

Snow mixed with sleet or freezing rains and cold this afternoon and tonight with hazardous driving conditions developing. Wednesday, mostly cloudy and cold.

SNOW FLURRIES SWEEP ACROSS N. C.



INGRID IN CANDID POSES — Ingrid Bergman, celebrated and controversial actress who will return to the United States just long enough to accept an award this weekend, is shown here in



a melancholy mood at the height of her personal problems. At the right she is with her daughter, Robertina.

"I'm No Saint — Just A Human"

Senator Who Condemned Ingrid Has Softened Up

By JACK V. FOX United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK (AP) — Seven years ago Edwin C. Johnson of Colorado took the floor of the United States Senate to demand that Ingrid Bergman never be permitted to set foot on American soil again.

Johnson said he had been enjoying movies for more than 40 years and that Miss Bergman had become his own favorite actress of all time—until she ran off with Roberto Rossellini.

Johnson excoriated Miss Bergman then as "our most popular but pregnant movie queen" and said her "unconventional free-love conduct must be regarded for what it is—an assault upon the institution of marriage."

Whether time has changed other bitter critics of Miss Bergman may be seen this weekend when the actress comes to New York for 34 hours to accept the award of the film critics for her performance in "Anastasia."

She was at the top of the movie pinnacle when she left in March 1949. She had won the Academy Award for her performance in "Gaslight." Her leading men, one after another, had been such stars as Humphrey Bogart, Bing Crosby, Gregory Peck, Cary Grant, Gary Cooper, Charles Boyer, Spencer Tracy.

But she became the object of a great hue and cry in America when it became known she had left her husband, Dr. Peter Lindstrom, and 10-year-old daughter, Pia, for Italian director Rossellini. The criticism reached its peak in February, 1950, when Miss Bergman was in New York.

Council Will Have Varied Agenda Items

J. A. Jackson has had the street layout approved for a projected 190-unit development by the city Planning Board. However, it will still have to face the inspection of the City Council at its meeting on Thursday night.

City Manager A. B. Uzzie, Jr., said that Jackson has laid out 25-foot units. The development will be on an extension of South Elm and is half a mile from the city. The town board has jurisdiction over street layouts within a mile of Dunn's city limits.

Other matters to be taken up at the Council meeting Thursday include the tax collector's report, a request for a change in zoning at Layton and Cumberland across from the Baptist Parsonage, and consideration of the policeman's position in relation to social security.

The council will also have before it a recommendation of the Planning Board that the city try to incorporate suggestions made by Babcock and Associates in the traffic engineering report recently given the city.

This report specifies many steps to be taken that would improve driving conditions and parking both immediately and for the future.

IN HOSPITAL Mr. J. O. West is a patient in Veterans Hospital in Chapel Hill.

Textile Leader Warns About Japanese Threat

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn. (AP) — A textile industry spokesman sounded an alarm over the danger of Japanese imports Monday night at a conference of cotton men from Tennessee, North Georgia and North Alabama.

R. H. Jewell, in a briefing for manufacturers, said Japanese textile imports have increased from 1,500,000 yards in 1952 to 154 million during the first 10 months of 1956.

"The Japanese can buy cotton about 25 per cent cheaper than U.S. mills can buy it and they pay wages that are approximately one-tenth the American wage scale," he said.

This competitive threat affects both the textile and apparel industry throughout the nation, which together employ more than 2 million persons—or one out of every seven manufacturing employees in the nation, it was reported.

On a Series The meeting was one of a series sponsored by the American Cotton Manufacturers Institute

Ike Expected To Call For Record Budget

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Eisenhower is expected to send Congress Wednesday a record peacetime budget calling for total spending of \$72 billion in the fiscal year beginning July 1.

The budget, however, will be a balanced one because revenue in the new fiscal year is expected to exceed spending.

The budget will indicate a surplus of \$700 million for the current year ending June 30 and of \$1.7 billion for the following 12 months. Total spending for this fiscal year was estimated in the last official Treasury estimate last summer at \$69.1 billion, about \$3 billion under the expected new total.

Increased military spending will account for most of the predicted budget increase next year. The forecast for this item is expected to be more than \$38 billion, an increase of about \$2 billion over defense expenditures for the current fiscal year.

With one exception, a \$72 billion budget would push federal spending to the highest level for any year since the close of the Second World War. In the 1953 fiscal year, before the end of the Korean War government spending rose to \$74.3 billion.

Administration spokesmen already have indicated the new budget calls for no tax reductions. And it has been announced that the White House is giving high priority to a bill to extend present excise and corporate tax rates which are scheduled to decrease April 1 under existing law.

