

Warsaw Church, Socials

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Personals

Mrs. and Mrs. Guy Shue of Staunton, Va. were week end guests of Mrs. Shue's father, J. A. Grady, and his wife, Mrs. Harry Grady.

Mrs. Ben Marland and Mrs. R. J. Paulin and daughter of Concord visited friends here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Potter and children, Joyce, Mary Lou, Bobo, spent the week end at Topseal Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Carlton and son of Clinton visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sheffield Saturday afternoon.

Misses Jane and Marina Blackmore spent last week with Dr. and Mrs. James Blackmore of Springs Hops.

Mrs. W. Brown of Greenville visited her brothers, H. E. and Cortez Blackmore, last week.

Mrs. T. H. Ramsey of Burgaw is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Allen Porter, and family.

Mrs. George Bennett, Miss Sadie Bennett and Miss Fannie Wilson spent Saturday in Wilmington.



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Tomlinson's News Notes

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H-Bomb Tests Completed

The United States has fired a final hydrogen explosion in the 1954 test series at the mid Pacific proving ground, announced a joint Atomic Energy Commission and Defense Department last week.

The announcement said the series had been completed and "the tests were successful in the development of thermonuclear weapons."

"Thermonuclear" is the scientist's term indicating a hydrogen explosion.

Announcement of the end of the series which drew foreign protests because radioactive particles show-

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Saleed and children of Greenville spent Sunday with Mrs. Saleed's mother, Mrs. Lillian Quinn of Chapel Hill was home for the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hule.

Mrs. Park Pridgen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Grady at Kenansville.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hunter and son Tim, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vance Clodfelter at Winston-Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Surratt, Sr. visited relatives in Asheboro, High Point and Greensboro during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shelton of Winston-Salem spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gresham.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Whittle and daughter, Mrs. J. C. Brock and Mrs. J. C. Miller visited Misses Bessie and Neale Miller at Kinston Sunday.

Mrs. Bob Wheless and daughter, Susan, of Franklin, Va. spent several days recently with Mrs. R. E. L. Wheless, who has returned from Sampson Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rackley and Wayne were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Kelly of Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Wilder of Kinston spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. David Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sangston and daughter, Nancy, of New Jersey spent the week end at Carolina Beach with the Powell Sisters.

Household Hint

Make shelves of work centers, closets or other storage areas more attractive by bright paints, colorful shelf edgings or by lining them with wallpaper.

ered well outside the tests area, come on the same day that a five power conference opened in London, aimed at ending the arms race and outlawing nuclear weapon warfare.

Atoms Measure Power

Atomic radiation is being used to measure the power potential of oil and gasoline. A new instrument developed by Dr. Robert B. Jacobs and Dr. Lloyd G. Lewis engineers for a major oil company determines the percentage of hydrogen by a process that utilizes the absorption of beta rays.

The meter does in five minutes what previously took four hours. Used mainly in the petroleum industries, it also can be used to control the processing of pharmaceutical, chemical, plastics, foods and in hydrogenation processes.

To use the meter, a tiny container is filled with a sample of the hydrocarbon to be tested. It then is subjected to radiation in the meter and the amount of radiation the sample absorbs is measured.

Labor Party Gains

Britain's Labor party surged forward last week with a net gain of 512 seats in returns from borough council elections in England and Wales, according to press releases.

The Conservatives suffered a sharp setback showing a net loss of 388.

Chiang Kai shek Re elected

Nationalist China's President, Chiang Kai shek, was re elected recently by a vote of 1,507 to 48.

The election was held by the Nationalist China Assembly in Formosa.

Now sixty seven years of age, the soldier statesman was reelected for a six year term.

The World's Population

The world's population is now growing at an unprecedented rate and may pass the four billion mark in another half century, according to a United Press summary of figures compiled by the population Reference Bureau.

The bureau estimates that there are now 2,500,000,000 human beings in the world, and at the present rate of population growth of more than one percent a year the number is increasing by about 70,000 persons a day.

The earth's population, the report says, climbed slowly until about 1650. Then began the discoveries of new means of prolonging life.

Medical research and the development of vaccines and bacteria control steadily improved health and food, and population increased from an estimated 500,000,000, to about five times that today.

Many heavily populated places such as China, India, and Africa, have only recently begun to feel the benefits of modern medicine, and the bureau believes the growth of population will accelerate in the next few decades.

U. S. Population Increases

The Census Bureau estimates that the population of the United States on April 1st was 161,331,000. This represents an increase over April 1st last year of 1.7 percent, and over April, 1950, of 8.7 percent.

