

North Carolina - Considerable cloudiness and warm with scattered showers and thunderstorms today and tonight. Thursday considerable cloudiness and not so warm. Scattered showers west and south portion.

Soviets Moving To End East German Riots



EXTINGUISHES FIRE - An unidentified fireman from the Dunn Fire Department extinguished the last sparks in the Wade fire last night. Work of the Dunn Firemen prevented the spread of the fire. (Daily Record Photo)

Home, Garage And Tobacco Are Destroyed By Night Fire

More Prisoners Exchanged Today

PANMUNJOM, Friday (P) - The Communists promised to return 81 more "healthy" Americans at Freedom Gate today, but the joy over their return was dimmed by the growing fear thousands of other captured Americans may never come back.

Three returning Americans now have told of fellow prisoners being sentenced by the Reds on phony charges of endangering the lives of other prisoners or "instigating against peace."

SI TODAY - The 81 Americans to be returned today will bring to 221 the total released by the Reds in three days.

However, the condition of ill and haggard prisoners - their appearance reminiscent of victims of the Nazi torture camps of Dachau and Buchenwald - will delay the United States homecoming of the few that are "healthy."

A summary of Thursday's prisoners exchanged today.

14 Bodies Still Missing In Crash

LONDON, Aug. 6 (P) - The bodies of two more victims of Wednesday's crash of an American B-29 bomber was taken from the stormy Atlantic today.

Last Minute News Shorts

NEW YORK (P) - Rep. Charles E. Deane (D-NC) and Mrs. Deane left by plane today for Geneva, Switzerland, for a five-week vacation. Deane said he planned to make a side trip to check on morale of U. S. troops in West Germany.

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (P) - The Alabama Supreme Court refused today to rehear an appeal by Mrs. Earl Dennison, convicted of the poison death of her small niece, and left only a chance for executive clemency between her and death in the electric chair.

INCHON, Korea (P) - The Communists tricked American prisoners into appearing in propaganda movies, a New York soldier declared today upon his arrival at Inchon. Pfc. William T. Bullock, 23, Piermont, N. Y., was squad leader in Camp Number 5 near the Yalu River. His wife's family lives in Henderson, N. C.

ATLANTA (P) - State political leaders in the South expressed conflicting views today on the significance of the U. S. Supreme Court's action in postponing arguments on five public school desegregation cases.

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The explosion of a kerosene stove last night near Wade resulted in the loss of a home and garage and one barn of tobacco valued at \$4,500.

Owned by E. T. McLaurin, the home was occupied by a Negro family, Sylvester Lock and wife. The house was a two story structure with a garage below the living quarters.

Lock's wife stated that she was preparing to cook supper and left the kitchen for "just a minute." She returned when she heard a crackling noise, she said, and the fire was already leaping up the walls.

A small table model, two burner oil stove had exploded throwing ignited oil over the room. Lock's wife said that she leaped from the room and almost jumped downstairs to get out of the range of the flames.

The Dunn fire department was called, but by the time they arrived, they could do no more than prevent the fire from spreading to other buildings around. The entire structure was a complete loss within less than an hour and a half.

McLaurin stated that one barn of cured tobacco was stored in the building, and that cultivators, plows and other farm equipments were stored under the apartment in the garage. He was making a check last night to see if the building was covered by insurance. He said that he knew some of the buildings around the place were, but did not know about the house.

The home and garage had recently been constructed, McLaurin told firemen.

The Dunn fire department remained on the scene until danger of spreading sparks was under control.

Howard M. Lee is secretary-treasurer of the Dunn Fire Department and reported on the fire this morning.

SEA ROUGHER - Noon reports said the sea was getting rougher, with waves up to 14 feet expected. Cross swells are expected to be 10 to 12 feet. (Continued on page two)

School Board Will Be Ready For Building

By Lois Byrd, Record Staff Writer - Harnett County's Board of Education plans to be ready, when and if, the \$50,000,000 State school and hospital bond issue passes on October 3, to utilize the funds to the best advantage possible.