AG WORKERS COUNCIL — The monthly meeting of the Harnett County Ag Workers Council will be held Wednesday, Jan. 16 at 3:30 p.m. in the county agriculture building in Lillington. John W. Crawford of Raleigh, program planning specialist for the State Extension Service, will be the guest speaker. The Lillington agricultural teacher, John W. Blackmon is the author of new town-farm economic plan to change farm practices in the Lillington school district in order to supplement farm income expected to suffer losses from the cut in tobacco acreage. Crawford also is expected to speak on community development.

Farmers Called To Tobacco Conference

Latest in a series of vitally important meetings between local farmers and experts who can answer many of their questions will be held tomorrow night at Dunn High School.

Jeff Denny, vocational agriculture teacher at Dunn High, reported that the last similar meeting had a turnout of 120. This was highly encouraging for there has been a widespread effort here to stimulate interest of the farmers. He hopes for an even bigger turnout Wednesday night as the current tobacco situation and the outlook for 1957 comes in for a



ANNIE, EMILY AND VIOLA (TWO OF EACH) — Here are the triplets born at Dunn Hospital this morning, lined up with the nurses that Dr. C. B. Codrington suggested they be named after. Left to right are Annie with Nurse Annie Leola Smith; Emily with Nurse Emily Frances Bunce; and Viola with Nurse Viola May Bryant. Center baby was the smallest — three pounds, three and a half ounces. (Daily Record Photo by Ted Crail.)

Triplets Born At Dunn Hospital

By TED CRAIL Record News Editor

Nearly everybody at Dunn Hospital knew, half an hour after it happened, that triplets were born this morning to Lillie Bell Presley, 22-year-old mother from Dunn, Route 1.

But the mother herself didn't know of the extraordinary birth, and neither did the father.

Mrs. Presley lay unconscious in a bed in the colored ward at Dunn's Betsy Johnson Memorial Hospital. The uproar occasioned by the triplets didn't reach into the quiet of her room. Nor could she hear the pint-sized squalls of her three tiny daughters.

It was a first for nearly everybody, including Dr. C. B. Codrington, who delivered them, and Nurse

Nurse Testifies Against Doctor

EASTBOURNE, England (AP) — The bedside nurse of a wealthy widow who died while under the care of Dr. J. Bodkin Adams testified today the patient once threatened to cut the doctor out of her will.

Nurse Caroline Randall was called as the first prosecution witness as the preliminary hearing on the patient's death went into its second day. The hearing will determine whether the Crown has enough evidence to order the chubby, 57-year-old doctor to stand trial for murder.

In its opening statement Monday the prosecution charged that Dr. Adams murdered Mrs. Edith Alice Morrell five years ago with overdoses of heroin and morphine. It also brought up the names of two other patients who died under questionable circumstances while under Adams' care.

The attorneys said the defendant profited from all three deaths.

Gave Her Heroin Miss Randall said she served as Mrs. Morrell's nurse for 22 months and was at her bedside when she died. She said she gave the patient nightly injections of morphia on orders from the doctor, and later the ordered injections of heroin, which caused the patient to become "very collapsed."

Blames Heroin Asked if she associated Mrs. Morrell's illness is any way to the injections, the nurse said: "I did — to the heroin."

She said when Adams went away on vacation in 1950 without telling Mrs. Morrell, the patient was annoyed. "Did Mrs. Morrell tell you when Dr. Adams was away that she intended to alter her will and cut him out of it — or words to that effect?" defense attorney Geoffrey Lawrence asked in cross-examination.

"Yes. She was annoyed," the nurse replied. However, she said she did not know if Mrs. Morrell actually cut Adams out of her will at that time.

Termed Modern Bluebeard In its long opening statement, the prosecution described the pink faced little man as a modern medical bluebeard whose bedside manner won him all sorts of gifts from his devoted patients — most of them from elderly widows and spinsters.

Among the accusations listed by the prosecution were: "I don't know" was the answer. Daniel took office as governor of Texas at 12 noon today, succeeding Shivers.

Announcement of the appointment came one hour and 47 minutes before Shivers left office. He has served seven years, six months and seven days — longer than any chief executive in the

Roads Reported Very Dangerous In Some Areas

ASHEVILLE (AP) — Snow flurries swept across North Carolina in a huge crescent from the north and west today bringing hazardous highway conditions and plunging temperatures.

Only light snow was expected except in the mountains but the U. S. Weather Bureau warned that sleet and freezing rain mixed with the snow as the front moved eastward.

