

WEATHER

Considerable cloudiness and warm with scattered showers today and tonight. Friday continued mostly warm with scattered showers.

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GOVERNOR WILLIAM B. UMSTEAD

Umstead Makes Inaugural Address Big Transport Plane Missing In Wyoming

Transport Plane Being Sought In Mountain Region

MONTPELIER, Ida. (P) — A nine-man ground party struggled through the wild, rocky mountain wilderness near here today in a search for a C-46 commando transport plane missing with 40 men and one woman aboard.

There was a hope that some of the passengers on the Army chartered plane survived the crash and the storm whipped night in the mountains after a farmer near here reported late last night that he saw flares on Hot Springs Peak, just off the plane's course.

Sheriff Gilbert Ansell of Bear Lake County and an eight-man search team left here last night to investigate farmer Jesse Schiediger's report.

The big plane was believed down near the Utah-Idaho border and only a few miles from Wyoming in what one official called the "most rugged terrain possible."

Air searches will be resumed today. Rescue planes wallowed helplessly over the area yesterday, unable to see the ground clearly. Harlan Bement, Utah aeronautics director said he had never seen "more stinking weather."

The C-46, carrying 37 Korean veterans en route to their homes, disappeared from sight yesterday morning.

ANOTHER CRASH Later yesterday a four-motored Flying Tiger Lines plane crashed near Bonanza, Wash., about 15 miles east of Seattle. Seven persons were killed, including a stewardess and a mother and two small sons.

Arnell's ground party was traveling in two cars especially equipped (Continued on page two)

Coroner Reports On 44 Deaths

A total of 44 violent deaths were investigated in Harnett County during the year 1951, according to the report turned in to the Institute of Government by Coroner Grover Henderson.

The majority were highway fatalities, of which Harnett had 23 during the past twelve months. There were seven homicides, three accidental shootings and three drownings during the year.

Those who died by their own hands during the past year were Charlie Harris, John Kennedy, W. T. Phillips, James Clark, C. B. Cannon, Viola Lucas, Melvin Wilbourne and Eugene Strickland.

Victims of homicides included Norman Gainey, Hury Murphy, Wil (Continued on page two)

Lovett Outlines Defense Controls

WASHINGTON (P) — Defense Secretary Robert A. Lovett said today national security is being jeopardized by inability of existing laws to protect the country against "traitors, spies and blabbermouths."

Lovett, in a letter to President Truman, said the problem of security is of "cardinal importance" and should receive prompt attention.

His letter to the President, recommending a board of overhaul of the Defense Department, was written on Nov. 18. Lovett made it public today concurrently with his appearance before the House Armed (Continued on page two)

Policeman Hired To Direct Traffic Cannot Be Found

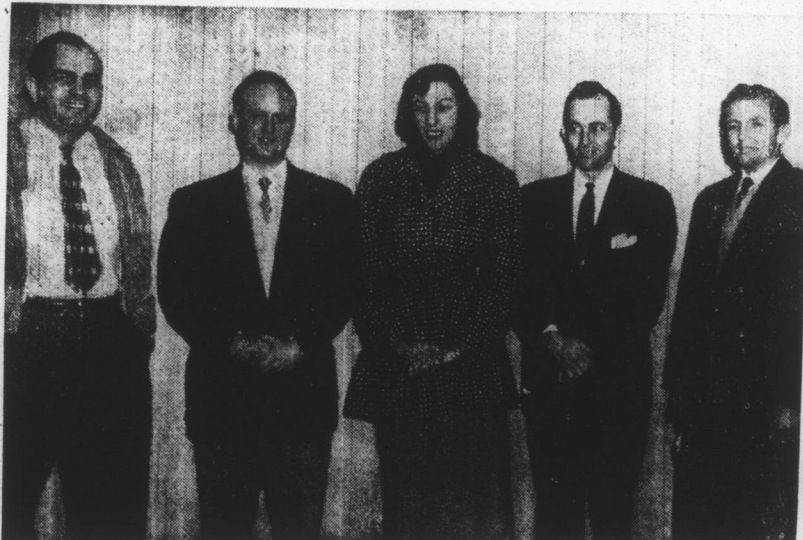
Mayor Charlie Loving of Lillinston today was wondering if a policeman he hired in December to direct traffic hasn't gotten lost himself.

