

WEATHER

Fair to partly cloudy and warm- Friday and Saturday. High Friday 76 to 84.

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REDS OFFER TO HALT ARMS TO EAST



SHE CHARMS THE MEN - Beautiful Ava Gardner from neighboring Johnston County still has what it takes to charm the men, as can be plainly seen in this picture. The Goddess of Love is shown here with three unidentified admirers in the Cabela Room of the Orso Club in Paris, one of her favorite spots in the French city. Ava reportedly has been offered the leading role in a new movie, "Madrigal."

Nixon Viewed As GOP's Top Campaigner

WASHINGTON (AP) - Republicans today visualized Vice President Richard M. Nixon as their chief barnstorming campaigner this fall.

They assigned Nixon that role as soon as he announced Thursday that he again wanted the number two spot on the Republican ticket. Democrats saw Nixon in the same role. They immediately began fanning him for campaign tactics which they felt were unfair in the past and would be in the future.

Republicans said Nixon was a "natural" for the strenuous, barnstorming type of campaigning which President Eisenhower has said he would not engage in this fall. There was no doubt that the GOP National Convention would again accept Nixon as Mr. Eisenhower's running mate when it meets in San Francisco Aug. 29.

Before announcing his candidacy Thursday, Nixon conferred at length with the President at the White House. Afterwards, Mr. Eisenhower, who had told Nixon earlier to "chart his own course," let it be known that he was "delighted" with Nixon's decision. The President's endorsement virtually assured Nixon the nomination.

Other political news: Adlai Stevenson, candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination, said he was "not surprised" by Nixon's announcement. He said Mr. Eisenhower's approval of Nixon was "just one more point where he and I disagree."

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REVIVALIST - Rev. Lowell F. Soderman, evangelist of St. Matthews, South Carolina, will lead a revival at the First Baptist Church in Dunn with services daily at 10 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. from April 29 through May. The Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Reverend Ernest F. Russell, has invited all members of the public to attend the revival meetings.

Anthony Eden Accepts Bid To Red Moscow

LONDON (AP) - The Soviet leaders called on Britain today to help ease Russia's relations with the United States and hinted they would halt arms shipments to the Middle East.

Soviet Premier Nikolai Bulganin told a jammed news conference Prime Minister Anthony Eden had accepted an invitation to visit Moscow and said the visit would be of the "utmost importance to Soviet and British relations."

Bulganin and Soviet Communist leader Nikita S. Khrushchev left London for Portsmouth at the end of the press conference to board a Soviet cruiser for home and end their 10-day visit to Britain. They made five major points in an 80-minute news conference in which Bulganin did almost all the talking.

THE POINTS 1. Eden has accepted an invitation to visit Moscow but the date has not been set because of the press of his official duties. 2. The Soviet Union is shifting its position on disarmament from its current policy of discussing only conventional arms cuts. Now it is willing to discuss conventional and nuclear arms cuts simultaneously.

3. Khrushchev said Russia is ready to enter an undertaking to stop arms shipments to the Middle East. (Continued On Page Six)



SOUVENIR FROM MONACO - Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Wood of Dunn received the above souvenir of the Grace Kelly-Prince Rainier wedding in Monaco from their son, Lindy, who is stationed with the U. S. Navy aboard the Aircraft Carrier Intrepid. Lindy and his company arrived in Monaco a day after the wedding, but photographed many of the festivities of the Royal wedding.

Damage Suits In Harnett Settled

The first week of a two weeks civil term of Harnett Superior Court adjourned around noon Thursday, but not before presiding Judge William Y. Bickett explained to jurors who had heard only divorce actions, that out-of-court compromise and settlements had removed much litigation from the docket.

"Two of the cases settled," Judge Bickett said, "normally would have required more than a week each to hear." Fair adjustments are in the interest of the parties to the suit and also save time and money for the State. A settlement was reached in a personal injury suit for \$100,000 brought by 20 years old sawmill worker Pete Allen against Herbert Thomas following an accident at a saw mill in Robeson County.

The court found that Thomas, the employer, had previously paid for and in behalf of Allen has met expenses of \$1,500, arising out of the injury to the right leg of which Allen complained. In addition, all parties agreed that Allen will recover the additional sum of \$2,000 in full settlement of claims. Thomas was permitted to pay \$1,500 now, and \$500 on or before Oct. 25, 1956.

In the original complaint Allen, contended that on Nov. 21, 1953 he had called attention to Thomas to a defective belt, but quoted Thomas as saying, "That belt will saw 100,000 more feet of lumber." Allen was ordered to return to his regular job of "tailing the edger." Within a short while, the belt broke violently, struck Allen's right leg, ripped the flesh to the bone and he was hospitalized four months in the Robeson County Hospital and several weeks more later in 1954 in the Dunn Hospital. He alleged he suffered permanent injuries and incurred medical expenses of \$1,600.

