

SENATORS RECEIVE A LOT OF FUNNY MAIL

Bill Whitley Offers A Few Samples From Senator Kerr Scott's Desk in Washington.

By BILL WHITLEY

Men of letters spend a lot of time pondering the use, sound, arrangement and effect of words. (They probably consider a lot of other things, too.)

Be that as it may, people in public life get many lessons each day in how the written word can be used. Their mail brings all sorts of expressions of needs and desires, wishes and wants.

DANDIES. Last week, Sen. W. Kerr Scott was looking through some of the mail he has received recently, and came up with some dandies.

One letter-writer sounded like a true-blue Democrat. He ended a long letter with the penetrating declaration: "I am a Conservative Democrat and I want to see a progressive Democratic administration."

Another writer had foot trouble. He wrote: "I am complaining about my feet that are flat and badly callused and stay like they are on ice all the time."

GI's. Many of the letters concerned servicemen.

Here are a few sample quotes: "Dear Sir. Here I am in regard to my son hoo is biliding time at Leavenworth which he received from the Army."

"I cannot get heads or tails out of them for replacements, and I am service-connected on my teeth."

"Would you have the Department of Personnel, Department of the Navy, send me an affidavit giving the full particulars about the Medal-of-Honor that was placed in my hand Nov. 3, 1938, along with my Bad Conduct Discharge."

"I have a Bad Conduct Discharge and would like to have you help in exchanging it for unhonorable."

"If this boy could be transferred nearer home, I believe it would help his mother's morals."

And some writers just pass on good tidings:

"I hope you are feeling fine. I am fine, but would be much finer if I had a job."

"I am not a law broker. I am a good Republican. I don't chew tobacco or gamble or drink whiskey."

(Note: There is a nasty rumor out saying the GOP is having trouble recruiting new members.)

Other indicate they have finally wised up:

"My wife needs a check up on her head."

And to top it off, a close obser-

Strange Facts About Polio

Advertisement for the March of Dimes featuring a large illustration of a man and text: '\$13,225.15 FOR ONE POLIO PATIENT FOR ONE YEAR'. Includes statistics and a call to action.

HILARIOUS COMEDY AT CAPE H. HIGH PROMISED

Buxton—"Gone With The Girls", a comedy in three acts will be presented by the Junior class, Friday, Feb. 3, 1956 at 8:00 in the Cape Hatteras High School Auditorium.

Mrs. Capp, an irresponsible, flighty, social climber, decides her father and four children aren't cultured enough to please her so she hires an actress and nurse as companions to change them.

It is a comedy of errors created by the Capp children and Grandpa, played by Charles Lamb. Others in the cast are: Alicia, Mary Burrus; Marge, Brenda Styron; Doris, Mitzi Oden; Eve, Erlene Tandy; Sonny, Alan McAbee; Gregory Thatcher Van Stael, Victor Rollinson; Ora, Beth Newton; Linnie Fair, Minnie Gillikin; Benny Ware, Zelda Austin; Captain O'Malley, Bradley O'Neal.

With this enthusiastic cast and hilarious comedy, it promises an evening of laughter and entertainment for all who attend. Some talented young actors and actresses are being discovered on the "Outer Banks."

WANCHESE PERSONALS

Gage Williams, teacher of the Men's Bible Class at Wanchese Methodist Church filled the pulpit of Burgess Baptist Church near Hertford Sunday night.

Capt. Jesse E. Etheridge was a visitor in Elizabeth City Saturday. Mrs. Andrews Austin of Hatteras was the week end guest of her sister, Mrs. Lillian Daniels.

James Burton Daniels of Norfolk spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kalb Daniels.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Daniels Jr. and children of Elizabeth City, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Voshelle and son of Norfolk were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Daniels.

