

## Democrats To Meet Saturday

- Harnett County Democrats will gather Saturday morning at 11 o'-clock in the county courthouse in Elllington for their biennial con-

They'll hear a prominent Demo-crat leader, will hear others ex-toll the glory of the party, will reorganize the county committee, name officers and elect delegates to the State convention which meets next Thursday.

### Local School **Boards Named**

Glenn T. Proffitt announced today that the appointment of district committees have been completed in the county's ten districts.
Following is the list of the committeemen:
Anderson Creek: E. L. Hill, J. F. McArtan, Ernest D'arroch, J. W. Bradford, J. E. Hayes Jr.
Meralford, J. E. Hayes Jr.
Morell, E. Hayes Jr.
Benhaven: T. N. Holmes, J. T. Morelli, R. A. Cameron, E. Warren McNeill, E. L. Currin.
Angier: Joe D. Currin, H. D. Honevcutt, D. W. Denning Jr., Thos.
M. Ward, J. Clyde Adams.
Erwin: W. H. Miley, Dr. L. W. Cariffin, Chas. M. Crawford, B. G. Thomas, Z. E. Matthews.
Goats: Herbert Johnson, W. T. Sorrell, Haywood Roberts, Mrs. Cl. K. Keene, D. A. Langdon.
LayFayette: Hoke Smith, R. E. Austin, Mrs. Clara McWhirter, T. (Continued On Page twe)

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Club's Stockholders

Are Urged To Report

## **Big Crowd Expected** For Hearing Monday

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# Olive Fires New

## TOKYO, (I) — Gen. Mark W. Clark repulsated to the concessions made to Communist prisoners of war to ransom Brig. Gen. Francis T. Dodd, indicating a tougher policy toward the Reds held on Koje Island.

## **Douglas Eyed** By Democrats

As Candidate

PaulH. Douglas of Illinois is again being eyed by some Democratic leaders as a possbl presidential candidate.

The Illinois senator disavows any rice lilinois senator disavows any desire for the presidency. He said today he is still for Sen. Estes Kefaiver (D-Tenn) "all the way." But Douelas did not slam the door combletely on accepting the presidential nomination.

"The less said about it the better —I'm for Kefauver," he insisted. And that's as far as he would go. Despite Douglas' repeated state-ments that he is not interested, it was learned that the lawmaker has been approached frequently by key party figures to "feel him out."

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The Douglas mterest centers mainly on the same forces who hope that Illinois Gov. Adlai E. Stevenson may change his mind at the last minute and accept a "draft" for the Democratic nomination. But sources close to Stevenson think that is likely only if the Republicans nominate Sen. Roberts.

TAFT PICKS UP

Meantime, Taft backers claimed that his West Virginia primary triumph "puts him within striking distance of a first ballot victory" for the GOP nomination.

With 15 out of 16 West Virginia delegates tucked away. Taft's campaign manager, David S. Ingalls, claimed that the result gave Taft 448 assured convention delegates to about 280" for Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, Supporters of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower were fighting for a comeback in the Oregon GOP primary by Description of the strike of the convention delegates. Also entered are Harold E. Stassen, who has been beaten everywhere except in his home state of Minnesota, and Sen. Wayne L. Morse, (R.-Ore), an Eisenhower backer.

OTHER DEVELOPMENTS

In other political developments:

1. Politics of both parties awaited President Truman's scheduled Saturday night speech to the Americans for Democratic Action for possible clues to his choice as his (Continued On Fage Twe)

ed in the jungle April 29.

RIO DE JANEIRO (IP) -

rachutists today gathered up the remains of 50 persons killed when a Pan American Airways Stratocruiser crash-

Clark Repudiates

Koje Concessions



Byrnes Stands Up For South

SEARS' MODEL HOME — Pictured here is the Sears Model Home, which will be opened to the public Friday morning in the new Latimer Development on the Erwin Highway. The home is one of many built by C. T. Latimer, Inc., local contractor, and it has been completely furnished by Sears Order Office in Dunn. There'll be free refreshments and also prizes and gifts to those who visit the Model Home during the showing. (Daily Record photo by J. W. Temple, Jr.)

## Sears Model Home To Open Friday In Latimer Project

28,289 churches.

Baptist Sunday School Board receipts last year amounted to \$10,-693,333. Sunday school enrollment advanced to 5,253,695.

Dr. Walter R. Alexander of Dallas reported similar good financial conditions in activities of the re(Continued on Page Three)

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Bapfists Report

Steady Increases

MIAMI (P) — The rolls of churches in the Southern Baptist Convention increased steadily during the past year to reach a record total of 7272498 members. Exectives Secretary T. L. Holcomb safe here today.

