

### One State Radio Station Will Be In This Section

As a result of experiments carried on over a period of months, State officials have decided to build five police radio stations and locate them near Williamston, Elizabethtown, Raleigh, Salisbury and Asheville, says the Raleigh News and Observer.

Although specification for the stations had not been completed, the compilation of data collected by radio experts is complete enough to make certain that five stations will suffice and that their best location to cover the State will be in the vicinity of the five places named.

Director of Purchase A. S. Brower said that bids for the construction of the five transmitters will be advertised for January 13 and opened January 30. Captain Charles Former, of the state highway patrol, estimated that it would require two months from the time the contracts are awarded to put the stations in order.

In addition to the five stations, the State will ask for bids on about 200 receiving sets. The law requires that one be put in the office of each of the 100 sheriffs of the State and each district office, car and motorcycle of the patrol will have them.

The last Legislature, which enacted the police radio law, estimated that the cost of the radio equipment in the State would be about \$65,000, but Mr. Brower believes it will exceed that amount.

The five stations located as planned will give almost complete coverage of the State both day and night, although there will be some "dead spots" especially in the mountain sections. The terrain in the far west, however, is such that even with the construction of six stations 100 per cent coverage probably could not be achieved for both stationary and portable receivers.

To begin with there will be no wire connection between the five broadcasting stations but it is planned to have each broadcasting station sufficiently equipped with receiving sets that can catch the broadcasts from other stations and relay any information of importance to their sections.

It has been suggested also, that the several stations be connected by teletype and in time arrangements may be made to connect them all by wire so that when the occasion demands one broadcast would be sent out from each of the five stations.

The State police radio system was one of the three major acts to promote highway safety and the enforcement of highway laws passed by the last Legislature. The patrol was more than doubled in size, the State automobile driver's law was passed and the radio system created.

The radio, however, is intended to do more than provide better enforcement of the highway laws. The law specifically stated that each sheriff's office be equipped with a receiving set and it was assumed that police stations also would take advantage of the opportunity.

For instance, in the case of a hold-up, the formation of a mob or the commission of some crime and the escape of the criminals, police could be called to the scene of the crime from all directions, or stationed at points where the escaping criminals might be expected to pass.

#### DEMAND ACTION ON PENSIONS

Richmond, Va.—Additional controversial issues loomed on the legislative horizon as old-age pension advocates continued unabated their fight to force action at this session, contrary to the recommendations of the Governor.

It is not yet known where sprats, a fish found in British waters between November and February, go during the rest of the year.

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\* "DRY ICE" BURNS HANDS \*  
\* Reidsville—Those who play with ice get burned Reidsville women have learned. Prizes were offered women who could hold a piece of "dry ice" longest. For several weeks the women nursed blisters. \*  
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### Large Wildlife Refuge Is Planned For Bladen

Raleigh—A wild refuge covering some 12,000 of the approximately 22,000 acre submarginal purchase area around Jones and Salters lakes in Bladen county is one of the plans for the development of the unit by the resettlement administration, J. D. Chalk, State game and inland fisheries commissioner, said.

"The proposed refuge," said Chalk, "is located in a territory well adapted to upland birds and deer and will be of great benefit

to the wildlife in that area and a valuable addition to our chain of refuges."

Chalk visited the area and recommended a territory for the wildlife refuge. It is planned, he said, to enclose the refuge in a wire fence and to improve the territory as a breeding place and sanctuary for game along the lines previously followed by the State Department of Conservation and Development on land set aside for a similar purpose.

### Reynolds' Will In Baltimore Courts

The State of North Carolina has filed in the Circuit Court of Baltimore City a petition to intervene in the suit which the Safe Deposit and Trust company had brought against the Smith Reynolds heirs—a friendly action by which the trust company hopes to have the courts decide its responsibility in the matter.

North Carolina is interested to the extent of \$2,000,000 inheritance tax, which it will get if the compromise settlement of the Reynolds will case is approved in Baltimore, as it was in the courts of this state.

The North Carolina Supreme court last fall gave its approval to the proposed distribution of young Reynolds' \$30,000,000 estate. However, the money is in Maryland and the trust company is not willing to dispose of so large a sum without the approval of its own courts.

### Franklin News

Franklin Home Demonstration club met Monday afternoon with Mrs. E. J. Lewis, with a good attendance. Mrs. Mildred Seaber talked on proper lights in the home which was very helpful. Delicious waffles with coffee was served. All enjoyed the evening.

