

WEATHER
NORTH CAROLINA — Fair with little change of temperature today and tonight. Tuesday, partly cloudy and warmer.

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Southern Democrats Denounce Loyalty Pledge

Young Radicals Attempting To Avoid The Issue

CHICAGO (AP) — Leading Southern Democrats today denounced the so-called "loyalty pledge" as an "insult" that could wreck the party in Dixie but conservative Northern leaders moved swiftly to smooth over the issue.

All factions of the party seemed to be seeking harmony so Democrats could unite for next year's congressional campaigns.

Even the spokesmen for the "Young Turks," who forced the loyalty pledge through the 1952 national convention, said they intended to try to avoid the issue in the two-day conference that opened today.

The chief aim of party leaders apparently was to present a united front against the Republicans at tonight's \$100-a-plate fund-raising dinner where addresses of top Democrats will be televised.

The loyalty pledge was brought up first at a meeting of Democratic state chairmen but a move to go on record against the oath was squelched by the meeting's moderator, New York State Chairman Richard Belch, who said it was "not the proper forum" to consider it.

Georgia's Democratic chairman, Jim Peters, was the first person to bring the subject of the loyalty oath into official discussion at the party's two-day conference which opened here today.

IOWAN AGREES
An equally important Democrat, Iowa State Chairman Jake More, arose quickly to express sympathy for Peters' views and said the party should "stop talking about loyalty" or run the risk of losing the South and next year's congressional elections.

Feters spoke at a breakfast for (Continued On Page Five)



LOOK AT PRIZE — Judges in Friday's Juni or Dairy Cattle Show in Dunn take a look at one of the prize animals. Pictured (left to right) are W. Marvin Raynor, manager of Belk store in Dunn, one of the sponsoring stores of the event; Charles D. Raper, judge; Dr. Ray Murley, State College; and one of the judges, and Clarence Chappell, Jr., Bevider, who took first place in the showmanship contest for Guernseys. (Daily Record Photo)

Cannery Wants To Establish Plant In Dunn

One of the nation's largest cannery concerns has selected Dunn as the site of a new plant and will build the plant here provided it can be assured farmers in the area will produce at least 500 acres of pepper for it annually.

The announcement was made jointly today by County Agent C. R. Ammons and Manager Norman Suttles of the Dunn Chamber of Commerce.

A meeting of all farmers interested in growing pepper for commercial use will be held Thursday night at 8 o'clock in the city courtroom in Dunn.

PROFITABLE CROP
"Growing pepper can be a very profitable thing for the farmers," pointed out Mr. Ammons, "and the erection of the plant in Dunn would mean much to the town and county."

Suttles said the company interested in Dunn is one of the largest in the business and is the packer for one of America's best-known name brands.

He said company officials had assured them that they would also process sweet potatoes and other crops later if the plant is established here.

Both Ammons and Suttles voiced belief today that no difficulty will be experienced in finding farmers willing to grow the minimum of 500 acres of pepper required as a beginning.

All farmers and other interested citizens are urged to attend Thursday night's meeting.



COTTON FIRE — Slight damage was done to two bales of cotton on Lucknow Square Saturday evening around 9:30, according to Howard M. Lee, secretary-treasurer of the Fire Department. The cotton belongs to Johnson Cotton Company. Cause of the fire was unknown. Pictured above, firemen examine the bales to see that the fire is out. Lee stated that 20 men were out for the alarm. (Daily Record Photo)

Two Alleged Bootleggers Sentenced In Local Court

Judge H. Paul Strickland gave "bootleggers" a slap in Recorder's Court today calculated to put them out of business and keep them out for some time.

Silas Sills, white, local cab driver, received a six month sentence, suspended on payment of \$250 and cost of court. Judge Strickland further ordered that Sills should refrain from driving a cab in Dunn for the next five years.

Sills was arrested Saturday by Chief Alton A. Cobb, assisted by Aaron Johnson, and J. M. Black. Chief Cobb stated that 10 blinks of taxed liquor, and a half gallon of non taxed liquor was on the property of Sills. Faced with the charge, he pled guilty of possession for sale.

ADMITTED DELIVERIES
"As a matter of fact you sell it to just about anyone who wants it and carry it to them, don't you?" Judge Strickland asked Sills. He replied that he didn't sell to "just anybody," but that he had taken it to the people in his taxi.

Counting the court cost, Sills' fine would be \$285.70.

