

BULLETINS

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay (U) — Seconds today worked out arrangements for a duel between Luis Battle Berres, former president of Uruguay and leader of a faction of ruling Colorado Party, and Nationalist leader Dr. Luis Alberto de Herrera. De Herrera challenged Berres after the ex-president's newspaper accused him of failing to observe an agreement between the two parties regarding the appointment of supreme court justices.

SEOUL, Korea (U) — U. S. Defense Secretary Charles E. Wilson conferred today with President Syngman Rhee after being briefed on military, political and economic problems in South Korea by top American official here.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil (U) — A mass meeting of newspapermen was scheduled to protest today against the alleged beating by police of a veteran newsman who criticized police handling of a murder investigation. Nestor Moreira, police reporter for the local afternoon newspaper A Noite, is in critical condition following the beating allegedly administered in the second precinct station house last Wednesday.

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (U) — Triple trouble trailed Louis E. Pollard yesterday. Police jailed him on charges of breach of peace after he tried to force his way into the apartment of his estranged wife. While in jail a non-support warrant was served on him.

VATICAN CITY (U) — Pope Pius XII has appealed to all Catholics to emulate the "sturdy tenacity" of the early Christians in their fight against the "mounting tide of materialism." The Pontiff, in a broadcast message Sunday to the 10th National Congress of Swiss Catholics at Freiburg, Switzerland, called on the faithful to make "personal sacrifices" in this "dangerous and decisive time for religion." He warned that material progress not supported by religious spirit risks becoming "the cancer of human society."

FNENSEN, Germany (U) — Col. Gen. Heinz Guderian, 65, creator and mastermind of the Panzer legions that spearheaded the Nazi Wehrmacht blitz through Europe, died Friday in the remote village of Schwangau in the south German Alps. News of his death reached here Sunday. Guderian, recognized by friend and foe as an outstanding expert on armored warfare, had lived quietly in the tiny Bavarian village with his wife and son since his release from a prisoner of war camp after the collapse of Hitlerite Germany.

WASHINGTON (U) — Dispatch of a special United Nations commission to investigate the Indochina war situation was reported under study today by diplomats considering ways to internationalize the war. The idea of a U. N. commission is expected to be weighed in American-French talks in Paris which are designed to develop new military and diplomatic strategy in Indochina.

MANILA, P. I. (U) — Luis Taruc, the Philippines' public enemy No. 1 and leader of the Communist Hukbala, came out of the hills today and surrendered to the government. The balding chieftain of the Red guerilla group that specialized in wholesale slaughter by ambush until they were reduced to disorganized gangs by President Ramon Magsaysay, then defense secretary, two years ago, claimed he gave himself up "to koin the government."

GENEVA (U) — Six anti-Red Indochinese allies decided to open secret "restricted" peace talks today with an urgent demand for an end to Communist violation of an agreement on evacuating the wounded defenders of Dien Bien Phu. France told the six-nation strategy meeting that the French high command had called off the evacuation operation because the Reds had sowed it down to gain military advantages.

WASHINGTON (U) — The U. S. Chamber of Commerce urged today that development of atomic power for peaceful uses be entrusted to private industry. The Chamber's views were given to the House-Senate Committee on atomic energy by Dr. Wilson Compton of New York, president of the Council for Financial Aid to Education. He gave a general endorsement to the administration bill to overhaul the atomic energy law.

HANOI, Indochina (U) — The French high command today called off the "mercy airlift" of 1,300 wounded defenders of Dien Bien Phu and announced bombing of the area around the fallen fortress would resume at midnight. Angry suspension of the agreement to neutralize the area around Dien Bien Phu followed Communist refusal to evacuate native defenders and cease using supply routes into the fortress.

MILWAUKEE, Wis. (U) — Salesman Robert Brachman, 29, never outgrew the grammar school art of wooing girls with chalked signs on board fences and sidewalks. He just refined it. Brachman has been courting a mystery girl known only as "Arlene" — and keeping Milwaukee smiling — with a series of signs displayed on a 5-by-12-foot billboard.

