Plan X-Ray Survey Here In War On Tuberculosis

An industrial X-ray survey for determining beginning stages of tuberculosis among persons in the county is being planned for the last of May by the Vance County Health Department in cooperation with the State Board of Health, Dr. A. D. Gregg, health officer, announced today.

Dr. T. E. Vestal, director of the division of tuberculosis, Dr. Morrison, U. S. army, and Dr. William F. Richardson, director of the division of county health work, of the State Board of Health, visited the local health department, and together with Dr. Gregg called [illegible] and discussed plants this week.

The X-ray chest examination will be made free to all persons eighteen years of age and over and is primarily for the finding of beginning tuberculosis. Other chest diseases such as silicosis, cancer and enlargement of the heart can also be detected.

It is hoped that with the aid of the local tuberculosis association, the X-ray outfit can be set up in a convenient place in the city in order that all persons who so desire can have the examination free, Dr. Gregg stated.

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Returns To Baltimore.

[illegible], U. S. Navy, has returned to his ship in Baltimore, Md., after spending his leave at home here.

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BY LYNN NISBET,
Daily Dispatch Bureau

Washington, May 10—As the small town man who visited New York for the first time said about it as compared with his home town, "Washington is much like Raleigh only there's so much more of it." There is the same eagerness on part of officials and clerical workers to find out what is going on back in the state so they will be able to guess right on election results and other matters vitally affecting them.

GAME—A day or two on the expedited city demonstrates that the great American game is not Baseball or poker, but is looking for somebody one knows, and seeking place to eat and sleep. In that respect the lobby of the Mayflower is similar to the Sir Walter on a busy week-end.

CAMPAIGNING—About half the North Carolina congressmen are on their home districts prosecuting campaigns for re-election. Hoey's home is not only in the First District but he has with him his wife, secretary, Henry Oglesby, and another Hoey secretary, Jack Spain of Greenville.

SECRETARY — Other secrets in the [illegible] Capitol regard the [illegible] Pettitt, formerly with the [illegible] Committee on Un-American Activities, upon her promotion to the position of secretary to Congressman Sam Ervin, Jr., of the Tenth district.

BIRTH—It is rumored here that Miss Jane Pratt, correspondent for [illegible] in the Eighth District, will resume her status as secretary to [illegible] upon the opening short term next January, but will have a real job with one of the big daily [illegible]. Miss Pratt has been secretary to Eighth District congressmen since the early twenties. She resigned in the district after the convention and is not expected in her office much until after her election on May 25.

IMPROVING—Reports that Senator Bailey had returned to his Raleigh home are not true. The Senator is at the home recuperating from a recent severe illness. He is able to handle some letters and his physician has told him he can get out for a few hours this week.

GOVERNOR—Your reporter came in Washington Wolf [illegible] from Cherry who is here for [illegible] purpose of [illegible] the state [illegible] security service and from the [illegible] government and to attend a few sessions of President Truman's traffic safety conference.

SAFETY—Official representatives of the state, at the conference on safety vehicles commissioner Hadley Ward and Major H. J. Bledsoe of the Highway Patrol, both got into a prominent part in the discussions and have limited up some information which they [illegible] could not believe the difference would result in more uniform state laws affecting speed and traffic rules.

"Maximum speed of 50 miles for passenger vehicles and 40 miles for trucks is being discussed as a possible solution of some of the problems. Periodic driver license inspection is also favored. Ward has clamored for the latter regulation a long time. Delegates were greatly impressed with President Truman's address at the first session of the conference. The President elected to read it from manuscript and [illegible] warmed up, threw his papers away and threw the book at the crowd." As one delegate expressed it.

IMPORTANT—Importance of the conference is proven by the [illegible] of twenty-two governors and official representatives from every state. Among the governors, who took a [illegible] in the [illegible] of big shot around Washington is Jim Tom Coke, executive [illegible] of Texas. Coke is sharing the governor's [illegible] with Governor Cherry of North Carolina and is treated just like another hotel guest with Governor Cherry [illegible] to enjoy strolling [illegible] stuff a little.

How's Your I. Q.?

Can you answer seven of these quiz questions? Then to Page Four for the correct answers.

1. Export licenses for nylon hosiery are to be issued [illegible]
2. [illegible]
3. Name the delegation recently accorded to Joseph E. Davies and to John G. Winant by Secretary of State Byrnes.
4. Archbishop Damaskinos last month resigned as regent of which European country
5. Color in diamonds is due to small amounts of impurity in the carbon; true or false?
6. The Navy expects to complete its demobilization plan on August 1, September 1, or October 1, 1946?
7. Name the dean of Harvard Law School who was recently appointed chairman of the Civil Aeronautics Board, and who will take over his duties June 8.
8. In a test of several hundred servicemen and ex-servicemen, the servicemen were taller and heavier than the college students; true or false?
9. What is the salary and term of office for members of the Federal Reserve Board of Governors?
10. Approximately [illegible] persons, [illegible] per 25, are employed [illegible] by the Federal Wages and Hour Law?

Chided by Truman

REAR ADMIRAL A. S. Merrill, 8th Naval District commandant, has been upbraided by President Truman for his public criticism of the pending Army-Navy unification plan. All active officers have been enjoined by the President from further discussion of the program unless called upon by a Congressional committee. (*International*)

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