WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JANUARY 8, 1955

Supplies Plentiful, Prices Steady:

Good Food Year For Consumers Seen By Prexy Of A & P Stores

A&P Food Stores, said today.

"the food industry achieved s.ibis difficult to anticipate what will happen to food supplies and vities.

Among important changes sumer demand for more "pullwhich made for generally lower in" services, such as ready-to-consumer costs in 1954, the A&P | cook and pro-cooked foods.

that meet prices continued to de- prices, rows cline for the third straight year on the inwest net profit cates in Th addition, prices for butter and the retail industry. Their earnfrom the preceding year.

"If we are to continue the prowe must make real efforts to nar-row the spread between facm and tetail prices. Today, with many penses st'll on the rise, we must money-saving efficiencies seek along the farm-to-market route if we are to achieve better income for producers and lower

puces for consumors. is especially true in the attractive prices to consumers." Mr. Eurger said that the food industry itself had a good year



lood year for the nation's con- in 1954, with sales exceeding even . Mr. Burger, show that the 1955-somers, with supplies plottiful, the backor was of 1953 the bander year of 1953 provement in quality and service, that sales gains are only disir- exceeded in 1954. Among those that sales gains are only desire exceeded in 1954. Among those Relph W Burger, president of able," he cautioned "when they he mentioned were - fresh vege-

stantial improvement in its pro- | He also cautioned against cost-

prices in advance of any growine Factors that tend to jush re-sesson, the approximation and transportation costs and con-Factors that tend to push reand transportation costs and con-

I on the farm or in the super mar-

Mr. Burger said the outlook first super markets offered conpress of the past year, however, far, Burger and a will again indicates that formers will again produce near-record food quantities in 1955. If the actual produce of the foot industry's fixed ex- tion liver up to carrent estimates. I to more than 3,500 and is increas-

ricans are eating better today | tial increase in retail prices bethan ever before."

eating about 30 pounds more per person than in the immediate prear years.

Other preliminary figures, said food and higher prices."

are the result of increased con- tables - 5 per cent; cheese -"During 1954," Mr. Burger self, sumption, rather than increased 36 per cent, eggs - 39 per cent; and chicken -- 79 per cent, In addition to the great growth ducts and services and at the ly competitive practices, such as for the new frozen food business. same time the cost of four to con- excessively long store hours, the ne continued, processors of can-sumers came down. Although it prechandising of non-food lines, hed foods also made increased and expensive promotional acti contributions of better food to the nation's menu. Consumption estimates for 1954 show that Americans ate 26 per cent more canned frutis and 39 per cent more canned veretables than they did

35 level of per capita concumpt-

in the immediate pre-war years. "This is important to the welfore of our nation, for it means

healthful diet," he said. Citing the scores of new proeggs were down substantially ings have little effect on prices ducts that were available to consomers in food stores last year,

> sumers about 1,000 different food items. Today, this number of average food items has swelled yields will be close to those of ing all the time." 1854 which were only slightly be- Today's busy housewife finds ow the ell-time high reached in food is now offered with "built-

expanding population, and both cooked foods are appearing on case of food surpluses which must | fermers and processors are meet- | the market cause of the savings realized

Americans are not only eating through simpler handling and about 13 per cent more food to- | reduced waste and spoilage. Preday than they were in the 1935packaged meats and vegetables 39 period, he said, but this total are a case in point" "We must be careful, however, ncludes more of what used to be

not to push convenience factors insidered "luxury" foods. He said it is estimated that dur- to the point where their cost gets ng 1954 the nation set a new rec- out of hand and unreasonably inord for its consumption of meat, creases the cost of food to the

and 29; Local 4-H School Picnics: County-wide 4-H Picnic June 10, Reedy Creek Fark; County 4-H Mr. Burger said. Calf Show, August 4, Saint Au-"What we need is more good gustine's College: 4-H Achievefood at lower prices, not less ment Day Program, October 27, City Auditorium, Dates for the

Preacher Nabbed On "Indecent" Act Rap

PHILADELPHIA (ANP)-A 29year-old preacher who claimed he wasn't doing anything," was committed to Philadelphia General hospital on a charge of perrming an "indecent act in pu-

charge before a packed courtroom. He said he wasn't "doing anything, Rev. Henry Burdette arjust waiting for his wife to finish rainged before Magistrate Michael Davis by a detective shopping. who charged the middle-aged clergyman was committing

PHILADELPHIA (ANP)-A wel known deacon was held in \$150

bail for court on charges of hav-

ing shot the estranged husband

Ernest Williams 55, was ar-

According to Williams, Pope and

rianged in the shooting of Arthur

condition at a local hospital.

