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## Harrall Pope Would Make An Ideal Judge

The Daily Record enthusiastically joins the Harnett and Greensboro bar associations in endorsing Attorney Albert Harrall Pope of Greensboro for appointment as Superior Court Judge for the Guilford district.

We know of no lawyer in that district better qualified by training, experience or ability to fill the post than the Dunn native.

Attorney Pope was heartily endorsed for the office by his fellow lawyers in Greensboro, then by the Harnett County Bar Association and other citizens throughout the State who know him have joined in support of him.

As the resolution unanimously adopted last week by Harnett lawyers points out, the distinguished young Greensboro attorney is an "able lawyer of the highest qualifications for the office."

Harrall Pope was born in Dunn, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Busbee Pope, Sr., and graduated with high honors from Dunn High School, Duke University and the Duke Law School. At Duke, where requirements are unusually strict, the Dunn man managed to keep in the upper bracket of his class and was consistently among those on the Dean's list for outstanding scholastic performance. He is a serious student of the law, thoroughly trained, well-read and experienced in every phase of the legal field.

For the past several years, he has been a member of the big law firm of Smith, Moore, Smith and Pope at Greensboro. His selection as a partner in this big law firm, known from coast to coast, is within itself an endorsement and tribute to his outstanding legal ability.

Aside from his experience, ability and knowledge of the law, Harrall Pope possesses the calm, dignified temperament so badly needed by members of the judiciary of North Carolina.

He is also a man with a keen sense of honor, integrity, responsibility and duty who would serve in a manner that would reflect credit, distinction and dignity on that high office and the State of North Carolina.

We might also point out here that Harrall Pope is not a politician. We think that fact is also in his favor, and to his credit.

It is our hope that Governor Luther Hodges will see fit to appoint this distinguished lawyer to the bench. We do not believe he could make a better appointment.

## Godwin News

Announcements have been received here of the marriage of Mr. John Claude Williams of Charlottesville, Va., to Mrs. LeVonda Little Baylor of Chatham, Va., by Mr. and Mrs. LaFayette Little on February 27, 1955, in Clearwater, Florida. Mr. Williams is a former resident of here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith and children, Pat and Becky, of Angier spent Sunday afternoon with relatives here.

Mr. Robert Wolfe of New York

City spent Saturday with Mrs. Pearl Calahan.

Mrs. W. T. Baker returned from Highsmith Hospital last Thursday, and is convalescing at her home here. She is showing some improvement after suffering a stroke two weeks ago.

The following Yarbrough brothers were visitors here this week: Stewart Yarbrough of Warsaw, Va., Simmons Yarbrough of Irvington, Va., Erskin Yarbrough of Roseboro, N. C., and Gray Yarbrough of Los Angeles, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. Murphy Holland and Mrs. Willie Tew spent Monday at Duke Hospital in Durham. Mr. Holland is showing improvement from his injury which he suffered in January.

The W. S. C. S. of Blacks Chapel Church met on Monday night, March 21st, at the home of Mrs.

## FUNNY BUSINESS



"The wife and I had words—here we 'Get busy with the garden tools!'"

## "Gotta Match?"



## EARL WILSON ON BROADWAY



## Newton Grove News

Ed Edwards, student at State College, Raleigh, spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Edwards.

Mesdames A. W. Weeks and H. B. Tart shopped in Goldsboro on Wednesday.

Mesdames Allen Westbrook, Alton Weeks, Hubert Rayford, Sr., Henry Bizzell, Sr., Mrs. Ida Grant and Mrs. Lilley attended the study of "India" held at Halls Methodist Church near Roseboro on Friday afternoon and night.

Morris Porter from A. C. C., Wilson, Miss Bettie Rose and brother, George Rose of E. C. C., Greenville spent the week end at their homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Weeks of Clinton visited Mr. and Mrs. Duffy Weeks on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Jackson of Greenville spent the week end here visiting relatives.

Sgt. and Mrs. Ed Hill, who have been in Spokane Wash., for several months, arrived last week and are visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Williams.

Miss Maude Warren of Fayetteville spent the week end with the R. D. Weeks.

A. W. Weeks and Leaman Fields made a business trip to Beaufort, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Rayford and daughter of Greenville spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rayford, Sr.

Mesdames Lloyd Britt, Edna Tart and daughter Pat shopped in Fayetteville last Thursday.

Rev. Howard McLamb, district superintendent of Goldsboro, will be the guest speaker following a covered dish supper for the Newton Grove Methodist church in the Fellowship Hall on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Weeks and daughters, Misses Mona and Clyda Weeks of Raleigh, visited Mr. and Mrs. Duffy Weeks on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Rayford and daughter of Greenville and Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Rayford, Sr., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert I. Rayford, Jr., on Sunday.

Miss Clarisse Brooks spent Sunday with Mrs. Lizzie Rose.

Amos Westbrook, a student at Wake Forest, spent the week end with his family here.

Mrs. Henry Giddens and daughter Shirley, and Mrs. Noah McCullen and daughter Elsie, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Giddens, Jr., spent last week end in Washington, D. C., visiting relatives.

WISH I'D SAID THAT: B'way truisms, via Jane Pickens: "The bigger you are, the harder they want you to fall."

TODAY'S BEST LAUGH: A salesman offered to make up miniature pictures of Walter Slesak. The 280-pound star sneered, "I dare you!"

HOME FROM HOSPITAL: Mickey Barfoot returned to his home Tuesday after undergoing an operation in the Sampson Memorial Hospital in Clinton. He is getting along nicely.

"In Texas," says Dorothy Donegan, "a pedestrian is someone who walks to the garage for his car. That's earl, brother."

