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William Umstead Candidate For Governor's Post In '52

New Assault

Is Unleashed

Against Reds

RALEIGH (IP) —William and progress in our state," the statement said. "This development successful campaign for governor in states," the continue continue comment brief but at the proper time will present my suggestions for the continue development of North Carolina development of North Carolina."

The 56-year-old Durham attorney is the first major candidate in the 1952 Democratic primary race, but his declaration was no surprise. He had been considered a probable candidate for the last four years.

PROGRESS PLATFORM Umstead's brief statement indicated that he would campaign on a platform of "continued progress."

"I feel that it is appropriate to say that I have great pride in the past half-century of advancement practice in Durham.

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German Peace Pact **Under Negotiation**

WASHINGTON —(P)— The Big Germany in time for formal anthree Foreign Ministers opened nouncement at the meeting of formal negotistions today on a "peace contract" with Western Germany while Russia sought in-

United Nations troops, tanks, artillery and planes unleashed a new assault on Korea's central front to day and Gen. James A. Van Fleet dured the Reds to attack and "give us the chance to slaughter them."

At the front with his men, the tough U. N. ground forces commander predicted that the Communists "will want peace before winter before we're through with them."

HACK OUT GAINS
Allied troops hacked out gains along a 75-mile sector of the flaming his battlefront from the "troop tife angle" in the center of the Sea of Japan on the east as American infantrymen plunged into the second limited offensive.

"A Communist offensive would give us the chance to slaughter them. That way we could get them in wholesale lots and not have to kick them peicemeal out of the hills the way we are doing now."

REDS HAVE POTENTIAL

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They leave for Ottawa Triday to want assurances that the first own because:

If the contract draft is completed would do so as a "European" sold-lers-not as German soldiers.

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Prospect Of Parley Resumption Brighter

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Second Largest

WASHINGTON.— (P)—Despite throughout the Southwest, the United States expects its second largest all-crop harvest in history.

The overall crop now is 33 percent above the 1923-32 average. Altituough to barely tops the 1949 mark, the Agriculture Department noted in yesterday's monthly crop report that it is exceeded only by the bumper year of 1948.

NEEDED IN EMERGENCY Agriculture experts asyally is fairly "firm," but they are not sure about the remainder of the growing and harvesting seasons. The large crops in prospect are needed to fill the nation's reserve bins against any emergency.

Reports from the field indicate four or five weeks of warm sumy weather are needed in parts of the corn belt to complete growing be fore the first frost. Yesterday's report reduced previous estimates be for the first frost. Yesterday's report reduced previous estimates be in severe, though not critical, condition at the Fort Brage base hospital today.

Corporal Lewis, a member of the 31st Army Medical Depot at Fort Sam Houston, Tex., was injured about the head when he fell about the second about the head when he fell about the second about the head when he fell about the second about the head when he fell

High Profit

than anywhere else in the Eastern Belt.

L. C. Dupree, Sr., of Dunn proved it to them in a highly satisfactory manner Tuesday.

Dupree put four piles of to-bacco which he had bought on a neighboring Eastern Belt market on the floor of a Dunn ware. house. When the four piles were bought, he counted an average profit of nearly \$10 a hundred on each pile.

The Dunn man had kept the original tickets which were on the piles when he bought them. On each ticket was marked the price he paid; on the back he marked the price he received here.

Two piles, bought at \$58 a

here.
Two piles, bought at \$58 a numered each, brought soo and s64 a hundred respectively here; the third, bought at \$38 a hund-red, brought \$59 a hundred; and the fourth, for which Dupree laid out \$34 a hundred, return-ed \$48 a hundred.

General Lauds Newspaper And County Citizens

A letter from Maj.Gen. Crun for its efforts in keeping the soldiers informed on national, loca and Army affairs during the recen

and Army affairs during the recent war games.

The general expanded his laudatoly note to take in the citizens of Harnett County, who generally the house utmost as make the sold-lers feel at home here.

Said General Gayrin:

I wish to acknowledge my appreciation to you and your staff and to the residents of Dium for the cooperation and help which you and the community have provided military personnel of my command stationed in your vicinity for the recent maneuver. Our task was made easier and more successful as a result.

ACCURATE COVERAGE

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"Your complete, accurate news coverage of units, personnel and incidents of a military nature occurring in the Dunn area provided the local residents with excellent information on the purpose of our presence among, you, giving them a clearer picture of the Army, the conduct of the maneuver and its contribution toward our country's defense.

"The reaction of local citizens to the influx of military personnel was especially praisworthy. Their friendliness, their cooperation in all housing and recreational problems and their interest in the soldier as an individual did much to make the military-civillah relationship an excellent one. The individual soldier was particularly appreciative of this fact.

