

Fair and colder. Much colder to night. Wednesday fair and cold.

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INDUSTRY WAS TOPIC - North Carolina's State Treasurer Brandon Hodges spoke in Lillington on Monday night at the Community Center. Topic of his talk was ways and means of securing new industries.

President Talks To Newsmen

President Says Policy On Farm Supports Sound

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Eisenhower today disclaimed Republican responsibility for falling farm prices and said lifting of controls would help solve the problem.

The new Republican President, in his first news conference, renewed his campaign pledge to seek a prosperous agriculture with free and independent farmers.



PLANNING GOLF ACTIVITIES - Pictured here are some of the officials and committee chairmen of Chicora Country Club who met last night at Johnson's Restaurant to plan for the spring and summer seasons.

Declares Reds Have Supply Of Atomic Weapons

By MERRIMAN SMITH United Press White House Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Eisenhower said today that it is absolutely true that Russia has the atom bomb.

He also told his first news conference that he is definitely opposed to cutting taxes until the budget is balanced.

Teachers Hear Miss Montague

Miss Patsy Montague, in a talk made last week to elementary teachers in Dunn and Coala, said "There must be a genuine determination on the part of all teachers to do a better job."

City Attorney Has Proposal On Juries

City Attorney I. R. Williams has offered a new proposal for clarifying the law on holding jury trials in the Dunn Recorder's court.

REEF PRICES OFF

Mr. Eisenhower said beef prices of more than \$43 per hundred pounds in January, 1952, had dropped to \$31 in November of that year and continued to fall until (Continued On Page Two)

Tourneys Planned At Chicora

Officers, directors and committees of the Chicora Country Club, at a dinner meeting held here last night at Johnson's Restaurant, heard reports of progress and approved a list of projects for the spring and summer seasons.

Erwin Pastor Accepts Western Harnett Call

The Rev. R. M. Phillips of Erwin recently accepted the call to serve the Presbyterian churches of Summerville, Cape Fear and Cedar Rock.

Hodges Is Speaker At Lillington Club

Brandon Hodges of Raleigh, state treasurer, in an address last night to the Lillington Business and Professional Women's Club advised Harnett County citizens to "mix manufacturing with your farming economy in such a way as not to harm agriculture."

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Amvet Leader Asks For Public Hearing

Paul Hester of Dunn, State commander of North Carolina AMVETS, today called on each post in the State to send a spokesman to the public hearing to be held by the General Assembly on February 26th on the proposed Veterans' Bonus Bill.

Mr. Hester, who is scheduled to lead off the parade of speakers favoring a referendum, reminded today that the AMVETS have not at any time gone on record as favoring the payment of a bonus, such as has been paid by other States.

Two Accidents Are Reported

Two minor accidents with heavy damages, were reported happening Friday afternoon and Friday night by Patrolman David Matthews of the State Highway Patrol.

Mrs. Pridden Has Charge Of Service

The World Day of Prayer Service will be observed Friday afternoon at four o'clock in Dunn at the First Presbyterian Church. It was announced today by Mrs. B. C. Pridden.

Court Upholds News Blackout

NEW YORK (AP) - A State Supreme Court justice today upheld General Sessions Judge Francis J. Valente's order excluding the press and public from the Minot F. Jelke trial.

Apply Now For Street Paving

Residents of Dunn who are living on unpaved streets may apply for paving at any time during the next two weeks it was announced today by City Manager A. B. Uzile, Jr.

Dunn Pharmacy Now Rexall Drug Store

C. O. Warren, owner of Dunn Pharmacy, announced today that he has been granted a Rexall Drug Company franchise which entitles him to sell Rexall products in Dunn.



NEW STUDEBAKER ON DISPLAY - Shown in one of the show new 1953 Studebaker V-8 Convertibles which went on display at the Temple Motor Company here yesterday.

BULLETINS

NEW YORK (AP) - Attorneys for John David Provo, convicted last week of betraying his comrades in Japanese prison camps during World War II, present motions for appeal today to Federal Judge Gregory F. Noonan.

MARKETS

RALEIGH (AP) - Hog markets: Tarboro, Clinton, Siler City: Stronger at 19.00 for good and choice 180-240 lb. barrows and gilts.

MASS BUYING POWER Under the company's unique program, Rexall druggists remain independent business men, but gain the advantage of having behind them the mass buying power of nearly 10,000 drug stores and the largest drug company in the world.