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Partly cloudy, continued warm and humid this afternoon, tonight and Friday with widely-scattered afternoon and evening thunder showers.

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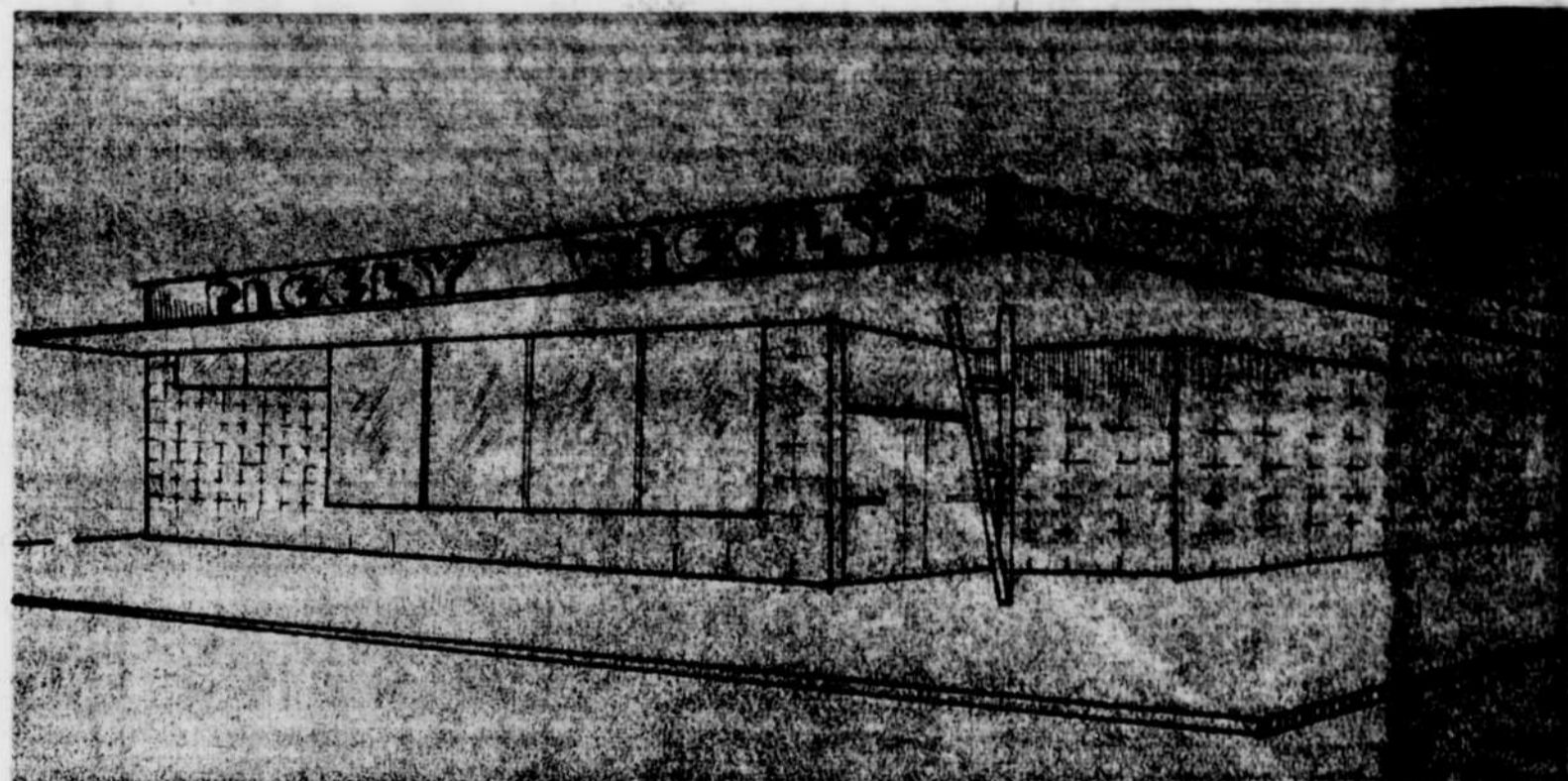
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ILLINOIS TOWN ROCKED BY EXPLOSIONS



DUNN'S NEW PIGGLY WIGGLY STORE — Shown here is an architect's sketch of the beautiful new Piggly Wiggly store now under construction here by Otis Jackson, who now operates Ideal Grocery. Being erected on N. Clinton Ave., opposite the FCX Store.