The arresting officer said he

RETURNS TO STATES - A

1-C Donald Yarborough has re-

turned home from Germany af-

ter spending 18 months over-

seas. He was with the 66th Re construction Technical Squad-

ron. Yarborough is planning to send for his wife, Mrs. Macy

Karborough and daughters, Marsha and Donna Marie to come to his camp as soon as ha

A Rose And

A Heart

By WILLIAM HENRY HUFF

(For ANP)

Sweetheart, I'm sending you

Now put it often to your nose

Who ever shall adore you In fact, who shall unto the end

It's not only humane but smart

S. H. Dobson, extension agro-

And please donot destroy it.

Lay bare a heart before you.

I hope you will enjoy it;

It is taken from a friend

is reassigned.

a rose-

an indecency in his parked

automobile. The detective had

been summoned by a pedest-

rian. William Lovelle who also

Burdette smilingly denied the

claimed he saw Burdette.

watched the minister fully five Watson; Secretary, Beatrice Mial, minutes before making the pinch. Assistant Secretary, Pearline Mrs. Burdette, openly shaken Price; Treasurer, James L. Donn; said she Song Leader, Erma Jane Wil-

Adams

clubs are

Four-H Clubs around the coun- a treasurer. Martha Lou Pevion: ty have elected their slate of of- Song Leader, Mary Alice Council ficers for the club year of 1955. " RILEY HILL: President, Dor-Some of the important 4-H actiothy Holden; Vice-president, Lois vities have also been set up on Fay Holden; Secretary, Janet

the calendar such as: 4-H Sun- Carpenter, Assistant Secretary, day Programs, May 1, 8, 15, 22 Margaret Ferrell: Treasurer, Lonell Jones; Song Leader, Mary Catherine Green JEFFRIES GROVE: President, Herman Hunter: Vice-president Annie Woods; Secretary, Pear-Jene Chavis; Assistant Secretary,

Eunice Taylor; Treasurer, Willie Cannady; Song Leaders, Lucille Walker and Gracie Leathers. CARVER: President, Rachel

Bass: Vice-president, Nettie Bass; Secretary, Edna Mae Hall; Assistant Secretary Peggy Ann Perry; Treasurer, Gene T. Lee; Program Committee Chairman, Reuben Hall

J. E. SHEPARD President, Charles Baten, Vice-president Charles Baten; Vice President Charles Jenkins; Secretary, Jewel Hart: Asst. Secretary, J. Privette: Treasurer, Mary A. Todd, Song Leader, Rachel Smith nestine McLain; Treasurer, Agnes GARNER. President, Fredrick Morgan:

Vice-president, Betty Johnson: Secretary, Ruby la Foster: Vice-president, Marie McKinney Assistant, Secretary, Dorothy Marie Leach; Treasurer Marshall; Song Leader, Katie M. Leach.

FUQUAY SPRINGS: President



is shown as he anounced to the closing session of the 11th annual N. C. NAACP convention in Lumberton the donation of \$1,000 to the national NAACP "Fighting Fund For Freedom" (4-F) drive. Morris also read a strongly worded resolution

and founder of the N.C. NAA CP. Official NAACP Photo by J. B. Harren.

State College Extension Dairy Specialists have urged dairyny A Alexander, Mrs. L. L. Graham. not to raise calves for herd zelacements that are from 20WS that produce less that 6000 tor of host church, Rev. J. H. pounds of four per ceap milk or 240 pounds of butterfal annually. Clanton, Rev. J. J. Johnson and T. V. Mangum, former president

25c

95c

A&P FEATURES PLENTYOF DELICIOUS FOODS THAT ARE SIMPLE TO SERVE Libby's Tomato Juice 46-O. Can 29c Sultana Pork & Beans 3 1-Lb. 29c

Morris, Rev. E. B. Turner, pas-

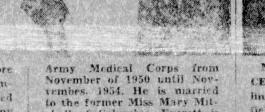
A & P Dried Prunes 1-Lb. Eight O'Clock Coffee 1-Lb. Pkg



LOCAL POST-Dr. Theodore Everett, 26, a native of Colum-

bia. S. C., is now associated with Hamlin's Drug Company chell of Columbia. Everett is the som of Dr. and Mrs. B. A. as a pharmacist. Dr. Everett Everett of Columbia, and is attended Howard University the father of a daughter, where he was graduated from Gaile, 7 months. The Everetts the College of Pharmacy in reside at 312 E. Cabarrus St. 1950. He served in the U.S.

