

THE SUNDAY NEWS

ARRESTS MOUNT IN STRIKE AREAS

Mom, 23, Has Babies Numbers 13, 14, 15

MOM HAS GIVEN BIRTH TO TWINS QUADS, QUINTS

Birth of Triplets To Wife Of Soldier In Korea Makes 15

WILLIAMSTON (Special)—Mrs. Viola Brown is only 23 years of age, yet has given birth to 15 children, including twins, triplets, quadruplets, quintuplets as well as single births.

The wife of a former mill worker who is now in Korea with United Nations Armed Forces, Mrs. Brown last week gave birth to the triplets.

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QUESTION: Relate an interesting tale you've heard as told from your barber chair.

MR. H. J. JETER, barber, Harmon Barber Shop, Raleigh:

A construction worker who had been having trouble with one of his fellow workers, stealing his lunch, decided to find some means of apprehending the culprit. So he had the local pharmacist concoct a potion of poison that could be put into his lunch without being detected.

The following day, on having his lunch (which contained the poisoned concoction) stolen from him, the construction worker's conscience started bothering him, and he didn't want to be responsible for the man's death merely because he was a thief. Therefore, he returned to the pharmacist and had him prepare a remedy that would save the life of the person who had consumed the poisoned food.

That day, after announcing to his fellow workers how the lunch that had been stolen was poisoned, and how he had procured a remedy to save the culprit's life, one of his co-workers walked up to him and said, "Look here, friend, I'm not the guy who bothered you, but what about giving me some of that stuff anyway?"

MR. JAMES A. BLUE, barber, Capitol City Barber Shop, Raleigh:

A recent customer of mine was marveling at the many changes that had been made in Men's fashions since he was a youngster. Why, you know, he said, I didn't get my first pair of shoes until I was 2 years old, and spent the entire day walking backwards so that I could see those pretty tracks I was making.

"And the customer continued, 'My mamma thought me my first necktie when I was 35 years old; and I stood still for three whole days after I put it on because I thought I was hitched.'"

MR. JIMMY HARRIS, barber, Jones Barber Shop, Raleigh:

One of my customers, not being able to come for his hair trim at the usual time, came one week during business hours when he should have been at work.

On returning to his job, his employer asked where he had been. When the customer replied that he had gone to get his hair trimmed, his employer exclaimed, "Your hair trimmed on MY time? The customer replied, 'My hair grew on YOUR time.'"

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Easter Ceremonies Set



EZZARD CHARLES IS SPEAKER AT GREENSBORO, NC

GREENSBORO—Ezzard Charles, the former world's heavyweight boxing champion who hopes to regain his title in June, appeared in Greensboro Wednesday night after a 24-hour delay en route to the Gate City.

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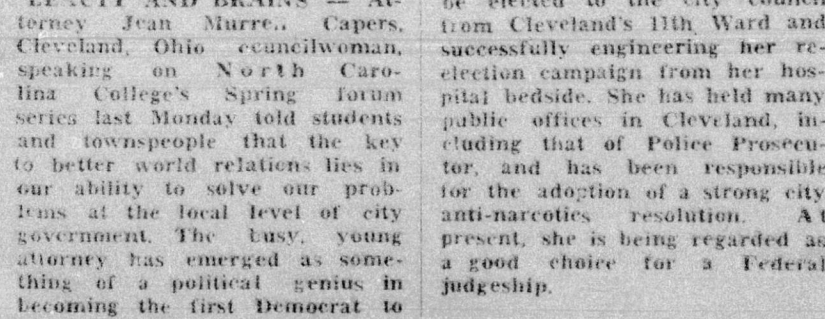
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COLLEGE WOMEN TO INVADE RALEIGH FOR ANNUAL CONFAB

RALEIGH — The 29th annual convention of the National Association of College Women representing 25 states will be held at Shaw University on April 11-12, association officials announced here this week.

The association which has branches in Greensboro, Durham and Raleigh, will devote the Friday and Saturday sessions to reports and workshops and will present Dr. Margaret Butcher of the Howard University School of Drama, Mrs. Bess Bloodworth of the United States Department of Labor, and Mrs. Anna Arnold Hedgeman of the United States Department of the Interior who will speak at the sessions.

Miss Jeanette Hicks of the Washington High School faculty is president of the local association.



Support Of Easter Seal Campaign Seen Urgent

RALEIGH — Dr. Catherine Middleton, chairman of the East Raleigh division of the current Easter Seal drive being staged by the Wake County branch of the North Carolina Society for Crippled Children and Adults, this week voiced an appeal for increased support of the campaign which is scheduled to be concluded April 13, but will doubtless continue until the county quota is reached.

The Easter Seal drive is an annual effort by the Society to secure funds with which to pursue its program of assistance to crippled persons in need of its assistance.

Easter Shop "Lifting" Trip Ends In Jailhouse

CONCORD — Evidently at least local police charged, was not paroled until she had repaid the dealer about doing her Easter shop-lifting in one store, either Shopping Early.

MANY CHARGES PREFERRED AS WORKERS RIOT

THOMASVILLE — Arrests are mounting daily in this strike-born, bomb-menaced, mid-West North Carolina furniture manufacturing center as workers for the Thomasville Chair Company here and employees find themselves unable to reach mutual conclusions on the demands of both labor and management.

