

# Health Officer Issues Appeal

Raleigh—Dr. Carl V. Reynolds, State Health Officer for North Carolina, has issued the following statement, to which he has requested that wide publicity be given:

"In view of the extended business and official holiday leave which this year will be observed in connection with the Fourth of July, and because of hundreds of inquiries I have received from North Carolina and throughout the country, I feel it my official duty at this time to urge our people to refrain from planning themselves to go or to carry their children into sections where there is an unusual incidence of infantile paralysis.

"The purpose of this appeal is not to ask the people to shun any one section in preference to another, but to avoid unnecessary exposure by not going into a section where there is a known prevalence of infantile paralysis. "I am sure that upon careful reflection anyone will realize that there are many resorts free from suspicion of infantile paralysis and that such resorts will be selected in preference to those that may be questionable from the standpoint of presence of this disease.

"In other words, why sell your birthright for a mess of pottage? At the same time, I am convinced that those who live in areas where the incidence of infantile paralysis is above normal are doing uninfected sections an injustice to go into them: and is hoped that, during this season, persons from such areas will not, in order to shun danger at home,

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come to North Carolina resorts. Let it be remembered also that there are some who, although they do not develop infantile paralysis in its active stage, serve as carriers—as in the case of typhoid fever and diphtheria—and that these may communicate the disease in its virulent form to others; to those, perhaps, who may become incapacitated for life, as the result."

"This is an appeal for the self-preservation of our people who are urged to stop, look and listen!"

## CCC Enrollment To Take 1,357 In July

Twenty CCC camps and three enrollment centers at Raleigh, Wilmington and Asheville will accept 1,357 enrollees between July 5 and 8 in North Carolina's regular third quarter enrollment, T. L. Grier, State CCC selection supervisor, said yesterday. The 1,357 requisitioned for July represents approximately half the number called for in April when many replacements were made because of the number who had completed their final enlistment. The policy of accepting the applicants at camps nearest their homes saved \$45,000 in January and April enrollments this year, Grier said, the actual cost for each youth accepted in April amounting to 39 cents as against an expense of \$3.43 for each man enrolled last October.

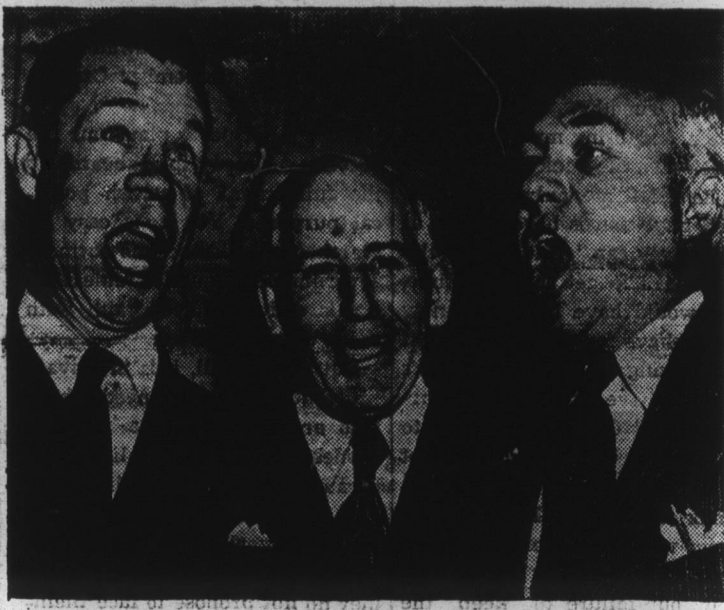
The United States Department of Labor now has no connection with the Corps, Grier stated, since the President's reorganization plan shifted the organization to the new security group. W. Frank Persons, national selection director, moved from the Labor department to the office of the director and is now special assistant to Robert Feldner, Corps director, Grier said.

