

WEATHER

Partly cloudy and mild Friday with occasional rain mostly along northern coast high in the 50's except 75 to 83 near coast. Saturday, partly cloudy and mild with widely scattered thundershowers likely

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EX-CON SLAYS THREE IN MAD SPREE



PROJECT NUMBER ONE — On neighborly walk around town, Angier's youthful Chamber of Commerce manager (he is fresh out of college) runs into Jacks Barnes (right) vice-president of the Chamber, and stops to chat about a project. Project Number One is to bring industry into town. Henry Benton Thorpe, Jr., the manager, thinks a chemical works might be a good bet.

HIRES STATE'S YOUNGEST C OF C MANAGER

Can Angier Be Jet-Propelled?

These Little Things

By ROOVER ADAMS

LITTLE NOTES ABOUT PEOPLE AND THINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Reeves (she's the former Harriet Stewart) are honeymooning for two weeks at Crystal River, Florida. Mrs. Reeves' son, Gene Stewart, graduated this week from Staunton Military Academy and Bobbie Drake Stewart, another son, graduated from Duke. Bobbie will now study law at the University of Miami. The newweds will come to Dunn to visit her sister, Mrs. Phoebe Leona Johnson, after their honeymoon. Howard M. Lee says that he reads the Bible all the way through—every word of it—at least twice a year. It's amazing just what impact any new news about the President of the United States has on the world. The has an upset stomach. Wall Street trembles, foreign newspapers bring out their big headlines, and the wire services go crazy. Literally thousands of words rattle off the wire today about Ike's stomach ache. Back in the days when the late President Roosevelt was gravely ill—several times right at the point of death, the public never knew it because the White House made no announcement. (Continued on Page Five)

LOSES FIGHT BUT HAS JANE'S LOVE

Mr. Universe, With Black Eye, Goes Back To Jayne

For picture of Miss West and her muscle men, see page two.

NEW YORK (AP)—Mr. Universe, a fallen gladiator, came home with a black eye today too actress Jayne Mansfield.

He was the loser to Mr. California in a Wednesday night fight in Mae West's night club dressing room in Washington but winner of the bosomy Miss Mansfield's affections.

Miss Mansfield was told one story and the district attorney in Washington another of the short but violent flurry of haymakers which also knocked Miss West off her feet.

Mr. Universe, non-professionally weighing 230 pounds, didn't throw a punch. But he displayed a black eye and cut lip with three stitches from the "unexpected attack."



JAYNE MANSFIELD

Mr. California, otherwise known as Chuck Krauser, 31, weighing 220 pounds, was released from Washington's municipal court on Miss West's arm but lighted \$300 in bond for a jury trial June 28.

RESENTED DEMOTION
Miss Mansfield, who said she is considering marriage to Mr. Universe, said she had the correct version "straight from Mickey."

She said there had been a news conference in Miss West's dressing room at the Casino Royal, where the 64-year-old actress is currently appearing with her company of seven muscle men. (Continued On Page Two)

THROUGH EXPECTED TO HEAR PASTOR TUESDAY

Famed Maestro To Play Here

Appearance of Tony Pastor and his famous orchestra in Dunn next Tuesday night is attracting interest throughout a wide section of Eastern Carolina and a huge crowd is expected here for the event.

The celebrated orchestra will play for a public dance in the Dunn Armory Tuesday night from 9 p. m. until 1 a. m.

It is the first big-name orchestra to appear in Dunn in several years and the first time that a big-name such as Pastor has appeared here at the peak of his popularity.

Scores of local citizens are having out-of-town guests here for the dance and dozens of parties—pre-dance parties, intermission parties and breakfast parties—are being planned in connection with the gala occasion.

Pastor has played at practically all the big spots in the country. Earlier this season, he played a ten-week engagement at the swanky New Frontier Hotel in Las Vegas, Nevada and broke all attendance records at the hotel's big ball room.

