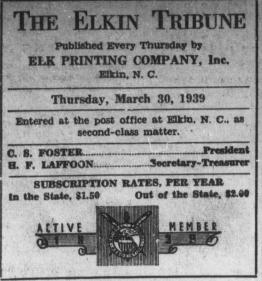
THE ELKIN TRIBUNE, ELKIN, NORTH CAROLINA

Thursday. March 30, 1939



Happy thought! Some fellow proposes to punish bootleggers by making them drink their own liquor.

Add to list of those with a contorted view of wealth: The fellow who lists your property for taxation.

If so many peddlers weren't knocking at doors these days, maybe Opportunity would get a friendlier reception.

If and when they finally build that Florida canal, maybe our ship won't have such a hard time coming in.

It appears that every way Hiller turns, he finds a bunch of Germans to protect. Which is another good reason why we should send ours back home.

With the reorganization bill stripped of so many agencies that are not to be pester-ed, the President won't find much left to reorganize.

Robert Quillen thinks "if he is calm in old age, you can't tell whether he has grown wise or indifferent, or no longer knows what it's all about."

### Washing Behind Our Ears

There are a few shivers left from old Winter, yes, but Spring is just beyond the bend, and most of us will feel the urge to tidy up the premises, if for no better reason than to keep step with the madame in her "Spring cleaning"—if you get what we mean. And you do for it is that period when everything is moved to the opposite side of the room and when not even the collar button is where it ought to be.

All of which is by way of saying that this "clean up" business is quite worthwhile and from various angles. It is essential to good health; every dime or hour spent in the process is a good investment because it enhances values; and it is good for the soul because cleanliness is next to godliness.

It is remarkable what a little paint will do toward making the premises more attractive. (And we are not advertising paint either.) And when you add to the attractiveness the protection against the weather that paint affords, you have two mighty good reasons why it should be applied.

And what the individual does for his premises, the town should do for its streets and those properties for which it is responsible. A clean town makes for good public health, and just as obviously, in many, many ways, its attractiveness may be translated into profitable assets. But first-off the municipality must depend on away from another effort to reorganize the the individual for that co-operation which executive branch of the government after Miss Frances Coram, of Mount BELK'S TO GIVE AWAY

far without the shedding of any blood. But the more he bites off the harder it will be on his digestion, and it may turn out that his widened domain will prove his own un-Winners Will doing.

But this piece has no purpose to moral-ize. We're talking about the European crazy quilt and how it got that way. And

no discussion of cause and effect is complete without the compelling observation that to all appearances British and French states-manship has willingly if not purposely aided and abetted Hitler in his ambitions. In the first place Britain's monied class has leaned toward Hitler on the theory that here was potential prospect of trade; British big-wigs Johnson, with Miss Lena Sale as preferred German ideology to communism and caused British policies to veer away from Russia.

Then came the certainty that Hitler had no intention of delivering, and so Britain must court Russia again. And thus it was through the rape of Ethiopia and the trampling of Spain. A positive stand on either of these issues would have left no problem such as the democracies are facing today. And map-makers would not be in such an embarrassing quandary.

## **Politics and Justice**

The General Asembly had before it a bill calling for the creation of a county court for Wilkes county. It was approved by members of the bar of that county, both Democrats and Republicans, who thought they saw in it relief from the congested court dockets that average around 600 givil court dockets that average around 600 civil and 250 criminal cases, many of which could be settled in an inferior court.

But a legislative committee turned it down, either because the Wilkes Democratic dents have made an excellent chairman and Sheriff Doughton opposed it showing. In order to have the because Senator Charlie Cowles, a Repub- school represented lican, introduced the bill. Either way you look at it, it is not what you would call good democratic procedure.