The modern new Piggly Wiggly will have more than 6,000 square feet of floor space and will be ultra modern in every respect. Opening has been tentatively set for early fall. (Reproduction of architect's sketch by Susan Black.)

Thousands Of Residents Are Evacuated

BELLEVILLE, Ill. (UPI)—Five explosions rocked the near center of this city about noon today, resulting in the evacuations of thousands of persons from their homes in an area two miles long and half a mile wide.

Police said the fifth explosion occurred about one-half hour after the first four.

First reports listed two persons injured, but no deaths.

Authorities said apparently natural gas had leaked into the city's water mains, causing scattered explosions in the area.

Terrified residents poured from their homes, not knowing where or when the next blast would occur.

Police and fire crews worked feverishly to evacuate citizens from their homes and at the same time tried to anticipate where another explosion might occur.

Man Is Facing Assault Charge

A 21-year-old Negro man, Daniel Devone, of route 1, Roseboro, is a prisoner in the Sampson jail on charges of assault as the result of an argument in the Sergeant Brown building a mile west of Roseboro on NC highway 24 at 1 a.m. Sunday.

The man is alleged to have shot a pistol from the night club, operated by Hubbard Bullard at a second Negro man, James Mack, Jr.

The bullet did not strike the intended victim and Devone made his getaway. He was taken into custody Monday afternoon by deputy sheriff J. E. Warren at the home of a Negro woman in Herrington township.

The pistol was recovered at the home of the boy's father, Walker Devone in the Roseboro community.

Devone will be given a preliminary hearing before Magistrate Clarence Hobbs in Roseboro.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua (UPI)—Dr. Milton S. Eisenhower leaves by plane today for Puerto Rico, ending a busy three-day visit to Nicaragua. The brother of President Eisenhower is on a fact-finding tour of the Central American republics.

Sen. Knowland Protests Reds Meeting Terms

WASHINGTON (UPI)—Senate Republican Leader William F. Knowland protested today that a Middle East summit meeting on terms laid down by Soviet Premier Nikita S. Khrushchev would result in "another Munich" for the West.

The Californian particularly objected to Khrushchev's demand that Indian Premier Jawaharlal Nehru participate.

Knowland also suggested that President Eisenhower might consider calling in former presidents Herbert Hoover and Harry S. Truman for advice on the Middle East crisis.

Of Khrushchev's summit terms, Knowland told a news conference: "We cannot idly stand by and let him say who will attend the conference and how it will be" (Continued on Page Two)

These Little Things

By HOOVER ADAMS

A WITTY OFFICIAL, LOVE BABIES AND KING PERCY

Miss Lela Hall, the very clever and attractive young lady who serves as Harnett's welfare superintendent, not only is an efficient administrator who knows her job. She also has a keen and delightful sense of humor.

The other night Miss Hall was addressing Dunn Rotarians and was telling about a six-months survey on illegitimate children which her department has just completed.

"By nature," declared Miss Hall, "it takes a woman nine months to have a baby. And"..... she paused....."I really couldn't say how many babies a man can spawn during the same nine months."

The Harnett welfare department she reported, is now rendering aid to a total of 1400 children.

Of this number, 269 were illegitimately born out of wedlock. They receive an average grant of \$19 per month.

All 269 of these "love" children, as they're sometimes called, are in an even 100 families. That means that each of the mothers has had an average of 2.6 love babies. Fifteen per cent of the total are white, 85 per cent colored.

It's understandable how a girl (Continued On Page Four)

Bride Near Death After Car Wreck

A 17-year-old bride of less than one week is fighting a grim battle for survival in the Betsy Johnson Memorial Hospital at Dunn, following an auto accident which took place in western Sampson county about 6:30 Sunday night, July 20.

