



The Roundup

By WILBORNE HARRELL

Advertisers are already advertising Fall and Winter goods. Whenever I see those words "Fall and Winter", I begin to shiver. Why don't they let me enjoy my summer in peace and hot comfort!

This disc jockey was giving a discourse on historic Edenton. In the course of his talk, he mentioned Joseph Hewes, James Iredell, Dr. Johnston (and others) as Edenton's immortals. Could he have meant Edenton's immortals? He evidently was reading from a prepared script, and a slip of the tongue is understandable. But don't call Edenton's immortals, immortals, fellow, or you will have the ladies of Edenton chasing you with broomsticks.

People are living too fast nowadays. This mania for speed is even reflected in the food we buy—instant coffee, instant potato, quick grits, 3-minute oatmeal. Walk down the aisle of any grocery store or super market and examine the labels on the boxes and jars and packages for sale. Biscuits and I don't know what-all and cake and candy and flap-jacks can be bought in mixes, half prepared and almost ready to eat. What's wrong with folks? What's the rush? Haven't we time to cook, are or we just too plain lazy?

THE WEST—The Virginian, by Owen Wister, was first published in 1902, and has since been printed in numerous and spe-

cial editions, both hard cover and paperback. In the tradition of Western fiction it was the first novel published that may be rightly termed "Western", and although its style may seem a little dated and old-fashioned and the technique archaic, it is still read today with interest and pleasure. And it is conceded to be a perennial classic in the Western genre. Mr. Wister did not have the Wild West shows, modern rodeos, TV marshals and movie Westerners to prompt him, so in untrammeled candor he paints a true picture of the REAL cowboy. If you are a Western story fan, then by all means read Owen Wister's The Virginian.

No compromise with communism!

and Dwight Eisenhower. Democratic presidents were Woodrow Wilson, Franklin D. Roosevelt, and Harry Truman. Food for political thought: Red River Dave says that his current hit, using sky pilot Francis Powers as its subject is "the last great hope of the world." Wow! Better gather your belongings. The agreement was finally signed and by 1964 work is supposed to be completed on the bridge-tunnel affair that will link Baltimore with Norfolk. One result of this is that a multitude of traffic will hit onto highway 17. With that news in mind, I talked to some folks who cater to the tourist trade. One opinion was



FLIGHT CANCELED—This stairway would lead any climber to an unhappy landing in Crawfordsville, Ind. It was the last portion standing of a home under demolition.

that it will be extremely beneficial to Edenton. Another opinion was that with all the extra traffic, better roads will be built, and the traffic will bypass Edenton. A recent visitor to Edenton who's travelled around the world tells us that we're sitting on a powder keg so far as tourism is concerned. He explains that Williamsburg is completely rebuilt, but Edenton is real, with its original homes and sights. Something really worth working on; best selling albums in Edenton are those by Ray Conniff and Billy Vaughn;

most mis-named program on local television is channel 3's "Best of Hollywood." If what they're showing is the best, I'd hate to see the worst.

Closing thought: True philosophy invents nothing; it merely establishes and describes what is.

So Sudden

Officer—"You've been doing sixty miles an hour. Don't you care anything about the law?" Lady—"Why, officer, how can I tell yet, I've only just met you."

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Remember, don't hesitate and be too late. Request a Form 7004 from your Social Security District Office, located at 220 W. Brambleton Ave., today.

Our thoughts begot our actions; they make us what we are. —Mary Baker Eddy.

Not Here
Gob—After all fools are the people that really make life interesting. When all the fools are gone I wouldn't care to be here.
Marine—Don't worry; you won't.

