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STEWART'S PLANE IS REPORTED SIGHTED

Throngs Wait In Cold In Red Square To Pay Respects To Leader



AS A YOUNG MAN (two photos, left above), the cobbler's son became a devoted follower of Nicolai Lenin with whom he is shown (right, above) and finally replaced him as Russia's ruler when Lenin died in 1924. After the exile of Leon Trotsky, he ruled unchallenged, his likeness appearing from time to time in the world's press in photos like those below.



Thousands View Body As Stalin Awaits Funeral

By HENRY SHAPIRO
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Correspondent
MOSCOW (AP) — Moscow's millions swarmed to the center of the city today to view the body of Josef Stalin as it lay in state awaiting the greatest funeral in Russian history.

The streets were black with sorrowful people, weeping and murmuring prayers. They stretched in lines two miles long, 50 abreast, awaiting their chance to honor the man who died at 9:50 p. m. yesterday after leading them for 29 years. Stalin's body was taken from the grim walled Kremlin, where he died in his four-room apartment with members of his family and government around his bed, to the great Hall of Columns of the Trade Union Building five minutes' walk away. The body lay in an open bier on top of a black-frame catafalque. It was clad in Stalin's marshal's uniform, with only one of his innumerable decorations on the breast. It was the decoration of the "Hero of Socialist Labor."

Wreaths of fresh flowers almost smothered the catafalque.

WAIT IN COLD

At 4 p. m. (8 p. m. EST) the doors of the building were thrown open. Men, women, children, who had waited for hours in the biting cold, began to stuff in around the catafalque on guard stood members of all the branches of the armed services in full dress uniforms, like breathing status. Military orchestras softly played funeral dirges and other compositions especially by Stalin's favorite composers, Glinka and Tschalkovsky.

At the body of Stalin's predecessor and the father of communism, rested in 1924.

Russia's people heard of their (Continued on page two)

Legislature Today

By UNITED PRESS
Senate convenes 10 a. m.
House convenes 11 a. m.
House Committees:
Health 9 a. m.
Health Committees:
Agriculture 9 a. m.
Judiciary 9 a. m.
Mental Institutions 9 a. m.
Salaries and Fees 9:30 a. m.

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Vehicle Bill Fails To Pass Group In Senate

RALEIGH (AP) — A Senate committee adjourned without voting on a motor vehicles inspection bill today after reporters refused to leave the meeting when Chairman James H. Fou Bailey moved for a closed session.

Bailey said he did not think the votes of the committee members on the "highly-controversial" bill should be made public before the bill reaches the Senate floor.

Author of the inspection measure, Bailey had predicted in advance that his committee would approve the bill at today's meeting. But when it came up for consideration, Bailey made a motion from the chair that the committee go into closed session. The motion carried, but reporters kept their seats.

Bailey explained his action to newsmen later, saying he did not believe committee members should be subjected to possible "embarrassment" by having their vote in committee made public.

Other members of the Judiciary Committee declined immediate comment.

ANNUAL CHECK-UP
Bailey's inspection measure would require motor vehicles inspection under a proposal which calls (Continued on page two)

Board Sets Dates For City Election

The forthcoming city election took up a good portion of the time at the regular meeting of the Dunn City Council last night. Registrar and judges were appointed, filing dates set, and the date for the primary and the general election fixed.

A. N. Hudson was named as registrar to replace Joe Greel. Robert Draughton and Tommy Harral were named as judges. The books will be open from March 28th until April 18th, with the later date set as Challenge Day. Candidates may start filing on

April 1st and the deadline for filing will be at noon on Saturday, April 11th. All filing will be done at the office of City Clerk Charles Storey.

Commissioner R. G. Tart jokingly suggested a filing fee that might (Continued On Page Six)

Plenty Of Weapons In Assault Cases

An assortment of weapons including knives, coke bottles, an iron bar, and as a climax, a shotgun, figured in the argument between George Arthur Hall and Aaron Hall and Alfred Tart, according to their testimony in Recorder's Court yesterday morning. Tart testified that he sought the Hall brothers to protect their robbery of an elderly man and threaten to notify police if they refused to return the money. When one of the boys hit him with a coke bottle, he said he left the scene.

On his return, he related, Aaron intercepted him and forced him to stop by standing in the road. He accused Aaron of advancing upon him with an iron bar, while his (Continued on page seven)

GREGORY HAS FLU
Harnett Representative Carson Gregory missed a session of the State Legislature yesterday. But he had good reason. The Harnett sealer is confined to his home with influenza.

Gardner's Dairy Has New Product

Gardner's Dairy Products, Inc., of Dunn has added a new product. Manager James Surles announced today that Gardner's is now making delicious new creamed cottage cheese.

As a special introductory offer, the cottage cheese is being sold in the beautiful and sparkling Basalco Aluminum Tumblers in all the brilliant colors.

You'll find this new Gardner's product on sale at food stores throughout this section. Mr. Surles reported today that the item is proving very popular.

MARKETS

RALEIGH (AP) — Hog market: Southfield — 25 cents lower ranging from 18.50 to 19.75 for good and choice 180-240 lb barrows and sows.

High Square Jacky Mount: Steady at 22.50.
Tartar, Star City, Wilmington. (Continued On Page Two)



DR. DANIEL IVERSON

Iverson To Begin Revival On Sunday

Dr. Daniel Iverson, of Miami Presbyterian Church in Miami, Fla., arrives in Dunn tomorrow to begin the "Week of Spiritual Enrichment" at the First Presbyterian Church. The first of the series of services will begin at 11:00 Sunday morning and the last will be on Friday evening. Dr. Iverson was for twenty-five years pastor of the Shenandoah

March Worst Month For The Red Cross

WASHINGTON (AP) — If the American National Red Cross can ease through the month of March, it generally can stay within its budget. March appears to be the month of disaster.

