

UNIDENTIFIED PLANES SEEN NEAR FORMOSA

Reds Flee In Human Stream Before Allied "Killer" Offensive

Large Crowd Attends First Services At Methodist Church

A large crowd was on hand last night at the Divine St. Methodist Church in Dunn to hear Dr. J. Rufus Moseley, noted spiritual leader, open a series of evangelistic services which will continue through Sunday, March 3.

Dr. Moseley will fill the pulpit again tonight and at both services Sunday.

DR POWELL WILL CONTINUE Next week, Dr. Howard P. Powell, pastor of the Edenton St. Methodist Church in Raleigh, will continue the series of services.

The Rev. Joyce V. Early, pastor of the church pointed out today that services will be held at 10 o'clock each morning and at 7:30 each evening, except Saturdays.

Dr. Moseley, now past 80 but still a powerful speaker, delivered an outstanding message at the opening of the evangelistic campaign last night.

PLEASUED WITH CROWD Early said he was highly pleased with the large crowd present for the opening and with the unusual amount of interest and enthusiasm being shown in the meeting.

Dr. Moseley is a layman with a colorful background of service. He is inter-denominational and is in great demand as a speaker in all sections of the country.

Special music will be presented at each service.

Following is a list of the subjects which Dr. Powell will discuss next week:

Monday night—"Family Secrets."

Tuesday morning—"Love Is Very Patient."

Tuesday night—"The Sin of Taking It Easy."

Wednesday morning—"Love Can Overlook Faults."

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Assembly Has Single Street Bill Remaining

RALEIGH, Feb. 23—(AP)—Only one bill designed to make the State build city streets remained in the legislative field today, and it was Sen. Junius K. Powell's measure to do the job without a tax increase.

The House Finance Committee killed off a street-construction measure that would have increased the gasoline tax seven-tenths of a cent per gallon by a vote of 38-11 yesterday. They then beat down delaying attempts to approve Powell's bill by a voice vote.

WANT GRUDGE BILL The action followed a hearing at which opponents of the Powell bill spoke for one hour, warning that it's diversion of \$5,000,000 from the primary highway fund would endanger the primary highway system. Spokesmen for the governor's Municipal Roads commission, the State Farm Bureau, the State Grange and mayors of several small towns urged instead passage of the tax-increase measure proposed by Rep. Lamar Gudger.

Key speaker for the Powell bill was Mayor Dan K. Edwards of Durham, chairman of the Legislative Committee of the North Carolina League of Municipalities, who said he represented 124 towns favoring the Powell bill. "Cities pay one third of the taxes which go into the highway fund but get back only about four per cent," he said. "If more money is needed for primary roads, then put on taxes." (Continued On Page Three)



DUNN PASTOR AND EVANGELIST—The Rev. Joyce V. Early, pastor of Divine Street Methodist Church in Dunn, is shown here this morning with Dr. J. Rufus Moseley, noted spiritual leader, who opened a series of evangelistic services at the local church last night. Dr. Moseley will preach again tonight and at both services on Sunday. (Daily Record Photo by T. M. Stewart.)

Co of C Head Asks Businesses GOP Trips On To Support Local Chamber Troop Question

President Eugene Smith of the Dunn Chamber of Commerce, in calling on all local business firms today to give their full personal and financial support to the chamber program, declared that he believed that if a few hundred dollars were made available to the chamber for an industrializing effort that a new industry could be brought to town within six months.

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Residents Run To Shelters In Near Panic

TAIPEI, Formosa, Feb. 23 (AP)—Three to six planes believed from Red China approached from the north-west today and sent Taipei residents scurrying to air raid shelters and the open country in near panic.

REPORT NATIONALIST FLIGHTS (Hong Kong reports said Chinese Nationalist planes have resumed reconnaissance flights over Red-held Hainan Island, where Soviet engineers were reported building a naval base, and the Communist mainland coast).

However, air defense headquarters reported the planes turned away while still 100 miles from this American-protected Chinese Nationalist island and Nationalist fighters were unable to intercept them.