"On behalf of my command, I wish to thank you and the residents of Dunn for this helpful spirit which will make our stay here a long and pleasantly remembered experience."

King To Keep Local Post

Gity Manager O. O. Manning announced today that Neill S. Green has formally withdrawn his application for appointment as water plant superintendent.

Green's resignation came in the form of a letter, Manning said, which stated that Green has decided to take another offer of employment.

ployment.

The withdrawal of Green leaves
34-year-old Eddice R. King as the
only applicant for the position
which he has held for the past

well qualified WELL QUALIFIED

King is well-qualified for the
position he holds, Manning declared. He is recommended highly by
W. S. McKimmon, district sanitary
engineer, and other members of
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Mayor Makes For UN Day

Battle Looms Over

Robert Lovett Is Successor To Cabinet Job

WASHINGTON ((P))-De fense Secretary George C. Marshall resigned today and will be succeeded by Deputy Defense Secretary Robert A. Lovett, it was announced by the White House.

Marshall quit for personal rea-sons other than health.

His resignation came a year to the day after President Truman nominated him to be defense sec-retary to succeed the ousted Louis Johnson.

SUCCEEDS LOVETT
William C. Foster, head of, the Economic Cooperation Administration, was selected to succeed Lovett as deputy defense secretary.

Richard M. Bissell Jr., now deputy ECA administrator, will become acting administrator. Marshall had said good-bye to the regular Pentagon press corps a half hour before the announcement. But he bound them to an agreement to say nothing about his resignation before it was announced by President Truman.

Marshall said that when he took the job a year ago he agreed to stay only until July 30, but remained longer because of the Korean situation and the San Francisco Japanese peace treaty conference.

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IN EXCELLENT HEALTH

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Marshall, who will be 71 on Dec.
31, appeared to be in excellent
health as he bid farewell to news
men in his office.
Truman, who regards Marshall
as the greatest living American,
accepted the resignation with very
great reluctance."
The resignation is effective at
the close of business today.
But Marshall apparently held
himself ready for consultative assignments in the future because his
resignation spoke of ending his
"active-daily service in the government."

On Four-Hour

Day, Sept. 20, brought forth a proclamation from Mayor Ralph Hanna.

Said the mayor:

"I, Ralph Hanna, Mayor of the Municipality of Dunn, North Carolina do hereby proclaim and designate Tuesday, the twentieth of September, in the year of ort Lord, Niheteen Hundred and Ffity-One, as United Nations Day in the City of Dunn.

"Having a full and complete understanding of the seriousness of the political and physical conflict raging between Democracy and Totalitarianism—and realizing the importance of an immediate recognition of our peril.

"And being aware of the fact that mental unpreparedness can have a disastrous effect upon our chosen way of life; placing our nation is Jappardy.

"Desiring to encourage and promote intellectual thought as opposed to mental lethargy, in order to stimulate a more active participation in International Affairs,
"In order to accelerate the interest of our citizenry in the aspects of political strategy.
"In order to organize a comprehensive program committed to the augmentation of our knowledge (Continued on page two)

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Class In Driving

But he added, "most indications point to a defensive attitude on their part." "They're hurting," he said. "They are in bad shape and we are hurting them more and more. They will want peace before winter before we are through with them." The new central front drive won two strategic hills north and northeast of the old iron triangle area above Kumhwa. But strongly-entrenched Reds were fighting back victously, screaming a challenge of "Wolfhounds yah" at the charging Americans-a reference to the famous 27th Wolfhound Regiment. MARINES PRESS DRIVE. On the eastern front, the list Marine Division, which opened an attack above the Punchbowl area Tuesday morning and was well or its way to its objectives that night, still pressed their limited drive Wednesday. Wednesday's big push was above Kumhwa where massed artillery and mortars, joined by warplanes, blasted a path for Americans soldiers as they stormed the peaks of the state of the control of the purpose of the town of Olivia. The defendant faced 14 cases of observation of violating prohibition laws by having in his possession for the purpose of sale large quantities of beer. Olive was sentenced by Vice-not the old iron triangle area above Kumhwa But strongly-entrenched Reds were fighting back viciously, screaming a challenge of "Wolfhound Regiment. "That means in or out of the dechant, who had entered a plea of not guilty, claiming that he got take above the Punchbowl area Tuesday morning and was well or its way to its objectives that night, still pressed their limited drive Wednesday. Wednesday's big push was above Kumhwa where massed artillery and mortars, joined by warplanes, blasted a path for American soldiers as they stormed the peaks of the control of the town of Olivia. The defendant faced 14 cases of the purpose of the town of Olivia merchant, yesterday was convicted in his possession for the purpose of the purpose of the town of Olivia merchant purpose of the purpose of the purpose of the town of Olivia. The defendant faced 14 cases of beer stacke An esday. The state of the stat Local Man To Post

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