He has played at such big spots as the Hotel Statler and the Paramount Theatre in New York, the Palladium in Hollywood, the Hotel Sherman in Chicago, Catalina Island in California.

At present, he is concluding a two-week engagement at the Hotel Peabody in Memphis, Tenn. From Dunn, he will go to Suffolk, Va. for a one-night stand, and then will open at the Steel Pier in Atlantic City.

His engagement in Dunn will be his last appearance in North Carolina this year. His band is booked solidly through next March.

Advance tickets for the big dance are now on sale at Uoehurch's in Dunn. For those who do not dance but want to enjoy the music and the many novelty and entertainment numbers of the orchestra, a section has been reserved in the big armory for spectators at a reduced rate.

HIS BEST BAND

Pastor, famed vocalist and instrumentalist is currently heading what trade observers have called the finest band in his long and highly successful career.

Pastor has long been a familiar item on the music scene. The versatile New Englander who was born in Middletown, Conn., came into prominence as a featured member of the great Artie Shaw Orchestra. Tony first started singing when he was with the Vincent Lopez band but it remained for Artie Shaw to provide his really big chance to jump into the spotlight.

WORLD-WIDE FOLLOWING

Tony recalls that as his biggest smele break. It gave him a chance to organize his own orchestra and after the usual trials and tribulations, he was a top name maestro with a tremendous world-wide following. During his long career as a bandleader, Tony has been under contract to Bluebird, RCA Victor, Cosmo, Columbia, Label "X" and Decca Records.

Along with the fame and fortune (Continued on Page Eight)



TONY PASTOR

Liquor, Traffic Cases In Harnett

Harnett recorder's court convicted two men, Billy Howard Lilly and James M. Page, for driving drunk, while a third man, Daniel Duncan Everett, was declared not guilty of the same charge. Both Lilly and Page were fined \$100 and costs. Page paid his fine in lieu of a 60-day road sentence.

Riding with Lilly at the time of his arrest was Windell Edward Lilly, who was charged with publicly drunk. Upon conviction, the second Lilly was fined the costs of court.

Lilly's case was the first of eight of public drunkenness tried by the court. The unusually high number of drunkennes cases could not match the total of speeding cases, however. Convictions were returned against 22 speedsters during the sessions.

Other cases tried in recorder's court include:

Clyde Rudolph Partin, speeding 70 mph, judgment continued on payment of \$10 fine and costs; (Continued on Page Eight)

Shoots One As He Begg For His Life

CHICAGO (AP)—An ex-convict, blasting away with a double-barreled shotgun, shot and killed three persons in a jazzy night spot early today. Two of his victims were covering on the floor begging for mercy.

The third victim an unidentified newsboy, tried to stop the killer from escaping. He was gunned down on the sidewalk.

Detective Paul Doleman said the killer was identified by witnesses as ex-convict Lawrence Neumann, 28.

He walked into the Miracle Bar, northside nightspot which features a "Dixieland" style jazz band, shortly after 2 o'clock with the shotgun in his hands.

"I'm going to kill everyone in the place," witnesses quoted him as saying.

Max Epstein, 54, co-owner of the cocktail lounge, dropped to the floor behind the bar.

IGNORES PLEAS

He was begging for mercy. The gunman calmly stepped onto the bar rail and, leaning over, killed Epstein with two blasts in the back.

Lois M. Gates, 28 who operated the bar's "26 game," also fell to the floor, screaming her plea for life. She died with a shotgun blast in the neck.

A "26 game" is a dice game popular in many Chicago bars. Patrons roll dice, trying to make 26 of a certain number in a given number of throws. An attractive girl keeps score and pays off with coupons good for free drinks.

The gunman then whirled on the eight patrons in the bar and bartender Raymond Steinhoff. Many of them were also on the floor.