Miss Lillian Click has returned home after spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Pat Sloop of route two.

Mrs. T. L. Miller was dinner guest of Mrs. Harry Miller Wednesday in Salisbury.

Out of town visitors at Bethel church Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lingle of Salisbury and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller and daughter, of Salisbury. We are always glad to have visitors.

Our community is well at this writing.

We are having some pretty days since the cold weather and big snow. These days are appreciated and especially by the writer.

#### TEXTILE MILLS WILL OBSERVE CODE

(Continued from page 1) doubt of the attitude of the large majority of the manufacturers in other groups.

The fact that Institute records on conformance since the NRA code was abolished showed that 97 per cent of the industry has continued to operate on code standards is considered an indication that the manufacturers realize the value, not only to employes and to the general public, but also to themselves of the continuation of these policies, leaders said.

Several outstanding manufacturers in Charlotte recalled and expressed agreement with the statement made by Dr. Claudius T. Murchison, president of the Cotton-Textile Institute, Inc., that acceptance of the pledge will be definite assurance to the general public and to the workers that the preponderant majority of the industry is unwilling to return and is determined not to return to "those conditions which resulted in unstable markets, heavy business losses, and periodic unemployment for workers." The belief that the pledge will meet with enthusiastic approval by the large majority of the manufacturers was stressed.

#### OPPOSE MEASURE

Washington—The first outspoken opposition to the new Overton flood control bill came from Representative John E. Miller, Democrat of Arkansas, who asserted it was designed to "appease certain interests" in Mississippi and "utterly disregards" problems of the Arkansas and White rivers.

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### Cannon Gives Appeal Notice

Notice of appeal to the state supreme court from a Mecklenburg superior court jury's verdict giving Frank Brandon Smith, Jr., damages of \$12,600, in his \$250,000 suit against his former father-in-law, Joseph F. Cannon, wealthy industrialist and capitalist of Concord, was given Plummer Stewart, attorney for Cannon, in a hearing before Judge G. V. Cowper, of superior court here today.

It had been expected that defense attorneys would move for setting aside the verdict and for a new trial, so the failure to do this was a surprise in courtroom circles. Judge Cowper said, following the announcement of intention to appeal, that he was glad such a course had been taken instead of a motion for new trial, as, he said, he thought a possible three hours of argument on the question of setting aside the verdict would not have changed matters.

The procedure was simple and swift when attorneys met in the courtroom this morning before Judge Cowper. Paul Whitlock who with Frank McNinch, Jr., conducted the case for young Smith asked the Judge to sign the judgement of \$12,600 awarded by the jury Saturday morning. Mr. Stewart then gave notice of appeal and asked the judge to set the limits for filing and for answering the appeal. Judge Cowper fixed 40 days as the time for filing the notice of appeal and 30 days as the time for the plaintiff to answer. This would place the matter before the state supreme court for its spring docket with a session of the court scheduled to start April 14.

### Summer Courses In University Units

Chapel Hill.—Dates were fixed and courses set up for the next sessions of the Consolidated Summer school at a meeting of the Administrative Board just held here in the office of Director Edgar W. Knight. The Summer Session at Greensboro will open June 9 and continue for six weeks; at Raleigh the Summer Session will open June 10 and continue for six weeks; at Chapel Hill, where two terms will be conducted, the first term will open June 11 and close July 22, and the second term will begin July 23 and close August 29.

Nearly six hundred courses have been provided in the three divisions of the Summer Session to be taught by members of the regular teaching staffs and distinguished visiting professors. About three hundred undergraduate and graduate courses have been provided at Chapel Hill.

The complete Summer Session catalogue at each of the three divisions will be ready for distribution February 15, Dr. Knight said.

In addition to the regular courses there are to be held during the Summer Session in Chapel Hill numerous conference, institutes and seminars in the Social Sciences, Political Science and Public Administration, Public Welfare, and Education and Public Relations. The course dealing with problems of instruction and administration in higher educational institutions, which was begun last year, will be continued.

#### ORDER SAN MARTIN HELD

Havana—The urgency court issued an order for the arrest of former President Ramon Grau San Martin and several others after army intelligence agents charged they published "subversive propaganda."

The expression "Tommy Atkins" refers to the British soldier.

