

WEATHER

NORTH CAROLINA - Partly cloudy and little change in temperature through Saturday.

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BOY SAYS PARENTS CHAINED HIM



ACCORDING TO 9-YEAR-OLD Charles Utter, of Camden, N. J., the auto chains held by Detective Walter Szalanski were used by his parents to keep him from running away from home.

Democrats Still Seek Seizure Power

Ike, Taft Both Claiming Unpledged Bloc

WASHINGTON (AP) - Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's campaign organization claimed today that he is making steady inroads on the big bloc of "uncommitted" delegates who may hold the balance of power at the Republican Presidential nominating convention.

But supporters of Sen. Robert A. Taft pooh-poohed the claim. They said that the swing has been away from, not toward, Eisenhower since his June 1 homecoming.

With selection of delegates for the July 7 GOP convention virtually complete, both Eisenhower and Taft devoted their primary attention to wooing the upwards of 130 delegates who thus far have not committed themselves in the hard-fought contest.

Eisenhower scheduled a meeting at his Gettysburg, Pa., farm today with members of the 70-man delegation from pivotal Pennsylvania.

Other political developments: 1. Sen. Richard B. Russell of Georgia, candidate for the Democratic nomination, set off on a 15-state Western tour, opening today with conferences with Nebraska Democrats at Omaha.

2. Eisenhower told New Jersey delegates yesterday that the federal government should aim at cutting \$30,000,000,000 to \$40,000,000,000 from the budget, which is now running around \$50,000,000,000.

3. Eisenhower pledged himself to low tax rates "immediately" and spoke of trimming the budget to \$55,000,000,000 by 1954.

4. President Truman told his weekly news conference that he does not intend to do anything about the fact that Gen. Douglas MacArthur has accepted the role of GOP convention keynoter, despite an Army regulation forbidding officers on active duty from taking part in political conventions.

5. Lodge hinted at a New York news conference that the Eisenhower forces will seek an early showdown with Taft at the convention by challenging the selection.

Umstead Invited To Dedicate New Dunn Fairground

Governor William B. Umstead has been invited to deliver the principal address at the dedication of the new American Legion Four-County Fairgrounds on September 15th.

The invitation to the State's next governor was announced this morning by J. O. West, general chairman of the fair committee, and C. M. Rumpley, manager of the four-county exposition.

Dunn's Legion post, which has sponsored the Four-County Fair for the past five years, recently purchased a 30-acre tract of land—the old Hattie Hinson place—on the Jonesboro Road.

The area is now being graded in preparation for development in time for this year's fair.

LONG-RANGE PLANS Long-range plans call for erection of large agricultural and livestock exhibit buildings, a grandstand, a race track and all other modern fair innovations.

In addition to Mr. Umstead, Chairman West said that a number of other dignitaries, including State Commander Leroy Shuping, are expected to be here for the dedication ceremonies.

Mr. Rumpley and Mr. West today were conferring over plans for an enlarged premium list and for an all-round larger and bigger exposition than ever before.

Carl Fitchett, Jr., is commander of Dunn's Legion Post.

Murray Asserts He's Sticking To The Finish

WASHINGTON (AP) - Senate Democratic leaders, frustrated in four previous attempts to arm President Truman with steel seizure powers, said today they "may" try once more to push an emergency bill through the chamber.

They admitted privately that they had little hope of success. With a coalition of Republicans and Southern Democrats firmly in control the Senate was standing firm on its "request" that Mr. Truman invoke the Taft-Hartley law to end the 11-day-old strike of 650,000 CIO steelworkers.

High administration officials predicted that Mr. Truman would hold off seeking an 80-day anti-strike injunction under the Taft-Hartley law at least long enough to let the House act on his plea for seizure legislation. The issue was not expected to come before the House before late next week.

MURRAY SPEAKS PITTSBURGH (AP) - CIO President Philip Murray told cheerleaders today that he is sticking to the finish.

WALL C. EWING GIVEN PAROLE RALEIGH (AP) - The State today paroled Wall C. Ewing, former state political leader who was convicted in 1947 of beating to death his frail wife and sentenced to 18 to 20 years for manslaughter.

Ewing, now 61, served four years in 11 months and 27 days, the parole commission said, and counting his time in the State Penitentiary.

In announcing the parole the commission said that the 12 members of the parole board unanimously recommended mercy for Ewing in open court and on May 27, 1950 recommended to Gov. Kerr Scott that the term be reduced to a period of not more than five years.

The sentence was not reduced however, and the commission said in releasing Ewing that he had served more than one-fourth of his sentence.

JUDGE DIDN'T OBJECT Judge R. Hunt Parker who presided at the trial filed no objection to the parole commission's decision.

