

Weather

Partly cloudy in the west; considerable cloudiness with occasional rain ending in east portion. Rather cool today. Generally fair and quite cool tonight with the risk of scattered frost in west portion.

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JFK SCORES CIVIL RIGHTS VICTORY

House Clears Way For Bill More Moderate

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The House Judiciary Committee handed President Kennedy a major civil rights victory today by clearing the way for approval of a moderate bill in place of one he regarded as too tough to pass Congress.

The committee delayed until its next meeting a formal vote on the compromise bill.

It is designed to remove racial barriers in many private business enterprises serving the public, guarantee Negro voting rights in federal elections and give the government wider power to intercede in civil rights suits brought by individuals.

The committee first rejected the stronger bill by a vote of 19 to 15, and then voted 20 to 14 to substitute the compromise measure worked out by the White House with both Democratic and Republican leaders of the House.

Approved a Formality
Chairman Emanuel Celler, D-N.Y., said the final vote on the new measure would be taken at the next committee meeting. This appeared only a formality. Celler (Continued on Page Six)



"MR. HENRY" HONORED — Henry Slocumb, a veteran of 51 years service with the First Citizens Bank here, received a happy surprise Friday on his 70th birthday when lady employees of the bank presented him a birthday cake topped with "Happy Birthday, Mr. Henry." Mrs. Effie Wright and some of the other girls arranged the party in an upstairs office. Called upstairs "on business" he was showered with congratulations and best wishes. "But we couldn't get him to make a speech," said Mrs. Wright. Gathered around Mr. Slocumb, left to right, Mrs. Anne Hodges, Mrs. Barbara Byrd, Mrs. Doris Norris, Mrs. Jean Skatall, Mrs. Rex Godwin, Mrs. Betty Jean Register, Mrs. Agnes Jackson, Mrs. Maxine Whitman, Miss Jean Plackmon, Mrs. Audrey Ennis, Mrs. Carol Baker and Mrs. Myrtle Hall. (Record photo by Russell Bassford)

Tar Heel Lawyer Who Defended Reds

Gilliland Is Slain; Wife Is Questioned

WARRENTON (UPI) — Controversial Warrenton Attorney James D. Gilliland died of a bullet wound in the neck Monday night and Warren County Sheriff M. H. Hundley said he is holding Gilliland's wife for questioning in the matter.

Gilliland, who created a state wide furor in 1956 when he defended 11 alleged Communists at a congressional hearing in Charlotte, was brought to Memorial Hospital here by his wife, Gilliland died shortly afterwards.

Sheriff Hundley said Mrs. Gilliland, a native German, has had no charges filed against her yet. He said the woman refused to tell him anything about the shooting, however.

Hundley said he found blood stains and a revolver at a cabin owned by Gilliland some six miles from here. The sheriff said he sent Gilliland's body to Memorial Hospital in Chapel Hill where an autopsy was to be performed.

Gilliland first attracted statewide attention during a House Un-American Activities Committee hearing in Charlotte in 1956. Chairman Francis E. Walters, D-Pa., called 11 alleged Communists to testify and Gilliland served as their counsel.

At one point in the hearings he told Walters that the resistance of state officials to racial integration in public schools deserved more investigations than did communism.

Following the hearings Gilliland was ousted from the Warren Lions Club and the Warrenton Country Club. There were unsuccessful attempts to remove him from the local American Legion and as solicitor of Recorder's Court.

Gilliland was disbarred in 1956 on charges of alleged fraud in two divorce cases and alleged duplicity in representing a collections agency managed by his secretary.

In 1960 Gilliland won a \$150,000 settlement but was fined \$250 for contempt of court.

Gilliland became the first white attorney in Warrenton's history to enter practice with a Negro lawyer

when in 1961 he and Theasetus T. Clayton opened a law office. Clayton, a Roxboro native, continues to share the law office with Gilliland although the two dissolved their partnership in 1963.

A native of Warren County, Gilliland was a graduate of Wake Forest College, where he received his law degree.