It would seem that if county courts are good for Democratic counties, they bught also be worthwhile for Republican counties. That there is congestion in the Wilkes courts must be admitted by anyon, who contacts them. Judge Wilson Warlick has sensed the need of a county court and said

so, and others endorsing the move offered as evidence of its need the fact that there are cases on the docket in which Dick Hackett, long since dead, and Judge Johnson J. Hayes, now on the federal bench for more than ten years, are listed as attorneys in pending action.

Maybe a county court wouldn't help much, maybe it would help a great deal. We're only pointing out that here is a sit-uation in which politics is involved—deeply involved. And in a sphere in which there should be no politics. There is nothing to indicate that the legislative committee handling the matter considered it on its Such a court either is or is not a merits. good thing for Wilkes county. What the committee was concerned about was whether its establishment would be good politics, and because it was opposed by the Democratic county chairman, it was turned down.

This is none of our business, of course, but in addition to our neighborly interest in the common desire to see democratic processes work and the hope that eventually the dominant party in North Carolina will rise above politics when it concerns itself with the courts of justice.

## The Why and Wherefore

A less determined and hard-headed man than President Roosevelt would have shied days with the flu.

Be Known Friday

Contestants in the triangular debate between Elkin, Wilkesboro and Mt. Airy will meet on neutral ground Friday to decide the winners to represent the schools in the state contest.

The negative team, compos alternate, will go to Wilkesboro, accompanied by their coach, Miss Elizabeth Anderson, to debate with the Mt. Airy affirmative.

Miss Edith Fox and Sam Gambill, affirmative, with Miss Frances Alexander as alternate, will go to Mt. Airy to debate with Wilkesboro's negative. They will be accompanied by their coach. Miss Lena Lewis.

Wilkesboro and Mt. Airy will debate here in the elementary school auditorium at 1:45 on Friday, which is the hour set for each of the contests in the triangle. Wilkesboro's affirmative. J. B. Brookshire and Baxter Davis, will debate with Mt. Airy's negative, Eugene Smith, Jr., and Adelaide Bunker

The subject for debate this is "Resolved: That the year United States should form an alliance with Great Britain."

This is the seventh consecutive year that Elkin has entered the debate and each time the stuin the state finals both the affirmative and negative teams must win in the triangle.

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# Superlatives Selected by Senior Class

## **NEWS GIVEN OF DOBSON CHARGE**

Rev. W. A. Lambeth, presiding elder of the Dobson charge of the

Methodist church, will hold the Second Quarterly Conference for the year, at Pleasant Ridge church, April 2, at 11 a.m. All by the membership of the 1939 members of the conference are graduating class of the local high expected to attend. The public is cordially invited to hear Dr. Lambeth and to attend the con-

ference following his message. Easter services will be held in each of the five churches in the charge at the following places and times: Pleasant Ridge, April 7 (Friday) at 7:30; Stony Knoll, April 8 (Saturday) at 7:30: Rockford, Easter Sunday, at 10 a.m. Siloam, Easter Sunday, at 10 a.m., and Dobson, Easter Sunday, at 7:30 p.m. Each of the services will be concluded with a service of consecration, by the use of candles. A free will offering will be placed on the table at the close of each service, which

The public is cordially invited to these services. Rev. O. P. Routh

will go to the Children's Home

Funeral services were held at East Bend Methodist church

Thursday afternoon for Rev. Orion P. Routh, who died near East Bend Wednesday, age 71, Burial was in the Baptist church cemetery. the

Rev. Mr. Routh served pastorboy ates at East Bend, Jonesville and other places in this section. He has been retired for sometime. Survivors include the widow

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Baby Chicks - U. S. Approved Pullorum Tested. They will really live and make money for you. Bunch Hatchery, State

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hayes and family, of Elkin, visited relatives Hugh Transou, Alvis Hobson Superlatives have been selected Dwight Brendle and Herbert J. Brendle, of Mars Hill College, are spending the spring holidays with school, as follows:

Sam Gambill, class president, Miss Sadie Fleming visited most handsome and most popular; Miss Rosamond Neaves, the Mr. and Mrs. James Shore, prettiest, neatest, most musical Burlington, visited their parents and most popular girl. Miss Neaves is president of the Beta daughter, Elaine, was born Club, treasurer of the class and a to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Stinmember of the Glee Club; Miss son at the Baptist hospital in Edith Fox, best all-around girl; Winston-Salem last Tuesday.

