Erwin Mills Employees

Good Cooking School Off To Start; Stafford Wows

Would you housewives give up a career on television to tour this old United States year in and year out with hardly time to have a home or call a minute your

That's exactly what Mrs. Katherine Stafford who is conducted the Picely Wiggly Cooking School here, did.

Mrs. Stafford's sponsors in New York wanted her to settle down there and conduct a school on tele-vision . . , but the cooking expert put her foot down and stated an emphatic NO to that suggestion.

BIG CROWD ATTENDS

There was a big crowd on hand yesterday for the first day of the cooking school which will continue the rest of this week at the Dunn Armory at two o'clock every afternoon. It is being sporcored by Pigglv Wigglv and Wellons Mercantile Co. local Hotzoint dealer. Mrs. Stafford who was introduced by Henry Milner, president of the Pigglv Wiggly Stores got the crowd off to a good start yesterday by having each person say "Good afternoon" to the one seated next to them.

ed next to them.

In starting her school this week
Mrs. Stafford emphasized the mod-Mrs. Stafford emphasized the modern and gracious trend in cooking and the main thing to all housewives . . . saving on your food bill. Commenting on Dunn, the expert was very complimentary on our town and how clean it is. She drew a big laugh from the audience on "You housewives even have your garbage cans painted and printed with the letters . . . "keep our town clean."

LIVING IN HURRY

"All housewives are living in a big hurry nowadays," the expert stated "and grandma's kitchen is gone forever. Nowadays we can have a delicious cake baked and the state of the helf hour wheres it used to be helf hour wheres it used



PIGGLY WIGGLY COOKING SCHOOL: Mrs. Katherine Staffe who is conducting the Piggly Wiggly Cooking School each after-noon at two o'clock in the Dunn Armory is shown above behind a banner of the national brand products she uses to prepare the tempting dishes at the school. The cooking school is made possible for Dunn and vicinity housewives through the cooperation of the Piggly-Wiggly Store in Dunn, Wellons Mercantile Co. and the National Brands Co., in New York. (Record photo by Dearborn).

Southern Soft Coal Contract Ends Tonight

WASHINGTON (P) — Southern soft coal operators today faced the alternative of bowing to John L. Lewis' steen contract demands or steep contract demands or being closed down by a strike at midnight.

Joseph E. Moody, president of the Southern Coal Producers' As-sociation, scheduled a meeting of his 29-man Board of Directors to make the decision.

Some 100,000 southern diggers were poised to walk out at 12:01 a.m. Wednesday—the moment their contract ends—unless the Moody group signs with the United Mine Workers chief.

RUGGED MEETING

Moody warned it would be a "rugged" meeting and the decision was still up in the air. He said he did not think the operators could "live with" the terms laid down by Lewis.

The miners' boss was insiting on the same terms he won from the northern producers in a contract formally ratified Monday. This provided for a \$1.90-day wage boost and a 10-cent-a-ton increase in welfare fund payments.

Lewis advised the southern operators to "acquiesce" to his terms and the odds favored their doing

The cold facts were against the Moody group. Markets for coal have been declining for several years in the highly competitive industry. Should the southern operators be closed down by a strike while northern mines continued production, the Dixle group would be certain to lose sorely needed.

Judge To Issue Statement

City Judge H. Paul Strickland to-Gtty Judge H. Paul Strickland today declined comment on annountement of District Solicitor Jack
Hooks that he won't appeal to the
Supreme Court a case testing the
validity of jury trials in the Dunn
Recorder's Court.

The local judge promised, however, that he will issue a statement within the next few days to
clarify his position.

He didn't say what day he will
release the Statement.

CONFERENCE REPORTED

Judge Strickland and City Solicitor J. Shepard Bryan are report-ed to have held a lengthy confer-

ed to have held a lengthy conference yesterday.

Solicitor Bryan has made it clear, however, that he is taking no part in the jury trial furor, that it is a decision strictly for the judge. Judge Strickland started the furor sometime ago when he decided not to allow jury trials in his court. The last session of the Legislature passed a law allowing jury trials. Two Superior Court judges have already reversed Judge Strickland, who wants the issue tested in Supreme Court. It was also learned that the least Command has estimated a lo

Reported SEOUL, Korea (P) — U-nited Nations military au-Relief thorities believe there are be-tween 7,000 and 12,000 Rus-**Overseas** sian troops now in Korea, authoritative sources reveal-Mapped

BIBLE IS PRESENTED — A copy of the Holy Bible for the Dunn Library, was presented to Mayor Ralph Hanna yesterday on behalf of the Catholic Laymen's League of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church here. Mayor Hanna, in his official capacity, accepted the volume and promised the group that it would be turned over to the librarian. Shown are, left to right, Mayor Hanna, Mrs. E. G. Patrick and Mrs. J. C. Kotlas. Mrs. Patrick made the presentation. (Daily Record photo by Louis Dearborn).

