



# SENATOR JORDAN

## REPORTS

From WASHINGTON

Raleigh—As I travel over North Carolina during the Congressional recess, I am becoming more and more impressed with the tremendous amount of interest that citizens of all walks of life have in the development of our water resources.

No longer can it be said that the people of North Carolina are taking water for granted.

During the past week I made a rather extensive trip through Wilkes County and the surrounding areas, and everywhere I went people asked me about the Wilkesboro Reservoir flood control project. This project, which should reach the construction stage next year, involves the building of a flood control dam a few miles north of Wilkesboro on the Yadkin River.

It is badly needed primarily as a flood control measure, but the good effects that will come from it will have a major influence on the development of the entire Upper Yadkin River Valley. It will mean new sources of water for agricultural, municipal, and industrial purposes all along the River including Elkin, Winston-Salem, Greensboro and many other cities, towns and communities.

It will cost about ten million dollars to build the Wilkesboro project, but when the future development of the river basin is considered, this is a cheap price for an investment that will bring untold benefits to many thousands of people.

The Wilkesboro project is just one of several major water development projects that are now being considered and studied under the direction of Congress and

the Federal government. Surveys are under way to determine the most practical and Neuse and Cape Fear River Basins. For many years these rivers, like the Upper Yadkin, have gone beneficial ways to develop the unharnessed and they have been more of a hindrance than a help in developing our agricultural and industrial potential.

In the short time I have been in the Senate, I have devoted a great deal of time to obtaining the necessary funds to speed up the work on all these projects as well as other rivers and harbors and flood control measures.

I am firmly convinced that the manner in which we handle our water problems will do as much to determine the future growth of North Carolina as any one thing.

Preliminary estimates show that literally hundreds of millions of dollars could be wisely spent on water resource development projects in North Carolina at this time. We have made a great deal of progress along this line, but the truth of the matter is that we have not been getting our rightful share of funds that are expended for water development by the Federal government.

It will take a lot of hard work, but I feel that all levels of government should push as fast as possible water development projects and move them from the dreaming and planning stage to reality.

In more ways than one water is North Carolina's number one problem. Water also is our number one opportunity, and conserving it and using it properly is one of the best investments we can make in our future.

### L. M. Johnson Dies After Brief Illness

Livingston Morris Johnson, 50, died Saturday afternoon at 3:50 o'clock in Chowan Hospital after an illness of three weeks. A native of Bertie County, he lived in Edenton 28 years and was employed by the U. S. Postal service since 1928.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Verlie Herbert Cowan Johnson; a daughter, Susan Cowan Johnson; three brothers, Bickett and Woodrow Johnson of Windsor, and Norman Johnson of Norfolk; four sisters, Mrs. K. G. Younger of Tampa, Fla., Mrs. George Rhodes and Mrs. Odell J. White of Windsor and Mrs. Pat Jones of Erwin.