At the August meeting of the board on Monday night in the education building in Lillington, the board authorized Country Superintendent G. T. Proffit to investigate employment of an architect to draw specific plans for the much needed buildings in Harnett, largely in the county's Negro schools.

All money from the bond issue will be used for permanent improvements in schools and board members were urged to do their part in "getting out the vote" on the bond election day.

TO BE SELECTED - Proffit, secretary to the board, said no specific architect was mentioned, and that after he returns from the state wide Superintendents conference set for August 11-14 in Mars Hill he will know more about how the state education authorities plan to distribute the money.

At present announcement has been made that ten million dollars will be allocated to 100 counties, each county receiving \$100,000. Then 15 million more dollars will be distributed on a basis of the per capita daily attendance record, with the more populous counties certain to reap more benefits of this sum.

The other half of the bond issue, probably will distribute on the basis of total "age" in which we hope to put up a good case," Proffit said. But it is clear that it will take several months, maybe five, before the money distributed can stimulate construction of needed buildings. All, of course, hinges on the vote on Oct. 3.

The county superintendent reported to the board on the school lunch program and other summer building repairs.

Board members were informed that the box score for teachers now stands at 17 vacancies among teachers, and one principal yet to be employed for Buie's Creek.

SCHOOL OPENS - Angier has selected August 26 as the opening school date. Other schools heard from indicate they wish to open in September. Schools from which no word has been received are Boone Trail, Coats and Buie's Creek.

Harnett will gain eight new additional school buses this fall, and seven replacements, bringing the school bus fleet to 110 it was reported by the superintendent.

Board members were urged to attend the State School Board Association meeting on September 11-12 in Chapel Hill.

Plans for a visit to Dunn by State Civil Air Patrol officials and for the organization of a local CAP unit were made at a meeting of about 25 aviation enthusiasts here last night.

Rusty Fowler, prominent Dunn businessman who is spearheading the organization, announced to the group that Lt. Col. Fred Eldenhorn, State CAP Commander, and about a half dozen other wing officials from Charlotte will come to Dunn next Wednesday night for a dinner and organization meeting.

The State CAP officials will be met by the local group at Pope Field at 6 o'clock and taken to Johnson's Restaurant for a dinner to be held at 7 o'clock.

MUCH ENTHUSIASM - Mr. Fowler, who organized and headed Rocky Mount's CAP unit before coming to Dunn, said there was much enthusiasm at last night's meeting and that he feels there will be no difficulty in finding 100 members to organize the unit here.

In addition to pilots, other citizens are invited to volunteer for group duties, he said. Those present at last night's meeting, in addition to Mr. Fowler, were Robert Strickland, Robert Godwin, Bob Bass, Paul Albergine. (Continued on page two)

GEN. CLARK REVIEWS HONOR GUARD IN CAPITAL



GEN. MARK W. CLARK, United Nations commander in the Far East, inspects an honor guard on his arrival at National Airport, Washington. He is accompanied by Charles E. Wilson (left), Secretary of Defense, and Lt. Col. Henry R. Sievers (center). Gen. Clark was given a hero's welcome, including a 17-gun salute, as he returned to the capital for top-level conferences on Korea's future. He called the recently-negotiated truce "just an agreement between commanders to stop the firing."

Liquor Dealer Is Fined \$50

Louella Allen, Negro, charged with possession of non-taxed liquor for the purpose of sale, was the object of a long legal discussion in Recorder's Court this morning.

Judge H. Paul Strickland found her guilty of possession of non-taxed liquor "to wit about half pint" and sentenced her to 90 days in jail, suspended on payment of \$50 and cost, and on further condition that her reputation of selling liquor change within the next six months.

CHIEF TESTIFIES

Testifying for the State, Chief Alton A. Cobb stated that he searched the house in which Louella lives and found only half pint of non-taxed liquor. Cobb said that he told Louella that he would "forgive" her if that if he heard nothing else from her.

