

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY

FRONT Commissioner to revoke the license of persons involved in accidents was could not prove financial responsibility or post security to meet possible damage claims.

Veterans Bonus Subject to a vote of the people, bonuses would be paid veterans of World Wars I and II in installments from the levy of additional taxes on alcoholic beverages under provisions of HB 678. By a 1-3 increase in alcoholic beverages taxes, funds would be raised to pay \$500 to the veteran who served only in the U. S. and \$750 to the one who served overseas; the next of kin of a veteran who died or was killed in service would receive \$1,000.

Streets and Highways Senate concurrence in House amendments to the Powell state-aid to city streets bill has completed floor action on that controversial measure; attention has now turned to such other proposals as HB 535 concerning the operation of toll roads, reported favorably in the House, and SB 316 authorizing establishment of turnpike authorities, re-referred to a judiciary committee after receiving Senate Roads committee approval. The bill to reduce truck speeds on open highways, once reported favorably, has also been returned to committee. Senator Allbrook has introduced 2 new truck-weight bills, these establishing maximum allow-

able axle weights. SB 113 reducing overall truck load limits is still being considered by the Senate Roads committee.

Stream Pollution Unlike its 1948 predecessor, the 1951 stream sanitation measure (HB 53) setting up a 7-man commission with authority to supervise disposal of discharges for order treatment of the public passed the House on Tuesday. The committee substitute bill met objections to broad commission powers by spelling out administrative procedure and faced only spotty opposition on the floor.

Freedom of the Press Appearing to oppose a bill they termed an infringement of the constitutionally guaranteed freedom of the press and to support another as furthering that principle, the N. C. press was heard by two House committees on Thursday. Most of the controversy centered around HB 525 designed to make it unlawful to publish the name of any female victim of rape or assault with intent to commit rape. Judiciary 2 voted unanimously to



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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25, beginning at 8:30 A.M.
15th through the 27th Degrees

THURSDAY, APRIL 26, beginning at 9:30 A.M.
28th through the 32nd Degrees

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Chas. B. Newcomb, Secretary-Registrar (1951)



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at the theatres

report the bill unfavorably. Before Judiciary 1, the press representatives succeeded in getting HB 77, which would require that most court records be kept open for public inspection and which was previously reported unfavorably, set for further committee action on next Tuesday. A bill increasing the power of judges to exclude bystanders from the court room during testimony of children and females in cases involving sex crimes was killed by a Senate committee this week after it had already gained House approval.

Port Authorities Bills were introduced this week to permit Southport and Brunswick County to develop and operate port facilities in Southport and to reactivate the Tar River Port Commission in Pitt County. The State Ports Authority, currently developing ports at Wilmington and Morehead City, through its director has indicated opposition to the Southport Commission on the ground that a local commission should not take precedence over the State Authority even in a local area.

Matters of Interest to Local Officials Quadrennial reassessment of real property has become a misnomer. Following the pattern of each legislature since 1939, HB 670, introduced this week, would allow the county commissioners to continue to postpone revaluations. Under HB 669 beginning in 1952, all counties without special acts to the contrary would elect 3 commissioners to serve 4-year staggered terms. HB 634 attacks the confusion surrounding the letting of public contracts, providing, among other things, that the present advertisement and bid requirements need not be observed if the estimated cost of a project is less than \$5000. The General Assembly has now received 3 bills to authorize construction of off-street parking facilities; SB 243 and SB 253 were joined this week by SB 365 which would provide for setting up municipal parking authorities capable of building the facilities and issuing revenue bonds for their financing without pledging municipal credit, the facilities erected to become municipal property when the indebtedness is liquidated.

DUPLIN COUNTY SB 358 — Introduced by Johnson, Mar. 15 — "To regulate the speed of certain motor vehicles while operating over streets of the town of Warsaw." -- Makes it a misdemeanor punishable by a \$25 fine to operate a tractor-trailer vehicle over any Warsaw street at a speed in excess of 25 miles per hour or to follow another similar vehicle within 150 feet except when passing in accordance with traffic laws. Makes it a misdemeanor with similar punishment to operate on Warsaw streets any other vehicle having an overall length of more than 21 feet or with a gross weight of 18,000 pounds or more at a speed in excess of 25 MPH or to follow another similar vehicle within 150 feet except when lawfully passing -- To Public Roads.

HB 708 — Introduced by Carr, Mar. 16 — "To regulate the speed of certain motor vehicles while operating over the streets of the town of Wallace." -- Makes it a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of up to \$25 to drive tractor-trailer vehicles or trucks with a length of more than 21 ft. or with a weight of over 18,000 lbs on a Wallace street at more than 25 MPH or to follow another such vehicle by less than 150 feet unless lawfully passing such vehicle -- To Roads.

Who Done It

WEEK OF MARCH 23
Sun. & Mon.

With ABBOTT & COSTELLO, Short and Sweet

Tue. & Wed.

Breaking Point

Starring JOHN GARFIELD and PATRICIA NEWMAN, Cartoons

Thurs. & Fri.