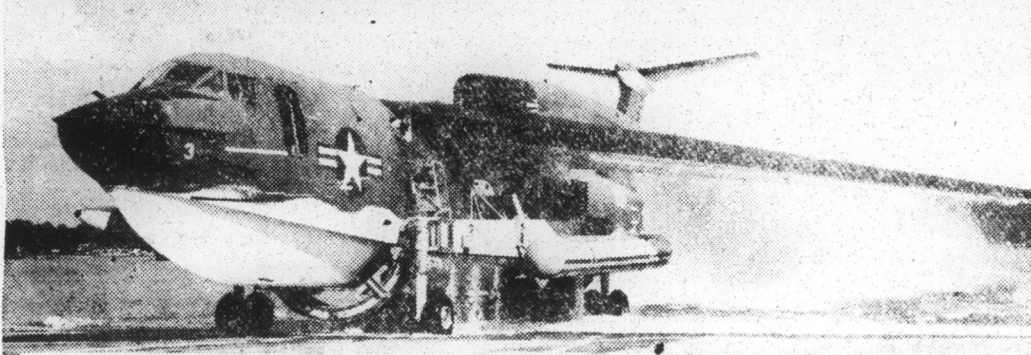
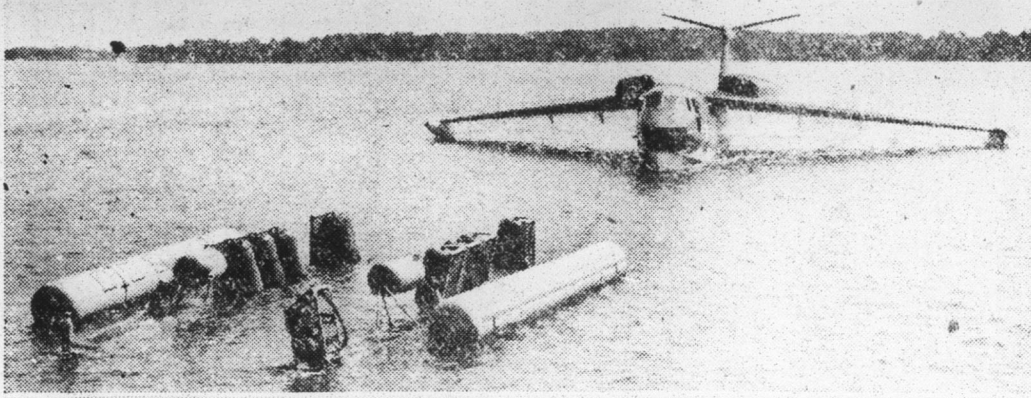
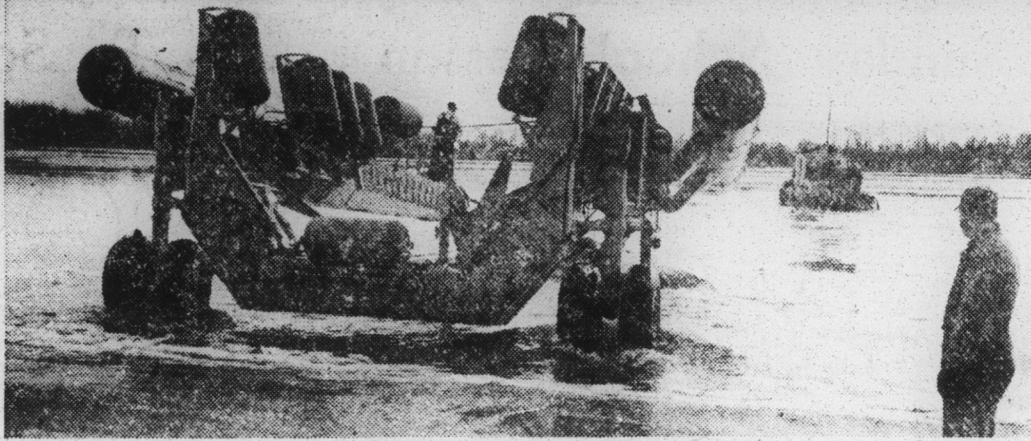
He was a member of the Edenton Baptist Church, where funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The pastor, the Rev. R. N. Carroll, officiated, assisted by the Rev. C. E. Dulin, pastor of the Cashie Baptist Church of Windsor. Burial was in Beaver Hill Cemetery.

### IN MEDITERRANEAN

Robert L. Ward, seaman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. George T. Ward of Route 2, Edenton, is serving aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Randolph, operating as a unit of the U. S. Sixth Fleet in the Mediterranean Sea.

The carrier left Norfolk, Va., September 2, the same day she received the Atlantic Fleet Carrier Class Battle Efficiency Award for fiscal year 1958. The award was the second successive win for the Randolph.

Each year ships of the Atlantic Fleet are required to complete a given list of competitive exercises for the top class awards. In addition, the judging is based on departmental winners among the many carriers and seaplane tend-



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will include John's account of the healing by Christ Jesus of the "man which was blind from his birth" (John 9:1-7).

Correlative passages from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy will include the following (210:11-16): "Knowing that Soul and its attributes were forever manifested through man, the Master healed the sick, gave sight to the blind, hearing to the deaf, feet to the lame, thus bringing to light the scientific action of the divine Mind on human minds and bodies and giving a better understanding of Soul and salvation."

The Golden Text is from Romans (13:12): "The night is far spent, the day is at hand; let us therefore cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the armour of light."

There is a remedy for everything except a broken neck. —Italian Proverb.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

How man can cope successfully with all phases of fear, sickness and sin will be brought out at Christian Science services Sunday.

Scriptural readings in the Lesson-Sermon entitled "Unreality"

### Hospital Patients

Visiting Hours 10 to 11 A. M., 2 to 4 P. M., and 6 to 8 P. M. Children under 12 years of age not permitted to visit patients.

Patients admitted to the Chowan Hospital during the week of September 22-29 were:

#### White

Mrs. LaVerne Harrell, Edenton; Mrs. Marlene Felner, Edenton; Mrs. Jessie Colson, Hertford; Mrs. Sallie Bunch, Hobbsville; Mrs. Joanne White, Edenton; Harmon Acker, Edenton;

#### Negro

Helena White, Hertford; Millie Lightfoot, Winfall; Lillian Tripp, Edenton; Charlie Ashe, Caswell; Ida Mae Jordan, Belvidere; John Williams, Edenton; William Copeland, Edenton.

Patients discharged from the hospital during the same week

were:

#### White

Allen Cohoon, Columbia; Mrs. Daisy Jordan, Tyner; Mrs. Lois Hobbs, Hobbsville; Mrs. Mary Smith, Eure; Mrs. Mary Jordan, Tyner; Mrs. Maude Lee, Merry Hill; Mrs. LaVerne Harrell, Edenton; Mrs. Joanne White, Edenton; Harmon Acker, Edenton; Josiah Proctor, Hertford; Mrs. Amelia Wyatt, Hertford; Miss Janet Bunch, Edenton; Miss Evelyn Ward, Edenton; Mrs. Kathryn Demmerle, Edenton; Mrs. Syble Blount, Roper.

