

Legislature Faces Hard Tasks Before Adjournment

Returning to Raleigh late Wednesday evening after making history with the meeting in Elizabeth City, the Legislature is faced with several important decisions to be made before its adjournment . . . looked for about the middle of March.

One of these problems confronting the body is the all-important redistricting of the State to adhere to law regarding representation. Indications were, from a bill already introduced in the Assembly, that the redistricting will be done in such a way that the First District will retain two senators, but now word comes from Raleigh that a strong movement is afoot to change this set-up and rearrange the senators so that the First District will be represented by only one senator. Under that arrangement the First District will be comprised of only the six counties lying north of the Albemarle Sound and east of the Chowan River.

Much interest is being manifest in the bill presented to the Assembly calling for a State-wide liquor referendum to be held on November 4. The Dry Forces of the State overcame obstacles in getting their bill into the legislative hopper, and since have been lining up their forces to fight for passage of the bill. Hearings were held Thursday afternoon

"ARISE MY LOVE"



Claudette Colbert and Ray Milland in "Arise My Love" at State Theater, Hertford, Monday and Tuesday. Two against the world! The bravest most tender love story since "A Farewell To Arms."

and a large delegation was on hand for them.

While the bill has caused much speculation and talk, the Wets evidently are not greatly alarmed. Reports coming out of Raleigh maintain that the bill will possibly find its way out of the committee room, but that it will be defeated on the floor.

The bill is of particular interest to Perquimans, since the action taken by the Board of Commissioners to

call for an election for an A. B. C. Store in this county hinges on the action in Raleigh.

If the bill passes the Assembly, there will be no need for the local election, but if it fails to pass, the local commissioners are confronted with the task to call for a special election in this county in accordance to a petition presented some time ago.

Seek Negro Players For Local Team

Negro baseball players who wish to play with the Hertford White Sox during the coming season are asked to contact Ernest Daif or George James before March 8.

PEANUT REPORT

Virginia-North Carolina Section Buyers for shellers and cleaner continue their active interest in endeavoring to secure sizable lots of the best farmers' stock peanuts still available. Market levels continue firm to slightly stronger for best stock, but lower grade peanuts are in demand except at relatively low prices.

Prevailing prices for farmers' stock, per lb., delivery point basis, follow:

Virginias, Ju-bos best 3.60-3.5-8c, extra 3.30-3.2c; Dutch, best 3.40-3c, few 3.20c, medium 3.4-3.3-8c; shelling stock, best 3.1-8.3-4c, few 3.3-8c, medium 2.85-3c.

Spanish farmers' stock 35-37c per 30-lb. bushel.

All grades of shelled peanuts are slightly higher and peanuts in the shell are holding firm. There appears to be a spirit of optimism prevailing with regard to the coming trend for prices of shelled peanuts that is reflected in market levels.

The ownership of motor vehicles in the United States increased nearly 1,500,000 in 1940.

BELVIDERE NEWS

Mrs. R. M. White and son, Jay Winslow, of Norfolk, Va., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Winslow.

R. R. White went to Charlotte on Sunday to attend a meeting of Chevrolet dealers and salesmen.

Mrs. R. M. Duncan, Mrs. Grady Doe and Mrs. W. E. Gregory, of Belcross, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Perry Tuesday.

Miss Madge Lane, student at E. C. T. C., Greensboro, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Lane.

Mrs. L. J. Winslow attended a business meeting and luncheon at Camden Woman's Club on Monday. All Demonstration Club agents and County Council presidents of the district were present.

Mrs. R. R. White, who has been at the bedside of her mother, who has been quite ill in General Hospital, Norfolk, Va., returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Perry, of Norfolk, Va., were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Winslow on Sunday.

BALLAHACK NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Will Asbell and children, of Newport News, Va., were guests of Mrs. Josephine Ward Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Mansfield are visiting Mrs. Mansfield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barber, in Moore County. Mr. Barber is very ill.

