

BULLETINS

conducted by the National Security Council of the American Legion Auxiliary. Cate, who teaches at White River Junction, won the Eastern Division and national contest as well. He received the trip to St. Louis and a cash prize of \$500.

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y. — Geneva is the first choice of the United Nations Secretariat as the site for the Korean political conference, a high official of the world organization disclosed today. Geneva and New York were favored here because both sites have five-way translation facilities for the conference, which will be serviced by the U. N.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. — Brooke Army Hospital reported today that Gen. Jonathan Skinny Wainwright, hero of Bataan and Corregidor, was still in a semi-coma and may not survive the recurrence of cerebral thrombosis.

FRASER, Colo. — President Eisenhower has promised Iran the United States will give "sympathetic consideration" to its request for immediate financial aid.

INDIANAPOLIS — Members of the national executive committee of the Amvets met today in advance of the organization's four-day ninth annual convention, expected to attract 5,000 persons. The convention begins Thursday, in charge of Marshall E. Miller, Champaign, Ill., national commander.

WASHINGTON — Government mediators today sought for the second day in a row to side-track a threatened Sept 10 strike by the nation's \$5,000 railroad conductors.

COLUMBIA, S. C. — Gov. James F. Byrnes announced today that Bird & Sons, Inc., manufacturers of roofing, building materials and other products, will build a \$2,250,000 plant at Charleston.

WASHINGTON — Agriculture Department officials expressed hope today that the Justice Department will find a way to "clear up" a new racial rights controversy involving the farm price support program.

PANMUNJOM, Korea — The Communists released only 300 prisoners, including 100 Americans from 34 states, today and announced the slowdown would continue Thursday. Since the beginning of "Operation Big Switch" 29 days ago, the Reds, with one or two exceptions have delivered the 400 prisoners they had promised daily in return for 2,400 from the Allies.

FRASER, Colo. — President Eisenhower planned to return to his summer White House in Denver today unless another big trout influences him. The President was ready to drive back to Denver Tuesday but he landed a big rainbow trout he had been trying to catch for days and decided to stay here an additional 24 hours.

BONN, Germany — The Big Three Western powers provided fresh ammunition to Chancellor Konrad Adenauer today in his fight to retain control of the Bonn government in Sunday's crucial elections. The high commissioners of France, Great Britain and the United States established mixed Allied-German boards to review sentences of more than 400 German war criminals still in custody.

COLUMBIA, S. C. — Miriam Stephenson, Miss South Carolina of 1953, left from Columbia airport today for Atlantic City, N. J., and a chance at the Miss America title. The Miss America judging is scheduled for Sept. 7-12. Board took some people's mind off the heat today by advertising for extra Postoffice help for the Christmas rush.

HARTFORD, Conn. — The U. S. Civil Service vertising for extra Postoffice help for the Christmas rush.

WASHINGTON — The Government Printing Office, object of a current communism and espionage investigation by Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy, was put on a war-time security status today. Public Printer Raymond Blattnerberger said the order was "temporary," pending the completion of a security survey now in progress.

TEHRAN, Iran — The Soviet embassy protested to the Iranian government today about "untrue" newspaper reports that Ambassador Anatoli Lavrentiev attempted suicide. Embassy officials refused to permit visitors to see Lavrentiev. They said the ambassador was confined to his bed.

NEW ORLEANS — Three of six escaped convicts who forced their way at gunpoint from the Jefferson Parish last night were recaptured today in a mosquito-infested swampland. Sheriff's deputies and state police who joined the manhunt believed the others were cornered in the same area.

ATLANTA — The U. S. Department of Commerce said today that Georgia ranks seventh in the nation in the collection of sales taxes. Georgia picking up \$97,818,000 with its three per cent sales tax during the fiscal year that ended June 30, only California, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio and Washington state had higher collections.

Last Minute News Shorts

WASHINGTON — Chairman Homer Ferguson of the Senate Republican policy committee today accused Democratic congressmen of "trying to ride President Eisenhower's coattails" to victory in next year's elections. The Michigan senator said it is "just bunk" for the Democrats to claim that they saved Mr. Eisenhower's legislative program during the last session of Congress.

