



The Passing Parade

By HAROLD S. MAY

In this election year, it appears that we have the most promising group of gubernatorial candidates possible—in fact, some of them will promise anything. When we read of the rash, impossible promises made by some of our would-be governors, we wonder if sound-thinking citizens of Alabama don't become nauseated with the tripe that is being dished out in larger and larger doses. And also, we wonder if some of these candidates for the state's highest office haven't reached the conclusion that our voters are nincompoops and will fall for any kind of hogwash just so long as it is backed up by a hillbilly band. Or else why would these lines of operation be so generally followed? We get sick to the stomach as we write these lines and realize to what depths campaigns for what should be the most honored and dignified office in the state have fallen.

We are told that it costs from \$50,000 to \$250,000 to make a campaign for governor in Alabama. That's a lot of money and a lot of hard work by a lot of interested supporters is necessary if the candidate and his program are to be taken to the voters. It is well that the gubernatorial candidate meet and greet a great portion of the voters, who may learn of his proposals—that is, if said voter can sift through the glowing promises and catch phrases in order to get a clear picture of what the candidate has to offer the state and its people. It is a shame that a gubernatorial race in our state can't be placed on the same plane as that for the presidency, although at times even these lack the high degree of dignity they deserve.

According to a recent release by the American Public Health Association, more farmers were killed on the job last year than "in any other occupational group." Farming, the association states, is the third most dangerous occupation. Now, of course, the health folks were talking about health alone but had they been engaged in farming for the past few years they would have classified farming as the most hazardous of all occupations—that is, from the point of making a living.

We just read about an old timer from up in the East Tennessee hills who always put a dollar and a dime in the church envelope for foreign missions, but never failed to add a note stating: "The dime is for the heathens and the dollar is for the missionaries to get it to them." Many other of our services today would bear evaluation in the same light, as all too often it costs more to get the services to those needing them than the amount they finally receive.

It was in the deep jungle area back of Cape Canaveral, Fla., just after the Navy-launched Vanguard burst in the air, when the terrific explosion brought out of a cave in the far reaches of that area a long-bearded figure with a mustache, wearing a tattered butternut uniform of the Confederacy. When greeted in the highway by a stranger, he cried out: "I don't know what General Lee has in mind doing, but I'm surrendering." ("We don't believe it, either.")

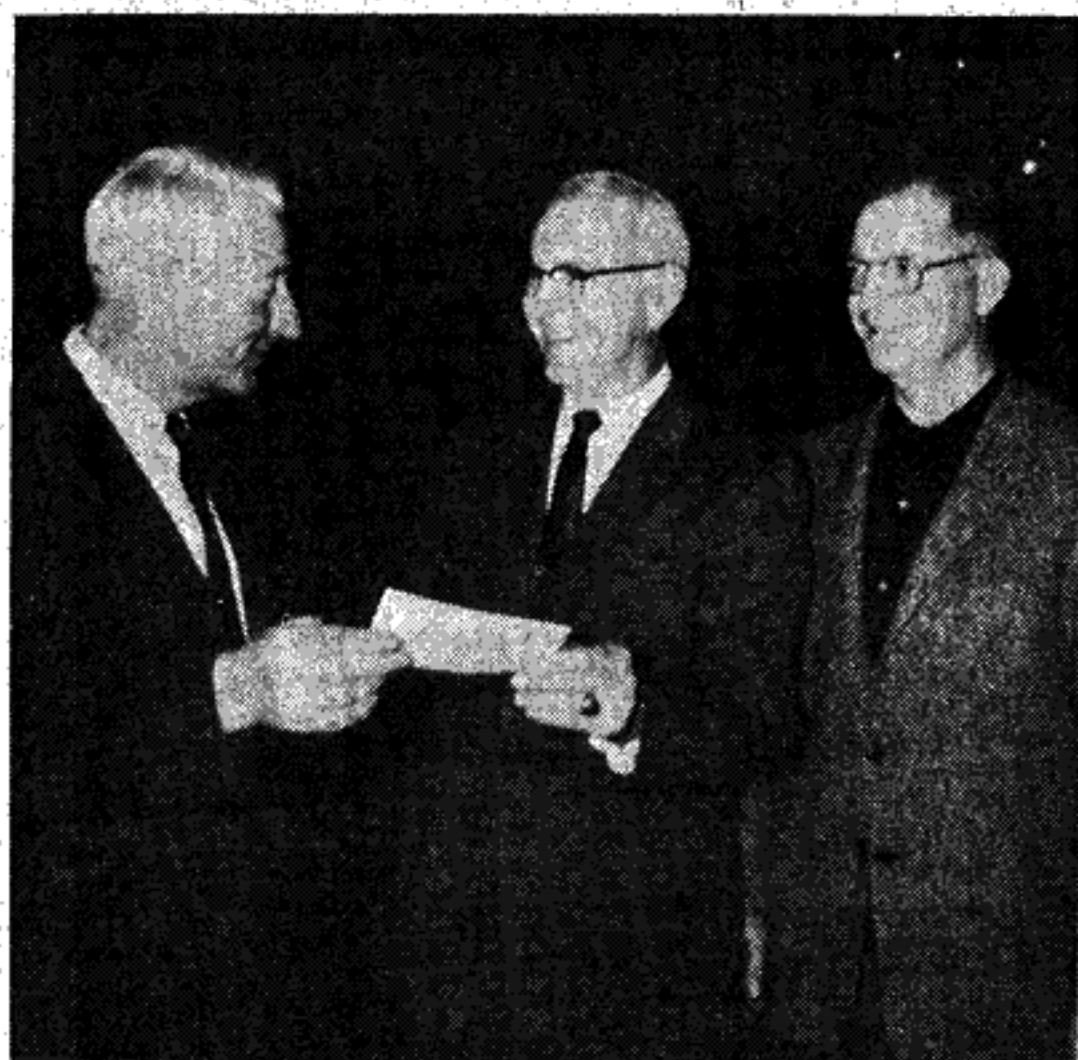
A Russian who had fled from the Soviet Union had managed to reach America with his family. One day, a short time ago, he burst into his home and proudly announced to his wife: "Today, we finally got the right to be American citizens." The wife, pleased beyond words, beamed her happiness. Finally, realizing the change that must now come over her husband, she took off her apron, tied it around him, and gently said: "And now you will wash the dishes." Truly, an American husband had come into his own.