Program The Russians are manning antiaircraft guns, but are not being used as frontline combat troops, the sources said.

"They are not formed into divisions," an 8th Army spokesman said. "They are in rear areas."

The spokesman would not comment further.o

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However, other autatoritative sources said the Russians, besides manning anti-aircraft guns, are needed for administrative, supply and advisory positions.

Thousands

Plans to collect cotton and other farm products in Harnett County on October 18-25 for aid with the Christian Rural Overseas Program were mapped by the county executive board last night at the Lillington Baptist Church.

J. C. Holloway of Lillington is chairman of CROP, an agency of the federal council of churches, promoting collection of food and clothing for relief of needy in various parts of the world.

Harnett County's quota set last night will be one car load or 50

President Erwin's Speaks To Workers

William H. Ruffin, President of Erwin Mills, came to Erwin for a series of personal talks with employees of the company. An election is scheduled to be held at the mills on Wednesday, and employees will have the choice of voting for the A. F. L., the C. I. O. — or for neither.

"My purpose in visiting with our mployees", Mr. Ruffin explained, is to tell the company's side of the tory. Our people have been hearing the claims and counterclaims of the two unions for several moths. I feel it is time for the company to speak up.

"We have fine people working."

E. H. Bost. Manager at Erwin, will discuss the election over Station W. C. K. B. at 5:15 - 5:30 P. M. today and at 6:15 - 6:30 A. M. and 9:45 - 10:00 A. M. tomorrow.

IMPORTANT TO COMMUNITY "A radio talk," Mr. Ruffin stated, (Continued on page two)

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Mr. Ruffins talks are being held

at three locations in the mill, and on all three shifts, so that all employees may have an opportunity to meet with him personally. In addition Mr. Ruffin and Mr.

Representation To Be Decided **AtVoting Place** Employees of Erwin Mills.

Inc. will go to the polls to-morrow to decide whether they favor representation by TWUA-CIO. the UTW-AFL or no union at all.

Voting will take place from 5 a.m. until 9 a. m. and from 2 p.m. until 5:30 p. m.

Tomorrow's voting will settle a bitter dispute which has been raging between the two unions since a group of CIO workers last May botted to the AFL.

Both unions have brought in outside organizers and an active campaign has been waged. Interest in tomorrow's voting is at fever-pitch high.

HEATED CAMPAIGN

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Spokesmen on each side are using The Daily Record, radio, leaflets and other means of advertising to influence the voters.

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Briefly outlining the company's policy, Mr. Ruffin said: "We have fine people working for us at Erwin, and we have always felt that they deserve the best wages, the best benefits, and the best working conditions our company can provide. That has been our company's policy all along?"

Spokesman for both the CIO and AFL today released statements claiming victory in tomorrow's election and making a last-minute appeal.

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While the two union statements attacked each other, a statement released by President Ruffin reaffirmed the company's policy and complastived that Erwin's policy of "doing the best we can for our people at all times."

"Union or no union," Mr. Ruffin said, "we shall continue to provide the best wages, the most liberal benefits and the best working conditions our competitive position will permit."

PLACES OF VOTING
Workers of the No. 2 mill will
(Continued On Page Two)

Sampson Men Facing Trial

Three Sampson County men, including a prominent Sampson political leader, were facing trial today after capture of a large distillery by Federal ATU agents and Cumberland County ABC officers.

Officers said it was the largest outfit seized in this section for sometime and was the source of a big bootleg operation. The 600-gallon submarine type

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whiskey still was found this morning in a barn in the yard of
T. R. Wilson, 51, of Dunn, Rout
5, prominent Sampson farmer, prominent Sampson fasiness man and political

Dr. Byrd Renamed To Head TB Unit

Dr Charles W. Byrd was re-elected as President of the Harnett County Tuberculosis Association at the first Monday night at the School Auditorium.

