of Michigan.

McNutt completed a four-year term as Governor of Indiana last month.

The Indianian visited the White House today and later said he would remain here a month before going to Manila.

## SISTER WILL BE A RIVAL TO SHIP, QUEEN MARY

Glasgow, Scotland (AP)—The sister ship to the Queen Mary, now on the stocks at John Brown's Clydebank yard, is to be the world's largest ship. Tonnage of "352," as the skeleton is called, will approach 90,000. Modifications suggested by experience with the present Atlantic speed queen, will be incorporated into the new ship.

## DOG FOLLOWS THIEF— IS GIVEN AWAY

Chicago (AP)—Paul Petri, 28, was describing to each of about 60 persons gathered in a local police station how he had entered and robbed their homes.

"But," wailed Martin H. Mlek, one of the victims, "I could stand the loss of the money and clothes, but why did you take my pedigree wire-haired terrier and what did you do with him?"

"I didn't take your dog, mister," the prisoner replied. "When I left he followed me out so I took him home, kept him a few days and then gave him to a young fellow in the neighborhood."

## SEARCH FOR CONVICTS WIDENS



A widespread search by land and air was being made in the Carolinas and Virginia for the seven convicts shown above who escaped from the Caledonia prison farm in North Carolina. The seven took with them three men as hostages but later released them unharmed. Top row, left to right: Arthur Pettitt, Robert S. Smith and Clark York. Below, left to right: C. F. Yeager, Ralph Page, J. W. Turner and Bill Payne. (Associated Press Photos)

## No Trace Discovered Of Seven Escaped Convicts

### Search Centers in the Piedmont Counties of This State

High Point, Feb. 17.—(AP)—After an all night search over four counties a group of 30 officers under the direction of Oscar Pitts, acting director of the state penal division, reported today no trace had been found of the seven convicts who escaped from Caledonia prison farm in Halifax county Monday.

Pitts said the party covered every possible movement of the escapees after the discovery of their abandoned car near here yesterday.

He said the search was made in Guilford, Forsyth, Randolph and Davidson counties.

Deputies, sheriffs, highway patrolmen and officers from several cities participated.

## Dr. Williams To Lead Forum Meeting Here

The second session of the Greenville Public Forum will be held in the High School Library tomorrow night, beginning at eight o'clock. The speaker will be Dr. Howard Y. Williams, and the topic for discussion "Can Democracy Survive?"

Dr. Williams is an authority in the field of Government. He spent two years in France. He has been with the tent's engineers. He also spent three years in the Union Theological Seminary and has done graduate work at the University of Iowa and Columbia University. He is recognized as one of the best Forum Leaders in America. Last year he met with tremendous success in every Forum he conducted.

There is no admission charge for these Forums, and the public is invited and urged to be present.

## Mrs. Louise B. Hill To Speak at Chicod

Mrs. Louise Biles Hill has been selected as speaker for the Public Forum at Chicod High school at 7:30 o'clock Friday night. She will speak on the subject, "Southern Agricultural Problems and Suggested Remedies."

Mrs. Hill, a native of Tennessee, has taught social science for many years in colleges in the East and Middle West, also in the National University of Mexico, Mexico City. Mrs. Hill has also traveled extensively in foreign countries.

Preceding Mrs. Hill's discussion the elementary grades of the school will present a musical program, which will consist of a toy orchestra.

## City Scout Officials Attending Conference

E. R. Conway, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Moze, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Sigwald, and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. King are attending the Regional Council Boy Scouts of America at Columbia, S. C. representing the Greenville District.

Scotland Yard Tests Armored Car  
London (AP)—Scotland Yard has conducted tests with a fast armored car which has glass two inches thick and loopholes for guns. It is emphasized that what Scotland Yard is interested in is the car's speed and protection against bullets; but there is no question of acceptance of American police methods in the form of heavy armaments.

## TWO SENATORS PROPOSE PLAN IN COURT ROW

### Suggestion Patterned After "Madison Amendment"

## CONGRESS COULD OVERRIDE COURT

### Predicted Proposal Would be Accepted As Compromise By Both Factions

Washington, Feb. 17.—(AP)—Senators Wheeler (D. Mont.) and Bona (D. Wash.) proposed today a constitutional amendment, which they predicted would be "accepted" as a compromise by both opponents and supporters of President Roosevelt's judicial reorganization program.

Their proposal—patterned after the "Madison amendment" originally considered during the constitutional convention—would empower congress to re-enact, by a two-thirds vote, any federal law invalidated by the supreme court.

No action would be taken, however, until a new congress had been elected following the supreme court decision.

Wheeler said the amendment might be quickly ratified by special constitutional conventions called in each state. He said if it were adopted he would not oppose additional measure for limiting the supreme court's power.

The Montanan has opposed the Roosevelt plan to increase the court membership unless members over 70 return. Bona has not expressed his attitude.

The securities commission investigating manipulation of Atlas stock corporation stock by W. E. Hutton and company in the unheard testimony by Mickey Coleman, Detroit Tigers manager, that he bought and sold Atlas securities through the Hutton company.

The senate foreign relations committee studying the Pittman neutrality bill agreed tentatively to vote on the measure Saturday. The bill provides for a "cash and carry" policy on commodities sold by the United States to belligerents.

## General Assembly Expected Adjourn Within One Month

### Final Action on Revenue and Finance Now Before Senate, Possible by End of Week

Reflector Bureau.  
Raleigh, Feb. 17.—Final adjournment of the general assembly by March 15 is now regarded as a distinct possibility in most legislative circles here, provided the senate shows as much disposition to do its work and get through promptly as has the house.

So far, however, Lieutenant Governor W. P. Horton has been stepping on the accelerator just about as heavily as Speaker E. Gregg Cherry in the house with the result that even though the senate has been inclined to lag behind and rest on its oars from time to time, its presiding officer has not permitted much rest for the senators.

Now that the revenue and finance bills are before the senate, 14-cent Gov. Horton is expected to insist on still more speed, with the result that many observers feel confident the senate will finish with these two bills before adjournment this week.

While it is regarded as certain that the senate will make some changes in both bills, there are no indications of any serious disagreement between the house and senate on major issues. As a result, it is believed that whatever differences may arise with regard to either the revenue or appropriations bills, that these can be ironed out within a week, if not even less time.

It is agreed that a storm is brewing in the senate over the sales tax on building materials and the chain filling stations tax sections and that the gasoline and oil company lobbyists, already here en masse, are going to fight the filling station tax tooth and nail. But many regard it as doubtful if the chain filling station tax will be materially changed, since indications are that the house seems determined to make this tax stick this time.

The house still has the school machinery act and the revenue machinery act to consider and pass, also the old age pensions bill, but little opposition is expected to develop to any of these, with the possible exception of the school machinery bill. An effort may be made in this bill to change the organization of the school commission and give the State Superintendent of Public Instruction more to do with the allocation of the school appropriation.

## TEN BELIEVED DEAD IN FALL

### Workers Plunge from California Golden Gate Bridge

San Francisco, Feb. 17.—(AP)—Ten men were believed to have been killed when steel and wooden construction forms crashed from the vast Golden Gate bridge today and plunged the workers into the water.

The victims fell 200 feet and bridge officials said they did not believe the men could have survived.

Eight bodies were thought to have been swept to sea and a report said a coast guard boat had picked up two men. It was not known whether they were alive.

## Shotgun Wound Fatal To Edgecombe Youth

# Social and Personal

Mrs. Lucille Brown left Monday for Naples, Florida.

Mrs. A. W. Fleischmann and Mrs. Bess Lowe spent this afternoon in Kinston.

John Bailey spent Sunday in Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. W. A. G. Avelly, of Raleigh, was here today.

Mrs. E. B. Skinner is at home from Washington, D. C. for several days.

Mrs. Susie Warren returned today from a visit in Burlington.

Mrs. H. L. Hodges and Mrs. C. M. Warren spent today in Raleigh.

## Social Calendar

**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.

8:15 P. M.—The choir of the Presbyterian church will meet for practice.

**THURSDAY**  
8:30 P. M.—The Garden Department of the Woman's club will meet with Mrs. W. H. Woodard.

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.

**Bethlehem Commandery**  
There will be a regular meeting of Bethlehem Commandery No. 29 Friday night at 7:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.  
J. VANCE PERKINS, Recorder.

**Lenten Services in St. Paul's Church**  
Wednesday, 10:00 A. M.—Penitential Office and Holy Communion;  
5:00 P. M.—Meditation and Prayer.  
Thursday, 5:00 P. M.—Meditation and Prayer.  
Friday, 10:00 A. M.—Liturgy and Holy Communion; 5:00 P. M.—Meditation and Prayer.