They were discussing the value of small things in every day life and all agreed as to their worth, when an observing gentleman remarked: "Yes, little things do mean a lot—except in a bathing beauty contest."

The patient had one of the worse cases of palsy the doctor had ever seen. But the more the doctor looked at his patient the more he wondered if the trembling hands did not come from some other cause. When informed that he had been troubled with the ailment for the past five years, the doctor asked: "Could it be that you are drinking too much?" "How much is too much?" asked the patient. "Oh, say, a quart a day," replied the doctor. "A quart a day?" exclaimed the patient, "why, Doc, I spill that much."

Five of man's senses—touch, taste, hearing, sight and smell—nature gives him. The other—horse—he must acquire for himself.

The effect TV is having on our youngsters was clearly demonstrated the other night when Ralph Moore, the big TV Cable man, was hearing the prayers of four - and - half - year - old Bubba (Ralph, Jr., if you must get technical) and it ran like this: "Help me to do the things I should and be to others kind and good—like a cigarette should."



CENTRAL GETS ACIC AWARD . . . Walker Brown, left, president of the Central Community Cotton Improvement Association, accepts the \$250 check awarded this district's winner in the 1957 Alabama Cotton Improvement Contest from Fred Moore, of Florence Cotton Mills, representing the contest sponsors, Alabama Textile Manufacturing Association. County Agent L. T. Wagon smiles approvingly at right.

Central Receives Award, Hears Farm Plan Flayed

Frederick Moore Offers 2 Suggestions To Correct Ills of Cotton Industry

Farmers of the Central community, gathered here Friday night to receive recognition as this district's leaders in cotton improvement, heard a textile manufacturer flay federal crop regulations and offer two remedies for the ills affecting the cotton industry.

Frederick Moore, secretary-treasurer of Florence Mills, presented members of the Central Community Cotton Improvement Association a check for \$250—the third time he has made the district award to a Lauderdale County farmer. He declared the acreage allotment and price support program artificially hold the price up while holding production down. This has created a hazardous situation in the cotton industry, he pointed out.

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Foreign mills have a 10 to 1 wage advantage over U. S. mills. Mr. Moore said, and employment in American mills has declined appreciably. Moreover, he pointed out, the Commodity Credit Corporation recently sold 376,315 bales of American middling C cotton to foreign mills at a base price of 28½ cents per pound while the price to the U. S. manufacturers was 34.80 cents.

He urged farmers to write their Congressmen advocating a one-price system for foreign and domestic mills and an immediate increase in acreage allotments so the need for high grade cotton can be supplied.