The trial jury took two hours and 35 minutes and three ballots on Sept. 11, 1947 to convict Ewing of manslaughter in the death of his wife, Douglas.

In passing sentence, Parker declared "this court will not soon forget the merciless beating of a 100-pound woman by her 200-pound husband, nor her pathetic cries."

"The testimony brought out at his trial has shocked the conscience of all who heard it," Parker said. The judge told the jury that the case was built on circumstantial evidence, acceptable in the state "but in a felony or capital case the facts must be of such a nature as to point conclusively to definite guilt."

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BLAME OTHER FACTORS Not so, the doctors said. They blamed the decline on factors other than military service.

MARKETS HOGS RALEIGH (AP) - Hog markets: Hillsboro: Steady at 20.50. Jacksonville, Beaufort, Kenly, Siler City, Swains, Elizabethtown, Mount Olive, Dunn, Warsaw, Edenton, Rocky Mount, Smithfield, Fayetteville, Florence and Clinton: Steady at 20.00. Tarboro, Hamilton and Rich Square: Slightly stronger at 20.00. Whiteville, Washington, and other markets: (Continued on page two)

Former Harnett Official Sought In Embezzlement

C. G. Fields of Angier, until last November vice chairman of the Harnett County Board of Commissioners and chairman of the Harnett County Welfare Board, was being sought by Sheriff W. E. Salmon and his aides today on a charge of embezzlement.

The former Angier banker is charged with misappropriation of more than \$5,000 from the American Insurance Company.

Mrs. Elizabeth Matthews, acting Superior Court Clerk, disclosed that the warrant for Fields was sworn out by R. S. Boone, a deputy collector for the State Commissioner of Insurance.

Sheriff Salmon said today that he received the warrant for Fields' arrest on Wednesday, but that he has been unable to locate Fields.

C. C. Duncan, an employee in the office of the State Insurance Commissioner, said Fields was indicted under Section 14-86 which pertains to the collection of funds and failure to account for such funds by insurance salesmen.

He said it covered cases in which money was collected for insurance premiums but not turned in to the company.

Sheriff Salmon said Fields would be taken into custody as soon as he can be located.

RESIGNED IN NOVEMBER Mr. Boone conferred with County Solicitor Neil McK. Ross, who dictated the warrant for Fields' arrest.

Until, he resigned last November "to devote my time to private business matters," Mr. Fields was one of Harnett's most prominent officials.

He had served three years as vice chairman of the county board, was chairman of the Harnett County Welfare Board and for six or eight years was treasurer of the Harnett Democratic Executive Committee.

Mr. Fields served for years as cashier of the Angier branch of the First Citizens Bank and Trust Co., but was relieved of his duties there about a year and a half ago. He then went into the insurance business.

WAS ANGLIER LEADER He resigned as Democratic treasurer when he first ran for the county board of commissioners. He was reelected by a good majority to represent the district composed of Black River, Nell's Creek, Buckhorn and Hector's Creek townships.

Prominent in the affairs of Angier, he was a trustee of the Angier Methodist Church, was a past master of the Fuquay Masonic Lodge and a leader in other public affairs.

Mayor And Council Invited To Meeting

Benny O. Slaughter, head of the movement to secure retention of City Manager Oliver O. Manning, today issued a public invitation to Mayor Ralph E. Hanna and members of the city council to attend a mass meeting of citizens to be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the high school auditorium.

"If the mayor and commissioners really want to know the truth and if they're interested in finding out what the people of their town really think, they will be present," said Slaughter.

"Otherwise, they can turn a deaf ear, evade the issues and stay away," he said.

Mr. Slaughter said he would give the officials a special seat on the platform "so they can face the people while the truth is being disclosed."

PREDICTS THEY WON'T ATTEND He put the board squarely on the spot, however, and predicted that he didn't think any of them would attend.

Advised of Mr. Slaughter's invitation by reporters, Mayor Ralph Hanna said he would attend.

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15 Million More Voted For Bragg

Tally Caravan Tours Harnett

A 20-car motorcade of Cumberland County citizens toured Harnett County yesterday to boost the candidacy of Mayor Joe Tally of Fayetteville for Congress.

Candidate Tally rode in an open car and waved at citizens and chatted with them along the way. At every stop he also addressed the crowd.

State Senator Terry Sanford of Fayetteville also spoke.

In both Dunn and Erwin, Mr. Tally and Senator Terry expressed appreciation for the vote given Tally in the first primary. Tally carried Harnett by 81 votes.

ATTACKS CARLYLE Tally also took occasion to blast Mr. Carlyle for what he calls "No-Nothing Representation."

The Tally motorcade was met between Dunn and Erwin and led into town by L. A. Monroe and Jesse H. Capps, who are managing Mr. Tally's campaign in the Dunn section.

