# Oil Now Operating ading Gas Service

Seek Missing Boy

BELIEVED by his father to have be-

come tired of school, Peter P. Theg (above), 17, missing from his home

in Waban, Mass., is being sought by

police. The boy left home April 15,

Panama To Make Bid

For Tourist Trade

id not return.

resumably to attend a theatre, and

PANAMA CITY, Panama-That

Panama will make a strong bid for

American tourist trade in the fu-

ture is seen in the report that an

official tourist bureau will be open-

ed soon by this Government on

Mrs. Agnes Wilcox Trapnell,

chief of Panama's Travel Depart-

ment is now in the United States,

where she will spend a year or-

Since 1937, Mrs. Trapnell has

ganizing the new office and super-

ntending its initial work.

Park Avenue in New York City.

(International)

any of New Jerinue to serve the through the Esnow located at eet in Ashevilleviceman for the ice, is remaining store and will d could handle et at lower bot-

with better

NACES



EATING

NG COMPANY

been actively promoting Panama as the vacation spot of the tropics. Believed to be the first woman head PAYMENT of any official government tourist she has pioneered in sponsoring conducted, all-expense trips,

Brading to drop her business activities. Mr. Brading began work May 1 with the Essotane depart-58 Broadway ment, whose headquarters are in school will present a three-act gram of the latter. Another per-



on Friendly for the last words in sport "Hubba Hubbubs," Friendly Saddle-Boys t the conversation started.





### Food Prices Had Steady Rise During Past Month

WASHINGTON (A)-The agriculture department reported Thursday a general rise in food prices between March 15 and April 15 with butter a major exception.

The department also said in a monthly report on agriculture prices that parity, on which government commodity price supports are based pushed up "a little further" as prices paid by farmers rose slightly.

The lower prices farmers received for meats, dairy products and grain foods, the report said, more than offset increases in prices for corn and several other farm commodities.

### 8 Miners Killed By Explosion

TERRE HAUTE, Ind. (A)-Eight of 11 men working in the Spring Hill coal mine near here were killed by an explosion Wednesday. Bodies of the dead, all brought

to the surface during the night were identified. Dr. C. L. Puckett, mine physician, said none of the bodies showed any signs of burns but that

one man's head was crushed. Rescue squads said the bodies found about 15 feet apart, indicated the men were walking toward the shaft when the explosion occurred.

### Greece Extends Her Thanks To Truman

cently:

that every dollar allotted to Greece goods. will be appreciated as a symbol of the supreme industriousness of the which it was intended."

The premier's declaration will can aid will be wasted and possibly bureau in this part of the world, fall into the hands of speculators.

### Senior Play At Clyde High School Tonight

Charlotte. They will continue to comedy, "Ma Simpkins of Simp- formance was given in the high make their home in Waynesville, kinsville," at 8 o'clock tonight in school auditorium on Wednesday the school auditorium.

Members of the cast are Aileen Francis, Margaret Cole, Susie Cockrell, Josephine McCracken, Bonnie Sorrells, Ruth Hall, E. G. Hall, Jr., Paul Leatherwood, Chas. Hannah and Charles C. Lowery.

### MOUNTAIN NAMES STIR UP DISCUSSION

newcomer would be a girl and she ger. would be christened Sierra. The Playing the part of sunflowers stork crossed them up and deliv- were Ted Rogers, Robin Crittenered another boy and they were den, Dickie Boyd, Stanley Williamstymied for a while but finally son, Buster Greene, Bill Crawford, came up with Sandy.

wisecrackers had driven them al- Mehaffey and Sonny Miller. most crazy by calling up with suggestions that included Candy, High, ence McBride, Ann Lane Critten-Ozark, Red, Stoney and Happy.

A battery in a motor car is called an accumulator by the British.

FOR SALE - Well-established. small, going business in heart of mer. Asheville. Can be seen at 31 N. Lexington Ave. NOTICE OF SERVICE OF

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION IN SUPERIOR COURT STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF HAYWOOD HAROLD F. RICKMAN

BETTY JO RICKMAN

The defendant above named will take notice that the plaintiff has commenced an action against her in the superior court of Haywood County for an absolute divorce on the grounds of impotency. The defendant iwll take notice that she is required to be and appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Haywood County not later than twenty days from the 23rd day of May, 1947 and answer or demur to the complaint or the relief sought will be demanded by the plaintiff.