Highway Patrolman W. T. Emerson, who investigated the near-fatal accident, said that Mrs. Janice Barber Lee, 17, of Route 2, Newton Grove, while a passenger in a 1948 Plymouth being operated by her husband, James Odell Lee, of the same address, suffered a broken back, a broken left arm and a lung puncture, when the car went out of control on a rural paved road at a location listed as six miles west of Newton Grove. The car swerved off the right shoulder of the road, into a ditch, where it overturned several times.

Lee, who told the patrolman he was driving at approximately 55 mph at the time of the accident, said the car's transmission suddenly locked—sending the old model vehicle off the hard surface. The driver suffered only minor bruises and lacerations. The vehicle was demolished.

Patrolman Emerson said that

DESERTER SENTENCED LONDON (UPI)—A British army private who deserted 10 years ago in Palestine, joined the Israeli army and rose to the rank of captain, was sentenced to 18 months imprisonment Wednesday by a court martial. Pvt. Bernard Wilkes, 28, surrendered to British authorities in Paris.

New Styles Reveal, Flatter Figures

London's Designers Restore The Curves

LONDON (UPI)—London's fashion designers gave women back their feminine forms in 1958 showings.

On the second day of high fashion showings by London's top designers, three more couturiers joined in the decision to reveal and flatter the female form.

Curves re-emerge in varying degrees from the frankly conventional ones of Lachesse, whose waists are where one expects them to be to the youthful silhouette of John Cavanagh, which takes the underbust as its demarcation line.

Worth introduces the "chrysalis"—explained as an enveloping sheath which opens to reveal soft sinuous draperies. As befits a collection in the centenary year of the foundation of the Paris house,

there are strong Second Empire influences.

Overcoats are cut boldly on the lines of the redingote, important collars surmount dropped shoulder lines and are worn with feaster's hats.

Grand ball dresses with back fullness often extending into formal trains are worn over frothing petticoats of scalloped lace. Rhinestone embroidery once again gives ceremonial glitter.

For day, tweeds inevitably predominate in autumn tones of olive green, brown and beige, frequently with small overchecks of black or darker shades, enlivened with brilliant flashes of pure, clear reds.

Ola Ray Still In There Trying

PINE TOWN (UPI)—Pig-breeder Ola Ray Boyd, slapping at "dictatorial action" by the State Democratic party, announced today that he would be a write-in candidate for the U. S. Senate in the General Election.

"Tobacco-land and the people must be represented," said Boyd a perennial candidate for major office in North Carolina.

Boyd criticized Gov. Luther H. Hodges' appointment of Sen. B. Everett Jordan (D-N.C.) to succeed the late Sen. W. Kerr Scott and said that Hodges and Jordan "must and will be shown their place" in Tar Heel politics.

The Democratic executive committee Friday is expected to nominate Jordan as the party's candidate in the General Election in November.

"Due to the dictatorial action of the Democratic party of North Carolina to select and dominate among a few persons who shall be appointed and run the party behind closed doors, I shall be a write-in candidate for the U. S. Senate," said Boyd.

Ditch Being Dug In White House Lawn

By DAYTON MOORE

United Press International WASHINGTON (UPI)—Backstairs at the White House: For tourists who may wonder about the ditch being dug parallel to Pennsylvania Avenue in the White House north lawn; it is for some new telephone and electrical cables for the executive mansion.

White House aides still are shaking their heads in amazement over the Canadians letting a newsman caddy for the President when he played golf on his recent goodwill visit to Ottawa. It is not (Continued on Page Two)

Floods Threaten Kansas, Missouri

By United Press International

Cool, Canadian air swept out of the Rockies and into the plains states today, threatening another heavy dose of rain for flood-plagued Kansas and Missouri.

Forecasters said as much as three inches of rain were expected during the weekend in parts of Kansas and Missouri where floods in the past two weeks have caused an estimated 38 million dollars in damage.

A few isolated severe storms during the night crackled over the northern plains, with Kief, N.D., about 40 miles southeast of Minot, suffering the heaviest damage.