In another bootleg case, Sylvester Hasty, Negro of Hasty, N. C., pled not guilty of possession for sale, but was found guilty and given a 90 days sentence in jail.

Chief Cobb testified that he and Paul Albregue, State Highway Patrolman, arrested Hasty in front of a "known" bootlegger's house in Pope's Bottom here in Dunn, and that at the time, Hasty had several jars of non taxed liquor in his car.

DENIES OWNERSHIP
Hasty told the court that the liquor belonged to "someone" who had placed it in his car while hired.

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Police Report Arrest Of 22

Dunn Police arrested 22 persons over the weekend, 13 of which were charged with drunkenness.

During the past few weeks a concerted effort has been made in Dunn to stamp out drinking of non taxed liquor and the wide spread sale in the City. Two persons were arrested over the week end for possession for sale.

Those arrested and the charges are:

- Carl McCray, Jr., Dunn, speeding.
- Willie F. McBride, 406 E. Granite Street, operating a car without a license.
- William L. Tart, Smithfield, public drunkenness.
- Charles H. Hollins, Spivey's Corner, Sampson County, public drunkenness.
- Alex Boykins Jr., Rose Hill, Route 1, driving drunk, and driving without a license.
- Oliver Harvey, Dunn, drunkenness.
- Willie Ray Murphy, Railroad Avenue, drunkenness.
- Charles Aaron Beasley, Benson, Route 2, driving without a license.
- Joseph Patrick Minshaw, 5th Street, Extension, Smithfield, driving drunk.
- Raymond W. Childress, Four Oaks, Route 1, drunkenness, and possession of non taxed liquor.
- Jasper Lee Whitfield, Ft. Branch, driving without a license.
- Walter D. McNeill, E. Harnett, drunkenness.
- John D. Ray, E. Broad Street, drunkenness.
- Dell McLean, Dunn, driving with a driver on one eye.

Federal Agents Get 7 At Still

Two alleged Johnston County bootleggers were bound over to Federal Court on manufacturing charges at a preliminary hearing held here today before Mrs. Mallie Adams Jackson, local United States Commissioner.

The defendants were listed as: Ernest Stewart, age 30, and Leroy Edward Stewart, 22, no relation, both of Benson.

They were arrested by Federal ATU officers and Wake County ABC officers while allegedly operating two 400-gallon unregistered whiskey distilleries in Meadow Township.

700 GALLONS OF MASH
Officers said they also found 700 gallons of mash and four and a half gallons of whiskey at the site. The stills were destroyed and the mash and whiskey poured out.

Commissioner Jackson ordered the Negroes held under bond of \$500 each for the October term of U. S. District Court in Raleigh.

Deputy Sheriff Ernie O. Beasley of Four Oaks assisted with the raid.

Rita Hayworth And Yasmin Under Guard After Threats

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP) — Rita Hayworth and her daughter, 18-year-old Princess Yasmin, were under 24-hour guard after the star received threats of violence unless the child is returned immediately to Moslem Prince Aly Khan.

The actress' attorney, Bartley Crum, reached in Hollywood and the threats came in letters addressed to Miss Hayworth at the Sands Hotel here and that they had been turned over to the FBI for investigation.

The letters threatened Yasmin's life and bodily harm to Rita, he said.

Crum said: "they could be crank letters," but added: "I read both letters and it is my personal conclusion that there was something in them to indicate that they did come from a religious fanatic."

SENDS WIRE TO KHAN
The attorney said he had wired the prince's father, the Aga Khan, asking him to "caution his followers" as far as his former daughter-in-law and grandchild are concerned.

Crum said he routed the wire through Aly's Paris lawyer, Charles Toren, asking the Aga Khan to use his influence as the spiritual leader of the small sect of Moslems "to make sure that no harm comes" (Continued on page two)

New Cotton Picker Hailed By Farmers

Another invention replaced the common picker this year when the George Glover Manufacturing Company placed a "portable" cotton picker on the market.

It is being hailed by farmers of this section as the salvation for the cotton pickers. It is expected to solve the problem of high labor and stable farmers to get their cotton picked for less than half what it cost by hand.

While the machine is not portable in respect to being able to pick it up and carry it around by hand, when compared to machines previously manufactured, they are portable.

Farmers of Harnett County have acclaimed the new machine the "best ever" after seeing the Auto Sales and Service company here in Dunn demonstrate it. It was demonstrated Friday afternoon on the old Fairground road.