**In Local Hospital**  
Miss Kathleen Corbett is in Pitt General hospital, where she underwent an appendix operation.

**Business Visitors in Raleigh**  
W. L. Best, S. T. White, T. A. Person, L. E. Garris, E. L. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Darden, Mr. and Mrs. David J. Whitehead, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Morton, Miss Frances Morton and K. W. Cobb were business visitors in Raleigh today.

**Winterville News**  
Mrs. Herman Nobles spent the week end in Raleigh.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Davernport and son, Edward, were in Greenville Saturday afternoon.  
Mrs. Lloyd Allen was in Greenville Saturday afternoon.  
M. T. Spier spent Thursday in Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rubin of LaGrange spent Tuesday with Mrs. R. L. McLawhorn.

Among those attending the funeral of Mrs. J. R. Gerrard, held in Washington, N. C. were: Mrs. Hattie Tucker, Miss Nan Loy Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Jackson and daughter, Miss Olive Jackson; Mrs. E. H. Heston, Mrs. Pearl Williams, Mrs. Mary Orlieb; and daughters, Mrs. Catherine Ozgler and Mrs. L. A. Manning. Mrs. Gerrard was the mother of Mrs. J. O. Edwards.

Mrs. Ray Oglesby was hostess to the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Methodist church. After a short business meeting, delicious refreshments were served.

Mrs. H. J. Brixton and daughter, Madeline, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Walter Braxton.

There will be a reproduction of the Bishop's Crusade, which was held in Goldsboro a few days ago, Sunday afternoon, February 21 at 3 o'clock, presented by several ladies from the Arden church. Each lady is to take the part of one bishop. Everyone is urged to attend as this meeting will be very inspiring and helpful.

Mrs. R. R. Broom of Arden, and Mrs. O. W. Rollins spent Monday in Washington.

## DRUNK FINDS NEW USE FOR PARKING METER

Dallas, Tex. (AP)—Said the policeman, making the shoulder of the sleepy drunk sitting on the curb, "You can't sit here, old fellow."

"You can't sit here, old fellow?" "Well, I can't," said the drunk, "but I can't sit here, old fellow?"

"Oh, no. This space is for automobiles, and besides, you might get hurt."

"Well, then, I'm here, ain't I? And I'm gonna (hic) stay here for an hour," argued the drunk.

"How come?" queried the cop, yanking the drunk to his feet.

"Well, (hic), you see, I put a nickel in that (hic) parking meter, and it's good for an hour, see?"

"It was good for more than an hour in jail."

**British to Have Gas Plants Ready**  
London (AP)—Britain soon will be making 500,000 gas tanks a week to be stored in depots throughout the country. In case of war the tanks will be issued free to the public.

An anti-gas school has been opened on an estate in Gloucestershire and relay of police from all parts of the country are being given anti-gas training.

## For Nippy Days—A Warm Sweater



**PADDED SHOULDER CARDIGAN**  
A grey cardigan sweater trimmed in black stitching and buttons is worn over a Kelly green blouse and black wool skirt. The cardigan is severely tailored but, being knitted rather than cut from a regular wool material, it is also comfortably flexible.

## Mrs. Louise Hill Speaks to Group At Local College

One of the public forum lectures sponsored by the Social Security Act was given by Mrs. Louise Hill, one of the speakers in the Seven County Public Forum, who is author, teacher, organizer, and teacher of wide reputation, spent the morning speaking to a group of college students on the subject of the Social Security Act. She talked to combinations of classes which met in the Austin auditorium during some of the periods and met some of the classes in their classrooms at other times.

## Report Submitted On Local Scout Council

The report of F. C. Harding, president of East Carolina Council of Boy Scouts has submitted his report showing that the unit, serving 21 counties, has continued to make rapid strides forward. The year 1936 was closed with 1,823 Scouts in 101 units, and 182 Cubs in nine packs. The growth has been consistent.

Seven of the possible eleven districts in the council have been developed and each is functioning. Six hundred and twenty-seven Scouts gave leadership to the units.

A letter from the Chief Scout Executive recently announced that the Council was the winner of the Walter W. Head Council award.

"We have no secret to success unless it is the developing of personal consciousness on the part of all Scouts to do their bit and our Council slogan for 1937 is Let's Make 1937 Another Forward Marching Year," declared the report.

The most popular philosophical manual of the middle ages was Boethius' "Consolation of Philosophy." It was translated by Alfred the Great, king of England.

## Victim Of Attack



Virginia Skolyn (above), pretty waitress at Buffalo, N. Y., was the fourth woman or girl to be attacked by a mysterious "man within" eight days after Mary Ellen Babcock, 18, was stabbed to death and left in a lonely field on the outskirts of that city. Miss Skolyn was found unconscious in the field after fighting off her assailant. (Associated Press Photo)

**"BLACK-DRAUGHT IS PURELY VEGETABLE"**  
—What Does That Mean?  
A great many things can cause constipation and there are many remedies to relieve it, but possibly none more popular than the "vegetable" laxative.

Among these, Black-Draught is outstanding. In its manufacture, leaves of a certain plant are used, and the roots of certain others. These are dried so that they will keep without preservatives. . . . no other chemical change from the way they grew in "Mother Nature's medicine garden." By their being finely ground, the digestive system extracts the active medicine right where it is needed. Constipation is relieved.

Black-Draught is so economical that a 25-cent package averages upward of 25 doses.

## 'THE MIKADO' IS PRESENTED

### High School Glee Clubs Receive High Praise

The Greenville High School glee clubs, under the direction of Miss Ona Shindler, presented last night their most ambitious public performance when they effectively produced "The Mikado," a Gilbert and Sullivan opera of perennial fame. The performance was marked by artistry in every detail. The leads proved to be well chosen as they rose to the occasion for every aria and every dramatic situation. The boys' chorus, the girls' chorus, and the mixed chorus showed evidence of superior training from the opening curtain until the final curtain. In costuming, scenery and make-up every detail was carefully supervised.

Especially effective were the sets constructed for the two acts, under the direction of Tom Field. The realistic and colorful costumes were designed by Paulsen Faust and Miss Jessie Schropp, and being authentic, added to the atmosphere of the production. The make-up artists—D. L. Beaman, Paulsen Faust, Helen Sawyer and Miss Evelyn Rogers—did an excellent job in bringing real Japanese characters to the large audience which packed the high school auditorium.

Among the leads no single weak spot was detected; but especially good acting was done by Edward Conway and Robert Earle Clark. Their songs were well-executed, too. The youthful lovers, Clair Brown and Belva Dare Harris, found themselves doing superior work throughout the performance. Miss Lorraine Horne, playing the part of the discarded lover, won her audience by her varying moods of anger and sadness. The three little maids, Belva Dare Harris, Matie Lawrence Holliday, and Kate Foley, wards of the Lord High Executioner, proved an excellent trio. Earl Dunn and Robert Musselwhite, Japanese to the core in their make-up and manner, did good work in all their numbers.

The performance, which began on time, was marked by smoothness in every department. No lines were forgotten, all solos and choruses clicked and the changing of scenery lasted only five minutes. Thus, with clock-like precision, the opera was executed, and with unanimous approval the audience agreed that "The Mikado" was the best work ever done by the local high school music department.

Sharing honors with Miss Shindler and the leads were Miss Eva Hodges, accompanist, and Miss Deanie Boone Haskett, dramatic adviser.

The girls' chorus in pink kimonos and the boys' chorus in blue outfits assisted the leads frequently. The girls' chorus follows: Lillian Abee, Jean Abouymis, Hean Butler, Doris Duval, Mabel Edwards, Clara Dudley, Betty Fleischman, Hazel Garris, Dorothy Harrison, Beulah Harrington, Dorothy Merritt, Neil Merritt, Charlotte Perkins, Eleanor Rives, Georgette Saad, Louise Sied, Helen Settle, Dorothy Stokes, Rosalyn Swindell and Mary Woodard.

The boys' chorus was made up of C. B. Allen, Wilbur Brown, Elmer Cox, Harold Forbes, Howard Harris, Claude Hardy, Wiley Rae Harter, Jack Moye, Robert Musselwhite, Francis Oakley, Lombe Rives, Daniel Sated, Joseph Sand, James Smith.

Marshals for the occasion were Helen Taylor, Louis Mayo, William Miller Burks, Marjorie Sugg, Baxter Clark, Helen Butner, Frances Clark, Elizabeth Meadows, Mary Agnes Deal, Allen Taylor, Earl Hellen, Thornton Ryan.

The band played before the opera and between acts.

## WOMEN In The News



**REFORMER**  
State Representative Florence Thurston of "As Goes" Maine proposed her state change its election day from September to November.



**CELEBRATOR**  
Mrs. Lucia Fiorini of Chicago, mother of 16 including a set of triplets, celebrated her 113th birthday by sipping a glass of wine.