Bud Ratledge, best all-around boy Both mother and baby are doing athletic star; Miss Lois Gentry, nost studious and sincere Mr. and Mrs. J. Wade Shore Dick Smith, Jr., most studious attended the funeral of Mr. Wil-

boy and one of the leading memliam Myers, of Winston-Salem, pers of the class. Roy Johnson, Miss Swannie Stinson, of Richneatest boy; Miss Anna Laura Ray, the quietest girl and most mond, Va., spent last week-end dependable; Bill Reece the quietest boy; Robert Nicks, the silliest Miss Louise Abrams, a teacher

boy but an industrious student; in the local school, spent the week-end with Miss Amanda Bill Gambill, the most talkative boy and an athletic star; Miss Geraldine Couch, the most orig-Mr. and Mrs. Erbin Cockerham inal girl; Mason Burcham the

of Kannapolis, visited Mrs. Cockerham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. most sincere boy. Miss Nelda Fulp, the best sport

and best girl athlete; Miss Betty Frank Woodhouse, Yadkin's representative to the legislature, Lou Evans, cutest, most conceitspent the week-end with his famed and most talkative girl; Miss Margaret Couch, the most ro-Mrs. Albert Martin has been mantic girl; Earl Pardue,

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confined to her home for several most romantic and original and best sport. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Jones and

will tie the efforts of both to the same program. For there can be no real "Spring cleaning" unless everything from cellar to garret is dusted—any woman will tell you that.

Visitors are quick to notice the blemishes, if any, and it should be our purpose to remove them and keep them removed. It | efforts. would be fine if this year we could have a well-organized tidying up, in which every single one of us has a part. We'd all feel a lot prouder of our little city afterward, and the small investment in time and labor would earn dividends that we could clip in the months ahead. Let's do it!

## The European Crazy Quilt

The European international checkerboard presents some interesting situations that would be amusing if they were not so tragic and freighted with so many possible disasters for the world.

Britain only a few short months ago, following Munich, was agog with a policy of appeasement that France aped because she had to. Prime Minister Chamberlain was talking about peace for our time and expressing confidence in Germany's chieftain. Britain and France were promising too, to safeguard what was left of Czechoslovakia, and both purposely left Russia on the backsteps at Munich, preferring not to have the Soviets in at picture-taking time.

Now Britain is frantically calling on Russia to join in a "halt Hitler" coalition, and hearing Poland declaring in effect that that little country has no faith in British promises that are not put down in writing. And Poland happens to be an important factor in any anti-Hitler arrangement that the European democracies can hatch up. And seeing what happened to the Czechs Poland is perfectly justified in her apprehensions.

Americans, it must be admitted 'that Hitler has played rings around other European back home—and that in itself is a healthy diplomats. What he wents he takes and so sign.

the defeat at the hands of the last session Airy, visited their parents here of Congress. But not Mr. Roosevelt. Other Sunday. presidents immediately before him had

urged such re-organization and failed, but because the need was so utterly apparent, day night. In winning the tourhe threw the proposal in the lap of Congress nament they defeated a strong again, and last week success crowned his team from Sherrill's Ford in Ca-

But while it may be chalked up as a vic- ville school placed three rlayers tory, sniping senators through amendments on the All Tournament teams to the Warren-Cochran bill lifted more than fifteen governmental agencies from its provisions, and the plan of reorganization will be curtailed to that extent.