The defendant in his answer denied the defective belt, said Allen placed himself in a place of peril and claimed the injury was within the sole jurisdiction of the N. C. Industrial Commission, as provided in the N. C. Workmen's Compensation Act. Attorneys for the sawmill worker were Taylor, Spence and Taylor. Wilson and Johnson appeared for Thomas, the defendant. SEXTON WINS CASE A consent judgment also ended the suit brought by Sexton Motor Sales of Lillington against Odele McLean of Anstler, civilian worker at Bragg, to collect \$1,165 allegedly due the motor company for a car bought by McLean. Under the terms of the agreement, Jim and Fred Sexton will recover \$800 in satisfaction of all claims on a note and chattel mortgage McLean will be permitted to pay this at a rate of \$10 per month until October, when he was asked to pay \$300 on November 1, McLean also will retain possession of a 1953 Willys. However, he must surrender the title to the car to the Sexton brothers. (Continued On Page Two)

Harnett Barroom Operator Fined \$200 For Contempt

Le Roy Elliott, proprietor of the "Nut Grass Inn" on Bunneville, Route 1, who ignored a Superior Court restraining order padlocking his Negro juke joint, was found in contempt of court by Judge William Y. Bickett.

In a special hearing on the padlocking case, Judge Bickett found that in keeping the place of business open, Elliott was in contempt of a court order signed last May 23, 1955 by Judge Chester Morris. Elliott was fined \$200 and costs, and the injunction closing the place was continued for another 12 months.

Only last week, Elliott was found guilty in Harnett Recorder's Court by Judge M. O. Lee of possession of non-tax-paid whiskey for sale. Rural police in a recent raid on the Nutgrass Inn "found white whiskey hidden under the counter. They contended that Elliott was running an open bar at his place of business. Elliott appealed to Superior Court the two year road term he received in the Recorder's Court.

MEANTIME, Judge Bickett also ordered that the Dove Music Company of Raleigh refrain from furnishing any musical device to Elliott, or anyone else who operates the property for a year. Judge Bickett pointed out that the company had "constructive and actual notice" at the time they installed a piccolo that Elliott's place had been ordered padlocked. The piccolo seized at the Inn last week by Sheriff C. R. Moore was ordered returned to Dove Company, provided they comply with the court order.

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Record Roundup

FIFTH SUNDAY SING - The regular Fifth Sunday Vocal Union Sing will be held at Maple Grove Church Sunday, April 29, beginning at 1:30. Charles Pope, moderator, will be in charge of the services. All singers and the public are cordially invited to attend.

CAMPAIGNERS - With upcoming state and national elections as a backdrop, candidates for student office at Dunn High School will be showing what kind of campaigners they would make next week. On Thursday, the students who have been suggested for student government posts will make their bids for election. The speech-making will start at 10:10 in the auditorium.

NEED NAME FOR NEW SCHOOL Planning To Split Students By Grades Parents who have been wondering where their children will land next fall when Dunn will have a new elementary school in operation received a hot tip from District Principal A. B. Johnson today.

Emphasizing that the plan is only tentative and not final—one of those decisions that could be affected by the turn of events—Principal Johnson said students of the fourth, fifth and sixth grades will probably land in the new school on the corner of Harnett Street and Wayne Avenue. The new elementary building is not much more than a skip and a jump from the high school, and it is even closer to the Army which has, for the past two years, been taking some of the overflow from Dunn's crowded classrooms.

"DEAD" MAN SHOWS UP Insurance Company Will Get Refund NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) - The Tennessee Supreme Court ruled today that a life insurance company is entitled to get back \$30,000 remaining from a policy it paid on the life of Thomas C. Buntin, Nashville "playboy" who disappeared more than 25 years ago but turned up in Orange, Tex., in 1953.

Farmers To See Tractor Plant At Louisville

The McLamb Machinery Company, local International Harvester dealer, is inviting farmers in this area to a tour of the big International Harvester works at Louisville, Kentucky. At the Louisville plant, they will see how Farmall Tractors are built from the first step until they come off the production line, ready for use.

Farmers purchasing any new Farmall Tractor before the 1 automatically qualify for the trip. McLamb is now organizing the group which will make the tour. All will leave on July 12 from Fayetteville on Piedmont Airlines plane.

"This tour," said C. E. McLamb, manager of the local company, is sure to be exciting and educational. It will give farmers an opportunity to see how modern methods are applied in farm equipment manufacturing as well as in farming. "Of special interest will be the amazing scientific processes used for precision manufacturing and quality-testing of various parts which make up International Harvester machines."

Farmers interested in making the tour are asked to see McLamb's for full details.

LOUISBURG, N. C. - An ex-convict apparently bent on a fight blasted at police with a shotgun early today and escaped with his brother through a police net after a four-hour siege. Police were under orders not to shoot back or use tear gas as they surrounded the two brothers at the home of their parents here. The fugitive's mother suffers from a heart condition. Police broadcast a statewide alarm for Clyde Mustian Jr., 32, and his brother Forest, 28.

Ex-Convict Blasts Police At Laurinburg; Escapes

The brothers were stopped by police in front of their parents' home. Officers said Clyde Mustian struck a shotgun at the arresting officers and forced them back while he and his brother moved inside. Police summoned reinforcements and surrounded the house, hiding in shrubbery as Mustian blasted at them with the shotgun. Officers said Forest Mustian was drunk and had to be helped as he got out of the car. Mayor George Dennis ordered that no tear gas be used and no shots fired into the house because of the illness of Mrs. Mustian.

DANGEROUS THUG The alarm broadcast for the brothers described Clyde as "armed and considered dangerous." Clyde, convicted numerous times on speeding charges, is a former Raleigh drug salesman. He was convicted last fall on a breaking and entering a assault charge after he entered the home of his estranged wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Gupton, and assaulted his wife, Anne. He was given a five-year suspended prison sentence. (Continued On Page Two)

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