MARKETS

COTTON

NEW YORK (P — Cotton futures prices at 11 am. EST today:
New York Oct. 38.38; Dec. 38.55;
New Orleans Oct. 38.55;
New

Continues Mills dating from January 1, 1952 to the present today were placed on file in the office of the Harnett County Truman Attacks

ENROUTE WITH TRUMAN—(IP)—President Truman said today that Dwight D. Eisenhower's advice in 1945 that Russia's long-term intentions were friendly "did a

Continuing his attacks on the Republican presidential candidate, Mr. Truman made reference in a speech at Havre, Mont., to Eisenhower's statement to a congressional committee in 1945 that, "there is no one thing that guides the polley of Russia more today than to keep friendship with the United States."

HITS FORESIGHT

This proved, Mr. Truman said, that Eisenhower's "foresight was not nearly as good as his hind-sight."

The President conceded that "we can all make mistakes."

"But," he added, "the Republican (Continued on page seven)

Statements Issued By AFL And CIO

In the weekly radio program sponsored by the AF of L United Textile Workers of America, Howard Parker, representative of the AF of L union replied to the Erwin Mills Company's recent barrage of material mailed to their employees and carried on their weekly radio program.

Parker took sharp issue with the Company on their recent claims of what the past policies of the Erwin Mills have been — and what they company promises they will continue on Page 8)

Monday, Sept. 29, 1952

An Open Letter To:

Mr. William H. Rufin, Mgr.

Erwin Mills, Inc.

Dear Mr. Ruffin:

Last week you had copies of a ployees" distributed to the workers Union or the A. F. of L. textile union.

"I have no wish to aid either party to this dispute," said Judge Sharp. "I simply think the fair thing is to place the records on file in the clerk's office. Both parties and the public can then see for themselves."

Following Judge Sharp's remark which came following lengthy arrivable came following lengthy arrivabl

Gen. Smith Admits Capitol Has Reds Brown Will Fill

WASHINGTON (P) — Gen. Walter Bedell Smith said today he cannot understand "why anyone should get excited" about his statement that there probably are some Communists in the Central Intelligence Agency.

The CIA director, who unwittingly tossed a bombshell into the political campaign Monday, sought to caim the furor by assuring the public that any Reds who may have infiltrated his agency are in minor jobs where they cannot do any "serious harm."

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SAYS HE'S CERTAIN
"But I am certain that in this (Continued On Page two)

Records of labor union ac-Clerk of Court following an order signed late yesterday by Superior Court Judge Susie Sharp.

"I think" said Judge Sharp, "that in any election the American peo-ple are entitled to know the facts, before an election. In a labor union, the same principle applies. Workers need to know the facts before they vote."

Judge Sharp made the statement during arguments by attorneys yes-terday afternoon of a motion brought by Emil Reive and the Texbrought by Emil Reive and the Fex-tile Workers Union of America for access to the union records they claim James Camer.n, A. F. of L union affiliate official has allegedly denied them access. Following a union dispute last May several Erwin workers switched union af-filiations from CIO to A. F. of L.

TO VOTE TOMORROW

which came following lengthy arguments both parties to the suit consented to her suggestion.

Willis H. Abernethy of Charlotte,

(Continued on Pare Two)

er number of Russians in North Korea, FEC headquarters was un-derstood to have set the figure at (Continued On Page Five) MORECAMBE, England (P) — Left-wing supporters

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and advisory positions.

ALSO IN NORTH KOREA

of Aneurin Bevan won two more seats on the British Le-bor party's National Executive Committee today in a po-

Rewill cide and Acheson may go before the United Nations General Assembly soon after it convenes here next month to lay down new Western proposals aimed at breaking the dead-lock in the Korean situation.

Hollywood (IP) — Comedian Eddie Cantor, whose doc described him as a victim of "complete exhaustion," (Continued On Page two)

Lillington Church

By LOIS BYRD

Brown Will Fill

Harnett Pulpit

Rev. Robert E. Brown. Superintendent of the Raleigh District of the Methodist Church, will preach Sunday, October 5, at 11 am. at the Lillington Church had previously been without a regular pastor of the Church.

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Dr. James Appleby, Director of the Church.

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This is not a time, Doctor Appleby noted, "of the outward glory of the Christian church. Even though church membership is at the Church work of the Work for the Union Theological Seminary in Richmond, Va., that less than half of our citizens that less than half of our citizens will be made at that time.