PARIS — The Western Allies have delivered to Moscow joint notes insisting that free and secret elections be held in Germany before the formation of any all-German government informed sources said today.

WASHINGTON — The Army today announced that Brig. Gen. Derrell McG. Daniel, assistant commander of the 101st Airborne Division, Camp Breckinridge, Ky., will take a similar post with the 82nd Airborne, Fort Bragg, N. C., about Sept 21, replacing Brig. Gen. Aubrey S. Newman.

WASHINGTON — Americans earned money at a record rate of \$284,000,000,000 a year during the first seven months of 1953, the Commerce Department reported today. Personal earnings in the comparable period last year were lower by almost \$20,000,000,000. Total of \$269,700,000,000 is the current record for a full year, but 1953 earnings appear certain to top that mark.

ANTIBES, France — Thieves robbed the home of American film producer Jack Warner of \$70,000 in American and other currencies last night, police said today.

WASHINGTON — The Army engineers announced today spending on civil works projects in the present fiscal year may be reduced by \$43,000,000 from the level originally planned.

NEW YORK — The sharpest weekly break in almost four years dropped wholesale food prices on Sept. 1 to the lowest level since the end of June, Dun & Bradstreet, Inc., reported today. Paced by various cuts of beef, pork and lamb, the D&B index fell 12 cents during the week ended Tuesday to \$6.61, the lowest since it hit \$6.54 on June 30.

PARIS — France ousted its resident commissioner in Tunisia today in what was regarded as the first move in a drastic purge of "tough" French officials in strife-torn North Africa. Count Jean de Hauteclouque was replaced as commissioner by Pierre-Armand Voisard, France's representative to the tiny gambling principality of Monaco.

BERLIN, Germany — Communist reports from East Germany today indicated embers of the June 17 workers revolt against the Red masters of the Soviet-occupied zone still burned. The official Communist news agency, AD N, reported that a blast furnace "East" — most important steel mill in Red Germany — was "seriously damaged by an act of sabotage," the East German "Iron Works

It Wasn't Funny

(Continued from page one) would throw the intruder against the door. The trick worked. On the floor of the car fell a small cat who cried, "Mew, Mew." Next day fellow law enforcement officers in Lillington confessed they had picked up a stray cat and hidden her in the patrol car while Ward's car was parked at the courthouse door.

New Hurricane

(Continued from page one) rican Carol was about 16 to 18 miles and hour and winds screaming at 90 miles per hour near the center. Northwest storm warnings were ordered for Guadeloupe. All shipping in the storm's area was warned to be on the alert for future advisories.

Police Report Minor Accident

A 1953 Chevrolet driven by Ann Syerly was damaged approximately \$75 this morning when hit by an International truck.

According to the police department, a truck belonging to Johnson Cotton Company, and driven by Walter McLaurin, was backing out of an alley and hit the car driven by Miss Syerly. She was going East on W. Edgerton, police said. No charges were made.

The number of TV sets in Dunn, Norris went around and counted the serials to complete the survey. Uzzle pointed out that the survey was made to determine when an aerial has been placed without permission from the City electrician.

TEACHERS NIGHT—Dunn Rotarians are planning a "Teachers night" celebration for Friday night at 6:30 at Johnson's Restaurant. President John Strickland said today, A. B. Johnson, principal of Dunn High School, is in charge of the program. He announced today that Roy Armstrong of the University of North Carolina will be speaker.



MUCH DISCUSSED FLUORIDATION — Pictured above Percy Walton, employee of the Dunn Water Plant goes through the processes necessary to put fluoride in the drinking water. At the left, he is shown at the \$3,300 machine which puts the fluoride in the water. City Manager A. B. Uzzle is manager of the plant while several men are being trained. Uzzle said this morning that at present the fluoride machine is feeding slightly more than it should, but not enough to be harmful. During 10 days in August, the machine was out of working order and no fluoride went into the water. At the right, Walton makes the chemical test to see that the proper amount of fluoride is being fed into the water. (Daily Record Photo)

18 Persons Taking Rabies Treatment

A mad dog scare in Lillington on the weekend prompted 18 persons, including children and adults, to take the Pasteur anti-rabies treatment.

