

Chinese Continue To Drive South



PATROL WORK SPEEDED—Patrolling the streets of Dunn is both faster and easier today since installation of the city's new police radio system. Police Chief George Arthur Jackson, in the top picture, is shown here as he relayed a message to Sergeant C. F. Wood, below, who was sitting across town in the police car. With the radio system, headquarters can now contact the patrol car just as quickly as a voice can speak into the microphone. Chief Jackson had been seeking a police radio system for many years. Incidentally, the two officers shown here are the oldest on the force. (Daily Record Photo by Tommy Wood.)

Bigger Army Bigger Tanks Before Solons

Senator George In Favor Of New Pay-As-You-Go Plan

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—(UP)—Manpower and money—a bigger draft and bigger taxes—bothered Congress today.

A draft of 18-year-olds seemed headed for Congressional approval. But some legislators doubted the wisdom of a possible \$20,000,000,000 tax boost.

The Defense Department's proposed program to strengthen the nation's armed forces will be presented to Congress next week. Legislators appeared ready to go along with lowering of the draft age from 19 to 18. But Chairman Richard B. Russell, D. Ga., of the Senate Armed Services Committee opposed a section of the plan which would lengthen the service period from 21 to 27 months.

As for taxes, Rep. Robert L. Doughton, D. N. C., chairman of the tax-writing House Ways and Means Committee, said he wouldn't want to say that even a \$15,000,000,000 tax increase is "practical" although it is possible.

PAY AS YOU GO

Chairman Walter F. George, D. Ga., of the Senate Finance Committee said he favored a pay-as-you-go tax scheme, but has "never committed myself to a program that would destroy our economy."

President Truman wants a balanced budget in the fiscal year beginning next July. The budget is expected to be about \$75,000,000,000. Present taxes raise \$55,000,000,000. That leaves a gap of \$20,000,000,000.

ELSEWHERE IN CONGRESS

Troops—Sen. William F. Knowland, R., Calif., proposed that one U. S. fighting division be sent to Europe for every six furnished by the nation's Atlantic Pact Allies. He said this should be continued until the United States Army includes 10 American divisions and 60 Allied divisions.

Appropriations—Sen. Kenneth (Continued On Page Two)



DUNN CONCERN IN NEW HOME—Pictured here is the modern new home of Automotive Supply Company of Dunn, located on North Railroad Avenue in the building which formerly served as the old Dunn Armory. The firm had a fire late last fall at their North Wilson Avenue location and moved to the new building, which has been completely renovated, improved and modernized. Automotive Supply Company, founded here in 1936, is operated by Henry Shell, Bill Barfield and Mack Hamilton, all well-known Dunn business men. The firm is a member of National Automotive Parts Association, nation-wide parts company. Mr. Shell said today that the company is planning a formal opening at a later date. (Daily Record Photo by T. M. Stewart.)

But Stopped By Sleet, Snow Storms

Powerful Enemy Column Drives Deep Into Eighth Army's Flank

TOKYO, Jan. 11.—(UP)—A powerful column bit deep into the U. S. 8th Army's flank today in an end run around embattled Wonju to a point 70 miles south of Korea's 38th Parallel.

The new threat was disclosed by 8th Army headquarters as fighting just below the Central Korean stronghold on Wonju tapered off temporarily in snow and sleet storms.

An 8th Army spokesman reported a "large number" of enemy troops moving south six to eight miles north of Tanyang, a railway and highway hub 35 miles southeast of Wonju.

It was the farthest South the Communists have penetrated since they cracked the old Chongchon River line in Northwest Korea in late November.

The thrust not only endangered the outnumbered U. S. 2nd division at Wonju, but threatened to flank strategic Chungju, 22 miles west of Tanyang, and was aimed straight across escape highways from Western Korea to the old Pusan Beachhead.

American Dutch and French units of the Divisions did little more than exchange small arms and artillery fire and send out probing patrols today. United Press War Correspondent Joe Quinn reported from the front at 5 P. M. (3 A. M. EST).

American 115 and 105-millimeter howitzers blasted enemy positions from entrenchments behind the Allied defense perimeter five miles southwest, two miles south and 10 miles southeast of Wonju.

Sky Raiders and Marine Corsairs added to the toll of enemy troops with 100-pound fragmentation bombs, rockets and napalm, (flaming jellied gasoline) in a blistering air raid on Wonju during a momentary break in the overcast.

MRS. GODWIN DIES

Mrs. H. L. Godwin Sr., former resident of Dunn, died suddenly at her home in Raleigh about 1 a. m. Thursday. Funeral arrangements are incomplete and will be announced.