And why were these agencies removed? For the sole and simple reason that representatives and senators wanted to retain Mrs. Aaron Speer, has returned the patronage that go with them. A gen-eral shake-up, with the President instead of Congress doing the shaking, would mean that some fat plums would be shifted from congressional hands, and election time come and find them uncomfortably empty. That's why there has been no such reorganization when other Presidents were urging it. And that is why the Senate stood so obstinately in its path and almost thwarted the proposal this time.

As it stands now the plan of reorgan-ization proposed by the President can be nullified by a joint resolution of both houses of Congress disapproving it, within sixty days. Senator Wheeler along with Senator Bailey and others wanted affirmation to be mandatory, which would have enabled any one Senator to filibuster to its death, any plan proposed by the President. That would have meant that there would be no reorganization and our so-called statesmen of her home early Tuesday morn would have been able to retain the pat- ing. Mrs. Morrison was taken ronage which is such a definite asset at immediately to the local hospielection time.

start in the right direction, and we have it No matter how hateful his methods to because for once Congress was afraid of jury. what was going on in the minds of the folks

C. Stinson, recently.

The Boonville girls' basketball team emerged victorious from the Journal-Sentinel tournament Fri-

tawba county 26 to 19. Boontwo girls and one boy. Helen Doub and Jessie Norman made the mythical girl's team while Bernard Mock. Boonville's fine guard, won a place on the boy's all star selection.

James Speer, son of Mr. and from Raleigh where he was a student at State College during the fall and winter quarters. Mr. Speer plans to remain at home until the summer quarter when he will reenter the same school. The Boonville B. T. U. organ ization plans to send a delegation of members to the regional

BURNS ON FACE, BODY convention to be held at Boone Friday and Saturday of this Marvin Brewer, 20, of Thur-Mrs. Ethel Deal and Miss Ruby

nond, is in the hospital here suf-Winkler made a business trip to fering from first and second de-Winston-Salem Saturday. gree burns on his face and the upper part of his body. Details

MRS. NANNIE MORRISON of the injury, which was said to INJURED IN FALL have resulted from the explosion of a steam boiler, were not earned.

Mrs. Nannie Morrison, 81, wid ow of Clay Morrison, of Jones-ville, suffered a fracture of her right hip in a fall in the bedroom taken

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The senior class of Roaring River high school will present 'No-Account David," a three-act tal, where she is resting as com-As hollow as the victory may be, it is a fortably as could be expected, blay, on Wednesday evening, April rt in the right direction and we have it and unless complications develop 5, at 8 o'clock. The cast includes clay, on Wednesday evening, April she should recover from the in- outstandnig members of the class

and should be liked by everyone. A small admission fee will be There are 22 bones in the charged. The public is cordially

CLASS TO STAGE PLAY

FREE FOUR NEW RADIOS four children, Mrs. M. L. Zimmerman, Lexington; Mrs. E. L. Varner, High Point; M. K. Routh, Belk-Doughton Co., local department store, is planning to East Bend, route 2, and W. H. give away absolutely free, a radio Routh, Asheboro.

each week during April in cele-Looks Settled It bration of the store's first anniversary. An adverstisement in

A commercial traveler, calling this issue makes the announceon a new customer, produced by mistake a snapshot of his girl No strings are attached to the

free radio, and everyone is eli- friend instead of his business gible. Nothing has to be bought, card. "That's the firm I represent." he said. was said. Complete details are The customer examined the deavailable at the store.

termined-looking features of the The radios, all of the popular armchair style, and having a young woman and returned the high cash value, are but an exphotograph with the remark: "I'll pression of appreciation on the bet you'll never be manager of part of the store for the support that firm!"

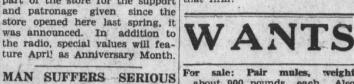
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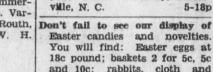
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18c pound; baskets 2 for 5c, 5c and 10c; rabbits, cloth and plush, 10c to 98c. Filled baskets covered with cellophane, a practical Easter gift, 15c, 25c and 49c. Graham & Click 5c & 10c Store, Elkin, N. C. 1tc

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