

Weather

Rain gradually ending tonight. Scattered thunderstorms in southeast portion of the state. Little change in temperatures. Thursday rain ending along the coast during the forenoon otherwise partial clearing and somewhat warmer most places.

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U. S. PLANS BUILDUP IN VIET NAM

Indicted Mayor Of Buffalo Takes Overdose

BUFFALO, N. Y. (UPI) — Republican Mayor Chester D. Kowal, indicted Tuesday on bribery charges, was found unconscious in his office this morning, apparently the victim of an overdose of pills. Kowal was rushed to Columbus Hospital where he was reported in fair condition. A doctor at the hospital said the 60-year-old mayor had suffered "some sort of collapse," but Police Commissioner William H. Schneider said "there were signs the mayor consumed some pills." Schneider said Kowal was found sprawled on the floor of his office by authorities who were searching for him at the request of Mrs. Kowal. Some white pills were on the floor beside the mayor. His stomach was pumped at the hospital, authorities said. Mrs. Kowal said her husband failed to return home Tuesday night. During the day he was arraigned in Erie County Court after hearing a reading of two grand jury indictments charging six felonies and seven misdemeanors involving conspiracy, perjury and accepting illegal fees in connection with a city garbage disposal scandal.



WHY DO THEY CRY? — The fact that many women cry when they're happy is a mystery that has baffled psychiatrists through the ages. Sanford's Penelope Clark, the new Miss North Carolina, appears to be bawling after announcement of her victory Saturday night at the Miss North Carolina Pageant. The 19-year-old beauty will represent the state in the Miss America pageant at Atlantic City. (Photo by UPI)

Cody Named As Archbishop

VATICAN CITY (UPI) — New Orleans Archbishop John Patrick Cody, an outspoken supporter of racial justice, was named by Pope Paul VI today as the new Archbishop of Chicago. He is almost certain to be elevated to cardinal. The 57-year-old Cody succeeds Albert Cardinal Meyer, who died of cancer on April 9. Chicago is America's largest Catholic archdiocese with 2.34 million Catholics and 3,000 priests and Cody's new post is expected to enhance his position to leadership.

FATHER DIES

Funeral services for B. Hobson Hughes, 67, of Rt. 4, Raleigh, who died Monday were held at 2 p. m. today at the Mt. Vernon Baptist Church at Loris, S. C., with the Rev. Burris Carter officiating. Burial was in Pleasant Grove Cemetery. Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. T. C. Deans of Benson.

RANDELL RESIGNS

RALEIGH — N. F. Ransdell, Chairman of the State Paroles Commission, has submitted his resignation to Gov. Dan Moore, effective July 13.

Variety of Cases Heard

Benson Resident Gets Road Term

Vernon Odell Tanner of Benson was ordered to serve 30 days on the roads Friday by Judge Clarence P. Trader in Benson District Recorder's Court. Judge Trader in imposing sentence held that Tanner had failed to comply with the judgment in a public drunkenness case. Joseph A. Raynor of Benson was bound over to Johnston Superior Court on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill as Judge Trader found probable cause at the preliminary hearing for Raynor. Joe Wesley Jones of Benson, convicted of public drunkenness, drew a six-month road sentence,

Local Homes Using More Electricity—At Lower Costs

Living Standards Up In Dunn

NEW YORK — If the amount of electricity used by a family is an indicator of its standard of living, then living standards are on the rise in Dunn.

The two go hand-in-hand, say the economists. When one goes

up, so does the other. Locally, according to the latest figures, electric consumption per household is at an all-time high.

Details on the amount of current used and on the cost of service are provided in reports

released by the Edison Electric Institute and by the Federal Power Commission.

As to costs, a basis of comparison is offered in the FPC report which presents typical electric

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Adultery Forgiven

CRANHAM, England (UPI) — Seven hundred persons here have signed a petition asking reinstatement of Dr. George M. Watts, who was forbidden to practice because

he committed adultery with his receptionist. He is a wonderful doctor," said Maureen Stear, one of the four

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Two Divorces Are Granted

Boy Receives \$500 For Auto Injuries

Two divorces were granted after hearings in Harnett Court. Douglas Ray Phillips was granted a divorce from Leona Odom Phillips and Virginia C. Martin was given a divorce from W. C.

Martin. Both divorces were granted on grounds of two years separation. In a consent judgment Robert

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Completely Renovated, Enlarged

Rose Funeral Home Plans Open House

The Rose Funeral Home, 301 West Main Street, Benson, announced today that open house will be held Saturday, June 19, and Sunday, June 20, of their completely remodeled building and new addition.

The public has been invited to attend from 3:00 until 5:00 and 7:00 until 9:00 p. m. on Saturday and from 12:00 noon until 4:00 p. m. on Sunday.

Dedication services will be held Sunday at 4 o'clock in the new chapel. Dr. Gaylord Lehman, president of the Benson Ministerial As-

sociation and pastor of the Benson Baptist Church, will be in charge of the services. Music will be rendered by Ralph C. Canaday, Jr., of Four Oaks and Mrs. Garris Yarborough of Benson, and organists, Miss Paula Canaday and Mrs. R. L. Smith. Refreshments will be served. The new addition, completed last month, consists of a chapel that will seat approximately 185 persons and more if necessary. The new chapel includes a minister's room, choir room and family room. Both

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Six Battalions Now Moving Toward Action

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Defense Secretary Robert S. McNamara announced Wednesday that American military strength in South Viet Nam will be built up to between 70,000 and 75,000 men within a "few weeks."