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SANTA MONICA, Calif. (U) — Pneumonia and complications caused by a chronic bone ailment were blamed today for the death of Maj. Gen. Oliver P. Echols, president of Northrop Aircraft, Inc. Echols, commanding general of the Air Materiel Command during World War II, died at his home here Saturday at the age of 62. He will be buried in Arlington National cemetery, Washington.

WASHINGTON (U) — Rep. John D. Dingell (D-Mich) today proposed outlawing all advertising of tobacco in newspapers, magazines, radio and television crossing state borders. It would apply to advertising of cigarettes, cigars, pipe tobacco, chewing tobacco and snuff. Dingell said he would introduce a bill tomorrow to prohibit any such advertising.

CHICAGO (U) — Henry Johnson, 36, was dragged into police headquarters today for setting a fire that forced 100 persons in his apartment building to flee for their lives. Johnson said his wife had left their third floor apartment to visit another man on the fourth. Johnson said he got so angry he tried to "burn them out." He told police he got so angry, in fact, that when he could not find any waste paper to start the fire he used \$85 in currency for fuel.



DEMOCRATIC STALWARTS — Two of Harnett County's leading Democratic stalwarts are shown here talking over things at the county convention held Saturday at Lillington. At the left is Lee Chaffin of Lillington, former State Senator and Superior Court Clerk, and at the right is Henry C. Strickland of Angier, former county attorney and for years Harnett Democratic Chairman. (Daily Record Photo.)

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elects at the same time were Sion Oxendine, Pembroke, senior vice-commander; Sgt. J. B. Smith of Lillington, junior vice-commander; Coolidge Williamson of Lumberton, chaplain; Hubert Oxendine of Pembroke, trustee, W. A. Webb of Maxton, was appointed advocate and Rudolph Baxley of Red Springs, surgeon.

Rufus Joyner of Rocky Mount, junior vice-commander of the N. C. Department of Veterans of Foreign Wars, installed the new officers.

WOMEN'S OFFICERS

Mrs. Gladys Oyack of Fayetteville, was elected president to succeed Mrs. J. R. Lowry, Jr. of Pembroke. Other new district officers include: Mrs. Florence Ranson of Pembroke, senior vice-president; Mrs. A. M. McPhaul of Maxton, junior vice-president; Mrs. Dorcas Oxendine of Pembroke, treasurer; Mrs. Louise Rhodes of Fayetteville, chaplain; Mrs. Lillian Chavis of Pembroke, conductress; Mrs. Edna Gentry, Maxton, guard; and trustees, Mrs. Bess Monroe of Lumberton, Mrs. Mamie Burdette of Fayetteville and Mrs. Vernon Hazel Locklear of Pembroke.

The chaplain, Mrs. Rhodes, was re-elected. Mrs. Oxendine, the new treasurer, had no opposition. Otherwise, spirited competition marked the race for every post.

Posts represented at the encampment, one of the best attended in years, reported Derrick, were Fayetteville, Lumberton, Pembroke, Lillington, Dunn, Red Springs and Maxton. Of the men's posts only St. Paul was absent. There are no women's auxiliaries in Lillington, Dunn or St. Paul.

Veterans and their auxiliary members met jointly for a memorial service in the Lillington V. F. W. Hut led by Carl Byrd, Lillington chaplain. Alan Blaine, Chief of the Special Services, Veterans Hospital, Fayetteville, also spoke. Lunch was served by the Lillington post to around 90 guests and afterwards the auxiliary gathered for its election in the nearby Lillington fireman's hut.

James Spence, new commander of the Lillington Post, welcomed the visitors and introduced the guest speakers, District Commander Derrick and Junior Vice-Commander Joyner.

Derrick outlined the VFW's stand against curtailment of VA hospital benefits for veterans with non-service connected disabilities. Next district meeting was tentatively set for July 25 in Red Springs.

PRaises DISTRICT

Joyner praised the eighth district for its well rounded program of youth activities and community service. He reported that while the nation's membership in VFW is at an all time high, membership in North Carolina is lagging. He urged veterans to remember that the VFW has been the "greatest single influence for

legislation beneficial to service men.

At the women's group attractive blond Mrs. Reinhardt called on the women to "disregard petty jealousies," to recruit really working members, and urged all retiring officers of every degree to offer their support to incoming officers.