Brack Haraway In Commission Race

Lifelong Resident of Mt. Bethel Community Asks Support of Voters

Braxton C. (Brack) Haraway, resident of the Mt. Bethel community, Rogersville, route one, today announced his candidacy for member of the Lauderdale County Board of Commissioners, District 1, subject to the action of the voters in the Democratic Primary May 6.

Mr. Haraway has been engaged in farming and livestock dealing throughout his adult life and is well-known throughout the district which he hopes to be able to serve as a commissioner. He attended the county schools and Lauderdale County High school and served as president of the Alabama O.C. Swine Breeders Association, Inc., for four years. Always interested in the betterment of the livestock industry as it serves his community and county, Mr. Haraway has given much of his time in the improvement of farm living and has given continuing support to the Rogersville Community Fair.

A married man with four children, Mr. Haraway said: "If elected, I pledge my best efforts to serving our county and especially District One where I have lived all my life. It shall be my purpose to cooperate fully with the other commissioners and do everything to aid in giving our people the best county government that is possible. I shall make every effort to contact each and every voter in my district before the primary and sincerely solicit the support, vote and influence of everyone."

William L. Almon Asks Reelection

Efficient Solicitor of The Eleventh Judicial Circuit Enters Campaign

William L. (Bill) Almon, efficient Solicitor of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, today announced his candidacy for reelection subject to the Democratic Primary May 6th.

Mr. Almon is personally known to as many citizens of Lauderdale County as any man and counts his friends by the thousands. His efficient handling of the Solicitor's office has received repeated commendation and his record of convictions is among the best in the state.

Active in civic affairs, Mr. Almon has been interested in welfare work among the former ser-vicemen of the county for many years as well as making other contributions to the progress of each community. He is a past commander of Florence-Lauderdale Post No. 11 American Legion, and a member of the Exchange Club. He is also active in church work.

Mr. Almon received his education at Florence State College and the University of Alabama. He served in the army during World War I and began his law practice in Florence shortly after the end of the conflict.

In concluding his formal announcement, Mr. Almon stated that he seeks the continued support of his friends throughout the county during the current campaign and assures each of them, as well as all citizens of the county that if honored with election to this office, he will continue to serve their best interest as it has been his effort in the past. "I want to thank the people of Lauderdale County for their many kindnesses," Mr. Almon said.

Reynolds Metals Sales Last Year Set New Record

Reynolds Metals Company today reported that 1957 sales were the highest in the company's history, with profits second only to those for the year before.

Net sales for 1957 totaled \$446,578,787, an increase of 10 percent over those of 1956, the previous record year.

Richard S. Reynolds, Jr., president, said that consolidated net profit for the company and its wholly owned subsidiaries amounted to \$37,609,712, equal to \$3.28 per share, after dividend requirements on the company's 4-3/4 percent Series A Cumulative Preferred Stock. This compares with profit of \$41,239,902 reported for 1956, equivalent, on the basis of the same number of Common Shares outstanding, to \$3.60 per share.

During 1957, the company sold an additional 914,078 common shares as part of a financing program to construct new facilities, including an aluminum smelting plant at Massena, New York. Net profits are after provision for income taxes of \$35,576,121 in 1957 and \$42,546,452 in 1956.

LAUDERDALE REPORTS 10 CANCER CASES IN JANUARY

A total of 550 cases of cancer was reported in Alabama during January. The State Health Department said today that this is an increase of 110 over the number reported in December.

The Department said that Montgomery and Lowndes were the only counties which did not report cancer in January.

Hospital Expansion Plans Approved; Work To Begin August 1, Take Year

2 New Wings, Renovation To Cost \$1,500,000

Addition of two new wings to Eliza Coffee Memorial Hospital and renovation of existing facilities, at an overall cost of \$1,500,000, is expected to be started by August 1 following final approval of the project Monday.

Members of the Hospital Board, the Lauderdale County Board of Commissioners and the Florence Board of Commissioners, heard from Architect Allen Northington plans to build new wings on the front and rear of the present hospital and extensively remodel that structure to increase bed space from the present rated capacity of 86 to 176. Facilities to be installed will be adequate for a patient-load of 300.

Mr. Northington told those attending the Monday luncheon meeting that his firm would advertise for bids in July and begin construction in August. He estimated the work would require a year for completion.

Of the estimated cost of \$1,500,000, the Hill-Burton Act will provide \$800,000, the State of Alabama will furnish \$600,000 and the city and county will each pay \$320,000. The plans for construction of the two new wings and remodeling of the present building have already been approved by H. Clay Dean, of the State Health Department's division of hospital planning, and the Atlanta office of the U. S. Bureau of Public Health.