Most of the arrests of Negro workers to date have been on charges of assault, resisting arrest, interfering with officers, damage to property and other misdemeanors.

Among those who have been arrested are a few women against whom the same and similar charges have been docketed.

Among court cases which have been docketed this week in what has been called the "Chair Capital of the World" are those of Lafayette Davis, interfering with an officer; Alton Holmes, interfering with an officer; and Robert Lee Leak, interfering with an officer.

Cases which have already been heard include those involving Willie Rogers, charged with...

RALEIGH'S FIRST Masons Initiate Easter Ceremony

BY JAMES A. SHEPARD RALEIGH — This year for the first time, the people of Raleigh will be given opportunity to witness the impressive ceremonies of the Scottish Rites Masons commemorating the Crucifixion and Resurrection of the Christ.

On Thursday evening, April 10, the Harper L. Fleming chapter of Rose Croix, Scottish Rites Masons, will conduct the ceremony of Table and Extinguishing of the Light, the Maundy Thursday ceremonies.

This impressive and meaningful ceremony commemorates the Crucifixion and death of Jesus Christ, when the light of the world was temporarily extinguished from the view of mankind and the world was in momentary darkness.

The Maundy Thursday Ceremony will be held at the Davis Street Presbyterian Church, corner Davis and Person Streets, the Rev. C. A. Kearns, pastor.

The ceremony of Relighting the Easter Sunday rites will be conducted Easter Sunday morning at the First Baptist Church beginning at six o'clock. The speaker for this occasion will be the Rev. Mr. Cunningham, pastor of the First Congregational Church of this city.

During the ceremony of Relighting the Light which was extinguished on Maundy Thursday is temporarily extinguished from the view of mankind and the world was in momentary darkness.



DIES AT 105 — "Uncle" Henry Bobbitt, said to be as familiar a Raleigh "landmark" as the N. C. State Capitol, died late last week at 105 years of age. Described as an advanced age, Mr. Bobbitt made regular rounds of Raleigh's places of business until about two months ago. He was the son of a native of Cuba and was born in Warren County in 1847. He lived at Raleigh 75 years and out-lived a brother who died at 102 and a sister who lived 105 years. A former state employee, Mr. Bobbitt leaves seven children to mourn his demise.



ONE OF FOUR VICTIMS — Sheriff Alex Littlefield above shines his flashlight on the mortal remains of youthful Willie Davis of De Leon Springs, Fla. one of four victims in an automobile wreck in which three white men have been charged with manslaughter. Davis, reportedly driver of the car in which the four were killed, was thrown about 15 feet from the site of impact. The car being driven by one of the white men charged in the deaths allegedly forced Davis' car off the road, causing it to crash into a tree resulting in the deaths of all its occupants.

The State-In Brief...

Son Shoots Pop About Mom

HENDERSON — Mosey Alston, Jr., shot in the shoulder last Thursday by his 18-year-old son, Johnny Lee Alston, who told officers he fired in defense of his mother.

The youth is held in jail pending outcome of injuries to his father. The shooting occurred at the Alston home on the Chicken Road. The boy, later, was brought to town by his grandfather, Reverend Perry, and gave himself up to Deputy Sheriff W. G. Watkins, Jr.

Woman, Just Playing, Slays Man

LEXINGTON — Miss Virginia Carick White, 31, is being held here on a charge of fatally stabbing Eckel E. Freeman, 31, at her home on South Church Street here Monday afternoon.

Police Chief V. G. Price said the woman had admitted stabbing Freeman with a butcher knife but said she was only playing.

Woman Draws Prison Sentence

RALEIGH — A young local woman was sentenced to seven to 10 years in Women's Division of State Prison last week for the slaying of George Hight, her common-law husband.

Miss Edna Tyson, 31, drew the prison term from Judge Leo Carr in Wake Superior Court for pumping a 22 slug into Hight about 8:30 on the night of February 17.

Unruly Characters Into Court

CARY — Two local men were tried in the Recorder's Court here this week on charges of engaging in an affray at a school entertainment.

Oliver Arrington was convicted of assaulting John B. Ferrell, and Arrington was given a 60-day suspended sentence. Judge H. H. Waddell ordered the sentence suspended upon payment of \$10 and costs. Arrington's Superior Court appeal bond was set at \$100.

Ferrell was cleared of the charge of assaulting Arrington in a fight which reportedly developed between the two over Arrington's admission to the school affair.

Cuts Jailer In Escape Try

GOLDSBORO — L. R. Cobb, Wayne jailer, was cut in the neck late Monday night by a Florida man, Sanders Williams, 30, who was attempting to break out of the upstairs "bull-pon" of the jail. Williams slashed the jailer with a pocketknife when Cobb stopped the man from running through the open door of the pen. Cobb was placed in an extra mattress in the cage for a city prisoner when the break was attempted. Two other prisoners were supposed to have taken part in the escape. Cobb said, but neither Williams nor Williams to the open door. Williams was being held to face trial for larceny of a suit.

Medics Fight To Save Girl's Eye

DURHAM — Lincoln Hospital physicians late Tuesday were attempting to save the left eye of an 18-year-old waitress, who had been struck in the face by a beer bottle. She sustained lacerations of the forehead in addition to the severe eye injury. Police were looking for her assailant when she had identified.