Asheville will take 83 boys, Wilmington, 64, and Raleigh will enroll 177, while the number of enrollees to be accepted at each of the twenty acceptance camps is as follows: Manteo 46, Elizabethtown 59, Washington 155, Franklinton 89, Lexington 53, Madison 70, Albermarle 91, Salisbury 44, Gastonia 61, Newton 35, Morganton 10, Marion 46, Danbury 13, Mt. Airy 29, Smoke-mont 92, Laurel Springs 41, Mortimer 14, Ravensford 16, Brevard 31, Hot Springs 17.

## TUBERCULOSIS DEATHS DECREASE

New York City—Modern medical care has reduced the number of deaths in the U. S. from tuberculosis by 6,000 per year, according to the National Tuberculosis Association. It still leads as the most fatal of all diseases between the ages of 15 and 45, but is declining in all sections.

## All-American Game Gets Spotlight



Joe E. Brown, left, film and radio star, after urging members of the house immigration and naturalization committee to act favorably on a proposal to admit 20,000 German refugee children to the U. S., found time to join in a trio presentation of "Fly Baseball, the All-American Game," a song written by Rep. Louis G. Rabaut, right, of Michigan. Representative Robert La Follette, center, is the sponsor of the bill. Other members of the trio in the background are Charles Kramer of California.

## 'Butler' Enters Society At Last

Arthur Treacher, the dean of screen butlers, does an about-face and joins the British aristocracy for a change in "Bridal Suite," current attraction at the Palace theatre tomorrow and Tuesday.

Treacher appears as Lord Helder who becomes involved with Robert Young when the two accidentally exchange clothes in a London Turkish bath emporium in the opening scenes of the film.

Treacher appeared previously in "The Little Princess" with Shirley Temple. In "Bridal Suite" he joins a cast of comedians which includes Annabella, Walter Connolly, Reginald Owen, Gene Lockhart and Billie Burke.

## Jane Wyman Has New Way To 'Count Ten'

Jane Wyman has taught all her friends and co-workers at the Warner Bros. Studio to watch her for any and all signs of temperament. The instant one appears they simply say, "Whoa, Jane — go out and come in again."

Whereupon Jane smiles sweetly, makes a curtsy, and if she has spoken sharply to anyone, apologizes. The supreme test came one day recently when she skipped rope with Wayne Morris, Ed Brophy and Maxie Rosenblom for a gymnasium scene in "The Kid from Kokomo."

"You crazy galoot stripped me!" she cried to the actors who had been spinning the rope for her.

## Children In Jail Steadily Falling In North Carolina

"Go out and come in again!" called Director Lewis Seiler.

"Sorry, gentlemen," said Jane, gritting her teeth but smiling, "So veddy, veddy clumsy of me."

"The best figures we have available indicate that there were 878 children confined in county jails in 1938, much less than the 1,070 in 1937 and the 1,231 in 1936," W. C. Ezell, director of the division of institutions and corrections of the State welfare department, said this week.

"We believe this trend is a direct result of the effort on the part of welfare superintendents to eliminate the unsocial practice of keeping minors in kindergartens of crime where they come in contact with seasoned professors of law-breaking.

"During April, 1938, there were only 58 children reported in the county jails, which is the smallest number since we have been keeping records. The 1937 total was a reduction of 13 per cent over 1936, while 1938 figures were 26 per cent below 1936 and 17 per cent below 1937. Comparatively few very young children are now confined in jail, the greater number being above 14 years of age."

## PRESIDENT'S APPOINTEE SHELVED

Washington, D. C.—The Senate Judiciary Committee voted 13 to 5 against President Roosevelt's nomination of William S. Boyle as District Attorney of Nevada. Senator McCarren of Nevada denounced the appointment as a personal "slap" at himself because of his opposition to certain New Deal legislation including the "packing" of the U. S. Supreme Court.

## ATLANTIC CLIPPER ON TIME

Lisbon, Portugal — With the scheduled regularity of a railroad train, the Atlantic Clipper, with a "preview" passenger list of 18 newspaper writers and a crew of 12, landed here 23 hours and 50 minutes after leaving Port Washington, Long Island. When settled down to regular trans-Atlantic passenger flights, she will carry forty over-night passengers and a crew of ten, on a schedule permitting travelers to breakfast in New York one day and enjoy an early luncheon in Europe the following day.



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