**QUEEN**  
Florence Allen of Birmingham, Ala., became the first girl from south of the Mason-Dixon line to reign as queen of Dartmouth's winter festival at Hanover, N. H.



**FEMINIST**  
Dr. Mary E. Woolley, resigning next June as president of Mt. Holyoke college for women, protested the selection of a male successor.

**WE GUARANTEE WATCH REPAIRING—JEWELRY REPAIRING—Engraving—Reasonable Prices LAUTARES'**

**NOTICE OF RE-SALE OF LAND BY COMMISSIONER**  
By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Edgecombe county in Special Proceeding in said court entitled "J. B. Bunting et als vs. Z. V. Bunting, et als," the undersigned Commissioner will on Monday, February 22, 1937 at 12 o'clock noon before the courthouse door in Tarboro, N. C. expose to public sale for cash the following described tract of land: Lying and being in No. 3 Township, Edgecombe County, North Carolina and bounded and described as follows:  
Bounded on the North by the Henry Harrell farm, on the East by the land of R. D. Whitehurst, on the South by the Conette and Hassell road, and on the West by the land of R. I. Taylor, and containing 190 acres, more or less; it being known as the Whitehurst farm, and being the same land which was conveyed to Mrs. Sallie L. Bunting by B. H. Taylor and which deed is recorded in Book 257, page 462 of the Edgecombe County Registry.  
The purchaser will be required to pay 5% in cash at the time of the sale.  
This the 5th day of February, 1937.  
JULIUS BROWN, Commissioner  
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**A VENTURE IN FELLOWSHIP AND FRIENDLINESS THAT WORKS!**  
**Union Sunday Evening Services**  
Sponsored By Six Congregations Held in the Methodist Church Shared in by the Community  
We Cordially Invite You to Attend  
**IMMANUEL BAPTIST — ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL — FIRST PRESBYTERIAN — 8TH ST. CHRISTIAN MEMORIAL BAPTIST—JARVIS MEMORIAL METHODIST**

**Presenting No. 1050 ARCHER HOSEIERY**  
This is Archer's Ace—the walking chiffon of stockings we sold, only one pair was returned. That is a remarkable service record! We would like for you to try this beautiful hose that will enhance the loveliest costume and is so serviceable, too. 1.00 pair.



**Blount-Harvey**

**IT'S ALREADY Spring at C. HEBER FORBES**

Let's Meet Spring Half Way—

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## NEW PRESSURE USED ON BILL

### Last Minute Lobbying Exerted on Liquor Measure

Raleigh, Feb. 17.—Not the least interesting activity in connection with Senate consideration of the county option liquor control bill was the tremendous pressure exerted or attempted to be exerted by both sides upon members who either had not announced their stand or who seemed to be wavering in their allegiance.

This last minute lobbying was obvious over the week-end, when doubtful Senators were besieged in their home towns, if they went home, or in Raleigh, if they stayed in the capital, by proponents or opponents of the measure. Most of this sort of pressure was used by the drys.

It was doubly obvious in the Senate chamber before Tuesday's session convened and especially during the ten-minute recess taken after the bill had been called up in order to permit friends and foes of the bill to divide time.

Then groups of earnest advocates surrounded those Senators who might possibly be converted at the last minute. Then, too, pages brought in stacks of telegrams from the folks back home.

The most outstanding example was in the case of Senator Roy Rowe, from Pender county but who represents New Hanover, prize wet county of the state, as well. Senator Rowe has been concededly a proponent of county control, but there were many apparently well founded reports that he was on the verge of flipping into the referendum camp. In fact leading control advocates became so alarmed that they engineered a veritable flood of telegrams from back home. Senator Rowe's desk was stacked high with messages, while Tom Cooper, New Hanover, and Pender's Representative John J. Best, both controllers, stood guard around him as though to ward off any potential sirens from the referendum side.

## PRESIDENT, CABINET ATTEND DINNER HONORING FARLEY



Rarely do cabinet members pose as a body, but most of them were present and did pose for this unusual picture with President Roosevelt at the testimonial dinner at Washington honoring James A. Farley. At the speakers table are, left to right: Vice-President Garner, who acted as master of ceremonies; President Roosevelt, and Postmaster General Farley. Standing, left to right: Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, Secretary of War Woodring, Secretary of State Hull, Secretary of Commerce Roper, Secretary of Treasury Morgenthau, and Assistant Secretary of Navy Charles Edison. Secretary of Navy Swanson, Secretary of Interior Ickes, and Secretary of Labor Perkins were not present when this picture was made. Many Democratic governors, business leaders, and noted sportsmen attended the dinner in tribute to Farley's leadership in the Democratic party. (Associated Press Photo)

### Man About Manhattan

By George Tucker

New York. — Notes on the big town, jotted here and there on a quick round-up.

Stealing in major department stores was less prevalent than usual this season, there being only a total of 12 arrests in the two major stores over the Christmas holidays. Most arrests are made by women who are paid to keep an eye on the customers. Usually they browse around, pretending to shop or to examine merchandise. When a thief is detected, he is allowed to leave the store before an arrest is made. This is necessary, because the suspect can always claim to have been "looking" at merchandise if collared inside the store.

### TALK SHOWS MEN 'DULL' WOMEN 'CATTY'

Minneapolis. (AP) — Men are "dull" and women "catty" declares J. Spencer Carlson, Elroy Stromberg and Stuart W. Cook after a "psychological study" of 694 conversations during symphony concert intermissions.

The three investigators summarized their findings like this: Women devote 20 per cent of their conversation to talking to women about women; the remaining 70 per cent is devoted to men, music and weather, in that order.

### WALKS ICE BAREFOOT TO WIN WAGER

Butte, Mont. (AP) — Money has burned pockets, but in this case it was W. Jones' feet tingled. With the thermometer snuggled at 18 below zero, he wagered a friend he could walk across Main street, barefooted and unassisted, with all popular aids to locomotion, including bicycles, roller skates, crutches and silks barred.

### SWING PICTURES

Starting Monday in The Daily Reflector

This man, from the look on his face, is playing "swing music."

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### How's Your Health?

Edited for the New York Academy of Medicine  
By Dr. Igo Galdston

**Winged Diseases**

Certain diseases, like the common cold, influenza, measles and small-pox, spread as if their agents were carried on invisible wings. In former times, many believed that air, especially night air, contained invisible disease-producing entities called miasmata.

Ancient thought was confused on this matter, but not entirely in error. In many places the air at evening and night time was frequently full of humming mosquitoes, which carried and spread the debilitating fevers of malaria.

It has remained for modern science to demonstrate how the air indeed is frequently the carrier of "winged diseases." These demonstrations were first made by Pasteur, and more recently in a very ingenious way by Doctors William and Mildred Wells, of the Harvard School of Public Health.

The subject has certain vital applications touching on the importance of adequate ventilation, and on the hazard of uncovered sneeze and cough.

The respiratory diseases are among the most debilitating and destructive of those to which man is subject. It is estimated that 85 per cent of the deaths from infectious and parasitic diseases occurring in the United States are from those diseases in which the responsible germs gain entrance to the body through the nose and throat.

Colds and bronchitis, influenza and pneumonia, and tonsillitis occupy the first three places and cause considerably more than half the total cases of illness. The diseases spread through the nasopharynx (nose and throat) cause a total of 218 sick days in bed for every 100 persons.

The control of the medium thru which a disease is spread, wherever that has been attainable, has yielded life-saving results. Witness the elimination of the mosquito and the consequent control of malaria. Again, the purification of drinking water has curbed the ravages of typhoid. The pasteurization of milk has helped to do away with numerous gastrointestinal diseases and of cholera infantum, which until 20 years ago was responsible for the deaths of many infants.

### Man About Manhattan

Incidentally, not all the scholarly looking gentlemen you see in the reference rooms of the libraries are seekers after knowledge. Many of them are detectives, looking for law-breakers who are known to frequent libraries and art galleries. There are also library detectives to keep an eye on fidgety looking individuals who might want to make off with a couple of books.

In the morning mail comes an attractive photographic history of Katharine Cornell, a brochure which traces her career in the theater and contains much information on the many character roles she has played. A play titled "A Gallery of Stage Portraits" it includes "Little Women." Miss Cornell's first important role, and all the others up to and including "The Wingless Victory," now being seen. A valuable bit of reference to have around, for which, much thanks.

The organ recitals which are supposed to amuse train-waiters in the huge midtown railway terminal are usually sombre in tone, but now and then a gay note is struck. The other afternoon, between doleful numbers, the "customers" were treated to a quick flash of "The St. James Infirmary." And was it appreciated!

