

# NEWTON RITES HELD MONDAY

Funeral rites for Mrs. Bryson Newton, 45, of Casar were held Monday afternoon at 3:30 at New Hope Methodist church with the Rev. J. G. Higgins, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. E. L. McDaniel, the Rev. Theodore Luckadoo and the Rev. Otis Cook.

Mrs. Newton, who died at her home Saturday is survived by her husband and three children, Mrs. Amos Earle Pruett of Casar, Misses Ruby and Mayme Newton of the home; two sisters, Mrs. Guy McNeilly and Mrs. Haywood Parker; and one brother, Grady Luckadoo, all of Casar.

Palbearers for the funeral service were Molon, Ernest and Alvin Newton, Theodore McNeilly and Elbert Jones.

# COTTON HIT BY HAIL MAY YET PRODUCE

There is a chance that the cotton which was so badly damaged by hail in the Sharon community may yet produce some cotton. Farmers in that community are continuing to cultivate the mangled stalks and Ben Jenkins, county agent, said this morning that some of the stalks are beginning to sprout. Whether the stalks will produce fiber is a matter which remains to be seen. In some fields applications of nitrate of soda were made.

The county farm office estimates that more than 500 acres of cotton were in the hardest hit section. The loss was severe to some planters who had a year's effort and all their capital tied up in their crops.

# Woolsey Sees Bright Future For Business

CHAPEL HILL, July 10.—(P)—Pointing to a bright future for business and labor, Ebert S. Woolsey, vice president of the Louisville Trust company, Louisville, Ky., told Carolina bankers here last night, "It now looks like natural economic forces will provide full employment and good business for the next several years."

Addressing 125 representative bankers of the two Carolinas in classroom session at the ninth annual bankers conference at the University of North Carolina, Woolsey declared, "bank deposits have risen from 65 billion dollars five years ago to nearly 160 billion, due almost entirely to the increase in government debt."

"Interest rates will not go lower and will not go appreciably higher for some years," he said.

# Final Report Due Tonight On Seventh War Loan Campaign

A final report to the nation on the Seventh War Loan will be broadcast tonight from 7 to 7:30 p.m. tonight over the CBS network. War Finance Chairman George Blanton said today.

Final reports from E bond sales in Cleveland county indicate the total approached the \$500,000 mark, considerably short of the \$744,000 quota—North Carolina as a whole was \$7,800,000 under its \$53,500,000 quota in that category. The state and the county went well over the top in over-all sales in the Seventh War Loan.

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would be much stronger if the security council were permitted to make recommendations for the peaceful settlement of international disputes on a simple majority basis in all cases.

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only of the regular issued ratings. Beyer, the ranking member of the group, was the first to go to the gallows. Eight guards marched the German who wore blue leggings and blue pants, a suntan uniform coat and open-necked shirt, into a utility warehouse where army engineers had constructed a trap door gallow in an elevator shaft. Col. William S. Eley, commandant of the disciplinary barracks, read the execution order, relayed to the prisoner through an interpreter. Asked if he had a last statement, Beyer replied: "I can't see why this is being done to me."

As a black hood was placed over Beyer's head Maj. John Sagar, post chaplain, prayed as he was marched to the gallows, where three-foot trap was sprung at 12:06 A. M. (C. C. W. T.)

The other four prisoners followed at half hour intervals, the last, Willi Scholz, dropping through the trap at 2:11 A. M.

The Ohio senator pointed out that if one of the Big Five—the United States, Great Britain, Russia, China and France—is a party to a dispute, it cannot vote on any peaceful settlement issue. If none of the Big Five is involved, however, all must vote affirmatively before the council can propose any settlement.

"Why is it so important that a major nation have the right to veto the terms of a peaceful settlement, in which it is not concerned?" Burton demanded.

Pavlovsky replied that a recommendation concurred in by the Big Five would carry much more weight than a peaceful settlement proposal on which they were divided.

Chief Critic

Bass-voiced Eugene Donald Millikin emerged today as the chief senatorial critic of United Nations charter provisions at foreign relations committee hearings on the document.

The bulky, bald Colorado Republican took over the task of examining State department officials minutely on almost every section of the 19-chapter agreement signed by 50 nations at San Francisco.

It seemed likely that Millikin also might become the principal author of any major reservations offered to the treaty ratification resolution, since Senator Taft (R-Ohio) told a reporter he would not take the leadership in presenting such proposals.

Taft and Millikin have been conferring about the possibility of spelling out in a reservation the authority of the American delegate on the proposed world security council. The council would be charged with the forceful prevention of aggression if peaceful means fail.

With Democratic Leader Barkley (Ky.) promising senate right of way to ratification resolution, Chairman Connally (D-Tex.) prodded witnesses along in an effort to wind up committee hearings this week.