WHISTLE - BAIT SECRETARY — Sandra O'Neill plays the role of Hedy, the curvaceous office gal of World Wide Wicket Company, Inc., in the Broadway musical "How To Succeed in Business Without Really Trying", coming to the new Raleigh Memorial Auditorium for three performances on November 1 & 2.

State Legion Chief To Speak

Lillington To Fete World War 1 Vets

L. J. Phipps of Chapel Hill, State Commander of the American Legion, will address a Veterans' Day Rally on the courthouse square in Lillington on Monday night, Nov. 11 at 7 p.m., it was announced today by Commander Neill McK. Ross of Lillington Post 28 of the Legion.

Commander Ross said the Legion post is sponsoring the event in cooperation with the Ernest Simmons Post of the VFW at Lillington.

It is planned to honor veterans of World War I and the V.F.W. is cordially inviting all veterans of World War I, their wives and widows of World War I for supper at the V.F.W. Hut at six p.m. on that evening.

STREET DANCE, FREE PRIZES
Tickets are on sale that will entitle the purchaser to participate

in an old fashioned street dance and drawing for some thirty valuable prizes contributed by the va-

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Call Girl Denies Framing Lover

Christine, Father Reunited In Court

LONDON (UPI) — Red-haired call girl Christine Keeler, central figure of Britain's Profumo scandal, today was ordered to stand trial in Old Bailey criminal court on charges of perjury and conspiracy.

Three co-defendants also were ordered to trial on the charges which grew out of allegations they all conspired to "frame" one of Miss Keeler's discarded West Indian lovers into jail.

Plead Innocent
All pleaded innocent after a five-day pre-trial hearing and were allowed freedom on bail.

Bail for the 21-year-old Miss Keeler was set at 3,000 pounds \$8,400 and in lesser amounts for her friend, Paula Hamilton-Marshall, 23, her housekeeper Mrs. Olive Brooker, 56, and Rudolph Fenton, 39, a West Indian chauffeur.

Counsel for Miss Keeler and the two other women said at the end of the hearing that the entire case was based on lies and that evidence by some of the witnesses had been given "apparently with the sole object of wounding my clients, in particular Miss Keeler." (Continued on Page 6)

Over 70 Exhibits; Winners Named

Achievement Night Staged

An array of 70 exhibits and presentation of awards marked annual Harnett 4-H Club Achievement night in Lillington at the Firemen's Hut.

The exhibits demonstrated in many fields the 4-H club methods of "making the best better." All represented approved projects on which records were kept.

Haywood West of the Lillington club and Helen Harrington of the Cokesbury club won the coveted Key Awards that recognize the county's most outstanding club members. They received their awards from Miss Margaret Clark, District 4 - H leader.

Mrs. L. N. Shaw of Anderson Creek received the adult leader's award that took note of her five years service as a volunteer adult club leader.

Alumni awards went to Wayne Faircloth, adult leader of the Ephesus club, and to Mrs. Shaw leader of the Anderson Creek club.

Helen Harrington, LaPayette club, vice president of the Harnett County 4-H council, presided in the absence of president, Phyllis Gardner, also of LaPayette. Oliver Ennis of the Dale club led the club pledge, and Judy Faircloth, Ephesus, the pledge to the flag. Kathy Kinton served as song leader and Miss Harrington also led the devotional.

Talent acts were performed by Teresa McDonald, Ephesus Club who did a Charleston dance, Jill Kinton of Duncan club, a vocalist and Robin Kinton, who gave a musical reading.

Mrs. Ruby L. Parker, home economics agent welcomed the approximately 50 parents and friends present. Ralph Jernigan

Ephesus Club responded. Bill Randall, Lillington pharmacist, who is chairman of the Harnett 4-H le-

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And 18 Months On Roads, Too

Wanted Blame—Got It

A man who claimed ownership of whiskey found on his friend's car during trial in Harnett Recorder's Court ended up with an 18-months active road sentence.

Deputy Sheriff B. E. Sturgill caught Ernest McNeill of Erwin, Route 1 transporting three gallons of whiskey on his 1963 Ford truck on October 7 at the home of Rosa Mangum, where the vehicle was parked.