Frenell Betts, the comptroller, says that such things as tornadoes and floods are expected and therefore funds are set aside to take care of the homeless and needy. It's the unexpected that puts the Red Cross in the red.

"No home in the small town of Judsonia was left undamaged," Betts says, "and most of them were leveled. We spent \$753,000 in Judsonia alone. Money we hadn't exactly planned on spending."

FLOOD COST
The floods around Council Bluffs, (Continued on page two)

Party Working To Site Of Wreckage

ASHEVILLE, N. C. (AP) — A ground rescue party worked its way through thick forests in an "airplane graveyard" toward a downed plane which may have been flown by a missing Charlotte theater executive.

Capt. C. A. Speed of the state highway patrol said the wreckage had been "definitely identified" as that of a Beechcraft Bonanza, the type flown by Worth Stewart.

However, Col. Norman Young of Civil Air Patrol headquarters at Charlotte cautioned that "we won't know definitely until the ground party reports."

Speed said the plane was "clearly visible" from State Highway 110 four miles south of Canton atop 6,000-foot Cold Mountain.

Stewart, wealthy president of a Carolinas theater chain, who has been missing eight days on a flight from Jacksonville, Fla., to Charlotte.

Young said the area is a "regular airplane graveyard." He said there are five wrecked planes in a 10-square-mile area and "we won't know definitely whether this is the right one" until the ground party reports.

The CAP launched a search last Saturday and combed Stewart's route from Florida through coastal Georgia and South Carolina and into North Carolina.

The silver object on Cold Mountain is in drive a wedge between the satellite in eastern Europe and Asia and Moscow.

President Eisenhower and his cabinet planned an urgent review of key U. S. domestic and foreign policy programs to prepare the nation for "any eventuality" that might flow from Stalin's death.

Even without a review, it was clear the historic shift in Russian power would have major repercussions on the nation's policies, foreign and domestic. Among other things, it was expected to:

RESULTS OF SHIFT
1. Diminish the chances for any early cut in defense spending, budget balancing or tax reduction. The administration will be required to adopt a "go slow" policy until it detects—along with U. S. allies—the future course of Soviet policies.

2. Require a continued defense buildup and foreign aid. A high-ranking military officer voiced the fear that Stalin's successor, unlike Stalin, might underestimate America's productive genius and atomic (Continued on Page 8)

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Nash Unveils New Rambler

Nash Motors today unveiled its completely new 1953 Rambler series, featuring continental custom design combined with American passenger comfort. The beautiful new line of Ramblers went on display today at Larry's Nash Motors in Dunn.

Styled by Pinin Farina, leading European custom body designer, in collaboration with Nash engineers, the new Rambler line includes a custom convertible, station wagon, and Country Club hardtop convertible. Nash dealers throughout the country displayed their new models in their showrooms today.

"The elegant European styling of the new Nash Rambler line makes these cars the most luxurious compact custom cars in America today," H. C. Doss, vice-president in charge of sales, said. "The new models offer traditional Rambler economy, combined with outstanding performance, comfort and ease of handling in city traffic and on the highway."

MODERN TREND
Doss outlined these modern trends in the 1953 Rambler models:
1. Completely new body design. (Continued on Page Seven)

Leaders Comment On Stalin Death

The death of Josef Stalin brought the following comment from well-known men throughout the world: President Eisenhower—"The world government of the United States tends its official condolences to the government of the USSR on the death of Generalissimo Josef Stalin, prime minister of the Soviet Union."

Harry Truman, former President—"I'm always sorry to hear of the passing of any accomplished man."

Trygve Lie, United Nations secretary-general—"I have the honor to extend my personal condolences on the death of Generalissimo Stalin." (Continued on Page Eight)

Hudson To Compete In Pistol Tourney

First Lieutenant Howard V. Hudson, who is stationed at Camp Lee, Va., was home with his parents today enroute to Tampa, Florida where he will participate in the Midwinter National Pistol Matchup from March 10th through 14th.

The Dunn Army office is a Pistol Tournament at Paderborn, member of the championship team Germany in 1950 and at the team at Camp Lee, selected from the Nuremberg tournament in 1951.

Lt. Hudson has been stationed at more than 6,000 men stationed there. On the team with Lt. Hudson are Captain W. J. Dixon of Kanawha, the former Miss Dorothy Fox and Wisconsin; Lt. Col. Elmo Prescott, they have one son, Howard, Jr. of Wrightsville, Ga., and Lt. Col. George V. Orsholman of Washington of Dunn, Route 1.

Top Stock Car Racing Slated

Big-time racing will come to Harnett County for the first time and to the State for the first time this year Sunday afternoon when the Grand National Circuit moves to Harnett Speedway at Spring Lake.

Twenty-eight top NASCAR drivers, including Tim Flock, 1952 champion from Atlanta, Ga., and Harnett's own king of the speedway, Herb Thomas of Olivia, 1951 champion, will participate in the 100-mile, 200-lap race.

John Borrell, Jr., owner of the popular Harnett Speedway, said today that he is expecting a crowd of about 10,000 for the biggest racing event ever held in this section.

Bill France of Daytona Beach, Fla., chief of the NASCAR races, will be in Harnett to attend Sunday afternoon's big event, along with other NASCAR officials from (Continued on page two)

TIM FLOCK