# STOLEN

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only possible clue was a diaper, belonging to the hospital, which was left at a Marion home by a strange woman who stopped there Sunday night to change her baby's clothing.

She left hurriedly when the owner became suspicious.

FATHER QUESTIONED

Meanwhile at Columbus Ohio Army state and local authorities sought through further questioning of the Air Force gunner to learn whether he could furnish clues which might lead to the identity of the person responsible for the mysterious disappearance of his six-day-old baby.

The child was taken Sunday night from the Marion City hospital.

Police Chief Marks said the father was "definitely separated from any responsibility in the kidnapping." This statement was issued after Creviston, who had not seen the child, was questioned for several hours at Lockbourne Army Air base near Columbus, where he is stationed.

Capt. F. W. Garwacki, Provost Marshal at Lockbourne, asserted: "As far as the army is concerned, the boy is clear."

Sergeant Creviston, who was married in May, 1944, after being liberated from a German prison camp, left his base Thursday to attend a house party in Fostoria, Ohio, 46 miles north of Marion.

Cordell Hull was practicing law in Tennessee before he was old enough to vote.



GERMAN PRISONERS SHOT BY GUARD IN UTAH CAMP—A German war prisoner, (top), one of 20 wounded by a burst of machine gun fire from a guard at a camp in Salina, Utah, is removed from an ambulance at a nearby hospital. Eight other German prisoners were killed by the barrage which was suddenly let loose by the soldier-guard, identified by Col. Arthur Ericsson, camp commander, as Pfc. Clarence Bertucci of New Orleans, La., who was placed under arrest. Why he fired was a question unanswered publicly. Bottom: Six of the wounded Germans rest in a hospital waiting room. All were asleep in their tents when the firing started.—(AP Wirephotos).

# Unemployment Benefits Likely Hard To Increase

WASHINGTON, July 10.—(P)—A rough and uncertain congressional course lay ahead today for legislation embodying President Truman's plan to broaden unemployment benefits during reconstruction to peacetime production.

Mr. Truman asked for such a program in a special message to Congress May 28, saying that "decent unemployment benefits would serve as a bulwark against post-war deflation" and that workers held to war production have created "a moral obligation" on the part of the government.

Doughton called the ways and means group to meet tomorrow, with indications pointing to a committee decision to put off action on the bill until fall.

# Grace Church Men's Class Has Fish Fry

KINGS MOUNTAIN.—The members of the men's class of the Grace Methodist church, East Kings Mountain enjoyed a fish fry and dinner near the old water works in the northern part of town, Sunday noon.

Lee Roberts, barber and member is the class, was one of those in charge of the dinner. Almost all members of the class were present.



THROUGH THE NIAGARA RAPIDS IN A BARREL—The steel barrel (top), carrying William "Red" Hill, Jr., on his ride through turbulent rock-strewn rapids of the Niagara river was traveling about 40 miles an hour when this picture was made in Niagara Glen one of the roughest parts of the river. Bottom: Hill (center), pale and shaken, waves a greeting to onlookers as he climbs from the barrel after going through the seven-mile rapids in an hour and 40 minutes. Police of Niagara Falls, Ont., are threatening action because Hill foiled their attempt to prevent the trip.—(AP Wirephoto).

# TIRE QUOTA CUT BY 100

With a tire quota less by 100 than in June, the Shelby rationing board is based with more applications than it can fill, it was stated by rationing officials this morning.

Hot weather has resulted in many damaged tires and motorists have been driven to applying for new tires.

All applications will be examined in the light of essential uses to which they will be put, J. J. Hartigan, secretary of the board, said.

# NIPS

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1. Persons identified as "leading Japanese industrialists" were reported to the state department as desiring to know the best possible conditions the Allies would advance for a compromise peace.

2. A neutral diplomat in Tokyo reported, Grew related, "that he had been told by private Japanese individual that the Japanese could not accept unconditional surrender, because it would mean loss of face."

3. A Japanese representative in a neutral country "intimated to an American citizen through a German newspaperman that real American interests in the Far East should lead the United States to abandon unconditional surrender and proposed terms for a negotiated peace."

A. A person whom Grew described as unidentified contacted an American diplomatic mission in a neutral country and claimed "that he had been authorized (by whom was not indicated) to approach the government of the neutral country with a view to persuading the Allies to drop unconditional surrender and to propose terms."

Grew described the peace feelers as "the usual moves in the conduct of psychological warfare by a defeated enemy."

# AIRMEN

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caught unprepared with the city's lights on until the Superforts neared their targets.

Fliers from Saipan's 73rd wing said the chemical and munitions city of Sakai was "a mass of flames."

"They were searchlights, flak and B-29s all over the sky and a string of fires all up and down the coast wherever you looked," as Superforts left the Utsube refinery, reported Lt. William C. Boone, 304 West Washington Ave., Kingston, N. C.

