

Letters to the Editor



REPUBLICANS FOR BONDS

To the Editor:

No responsible citizen can afford to neglect his vote when North Carolina faces such obvious overdue needs as classrooms and housing at state correctional schools, higher educational expansions, improvements at community colleges and mental institutions, local health units, and hospital construction, etc. With a Triple A credit rating for the state, we can confidently vote for progress knowing our debt ranking is one of the lowest in the country in relation to per capita income.

The State Republican Executive Committee has actively endorsed at least half of the bonds listed. Piedmont Republicans found merit in eight out of the 10. The Orange County chairman favors all 10.

We therefore urge fellow citizens to exercise their franchise intelligently. Ex-President Eisenhower exhorts us to be "progressive and responsible." We cannot afford to be otherwise.—See you at the polls.

Signed,

Holland L. Robb, County Republican Chairman
(Republican Precinct Chairman):

- J. Thayer Lloyd, C. H. No. One
- Luanna E. Crane, C. H. No. Two
- Esther K. Herrin, C. H. No. Three
- W. G. Fields Jr., C. H. No. Four
- Barbara H. Unger, C. H. No. Five
- Shelton Sparrow, Carrboro
- Elvin E. Scheer, White Cross.
- James W. Botsford, Cameron Park
- Curtis Brown, Efland

LEGION TO SPONSOR 'ABOLITION' FILM

To the Editor:

American Legion Post No. Six of Chapel Hill is sponsoring the showing of "Communism On The Map" and "Operation Abolition" on Monday at 8 p. m. in Memorial Hall. Students and the general public are invited, admission free.

"Communism On The Map" is a film-strip, tape recorded, placed into distribution May 15, 1960. Subsequent events such as student riots in South Korea, Japan, Turkey, Latin American, upheavals in the Belgian Congo, Laos and the alarming progress of the disease of muscular Castrophy on the body of Cuba all fall within the pattern of world conquest by Communism exposed through the film-strip.

Operation Abolition needs no better advertisement than the following joint statement by seven ministers who sat through the San Francisco hearings of the House Un-American Activities Committee, May 12-14, 1960; (Dr. G. Archer Weniger, Oakland; Rev. George Moore, Wal-

nut Creek; Rev. Don Watson, Oakland; Dr. Roy H. Austin, San Francisco; Dean Wm. G. Bellshaw, San Francisco Baptist Seminary; President H. O. Van Gilder, DD, Western Baptist Bible College, El Cerrito; and Dr. Arno Q. Weniger, San Francisco).

"The frightening drama of the Communist inspired student riots of May 12-14, 1960 has been captured in a startling film authorized by the House Un-American Activities Committee entitled 'Operation Abolition.' The film is a 40-minute documentary taken by news cameramen both inside and outside the City Hall. Local Communists are identified as they incite the crowds to wild disorder and violence, in which several policemen were hospitalized.

Communist charges of police brutality are ridiculous. One could not be an eyewitness to this tragedy without a fear of those few who are dedicated to this party of treason and yet so successfully staged this dress rehearsal for revolution in our own

area. This film is one of the most effective counterblows for liberty imaginable. These communists, together with their fellow travelers, dupes, suckers, unwitting tools, and a few regrettable allies in the ministry, little realized that they would be making a permanent record which would expose their treasonable activity.

"Inasmuch as the communist conspiracy has launched a massive attempt to discredit this film, we ministers who were eye witnesses to this horrifying development locally, wish to certify that this film is a true and accurate representation of the activities of the hearings. The Commentary is truthful. The film is not 'doctored'. The sound track is not distorted. The leftwing charge that this film is a forgery is a manifest lie. While the original films were probably five hours in length, most was repetition of the obstructionist tactics of the subpoenaed witnesses. Nothing was eliminated which would show the rioters in any better light. In fact, we were amazed that the Committee would allow witnesses Wm. Mandell and Douglass Wachter to freely express their vicious propaganda attack upon the Congressmen..."

In the American Mercury, July 1961 pp 122-124 is an article written by a man from Sandusky, Ohio. The following quotes are from that article in the Mercury Forum:

"I am Latvian by birth and was in Latvia when the Communists took that country over. When I watched the film 'Operation Abolition' I could not help but feel I was back there seeing those things happening all over again..."

"In Latvia, before the year 1939, less than three per cent of the people were Communists or their sympathizers. In 1939 when Russia decided to subdue Latvia, Estonia and Lithuania all hell broke loose. At a given signal there were riots everywhere; policemen were stoned, spit upon, beaten and disarmed by crowds who were led by few but trained Communists..."

"Many people in the U. S. have the mistaken idea that Communism is just another political party and the Communists should be given freedom to express themselves in a truly democratic country. But in a democracy we don't permit anybody to teach crime or sell and use dope or teach and promote vice and protect it under law..."

"I know how Communism works and saw it again in the film 'Operation Abolition.'"

