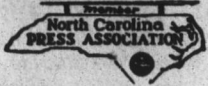


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A LIFT FOR TODAY

Despise not the chastening of the Lord, neither be weary of his correction.—Prov. 3:11.
Experience is the Lord's school; they who are taught by Him usually learn by the mistakes they make that they have no wisdom; by their slips and falls they have no strength.—John Newton.
We are grateful to Thee, O Lord, for chastening us; we know that Thou art lovingly teaching us the lessons of life.

Flag Was Dollar Bill

Much ado has been made over the execution of the Rosenberg spy team, who, like Benedict Arnold, betrayed their country and were subject to the prescribed penalty for their infamous act.

According to reports, crowds held demonstrations, pickets were parading around and a general uproar made on the part of sympathizers that they should not be executed. These same people carried on in the wrong place. If they do not like to see justice carried out, they should go to Russia to do their yelling and parading.

The Rosenbergs received the benefit of a fair trial and the case was dragged through every court in the land. Quite a different story that this same crowd might expect in Russia. For instance the following Associated Press item appeared in the papers last week:

ORGANIZER EXECUTED

Berlin June 18.—A Russian firing squad today executed a German accused by the Soviet Army Command of organizing anti-Communist riots in East Berlin.

Maj. Gen. P. T. Dibrova, now ruling East Berlin under a state of siege, announced the execution.

The Soviet general described the dead man, Willi Goettling, as "a resident of West Berlin who worked on order of a foreign intelligence service, was one of the active organizers of provocations and disturbances in the Soviet Sector of Berlin, and participated in the violent banditry against the organs of power and the population."

One spectator at the funeral of the Rosenbergs aptly remarked, "They should have Russian flags in there instead of the American flag." From all appearances the Rosenberg flag was the dollar bill, and at that tainted by Red Moscow.

Without doubt, Rosenberg sympathizers will regard the spy team as heroes or martyrs, but they were plain betrayers of their country, and the penalty was justly carried out. We have no room in America, although they are here, of the Rosenberg type of Americans.

The more prejudice a man has, the louder he talks about his tolerance.

Not every man who praises democracy believes in his own doctrines.

Intelligence is the art of being able to judge a speech by what is said, not by how loud it is said.

A gifted mind is one that easily discovers plausible excuses.

HEARD & SEEN

By "BUFF"

One good thing about rumors is that more often than not, there are nothing to them. Such was the case last week when a rumor went the rounds that Cecil Miller, special delivery messenger at the Post Office, one of the National Guard boys at Camp McClellan in Alabama, was killed when a truck ran over him. In checking up it was learned that Cecil was very much alive and going through camp routine just like the other boys.

And speaking of the National Guard in camp, here's one who joins the wives and sweethearts of the boys in welcoming them back home next Sunday. Many of 'em will be greeted with kisses and I'll almost feel like kissing Pete Manning, The Herald's Intertype operator, who is a member of the outfit. For two weeks I've been doing his work, as well as mine, so that if there's anything left of me by Sunday, I'll be one who will welcome him back on his job.

Boxes at the Post Office were very prominent the other day. In placing the box rent notices, the card was slapped flat against the window so that nobody could overlook the things. A day or two later a reminder was equally conspicuously placed in the box, so if that don't work, some of the boxes will be locked. Better pay Uncle Sam!

A change is noted in the Post Office personnel, too. Parker Helms has disappeared from the crew and in his place Frank Twiddy is shuffling around the place. Postmaster David Holton was very complimentary about the kind of employee Parker has been, and he, for one, regretted to see him leave to enter the insurance business.

Gosh darn. For many years we've had a fisherman in our midst and I didn't know about it. Miss Rebecca Colwell, former Chowan County Home Agent, now stationed at New Bern, was a week-end visitor and stopped in The Herald office for a few minutes. She told me she went fishing at Morehead City a while back. "What luck?" I asked her. But reluctantly she replied, "Well, I didn't catch anything." Another reason why I like to go fishing around here as well as anywhere else I've ever been.

And speaking about fishing, I heard a fellow say the other day he had caught a few fish, while his partner couldn't even get a bite. In order to save the day the unlucky fisherman asked his partner to throw him a few of the fish from one end of the boat to the other so that he could say he "caught" them. But even then he might have made an error.

Jimmy Barrow, who is serving Uncle Sam in Korea, sent in the following poem the other day:

BIRD'S EYE VIEW OF KOREA

Just off the blue Pacific,
Korea, that is the spot,
Where we are doomed to serve our time,
In that land that God forgot.

Out with the snakes and lizards,
Out where a man gets blue,
Right in the middle of nowhere,
And ten thousand miles from you.

We sweat, freeze and shiver,
It's more than a man can stand,
We're not supposed to be gooks,
Just defenders of our land.

We're airmen of the Fighting 51st,
Earning our monthly pay,
Guarding people with millions,
For only a few bucks a day.

Living with our memories,
Waiting to see our gals,
Hoping that while we are away,
They haven't married our pals.

Nobody knows we are living,
Nobody gives a damn,
At home we are forgotten,
For we belong to Uncle Sam.

The time we have spent in the Air Force,
The time of lives we have missed,
Boys, don't let the draft get you,
And for God's sake don't enlist.

Well, when we get to Heaven,
To St. Peter we will tell,
We are veterans from Korea—
Who have spent their time in Hell.