When the case came up for trial, George McNeill, who was riding with the defendant, took the witness stand and swore the liquor belonged to him. He said he had placed it in the truck and that the defendant didn't know about it.

Judge Robert B. Morgan immediately issued a bench warrant for George, charging him with

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Tobacco Sales To End Here Thurs.

Hardee Reelected To Head Market

Norman Hardee, president of the Dunn Tobacco Board of Trade, announced today that the Dunn Tobacco Market will close for the season after sales on Thursday.

A meeting of the board was held this morning at which time Hardee was re-elected president for next year. Re-elected vice president

was J. M. Smothers and re-elected to the secretary - treasurer's post was John G. Thomas.

Through Monday, the local market sold 10,470,000 pounds of the golden leaf which will make this at least the third largest season in the market's history.

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After Threatening To Pistol - Whip Him

Congressman Slugs Another

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Rep. Ed Foreman, R-Tex., told the House that Rep. Henry Gonzalez, D-Tex., slugged him just outside the House chamber today after first threatening to pistol-whip him.

Foreman said Gonzalez "completely lost his head" in anger over comments Foreman made about Gonzalez' voting record in a speech last weekend at Houston before the Texas Federation of Re-

publican Women. Foreman, amplifying his account for newsmen, said Gonzalez approached him as he sat in the House during a quorum call and said he understood Foreman had called him a Communist.

Foreman said he replied that this was not correct, but that he had discussed Gonzalez' liberal voting record. Gonzalez shot back that if Foreman ever did make such a charge he would pistol-

whip him, Foreman related. Foreman said he replied, "Well, Henry, why don't you get started."

At that he said Gonzalez invited him outside the House chamber.

As they stepped through a door into the speaker's lobby he said Gonzalez swung at him, striking his right shoulder.

Foreman said he was not hurt. (Continued on Page Six)

What They Think!

By Russell Bassford
Record Photographer

Today's Question

What does modern or abstract art mean to you?



Mrs. James W. Phillips
Secretary to City Clerk and
Part Time Artist

"It obviously has a meaning to some but not to me. In most cases it looks as though the results are accidental."



Byron Johnson
Dunn High Student

"To me it means nothing. In most pictures, one finds a reason for their having been painted, but not in the so-called modern art."



Mrs. Hank Curran
Housewife and Teacher

"I'm sure it has a meaning and when I went through the New York Museum of Modern Art, I looked for it or even an excuse but failed to find either."

Kenly Bank Robbed Today

KENLY (UPI) — A slender white man robbed the Lucama - Kenly Branch Bank here today of between \$4,000 and \$5,000.

Cashier Tom Lucas said the bandit entered the bank shortly after 11 a. m., handed one of the bank's two tellers a paper bag and ordered her to fill it. Lucas said the man was armed with a .45 caliber automatic.

The robber forced Lucas and the other teller to lie on the floor.

The stick-up artist was described as being 30-35 years old.

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For District 1 County Commissioner

Tart, Hanna, Byerly Or...??

Names of three prominent Dunn business men today were being mentioned for appointment as Aversaboro's District 1 representative on the county board of commissioners to succeed the late Chairman Lofton A. Tart.

Funeral services for Mr. Tart, chairman of the board for the past 17 years, were held here Tuesday morning.

Harnett Democratic Chairman

Neill McK. Ross of Lillington has indicated that the choice of a successor to Mr. Tart will be left up to the four Aversaboro precincts involved and he is expected to call a meeting of the eight precinct chairmen and vice chairmen within the next few days.

Vice Chairman Alex Cameron will head the board until a successor to Mr. Tart is named, said Chairman Ross, and the board

will then reorganize. Meanwhile, political maneuvering for the post was well underway here today.

SON HEADS LIST

There is strong sentiment for appointing Clarence Lee Tart, widely known lumberman, farmer, and cotton ginmer to fill out the unexpired term of his father. Mr. Tart has not yet said, however. (Continued on Page Six)