Earl's Pearls: . . . Some people are so intelligent they can speak on any subject. Others don't even need a subject.—Quote.

## ★ EDSON IN WASHINGTON ★

### Crying Need in Middle East Is Some Political Stability

BY PETER EDSON  
NEA Washington Correspondent



WASHINGTON—(NEA)—It cost the United States nearly \$60 million last year to feed Arab refugees in the Middle East. There are now over 900,000 of these refugees. The cost of their upkeep is only \$1.25 a week per person.

All of the United Nations, whose wards these refugees really are, agreed to contribute to their support. But most of the other nations just don't pay their share. So Uncle Sam picks up the tab. Herded behind barbed wire in desert concentration camps, these Arab refugees are perhaps the most pitiful people in the world, outside the Iron Curtain. They are now increasing at the rate of 100,000 a year, births over deaths. When first driven out of Palestine they numbered 650,000.

Nobody wants these displaced people. There is no arable land in the area on which they can be resettled. The problem of making new homes for them—and getting them off the backs of the U. S. taxpayers at the same time—may therefore take as much as ten years to work out.

THE KEY TO THIS PLAN is to get Israel, Jordan, Syria and Lebanon to agree on harnessing and sharing the water of the Jordan River system.

Preliminary blueprints for this development have been ready for several years. Engineers know just how it could be done. It would cost \$120 million. It could develop 100,000 kilowatts of electric power.

Water stored behind the dams could irrigate 250,000 acres in the four countries. And on those acres an estimated one third of the Arab refugees could be resettled. That would be a start.

Sixteen months ago President Eisenhower named Eric A. Johnston as his special ambassador to try to get the four countries to agree on joint Jordan River development.

MR. JOHNSTON HAS JUST returned from his third unsuccessful mission to the area. In April or May he will try again. By the end of this year he feels there may be agreement.

The main reason for all this dillying and dallying, however, is that the two sides—the three Arab countries on the one hand and the Israelis on the other—wanted to talk more about their war with each other than about something that might promote their common welfare.

Eric Johnston left the Middle East just before the recent Gaza incident broke out, in which 38 Egyptians and eight Israelis were killed. The UN Armistice commission has just held Israel responsible for stirring up the fuss.

It will unquestionably set back the Jordan plan. But this has been typical of the entire eight-year history of Israel. Every time the Middle East begins to quiet down, some new incident is provoked to raise a dust storm.

THE LAST TIME IT WAS Egyptian seizure of an Israeli freighter in the Suez Canal and the execution by Egypt of Israeli spies. A neutral observation might be that one side was as guilty as the other.

But a few weeks ago, Washington diplomats of the Arab countries were reporting that the Arab League—bastion of opposition to Israel in the Middle East—was a dead duck. A little restraint on the part of the Israeli forces might have done wonders in easing the tension in this area.

Before there can be any Jordan River Valley Authority to change the lot of the Arab refugees there must be some semblance of political stability. It would be of more benefit to the Middle East if American Zionists would hold Washington conferences to promote this idea than to agitate for more arms aid for Israel, as they have just done.

## Hoodlums Hold Teacher, Beat Three Students

NEW YORK (AP)—Ten teenage hoodlums stormed a high school classroom today.

They backed a woman teacher against a blackboard by holding a bayonet at her throat and then gave three terrified students a severe beating. The leader of the all-Negro gang told the teacher to "keep quiet and mind your own business" while his companion methodically punched and kicked the three students.

Police, who arrived shortly after

the hoodlums escaped, said they believed the 10 youths were a "war party" from a juvenile gang bent on revenge.

## SAMPSON NATIVE DIES

Mrs. Zilphia Jane Raynor Sutton, 74, died at her home in Rocky Mount Friday morning at 9:15. A Sampson County native, she was the daughter of the late Mary Warwick and Samuel Raynor, and widow of the late Zebulon Sutton of Sampson County. The Rev. J. W. Lineberger of Dunn assisted at the funeral service Sunday. Among her survivors are two daughters from Newton Grove, Mrs. Jasper Westbrook, and Mrs. Lloyd Hobbs.

## COSTLY MOTORING

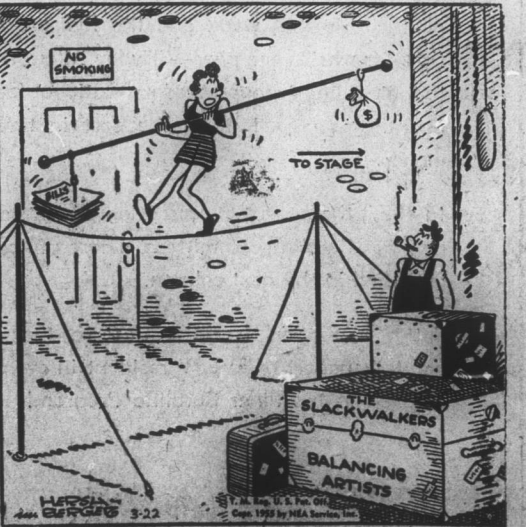
HARTFORD, Conn. (AP)—The Connecticut Safety Commission estimates it cost more than \$200,000 to replace the nearly 1,000 utility poles knocked down by motorists in the state last year.

## FOUND EATEN UP

HARTFORD, Conn. (AP)—Contributors to a "church fund" learned from police their donations never got farther than the corner drug store. Three small boys solicited a total of \$10 and promptly spent it on ice cream and candy.

Of Vermont's 14 counties, there are 10 in which more than half the land is forested.

There are almost seven pounds of calcium in a 150-pound man—99 per cent of it is in his teeth and bones.



"My husband said I should learn to balance our budget, too!"