The mayor of Harnett's county seat reported that he hired the policeman, that he served for a while and then suddenly disappeared.

"We haven't seen him since," declared the Mayor. "He didn't even bother to get his pay."

The new policeman, reported Mayor Loving, simply handed over the keys to the jail to Chief Frank Woodcock, got into his automobile and drove off.

He hasn't been seen since.



DUNN MARCH OF DIMES WORKERS — Pictured here are some of the leaders in the March of Dimes campaign in Dunn. Left to right are: Hubert Peay, chairman of the Roosevelt Birthday Ball to be held on January 20th; Al Compton, advertising chairman; Mrs. Floyd Furr, Mothers March committee, Bill Biggs, president of Dunn Jaycees, the sponsoring organization; and Norman Suttles, vice chairman. Chairman Floyd Furr was absent when this picture was made. (Daily Record Photo)

Chevrolet, Olds And Buick To Go On Display Tomorrow

Expanded to include a third series of cars, and boasting more significant advances than ever incorporated in a model in the low-price field, the widely discussed new Chevrolets make their first public appearance at Westbrook Chevrolet Co., in Dunn, Friday, it was announced today by Earl MCD. Westbrook.

For the 1953 market bodies have been completely re-designed. All cars have increased power, with special emphasis on a new power and improved automatic transmission. In performance, in economy, in driving an riding qualities, exterior and interior appointments, the latest Chevrolet models contribute importantly to automotive progress.

MANY NEW FEATURES Features of the new cars range throughout the bodies and chassis. Of major interest: 1—The entirely new series, to (Continued On Page Six)

Oldsmobile's 1953 models with exciting new styling inside and out and many mechanical improvements will go on display for the first time on Friday, January 9, at Lee Motors in Dunn, it was announced today by Wilbert Lee, head of the local concern. The new Oldsmobiles will offer the ultimate in automotive luxury, according to Mr. Lee, with their graceful body lines and a wide choice of handsome interior appointments.

A more powerful "Rocket" engine with a higher compression ratio will provide power for the 1953 Oldsmobiles. A new higher voltage ignition system also will make even greater performance at the command of the Oldsmobile owner.

Frigitidair car conditioning, which provides the comfort of refrigerated air to cool the interior of the car, is being offered on the 1953 Oldsmobile for the first time as option (Continued on page two)

The slogan "When better cars are built, Buick will build them," will face another test tomorrow when the new 1953 Buick goes on display at Strickland Motor Company's showrooms here.

Both Paul L. Strickland and Dennis Strickland, the owners, are convinced that the new model will come through the test with flying colors. The new car incorporates some of the latest advances in automotive engineering and styling.

Buick has set the pace for the automotive industry for the past 50 years and the present model is no exception. It is styled for stupendous comfort and ease, with breathtaking power and performance, and is a product of meticulous workmanship and detail.

The complete new front and rear styling gives the new model long clean lines, and an unbroken contour from front to rear bumper. The long fender contours and deep (Continued On Page Six)

Ike Assured Strong Support For Defense

By JOSEPH L. MYLER United Press Staff Correspondent WASHINGTON (P) — Dwight D. Eisenhower is assured of strong Congressional support if he decides to hit the Communists with atomic weapons in carrying out his dead-end-words Korean policy.

Key members of the House-Senate Atomic Energy Committee said today they favor use of A-weapons on the Korean battlefield whenever the military concludes they would encourage the Reds to make peace.

"When a positive decision of that sort is reached, why then, of course, we should go ahead," said Sen. Bourke M. Hickenlooper (R-Ia.).

TO SHORTEN WAR Rep. W. Sterling Cole (R-N.Y.) declared that "if the war can be shortened by a single day—or if any lives can be saved—then the atomic bomb should be used."