Zelli's Royal Box has attained its objective. That is, it is once more the haunt of gay worldlings who knew his place in Paris years ago. The other night there were seventeen people from as many states who told Zelli they had enjoyed his hospitality in the old days on the other side. My favorite dish at Zelli's is froglegs.

As usual, a New Year's A. M. treat was breakfast in the Kitchen at the St. Moritz, that vast, coppe-like Cathedral of S. Gregory Taylor's 5th street hotel. More than 500 guests "dropped by" to partake of the menu, which was as always, tasty and filling.

Jim Tully, Lee Tracy, Capt. Irving O'Hay, Rex O'Malley — colorful Don Juans, is each an Irishman and New York loves them. Yet, more than all, New York sighs for Jimmy Walker, who ruled a metropolis with one hand and played a piano with the other. With Walker out of politics, as one observer wrote, "New York is like a thrilling drama with its chief actor missing." Even Boswell couldn't have put it better than that.

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Legislative Chaff and Chatter

Raleigh, Feb. 17.—The Senate voted "aye" to a number of amendments offered by Senator Tom Goddard to a bill appropriating certain sums for the care and education of the blind in North Carolina.

When a bill to permit electric contractors to be regulated by a commission of which they are to appoint one member, the governor a second and the Greater University of North Carolina a third came up for consideration in the Senate, John Sprunt Hill remarked:

"We let everybody else organize, so we might as well let the electrical contractors do it, too."

"It does seem that about every line of business under the sun is now equipped with a commission and enough rules and regulations to wrap everybody in the business up in red tape."

Folks in the galleries of both House and Senate often shake their heads in bewilderment when the clerk calls out four names, and it is then announced: "Forty senators (or one hundred and five members) having voted in the affirmative and none in the negative, the bill has passed." It comes from what it termed the "short roll call" which is used when there is no opposition to a bill upon which there must be a roll call and the roll has already been called in toto on some other bill during the then current session.

"Fete" Murphy, veteran Rowan representative, can always be counted on to supply colorful copy. Monday night he rose after the Speaker had extended privileges of the floor and lobbies to numerous former members, and gallantly asked that "Privileges of the galleries be extended to all those pretty girls up there."

Pasquotank's able Representative Webb Williams hasn't been very much in the limelight on the floor so far this session, but he has put in more than his share of good, hard licks in committee, and it is expected that he will be more in the public eye when proposal to advertise North Carolina to the extent of a quarter million dollars comes up in the House committee on Conservation and Development, of which he is chairman.

Incidentally, it isn't always the most valuable law makers who get their names into print most often. There are any number of fellows who go about the business of legislating quietly and with little clash of cymbal or beating of tom toms, but who yet do a splendid job of representing their constituents and attending to the business of the state of North Carolina.

Every so often either House or Senate gets tangled on the hour until which it shall adjourn. For example Monday night the Senate spent not less than five minutes, talking about adjourning until noon Tuesday, after it had already voted unanimously to adjourn until 11 o'clock and after Lieutenant Governor Wilkins Horton had announced result of the vote.

Something of a blotchy nature and not at all pleasant to thin-skinned people was injected into the house proceedings Monday night when Representative J. W. Garrett of Rockingham county introduced a bill to prohibit tattooing in North Carolina. A round of laughter greeted the reading of the title of the bill. Some members thought the bill might work a hardship on Wilmington and Morehead City, the state's two principal seaports. For it wouldn't be much of a seaport where a sailor could not get one or two tattoos.

A wave of laughter swept over the house and one or two members broke out in the strains of "How Dry I Am" after Representative T.

ESCAPE IF YOU CAN

BY FREDERICK JACKSON

SYNOPSIS: A pistol cracks in Anne Phelps' studio, killing Count Vronski, who had been blackmailing her with love letters. Nearby are Anne, Clarke Bigelow and Karanokoff, the exotic dancer, who hide the corpse during a party. Later Bigelow and Dr. Austrelitz, the psychologist, more it to Vronski's rooms. Police arrest Thorne Dryden, who hated Vronski, and seek a woman in mink who visited Vronski's place the fatal night. Baroness Dormstadt, who loved Vronski, accuses Anne of the murder, making a scene at a night club.

Chapter 38

'I Did The Killing'

HALF an hour later, Anne and Bigelow left Madge's. In the taxi going home, she relaxed with a sigh against his shoulder and he took her hand in his and held it. But they spoke very little.

When he had dropped Anne, he went on to Austrelitz's house and told him what had happened.

"That woman is dangerous," he ended nervously, "because I'm afraid she's not mentally responsible and I think we ought to go along and see her now and see what can be done to protect Anne."

"Very well, we'll go," agreed Austrelitz promptly.

They drove to the baroness's apartment and asked for her in the big ornate hall. The doorman informed them that it would be impossible to see the baroness for some time to come—that she had been brought in an hour before in a state of collapse and that her doctor and two nurses were at that moment in attendance on her.

For the moment, then, it seemed that she would cause no further trouble. . . .

At two o'clock the next day, Bigelow and Austrelitz presented themselves at the Carleton and asked to see Madame Karanokoff. They were invited to come up, and Karanokoff received them lying on the big couch in her sitting room, propped up with dozens of finely embroidered pillows and covered with a white bearskin rug. Her hair was loose in a dark silken cloud about her face. The room was filled with Easter lilies in tall vases, and the air was heavy with their fragrance.

"Forgive me that I do not rise to greet you," she smiled. "Under this robe, I have nothing, in clothes, I find it very difficult to relax. Even in loose clothes. And today it is most important that I rest. For if I should not make a success tonight the word would speed across the water to Paris and my career would be very much hindered there. However, the rehearsal went very well last night. Sit down, please. . . . Mariushka told me you wished very much to see me last night?"

"Yes," answered Bigelow, "about that letter in the paper. You saw it, naturally?"

"Naturally," replied Karanokoff with a faint smile in her eyes. "As a matter of fact," added Austrelitz, "you wrote it, didn't you?"

He drew out the facsimile of the letter cut from the paper, the copy he had made of it on his own machine, and the letterhead from a sheet of his stationery, and these he laid before her on her knees. She looked at them indifferently and raised her eyes to consider first one man and then the other.

"Yes," she said with a slight shrug. "I did write it. That is quite true. And then—"

"You had met Vronski before that night, then?" asked Bigelow. "I had seen the man who called himself Vronski."

"Did you come here because of him?" asked Bigelow. "We thought you might be an agent of your government—if the statements made in that letter are true."

Karanokoff laughed softly and called, "Mariushka. . . . Mariushka!"

Mariushka came hurriedly to the door and Karanokoff spoke to her rapidly in Russian. Mariushka laughed—but there was no mirth in her laughter—and with a brief reply in the same language—she withdrew.

"The Only Way I Could Know"

"YOU must forgive me," said Karanokoff with some compunction. "I am very rude, but what you suggested was so funny I wished to share it with my maid. That I should be an agent for Russia—I who have been in exile since the revolution! . . . That was droll. . . . No, I did not come here to track down that man, but everything I wrote in the letter was true, and I wished the police to think somebody had followed him to take vengeance. I thought it might confuse the issue sufficiently to help that poor Dryden."

"But why are you so anxious to help a man you do not even know?" asked Austrelitz quietly.

Karanokoff looked at him in some amusement. "You ask," she said, "but I think—my dear doctor—you already

know, eh? I was anxious to help him because it is not a pleasant thought that one who is completely innocent should be left there in that cell. I have been in a prison cell. I know what it is like. . . . But how do I know he is completely innocent, you would ask, eh? The only way I could know, my dear doctor. Because it was I who did the killing."

Both men stared at her. Although she spoke with some emphasis, she seemed neither deeply moved nor gravely concerned over the statement she was making. But she watched them, intently. Bigelow stirred and his eyes searched her face almost incredulously. He was half prepared for her confession, but he had not expected her to make it so coolly. Austrelitz's face revealed nothing; he merely nodded an acknowledgement of her words.

"I hoped you'd tell us about it, frankly," he said. "I will. I had made up my mind to tell you. It astonished me that you did not ask long ago. I never meant to keep it a secret. You see, I did not plan things as they happened. If I had stopped to think, I should not have killed him there at all—not in Anne's studio like that. But one trouble with me is I cannot stop to think. It often makes my life more difficult." She sighed and reached for a cigarette and lit it.

"You had an old score to settle with him, I think," said Austrelitz. "It was not a new grievance?"