State Department officers called attention to the annual State encampment on June 10, 11 and 12, in Asheville. District officers cited the Marble Tournament to be held in Fayetteville May 21-22 in which all posts are cooperating.

REPORTS HEARD

Reports of local post commanders and auxiliary presidents were heard at both meetings. All posts reported on recent election and installation of officers. Among the posts Lillington reported an improvement to the house and lawn of its VFW home. Red Springs told about a trip to a major league ball game for high school students. Fayetteville reported it was busy with plans for the marble tournament.

Among the auxiliaries reports showed all contributed to the American Cancer Society and many sent gifts to Caswell Training School. Lumberton decorated its post home, and Pembroke sponsored a charter member night.

Mrs. Virginia Lowry of Pembroke, retiring district auxiliary president, put the members thru the stiff parliamentary election session. She was awarded the past president's pin by the district units. Presentation was made by Mrs. Reinhardt, State Department President.

The attendance award for the best attendance at the quarterly district meetings over the past year went to Pembroke which had 83. Honorable mention went to Maxton which had 29. A scrapbook, offered by the retiring president for the best local auxiliary president's report, went to Pembroke. Honorable mention was given Red Springs and Maxton. Fayetteville's reports were not on hand to be judged. Mrs. J. R. Hubbard of Troy, past president of the Troy auxiliary, and new 9th District commander, served as judge.

Skis And Fireworks

MOUNT WASHINGTON, N. H. (U) — There'll be skiing in Tuckerman's Ravine up to the Fourth of July, says Joe Dodge of the Appalachian Mountain Club. Not less than five feet of snow is available throughout the area.

Dunn Woman's Mother Slain

DURHAM—Jealousy was believed to be the motive in the murder of a 45-year-old woman and the suicide of her 66-year-old husband here Saturday.

Notes found near the body of Zelbert C. Rudd, 103 Parrish Pl., indicated he killed his wife and then took his own life. He was found in a bedroom about 7 a. m. Saturday still clutching the 22 calibre rifle with which it was believed the slayings were committed. Mrs. Lenna Matthew Rudd was found first in another bedroom with a bullet wound in the right temple. A discharged 22 calibre "long rifle" shell was found on the floor near the bed. Bedclothes were undisturbed, indicating no sign of a struggle. Police guessed she was killed instantly while asleep.

The body of Mrs. Rudd was found by three children of Mrs. Rudd by a former marriage. When investigating officers arrived the body of Rudd was partially under the covers of the bed. He was undressed except for a shirt.

One of two notes found directed where his body and that of his wife should be taken for burial arrangements. The second note was addressed to his son, Zelbert Rudd Jr., of Raleigh. It contained information about a disposition of his personal property and indicated that despondency over family difficulties was the motive of the murder and suicide.

REPORTED VERY JEALOUS

Officers were told by friends of Rudd that he was very jealous of his younger wife.

The three children of Mrs. Rudd, who discovered the body, were sleeping in quarters in the rear of the apartment. They reported hearing no disturbance or shots during the night and said they knew nothing of the tragedy until morning when they found their mother's body.

Reuben Rasberry, who occupied the apartment across the hall, called police when he heard the children screaming. He said he last saw Rudd about 10:30 o'clock Friday night when they spoke casually on the porch. Rudd was reported to have said:

"Well, I reckon you're going to work" as Rasberry departed for the night shift at Erwin Mills.

Rudd was also reported to have told the operator of a nearby service station the night of the shooting: "Well, this will be the last time you all will be bothered with me, because I'm going to leave you all."

Rudd is survived by nine children, by a previous marriage including five daughters and four sons. They are Mrs. Mary Colclough, Mrs. Ethel Cook and Mrs. E. A. Good, all of Durham, Mrs. Martin Glynn of Atlanta, Ga., and Mrs. Samuel Glynn of Winboro, Miss.; Zelbert Chandler Jr., Jr. of Raleigh, A. M. Rudd of Sanger, Calif., M. L. Rudd of Camden, N. J., and J. C. Rudd of the U. S. Army, in Japan.

