

NORTH CAROLINA — Mostly fair, and not much change in temperatures today, tonight and Thursday.

Harnett Woman Is Inducted By Red Cross

Mrs. J. B. Gourlay of Lillington today was installed as chairman of the Central Carolina Voluntary Services Council of the American Red Cross.

Mrs. Gourlay will serve as liaison official between the Red Cross and various civic organizations in 20 counties. She succeeds David Kimmel of Dunn in this post.

Installation ceremonies took place at the Veterans Hospital in Fayetteville. Following the induction of officers, members of the executive committee met with social case workers from veterans and Ft. Bragg hospitals, and with Red Cross directors and field representatives.

Purpose of the council is to utilize volunteer resources to aid hospitals for veterans and at military installations. It is strictly a volunteer position.

At the meeting today in Fayetteville a list of comfort articles and planned entertainment needed by hospitals at Ft. Bragg and at Veterans hospital were presented. Various civic groups will be requested to select the project most suitable for their membership.

Mrs. Gourlay is now home service chairman of the Harnett Chapter of the Red Cross. During the war years of 1941-45 she served as executive secretary of the Harnett County chapter.

Scouts Given Concessions At Race Track

Scouts from the three troops in Dunn will have charge of all concessions at the race track near Linden, when it opens with a mid-get auto race Friday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock.

The offer of the concessions was made by the management to Bill Standil, Scoutmaster of Troop 711. However, feeling that the job would require more boys than are in his own troop he asked Dwight Mattox, Scoutmaster of Troop 66, and Norman Suttles, Scoutmaster of Troop 14, to aid in the project.

Profits on the concessions will go into troop funds and will be used for the summer-time activities of all three troops. The three Scoutmasters will supervise the boys' activities.

MARKETS

EGGS AND POULTRY RALEIGH — Eggs and live poultry: Central North Carolina live poultry: Fryers or broilers steady, supplies adequate to plentiful demand fair to good; heavy hens steady, supplies adequate, demand fair. Prices at farm up to 10 a. m.: Fryers or broilers 28; heavy hens 20-24, mostly 26. Eggs steady, receipts light to moderate, demand fair to good. Prices paid producers and handlers FOB local grading stations: A large 40-43, A medium 37-39, B large 34-35, current collections 31-33.

COTTON NEW YORK — Cotton futures prices at 1 p. m. EST today: New York July 38.53; Oct. 36.50; New Orleans July 38.57; Oct. 36.50.

Manning Is Fired As City Manager



WORK STARTED ON HOSPITAL ADDITION — Workmen have begun construction on the new \$100,000 addition to Dunn Hospital, Inc. A big crane is shown here in operation as the excavation got underway. Shown standing in front of the crane is M. E. (Pop) Winston, manager of the hospital, and facing him is N. B. Hudson, one of the hospital aides. Contractor for the project is Rogers Construction Company of Smithfield. (Daily Record Photo by Ed Welborn).

Declares Board Gave No Reason For His Ouster

Mayor Protom R. G. Tart announced early this afternoon that the city council on April 25th asked for the resignation of City Manager Oliver O. Manning and Manning immediately issued a statement declaring that the board fired him without reason.

Commissioner Tart, who said he grew tired of waiting for Manning to release the news himself, took matters in his own hands and this afternoon delivered newspapers a copy of the letter in which the board asked for Manning's resignation on April 25th.

This was 13 days before the city manager called in veteran Police Chief George Arthur Jackson and fired him without notice, setting off one of the hottest controversies in the history of the town.

Mr. Tart, in releasing a copy of the letter, emphasized and made it clear that all four members of the council and Mayor Ralph E. Hanna were "wholeheartedly and unanimously" in favor of firing Manning.

The board gave Manning until 15 June to resign and advised him that "the matter or release of this will be left entirely up to your decision at the time of your choice. No discussion of the matter will be carried on by any member of the board of commissioners, prior to 15 June, 1952, with anyone. This is out of courtesy to you."

