## It Takes A Lot Of

 Hustle To Be GovernorOnly those in public life, or those closely associated with it, can appreciate the time
Take the office of governor, for example. It is a "steady grind" day in and day out,
with the public demanding public appearwith the public demanding public appearance speeches, and other things whice to do in addition
ficials are expected to ficials are expected
rying on the duties of their office
rying on the duties of their office.
Woodrow Price, writing in The Raleigh Woodrow Price, writing in The Raleigh
News and Observer, gave an account of one day in the life of Governor Lather Hodges. Price said the governor needed an elastic day-one with more hours. And, he contime, we're going to have to start electing time, we're going to have to start electing two Chief Executives, Maybe three. The contain Governor Hodges.
On this particular day which Price wrote about, the governor was up at 7, after getabout, the governor in late the night before from Charlotte. Before 10 he was pulling the whistle cord of a diesel near Fayetteville, as part of a made the dedication address. He left early made the dedication address. He left early
to get to Dunn, where he picked up Mrs. Hodges and went on to a Baptist gathering in Sampson county 10 miles away. He got there few minutes before noon, made a $15-\mathrm{min}$ icipated in the pienic dinner
Right after lunch he was whisked away to
nearby school, where he spoke for five minutes to the students. It was 2 o'clock when he left the school.
At $2: 30$ he was back in Dunn, where a re-
ception was slated for 4 oclock. The governor took a brief nap, then shaved, put on At 5:30 he left for Angier's high school, where he ate supper and made a brief talk before 150 people.
From Angier he headed for Buies Creek tes before the evening performance of "Th Highland Call", a Paul Green production. He and Mrs. Hodges obliged the audience with some autographs, and then the governor made a few remarks before the drama eegoy
The governor and Mrs. Hodges enjoyed the drama, but were cold and tired, so they left at intermission, and arrived back home at $10: 20$.
Another day for the chief executive. He had been a fireman, made five talks, attend-
ed a reception, and saw part of an outdoor ed a reception, and saw part of an outdoor
drama. He had made one talk to industrialists, one to church folk, one to students, one
to a civic group and the last to the drama audience.
All the governor seems to need is a few

## THE MOUNTAINEER



A Timely, And Important Conference

The joint conference heid last week between highway officials of North Carolina, was not only timely, but we feel, essential to was not only timely, but we feel, essential to
the furtherance of the highway program in the furthe
this area.
The three groups sat around the conference table, and in a matter of an hour and a half, were able to discuss the project of a highway linki. Tennessee.
nd Tennessee.
The conference saved much time, gave everyone an opportunity to participate in the discussion, and certainly arrive at a beter understanding of the project. The conference afforded an opportunity for every-
one to learn first-hand how the others felt one to learn first-hand how the others felt
on the subject, and to clear up any point on the subject, and to clear up any point
which had been the least bit hazy until that which
time.

From all observations, it would appear the Bureau of Public Roads has the fullest conidence in the professional ability and integ the two states
We are gratified that the conference was held, and we think the session will prove to be the means of expediting the pending program many months ahead of what wo
have been possible without the meeting.

## Cold War On South

號 New York Herald Tribune. The Herald Tribune sent Mr. Homer Bigart, its celebrated he South (including Charleston). The.first three of his articles have been sent out by
The Herald Tribune Syndicate to other editors who are being invited to buy and print hem in their papers
The articles are written with an obvious to accept integration in the schools. It lumps them as "white-supremacists,"
Mr . Bigart, an able writer and a pleasant person, came South with an already firmly North, a Southerner holding a firm opinion
favor of segregation is called "prejuYribune picked a war correspondent to re port on race tension in the Sooth. The campaign is being conductece on the orrier
cold
war-_Charleston News and
Courier

Maybe 1955 Will Re Recorded 'Stupendous'

## earth, but it does seem that we have had

 The bumper crops of tomatoes, potatoe inning tremendous, and now we are beginning to have examples of June applesripening in October, and while one tree was But the fowls of the area are not to be outdone. They too are going into the producwith two yolks are in evidence. Of course, the fishermen had a good yea
with many extra large ones being caught. with many extra large ones being caught.
Now we wait patiently for the bear and deer season to open to get something out of the ordinary from that group, and then we
be about ready for Halloween, and the many oddities which it always serves.

Looking Back Through The Years


Just Looking Around


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| sting entertainment feature | Jan |  |
| would do well to get in touch with and |  |  |
| loochee. This talented school Am |  | Miss Ray Ballard-"The Parkway around Craggy where tain ash is so lovely. |
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| will be talked about a long time af ter the recent World Series is forgotten. |  |  |
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| gotten. White is a native of Walker: |  |  |
| town, of the Piedmont area, but you would never know it it this | $\left.\right\|_{\text {eve }} ^{\text {by }}$ | around Lake Logan.". |
| personably young lady did not tell you. She can qualify for a 100 per cent mountaineer-when she plays the role. |  |  |
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| After finishnig high school she | ast |  |
| entered Western Carolina College and there "picked up" the dialect |  |  |
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| of true mountain lingo. So perfect was it that she once had her own |  |  |
| radio show, where she refused to use prepared copy. She literally |  |  |
| "threw herself" Into the act, asshe did Friday, and kept her audi- |  |  |
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| ence's attention every minute of the time. |  |  |
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| She possesses a keen ries with humor, and tells her stories |  |  |
| enthusiasm and realism <br> "I learned to say 'ain't, thar youins, and plenty of double nega- |  |  |
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## tors in the audience, felt she was talking about heaven. <br> tions going and growing. In 1954 it took $\$ 175$ billion worth. This wa the investment necessary for manufacturers to

talking about heaven,
Along with Mrs. White was 1 tt
the investment necessary for manufacturers to produce goods and
keeple employed.
ings, toots and machines. Inventories ach was tied up in land, build received but not yet pald for-came to $\$ 23.8$ billion. Cash on hand
invested in U. S. Government


## Voice of he People <br> Voice of the People

This Is The L $\mathbf{A} \mathbf{W}$

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| 1950, |  |

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## Rambling 'Rour <br> By Frances Gillert Frazies

| inition: "Axiom . . . Statement of a self evident also goes for a bill on the first of the month <br> Id be called a fantasy or a sermon. but whatere gives one pause for thought. We heard it ove and we're passing it on to you. <br> was very disgusted because visitors to the fy sty with up-lifted noses, and completely is went right on and raved about the cow grazing $h$ the pig went to the cow for an explanation t no one ever admires me or thanks me for whit it wasn't for me? And all you ever give them is aised her gentle brown eyes and said softly: Y he good things you mentioned but you must ne I'm alive'." <br> d in passing: "The air this morning is sort d |
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## eneer say can never be repeated, good or bad