By afternoon, the flurries were expected to be general over the state.

The snow started Monday night across a northern band of the state as cold air poured in from the north. By dawn, snow had fallen along a crescent extending from Elizabeth City on the northeast coast to south of here on the southwest.

Mountain Roads Slick There was two-tenths of an inch on the ground here and a full half inch on Clingman's Peak at Mount Mitchell. It was snowing hard at dawn in Burke County and the state patrol warned that all roads were slick in Western North Carolina.

Intermittent flurries started about dawn in Charlotte, and High Point reported a light covering on the ground by midmorning. There were traces along the swinging crescent at Greensboro, Winston-Salem and Raleigh.

The weather bureau in Raleigh issued a special weather bulletin saying the snow and sleet "will result in hazardous driving conditions in many areas of the state by late afternoon."

At Greensboro, the bureau said "freezing rain and sleet is expected to coat Piedmont highways by late afternoon."

Bayles Given Prison Term

RALEIGH (AP) — A former guard at Central Prison was sentenced in City Court to 30 months on charges of trafficking with inmates there and stealing from the prison.

Jessie Caswell Bayles, 48, of Cary, Rt. 1, had been employed at the prison for about four years when the charges were brought against him last December. He appealed to Superior Court and bond was set at \$5,000.

Bayles is a former resident of Coats, Route 1 and is well known in Harnett County.

Bayles was sentenced to 30 months on the charge of violating a state law prohibiting the conveying of messages and weapons to prison inmates or trading with convicts.

Cold Kills 16; 50 Below Zero In N. Y.

No relief was in sight today from a frigid cold wave that has gripped most of the nation, causing at least 16 deaths.

While the East continued to shiver through zero and sub-zero weather, a new invasion of Arctic air blew into the Northern Plains, whipping up fresh snow storms.

Temperatures plunged to as low as 50 degrees below zero Monday in upper New York state. At New York City, the mercury dipped to

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Blakely Is Named New Texas Senator

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Gov. Allan Shivers, an "Eisenhower Democrat," today appointed William A. Blakely, a Dallas attorney and newcomer to Texas politics, to succeed Price Daniel (D-Tex) in the U. S. Senate.

Shivers said in his announcement that Blakely will serve "until a successor has been elected and qualified."

Under Texas law, Daniel could call an election immediately. It must be held at a date not sooner than 60 days nor later than 90 days after that time.

"Mr. Blakely will not be a candidate in the special election, Shivers said.

The governor then added: "Under the law, a 10-day interval is allowed after the appointment of an interim senator before a special election must be called. I am not setting the special election at this time, but rather leaving this matter to Gov.-elect Can-

Heslip Won't Appeal Case

Chief Defense Attorney Duncan C. Wilson of Dunn announced today that the defense had dropped its Supreme Court appeal plans in the case of Edsel Heslip, 25, Detroit Negro convicted of second degree murder in Harnett Superior Court Friday in a widely-publicized love triangle slaying.

Judge Malcolm Seawell gave Heslip the maximum penalty of 30 years in prison and said the fact that he was not found guilty of first degree murder was a victory for his attorneys.

Jurors convicted him in the December 1954 shooting of Private Samuel Long, Negro husband of Heslip's 22-year-old mistress. Long was taken for a gangster-

style "last ride" on a lonely road in Harnett and shot to death. His wife, now Mrs. Dorothy Long Jackson, took the stand as the State's principal witness and put the finger on Heslip as the one who actually pulled the trigger.

Put Finger On Him She claimed that Heslip, with whom she had been living, shot her husband after they had come to Fort Bragg to discuss a divorce.

Attorney Wilson said after a conference with two other defense attorneys, Archie Taylor and State Senator Robert Morgan that they had advised Heslip against appeal and he had agreed.

Sheriff Claude R. Moore is expected to transfer the former well-

to-do Detroit Negro to State's prison within the next day or two.

Attorney Wilson said he felt the jurors had been fair and unusually conscientious in trying to arrive at a just verdict.

Judge Seawell, while disagreeing with the verdict and expressing belief that both Heslip and Mrs. Long were guilty of first degree murder, also praised the jurors for the type of close attention which they gave the evidence.

Some of the jurors, questioned after the trial, said they would have returned a verdict of first degree if both had been on trial, but would not send Heslip to his death unless assured the woman would

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ATTENTION Dunn Merchants DON'T FORGET YOUR MEETING Wednesday 10:30 A.M. In The Dunn Theatre YOU'LL MAKE MONEY BY BEING THERE DAVID POPE, Chairman