He said that six U. S. battalions with logistic and other support "are now moving."

At a news conference during which he reviewed increasing Viet Cong strength, McNamara said the United States now has 54,000 military men in that country, of whom 13,000 are ground combat organized in nine battalions.

When the six additional battalions arrive, the secretary said, U. S. ground combat strength will be up to 21,000 men.

The American troops, along with air power and increased fire power supplied by the United States will help to offset the unfavorable ratio of manpower that exists between South Vietnamese and Viet Cong forces, McNamara said.

McNaara also announced that at least eight new regular army

McGee Infant Dies Tuesday

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry McGee died Tuesday. Graveside service were conducted at the McGee family cemetery, Rt. 3, Benson, Wednesday at 2 p. m. Surviving besides the parents are the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Lee of Rt. 2, Four Oaks; the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Benton F. McGee of Rt. 3, Benson.

Calls It One of Best Ever

Moore Praises General Assembly



THE FACE OF FEAR — Clutching her child, a Vietnamese woman watches as her husband is carried aboard an evacuation helicopter after Viet Cong guerrillas launched a violent attack on the village of Dong Xoai, 60 miles north of Saigon. While increased fighting spread, the political situation in South Viet Nam remained shaky. (NEA Radio-Telephoto)

RALEIGH (UPI) — Gov. Dan K. Moore today called the 1965 General Assembly "one of the most progressive and outstanding in the legislative history of North Carolina."

Moore also disclosed that the members of a commission to study the speaker ban law will be announced "very soon." And he commended the North Carolina broadcasting industry for coverage of the last governor's election and of his administration.

Moore canceled his visit to Nags Head for the spring convention of the North Carolina Association of Broadcasters, but addressed the group via radio. His speech was piped into the broadcasters meeting at Nags Head and also was carried over a statewide radio hook-up.

Moore ticked off what he called the accomplishments of the General Assembly. He cited "the largest biennial budget — more than \$2.15 billion — in the history of the state."

He said the General Assembly approved his program for education which will reduce classroom sizes, eliminate text book fees, increase teacher salaries, and benefit handicapped children.

Moore outlined the rest of his program approved by the General Assembly, including highway safety, court reform, the agreement between co-operative and private electric companies, and the \$300 million highway bond issue.

"I am pleased the General Assembly has given overwhelming approval for my recommendation that a special commission be appointed to study the controversy arising over the speaker ban law," he said. Moore referred to the law banning Communist speakers from state-supported campuses, and the threat the law has raised to the accreditation of state-supported schools.

He said that he, Lt. Gov. Robert Scott and House Speaker Pat Taylor expected to announce their appointments to the commission "very soon. This commission will then hold public hearings so that everyone can be heard before a fair and impartial group, in a calm

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Leaning 15 Degrees North

Dunn's City Hall Is Falling Apart?

Dunn City Hall may become a forced reality. Officials of the town Saturday were jacking up the roof to prevent its caving in.

Timbers supporting the fire siren had split in half over a 14-foot length of the roof and the roof sagged approximately 14 inches.

Percy Walton, city employee, jacked up the leaning portions supporting the fire alarm tower. Officials said Dunn now had a Leaning Tower of Pisa, 15 degrees north. Water is seeping through the roof and the courtroom leaks on wet days.

Dunn sold the building to Belk stores a few months ago in anticipation of building a new city hall. Architect's plans and contracting bids ran to \$390,000 for new

city hall, approximately \$100,000 more than city estimates and plans and bids were rejected.

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Gives GOP 1-4 of Delegation

Watson Is Elected By A Landslide

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Speaker John W. McCormack Wednesday administered the oath of office for the second time this year to Rep. Albert Watson, newly-elected as a Republican House member from South Carolina.

Rep. Howard W. Callaway, R-Ga., in a brief speech, called Watson "a great legislator and a great American."

Watson took the first oath Jan. 4 as a Democrat. After House Democrats voted to strip him of committee seniority for supporting Re-

publican Presidential candidate Barry Goldwater, Watson resigned from the party and from Congress. He won re-election as a Republican in a special election Tuesday.

Watson's admission to the House GOP ranks brought Republican strength to 141. The Democrats have 294 members.

Watson, 42-year-old Columbia lawyer, is the first Republican elected to Congress from South Carolina since 1883.

He won by a landslide of more

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"For Many, Many Months" Ahead

Economy Bright

NEW YORK (UPI) — The chairman of President Johnson's Council of Economic Advisers said today that business was good and the current expansion was likely to continue "many, many months into the future."

Gardner Ackley's statement was an answer to Federal Reserve Board Chairman William McChesney Martin Jr., who recently warned of "disquieting similarities" between present conditions and the Roaring Twenties

that preceded the Great Depression.

Referring directly to Martin's comparison, Ackley listed a dozen built-in stabilizers and fiscal weapons ranging from unemployment insurance to tax cuts that since the Depression have greatly enhanced the government's ability to "manage prosperity."

While admitting "prosperity has many pitfalls," he struck hard at a key point of Martin's

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ROSE FUNERAL HOME AND ITS NEW ADDITION