At every place along the route, Mr. Tally received a splendid reception. The stop in Dunn was cut short by a shower of rain which came up a few moments after the motorcade stopped here.

Mr. Tally told reporters he is confident of being elected by an overwhelming majority.

Carlyle Enters Naval Hospital

WASHINGTON (AP) - Rep. F. Ertel Carlyle (D-NC) was admitted to the Naval Hospital at Bethesda, Md., today for observation of a "painful foot condition."

"Dr. George W. Calver, Capitol physician, said Carlyle's general condition is very good. He said the foot ailment is "due apparently to a peripheral vascular condition."

Enterprise Gets Maytag Franchise

The franchise for Maytag appliances has been awarded to the Enterprise Gas and Appliance Company. It was announced today by Arthur Northcutt, manager of the local gas and appliance outlet.

The firm is planning to carry the most complete stock of famous Maytag equipment in this area. (Continued on page two)

Industrial Survey Planned In Dunn

Through the cooperation of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad and the Chambers of Commerce, a comprehensive survey of facilities for industrial development in the Dunn Area will be held soon, it was revealed today by Norman Suttles, together with Chamber president C. E. McLamb, conferred yesterday with R. P. Jobb, ACL vice-president in charge of industrial development and J. R. Legrand, industrial geologist.

WILL LAY GROUNDWORK The industrial survey will lay the groundwork for attracting industry here by a complete census of available facilities and their application to industries that would be best for this particular locale.

The railroad officials expressed their willingness to undertake a through survey of this kind. The results can be far-reaching in their effects on the prosperity of Dunn through adding new industrial payrolls and providing employment for more citizens.

WASHINGTON (AP) - A Senate subcommittee set its sights today on eliminating "wasteful expenditures" from a House-approved \$2,758,318,000 military construction bill.

Chairman Russell B. Long (D-La.) said a "great amount" of the construction authorized in the House bill can be postponed "without doing any harm to the military establishment."

HEARINGS SET Long said his armed services subcommittee will start hearings on the bill Tuesday. Engineers and construction experts have already been asked to appear before the subcommittee.

The bill, carrying funds for urgent Army, Navy and Air Force construction projects, was passed by the House yesterday. The \$2,758,318,000 House total was about \$269,000,000 less than the armed services had requested.

North Carolina, \$44,375,000 ARMY, \$15,325,000; Fort Bragg, Fayetteville, \$15,325,000.

NAVY \$432,000; Naval auxiliary landing field, Edenton, \$195,000; naval air facility, Weeksville, \$237,000.

AIR FORCE, \$28,621,000; Raleigh-Durham Municipal Airport, Raleigh-Durham, \$18,895,000; Seymour Johnson Field, Goldsboro, \$9,726,000.

Board To Hear Three Problems

Only three items have been placed on the agenda for the meeting of the Dunn city council Monday night, it was announced today by City Manager Oliver O. Manning.

One of these will be preceded by an afternoon meeting in the courtroom.

Woodrow Hill, who operates a private business in City Hall, a public building, has been asked by the Fire Department, by the City Manager and by the Police Department to appear before the board asking permission to remain.

Reasons given for asking him to leave are considerable damage to the fire trucks, leaving the area in an untidy condition and crowding the Fire Department training and drill area.

Mrs. Lloyd Wade, John Thomas and other citizens report an excessive infestation of Japanese beetles in Dunn, North Carolina State College is sending representatives down for a meeting with interested citizens and leaders in City Hall at 2:00 p.m. Monday. A report of this meeting will be available for the board's meeting.

O. W. Godwin requests a six inch board.

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State To Mark Campbell Site

As part of the state historical marker program, one of these markers will be placed at Blue's Creek designating Campbell College, it was announced today by Dr. Christopher Crittenden, director of the State Department of Archives and History.

The state's historical marker program, inaugurated in 1936, is conducted jointly by the Archives, Conservation and Highway Departments.

Inscriptions for the markers are prepared by Edwin A. Miles, researcher for the Archives Department and are approved by an advisory board composed of historians from leading colleges and universities of the state.

The inscription for the Campbell College marker, one of the 18 approved and soon to be erected reads as follows:

"CAMPBELL COLLEGE, A coeducational junior college, established in 1887 by J. A. Campbell as Blue's Creek Academy. Since 1925 owned by the Baptist State Convention."

THE DUNN Gospel Tabernacle has announced plans for a two weeks Vacation Bible School to begin Monday, June 16, the pastor, the Rev. E. T. Underwood announced today.

The school will be held each day from 9:00 a. m. to 11:45 a. m. This school promises to be a good one and it is expected that the enrollment will exceed one hundred youths.