MR. WILKINS DIES

Leamon Wilkes, Dunn Rt. 2, died suddenly at his home at 9 a. m. Thursday. Arrangements for funeral rites are not complete and will be announced.

Walter Lee Funeral Set

Walter C. Lee, 71, Dunn Rt. 3, died at 4 p. m. Wednesday at Highsmith Hospital in Fayetteville.

He had been in ill health for several years and confined to bed for two years. His death followed a serious illness of two weeks.

A farmer, he was a native of Harnett County. He was a member of the Lee's Grove Freewill Baptist Church, where services will be held Friday afternoon at 2:30, conducted by the Rev. J. B. Capps and the Rev. C. W. Kirby. Burial will be in the Lee family cemetery.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Betty Jane Lee of Dunn Rt. 3; five daughters, Miss Jessie Myrel Lee of the home, Mrs. Alvester Coats of Dunn Rt. 3, Mrs. Frank Kernigan and Mrs. Roy Tew of Dunn, and Mrs. Mack Sills of Erwin; two brothers, E. G. Lee and J. Eldridge Lee of Dunn Rt. 3; two sisters, Mrs. D. P. Jones and Mrs. W. H. Capps of Dunn Rt. 3; seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

The deceased is a son of the late Joseph and Sarah C. Lee.

Soldiers Deny Rape Of Erwin Teen-Ager

By JIM HENDERSON Record Staff Writer

State and defense attorneys today at noon were waiting for Superior Court Judge G. K. Nimocks to rule on a motion for dismissal in the case of Sergeant Harold D. Roy and Pfc. James D. Slate two paratroopers accused of attempting to ravish Mrs. Mary Lloyd Pope, 17-year-old Erwin girl.

THE COURTROOM IS PACKED WITH SPECTATORS

Attorneys Neil McK Salmon and A. A. F. Sewell, Jr. made the motion shortly before noon, claiming that evidence was not sufficient for the case to go to the jury.

District Attorney Jack Hooks and Private Prosecutor Everette Doffmyre argued that the evidence was ample to secure a conviction and that the soldiers were fortunate not to be on trial for their lives.

WITNESSES TODAY

Witnesses this morning included Sergeant Billie Bowie of Fort Bragg and Mrs. Elgie Yanny of Dunn, sister of the victim who corroborated her testimony in detail.

Sergeant John Cheo of the military intelligence service testified that Slate had admitted to him that he helped Roy throw the girl into the back seat of the car on the night of the crime, but Judge Nimocks held this testimony was not competent since Roy was not present.

Sergeant Cheo, who made an excellent witness, also related that Roy had admitted to him that he had had intercourse with the young woman, but claimed it was with her consent.

Judge Nimocks would not allow photographs to be offered as evidence. (Continued On Page Three)

Joint Concert Set By Festival Group

The duo-recital takes the place of a scheduled appearance of Dulcie Barlow, harpist, who has been forced to postpone her engagement because of illness, according to Joseph Bouchard, association director.

To appear in the joint recital are Edgar Alden, violinist, and William S. Newman, pianist. Both are professors in the Department of music at the University of North Carolina. Both are natives of Ohio, and both have been members of the music faculty of the University since 1946.

The recital is scheduled for 8 p. m. Admission charges will be 60 cents for students and \$1.20 for the general public.

FINE BACKGROUND Newman, who is assistant professor of music at the university, has several published works to his credit, including three editions of keyboard sonatas, a textbook on music appreciation titled "The Pianist's Problems," and a "History of the Sonata Idea." He is a well-known lecturer on musical subjects, as well as a finished performer.

Alden is an instructor in violin and music appreciation at the university. Before the war, he was a concertmaster and soloist with the North Carolina Symphony, and he professes a special interest in chamber music. His hobbies are photography, electronics and furniture building, and he has built most of the furniture in his Chapel Hill home. For his concert appearances, (Continued On Page Seven)

Dunn Church Is Host To District Laymen

"Men must live together as men, or die like dogs," Dr. Frederick West, head of the Department of Religion of Atlantic Christian College, told members of the Mill Creek Laymen's League at the quarterly meeting at Dunn Armory Wednesday evening.

An openly avowed devotion to God is an important aspect of this living together, he pointed out.

He noted a healthy change in the public attitude toward religion since the last war. A man is now able to hold respect of his fellowmen although frankly devoted to the church. This was not always so, he said; it has not been too many years since the church was considered primarily the concern of women and effeminate men.