Surviving Mrs. Rudd by two previous marriages are: five daughters, Sarah Ivey, Dorothy Ivey and Glenda Ivey, all of the home here, Mrs. Everette Gardner of Angier and Mrs. Earl Stephenson of Dunn; one son, Gerald Ray Ivey of Angier, her stepmother, Mrs. Emily Matthews of Angier, Rt. 2. Two sisters, Mrs. Flora Matthews and Mrs. Ervin Matthews, both of Dunn, and a brother, Ernest Mangum of Pennsylvania, also survive.

Funeral services for Mrs. Rudd, 45, of Durham, were held Sunday at 4 p. m. at Oak Grove Baptist Church, on Angier, Route 2, conducted by the Rev. Harrison Fritchard of Durham. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Little Things

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more than 90,000 miles on his old Buick. . . Sam and Will Fleishman, formerly of Dunn, are now operating a mercantile store in Jacksonville, N. C. . . They just couldn't stand the easy life of retirement. . . Louis Dearborn of Erwin, who works at the big H. Bomb plant in Aiken, S. C., was home for the weekend. . . Another popular new song hit is "Three Coins In The Fountain." . . There are two recordings, one by the Four Aces and another by Frank Sinatra. . . The Four Aces' rendition seems to be selling best. . . Ray Starr's recording of "The Man Upstairs," a religious-hillbilly number, is also selling good. . . Large crowds say "Executive Suite" here yesterday. . . It's a little different from the book, but still good entertainment. . . Many critics think it might win an Oscar for William Holden. . . E. J. Hughes's nephew will be ordained into the priesthood at Philadelphia soon. . . One of Mr. Quigley's sons is a Disciple of Christ minister at Grifton. . . The Record office was deluged with calls today after the Supreme Court handed down its momentous decision on segregation. . . The United Press teletype bell rang five times, which is a signal that news of great and extreme importance is breaking. . . When that signal comes over the wire, newscasters all across the nation start jumping. . . It rings only a few times each year. . . Dunn stores now have watermelons. . . They're selling for a dollar up.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Prince spent the weekend in Boone and Winston Salem.

Marley Named

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Two murder cases, three manslaughter cases and two rape cases are among the 42 actions scheduled for trial at a one-week criminal term of Harnett Superior Court opened this morning in Lillington.

This will be the last criminal term of court until September. Judge Joseph W. Parker of Windsor is presiding over the term and District Solicitor Jack Hooks of Kenly is prosecuting the docket. Nine new grand jurors were to be drawn this morning to replace a similar number who have served since last May. The other half of the grand jury drawn last fall, will have another six months in office.

TWO MURDER CASES

James Howard Phillips of Bunnlevel is scheduled to go on trial for the murder of his brother Tuesday morning. However, Phillips recently was convicted of operating a whiskey still and committed to the infirmary ward of the State Hospital. It was not known today whether or not he will be in condition for trial this week.

Also scheduled to be tried for murder is Charlie Ferguson.

Two defendants, Lonnie Walden and James A. Byrd, both of Dunn, are to be tried for rape.

Charged with manslaughter are: John Lewis McNeill, Henry R. Dallymple and Julian David Hart. Each case is the outgrowth of a highway fatality.

Ten cases of driving drunk are on the calendar. One defendant, Maylon Holmes, is charged with two offenses of driving drunk.

Scott Due

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Campaign manager J. C. Rodman announced the appointment of local managers in four more counties. Hamptonville farmer W. F. Brannon will head the campaign in Yadkin, Kinston attorney Paul LaRogue was named in Lenoir, and L. B. Grainger Jr. was named in Alamance.

Prof. Clyde G. Carter of the University of North Carolina was named to head a 30-member campaign committee in Orange County.

Sale School

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Palmer will come to Dunn from San Jose, California, where he has just conducted a successful clinic. He has also held clinics at Battle Creek, Michigan; Phoenix, Arizona, and many other large cities in the U. S.

The night sessions will be devoted to discussions for retail sales personnel and management. Particular emphasis will be placed on the sale of small items—those under \$100.

Tickets for the events are available at the Chamber of Commerce office on Cumberland Street.