God Is My Co-Pilot

Starring DENNIS HOGAN and RAYMOND MERRY, Short and Cartoons

Saturday only

Bombardier

Starring RANDOLPH SCOTT and PAT O'BRIEN, Cartoons and Serial

Pearsall's Chapel

INTENDED FOR LAST WEEK

The Pre-Easter Week of Prayer at Pearsall's Chapel will be conducted by the following leaders:

Monday, Rev. L. R. Sharpe; Tuesday, Rev. Lloyd Venon; Wednesday, Rev. K. D. Brown; Thursday, Rev. A. D. Wood; Friday, Mr. Herbert Phillips.

Services will begin each evening at 7:30. The public is cordially invited to worship with us.

Woman's Auxiliary

The Women's Auxiliary met at the church March 1. The program "Working with Him through enlargement with His way may be known upon Earth" was led by Mrs. O. R. Blizard. A very interesting playlet, "Go Ye" was presented as a special feature by two auxiliary members, Madeline O.R. Blizard and Henry M. Blizard.

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WEEK OF MARCH 25th

Sunday and Monday:

LOUISA

With RONALD REAGAN and RUTH HUSSEY.

Tuesday and Wednesday:

WHITE TOWER

With GLENN FORD and BALL.

Thursday:

BACK TO BATAAN

Starring JOHN WAYNE.

Friday:

DANGEROUS PROFESSION

With GEORGE O'BRIEN.

Saturday:

BARRICADE

With DAVE CLARK and RUTH ROMAN.

CPL. A. L. HARDISON GETS PROMOTION

Wurzberg, Germany, Feb. 12 — Cpl. Leonard A. Hardison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hardison of Teachey, has been promoted to his present rank at Wurzberg Military Post, where he is assigned to the 10th Field Hospital as a ward corpsman.

DUPLIN THEATRE
WARSAW, N. C.

SUN. - MON. Mar. 25-26

I'd Clim bThe Highest Mountain
(TECHNICOLOR)

With Susan Hayward and William Lundigan. Cartoons

TUESDAY, Mar. 27

Right Cross

With June Allyson and Dick Powell.

WEDNESDAY, Mar. 28

The Blazing Sun

With Gene Autry.

THURS. - FRI. Mar. 29-30

Storm Warning

With Ginger Rogers and Ronald Reagan. Cartoons

SATURDAY, Mar. 31

DOUBLE FEATURE

King Of The Bullwhip

With Loni LaLoe.

MOTOR PARK Drive In Theatre

PINK HILL, N. C.

"Where The Whole Family Goes" SHOWS AT 7 & 9 P. M. "Always The Best - All Ways"

SUNDAY, Mar. 25th

For Your Easter Enjoyment — Gay Wonderful Musical —

Sensations

Starring Eleanor Powell, and Dennis O'Keefe.

WOODY HERMAN and his band CAB CALLOWAY and orchestra Also "Our Gang" Comedy

MON. - TUES. Mar. 26-27

Big Western Thrills —

Rio Grande

Starring John Wayne and Maureen O'Hara.

Also Cartoons

WEDNESDAY only Mar. 28

Diamonds And Crime

With June Havoc.

Also "Bruce Gentry" Serial

THURS. - FRI. Mar. 29-30

America Guerrilla In The Philippines

(IN TECHNICOLOR)

Starring Tyrone Power and Micheline Prell.

Also Color Cartoons

SATURDAY only Mar. 31

DOUBLE FEATURE

I'll Reach For A Star

With Adrian Booth and Phil Reagan.

ALSO

Girl From Lorenzo

With The Cisco Kid.

"Get The Motor Park Habit"

Danca Theatre

WALLACE BEST IN MUSIC

Friday March 23

THE DALTONS

Starring TOM REAL and FAMELA BLAKE.

Saturday, March 24

Double Feature

SPOILERS OF THE PLAINS

Starring ROY ROGERS and TRIGGER. A K F

ROOKIE FIREMAN

With BILL WILLIAMS. Fine Serial

OWE SHOW:

BELLE LE GRAND

With VERA EALSTON and JOHN CARMEL. Fine Serial

Sunday, March 25

THE FULLER BRUSH GIRL

With LUCILLE BALL and HODGE KENNEDY.

Monday and Tuesday, March 26-27

THE TOMAHAWK

Technicolor

With VAN HOFFEN and YVONNE DECARIE.

Wednesday, March 28

Double Feature

THE MISSOURIANS

Starring HENRY HALL. A K F

PYGMY ISLAND

With JOSEPH WENDELLER. Fine Serial

Thursday and Friday, Mar. 29-30

The MAGNIFICENT YANKEE

Starring LOUIS CALHOUN and ANN HARRING.

CAPITAL THEATRE

THURSDAY and FRIDAY, MARCH 23 - 25

The Breakthrough

Starring David Brian and John Agar.

SATURDAY, MARCH 24th

Singing Guns

Starring Vaughn Monroe.

SUNDAY and MONDAY, MARCH 25 - 26

Let's Dance

Featuring Fred Astaire and Betty Hutton.

SUNDAY SHOWS: 2:00 - 4:00 - 6:00 P. M.

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27 - 28

Saddle Tramp

Starring Joel McCrea and Wanda Hendrix.

THURSDAY and FRIDAY, MARCH 29 - 30

The Jackpot

Starring James Stewart and Loretta Young.