PETER ZENKL, Ex-Vice Premier of Czechoslovakia and Lord Mayor of Prague, now the chairman Executive Council of Free Czechoslovakia, said in "This Week" Magazine, Oct. 29, 1961:

"My native country was lost to the Communists in 1948 without civil war. I bear partial responsibility for I was there and, as Vice Premier and Member of Parliament, in a position of some authority... While democratic Czechoslovakia's defeat was composed of many factors, one important element facilitating the Communist march to power was wishful thinking. We believe that communists would be transformed into partners in a parliamentary sense. The contrary happened."

There will be no debate or forum with this showing. That phase was amply covered when Socialist Mike Harrington and Conservative Fulton Lewis III debated for two and one-half hours in Carroll Hall on Oct. 23.

Henry E. Royall, Chairman Americanism Committee American Legion Post No. 6 Chapel Hill, N. C.

Deaths

DEATH

DOUGLAS HARDING

Funeral services for Douglas (Doug) Harding, 47, of Carrboro, manager of the Carolina Grill in Chapel Hill for the past two years, who died at Memorial Hospital Friday morning, were held Sunday afternoon at the Carrboro Baptist Church. Interment was in Woodlawn Memorial Park in Durham.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Ruby Miller Harding; a daughter, Sandra C. of the home; two sons; Orin B. of the home and James D. Harding of Ft. Story, Va.; a sister, Mrs. Rubin Smith; two half sisters; Mrs. Lewis Carver and Miss Frances Ellis, both of Durham; and his stepfather, Hugh E. Ellis of Durham.

SUPPER

A brunswick stew and barbecue supper complete with home made cakes and pies and cold drinks will be served buffet style by the Pleasant Green Methodist Church Saturday in the Community Center. Supper will begin at 5:30 o'clock and tickets which will be sold at the door are: adults \$1.50 and children 75c.

MRS. LESSIE DAVIS RILEY

Funeral services for Mrs. Les- sie Davis Riley, 60, of Hillsboro, who died at her home Monday morning, were held Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the West Hillsboro Baptist Church. Burial was in the Tabernacle Baptist Church Cemetery.

The widow of the late Joseph T. Riley, she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. George Dodson of Route Three, Hillsboro and Mrs. Frank Miller of Hillsboro; two sons, Elmer and Curtis Riley, both of Hillsboro; one sister, Mrs. Ethel Taylor of Thomasville; and three grandchildren.

World community day services set Friday

A service commemorating World Community Day will be held tomorrow (Nov. 3) at 11 a. m. in Chapel Hill's University Baptist Church.

The Rev. Thomas R. Thrasher, pastor of the Episcopal Chapel of the Cross, will be the speaker. The observance is sponsored by the United Church Women of Chapel Hill. The public is invited to attend.

AMERICAN FIDELITY & CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANY RICHMOND, VIRGINIA

Condition December 31, 1960, as Shown by Statement Filed:
ASSETS

Bonds	\$16,333,508.06
Stocks	11,837,890.09
Mortgage loans on real estate	2,472,975.84
Real Estate	1,249,565.97
Cash and bank deposits	1,068,391.94
Agents' balances or uncollected premiums, net	980,770.95
Funds held by or deposited with ceding reinsurers	4,881,773.67
Reinsurance recoverable on loss payments	55,362.96
Interest, dividends and real estate income due and accrued	158,489.58
All other assets as detailed in statement	\$ 93,031.31
Total admitted Assets:	\$39,131,760.37

LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS

Losses unpaid	\$18,447,392.58
Loss adjustment expenses unpaid	1,716,035.00
Contingent commissions and other similar charges	4,000.00
Other expenses (excluding taxes, licenses and fees)	37,000.00
Taxes, licenses and fees (excluding Federal income taxes)	168,000.00
Federal income taxes	200,000.00
Unearned premiums	5,554,714.93
Funds held by company under reinsurance treaties	116,528.27
Amounts withheld or retained by company for account of others	15,519.48
Less funds held or retained by company for account of such unauthorized companies	167,139.70
All other Liabilities, as detailed in statement	4,959,350.89
Total liabilities	\$31,385,680.85
Capital paid up	\$2,025,000.00
Unassigned funds (surplus)	5,721,079.52
Surplus as regards policyholders	7,746,079.52
Total	\$39,131,760.37

BUSINESS IN NORTH CAROLINA DURING 1960

Line of Business	Net Premiums	Net Losses Incurred
Inland Marine	\$ 25,473.80	\$ 8,098.76
Workmen's compensation	17,200.49	9,940.32
Liability other than auto (B. I.)	178.62	
Auto liability (B. I.)	126,899.35	84,570.68
Auto liability (P. D.)	42,323.05	7,393.00
Liability other than auto (P. D.)	298.39	
Total	\$212,373.70	\$ 90,122.12

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Attorney for service: Chas. F. Gold, Commissioner of Insurance Raleigh, N. C.

NORTH CAROLINA INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

Raleigh, March 27, 1961

I, Chas. F. Gold, Commissioner of Insurance, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the American Fidelity & Casualty Insurance Company, of Richmond, Va., filed with this Department, showing the condition of said Company on the 31st day of December, 1960.

Witness my hand and official seal, the day and date above written.
(Seal)

CHARLES F. GOLD
Commissioner of Insurance

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