Mrs. Arnold Daniels and daughter Brenda spent the week end in Arapahoe as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Rawls.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Daniels were in Norfolk. Miss Rowena Midget spent the week end in Newport News as guest of her sister, Mrs. Murray

FRISCO PERSONALS

Ellis Ransom, U.S.A.F., is home after 18 months in Tripoli. Jake Austin, Preston Basnett and Ulysses Rollinson visited in Norfolk recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Romus Bass and son Danny of Florence, S. C. and Patricia Conner of Wilmington are visiting Mrs. Delora Fulcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dobson of Oxford, Md. are visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. H. Austin. Z. H. Whidbee who is employed in Norfolk was home for the week end.

Mrs. D. H. Ransom and son Ellis are visiting in Norfolk. Mr. and Mrs. Julian Austin, Jr. and daughter Brenda are visiting

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Mr. Austin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Austin, Sr. Wilbur Brinson and Sherman Barnette were home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Rice and family spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. John Rollinson. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hooper and children visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Williams Sunday.

Murray L. Farrow visited in Ocracoke recently.

The oolichan, a species of fish allied to the smelt, found on the North Pacific coast, is so fat and oily it can be used as a candle or lamp by merely drawing a wick through it and lighting.

ver put it this way: "It just goes to prove that even United States Senators pull on their pants one leg at a time."

SLADESVILLE PERSONALS

Kenneth Gray was a visitor in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Howerin motored to Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Richards, Marjorie and Annette, and Travis Flowers motored to Greenville Sunday. Mrs. Flowers visited her mother, Mrs. Ludie Midyette.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Green and Thomas of Kinston visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Green Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Drake and Mrs. C. A. Flowers visited Swan Quarter.

Mrs. Jewel Milton of Washington spent Monday night with her mother, Mrs. Sanderson, who returned to Washington with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jennette of Grifton spent the week end with B. C. Jennette.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Richards, Annette and Marjorie, visited Mr. and Mrs. Baldrée Sunday.

Miss Kathryn Credle of Tarboro spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Credle.

Miss Sally Blane Credle of Engelhard visited Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Credle.

Mrs. Leewood Lupton attended the funeral of Rhodes Lupton in Swan Quarter.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fortescue, Jimmy and Ann, spent the week end in New Bern.

Mrs. Kate Richards is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Keith Dunbar.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Howard of Swan Quarter visited Mr. and Mrs. Dan Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Waters of Ponzer were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Griffin Sawyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey Brinn

of Norfolk spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Garrish.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Jones, Earl and Jimmie Jones of Pantego, visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Sawyer and children of Hickory visited here this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Sawyer of Pantego visited Mr. and Mrs. Griffin Sawyer.

Leewood Lupton of Norfolk was home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gray were business visitors in Washington and Plymouth Saturday.

Linden Roper of Newport News spent the week end here.

Kenneth Gray is working in Plymouth this week and is staying at Pantego with his mother, Mrs. Griff Gray.

Mrs. Dallas Williams spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. Fred Smithwick, and Mr. Smithwick.

Visitors to Belhaven during the week included Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jennette, Norma Jean Blake, June Jennette, Victor and B. C. Jennette, Mrs. Joe Drake, Mrs. Leo Sawyer and son, Mrs. Rupert Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Flowers, Mrs. Eugene Credle and daughter Faye.

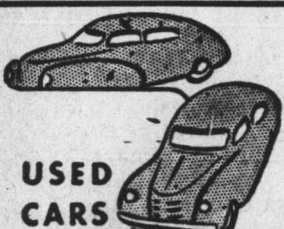
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Drake have moved into their new home.

GULROCK PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. James Pugh of Norfolk and Mrs. Mame Knickerbocker visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knickerbocker of Norfolk were also here. Roscoe Mason of Norfolk was home to visit his wife, Mrs. Minnie Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Pugh, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Payne, Alex Mason, Guthrie Frances and Miss Ione O'Neal visited Engelhard.