So far as could be determined, only one child has been bitten. He was Steve Hawley, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hawley. Dr. A. W. Peede, Lillington physician gave the first of 14 contemplated shots to the group at his office on Monday. All of the Lillington residents receiving the antirabic treatment handled small puppy belonging to Robert A. Johnson.

The eight weeks old black Toy Terrier was killed on Saturday by its owner after the behavior of the puppy aroused suspicion. The head was taken by Johnson to the State Laboratory of Hygiene in Raleigh on Saturday. On Sunday the official report came that the dog had a positive case of rabies.

NEW QUARANTINE — Meantime, Dr. W. B. Hunter, county health officer clamped a new quarantine of 90 days on all dogs in Harnett County. A quarantine, invoked on May 1 for 120 days, was due to expire this weekend. It was made last May as a result of a report of a mad dog in the Bull's Creek vicinity.

The health officer added a few stern words about failure to observe the quarantine. "If the first had been obeyed and enforced," he said, "we would not now have these people taking the treatment." "Rabies in humans is very rare," the health officer said, pointing out that there were only 6 cases in the United States last year. But he noted there is always danger, and in humans the disease is always fatal.

However, he pointed out that the bite of a rabid animal will produce infection only when carried down deep enough into the tissues to come into contact with nerve fibers. "Taking the anti-rabic treatment is a matter left entirely up to individuals," the health officer said. He noted that there is some possibility of paralysis developing as a result of the injections and persons who take the treatment are always so informed.

Johnson, the owner of the puppy who had the hydrophobia, told this story. He said that about two weeks ago he was awakened by a noise in his back yard and turned on the light to see a spotted black and white flea dog which had pulled the puppy out of the box in which it slept. But the dog darted off and he thought nothing about it.

However, Johnson said, his investigation showed him that this same dog, allegedly owned by Woodrow Turlington—or one arrested the same description—visited the home of Harvey Thomas in Lillington, Route 3 several miles from the county seat.

BIT OTHER DOGS — There Thomas was quoted as telling Johnson, the strange dog bit several of Thomas' dogs. Thomas killed the animal with a shovel. However, thinking the dog a stray, Thomas did not send the dog's head for an examination.

Later some of the Thomas dogs acted suspiciously. One was killed by Sanitarian Murphy Canady reported, and others were locked in a pen.

Meantime, County Commissioner Worth Lee Byrd reported his bit puppy who lived in the same neighborhood of the Johnson and Turlington dog in Lillington, also had gone mad and was killed by its owner. Johnson said that immediately on receiving notice from the health department he notified his neighbors. The puppy, a neighborhood favorite, had been handled by many children, also by several people at the store Johnson operates at the



(Continued from page one) crossroads one mile north of Lillington and where he had taken the dog for treatment, thinking the puppy was sick. The puppy, usually gentle, had run away from home twice, and that first aroused Johnson's suspicion. He said he consulted with Dr. Hunter and placed the puppy in confinement for observation and treatment, but the dog did not improve. In addition to Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and their daughter, Diane, among others receiving treatment in Lillington are: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hawley and son, Steve; Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Simmons and son; Ernest Simmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Simmons; Irene and Ray Stewart, children of Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Stewart; two children of Mr. and Mrs. Battle Milton, and others in the same neighborhood.



JAMES B. CONANT, American High Commissioner to Germany, takes off in a helicopter for an aerial inspection tour of Berlin. He later said he was pleased by reconstruction work progress. (International)

Seven Murder

(Continued from page one) Henry C. Hardman; burglary, Arthur Matthews, Jr.; forgery, Isaac Jones and Granville Tart; larceny, Wade Nordan, also charged with breaking and entering; John L. McDougald and Harvey B. Beasley; for false pretense, H. L. Hardee; possession of non-taxed liquor, Paul Davis; bigamy, Homer O. Childress; arson, Lexie Nordan; assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill, Elwood Oates; and breaking and entering, Albert McNeill.