Later, Cobb stated, he found a gallon of non-taxed liquor in Louella's back yard, and then found one or two jars of liquor across the road from her home.

The back yard is used commonly by two families, it was stated. D. C. Wilson, defense attorney, questioned Cobb on the finding of the half pint of liquor and his statements Louella. He asked Cobb if he would "forgive" her now of having the half pint.

Wilson asked Cobb to produce the half pint, but he stated that it had been destroyed. (Continued on page two)

Gen. Mark Clark To Retire Oct. 31st.

WASHINGTON (P) - Gen. Mark W. Clark, Far East commander, announced today that he plans to retire from the Army next Oct. 31 after 40 years service. He is 57 years old.

Clark made the announcement at a new conference here where he has been holding conferences prior to returning to his headquarters in Tokyo.

He said he hoped his successor would be designated in time for "an orderly turnover" in command so that he could return to the United States in September.

Clark also said:

1. There "might be" from 2,000 to 3,000 more Americans in Communist hands in Korea than the Reds have admitted.

2. If the Korean truce is violated, he would personally favor "using any weapon at the disposal of our country" in retaliation. That answered a question whether he would favor using the atomic bomb.

3. The Republic of Korea army does not "have the capability" to go it alone should present Communist forces in North Korea violate the armistice. But if all foreign troops, United Nations and Red China, were removed from Korea, the ROKs "could take care of themselves" if attacked by North Koreans.

4. South Korean President Syngman Rhee is "cooperating" with armistice agreements, and "I expect him to continue."

5. The United Nations could have won the Korean war "if we had massed the means."

Clark saved his retirement announcement until the end of the 45-minute news conference. He said he had applied for retirement today.

Clark said that he has no plans or commitments for the future except that he intends to do "something worthwhile and dignified" after a "short period of unlaying."

WASHINGTON (P) - Atty. Gen. Herbert Brownell Jr. announced today that Immigration Service agents in Los Angeles have arrested singer Dick Haymes for deportation to his native Argentina.

The deportation warrant against the 34-year-old singer-actor was based on the fact that in World War II he obtained an exemption from military service, at his request, because he was a citizen of a neutral nation, Argentina.

The Justice Department said that under the McCarran-Walter Immigration law this exemption "makes him ineligible for naturalization and, therefore, automatically deportable or excludable."

The department said it learned last June 1 that Haymes had received "offer" from military service when he was summoned by agents at Los Angeles on his return from a trip to Honolulu. WAS PURSUING RITA - Haymes is the best of pursuing (Continued on page four)

Workers Defy Attempts To Deny Them Food

BERLIN (P) - Columns of Soviet troops and armor were reported moving toward industrial centers throughout rebellious East Germany today to put down rapidly spreading strikes by workers who defied a Red ban on acceptance of American "Eisenhower food parcel."

Heavy concentrations of Soviet troops and armor were reported being massed in East Berlin in a few miles from the West sector distribution centers where upwards of 1,600,000 hungry East Germans have collected free food sent by the United States.

The anti-Communist "Fighting Group Against Inhumanity," which has reliable contacts throughout the Soviet zone, reported Soviet troops in division strength were moving in many areas of the restlessness, riot-scarred Russian occupation zone. Other thousands of Russian-trained East German police also were reported moving in on trouble centers.

400, CARLOADS - The Northwest German radio British reported that 400 freight cars carrying Red army men, T-34 tanks, trucks, artillery and machine guns have rolled into the Magerviehof freight yards in East Berlin in the last three days.

Forty to 50 of the big T-34 tanks were said to have arrived in the East sector of the city.

Western observers said it was too early to determine whether the troops movements were designed to intimidate rebellious workers or were in preparation for Russia's autumn war maneuvers.

It was considered significant that the German reports told of large-scale movement of the Soviet trained and equipped German police.

The Reds apparently were calling them into trouble centers in spite of their known unreliability.

POLICE DEBERT - Fifty-one East German police departed (the West) today rather than to carry out orders to confiscate "Eisenhower food" from hungry East Germans. Thirty-seven deserted yesterday.