Since the Civil War, three areas of public life have not been entered sufficiently by men, he said. He named the law, teaching and the ministry as these professions which did not attract enough strong men in the time between the Civil War

and World War II. Able young men went into business or science instead of giving their talents to these neglected fields.

The speaker predicted a continuing trend for able, intelligent young men to offer their services to these professions. He especially looked forward to a more manly type of leadership for the churches in the future.

Dr. A. R. Mallard, Goldsboro, president of the league, presided. The women of Hood Memorial Christian Church served dinner to begin the meeting. Attending were 112 men from churches throughout the Mill Creek district.

The host church presented a measure which have ruptured Deming musical program, on which Eugene Huggins sang a solo, "The Holy City," and a quartet composed of W. L. Thames, Vernon Bass, James Britt and Wallace Dixon sang two selections.

A business meeting followed the dinner.

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Around Capitol Square

By LYNN NISBET RALEIGH CORRESPONDENT

AMENDMENTS—The fact that two proposals to amend the state constitution were made in one session of the senate during its first week indicates recognition of need for re-writing that document.

At the same session Wednesday proposal made in both senate and house for a commission to study governmental organization in North Carolina, at both state and local levels. Other bills along the same line are expected. Proposed constitutional changes were to permit 18 year olds to vote and providing for speedier filling of vacancies occurring in membership of the general assembly, during or immediately before the assembly convenes.

DEPARTURE—Both proposals represent definite departure from tradition in North Carolina, but the suggested method of filing legislative vacancies goes farther a—Continued On Page Three)

1951 Plymouth Will Be Shown On Saturday

The beautiful new 1951 Plymouth, heralded by the manufacturer as offering driving and riding ease heretofore unknown in automobiles of any price class, will go on display Saturday at three agencies in Harnett County.

These new models will be shown by Naylor-Dickey Motors and W. and W. Motor Company in Dunn and at the Coats Motor Company in Coats.

All details and descriptions of the new Plymouth are secret until the big showing Saturday and cannot be revealed today.

All details and descriptions of the new Plymouth are secret and cannot be divulged until the nation-wide announcement is made tomorrow. Both pictures and descriptions will appear in tomorrow's issue of The Daily Record.

Dewey Whitenton of W. and S. Motors, Bob Dickey and Luby Naylor of Naylor-Dickey and Guy Stewart of Coats Motor Company extend to the public a cordial invitation to visit their showrooms and see this fine new automobile.

BULLETINS

LONDON, Jan. 11.—(UP)—Veteran bookmaker Sid Hales offered 1,000 to 1 odds today against the outbreak of World War III in 1951 and 500 to 1 odds for 1952.

THE HAGUE, The Netherlands, Jan. 11.—(UP)—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower said today there will not be another war if the free world marshalls its spiritual, intellectual and material resources.

MEDFORD, Mass., Jan. 11.—(UP)—A general alarm fire swept the Rita Maria riding school early today, destroying at least 36 saddle horses. Damage was estimated at about \$75,000.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—(UP)—Reliable sources said today that the United States has informed Britain that it intends to hold out in Korea despite Communist China's full-scale intervention. These sources said Sir Oliver Franks, British (Continued On Page Six)

NEWS BRIEF

GREENSBORO, N. C., Jan. 11.—(UP)—C. A. (Shug) York, confessed chief of a butter-and-egg lottery syndicate, faced trial in Municipal Court today on a charge of highjacking an \$8,000 cargo of bootleg whisky in 1939.

Ginners Meet Here Tonight

Ginners of three counties—Harnett, Sampson and Cumberland—will meet at 6:30 p. m. Thursday at Johnson's Diner to review plans for meeting the 1951 cotton production goal.

Greater production of this crop has been asked on both state and national levels, to enable the nation to meet its needs for defense, following harvest of the poorest crop in many years in 1950. As a result of the bad crop year, the nation is threatened with a shortage of this vital product, according to agriculture department spokesmen.

Fred P. Johnson, marketing specialist and director of the cotton section of the marketing division, State Department of Agriculture, will meet with the ginners. He is expected to present the recommendations of the Extension Service on production and insect controls.

The meeting is being held at the request of leading ginners of the three counties. They will be asked to help achieve larger production of cotton this year.

FIRE AT ERWIN

Erwin firemen answered a call last night at 6:30 to a grass fire in the Erwin Cemetery. Secretary G. V. Fowler reported today that 16 firemen responded to the call. Mr. Fowler said no damage was done. W. H. New is chief of Erwin's fire department.

HI YA' PODNER. I'll be seeing you every day in this newspaper soon! Follow the action-filled adventures of HOPALONG CASSIDY daily in this newspaper.