Either Cole or Hickenlooper will be chairman of the Atomic Com-

Plenty Of Quail In The County

Game warden Jeff Turlington today said that bird hunters this season can't offer many alibis about "those that got away."

Because, the truth is, he said there really are quite a number of quail in Harnett County this season.

Turlington credited the dry weather with the increase in the game. The long drought this summer which was hard on the farmer was kind to the young birds who live off of dew and thrive on dry climate.

Floods five years ago worked such havoc on small game, Turlington said it has taken all this time for birds to replenish their losses.

The bird season will end the last of January.

Bell Accepts New Position

Richard Bell, who has been chief bookkeeper for R. M. Turlington, Lillinston contractor, for the past three years, said last night he has accepted a new position with Hair and Apple, certified public accountants in Burlington.

Bell will start his new duties next week. He said he regretted keenly to leave Lillinston, but that firm, in business more than 20 years has offered him "a very substantial" increase in salary and an opportunity at a later date to join the firm.

UNC GRADUATE Bell was graduated from the University of North Carolina with a B.S. degree in commerce, but is not a certified public accountant. He is the son of Mrs. Felix O. Bell and the late Dr. Bell of Burlington. His father died nearly three years ago. (Continued On Page two)

BULLETINS

OTTAWA (P) — If the Royal Canadian Mounted Police were ordered to "mount up" today they would have to squeeze at least 37 men on a horse. The RCMP's annual report showed today that the force had 151 saddle horses and 5,641 officers and men.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. (P) — Charles Larson Lee, 80-year-old cousin of Mamie Eisenhower, says he will have to be "careful" if he attends the President-elect's inaugural Jan. 20. "I might have to tell Cousin Mamie I favored Ad-

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New Governor Gives Program to Assembly

William B. Umstead of Durham, the new Governor of North Carolina, presented a broad and comprehensive program for the consideration of the General Assembly and the people of North Carolina in his inaugural address here today.

Speaking at formal ceremonies in Memorial Auditorium, Umstead told the legislators that "this is an hour of great responsibilities for you and for me. I have complete confidence in your patriotic devotion to North Carolina. Ahead of us there are new and unpredictable problems. Let us not be afraid. Let us meet with a courage that is characteristic of our people, the uncertainties of a swiftly moving future."

The new chief executive made a number of important recommendations, with major emphasis going to public education, roads, highway safety, agriculture, conservation and development, treatment and care for mentally ill, labor, prison and paroles changes, liquor referendum, and taxes.

FOR PAY HIKE He recommended a 10 per cent salary increase for public school teachers and other state employees, retroactive to July 1, 1952, and asked that as much increase in the salaries of teachers be made during the next biennium as can be provided within available revenues.

The present school construction program is not meeting the needs of a rapidly increasing school population, the Governor asserted, and he asked the General Assembly to submit a bond issue to the people for funds "to provide the necessary aid to counties for the construction of school facilities for all our children."

He also called for further reduction of the teacher load, the safest school bus transportation possible, improved vocational training programs, and a new study of requirements for elementary teachers. These requirements have been said to be so rigorous that they deter young people from seeking (Continued on page two)

Churchill Will Have Truman As Dinner Guest

WASHINGTON (P) — British Prime Minister Winston Churchill had a date at the White House today to say good-bye to an old friend from Missouri.

Both British and American officials described Churchill's fourth and last official meeting with President Truman as "just a courtesy call." The important business of the Churchill trip was transacted earlier this week in his private conferences with President-elect Eisenhower in New York.

But Mr. Truman's imminent departure from office did not detract from the warmth of Churchill's welcome. Quite aside from the close alliance between their countries, the American President and the British Prime Minister have been personal friends since they first met at the Potsdam Conference in 1945. (Continued on page two)

Legislature Today

Both houses convene at 10 a. m. Senate president and House speaker sign salary and expense allowance bill passed Wednesday under rules suspension.

Ratification of bill providing inauguration on Thursday following convening of the General Assembly.

