

showers near coast today. High 85 to 90. Tomorrow generally fair with moderate temperatures.

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MCCARTHY HEARING ENDS IN ROW

Mendes-France Is Trying To Convince Allies

PARIS (AP)—Premier Pierre Mendes-France sought today to convince his dismayed Allies that France had not abandoned the Western alliance in the European Defense Community EDC.

The 47-year-old Premier was reported by political sources to be planning a flying visit to Britain to consult Prime Minister Winston Churchill on ways to patch up the Western European defense plans.

Mendes-France also was reported to be preparing an "important" statement to the Assembly, possibly on an alternative plan for joint European defense.

Mendes-France drove to his country hideout at Marly late Monday night after a bitterly-divided National Assembly voted 319 to 284 to end debate on EDC as a subject unworthy of further notice.

It is in the Atlantic framework that new solutions should be studied, Mendes-France said in a declaration issued from his hideout.

Three years ago France proposed the EDC setup and signed the treaty in 1952 but delayed taking

These Little Things

By ROOVER ADAMS

WEE LYNN GOT HER NAME

Eight-year-old Wee Lynn Gordon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Gordon, has an intriguing name, one that's different, so we called up her mother to ask her how she got it.

"That's an interesting story," said Mrs. Gordon, and so it is. Wee Lynn was a premature baby, weighed only four pounds when she was born in a Miami Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon had already decided to give her the middle name of Lynn, but couldn't decide on the first name.

One of the nurses suggested that since she was a tiny baby why not name her Wee Lynn. Her daddy liked the idea, so that's how Wee Lynn got her name.

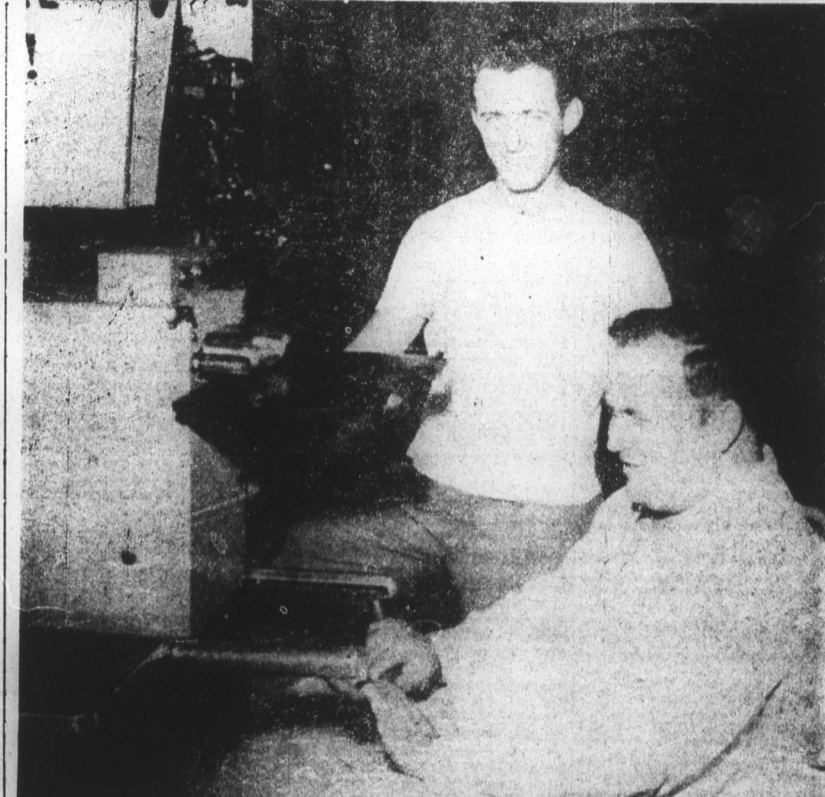
She's a big, healthy and pretty little girl now.

Harnett Classes Begin Tomorrow

School bells, books, and new teachers will be the order of the day tomorrow as some 13,000 Harnett County youths return to school.

Most Harnett County schools will begin tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock by giving the students the general schedule of classes, passing out books, and getting the students in the right place at the right time.