Umstead Opposes Loyalty Pledge

RALEIGH, N. C. — Gov. William B. Umstead of North Carolina said today he is opposed to the 1952 Democratic national convention's "loyalty pledge" and said "I do not think the South has received the consideration it should get from the national party for years."

Umstead, titular party head in a state traditionally loyal to the national party, said he wanted no part of the role "disgruntled Democrats" have taken in Democratic Party affairs. He said he is pleased that a large delegation from North Carolina will attend the national Democratic rally in Chicago Sept. 14-15, although he himself will be unable to attend. Umstead suffered a heart attack last January and is restricted in traveling.

"If I could, I would go myself," he said.

SEES IMPROVEMENT — "In view of what happened last fall, I think it is of extreme importance that North Carolina take an active interest in the meeting. I do not think the South has recovered the consideration it should get from the national party for years. But I think the situation will improve in spite of the difficulties the national committee faces in working out platforms satisfactory to the big cities, the South and other elements."

Umstead was asked his sentiments on the "loyalty pledge" which the national convention sought to require from state delegations at Chicago in 1952.

"As far as I am concerned I don't even wish to see a North Carolina delegation faced with the necessity of taking a loyalty oath. I did not like it last year and I still do not like it. However, he said, "other states may do as they choose."

MARKETS

EGGS AND POULTRY — RALEIGH — Central North Carolina live poultry: Fryers or broilers steady, supplies fully adequate, demand good; heavy hens steady, supplies plentiful, demand fair; prices at farm up to 10 a.m. today: Fryers or broilers 2 1/2 to 3 lbs., 27 heavy hens 23-25.

Eggs: Steady, supplies short, demand good; prices paid producers and handlers FOB local grading stations: A large 60, A medium 52-53, B large 50-55.

HOGS — RALEIGH — Hog markets: Rich Square, Rocky Mountain Steady at 23.75 for good and choice 180-240 lb barrows and gilts. Kinston: 25 cents lower at 23.75. Smithfield, Dunn Goldsboro, Wilmerson, Mt. Olive, Washington, Jacksonville, New Bern, Weldon, Wilmington, Tarboro, Fayetteville, Florence: Steady at 23.50. Lumberton, Marion: 25 cents lower at 23.75.

COTTON — NEW YORK — Cotton futures prices at noon E.S.T. today: New York Oct. 33.43; Dec. 33.70; New Orleans Oct. 33.41; Dec. 33.67.

Prisoner Dies In County Jail

Paul Davis, 40-year-old Negro, died in the Harnett County jail this morning. County Jailor Ken Matthews said prisoners in adjoining cells heard Davis gasping for breath but he was dead before a physician could be summoned. Earlier, Davis had sent word to his wife to bring his pills to the jail, but they had not arrived. Belief was expressed that he suffered a heart attack. Harnett Coroner Grover C. Henderson investigated and ruled that death resulted from natural causes.

18 Killed

(Continued from page one) The injured men were evacuated from the area by helicopter and rushed to the hospital on the base. All were given artificial respiration after being pulled from the lake.

Baer's Event

(Continued from page one) event have been completed. **MAYOR TO CUT CAKE** — Mayor Ralph E. Hanna will cut the big, 30-pound birthday cake at 9 a. m. and will extend congratulations to the firm on behalf of the city. President Henry H. Sagdin of the Dunn Chamber of Commerce will be present to extend the best wishes of the chamber. The cake and other refreshments will be served to all who attend and the public is invited.

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QUARANTINE EXTENDED
DUE TO THE INCREASE IN RABIES AMONG DOGS IN HARNETT COUNTY THE QUARANTINE OF DOGS DECLARED ON MAY 1, 1953, IS CONTINUED FOR AN ADDITIONAL PERIOD OF 90 DAYS.
W. B. HUNTER, M. D. County Health Officer