Mrs. E. T. Underwood is Superintendent of the school and the staff is composed of well trained teachers. Miss Ruth Elliott of Mezzion, N. C. will be Music Director for the school.

Child Watches Grandad Murder His Grandmother

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. (AP) - A five-year-old boy told today how he looked on while his grandfather shot and killed his ailing wife so she "won't have to cry any more."

The child, David Gallagher, was the only witness yesterday when farmer Shelton Hamlin shot down his wife Hazel with a 12 gauge shotgun and then killed himself with the same weapon.

Hamlin, 53, may have intended his act to be a double mercy shooting, Deputy Sheriff Kenneth Corbin said.

He committed the shootings "presumably because of falling health," Corbin added.

"GRANDY WAS CRYING" I saw Granddaddy go to the kitchen door with a shotgun behind him. Granddaddy was standing at the kitchen sink washing dishes and crying," the child said. "Maw, you won't have to cry any more," he said Hamlin told the farm woman.

David said his grandfather raised the shotgun, shot his wife and then turned the weapon on himself. Both were killed.

Corbin said neighbors told him both Mr. and Mrs. Hamlin had been ill for some time and that was the only reason they could think of for the slayings.

The church-going couple were reported to be well-to-do financially.

BULLETINS

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Truman has conceded that his powers are limited in at least one respect. When reporters asked him at his news conference yesterday whether he "contemplated any action on the drought in parts of the Middle West," Mr. Truman shook his head and said he can't make it rain.

LONDON (AP) - From now on, Fred Meier, 29, won't have to suffer the humiliation of living in one room while his wife and her lover rear a family in another. Meier received a divorce yesterday when he testified his wife, Irene, and Dr. Archibald Jeffery had been making illicit love for 10 years and that she had given birth to two children.

BOSTON, Mass. (AP) - Debbie Collier, 3, and Grace Lyons, 4, climbed into an automobile and released the hand brake. The car owned by Debbie's grandfather, plunged down a hill, jumped a curb and sideswiped a tree before coming to rest. "We didn't do nothing," the children explained when Mario Buono, the grandfather hauled them out.

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP) - An official United Nations correction in a radio-television transcript spared British delegate Sir Gladwyn Jebb further embarrassment today. The transcript said that Jebb, when asked in an interview why he and Soviet delegate Jacob Malik often were seen chucking together, replied: "It is probably some perfectly personal joke about the bomb or I do not know what." The correction change the word "bomb" to "barman."

FORT WAYNE, Ind. (AP) - Paul Neukom said today that his romance with Peggy Perry, whom he will wed (Continued on page two)

Rieve Defended By State CIO Leader

Wayne Derroncourt of Greensboro, assistant TWU-CIO State Director, today refuted a claim made by Tom West, business manager of the Erwin AFL union, that Emil Rieve is supported by the Communist Daily Worker.

In a statement telephoned to The Daily Record, he also delivered a severe blast at West for switching from the CIO to the AFL and still drawing funds from the CIO end called on West to explain to workers at Erwin "his handling of their funds."

Mr. West, in a statement earlier this week, blasted Rieve, national president of the TWU-CIO, and charged that he has support of the Communist Daily Worker.

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Tally Denies CIO Financing Campaign

WILMINGTON - Joe Tally, of Fayetteville, today challenged his opponent, Rep. F. Ertel Carlyle, in the race for Congress from the Seventh N. C. District to debate the issue of the campaign throughout the District before the second primary on June 28.

Tally's challenge was prompted by a statement by Carlyle earlier this week in which he accused the Fayetteville Mayor of evading major questions.

"The principal issue in this campaign is whether the people will retire a do-nothing Congressman," Tally said. "If Mr. Carlyle is interested in debating this and any other issues I give him the following opportunity:

"I challenge him to speak from the same platform with me in the courthouse in each of the seven counties of the District before this second primary. I have been satisfied to let the people decide between us. Is Mr. Carlyle willing to meet the same test?"

"Tally emphatically denied that (Continued on page three)

Fishbeck Takes Over Pastorates In Dunn

Rev. G. H. Fishbeck took over a result of three Presbyterian churches in the Dunn area on June 1st, and has been engaged since in working out a schedule that will give each of the churches three services each month.

The three churches, Grove, Unity and Riverside Chapel, were established through the First Presbyterian Church of Dunn, in order to afford church facilities for neighboring rural areas. They have made a remarkable growth and now need a full time pastor.

Mr. Fishbeck, a native of Michigan, received his Degree of Bachelor of Divinity at Columbia Theological Seminary in Decatur, Georgia this year. He received a Degree of Bachelor of Science in 1949 from the University of Miami in Florida.

NAVY VETERAN During World War II, his education was interrupted for two years while he served in the Navy. He (Continued on page two)

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