Floyd F. Gregory Dies At Buies Creek

Mr. Floyd F. Gregory, age 69, died at his home in Buies Creek at 6:15 p. m. Sunday after suffering an heart attack.

Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 from the Buies Creek Baptist Church and interment will follow in the Gregory family cemetery. The Rev. Weldon Johnson, pastor, assisted by Dr. Charles Howard, will officiate. The body will remain at the Hatcher-Skinner Funeral Home in Dunn until 2:30 Tuesday when it will be taken to the church to lie in state for one hour prior to services.

Surviving are one son, Edward Gregory of Buies Creek; one daughter, Mrs. Pat Johnson of Kinston; three grandchildren; two brothers, Mr. Rastie Gregory of Angier, Rt. 2 and Mr. O. R. Gregory of Buies Creek; one sister, Mrs. Alice Wester of Lillington, Route 1.

A native of Harnett County, Mr. Gregory was the son of the late Neal W. and Lenora Matthews Gregory of Buies Creek. He was a member of the Buies Creek Baptist Church and was active in church and community affairs until declining health.

Services Tuesday For Mrs. Autry

Mrs. Gladys Parnell Autry, 33, of Erwin, Rt. 1 died Sunday night at the Good Hope Hospital in Erwin.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at Hodges Chapel Free Will Baptist Church near Benson with the Rev. Alvis Brantley and the Rev. R. W. Redder officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

A native and life-long resident of Harnett County, she was a daughter of the late John Albert and Martha Ella Coats Parnell. She was very active in church work until declining health prevented. She had been in declining health for several years and seriously ill for four days.

She is survived by her husband, Moore Autry of Erwin, Rt. 1, 4 sons, Charles, Eugene, Moses Odell, and James Latry Autry, all of the home, one daughter, Janice Carolyn Autry of the home, one brother, Lester Parnell of Erwin, Rt. 1, and one sister, Mrs. Pearl Hudson of Erwin.

HOME FROM E.C.C.

Mrs. Peggy Ruth Barfield of East Carolina College spent the week end in Dunn.

Yearly Reports Made At Woman's Club Luncheon

The Woman's Club of Dunn held a luncheon Saturday at the club house.

Mrs. Bill Carroll, president gave the call to order and welcomed the members. The invocation was given by Mrs. J. W. Lineberger. A piano solo, "Bless This House" was rendered by Mrs. Reta Whittenton.

Menu for the luncheon consisted of chicken salad, potato chips, pimento cheese sandwiches, pickled crabapples, lima beans, coffee, rolls, fruit jello and cookies.

After the luncheon, yearly reports were made by the president and committee chairman.

Mrs. Carroll expressed her joy in the procurement of a club house and her gratitude to those who made it possible. She praised the small group of women who founded the club many years ago. She thanked the group for their cooperation throughout the year.

Reports were made by members of the committees on their programs during the year and projects they had completed. They included the American Home Department, Mrs. Ed Purdie, Jr., the Art Department, Mrs. Malcolm Curtis; the Education Department, Mrs. T. H. Sansom; the International Relations Department, Mrs. H. C. Turlington, Music Department, Mrs. Reta Whittenton.

Mrs. Mary Byrd gave the speech and the meeting was adjourned.

Segregation

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in some localities.

MOMENTOUS RULING — The momentous ruling invalidates many provisions in state constitutions, laws and administrative regulations in the states which now require segregation.

The 12-page ruling — a document that will rank in sociological significance with Lincoln's emancipation proclamation — swept aside the "separate but equal doctrine" laid down by the Supreme Court in 1896. Under that doctrine, the tribunal had held in the past that Negroes must be given educational facilities equal to those afforded white students, but that the facilities could be separate.

The court's decision not to issue the specific decrees at this time was apparently in recognition of the complexity of the issue and the physical difficulties involved in putting the ruling into effect.

WARREN SAID FURTHER arguments will be heard, presumably in the fall, before the decrees are formulated.

Warren said that historical data proved "inconclusive" as to the intent of the framers of the 14th Amendment. Warren said, however, that "in approaching this problem, we cannot turn the clock back to 1868 when the amendment was adopted, or even to 1896 when Plessy vs. Ferguson was written. Plessy vs. Ferguson was the case that established the 'separate but equal doctrine' which Negroes have been fighting for 60 years to set aside."