"No," admitted Karanokoff, "it was not a new grievance. I told you that I had never met him before, but that I had seen him once. I will tell you how it was. I saw him. It was in Russia when the revolution began. I was a child—11 years old. He came into the hall of my father's house, leading a mob of drunken, half-crazy peasants, and driving our servants before him. My father was an old man and unarmed. He went to meet them as they stormed in, hoping to reason with them. But Cienkowitz did not wait for my father to speak. He had an axe in his hands and he struck my father down with it, crashing in his skull. My brother was standing beside me on the stairs. We had been in bed, but the noise of their approach had awakened us. My brother was only five years older than I was. As my father fell, my brother rushed forward to kneel beside my father and lift his head; and Cienkowitz struck again with his axe and half severed my brother's head.

"I saw these things with my own eyes. I saw his face—mad with sudden power—exultant as he struck. . . . And I never forgot it. Do you wonder? I can close my eyes now and see it as though it were still there before me!"

The Flight To Paris

SHE drew a long breath and inhaled. Neither man stirred. Her eyes smoldering, her voice low, she went on presently:

"I fainted and my nurse who was just behind me, caught me up in her arms and carried me up the stairs. No one tried to stop her. Cienkowitz was making a speech with one foot on my brother's still quivering body, and the mob had begun to wreck and sack the castle. This I learned afterward. . . . When I recovered consciousness, my nurse was dressing me in peasant clothes. I wept and she told me I must be still or I would meet the same fate my father and brother had met. She smuggled me away under cover of the darkness. Other peasants helped her. Some great nobles in those days ill-treated the peasants and the peasants hated them; but my father had been good to his peasants and they did what they could for me.

Police investigating recent floggings in the southeastern tip of North Carolina and in South Carolina were interested in a warning note received by Mrs. Mary Little (above) of Exum, N. C. Coming from Free-land, where two men were abducted and flogged, the note warned that three men were trying to charge her with the murder of a swain who committed suicide six years ago when she refused to marry him, she said. (Associated Press Photo)

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Talks To Parents

By Brooks Peters Church

ROUNDED PERSONALITY

The ability to keep up with one's grade in school, even success in school work and completion of the required courses, do not necessarily mean that a child is mature either socially or emotionally. Many youngsters of more than average intellectual attainments are definitely behindhand in development. The "idiot savant," for that matter, is often spectacularly proficient in some one thing—mathematics or music, perhaps—and devoid of any other ability.

The school is prepared as a rule to do just one thing—teach the subjects required for the school

Daily Cross Word Puzzle

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down words. Includes a 'So on of Yesterday's Puzzle' section.

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schedule. Whether or no it should do more is beside the question. Some schools do, some do not.

Many parents assume that if the child is keeping up with his school work, he is necessarily preparing for life. They forget that man is not all brain, nor even primarily

cannot attend to all of these phases of growth, and they are all equally important if a child is to become a complete and rounded personality, mature in every way.

More and more psychologists are realizing that in their effort to analyze man, they have over emphasized now this phase, now that, and failed, having pulled him to pieces, to put him together again.

It is for the home to see that the whole personality is given full growth—that brains are not emphasized to the exclusion of brawn, reason to the extinction of emotion. All outside influences tend to specialize; the home must integrate and balance the personality.

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# SCHOOLS SEEM TO BE PLEASED

## Absence of Fight for More Money Causing Wonder

Reflector Bureau.

Raleigh, Feb. 17.—The fact that the school forces made no fight whatever in the house for a larger appropriation for schools and took the 10 per cent salary increase recommended by the appropriations committee without a murmur, although they had been campaigning for a 20 per cent increase, is causing some of the older times here to wonder what has happened.

For one of the things always expected in a legislative session for a militant fight by the school forces for a larger increase in salaries than is recommended, no matter how much may be recommended. Accordingly, there are some who cannot yet understand how the appropriations bill went through the house without a single word being said advocating a larger appropriation for schools than had been recommended.

But those who know what is going on behind the scenes here in both educational and political circles are not surprised at what has happened and feel sure they know the reasons.

In the first place, the educational leaders upon whom the teachers and superintendents have been depending to make their fight for them, know that they are lucky to get an appropriation averaging \$24,500,000 a year, as contained in the appropriations bill, which provides for a 10 per cent increase in salaries and that any fight they might make for a larger appropriation would be a losing fight.

Following a three hour conference with Chairman D. L. Ward of the house appropriations committee week before last, before the appropriations bill was reported into the house, the educational leaders, including State Superintendent of Public Instruction Clyde A. Erwin, Secretary J. B. Warren of the North Carolina Education Association, Miss Oma Lafferty, president of the legislative committee of the association, agreed to accept the 10 per cent increase recommended without any contest for any more. Ward reported following the meeting, they agreed, Ward said, that the state had already reached the limit of its ability to increase school appropriations from indirect tax sources and that they were really fortunate to get an increase of as much as 10 per cent from this general assembly.

Ward pointed out to the leaders of the school forces that within four years time the appropriation for schools has been increased 53 per cent—more than for any other state activity—also that the salaries of teachers have been increased more than 35 per cent within four years, if the general assembly enacts the present appropriations bill as it now stands.

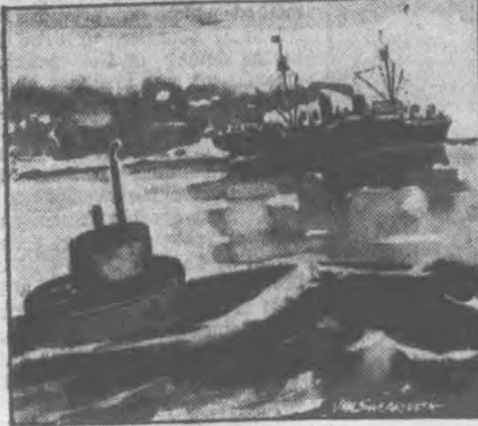
The appropriation for all the schools in 1937 was only \$16,000,000 as compared with the average of \$4,500,000 a year recommended for the next two years. Ward told this school group that the schools and the teachers had received a much larger share of state funds than any other; and that they ought to be happy and satisfied with the 10 per cent increase now proposed. They agreed with him and told him they would not continue to seek the 20 per cent increase they had been seeking.

The second reason the school leaders and N. C. Education Association decided not to fight for any higher salaries, however, is because they are more anxious to have certain changes made in the machinery bill than to get more money for the teachers, those who know what is really going on agree.

In other words, they want to get the present school machinery act changed so that the State Superintendent of Public Instruction will be both chairman and secretary of the State School Commission, and thus get control of the allocation of the \$24,500,000 a year of school funds. If this can be done, the superintendents believe they could force the School Commission, by bringing pressure to bear on the chairman, to be more and more liberal with them, in return for which they could then assure him of being re-elected every four years. For if the State Superintendent should be chairman of the School Commission, he would be responsible to and removable by the people only in the election every four years. And since most city any county school superintendents are politicians as well as school men, usually "standing in" with the dominant faction in each county, whether or not the State Superintendent was re-elected would be up to the county and city superintendents.

Bekid down to the bone, the situation is that the school politicians have decided that it is better to stop fighting for more salaries for teachers and fight instead for more control of the school funds by the state and county superintendents, most observers agree. Some of these frankly admit that it will be working without what they want in the form of an appropriation and salary increases for two years, if by so doing they can get control of the spending of the school money. If they can get this control, they are confident they can build up an organization which can then get more and more money in the future. So they have now deliberately decided to sell the teachers' fight on salaries in order to be in a better position with the general assembly.

# Just 20 Years Ago U.S. Took Road To War



JANUARY 31, 1917—

With the World war two and a half years old, Germany announced she was resuming unrestricted submarine warfare on shipping in waters surrounding her enemies, the allied powers.



FEBRUARY 3—

President Wilson's answer to this declaration was a dramatic appearance before Congress to announce he was breaking off diplomatic relations with Germany.



FEBRUARY 13—

Escorted by police and secret service agents, Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, left Washington for New York at midnight to sail for home.



FEBRUARY 23—

Two American women died as the Cunard liner Lusitania, torpedoed by a German U-boat, sank off the Irish coast. President Wilson asked Congress next day to declare a state of neutrality.

onal anthem. He did, temporarily. A few days later, when the studio golf tournament was in progress, Wellman stopped out on the fifteenth hole and poked his club. Mickey's orchestra stepped on the green, gave forth the Greek anthem, and Wellman missed a birdie. Jean Harlow requests "Melancholy Baby" or hot dance rhythm, while Joan Crawford wants dreamy sentimental stuff. Buddy Eason will take any hot dance tune good for foot-shaking. Nelson Eddy likes to take over the baton to burlesque operettas of kay, and Robert Montgomery impersonates great directors in "Merry Widow" selections.