This the 1st day of May, 1947. DIXIE CAMPBELL Asst. Clerk of Superior Court

1626-May 2-9-16-23

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE Having qualified as Administrators of the Estate of Z. V. Ferguson, late a resident of Haywood Carl Mundy, Charles Davenport, County, N. C., this is to notify all Patsy Bryson, Lynda Welch, Marpersons indebted to said Estate to guerite Leatherwood, Ann Coman make immediate settlement with Crawford, Sarah Dee Brown, June the undersigned and to notify all Davis, Donna Jo Queen and Barpersons having claims against said bara Teague. Estate to file the same with the undersigned on or before the 1st Jack McElroy, Teddy Caldwell, day of May, 1948, or this notice will be pleaded in bar thereof.

This May 1st, 1947. MARK M. FERGUSON. HUGH B. FERGUSON, Administrators of Z. V. Fergu-May 2-9-16-23-30 on, deceased June 6

# Miss Your Swiss? It's Back!



SWISS ORGANDIE . . . Missing since the war, this favorite IMPORTED FROSTING . . . Frothing self-ruffles trim the frills and cut-out embroidery.

By DOROTHY ROE Associated Press Fashion Editor

There are fine organdies, both styles are especially effective.

organdie is available in blouses usually are made with only self-Back after a five-year absence either tailored or frilly, but al- ruffles or bows as trimming. ATHENS (P) - Premier Deme- are Switzerland's matchless sheer ways crisp and fresh as a frosting. Fine Swiss batistes, the longtrios Maximos told parliament re- cotton fabrics, available in blouses, for spring and summer suits. Some time standby for hand-embroid- broidered organdies are appearing dainty graduation and dance frocks are so lovely that they may be ered blouses trimmed in real lace, only in high-style ready-made gar "We assure President Truman and, in limited supply, in piece worn as evening blouses, with a are on hand again this spring, in ments, long evening skirt. Embroidered dainty new versions. Hely

don't DO that!

TRAVEL ERROR . . . Don't wear

a large, befeathered hat on a

train or plane. It may look all

right at a tea party, but it will

annoy your fellow travelers.

MASONS WILL MEET

sheer is back in exquisite blouses such as this, with pin-tucks, front of this dainty blouse in floral shadow print Swiss organdie. Note full sleeves, wrist ruffles

The famous transparent Swiss rative in their own right that they organdies and batistes are less

American people and will be used embossed and plain, batistes, em- The new shadow-printed organ- plied with the transparent permaexclusively for the purposes for broidered sheers and novelty dies come in all-over lace effects nent finish organdies in white and

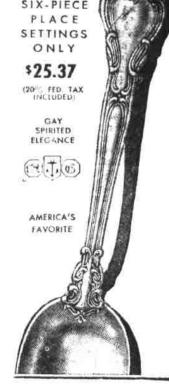
or floral designs, and are so deco- pastel shades. The shadow-print plentiful, but can be found in a

Helvetian voiles, with semisoft versions in both solid and cut-out Piece goods counters throughout transparent finish and in nevelty the country are fairly well sup-self-patterned weaves, are due to reappear on the American market some months from now

- Slack's-

LOST COAT LOCKED UP HUNTINGTON, W. Va .-- (AP)-Paul Midkiff's coat was stolen from a cafe. Days låter an anonymous telephone call informed him he would receive a letter with instructions for finding the coat. The letter arrived with a key to a locker at a railway station. The coat was OLD-WORLD CHARM





E. J. LILIUS **JEWELER** 

## The premier's declaration will be interpreted as an answer to the Central Elementary Operetta Drew have said that the proposed Ameri- Large Audience, Financial Success

A full house gave attention and appreciation to the presentation of an operetta, "Awake, Tis May." given at the high school auditorium by the students of Central Elementary on Tuesday evening, as a The senior class of Clyde high benefit for the school lunch pro-

With colorful costumes the roles well cast and the students well Chambers, Lucille Mann, Margaret trained, the presentation was both pleasing and entertaining, with its more than 100 children taking part.