Torrential rain accompanied by hail and high winds damaged homes and crops in the Kief area and flooded basements. The cool air pushed through (Continued on Page Two)



MR. AND MRS. T. BROWN WILLIAMS, JR. With Leading Man And His Lady, It's For Real

Dunn Actor And Bride Prove Smash Hit In Boone Pageant

By LEO DERRICK BOONE — When Page and Taylor Williams walk on the set of "Horn In The West" as man and wife, it's for real.

This handsome young couple was married on June 6 and their work in the historical drama staged nightly during the summer in Boone is having to suffice for a honeymoon.

They arrived in this mountain resort two days after speaking their vows to begin rehearsal for the male and female leads in the show.

Taylor, a native of Dunn and the son of Mrs. M. B. Curtis and the late T. Brown Williams, is cast in the role of Dr. Geoffrey Stuart and Page plays his wife.

Both are June graduates of the University of North Carolina (Continued on Page Six)

Coffee Prices May Go Higher, Higher

WASHINGTON (UPI)—Latin American coffee producing nations, beset by competition from African growers, will decide in the next 10 days on a planned scarcity program that might send U.S. coffee prices skyward.

The Latin Americans are trying to persuade their African competitors to join them in withholding coffee from world markets in a restore sagging prices.

The task will not be easy and may require State Department pressure on the Africans.

Representatives of 14 Latin American countries on July 18 agreed to a draft convention under which, during the next crop year, Brazil would withhold 40 per cent of its produced, Colombia 15 per cent, and the other producing nations 10 per cent.

Agreement Not Binding However, the draft agreement is not binding on the governments concerned. They have Aug. 5 to decide what they will do about it.

Meantime, representatives of Brazil, Colombia, Mexico, El Salvador and Costa Rica will seek to convince African producers to agree to a withhold program.

While the meetings at which the draft agreement was worked out were secret, it is known that some of the other Latin American countries have not been enthusiastic.

Many went along with the draft because: (1) It did not definitely commit their countries; and, (2) they felt they had to go along in consideration of Inter-American solidarity.

If African nations agree to the withholding program there is little doubt that the other Latin nations would also go along. But if agreement is not obtained from the Africans some may decline to go along.

Africans Reluctant The Africans, who have been increasing their production under the umbrella of Brazil pricing schemes and the Mexico City agreement, are naturally reluctant to agree to any cut-back program.

A recent World Bank study commented that failure of the Africans to join an agreement would be a major weakness of the scheme, would be its main beneficiaries, enjoying both high prices and unrestricted volume of sales; and their export expansion would be watched with uneasiness by all members of the stabilization scheme.

State Department influence on the Africans stems from the fact that of the coffee situation seriously deteriorates the United States in an effort to save the economies of its neighbors might be forced evolve an import quota scheme.

Tar Heel Held In Wife's Death

CUTHORRE, England (UPI)—U. S. Air Force authorities here said today they have arrested M-Sgt. Marcus M. Marymont for "suspected implication" in the arsenic poisoning death of his wife.

His 43-year-old wife, Mary Helen, of Hobbsville, N. C., was stricken June 9 and died the same day at the U.S.A.F. base hospital here.

Marymont was charged after two postmortems revealed traces of arsenic.

Pending completion of the investigation, Marymont may face general court martial charges, the Air Force said.

Their three children, 13-year-old twins, Marus M. Jr., and Mary Helen and Harold, 9 left late last month to stay with Marymont's mother, Mrs. Gertrude Harriet Marymont, of North Salinas, Calif.

ATU Agents Busy In Johnston

21 Stills Are Smashed

Federal Alcohol Tax Unit agents, sweeping through Johnston County in a "police action" Wednesday, destroyed 21 liquor stills valued at approximately \$40,000.

ATU agents from Raleigh, Fayetteville and Dunn participated in the raids, which also confiscated 10,900 gallons of beer and a small quantity of liquor. The stills, in size from 50-gallons to 1,200-gallon capacity.

Agents said there were no arrests as the stills were not in operation. "It was just a police action to get rid of the stills," said an officer.

ALGIERS (UPI)—A bomb hurled from a sidewalk cafe exploded in a sidewalk cafe here Wednesday injuring five persons. One of the injured was a 14-year-old boy.