Champion Churchgoers  
Marion, Mich. (AP)—This village of 900 residents claims the distinction of having the greatest number of churches per capita—one for each 180 persons—of any community in western Michigan. Denominations include Latter Day Saints, Methodist, Free Methodist, Catholic and Seventh Day Adventist.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE OF LAND  
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust dated January 18, 1908 and executed by Walter Avery and wife, Nellie B. Avery, to W. H. Woolard, trustee, which appears recorded in Book G-21 at page 227 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, defendant having been made in the payment of the debt thereby secured, and the owner of the debt having cause upon said trustee to foreclose said trust, the undersigned trustee will, on Monday the 9th day of March, 1937, at 12 o'clock, M., at the court house door in Greenville, N. C., offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit:

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Millions have found in Calotabs a most valuable aid in the treatment of colds. They take one or two tablets the first night and repeat the third or fourth night if needed. How do Calotabs help Nature throw off a cold? First, Calotabs are one of the most thorough and dependable of all medicinal eliminants, thus cleansing the intestinal tract of the germ-laden mucus and toxins. Second, Calotabs are diuretic to the kidneys, promoting the elimination of cold poisons from the blood. Thus Calotabs serve the double purpose of a purgative and diuretic, both of which are needed in the treatment of colds. Calotabs are quite economical; only twenty-five cents for the family package, ten cents for the trial package. (A-19)

## MAKE ME AN OFFER!

HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPION Jimmy BRADDOCK PLANS TO IGNORE HIS CONTRACT WITH MAX SCHEMELING AND FIGHT JOE LOUIS INSTEAD BECAUSE A BOUT WITH THE BOMBER PROMISES A MUCH LARGER GATE

SUPPOSE THE IDEA INVADED OTHER FIELDS OF SPORT... DIZZY DEAN WOULD VERY LIKELY BE PITCHING FOR MILLIONAIRE TOM YAWKEY'S BOSTON RED SOX



—By PAP

Arkansas. He had been a soloist with George Olsen, had sung in opera and played the guitar, violin and trumpet. It was in 1912 that he brought him to movie. He sang in Jeanette MacDonald's first picture, "Love Parade," and embarked on a career as a "dummy musician." Those requests for music on the sets made him organize an orchestra that could actually play in scenes, and between scenes in response to requests. He chose musicians, black-haired, red-haired and baldheaded. His toughest job was to "sell" his orchestra to the directors, whose "yes" or "no" decided whether he could entertain the stars between scenes. W. S. Van Dyke would have him play a few bars in a scene, but none afterward. Mickey kept his very open and one day heard the director humming "Night and Day." After the next scene the orchestra broke into that tune—and broke the ice. Mickey's orchestra prides itself on its versatility. Requests range from hillbilly tunes to opera, and the gang has a repertoire of 705 musical arrangements. William Wellman, the director, once thought he would trip Mickey by demanding the Greek national anthem. He had been gray-haired, black-haired, red-haired and baldheaded. In the last four years he has played his baton on screen; all over the world. For one picture he will wear flowing whiskers, for another burnished, van dykes, or handle-mustaches. He has been gray-

## BABY DEACONS DEFEAT HIGHS

### Margin of Victory Is Held to Five Points, However

Playing one of their best games of the season, the Green Phantoms held Wake Forest powerful "Baby" Deacons to a mere five point advantage and lost a hard-fought game 25 to 20. In the last meeting between these two clubs the Greens were handed a 35 to 13 lacing and their close margin of defeat last night showed how much improvement they have made since then.

The local's offensive was led by Carl Pierre, brilliant forward, who flashed his old time form by accounting for 7 of his team's points in addition to playing a splendid floor game. The rest of the boys gave a good account of themselves, especially Charles Gaskins, who scored five points while substituting for Simpson at center. The Deacon offensive was led by Clark and Barnes.

Tonight the Greens will journey over to Washington and play the Pam Paek a return engagement. Next Monday night, fans of this city have a real treat in store for them when George Washington High school of Danville Virginia, invades the local gym in the last home game of the season. Two weeks ago the Phantoms journeyed up to Danville and won a hair raising thriller from the G. W. Cardinals 30 to 27. The game Monday should be equally as thrilling. It will be the first time in 10 years that a top rating Virginia school has invaded this city.

by in the hope of getting control of the money-spending and salary schedule-making machinery, which now rests in the State School Commission, some of those who should know what is going on, are charging. They are also charging that if this comes about, that the superintendents and principals, rather than the teachers, will get the lion's share when it comes to re-making the salary schedules.

Railroad Garden Biggest Stockholm (AP)—The biggest gardener in Sweden is the government-owned railway, which has planted hundreds of thousands of fruit trees, rose bushes, boxwoods, and firs along its tracks, all the way from Scania in the south to northernmost Lapland. Lilies and sunflowers surround the red-painted depots.

## Sport Slants

By PAP

Professional boxing long since dropped all pretense of being a sport. It has been business, nothing but business, a long time. But ordinary honorable business practices seem to have no place in boxing.

A contract is a scrap of paper. And the cash bond posted to bind the contract? What is \$5,000 where hundreds of thousands are involved? When a heavyweight champion wishes to repudiate a contract he simply breaks it. In boxing, evidently, the king can do no wrong.

It's hard to get excited over news that Champion Jim Braddock has decided to accept a Chicago offer of \$500,000 to fight Joe Louis and forget the engagement previously contracted for with Max Schmeling in New York. The difference of \$400,000 between what he could earn against Schmeling and what the Chicago promoters offer seems sufficient reason for Braddock to ignore a previous agreement.

Heaven Help The Honest Man.

Things like that are not new in boxing. The present setup being what it is, there seems no limit as to what they get away with in the game. The Illinois commission, knowing that Braddock has signed to meet Schmeling, welcomes the champion. It's every man for himself.

The heavyweight crown is valuable. The possessor is entitled to make all the money he can. The fact that the threatened boycott would likely reduce the Braddock-Schmeling gate to a pittance is deemed sufficient reason for the champion's manager to seek richer offers.

## HIGH POINTERS TRIM PIRATES

### Local College Five Is Defeated by Score of 42-28

Coach Vergil Yow's High Point College basketballers' jinx over East Carolina Teachers College cagers held good last night, and the Panthers scored a 42-28 victory over the Pirates. Yow's second team started the contest, but after the Pirates took an early 5-4 lead, he sent in his regulars, and the visitors drove ahead to stay. High Point led a 24-10 advantage at halftime. When this margin went to 37-14, the Panthers' second team went in again and finished the game.

Martin scored a dozen points to lead High Point. Shelton and Ridehour shared scoring honors for the Pirates with 10 apiece. Lineups: High Point — Hester 2, Harris 3, Booth 2, Martin 12, forwards — Brinkley 3, Hampton 9, centers — Kutz, Treney 6, Keans, guards, E. C. T. C.—Galfee 2, K. Martin, Shelton 10, forwards, Stowe 4, center, Powell 2, Ridehour 10, Perebee, guards. Officials: Bloomington and Lancaster.

## Hollywood Sights And Sounds

By Robbin Coons

Hollywood—Mickey Whalen never liked the idea of being a "dummy musician." Most screened orchestras are composed of "dummy musicians." These can play, but the camera requires only that they pretend to play. The music is "dubbed in" later.

Mickey got his idea when, on the sets between scenes, the dummy orchestra would get requests for tunes to brighten things up. Its members were strangers to each other, had never rehearsed together, hence the requests could not be filled. Mickey decided a little organization would help. He had had his first band in \$100,000! their money's worth. At the start of the tenth round Johnston roared in Pastor's ears: "Now go out and fight him." He was giving the fans one round of fighting instead of the 10 rounds promised.

# BUSINESS WILL HAUL FOR LESS IN 1937—



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# BILL ASSURED ON TEXTBOOKS

### Free Texts to Be Provided Students of State

Raleigh, Feb. 17.—The free textbooks bill—the last of "must" measures advocated by Governor Clyde R. Hoey both during his campaign for Governor and in his inaugural message—came back from its brief trip to the finance committee and was placed on the house calendar today.

But for the fact that it is a roll call bill and must be passed on three readings on three successive days, it would have passed all its readings today and have been sent to the senate. In fact, the house passed the bill on all three readings on Monday night before it was discovered that it was a roll call bill and that it had to go to the finance committee also. So the action was rescinded.

The free textbooks bill, prepared by the house education committee of which Rep. Hugh Horton of Martin county is chairman, provides that beginning with the school year 1937-38, all of the required textbooks in the basic subjects in the elementary grades shall be provided free of charge to all the pupils. For the past two years, these textbooks have been provided at a moderate rental charge as a result of the enactment of the rental textbook bill by the 1935 general assembly, although the rental system was fought bitterly by most of the textbook publishers. This new free textbook bill provides that the rental system shall be continued for high school grades until such a time as it may be possible for the State Textbook Commission to provide free texts there also. It likewise provides for the renting of supplemental readers to children in the elementary schools.