With schools open, there is a lot of work ahead as the summer campers will be called for advance permission, if students stay out to work. Before students will be admitted for classes after missing a day of school, they must submit a per-



TRIES OUT DRIVING — S. P. Lockhart, sales manager of Westbrook Chevrolet, is pictured above as he checks his driving. Looking on is George A. L. Robart, Jr., regional exhibit representative for the Chevrolet Motor Division of General Motors Corporation. The tester of driving is part of the large exhibit being installed at Westbrook's today. The exhibits show the advanced engineering that goes into the General Motors products, Robart said today. (Daily Record Photo)

Roosevelt Views Toward Reds Blamed For Yalta, Potsdam

Harnett YDC To Hold Meet

Roger Mann of Lillington, president of the Harnett County Young Democratic Club, today called an important meeting of the organization for Thursday night at 8 o'clock in the county courthouse in Lillington.

Mr. Mann said it would be one of the most important meetings before the fall election and urged a large attendance of Young Democrats from all sections of the county.

He said it would be primarily an organizational meeting for a discussion of business matters within the club.

The club is now conducting a successful membership drive. The club already has 185 members, as compared with only 130 last year. The goal is 300 members.

Mrs. Carl Conner of Dunn is vice-president of the organization.

HE WAS IN IT

HACKENSACK, N. J. (UP)—Albert Kulken, 64, has filed a \$10,000 damage suit against Theodore H. Maslin for cutting down a tree while Kulken was sitting in the upper branches.

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LIONS MEETING — The Godwin

Legion Favors UMT Program For Young Men

WASHINGTON (AP)—The American Legion will go on record Wednesday in favor of a Universal Military Training program calling for 16 weeks basic training for every able-bodied young man, informed sources predicted today.

These sources said the plan also will call for an additional 20 months of duty in the armed services or their active reserves.

The Legion's long campaign for UMT was given renewed impetus by President Eisenhower on Monday when he told the Legion's 36th annual convention that he will give up military reserves.

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UMT Passage Expected — The Legion has not pushed its UMT plan for the past two years because of a belief that it had "no chance in the 83rd Congress." But now Legion leaders are optimistic that its UMT plan has "a reasonable chance of success" in the next Congress.

Legion leaders on legislative matters proposed that Legionnaires support only congressional candidates favoring UMT.

Special Legion committees scheduled secret sessions before this afternoon's parade to hammer out policy resolutions on UMT and other major issues.

Proposed resolutions in the foreign relations field called for breaking off diplomatic and trade relations with Russia and its Red satellite nations, and continued support of the Nationalist China.

National Commander Arthur J. Connell voiced confidence that the convention would adopt the pro-Nationalist China resolution after Madame Chiang Kai-Shek made the principal address Monday night at his banquet for distinguished guests.

Big Chevrolet Exhibit Set

Workers were busy today installing a large exhibit at Westbrook Chevrolet today showing the advanced engineering of the General Motors Corporation.

The showroom of the Chevrolet place will be opened to the public beginning at 8 o'clock tomorrow and will remain open until 8 p. m.

Besides a large number of interesting exhibits showing the way GMC motors are constructed and operated, the exhibit will also include a Skill-o-Meter to test the driving skill of motorists. Earl

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Guard Rounding Up Sin City Sinners

PHENIX CITY, Ala. (UP)—National Guardsmen today rounded up persons charged in 545 indictments returned by a special grand jury investigating Alabama's biggest crackdown on vice and political corruption.

At least 27 of the 59 persons accused in the record number of indictments were arrested by Guardsmen, acting as law enforcement officers under martial rule, during the first few hours following the return of the jury's initial report on underworld elements here.

MURDER CHARGES — Three first degree murder indictments were among those handed down by special solicitor Conrad Fowler said 50 of the 59 persons indicted were involved in vice cases. (Continued On Page Six)

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Dulles Calls For Emergency Meeting

WASHINGTON (UP)—Secretary of State John Foster Dulles today called for an emergency meeting of the North Atlantic Treaty Council to weigh the "tragedy" caused by French rejection of the European army plan EDC.

Dulles, in a strongly worded statement, said the action of the French Assembly yesterday in rejecting the plan by a 319 to 284 vote, "obviously imposes on the United States the obligation to re-examine its foreign policies, particularly those in relation to Europe."