Mayor Hanna delivered the letter to Manning and Manning quoted the mayor as telling him: "I'm very sorry to have to give you this information." "Surely, there's some reason," Manning said he asked Hanna. "I don't know of any reason why it should have been done," he quoted the mayor as saying. Mr. Manning said he didn't re-



OLIVER O. MANNING

Russell Beats Kefauver In Florida Voting

WASHINGTON (P) — Sen. Richard B. Russell won important Southern support today with a victory in the Florida primary as Texas Republicans and Democrats split by bitter intra-party feuds, each named two delegations to the national convention.

In Connecticut, Republicans boosted Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower back into a neck-and-neck race with Sen. Robert A. Taft in their contest for national convention delegates. The general picked up 20 or 22 delegates in that state. The United Press tabulation of delegates based on formal pledges and known first-ballot preferences gave Taft 396, Eisenhower 309, Harold E. Stassen 25, Gov. Theodore R. McKeldin of Maryland 24, Gov. Earl Warren of California 6 and Gen. Douglas MacArthur 2.

There were 65 contested delegates, 129 who are uncommitted or whose preference is unknown, and 169 still to be chosen. It takes 604 votes for nomination.

Russell beat Sen. Estes Kefauver of Tennessee by an apparent three-to-one margin in Florida. The Georgian had handed Kefauver his first defeat as a presidential candidate in Florida's "popularity contest" May 6.

Kefauver's backers claimed a strong lead among Iowa Democrats today as the state party met to name its 24-vote delegation to the convention.

But party leaders predicted no candidate would have enough strength to win an instructed delegation and the Iowans would go to Chicago with a free hand.

These primaries, scheduled at each national convention will have to decide which Texas delegations will be recognized.

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Big Three Discuss Russian Threat

Umstead And Olive Debating Issues

RALEIGH — Candidates in the North Carolina gubernatorial primary Saturday continued their battle on "record" issues today.

William B. Umstead stuck up for the right of the people to seek legislation, which his opponent Hubert Olive has called "lobbying" when he talked of Umstead's activities.

Umstead, in a radio speech last night, pointed to his record in the House and Senate on rural electrification. He reminded that the people have a constitutional right to petition legislative bodies.

Umstead said he did not vote to kill the Rural Electrification Act despite "another bit of careless talk being circulated." "I voted for the bill which created

McCarty Elected Florida Governor

MIAMI — Dan McCarty, a tall, bespectacled cattle and citrus man from Fort Pierce, will be the next governor of Florida.

The 40-year-old McCarty won the Democratic gubernatorial nomination in yesterday's runoff primary by trimming Bratley Odham of Sanford, in what proved to be the closest second-primary contest in Florida history.

It was a clear-cut victory, but McCarty knew he'd been in a fight before Odham conceded at 11:15 p.m. (EST). Odham, who trailed by 120,000 votes in the first primary three weeks ago, cut that margin to an indicated 40,000 or less on his second try.

Returns from 1,518 of the state's 2,883 precincts gave McCarty 324,534 votes and Odham 306,176.

In the first primary, Odham got 232,565 votes and McCarty 361,427.

PARIS (P) — The Western Big Three agreed on the outlines of a new note to Russia on German unification today and discussed the threat of a new Soviet blockade of Berlin.

At a meeting which lasted nearly 3 1/2 hours, with French Premier Antoine Pinay attending, the three foreign ministers reviewed the Communist threat throughout the world, from Korea and French Indo-China to Berlin.

They decided that the situation in the Allied sectors of Berlin, where the Russians are clamping down on new restrictions, did not require emergency action yet.

DISCUSS FAR EAST Secretary of State Dean Acheson, British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden and French Foreign Minister Robert Schuman spent a good deal of the time discussing the Far East—Korea, where the United Nations armies are fighting the North Korean and Chinese Communists, Indo-China, where the French are battling the Viet Minh Communist rebels, and British Malaya.

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Carlyle Says Labor Could Seize Control

PARKTON — The Robeson County Municipal Association endorsed Representative F. Ertel Carlyle for reelection last night after a speech in which he reviewed his record of two terms.

Carlyle labeled himself a conservative, and declared that his main opposition came from the CIO, because of his vote against repeal of the Taft-Hartley act.

He added: "If you take as many as forty conservative members out of the house of representatives and replaced them with liberals, we'll have a labor form of government in this country perhaps dictated to by the CIO—within six months."