Members of both houses march from Capitol to Memorial Auditorium at 11:30 a. m. Inaugural parade 11:30 a. m. beginning at executive mansion. Noon: Inauguration of William B. Umstead as governor.

Gov. Umstead's inaugural address. Formal reception, executive mansion. Inaugural ball.

MARKETS

RALEIGH (P) — Hog markets: Tarboro, Dunn, Mount Olive, Wilson, Goldsboro, Washington, Wilmington, New Bern, Jacksonville, Siler City, Kinston, Lumberton, Marion, Fayetteville, Florence. Slightly stronger on good and choice 180-240 lb. barrows and gilts at 18.75. Smithfield: Slightly stronger at (Continued On Page 4)

School For Lovers In Erwin Tonight

The Grass Roots Opera production of School for Lovers (Così fan Tutte) will feature Miss Emogene Gunter, of Hot Springs, Arkansas in the role of Despina, the pert, sassy maid. The amusing Mozart Comedy, which is sponsored by Jr. and Sr. classes of Erwin High School will be presented at 8:00 p. m. on January 8, 1953.

Miss Gunter received her musical training at North Texas State College in Denton, Texas and De Paul University, Chicago. She furthered her study with Marjorie Lawrence, famous soprano of the Metropolitan Opera, and made television appearances in New York and Dallas and on the American Broadcasting Company TV Network. Her repertoire also includes many oratorio works.

She performed many performances of The Secret of Susanne and Up In Central Park in towns throughout the mid-west where critics widely praised her singing and acting.

Following the policy of Grassbe sung in English.

EMOGENE GUNTER

Roots Opera, School for Lovers will

Mrs. Davis Says Her Attorney Misquoted

Mrs. E. P. Davis accused the Dunn City Council of misinterpreting her attorney, Franklin Dupree of Angier, whom the board said had given them the impression that she wished to bring her subdivision into the city limits.

She denied emphatically that she had any intention of doing so. "When I first started work on my subdivision in 1950," she declared, "I asked Mayor Hanna, Mr. Williams and some of the commissioners to meet with me. I was ready at that time to come in, but the conditions they laid down were impossible."

CITES CONDITIONS Mrs. Davis said at that time, she was told that in order for her subdivision to be accepted, she must, at her own expense, install water and sewer lines and gravel her streets.

She pointed out that since the city was not going to do this work, there was no inducement to come in. "I just went ahead and installed them at my own expense and dropped the idea of bringing the property into the city," she said.

Mrs. Davis feels that the real (Continued on page two)

Doctor Explains How Survey Films Work

Dr. J. K. Williford, president of the Harnett County Medical Society, today issued a statement explaining the use of miniature X-ray films in the community survey to find the unknown cases of tuberculosis in Harnett County.

Diagnosis of tuberculosis is never made on the basis of the first miniature films taken at the mobile X-ray unit, he said.

"The small 70 millimeter films used for a mass X-raying project of this kind represent a great saving in time and money. Their purpose is to 'screen out' cases that

might show suspicion of tuberculosis," Dr. Williford explained. "When a person's miniature film is negative, that means he is free of tuberculosis at this time. If the film reveals shadows, a larger X-ray must be taken for further study, to find out just what the trouble is. It does not mean that the person necessarily has tuberculosis."

CAN HAVE SECOND A person can be requested to have a second picture for any of several reasons — a blurred "picture" or a technical imperfection of either film or machine — as well as because of shadows on the first film that might indicate illness. Every person whose miniature X-ray does (Continued on page two)

Local Man Named For Rotary Board

Al Wullenwaber, prominent Dunn Rotary leader, has been appointed to serve on the executive committee for the 280th District of Rotary International for a three-year term.

Appointment of Mr. Wullenwaber, former president and secretary of the Dunn club, was announced today by District Governor Stanley Woodland of Morehead City.

Mr. Wullenwaber is one of five members from the 40 Eastern Carolina clubs selected for the honor. The executive committee directs the program and policies for the entire district.

The Dunn man, who operates Colonial Frozen Food Lockers here, served for one year as president, and has also held a number of district and conference positions during recent years.