He seemed about to open fire again, Steinhoff said, but then (Continued On Page Two)



JIMMY'S NEXT?—Gladys Irene Owens, secretary in the Washington office of Rep. James Roosevelt (D-Calif.), where she is shown above, may soon become the congressman's next wife. Roosevelt confirmed that he would marry Mrs. Owens when his divorce from Romelle Roosevelt becomes final next month. Later he denied that he had confirmed the marriage. Mrs. Owens refused to comment.

Caudle Denies Charge Of Fix

ST. LOUIS (AP)—T. Lamar Caudle denied today he did anything in 1951 to prevent a federal grand jury from indicting a tax evader whose case he and Matthew J. Connelly are accused of trying to fix.

Caudle, former head of the Justice Department's tax division, said he sent Ellis Slack, a tax attorney, to St. Louis to help the grand jury that indicted Irving Sachs in 1951.

He admitted Slack had no experience with grand juries at the time but said he had no one else to send from Washington. (Continued on Page Eight)

Ike Has Big Night At Photog's Event

By MERRIMAN SMITH

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower last night looked to me like a man who was feeling well and thoroughly enjoying himself.

I have watched him at a number of similar affairs and never seen him laugh more heartily than he did at the jokes of Bob Hope.

He talked animatedly with the men next to him at the head table—Anthony Muto of Movietone News and Henry Burroughs of the Associated Press, the outgoing and incoming presidents of the White House Photographers Association.

When the spotlights were on the President he seemed a trifle pale. But he appeared to be in bubbling good spirits.

He got a particular kick out of Bob Hope who told a side-splitting variety of political and golf gags.

IN GOOD HUMOR

He laughed uproariously when Hope opened the show by saying: (Continued On Page Eight)

PARENTS FEAR FOUL PLAY

Erwin Girl, 18, Disappears

"Most of the time she went by herself when she went anywhere," said Mrs. Robert Wilson last evening of her 18-year-old sister Patsy Ruth Baker, who disappeared late Saturday night.

The missing girl, a very tall (five-foot-nine-inch) blond with naturally bobbed hair, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baker of South 17th Street in Erwin. She works in a spooling room at Erwin Mills.

Dunn police, the Harnett sheriff's office, and Agent William O'Daniel of the State Bureau of Investigation are attempting to locate her. She was last seen at Gray's, a nightclub on the Dunn-Erwin highway, around 12 p. m.

A man identified by the family as Windell Moore, who lives near Benson, told the missing girl's brother-in-law, Robert E. Wilson, that the missing girl left Gray's in

a 1953 Buick Riviera with a Fort Bragg sergeant named "Johnny."



PATSY RUTH BAKER

Moore said the sergeant was on 30-day leave, but did not know his last name or where he lived. SBI Agent O'Daniel said an effort to find the sergeant and question him about Patsy Ruth will be made.

The family believe she may have met with foul play. Her mother, Mrs. T. B. Baker, said she has never been absent from home before without letting the family know. The family waited until Monday, when Patsy had been missing more than a day, to call in police.

Mrs. Wilson, the striking older sister whose hair is cut in the same kind of boyish bob as the missing girl's, said last evening, "There was never a time when some man got fresh with Patsy that she didn't tell her mother the next morning. We just know she wouldn't have run off."

Fifteen or twenty persons were at the Baker home in Erwin last (Continued On Page Two)

"NO CAUSE FOR ALARM"

Ike In Hospital; Stomach Is Upset

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower suffered an intestinal ailment today and was taken to a hospital by ambulance. His aides said there was "no cause for alarm."

The chief executive was stricken at 2 a. m. with what was first diagnosed as an upset stomach. Late in the morning physicians determined that it was actually an inflammation of the lower intestine.

He was taken to Walter Reed Hospital in an army ambulance at

1:30 p. m., with Mrs. Eisenhower preceding him in a limousine.

The ambulance had arrived at the White House at 12:53 p. m. and stood waiting as Secret Service men and a white-coated attendant paced the sidewalk. White House gardeners continued to mow the (Continued on Page Six)