George Glover of the tractor sales service of the Dunn firm said the new machine is 80-90 percent efficient. While the cotton is not as clean as hand picked cotton, the difference is more than made up in the picking cost, Glover stated.

The machine may be attached to the regular Ford tractor at a cost of \$1,200. The tractor cost \$1,750.

Police Arrest Liquor Dealer

Dunn Police Department uncovered another "trap-door" liquor dealer here Friday. Fletcher McCullers was arrested and charged with possession for sale.

Chief Cobb said that he went to the home of McCullers Friday to make a raid, and made a search of the kitchen. There he found a table, which from the outward appearance looked like any other desk-like table. However, on removing the table cover, the Chief found 10 half gallons of "white lightning" neatly tucked under a trap door.

The last arrest in Dunn where liquor was found behind trap doors was that of Anna Jones. She is currently serving a sentence for possession for sale.

McCullers, who lived at the intersection of E. Pearsall and the Clinton Highway, was placed under a \$200 bond and ordered to appear for trial Thursday.

In addition to the 10 half gallon jars of liquor, another half gallon was found in a cabinet in a cabinet in the kitchen, Chief Cobb said.

Assisting in making the raid with Chief Cobb were C. H. Pope and Deputy Sheriff R. E. Sturgill.

Scout Officers Arrested Here

Scout officials of Harnett County were sweating over the weekend as law enforcement officers dropped in at each of their homes to read a warrant.

Some were shaking in their boots since they could think of no crime they had committed. One Scout Master of Dunn said that he had come to bed and the warrant was left on his door. A neighbor saw it and woke him to give it to him—fearing he had gotten in trouble.

The point of the warrant was to get Harnett County's Scout leaders to a round table discussion at the Erwin Methodist Church to-night at 7:30.

Million-Dollar Vice Ring Is Uncovered

CHICAGO (AP) — Police charged today that an escort service advertising the company of "glamorous models" was really a million-dollar vice ring that offered the favors of call girls at "astronomical prices."

The operator of the service, Kay Jarrett, 45, has been associated with several figures in the sensational Minot (Mickey) Felka call girl case in New York. She denied the pandering charges filed against her here.

Miss Jarrett was arrested Saturday night in a raid at her office, and 17 men of the "glamorous models" and three men were picked up later at various addresses.

ONE A NIGHT
Detective Russell Burton, who led the raid, said that lonely business men paid \$25 to \$500 a night for the company of the escort service, but that in some cases fees could be "astronomical."

One girl arrested allegedly admitted pocketing earnings of \$4,000 in a single week.

Actually, Burton said, the "modesty" night in a raid at her office, and 17 men of the "glamorous models" and three men were picked up later at various addresses.

Members of the Young Men's Bible Class had started as a part of a regular dinner meeting Saturday evening at El Fabre.

BULLETINS

PORTLAND, Me. (AP) — A twice convicted killer who escaped from a South Carolina chain-gang camp in June was held fugitive here today as South Carolina officials prepared extradition proceedings. The escaped convict, James Robinson Jr., 32 refused to waive extradition after his arrest yesterday by detectives acting on the request of the Greenville, S. C., sheriff's office.

STUTTGART, Germany (AP) — West German Chancellor Konrad Adenauer moved a step closer to gaining control of the Bundsrat upper house today as the state Premier of Baden Wuerttemberg announced he would soon resign.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The International Cotton Advisory Committee today predicted a decline of from 500,000 (Continued on page two)

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MINOR WRECK — Damages estimated at \$25 resulted from a minor accident Friday afternoon on W. Cumberland. The accident occurred when Dennis Alvin Smith, 2613 Freeman Mill Road, Greensboro, backed up at a railroad stop sign and hit the back of a 1953 Studebaker driven by Ollie Simpson. Damages to the Simpson car was set at \$25. No damage was done to the 1952 pickup driven by Smith.

WOMEN IN JAIL — Chief Alton A. Cobb stated today that Dunn now has three lady "bootleggers" in jail. Alberta Allen, sentenced last Thursday to 12 months in jail, was the last to go to a "cellar."

Others in jail here today are Anna (Continued on page two)



COTTON PICKER — The top of the newest cotton picker of the George Glover Manufacturing Co. Pictured above (left to right) are C. H. Pope and George Glover of the Dunn firm who is demonstrating a cotton picker which can be attached to a Ford (Daily Record Photo by T. M. Sturgill)