Miss Stephanie Moore, district school teacher and the members of the faculty of Central Elementary directed and trained the cast.

Elizabeth Elliott, young daughter DENVER (AP) - When a first of the Rev. and Mrs. L. G. Elchild was born two years ago to liott took the part of the flower Mr. and Mrs. Walt Mountain, they queen; Florence Ann Bowles, the named him Rocky after a mini- daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Bowles, the fairy queen; and Flor-Expecting a second child re- rie Patrick, daughter of Mr. and cently, they had it all figured the Mrs. J. C. Patrick, fairy messen-

Jimmie Kelley, Jimmy Plott, Bob-But not before well-wishers and by Moody, Johnny Edwards, Clifton

Cast as seed fairies were Flor-Bobbie Caldwell, Susan den. Woodward, Polly Parker, Betty Barber, Ann Ruff, June Phillips, Mary White, Martha Sue Truitt, Mary Sue Kelley and Dottie Rhy-

May 2-6 cer, Charles Miller, Lynn Truitt, retary Wilbur L. McIver announced evolves new dishes and recipes vin Gilliland, Joe Young, Jimmy the session. Neal, Joe Jack Caldwell and Howell Reece.

Dewdrop fairies were Juanita McDaniels, Betty Jean Hoglen, Dale Hall, Barbara Ann Nichols, Mary Sue Grasty, Patsy Leatherwood Norma Rogers, Betty Sue Mehaffey, Myrtle Sutton, Carolyn Young and Shelba Jean Edwards.

Rose Chorus: Elizabeth Ann Watkins, Judy Cabe, Jeannette Davis, Marcia Lance, Betty Sue Hill, Margaret Ferguson, Betty Joe Shope, Mary Ruby McDaniel, Juanita Gaddis, Dorothy McBride, Nina Frazier, Marlene Moody and Betty Sutton.

Other flowers were Marguerite Russ, Clara Jean Pless, Shelby Parham, Anne Mitchell, Dona Joe Blanton, Grace Rich, Peggy Marcus, Gail Nichols, Bobby Jean Shelton, Margaret Kinsland, Patricia Patton, Patsy McDaniel and Sandra Messer. Gardners were Billy Rogers, Da-

vid Felmet, Dale Ratcliff, Charles Messer, Neil Howell, Joe Boyd, Bees were Harold Reece, Jo

James Howell, George Wilson, George Williamson, Doyle Corwin, Buddy Noland, Billy Schulhofer, Kenneth Davenport, Charles Oarker and Donald Miller.

Americans use some 600 million pounds of waxed paper annually.

### Court Asked To Close Tent Meeting In Charlotte

CHARLOTTE (A) - Property owners of Davis Park, a residential section of Charlotte, asked superior court Thursday to issue an injunction against the holding of religious meetings in a tent in the area, contending that the meetings con-stitute a nuisance. They also asked \$500 damages from Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Baldwin owners of the lot on which the tent is located.

In their complaint, the petitioners asserted that the Baldwins were 'using the tent as a building, holding tent gatherings connected with 'holy roller' religion or similar practices whereby great noise and disturbance occur during the day and as late as 10:45 at night, causing large automobile traffic, horn noises, fire hazards, health and sanitation hazards."

The complaint alleged also that there have been instances of loud singing and noises, and asserted that residents could not sleep on account of the noise.

### WANNA BE A FISH TASTER?

BOSTON, Mass. - (AP) - Girl stenographers make the best "fish tasters" because their instant facial reaction to food speaks louder than words,

"Men," says Harold E. Crowther, "are too deadpan

Crowther, as director of the At-RALEIGH (AP)-The Grand lodge lantic Coast Fisheries Company of North Carolina Masons will hold research laboratories, uses "tastits 160th annual communication ers" to test fish sauces, fillets and here April 15 and 16, Grand Sec- other seafood as he constantly

"Women," he explains, "par-Jack Nichols, Johnny Allen, Rob- recently. Grandmaster William L. ticularly stenographers and secbie Woodard, Luscious Jones, Al- Bundy, of Greenville, will address retaries, are more critical than men in their comments, too





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