Governor Hoey is convinced that the free textbook system will bring about a great saving to parents of school children in the state who until the rental system was established were required to pay from \$5 to \$25 a year for textbooks for each child in school. He points out that it will also make it possible for every child to have the books he or she needs while under the old purchase system at least 20 per cent of the children never obtained the books they needed, hence lost much of the benefit of the instructions given.

## HOLLYWOOD SIGHTS & SOUNDS

Hollywood — Film factory touring:

"History Is Made at Night," the title declares, and Jean Arthur and Charles Boyer are surrounded by a group of Hollywood's finest "dress extras" for a sequence of a fashionable evening gathering.

Frank Borzage, the director, volunteers between scenes the opinion that movie "dress extras" such as he has commanded are the best dressed men in the world—not excepting the Beau Brummels off London, New York, Paris.

The exaggeration, if such it is, is slight. These men on the set today are decked in formal raiment, with never a flaw in a white tie, and never a moth hole in flowing tails.

The dress extra has to have a wardrobe fit for a millionaire, must keep it up to date, and have a flair for wearing it. The successful dress extra, who gets the most calls to work, know exactly what to wear without being told. The responsibility rests with them—and that is one of the reasons they draw \$15 a day (or \$25 for speaking lines) when the ordinary extra gets \$7.50.

After long preparation, the Marx brothers are actually shooting "A Day at the Races." Harpo and Chico are working on a scene, a simple scene in a hospital corridor.

Silent Harpo is following a tip-toeing Chico who continually enjoins silence. Chico finally tells Harpo to take off his shoes because they squeak. (The squeak will be added later.) Harpo obeys, revealing tattered socks, and underneath these a pair of spats.

One of the reasons they take the scene again is that the spats, mouse-colored, don't look like spats to the camera. A prop man applies make-up to the buttons, which remedies that.

But the reason they take the scene half a dozen times after that is—timing. In comedy timing is all-important. An assistant director behind the camera presses a button which signals to extras beyond the window, in the background, to start moving.

Sam Wood, the director, pressed another which flashes a blonde nurse her cue to enter from a cross corridor and be pursued by Harpo. After seven takes everything seems to be timed correctly. But Wood wears a harassed expression. The director on a Marx picture is always wearing that look. The Marxes are wearing—just wearing.

Timing is the hitch on the "Call It a Day" set, too. Frieda Inescort, propped up in bed, is scanning the morning paper and carrying on desultory conversation with offstage Ian Hunter.

She sees that somebody has had a baby, she feels a draught, she wishes daughter Bonita Granville would not address her father by his first name, she wonders why they put out a newspaper with simply nothing in it, etc.

But Frieda's remarks have to be interpolated—timed—between the cracklings of the paper as she turns the pages, and the pages will not cooperate until the fourth take.

# 'A TRAILER LIFE'S THE LIFE FOR ME'

### Sø Sings Herbert Lee In His Typical Home In The Parking Lot



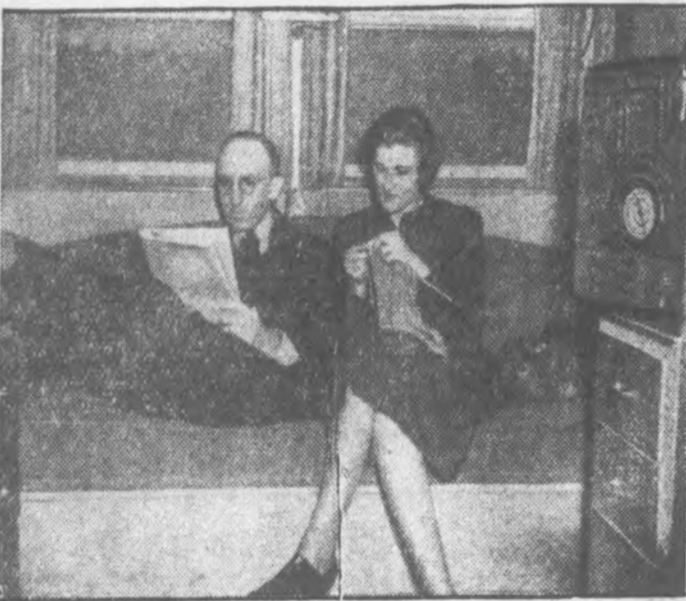
HOME is so sweet and easy to sweep when it's 17 by 6 1-2 feet that Mrs. Herbert Lee, who gave up a \$45-a-month Atlanta, Ga., apartment five months ago to live on wheels like 102,000 other Americans, now is "sold on trailer life for life."



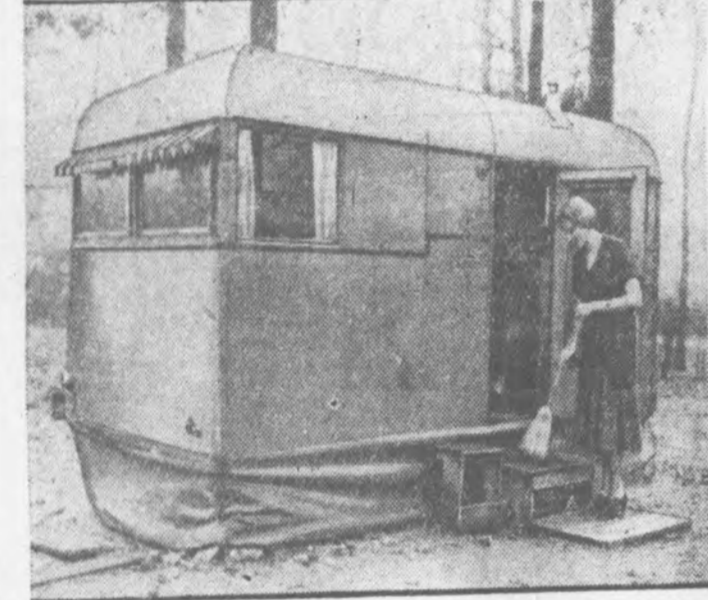
RUNNING WATER for the lavatory where Lee shaves comes from city pipes or a 30-gallon tank on the trailer.



FIRING UP the charcoal furnace, Lee reflects that \$10 a month now covers his fuel, light, water, ice—and rent.



AFTER DINNER the table is folded away and Lee reads how taxes harass others (his trailer tax is only \$3 a year) while his wife knits beside the radio in their cozy parlor. "Two can live more cheaply than one" she declares, "if they live in a trailer."



AT BEDTIME the divan unfolds and the Lees prepare for a good night's rest in their cliffed home out where the air is always fresh. They pass weekends rambling around the neighboring countryside, but wherever they may rove, they still can be at home.



"BUT I'M HUNGRY!" Lee protests before going to sleep, so, as cows moo outside, he raids the icebox.

## Large Number Deeds Filed in Past Week

Twenty-four real estate transfers were recorded in the office of Register of Deeds J. C. Gaskins during the past week. This list follows:

- W. S. Moye to J. C. Waldrop, 1 lot, \$3,000.
- Henrietta Tucker to T. H. Branch, undivided interest, \$250.
- B. S. Sheppard to T. M. Dill, 1 lot, \$10.
- Fannie E. Bell to Benny R. Bell, 14 acres, \$500.
- Mrs. Virginia H. Perkins to Oia L. Tucker, 1 lot, \$10.
- C. M. Warren, et ux, to Mrs. Virginia H. Perkins, 1 lot, \$10.
- Branch Banking & Trust Co. to J. Howard Litchworth, 1 lot, \$200.
- G. G. Ward and wife to J. J. Perkins, 25 acres, \$600.
- J. H. Woodard to Olivia Hardison, 62.8 acres, \$100.
- J. C. Waldrop and wife to J. H. Waldrop, lot, \$10.
- B. M. Lewis, et al to John B. Lewis, 60 acres, \$1,000.
- J. J. White, Trustee, to Home Building & Loan Assn., lot, \$600.
- R. M. Garrett to J. S. Picklen, 2 lots, \$100.
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- Home Bldg. & Loan Assn. to Jesse Wiggins and wife, 1 lot, \$1,500.
- Nanki Brown and wife to A. L. Jolly, 24 1/2 acres, \$235.
- Mrs. Virginia H. Perkins to E. H. Taft, Jr., lot, \$10.
- Mrs. Virginia H. Perkins to Gertrude C. Taft, lot, \$10.
- J. K. Birchill and wife to North Side Lumber Co., timber deed, \$5,000.
- Grace K. Ginn to R. B. Greene, lot, \$10.
- W. J. Cook and wife to E. H. Hart, 123 acres, \$110.
- W. I. Wooten and wife to Alice Wooten, lot, \$10.
- Wm. F. Whitchard, et al to H. L. Tetterton, et al, 45 acres, \$900.
- O. J. Tucker, et al to C. H. Branch, 22.33 acres, \$100.