"We must consider public education in the light of its full development and its present place in American life throughout the nation. Only in this way can it be determined if segregation in public schools deprives these complainants of the equal protection of the laws."

"Today, education is perhaps the most important function of state and local government. . . In these days, it is doubtful that any child may reasonably be expected to succeed in life if he is denied the opportunity of an education."

"Such an opportunity, where the state has undertaken to provide it, is a right which must be made available to all on equal terms."

Warren then took up the question whether segregation of children in separate buildings, solely on the basis of race even though physical facilities are equal, deprives colored children of equal educational opportunities.

"We believe that it does," he said.

Patrolman

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to rest on its side. The car was a total loss.

Lucas told his superior that the car allegedly was driven by David McRae, son of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas McRae of Lillington. He was reported at home on leave from the Navy.

Ira West, other occupant of the Ford who was thrown out of the car when it rolled over received head cuts and bruises.

The driver jumped free and ran, Lucas told Sergeant Stewart.

The front fender of the patrol car was damaged, but Lucas was not hurt.

ATTEND MEETING

Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis attended the N. C. Photographers Association in Asheville on Sunday. They attended special sessions in bridal photography and draping which they will use in their studio here.

MRS. BYRD NAMED — Mrs. J. C. Byrd of Bunnlevel, prominent Harnett resident, and former county official, today was appointed as Woman's Manager for Senatorial Candidate W. Kerr Scott. She was named by Ex-Judge Howard Godwin, who is Scott's county manager.

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of Washington before going a with any plans.

Alabama State Sen. J. B. Bonner, long an ardent champion of white supremacy, said that Black Belt of Alabama now will continue school segregation. We will not let them use the school facilities."

In Topeka, Kan., state Atty. Harold R. Frazier said his office will see that the ruling will be complied with to the fullest. He said his office had defended segregation law before the court in one of cases settled today.

Frank Bass, executive secretary of the Tennessee Education Association, said that "whatever the ultimate decision is, Tennessee will work out one way or another. I think we will have any trouble." The Mississippi attorney general's office called an emergency conference. Walter Sillers, ap of that state's House, comm "I never expected any other of decision." He advocates a state school system to maintain segregation.

At Baton Rouge, where Louisiana legislature will meet second week of a 60-day session tonight, a state legislator said the decision as a "blow struck the vitals of the South."

Benefit Supper Slated Tonight

Benefit Supper will be given tonight at the Big-Four Restaurant, which is located on the B. Highway at the north edge of town. The supper, which will be a benefit for the Sacred Heart Church will consist of a Buffet Dinner with all the trimmings serving time well be from 6 to 9 p. m. Della Dunn, North Wayne Avenue is in charge of Tickets and Arrangements.

Those who do not have a ticket may purchase them at the taurant upon their arrival from either Joseph Santa or Chauvin. There is a reduction in price for all children who attend with or without parents.

Mr. Strickland Died Sunday

W. Purdie Strickland, 77, died Sunday afternoon at the Dunn Hospital. The son of the late William Isaac and Mary Kate Baker Strickland, he was a long-time resident of Dunn and County.

Funeral services will be Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock the Culbreth Memorial F.H. of Falcon with the Rev. W. W. Mas, the Rev. C. B. Strickland, the Rev. Don Lee officiating. Burial will be in the A. Church cemetery. The body will remain at the Cromartie Home in Dunn until Tuesday morning when it will be taken to the church to lie in state for one hour.

A retired farmer, he attended Cumberland County schools, Holmes Bible School in Greenville, S. C. He was a musical director and singing chorist in North Carolina for several years. An accomplished musician, he taught music for several years and was a very active member of the Culbreth Memorial F.H. Church.

He is survived by several sons and nephews.

NOTARIAN'S HONOR — Mr. Dunn Rotarians Friday night tributed to the late Senator R. W. Byrd and instructed the German Grand to discontinue the giving of sympathy and trib the family Dr. Glenn I. presented the matter.

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