Mrs. W. W. Copeland spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Goodwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Sawyer and children, of Shawboro; Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Copeland and little daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Goodwin and Mr. and Mrs. Levi Goodwin on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. C. C. Mansfield, Mrs. Samuel Mansfield and children visited Mrs. Josephine Ward Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Moral Byrum and son, Eugene, spent the week-end as guests of Mrs. Byrum's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Byrum, at Tynet.

Mrs. A. J. Mansfield and son, Carlton, of Newport News, Va., spent several days this week with her mother, Mrs. Josephine Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Ford Gregory, of Gregory, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Goodwin and Mr. and Mrs. Levi Goodwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Goodwin visited Mrs. Goodwin's father, Mr. Everton, in Elizabeth City, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Goodwin and children, Ruth and Janice, visited Mrs. W. W. Copeland and Mrs. T. D. Copeland Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Daniels and children, of Newport News, Va., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tony Elliott.

Never Believe 'Em
the said out-dye forever
But he returned next day,
Alas the maiden fooled him—
He found she'd moved away!

Convincing Proof

Jean—Mae is at least twenty-five.
Sally—She never told you, did she?
Jean—Not exactly; but she said a girl shouldn't marry before she's twenty-six.

Traveling Around America



CAMERA - MAD

MANY of the Indians in the Andean villages are camera shy but this woman's over-the-shoulder look registers pure anger! Types like these are seen on almost any of the highways radiating from Quito, skytop capital featured in the popular 24-day fortnightly cruises to Ecuador.

Indian. In all degrees of civilization are found in this little republic. The most civilized, naturally, live in settlements not far from the white man's cities. They are famous for their weavings; and their markets are heaped with piles of rugs, shawls, and ponchos woven by hand in gorgeous colors and artistic designs—articles which "gringos" are eager to buy. Competing with these Indian villages for the attention of travelers are the little towns where natives weave Panama hats. Here, also, the bargain hunter can indulge in his pet pastime. Farther inland in the jungles near the headwaters of the Amazon are the very primitive Jivaros who dress in practically no clothes and who still depend upon poison darts and blow guns to furnish them with meat for their daily fare. Primitive or civilized, however, the Indian villages of Ecuador always are entertaining and carry one far a way from the troubles of current times.

BOB MAR STAFF.

A balky mule has four-wheeled brakes.

A billy goat has bumper.

A firefly has a bright spotlight.

Rabbits are puddle-jumpers.

Camels have balloon-tired feet

And carry spares of what they eat.

But still I think of nothing that beats

50 lbs. aroos with rumble seats.

A wiper says "warcage" as the "la on of two 1.0s." But it sometimes results in confusion.

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SOUTHERN MANOR FAVOR READY-TO-SERVE

FRUIT COGNAC 2 No. 1 cans 25c

SOUTHERN MANOR

PEARS BARTLETT No. 2 1/2 Can 21c

Southern Manor Catsup	11 oz. Bottle	15c
Southern Manor Peaches	2 cans for	33c
Southern Manor Plums	2 cans for	25c
Southern Manor Beets	2 cans for	25c
Southern Manor Peas	Sweet No. 2 can	14c

SOUTHERN MANOR CORN 2 cans for 21c Fancy Crushed—White or Golden Bantam	SOUTHERN MANOR TEA 1/4 lb. Pkg. 15c A Blend of Orange Pekos - Ceylon India
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Look At These Thrifty Values!

FLOUR TRIANGLE PLAIN	12 lb. bag	33c
BUTTER	Triangle 1-lb. Roll	37c
SUGAR IN PAPER BAGS	10 lbs. for	52c

Mother's Salad Dressing	Quart Jar	23c
Educator Codfish Cakes	3 cans for	25c
Fresh Fruit Fig Bars	2 lbs. for	17c

BREAD Triple-Fresh Our Pride	2 large loaves	15c
COFFEE Double-Fresh Golden Blend	2 lbs. for	25c

FLORIDA ORANGES, No. 1 . . . 10 lbs. 31c
GRAPEFRUIT, large and choice 6 for 19c