Meeting Proclaims God As Only Hope

EVANSTON, Ill. (UP)—The Second World Council of Churches ended its history-making assembly today with a call to all christendom to "rejoice in hope."

The delegates, representing 161 faiths and 48 nations, came to the close of 17 days of heart-searching deliberations on the basic concepts of "Christ, the hope of the world" and the unification of christendom.

HISTORICAL EVENT — The assembly, called one of the most important events in religious history, held its last plenary session in McGaw hall in the Northwestern University campus. Delegates then attended closing worship services at Evanston's First Methodist Church, where the council was formally opened.

The council's greatest achievement was approved last night when the delegates, by a standing vote, approved a "message" proclaiming Jesus Christ as the only hope for uniting the world.

"We affirm our faith in Jesus Christ as the hope of the world, and desire to share that faith with all men," the message said.

"Only at the cross of Christ, (Continued on page six)

Hurricane Heads Into New England

BOSTON (UP)—A tropical hurricane swept across heavily populated Long Island today and into New England, smashing heavy seas against docks and beaches, toppling trees and power lines, and sweeping small craft from their moorings.

WARCKCK, E. I. (UP)—Four bodies were washed up today on hurricane-swept Oakland Beach police reported.

Hurricane warnings were posted from Block Island, R. I., to Portland, Me. The storm center passed over the western end of Long Island and across Long Island Sound to the New England coast. Full gales swirled around its quiet "eye" center.

The storm moved up the coast at unprecedented speed of 30 to 40 miles per hour after striking the North Carolina coast line during the night. Beach communities were isolated along the Long Island and New Jersey shores; campers were evacuated from Connecticut beach parks.

FIRST DEATH — The first death was reported in (Continued On Page Six)

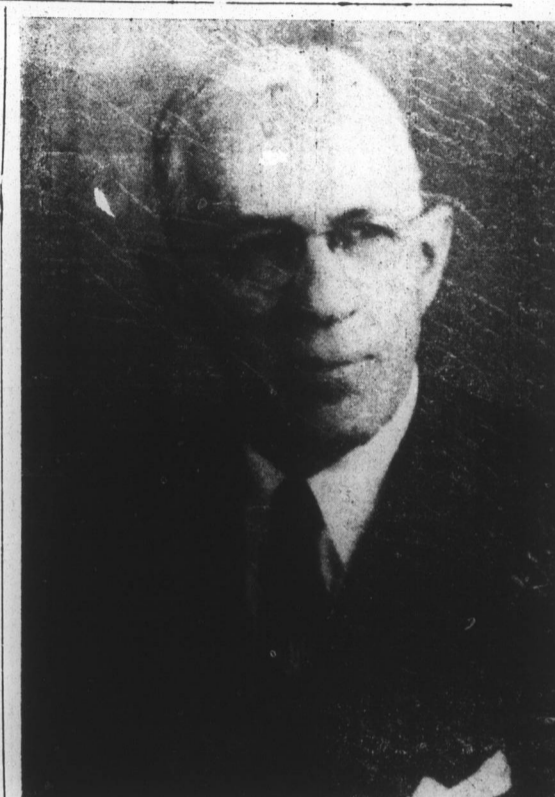
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SPEAKS HERE SUNDAY — Dr. I. G. Greer, prominent Baptist and civic leader of Chapel Hill, pictured above, will be guest speaker at the First Baptist Church of Dunn Sunday. Earl Davis Farthing will speak at the evening service. Dr. Greer is noted as being one of the most outstanding speakers in North Carolina.

Solons Differ On McCarthy

WASHINGTON (UP)—Two Republican senators differed sharply today over how much to blame Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy in the Army-McCarthy fight.

Sen. Charles E. Potter R-Mich. released his individual views which assailed every principle in the dispute. He said McCarthy knew about but made no effort to block former subcommittee counsel Roy M. Cohns "unrelenting" pressure on the Army to obtain favors for Cohn's friend, Pvt. G. David Schina.

ENDORSED EDITORIAL — But Sen. Everett M. Dirksen (R-Ill) conceding he had been accused of pro-McCarthy bias, endorsed a newspaper editorial which said the record showed no significant pressure applied to the Army.

While Potter and Dirksen submitted supplementary individual statements, they also signed the four-men Republican majority report.

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