Formosa's first air alert since World War II was sounded in Taipei, the capital, and the naval base town of Keelung a few miles to the east at 10:30 a. m. (9:30 p. m. EST). The all-clear followed an hour later. Although Taipei had taken a practice alert calmly yesterday, its inhabitants stampeded to places of safety when the alarm sounded today. All traffic stopped and electric power was cut.

Vice Admiral Arthur D. Struble, whose U. S. 7th Fleet is under orders from President Truman to prevent a Communist attack on Formosa, arrived in Taipei a half-hour after the all-clear was sounded.

FOLLOW STASSEN He will be followed by State Department Adviser John Stassen (Continued On Page Three)

UN Spearheads Move On Key Highway City

TOKYO, Feb. 23—(AP)—United Nations forces rammed seven miles deeper into Communist territory in east-central Korea today and reported the Communists were fleeing in a human stream from their new "killer" offensive.

Spearheading American troops seized Pyongyang on the eastern end of the flaming Korean front and rolled on four miles beyond without opposition.

THREATEN HOENGSONG Twenty-five miles to the west another American division smashed four miles forward and occupied hills overlooking the big road hub of Hoengsong, key to the central front highway network.

In its four-mile drive the Hoengsong column captured Hill 166, key to the Communist defense line, and swept forward so fast the Americans were able to take over half-finished Communist foxholes on the banks of the frozen Amnui River south of the town. U. S. tanks rolled up the hills overlooking Hoengsong and began pouring point-blank gunfire into the smoking city. Dive bombers wheeled in to join the destruction with tons of bombs. An estimated 10,000 Chinese Communist troops protecting Hoengsong fled under the massive power of the United Nations troops arrayed against them. They offered no resistance after losing Hill 166 early in the day. However, American commanders ordered their troops to dig in for the night on the hills overlooking the city. In Korean warfare, a city is considered a death trap during the night. The frontal assault on Hoengsong was accompanied by a second (Continued On Page Seven)

BULLETINS

OSLO, Norway, Feb. 23—(AP)—U. S. Supreme Court Court Justice Robert H. Jackson and Robert M. Hutchins, former president of the University of Chicago, were among 35 persons and organizations nominated today for the 1951 Nobel Peace Prize.

GANDER, Nfld., Feb. 23—(AP)—Britain's super-secret Canberra jet bomber left at 9:57 (EST) today for Washington, where it is to undergo exhaustive tests by the United States Air Force. Flight Lieutenant Arthur Gallard, the pilot, estimated he would reach Washington in two hours and 45 minutes.

FAIRMONT, W. Va., Feb. 23—Defiant coal miners, protesting new mine safety legislation, remained away from work today and industry observers doubted they would return to the pits before Monday.

Erwin Marine Is Promoted

Here's Data On Best Way To Annex Record Contest

State News Briefs

By BILL & DORIS GUPTON Contest Editors Tension in the Lillington, Benson, Erwin and Dunn area mounts with each passing hour as contestants in the Record's big "Everybody Wins" prize subscription. HERE'S HOW TO DO IT During the "second period" of the contest—now in effect, but fast drawing to a close—subscriptions still count plenty BIG in votes. For example, three 24 months subscriptions, by mail, at special low rates in effect during the contest, counting the 50,000 extra votes issued on each \$30.00 "club" now means 110,000 votes. Just a mere 16 such "clubs" adds up to exactly 1,100,000 votes, and who can't score up that many subscriptions to win prizes worth thousands of dollars? IT CAN BE DONE—TRY IT AND SEE! drive come closer to prizes amounting to an aggregate total of \$5,000. A queen once offered all her earthly possessions for something owned by the poorest subject in her kingdom. Everyone in the entire Dunn area has this valuable subscription. It cannot be bought, sold or exchanged, yet it is the most precious commodity in the world, and may decide who wins first