IN MEMORIAM
In loving memory of our husband and father, George Wayland Evans, who passed away 3 years ago, August 8, 1957. We walk each day along this way. Not knowing what each day might bring. But God can and does in time to come; Erase all our heartache and pain. So I've put my trust in Him Above. That we may meet again some day. The ones that we so dearly love.
WIFE AND CHILDREN

Frankly Speaking

By Frank Roberts

Notes that have been crammed into my pocket for the past week and a half: I feel better now that my toothpaste has wound up as the only commercial product on the market to be recommended by the American Dental Association. The toothpaste is Crest: Gina Lollobrigida, Sophia Loren and Anna Magnani are all very popular Italian actresses, but the gal from Italy with the most talent and best looks has yet to make a movie for Hollywood. She's Silvana Mangano; Our Celebrity Calls program has been fun and interesting thus far, highlighted by an interview with Governor Hodges, which, thanks to an exclusive he gave us at WCDJ, made statewide headlines; most popular movie actor on Broadway? Cary Grant? No. Jimmy Stewart? No. None of those people, but a Britisher who was recently a big hit on the Jack Paar show. The multi-talented Peter Sellers. Four of his movies are currently showing in New York City. "Mouse That Roared," "Big Time Operator," "Man In a Cocked Hat," and "I'm All Right, Jack"; Carol Knock, no longer with WAVY-TV. She's in New York City working with one of the biggest advertising agencies in the business. You'll soon hear her mouthing the praises of Mum deodorant. After all this time, the Federal Trade Commission finally clamped down on the Arthur Murray Studios. Now they have to stop using phony contests and high pressure tactics to sell their dance courses. I personally know of a gullible young man who signed up with them for \$2,000 in dance courses, which he could ill afford, because he fell for the smooth talk of the beautiful ladies at that particular studio. His lawyer had

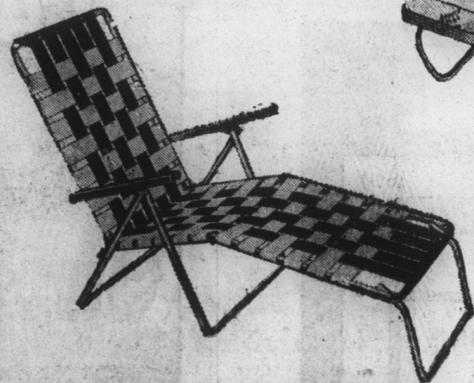
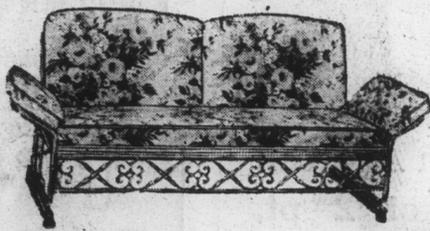
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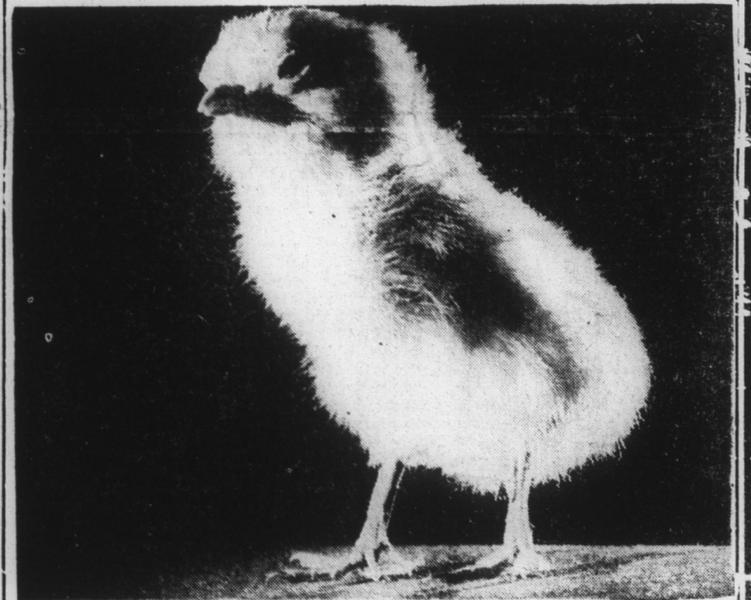
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