The East German government threw its entire Communist propaganda machine into the battle against the food program but failed to stem the flow of Soviet zone residents to West Berlin.

An estimated 150,000 persons received food today, including more than 50,000 from outside East Berlin. Altogether, about 1,700,000 have received parcels in the 11 days of the program.

County Roads Claim 16th - Harnett County's death toll mounted to 16 this week following the death of Charles A. Gardiner of Sanford, injured in a weekend accident on Route 87.

W. J. Robinson, a passenger in the Gardiner car, is in Lee County Hospital in Sanford where his condition is described as serious. He is still unconscious.

In the meantime, two persons were injured in a traffic accident Wednesday evening on the Raven-Rock Cool Springs Road.

A 1950 Ford driven by Jesse Jefferson McLean, 26, of Lillington, Route 3, collided with a 1941 Ford driven by Lonnie McLean, Route 3, Lillington.

Two children of Lonnie McLean, Carolene, 24, and John Alton, 12, received severe cuts and bruises. Carolene received cuts on the forehead, and John Alton suffered facial and nose injuries.

Amos and Andy McLean, also in the car, were uninjured. (Continued on page two)

Need A Home? Well Don't Rent This One

ST. LOUIS, Mo. (P) - Landlord Arval H. Pulley observed the end of rent controls by raising his tenant's rents and imposing his own rules to live by.

Pulley raised the rents in his four-family flat from \$26.25 to \$36 a month. Then he posted 19 rules and penalties.

Violation of a ban on pets brings a \$15-a-month penalty. Each violation of other rules costs tenants \$10, added to the next month's rent.

Regulations include: "At no time will any drinking parties be allowed." "Do not allow children to eat in front or back yards at any time." "Keep all children off fences and rails on back porch." "After 10 p. m. all noise must cease."

The tenants have a total of 10 children. Mrs. Nellie Carr, mother of a one-year-old boy, said she didn't mind the rules.

"Now I know what I shouldn't do," she said.

Three Disappear From Orphanage

Three boys from the Falcon Orphanage who were reported as having disappeared are visiting relatives, it was announced today.

Denville Bender, 14, is visiting his grandmother in Wilmington, and Alfred Briggman, 14, and Richard Johnson, 12, are visiting relatives in Rockingham.

The three youths were reported to have disappeared Monday evening. All three are planning to return in two or three days, an Orphanage source stated today.

BULLETINS

WASHINGTON (P) - The U. S. Public Health Service said today there were 1,630 polio cases reported last week 29 percent fewer than those reported in the comparable week of 1952. The total for the 1953 "disease year" is 8,348 as compared with 9,394 during the same period in 1952. Last week's new cases compared with 1,350 reported in the previous week.

PARIS (P) - The Socialist Workers Force, dominant union among government employes, called a 24-hour general strike by all public workers in France starting at midnight tomorrow. The move, added to a walkout by postmen, is expected to paralyze the country. (Continued on page two)

+ Record Roundup +

CITY COUNCIL - Dunn City Council will meet tonight at 7:30 for their regular meeting. Discussion will be held on a City ordinance dealing with the replacement of signs on City property in form of local business.

OUTWITTED - Members of Dunn's planning board aren't disturbed a bit because the city council slashed its \$3,000 appropriation to \$2,000. The laugh is on the board. Dunn's planning board is made up of some of Dunn's ablest business men. "We only wanted

\$2,000," pointed out Chairman Earl Westbrook today, "so we asked for \$3,000, ended up getting exactly what we wanted."

UNHAPPY CORPORAL - Corporal Reamie Williamson of the State Highway Patrol was an unhappy man this morning. He had just received word that a man died in another Harnett highway accident, bringing the county's toll for the year to 16.

WINE AGAIN - Charles B. Stegall, 40, of Dunn, was arrested today for possession of a small amount of wine. He was charged with possession of a small amount of wine. He was charged with possession of a small amount of wine. (Continued on page two)