### Texas Boasts Only Boy Quadruplets in the U. S.



BEAUMONT, Tex. . . . Here are the ABCD Perricone quadruplets at six years of age. They are Anthony, Bruno, Carlo and Donald. Their mother, Mrs. Philip Perricone says as babies, Bruno was the slightest and is the brightest. She thinks the slightest of the Dionne quintuplets will also be the smartest.

#### \* TOWN PROMISES JOBS FOR ALL \*

Winston-Salem — There is work for those who want it in Winston-Salem, Jim Rivers, district director of the WPA in this section, announced that if any employable representative of a relief family is without work it is his own fault.

#### TO OBSERVE AFRICAN WAR

Rome—Major Norman E. Fisk, assistant American military attaché here, and other military observers from non-sanctionist, Austria, Hungary and Japan will leave soon for Ethiopia, it was announced. Premier Mussolini promised the observers ample facilities to see what is going on in the battle zone.

#### A. & P. CUTS BREAD PRICES

Kansas City—Citing invalidation of the AAA processing taxes as the cause the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea company stores in Kansas and Missouri have announced a one-cent reduction in bread prices. The new price for a loaf will be six cents.

Woodrow Wilson is responsible for the phrase, "Open covenants openly arrived at."

### Route One Items

Clyde and Harold Morgan are visiting in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Fink also Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Fink along with Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Barber were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fink the twelfth.

Mrs. J. A. Powlas was the guest of Mrs. Lewis Sides of Rockwell on Friday past.

Powlas and Fink motored to Misenerheim the tenth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Myers and Phyllis Ann, Mds. M. L. Bost and children visited G. F. Powlas on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Myers and June Marie were guests of Lloyd and Mavis Powlas for awhile on Monday afternoon.

Miss Mozelle Barger is the house guest of Mrs. J. A. Fink.

G. R. Fink has purchased a fine horse for use on his farm.

Levi Deal visited Lloyd Powlas the tenth. With the return of favorable weather the farmers are again visited with those who accustom themselves to bird-shooting, much to the disadvantage of the farmer himself who prizes his birds and wishes to keep them.

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### WIFE OF HEIR SEEKS DIVORCE

New York—Carrying orchids from her husband, Mrs. Tommy Manville, wife of the much-married heir to a \$50,000,000 asbestos fortune, was bound for Reno, Nev., to seek a divorce. The fourth Mrs. Manville, former show girl, left here by airplane for the west with the orchids.

### FIVE BURN TO DEATH

Poplar Bluff, Mo.—Mrs. Vergie Willard, 26, and her four children were burned to death at their home, near Tuske, Mo. A can of oil used by the husband and father, Poney Willard, to start a stove fire exploded. He was critically injured.

### SEND EXHIBIT SOUTHWARD

Philadelphia—The Sentinels of the Republic sent a motor caravan southward with an exhibit and motion pictures "in defense of the constitution." Raymond Pitcarin, national chairman of the organization, presiding at a ceremony at Independence Hall, said "We are organized and pledged to maintain the fundamental principles of the American Constitution."

The United States-Canadian boundary line is 3,898 miles long.

### Colorado Songbird



NEW YORK . . . Miss Josephine Antoine (above), young American coloratura soprano of Boulder, Colorado, won much praise from the critics in her Metropolitan debut in the opera, "Mignon". The National Music League later entertained her as an honored guest.

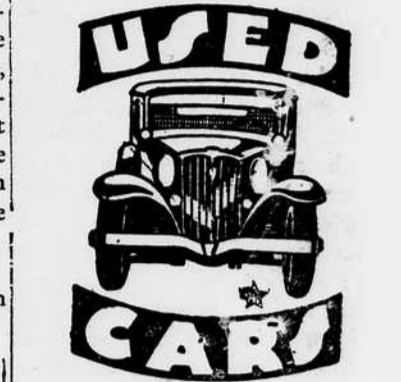
### ASK F. R. TO FIGHT BONUS

New York—A letter to President Roosevelt from the New York board of trade, urging him to use his influence to defeat the soldiers' bonus bill, was made public by Percy C. Magnus, president of the board. It called the bill an "unwarranted assault upon the national treasury."

### COMPENSATION LAWS APPROVED

Washington—The social security board announced the approval of unemployment compensation laws adopted by five states and the District of Columbia. The states were Alabama, California, New Hampshire, Oregon and Wisconsin.

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