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ROLLING ALONG...

America's roads and streets are one of the most important businesses in the world. Five billion dollars went into building them and keeping them in 1952.

Boston's projected \$75,000,000 Rockefeller Center-like development, to be built on the site of the Boston & Albany railroad yards, will include underground parking space for 10,000 autos.

U. S. truckers, in safety poll, recommend "park all your problems — when you drive away from the curb."

International Assn. of Police Chiefs planning to take action to discourage setting up of local "speed traps" in which out-of-state motorists get their pockets picked by various legal means.



Creation of a new Federal Motor Transport Commission may result from this White House meeting between President Eisenhower and the executive board of the labor-management Trucking Industry National Defense Committee. Pictured with Eisenhower are, left to right, Roy Fruehauf, B. M. Seymour, AF of L's Dave Beck and Arthur D. Condon.

Missouri's Driver of the Year is 50-year-old Oscar H. Landmann, a bus and truck driver with an accident-free record of 33 years.

Highway engineers will tell you "A good road is one that has wide, well sloped, firm shoulders to drain it properly and for safe, off-pavement stopping when necessary."

All money from fines or forfeited bail resulting from traffic violations anywhere in California must be deposited in special funds for street improvement or traffic safety.

Official government approximations indicate that trucks now carry about 8.3 billion tons of freight yearly, railroads 1.5 billion tons, pipelines 700 million tons, waterways 600 million, and airways 315,000 tons.

The world's great mysteries, which puzzle intelligent people, never bother the ignorant.

Boll Weevil Invading Local Cotton Fields

County Agents Check Farms In Various Sections of County

Twelve cotton fields were checked for boll weevils last week by G. W. Overman and Robert S. Marsh, Chowan county agents. These fields were spotted over Chowan County representing every section from Yeopim to Gliden and from the Chowan River to the Perquimans County line.

In six undusted fields punctured squares ranged from 22 per cent to 48 per cent and averaged 37 per cent. This means that over one-third of the larger squares are punctured and worms were found in several. Very healthy weevils were also found in most of the fields visited.

In six dusted fields punctured squares ranged from 3 per cent to 14 per cent and averaged 8 per cent. Alma Forehand has dusted each week for three weeks and his field had 3 per cent punctured squares. E. N. Elliott has dusted two weeks and his count was 5 per cent. The other four fields had been dusted the first time last week and they averaged 10 per cent.

Growers who have not started dusting by the last of this week will lose much early cotton in the opinion of the county agents. They urge farmers to continue to dust for at least two more weeks by using 20 per cent toxaphene at the rate of 8 to 10 pounds per acre. "Other approved cotton dusts or sprays are all right," say Overman and Marsh, "but don't use B.H.C. because of your peanuts."

Vets' Question Box

Q. I'm going to school under the Korean GI Bill, and my wife just had a baby. What must I do in order to get an increased education allowance from VA?

A. You must apply for the increase. If VA receives your application within 45 days, the effective date of the increased allowance will be the date of the birth of your child. Otherwise, the effective date will be the date VA receives your application. In either case, you must submit satisfactory evidence of the birth of the child within a year of the time you asked for the increased allowance.

Q. I understand that with credit controls lifted it's possible to get a 30-year GI loan with no down pay-

ment. But I can't find anybody who will lend me the money on those terms. Aren't lenders required to do that, under the law?

A. No. Although such terms are permissible, it's still up to the lender to make his own decision as to the terms of the loan.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Born to Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Dixon, Jr., a 7-pound daughter, June 22 at Raeford Hospital, Franklin, Va. Mrs. Dixon was the former Miss Jacqueline Lou Hall of Edenton.

DR. GRIFFIN OUT OF TOWN
For the benefit of his patients and friends, Dr. W. S. Griffin announces that he will be out of town for a few days.

BASEBALL GAME

ON HICKS FIELD

Sunday, June 28—2:45

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vs.

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PHILCO

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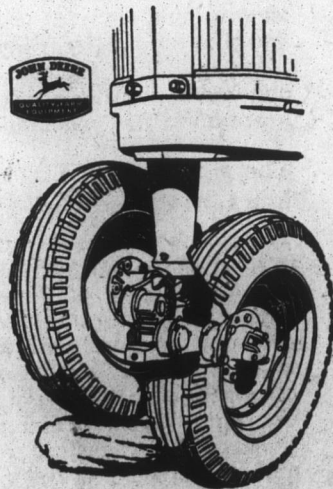
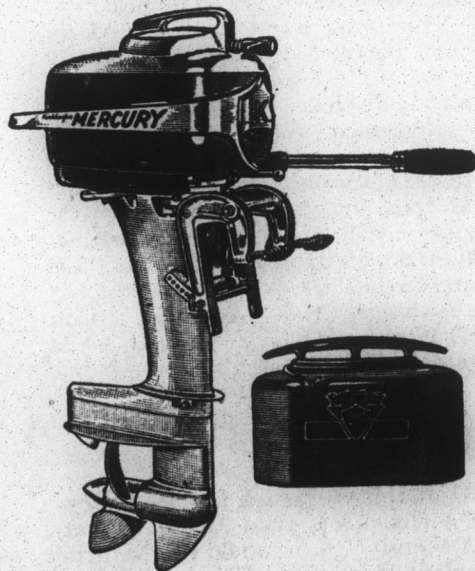


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