#### Negro

Charlie Copeland, Edenton; Nola Overton, Tyner; Etta Mae Hathaway, Edenton; Rose Marie Bryant, Edenton; Ida Marie Jordan, Belvidere; Charlie Ashe, Creswell.

#### Births

Births during the same week were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee, Merry Hill, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Harrell, Edenton, a daughter; T/Sgt. and Mrs. Theodore Felner, Edenton, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Overton, Tyner, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ray White, Edenton, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence White, Hertford, a daughter; Cpl. and Mrs. Robert Demmerle, Edenton, a son; Lt. Col. and Mrs. Arthur R. Boag, twin daughters; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blount, III, Roper, a daughter.

### Health For All

#### The Lady In Blue

Having coffee with neighbors the other day, we saw a stranger go up the walk to the house next door. The conversation — we don't call it gossip in our neighborhood — went something like this:

"Who's the lady in blue?"

"Why, it's a public health nurse, isn't it?"

"I didn't know that family was

hard up."

"But the public health nurses aren't just for poor people. They are for everybody."

Indeed, public health nurses are for everybody. For example, the girl next door had just brought her new baby, her first, home from the hospital. The lady in blue gave her confidence on that first scary day, taught her how to care for the baby and give it a good start.

On her day's rounds the public health nurse does many jobs. She's both nurse and teacher. She can help a diabetic youngster learn how to give himself his injections or she may give a bath to a bedridden grandmother. It is part of her job, when she's called in, to be aware of emotional and economic problems

which affect health, and steer the family to agencies which can help.

She works with the doctor in explaining the whys and wherefores of treatment. In a long-term illness such as tuberculosis, she teaches the family how to prevent the spread of the disease and makes sure no aspect of care is neglected until the disease is under control.

By guiding the family toward better health and helping them prevent spread of disease, the lady in blue safeguards and improves the health of the community as a whole. She's available and important to all of us.

Habits are at first cobwebs, then cables.

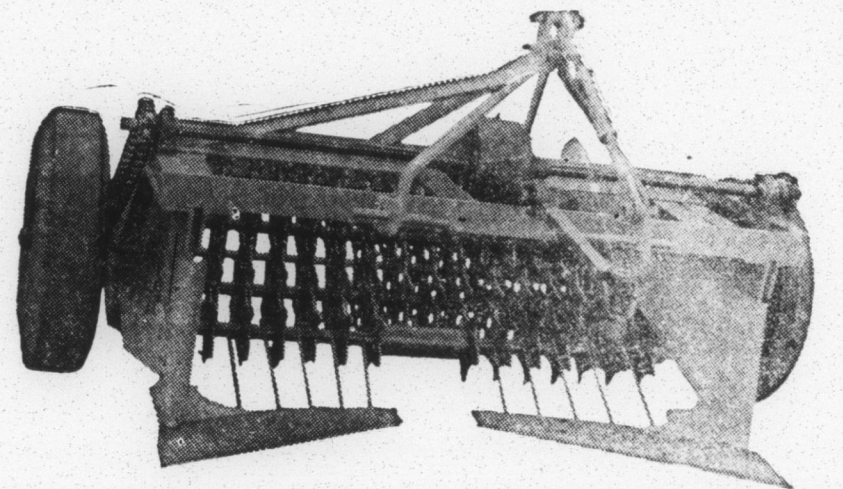
—Spanish Proverb.

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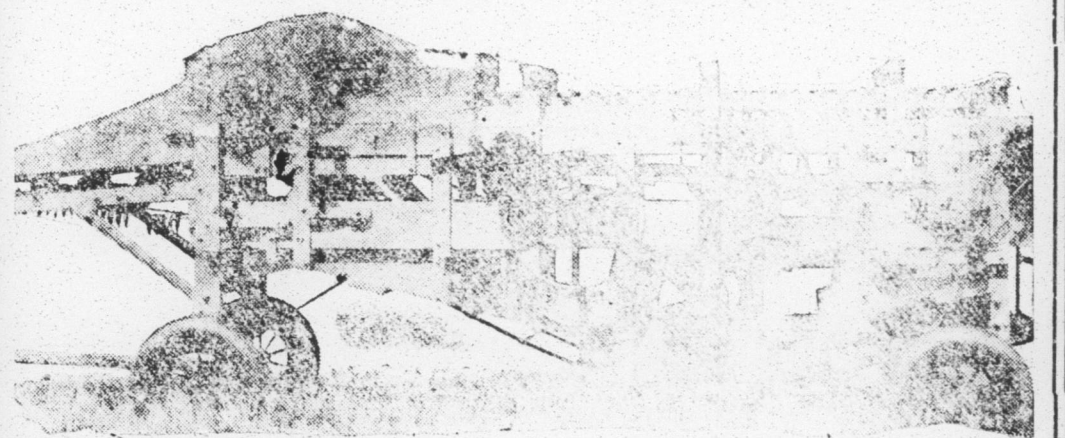
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