Holcomb reported to 16,000 delegates attending the annual Southern Baptist convention that there were "significant statistical gains" in every phase of activity in the 28,289 churches.

Using the newest of the houses in the Latimer addition as a show-case in which to display the latest in Sears-Roebuck products for modern living, is a novel idea of the Sears order office here. Opening is set for 9:30 a. m. Friday.

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This includes even the paints on the walls. All of the furnishings and linoleum, light fixtures and furniture are available of the Beased Virgin Mar take place.

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ings and linoleum, light fixtures and furniture are available through the order office here. Once enters the house over doormats, catalogue items, into a living-dining room combination tastefully furnished with "Harmony House" furniture in limed oak. A Silvertone radio and record player plays softly at the right, and the sun glare is softened by venetian blinds.

ELECTRIC KITCHEN
Directly ahead is a compact,
nodern kitchen, with a Kenmore
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WASHINGTON (P) — The population of the United States was 156,405,000 on April 1, the Census Bureau estimated today. The figure was up 2,706,000 over April 1, WASHINGTON (P) — President Truman had words of praise today for 140 Agriculture Department employes who received awards for outstanding service. Mr. Truman was the first chief executive to take part in the departments' annual awards ceremony, held in the outdoor Sylvan Theater at the foot of the Washington Monument.

RALEIGH UP — A five-day influstrial personnel testing institute will begin in the school of education at North Carolina State College here June 9, college officials said today.

RALEIGH (P) - Some 99,000 tele-

The May Crowning is an annua The May Crowning is an annual event in all of the Catholic Churches throughout the world which gives evidence of the love and esteem the Catholics wish to show toward the Mother of Jesus. A wreath of flowers is placed on the head of the statue of the Blessed Virgin. Mary to commemorate the Catholic belief of Mary's Coronation in Heaven which took place in Heaven ven following her death on earth.

Miss Mattie Williams will be the May Queen for the event of next the efforts of the organized minsunday and will have as her attendants, Misses Mary Elizabeth Dizar and Ann Tart. Miss Mary Frances Hyman will be the bearer of floral wreath and Miss Cathie Bahen will be Train-bearer to Miss Williams.

Williams. Wort Rlessed the witnessed the success of the organized minoritis in the national conventions. Their efforts are directed against us.

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## **Advises Third** Party Unless **Treated Fairly**

CLEVELAND, Miss (P — Gov. James F. Byrnes of South Carolina former secretary of state and outspoken critic of the Truman administration, said today the South should turn to a third party unless it can get "sympathetic consideration" from the national Democrats or Republicans.

In a speech before the Delta Council here in one of the five Southern states that gave the state's rights movement 39 elec-toral votes in 1948, Byrnes bluntly warned party regulars not to count warned party regulars not to out the South at this year's dential conventions.

Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi and South Carolina bolted the

Democratic Party in the 1948 election, giving Gov. J. Strom, Thurmond of South Carolina all of their electoral votes for president. Tennessee provided one.

Byrnes said that although that movement was defeated at the time, "the courageous action" of the voters in these states "served notice on the country that the states of the South could no long-er be considered in the bag' for any party."

There are some, Byrnes said, who say the South has no alternative but to stay with the national Demacratic Party because the Republicans "favor many of the objection—able proposals" advocated by those now in control of the Democratic.

NOT FORCED TO AFFILIATE "We are not forced to affiliate with either of those national parties," he said.

"If we do not receive sympathetic consideration from the national Democratic Party which we have supported loyally through the years—of from the Republican party—we can support a third party." Byrnes has supported Sen. Richard B. Russell of Georgia or the Democratic Party. This is the house of our fathers," he said.

Before the South commits itself on any presidential candidate, he said, "we should know who is nominated by the Republicans and what he stands for. We should know who is norminated by the Republicans and what he stands for We should know who is norminated by the Republicans and what he stands for We should know who is norminated by the Republicans and what he stands for We should know who is norminated by the Republicans and what he stands for their momination."

Byrnes said that the largest minority in the United States today is composed of the white people of the South.

ABHORS DIVISION.

"I abhor the division of the people into classes," he said. "But we have witnessed the success of the efforts of the organized minorities in the national conventions. Their efforts of the organized minorities in the national conventions.

May Crowning Sermon which will be given by Chaplain Edward Cowing of the \$2nd Airborn Division.

A cordial invitation was extended by Father Francis A. McCarthy, Pastor of Sacred Heart Church and the parishioners for the non-Catholics of Dunn and vicinity to attend the May Crowning.

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"I hope the Democratic Part is this and every other Souther state will refrain from committing their matter and the general election until after the adjournment of the convention of the state will refrain from committen the general election until after the

## **Democratic Precinct Officials Announced**