U. S. Foreign Aid

United States Foreign aid was at a new record high last year of \$6,250,000,000, enabling the countries that were helped to pay their trade debts and build up their gold and dollar reserves by \$2,500,000,000.

These figures were made public by the United States Department of Commerce, which also said that foreign reserves outside the Iron Curtain reached an all time high of twenty three billion dollars in readily available gold and United States and Canadian dollars at the end of 1953.

In spite of these increased reserves, the department said it is still uncertain to what extent other countries are approaching the point where they could get along without United States aid.

Allies getting direct military help in the form of equipment made in this country received \$4, 300, 000, 000 worth of such equipment in 1953. Additionally, friendly countries received about two billion dollars' worth of nonmilitary governmental aid. That made a direct aid total of \$6, 300, 000, 000. The highest previous total was six billion in 1949.

In addition, American forces abroad spent, for everything from air bases to drinks in cabarets, some \$2, 300, 000, 000, and brought \$300, 000, 000, worth of military goods made aboard and given to allied armed forces.

Earthquake in Seattle

An earthquake shock Seattle, Washington, last week. The temblor was felt in all sections of the city, and as far south as Olympia, some 65 miles away.

Reportedly it was the strongest

WNCT News Notes

Greenville - As of Friday, May 21st, 100 feet of the 800-foot transmitting tower for WNCT-TV, Channel 9, Greenville, was standing. At the point, the original goal of six weeks was extended one week because of unavoidable delays.

Delay has been experienced in connections for the guy wires. The one-inch steel cable that is used to guy the tower is connected to the anchors by a special zinc socket, installed by The Southern Elevator Company of Greensboro. The cable is spread within this socket and melted zinc is poured into the joints to make a seal.

Anchor

Nine anchors will be used in attaching 18 guy wires at six levels from three different angles. The anchors consist of a block of concrete 10 by 10 by 10 feet, sunk 15 feet into the ground with a bracket rising for the connection.

Shrine Activities

In cooperation with the Shrine Ceremonial being held in Greenville this week, WNCT will telecast the opening of the event Monday afternoon from 1:00 to 1:30. Tuesday the Potentate will be telecast from 12:15 to 12:30 and the same day the Shrine Chanters will appear from 10:00 to 10:30 a.m.

New Shows

Sunday, May 30th, "Earn Your Vacation" will be viewed from CBS and continue in the WNCT schedule. Garry Moore's "I've Got A Secret" will start June 4th and "Strike it Rich" with Bert Parks will begin June 22.

Words of the Wise

People don't ask for facts in making up their minds. They would rather have one good, soul-satisfying emotion than a dozen facts.

—(Robert Keith Leavitt)

quake felt in Seattle since the big quake of 1949. The quake set the second floor of the Times Building pulsating as though the heavy presses downstairs were rolling out newspapers at top speed.

Charles Geer, of the Associated Press staff, said the temblor was so strong it knocked him out of bed.

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We, the undersigned Seniors of the 1954 graduating class do hereby state to the citizens of Duplin County that we have not received a graduating present from Grady Mercer, candidate for Judge, or from anyone in his behalf, we as Seniors do not approve of any candidate trying to involve the 1954 graduating class of Duplin County Schools in a political campaign for personal gain.

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Kester Fulton
Harmon Pierce
Christine Shelar
Guy Cavenaugh
Barbara Turner
Fred Smith
Eleanor Gordon Batchelor
Hilbert Williams
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Millie Burch
Sally Newton
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Louis A. Tyndall
Peggy Jo Rhodes
Macy Kennedy
Wendell Coombs

Janet Kennedy
Raddie Faye Quinn
Betty Faye Thigpen
Kay Quinn
Janice Bostic
James Robert Grady
Arlene Batchelor
Marie Futrel
Lorraine Thigpen
Carolyn Ellison
Almina Brown
Lenda Thigpen
Norma Simpson
Jimmy Norris
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Thomas Lanier
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Frances Kennedy
Jeannette Ezell
Graciela Whaley
Jerry Thigpen
Jimmie Lanier
Edward Thigpen

I mailed Grady Mercer an invitation to my graduation at Chinquapin High School and he mailed me a graduating present. I have since learned that I was the only one out of the four-hundred Seniors of Duplin County that mailed him a graduating invitation and the only one out of the four-hundred that received a present. I appreciate this gift from Mr. Mercer very much.

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