

WITH THE ARMED FORCES

Army Specialist Third Class John W. Dunlap, son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Dunlap, star route, Carthage, took part in the 18th Infantry Regiment's Organization Day ceremonies at Fort Riley, Kan., June 22.

Part of the 1st Infantry Division, the regiment celebrated its 95th birthday with a parade and athletic competitions.

A squad leader in the regiment's Company I, Specialist Dunlap entered the Army in 1942. He holds the Combat Infantryman Badge, Purple Heart and the Good Conduct Medal.

Dunlap, whose wife, Ruth, lives in Junction City, Kan., was a farmer in civilian life.

U. S. farmers placed 300 million pounds of the 1955 peanut crop under support programs.

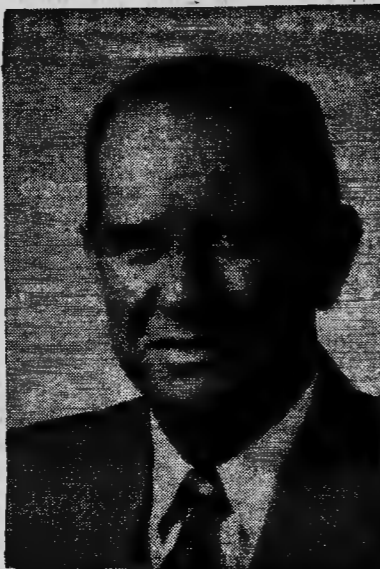
Moore Legislators View Special Session

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ed in the Pearsall Committee's report of April 5, 1956.

The committee recommended that (1) public funds be made available to parents to send their children to private schools when their children cannot be conveniently assigned to a non-mixed public school, and (2) that authority be granted for any local unit created pursuant to law and under conditions to be prescribed by the General Assembly, to suspend by majority vote the operation of the public schools in that unit.

In making the report the committee suggested that North Carolina would not support integrated public schools. "The General Assembly would withhold support to a degree that the result would certainly be the ruin and eventual abandonment of the



SENATOR CURRIE



REPRESENTATIVE BLUE

public schools," the committee report said.

In the past two or three weeks several prominent leaders in North Carolina have voiced reservations about the committee recommendations which will, in all probability, be used as a basis for the proposed constitutional amendments though several members of the committee said nothing definite had been decided.

One, Irving Carlyle, a former State Senator, differed with the committee's belief that the public would not support mixed schools with tax money. The legality of using public funds for children to attend private schools, he said, is "extremely doubtful."

The executive committee of the North Carolina Congress of Parents and Teachers (PTA) said two weeks ago that any bill which would abolish the state's compulsory school attendance law would strike at the very foundations of the public school system.

R. Mayne Albright, an outstanding attorney of the state, one-time candidate for governor, and now president of the University of North Carolina. Alumni Association, has taken a similar stand along with Carlyle and the PTA.

What about Moore County's representatives in the Legislature?

Currie, who was a State Senator in 1943 and 1947, and a member of the House of Representatives in 1945, was appointed this year to take the place of resigned J. Hawley Poole of West End. He has not had a great deal of time for serious thinking about the Pearsall Report.

He is personally acquainted with most of the members of the committee and has said he is confident that the committee has given much time and study to the problem that the Supreme Court decision brought on.

"The problem is far-reaching and, I would assure you, the state has not had a more serious one in my lifetime," he said last week. "As it stands right now, I would be inclined to go along generally with what the committee recommended in its initial report."

Senator Currie said, however, that it was his impression that the committee had made no firm recommendations as to the exact wording that any constitutional amendments might take. He is a strong supporter of Governor Hodges and feels the Governor has taken the right course in appointing a committee to study the

entire school segregation problem.

Blue, who was a member of the General Assembly's Constitutional Amendments Committee and the Education Committee last year and consequently will be on the same committee again during the special session, has, on the other hand, given a great deal of time and study to the committee report.

"There is no doubt at all in my mind," he says, "that the public school system of North Carolina will be saved. I am not in agreement with the Carlyle approach to the questions that the Legislature will be faced with later this month."

Blue said an act passed by the Legislature last year, the Pupil Assignment Act, will be a tremendous factor in solving the segregation problems and keeping down controversies.

Under provisions of that act a community that wants to integrate the public school system will be allowed to. The act, which also strengthens laws regarding supervision of non-public schools by the State Department of Education, will Blue thinks, probably do more to cope with the problem posed by the Supreme Court decision than will the proposed legislation which will probably be presented to the special session of the Legislature.

"In my opinion," he said, "there will be very little use made of private schools in the state, no matter what the legislation. School officials will first make use of the Pupil Assignment Act, which allows district school officials to assign pupils to other schools within the county."

Asked about the possibility of some schools being closed because of "intolerable situations," Blue said that Negroes won't in

his opinion, want to go to the white schools in the first place, thereby making 'intolerable situations' rare.

"The Negroes in this state have good schools on the whole. Some of them are better than the white schools. Others will get better," he said.

The Pearsall Report represents "sound thinking" to the veteran legislator. "The first report they made, which outlined the difficult problems the state is now faced with and tentative recommendations to solve those problems, was a good approach," he said.

"So far as the proposed legislation that the General Assembly will be asked to consider, I cannot comment because I haven't seen the proposals.

"But I intend seeing them and studying them at one of the area

meetings the committee and Governor Hodges called.

"There might be some changes suggested in any such proposals. I expect there will be. And I know there will be comments and suggestions."

Neither of the legislators would hazard a guess as to how long the special session would last. Currie said he hoped it wouldn't last

long, but that full and complete study should be given the proposals. Blue said he was hopeful the session would be over in a week, but was doubtful that it would be. "We shouldn't rush such legislation, however," he said, "and if the people want hearings, they should by all means have them. The problem belongs to everyone."

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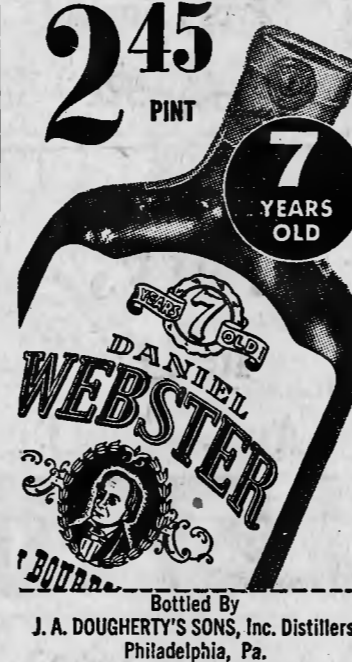
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