The Association is composed of mayors, commissioners and department heads of Robeson towns.

ENDORSED BY BAR LUMBERTON — Carlyle fans are rolling out the big campaign guns this week in their support of F. Ertel Carlyle's bid for reelection to the Congress of the United States. Main attraction of the final week before the primary in the congressman's home county is to be a giant motorcade which will tour the ballwick cross-roads by

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Officials Of Union Attacking Carlyle

Officials of both the CIO and the AFL today made an attack on Congressman F. Ertel Carlyle, who on Monday charged that CIO labor bosses in New York are opposing him for reelection.

The statements attacking Carlyle came today from Tom West, of Erwin, manager of the Erwin Textile Union which recently bolted from the CIO to AFL and from Lloyd E. Davis, union administrator of the CIO.

Charging that his opponent, Joe Tally of Fayetteville, is the CIO's candidate, Congress Carlyle appealed to citizens of the district to "vote as you please Saturday, but don't let a few CIO

labor bosses in New York tell you how to vote."

FAVORED LABOR LAW He said union are opposing him because he supported the Taft-Hartley Act, but reminded that the CIO has opposed him every time he's run but without success.

Last election, Mr. Carlyle carried every county in the district.

"I am well aware of the fact that the unions are turning every stone to defeat me because I don't favor turning control of our great nation over to the labor bosses, but I am confident that the people of my district know that I speak their sentiments."

Page Electric Co. Is Opened In Dunn

J. H. Page, formerly associated with Luther (Red) Gardner in Electric Motor and Refrigerator Service, has just branched out on his own and opened a shop where he will handle appliance and motor repairs.

Seventeen years of experience on everything from small fractional-horsepower motors to big 2300 volt machines, has given him an admirable background for establishing a business of this kind.

"You'd be surprised at the amount of electrical machinery in this section," he said, "and I am satisfied that there will be plenty of work to warrant a shop doing nothing but motor repairs."

Page, a native of Dunn, took a complete course in motor repairing, rewinding of armatures, and allied subjects at the famous shops of the Coyne Electrical School in Chicago after his graduation here. He completed his course with Coyne in 1935. He then took a position with Electric Motor and Repair.

For a time he worked in the maintenance crew at Bethlehem Steel Company's huge plant at Spar-

row's Point, Maryland. He came back to Raleigh and worked for the Electric Motor Repair Company until he left them to join the

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BULLETINS

NEW YORK (P) — The major radio and television networks were expected to reply today to the demands of Sens. Robert A. Taft R-O. and Estes Kefauver D-Tenn. that they be given air time equal to that given Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower for his homecoming speech at Abilene, Kan., June 4. Taft and Eisenhower are the leading contenders for the Republican presidential nomination.

WASHINGTON (P) — Senate investigators today made public testimony by a one-time FBI informer that a high official in the Czechoslovakian embassy here gave parties for homosexuals, including "a man from the United States government."

BIRMINGHAM (P) — Alabama's delegation to the Democratic national convention appeared to be "neu-

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STAFF AT EFFIRD'S ERWIN STORE — Shown are the members of the regular staff at the Effird's Department store in Erwin, who are anticipating a heavy volume of business during the sale which starts tomorrow and will continue during the month of June. Pictured are, left to right, Columbus Bass, Miss Estelle Tyndall, Mrs. Eala Beard, Mrs. Marie Wise, Mrs. Marie Wood, Mrs. Nellie Gray, Mrs. Dolly Strickland, Miss Dorothy Tyndall and Manager A. R. Harris. The Wednesday afternoon closing gave the staff an opportunity to arrange the store for the start of the sale tomorrow. (Daily Record photo by Louis Dearborn).

TABERNACLE BROTHERHOOD OFFICERS — Shown are the officers elected at the first meeting of the newly-formed Tabernacle Brotherhood at Johnson's Restaurant last night. About 40 men attended the opening meeting of the group which was created for fellowship and service. Pictured are, left to right: Vernon West, Secretary-Treasurer; A. G. Register, President; Earl O. Henry, Vice-President. Next meeting of the group has been set for June 12. (Daily Record photo by Bill Biggs).