USED CARS

Transportation Specials

- 1949 Ford 2-door, R&H, O. D. \$345.00
1948 Buick 2-door Roadmaster \$145.00
1947 Chevrolet 4-door, R&H \$150.00
1946 Ford 2-door \$99.00
1955 Ford Custom, 2-door, R&H O. D.
1954 Chevrolet 4-door, 210-Series, H
1953 Studebaker 4-door H and O.D., clean
1953 Ford Coupe, Fordomatic, R&H
1953 Ford 2-door, R&H, O.D.
1952 Plymouth, H
1952 Dodge 4-door
1952 Chevrolet Hard Top, extra clean
1952 Ford 2-door, H
1952 Willis Six, Station Wagon
1951 Dodge 2-door, H
1951 Oldsmobile 88 Coupe, R&H
1950 Ford 2-door, radio, heater
1950 Pontiac 2-door, Six, R&H
1949 Chrysler 4-door
1949 Mercury 4-door, R&H
1948 Chevrolet 2-door, R&H
1946 Chevrolet Coupe, H
TRUCKS
1954 Dodge 1/2-ton Pickup
1953 Ford F-600 V8, Chassis and cab 172" WB, 2-speed axle
1951 Dodge 1/2-ton Pickup
1951 Ford Six 1/2-ton Pickup
1950 Chevrolet 1-ton panel
1949 Chevrolet 1/2-ton Pickup
1949 Chevrolet 3/4-ton Pickup
Seat Covers at Reduced Prices
Used Parts - 1/2 Off
New 15 inch Wheels for Chevrolet-Dodge-Ford
R. D. SAWYER MOTOR COMPANY
Phone 116 Manteo
Your FORD Dealer

Advertisement titled 'THAT'S A FACT' comparing Turkey and Eagle symbols. Includes text: 'TURKEY VS. EAGLE' and 'STRANGE IMPORT'. Features illustrations of a turkey and an eagle.

Large advertisement for Manteo 46 oil. Includes text: 'MANTEO 46', 'ESSO KEROSENE and ESSO FUEL OIL', 'Quality Products - Automatic Check-List', 'DANIELS OIL COMPANY', 'DUCK - KITTY HAWK - KILL DEVIL HILLS - COLINGTON NAGS HEAD - OREGON INLET - and ROANOKE ISLAND', 'PRINT O METERS - "NO GUESSING"'. Includes an illustration of a woman at a desk.

Large advertisement for Chevrolet Task-Force Trucks for '56. Includes text: 'Here They Are!', 'New Chevrolet Task-Force Trucks for '56!', 'Now there are more reasons than ever why anything less is an old-fashioned truck!', 'An automatic transmission for every series! A super-efficient, short-stroke V8 for every model! Higher powered, higher compression 6's! New, higher capacity! Come in and see all the new things that'll whittle down hauling time and slice your costs!', 'New '56 Chevrolet trucks bring you new power—a short-stroke V8\* for every model, and higher compression 6's that pack a bigger power-punch than ever!', 'And you can haul bigger loads! These new Chevrolet-trucks are rated up to a hefty 19,500-lb. G.V.W.', 'Then there's an automatic transmission for every series—a wider range of Hydra-Matic† models, plus Powermatic†, a new six-speed heavy-duty automatic.', 'Come in and look 'em over!', 'Fast Facts About New '56 Task-Force Trucks', 'A Modern, Short-Stroke V8 for Every Model • More Powerful Valve-in-Head Sixes • An Automatic Drive for Every Series • New Five-Speed Synchro-Mesh Transmission† • High-Level Ventilation • Concealed Safety Steps Tubeless Tires, Standard on All Models Fresh, Functional Work Styling.', 'V8 standard in L.C.F. models, an extra-cost option in all others. †Optional at extra cost in a wide range of models.', 'CHEVROLET', 'Hassell & Creel Motor Co., Inc.', 'YOUR FRIENDLY CHEVROLET DEALER', 'PHONE 87 - MANTEO, N. C.'