prize in the now famous Record subscription contest. A MOMENT OF TIME It is a little thing, but it has changed the tide of battles, toppled kingdoms, altered history. Queen Elizabeth didn't realize the value of it either, until she was about to be deprived of it forever. Then, her last words were "All my possessions for a moment of time." A moment of time! In exactly 19 more working days, many contestants, like Queen Elizabeth will beg for another moment of time. They will have realized, after it is all over, that every moment of time in these final days of the contest could have been utilized to increase their standing when the race is finished. The winner will be the person who used those remaining days to the greatest advantage. The race is close. The final outcome will be a real test of last minute effort. Go after those subscriptions; tap every source you can think of while a two-year subscription still brings you 20,000 votes. In a close race, the little things count... a few moments wasted, or the difference in a few thousand votes can be a deciding factor. Remember, in the final period just a few days away, the scheduled value in a two-year subscription (Continued on Page 7)

PICK UP SUSPECT JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Feb. 23.—(AP)—Jacksonville detectives have been informed that a 21-year-old Negro man arrested here for vagrancy is Robert Smith, an escapee from a North Carolina prison. FIRE KILLS MARINE CAMP LEJEUNE, Feb. 23.—(AP)—Officials of the Camp Lejeune Marine Base disclosed today that an early morning fire yesterday took the life of Cpl. James C. Glass of Lynchburg, Va. Officers said fire broke out in the Marine base trailer camp and destroyed the trailer home in which Glass was sleeping. A board of investigation was convened to investigate. DUNN SOLDIER IS WAR CASUALTY Private Willie R. Wade, 21, of Dunn, N. C., has been killed in action in Korea. The family was notified today. A telegram to his brother, Cleveland Wade of Dunn, N. C., advised that the Dunn soldier is a casualty of the war. Private Wade, son of John Wade of Dunn, N. C., had been (Continued On Page Three)

Police Report Two Wrecks

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Heavy Docket Disposed Of

Harnett Judge Floyd H. Taylor and County Solicitor Neill McK. Ross had a busy day Tuesday. In contrast with only one case tried the week before, they disposed of 46 cases in an all-day session. William Makepeace, operator of an automobile while under the influence of intoxicants; nol prosequit. J. C. Cummings, no operator's license, defendant deceased, action abated. Jack A. Tutar, no operator's license; pay costs. Leslie Rand Bailey, no operator's license; pay costs. Eva Jackson, abandonment of children and drunk and disorderly; not guilty. Paul H. Phelps, speeding, not guilty. Clarence McGregory, breaking (Continued On Page Four)

BULLETIN Pass Amendment

RALEIGH, Feb. 23—North Carolina today became the 34th state to ratify a proposed amendment to the United States Constitution limiting the president to two terms, leaving only two ratifications needed to make the amendment effective. Senator J. Robert Young of Harnett voted for the bill, while Representative Carson Gregory voted against it.

Church Films To Be Shown

Two outstanding religious movies will be presented Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock at the Gospel Tabernacle in Dunn, it was announced this morning by the Rev. J. Luther Davis, pastor. The films will be shown by Billy Wellons, prominent Dunn business, civic and religious leader. Wellons has shown these movies in several places and recently shown them at Fort Bragg. At every (Continued On Page Three)

Around Capitol Square

By LYNN NISBET BALEIGH CORRESPONDENT RALEIGH—The 500 officials of cities and towns who came to Raleigh Thursday wore their battle armor. They left home in fighting mood and this spirit was fanned at what amounted to a pep rally held at the hotel preparatory to a public hearing in the afternoon on pending bills to extend state aid to municipal streets. The morning occasion was a specially called membership meeting of the North Carolina League of Municipalities, and it was attended by representatives of cities and towns ranging in size from less than 1,000 population to more than 100,000. They had come ostensibly to discuss the "legislative program." Actually they had come to sponsor enactment of Senate Bill 120, commonly known as the "Powell Bill," although it bore signatures of 38 other senators.

FPC DAVID NEW FARRIS ISLAND, S. C., Feb. 23.—Marine PFC David A. New, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. New, 201 N. 10th St., Erwin, was promoted to his present rank when he graduated recently from boot camp here at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot. At the climax of his recruit training, the North Carolina youth was awarded the medal of rifle marksmanship for his proficiency (Continued On Page Four)

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