## Officials Of College Will Attend Meeting

President L. R. Meadows and Dr. H. J. McGinnis, registrar, left yesterday for New Orleans to represent East Carolina Teachers College at two meetings, the annual meeting of the American Association of Teachers Colleges which opens tomorrow and closes Saturday and the mid-winter meeting of the National Education Association, which immediately follows and lasts through Thursday, February 25.

Dr. Meadows is on the program of the American Association of Teachers Colleges, at which he will give a criticism of a paper on "Parent Education Programs in Teachers Colleges," which will be read by G. W. Diemer, president of Teachers College of Kansas City, Missouri.

The winter meeting of the N. E. A. is the Superintendents' Division of the Association, but is considered of great importance because a number of other departments and affiliated associations meet at the same time, and the real business usually attended to at this meeting.

The general meeting of the Association is held in mid-summer.

It has been estimated that light takes 920,000 years to travel to the earth from the Great Andromeda Nebula, brightest of the spiral nebulae.

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## Richmond Livestock

(Courtesy J. N. & J. L. Williams)  
Richmond, Feb. 17.—Livestock receipts rather light; market steady and unchanged. Hog top at \$10.00 for choice 190-250 lb. corn fed butcher stock. Other classes 50 cents to \$2.50 under top quotations as to class, grade and weight. Vealers mostly \$8.50 to \$9.50 for medium to choice. Common and culls low as \$5.00. Cows steady, \$3 to \$5.50. Bul's steady \$3 to \$6. Heifers \$4.50 to \$7.50. Common and medium steers \$6 to \$8.50. Strictly good to \$9.00 and slightly above. Sheep and lamb receipts light, market steady; ewes \$2 to \$5. Lambs \$6.50 to \$10 for average run nearby receipts.  
Weather clear, temperature 34.

## Chicago Grain Market

(Courtesy Vernon Parrish)  
WHEAT:  
May . . . . . 136 135 3-8 135 3-8  
July . . . . . 118 5-8 118 5-8 118 1-4  
Sept. . . . . 114 3-4 115 114 1-4  
CORN:  
May . . . . . 108 7-3 108 3-8 109 1-4  
July . . . . . 101 1-8 104 1-8 104 1-8  
Sept. . . . . 97 1-4 97 7-8 97 1-8  
OATS:  
May . . . . . 50 1-2 50 1-4 50 1-4  
July . . . . . 44 5-8 44 1-2 44 1-2  
Sept. . . . . 44 3-4 41 3-8 41 5-8  
RYE:  
May . . . . . 112 3-4 112 1-4 112 1-2  
July . . . . . 103 5-8 103 3-4 103 3-8

## N. Y. Stock Market

New York, Feb. 17.—(AP)—An upward flurry in rails helped quicken the stock market's pulse today. From the start buying shifted quietly from one group to another. Motor and merchandising issues kept to center of the stage at first and later were joined by steels and aircrafts.  
Low price bonds were in demand. Grains were lower, cotton steady. The pound sterling and the French franc declined.

## New York Cotton

New York, Feb. 17.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened steady, unchanged to two lower with March liquidation and trade buying.  
May advanced from 12.36 to 12.39 and prices generally were unchanged to two points higher after the first half hour.  
May sold up to 12.46 and at mid-day sold at 12.43. Prices generally were two to six points net higher.

## N. Y. STOCK LIST

(Courtesy of E. A. Pierce & Co., Wilson, N. C., Phone 313)  
Mch. . . . . 12.57 12.58 12.56  
May . . . . . 12.38 12.41 12.38  
July . . . . . 12.26 12.26 12.26  
Oct. . . . . 11.79 11.80 11.82  
Dec. . . . . 11.78 11.74 11.78  
Jan. . . . . 11.78 11.73 11.78

## 2:00 P. M. QUOTATIONS

- American Radiator 27
- American Telephone 11
- American Tobacco 86
- Atlantic Coast Line 50 1-8
- Atlantic Refining 34
- Bendix Aviation 28 3-4
- Bethlehem Steel 87 3-8
- Chrysler 133 7-8
- Columbia Gas and Elec. 18
- Commercial Solvent 19
- Continental Oil 16 5-8
- DuPont 174 3-4
- Electric Power Light 23 1-4
- General Electric 60 3-8
- General Motors 67 7-8
- Leggett and Myers 112 1-4
- Montgomery 64
- Southern Railway 34 1-8
- Standard Oil 73 1-2

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- Otis Steel 20 3-8
- Western Union 77
- Radio 12
- Simmons 53 5-8
- Standard Brands 15 5-8
- Packard 12
- International Telephone 15 1-2
- Anaconda 57 3-8
- U. S. Steel 105
- Reynold: 55 1-2

## Naval Lieutenant Says Wife Attacked



Naval Lieut. Bennett S. Copping (above), stationed in Honolulu, Hawaii, reported to police that his wife was criminally assaulted in their hotel by an unidentified white man. A physician reported, however, that two examinations indicated she had not been attacked and the case took a baffling turn. (Associated Press Photo)

- White Motors 31 7-8
- Texas Gulf Sulphur 40 1-2
- Lorillard 26 1-4
- Texas Corporation 54 1-2
- United Corp. 6 7-8
- Elec. Bond and Share 25 5-8
- American Radiator 27 5-8
- Seaboard 1 7-8
- Commercial Solvent 18 7-8
- Consolidated Oil 16 5-8
- N. K. V. Co. 23 3-4
- American Woolen 13
- Warner Pictures 15 5-8
- Paramount Pictures 26 3-8
- Southern Ry. 33 7-8

## STATE-COUNTY CONTROLLED LIQUOR STORES APPROVED

(Continued from page one)  
system adopted but wanted things to remain as they now are in the state, most observers here agree today.  
A second reason for their defeat was that almost without exception

the advocates of the referendum amendment frankly admitted that prohibition has failed, that conditions in so-called "dry" counties of the state are almost intolerable, but yet were unwilling to try a new method which has proved successful in 17 counties. A third factor in the defeat of the referendum amendment was the fact that two years ago, during the 1935 general assembly, the United Dry Forces fought every move towards a state-wide referendum just as bitterly as they have fought for it this time. Still another factor was the political factor, resulting from the threat by the dry forces that if this bill was enacted without a state-wide referendum that the dry and the Republicans would unite in the "dry" western counties and upset the present Democratic regime in most of them.

Advocates of the present control bill point out that it does provide for four county-wide referenda and that no liquor stores can be located in any county until a majority

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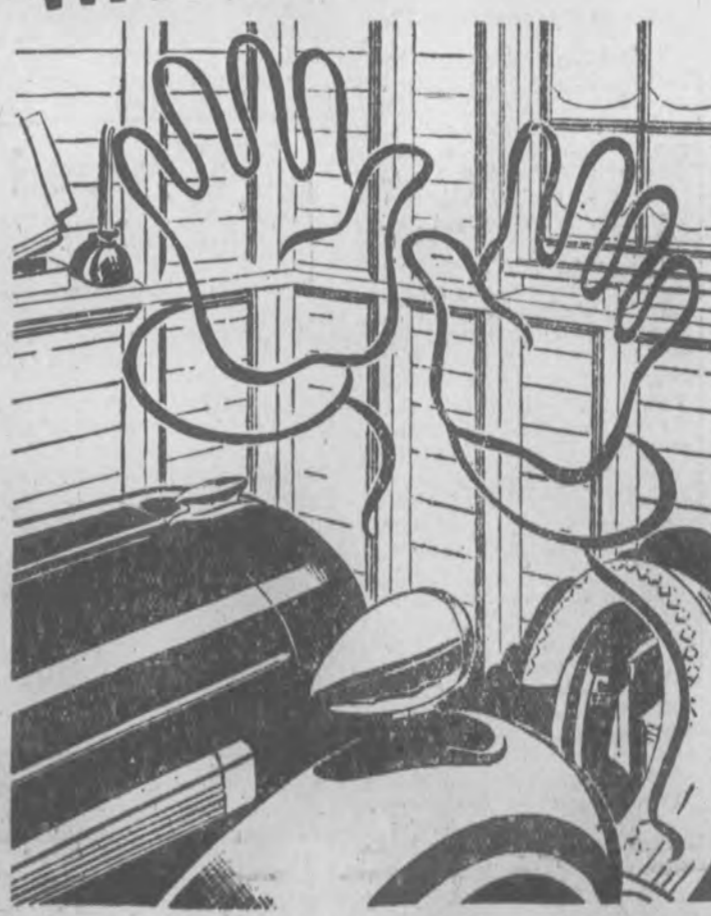
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