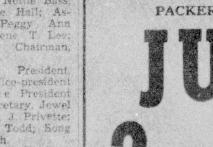
low the all-time high reached in food is now offered with pull-1940. "Agriculture is proving that it can grow plenty of food for our and more ready-to-cook and pre-and more ready-to-cook and precase of food supplices which must be moved into consumption at a price that will insect an adequate return to the producer as well as briger added "As a result, Ame-



schools. Shown in photo (left to right) are J. H. McCollum, state NAACP prexy Kelly

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Pope is the husband of Mrs. MANUFACTURED IN GARNER-NEAR RALEIGH, AND SOLD ALL OVER NORTH CAROLINA. Mary Pope, a tenant in the build-ing of which Deacon Williams is the landlord.



appe ouldn't understand her husband's liam reported action and didn't believe him guilty. "I've never had any

Vice-president, Kathryn Ferrell, Jone Burton, Assistant Secretary, Secretary, Anita Guess; Assistant But Schenkel, Monday, well, you Secretary, Dorotby Womack, Lake it from there fellow. trouble with him before," she

4-H Camp, Federation. Short

are to be announced later.

Course, Sweet Potato Show, etc.

Officers elected in the various

APEX: President, Garland Lee; Vice-president, Louis Adams;

Secretary, Barbara Jones: Assist-ant Secretary, Bessie Grimsley; Treasurer, Dorothy Page; Song Leader, Mary Farrar.

HOLLY SPRINGS: President,

Mable Cofield; Vice-president,

David McLain; Secretary, Grace

Bullock; Assistant Secretary, Er-

Judd; Song Leader, Benjamin

LOCKHART: President, Priscil-

CARY: President, Willie Payne; William Burton; Secretary, Ar

Madge

Magistrate Davis ordered the minister to have a mental exami-Jail Parents Of Girl Who **Died While They Prayed**

LITTLE ROCK (ANP)-Police in Christ when he was told that here were holding on an open Lora Mae was very ill. He went charge, the parents of a 10-year- home and was followed by a big old girl who died while they and part of the congregation. their friends prayed for her re-covery. group began praying for the re-covery of the youngsters.

Lt. J. H. Shirley said that patrolmen went to the home of William and Mary Hart and found Lora Mae Hart, who apparently was dead, and three ill children. Police said the parents refused to take the children to a hospital.

less death.

Cancer seemed

kindly, almost

like the prelimi-

nary coming of

the Angel of

Death to say,

At first, the family refused to take the children to a hospital. When officers left in seacrh of juvenile authorities. who could order that the children get treatment, the family took the three to University hospital.

Later, in between tests being William, Jr., 15; David, 13, and Mary, 12 were all running 100- run on the children, the young-degree temperatures, after being sters disappeared. Police found taken to University hospital here, them with their parents at the Hart, 40, was reportedly attend- Church of God in Christ and took ing services at the Church of God, them back to the hospital.

Cancer Is My Friend

By Rev. Daniel A. Lord, Author and Lociuses

"IT'S CANCER," said the dos- | FOR DEATH IS NOT THE END tors, "cancer of the lungs." but the beginning of the only My question was ineviable. life which can satisfy the restless, limitless, glorious cravings "How long will I live?" They wanted to make # as of our immortal souls. God They wanted to mast h as casy as possible. And yst what could they say? "Who knows? There is no predicting with sances."

The realization that one has I WAS RELIEVED. I had say cancer sharpens one's whole pected to die some day of heart | trouble. or a stroke, and I outlook on life; the earth is more dreaded that I beautiful, the sky a little clearer. and every moment of the day sudden and perhaps sacramentprecious, a thing to be hoarded

I am glad that America is 1.00 5 cancer conscious. But when I read that cancer is man's worst enemy, I am not so sure. I cannot quite understand the appalling fear of cancer. I have known so many who died gracefully from it: my priest friend

"Not guite yet. Lord You've time to who, with cancer of the tongue. do some thinking and praying went quietly to his room, spent and straightening out of life's months becoming a saint and ledgers." I had always, in the died with a smile; the dean of Litany of the Saints, said with a woman's college who ran the great feeling. "From a sudden school from her bed, held inter-and unprovided death, O Lord, views, pushed forward the coldeliver me." lege's development, and served

I cannot but feel that the almost better sick from cancer dread of cancer is greatly ex- than in the full bloom of her

aggerated. People with cancer health. often live long and sturdily. Cancer does not necessarily things we dread to draw us withdraw a man from his nor- closer to Him. Since we must mal routine. Since we all must die and since death is really the die, God is kindly when He sends | entrance into life, I am persona messenger in advance with a ally glad that cancer, the kindly gentle but emphatic warning. messenger, came quite a bit in Surely we can all use a little advance. For life seems sweettime to get ready for the Judge- est when it melts gently into the Life that is our Eternal Promise. ment. * Paulist Fratara Service, Washington 17, D. C.