Guam-based 314th wing crewmen said fires were spreading all over the island, a railroad and papermill center; and Wakayama was reported "plastered" with firebombs.

# Kings Mountain Man Wounded At Okinawa

Cpl. Charles Black, son of Mrs. J. B. Self of Kings Mountain, who is stationed with the First Marine Division, was wounded in action on Okinawa June 12, according to word received by Mrs. Self, Cpl. Black, who entered the service March 1941, served in Panama for 27 months before being sent to the Pacific in May of this year. He was hit by a mortar shell, suffering shrapnel wounds in the right arm and leg, and several broken ribs.

# Three Clevelanders At Keesler Field, Miss.

Three Clevelanders have entered basic training at Keesler Field, Miss., for a period of orientation and physical training. They are Pvt. Lawrence R. Hawkins, Jr., son of Lawrence R. Hawkins of route 5; Pvt. Beryle L. Heffner, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Heffner of 520 S. DeKalb street, and Pvt. Luther H. Beam, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stough Beam of Fallston. After training there, they will be assigned to a school for special technical training.

# Rocky Mountain Fever Causes Death

LUMBERTON, July 10.—(P)—The first fatality from Rocky Mountain spotted fever in three years has been recorded in Robeson county. The victim was Theresa Tyner, six-year-old daughter of Mrs. Bunyon Tyner of route 4. The child died in a local hospital Saturday after a two weeks' illness.

# Roberts Rejoins Pilot Life Company

KINGS MOUNTAIN.—Garland M. Roberts, 108 Tracy Street, Kings Mountain, supervisor of the receiving department of U. S. Rubber Company, Charlotte for the past 30 months recently resigned that position to accept his former position with the Pilot Life Insurance company, Kings Mountain, it was learned this week.

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# Today's Markets

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N. Y. COTTON CLOSE

	Today	Prev. Day
March	22.98	22.89
May	22.97	22.88
July	22.65	22.69
October	22.94	22.85
December	22.96	22.88

CHICAGO GRAIN

WHEAT

July	1.65%	1.65%
September	1.63%	1.63%
December	1.63%	1.63%

CORN

July	1.18%	1.18%
September	1.18%	1.18%
December	1.18%	1.17%

RYE

July	1.46%	1.44%
September	1.37%	1.36%
December	1.36%	1.35%

STOCKS AT 2:00

Amn Rolling Mill	22 3-8
American Loco	34 3-4
American Tob B	79 1-2
American Tel and Tel	182 3-8
Anaconda Copper	35 1-8
Assoc Dry Goods	22 28
Beth Steel	82 3-8
Boeing Air	27 7-8
Chrysler	111 1-2
Curtiss-Wright	7
Elec Boat	18 1-4
Gen Motors	68 1-2
Pepl Cola	22 1-2
Greyhound Corp	25 1-4
International Paper	27 3-4
Nash Kelly	20
Glenn L Martin	28
Newport Ind	26 3-4
N Y Central	30
Penn R R	39
Radio Corp	12 7-8
Reynolds Tob B	34 1-4
Southern Railroad	50 5-8
Stand Oil N J	63 3-8
Sperry Corp	32 1-2
U S Rubber	54 1-2
U S Steel	70 7-8
Western Union	48 3-8
Youngstown S and T	39

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# WAR PLANT

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# SHUTTLE BLOCK CASE IS HEARD

Judge E. Y. Webb held in abeyance judgment in the case of O. L. Cope, of Sylvia, charged with selling shuttle blocks above the ceiling price with the expectation that the ceiling will be raised shortly. This action was taken following a hearing in United States District court this morning and after evidence was offered to the effect that if the 1942 ceiling on shuttle blocks was enforced, it would close down this western North Carolina industry. The action was instituted by the Office of Price Administration which was represented at the hearing this morning by C. W. Clayton of Charlotte.

In another case in which an OPA violation was charged, R. W. Eldridge Handkerchief Manufacturing company, of Charlotte, was found to have complied with all the rules and the action was dismissed. The defendant company was represented by D. E. Henderson, of Charlotte.

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# WEATHER

CHARLOTTE, July 10.—(P)—Official weather bureau records of the temperature and rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 8:30 a.m.

Station	H	L	fall
Asheville	65	52	
Augusta	72	60	
Birmingham	96	80	
Boston	88	69	
Charlotte	88	76	.86
Charlotte	75	60	
Columbia	82	60	
Galveston	91	80	
Greensboro	89	60	
Los Angeles	83	61	
Memphis	87	71	1.14
Miami	85	78	.00
Mobile	92	70	.00
Mt. Mitchell	69	54	.15
New Orleans	83	74	.01
New York	84	61	.02
Raleigh	71	50	
Spartanburg	70	51	
Washington	87	66	.39
Wilmington	75	57	

A thought about farm safety. A farm home is not a bulwark of democracy until it is a safe home.