Urges Speedy Start

Mr. Northington was urged by Probate Judge Herman K. Longshore to "complete all plans as quickly as possible so construction will not be delayed. We need to get this started to help meet the unemployment situation now facing us."

Mayor E. F. Martin stated that the city is ready with its share of the local funds needed. "We have made all arrangements for financing the city's share," he said.

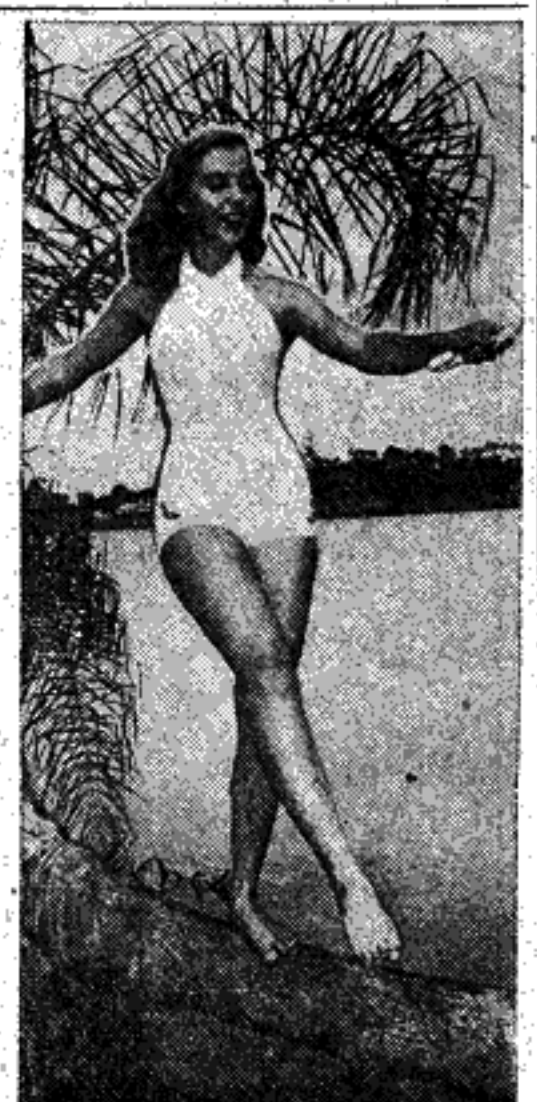
These statements came after Mr. Northington outlined plans to add a wing on the front, or south side, of the present hospital and another wing on the north, or rear, side. A full basement is to be included in the projected south wing but a level below the half-basement in the central portion of the standing building. The first, or main, floor of the proposed south wing would be on a level with the existing central section basement and contain the hospital's administrative section.

The second and third floors of the south wing will contain rooms for patients and an isolation section, while on the roof of the third floor will be an open sun deck for patients. A fourth floor can be added here when needed. An ambulance entrance will be provided in the one-story corridor to connect the south wing and the central part of the present building, while parking areas will be rearranged and enlarged for visitors, physicians and hospital personnel.

'Recovery Room' Planned

In the proposed north wing will be housed the out-patient section, along with the laboratory, x-ray and cobalt services. The first floor of the north wing will contain a large kitchen and dining facilities, with the second floor housing four complete operating rooms and a "recovery" room, where patients will be removed directly from surgery before being placed in their beds. The third floor of the north wing will be given over to the obstetrical and nursery services. Original plans called for remodel-

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OUT ON LIMB . . . Ginger Stolt, balancing precariously, practices ballet steps on limb of palm tree at Florida's Cypress Gardens.



APPROVE, PLAN HOSPITAL EXPANSION . . . This group Monday gave final approval to a \$1,500,000 expansion of Eliza Coffee Memorial Hospital and discussed plans for addition of two new wings and renovation of existing buildings. From left to right, seated, are Grady R. Williams, Alvah E. Hall, Mayor E. F. Martin, Probate Judge H. K. Longshore, Allen Northington, U. O. Redd, Sr., and Dr. D. W. Hollingsworth; standing, R. C. Barnes, A. W. Darby, James Blalock, H. Lelon Thornton, Corbet Smith, Dave W. Ticer, W. A. Barnett and Rufus G. Hibbett.—(Staff Photo.)

North Alabama Bankers To Meet In City Tuesday

Talks By Nashvillian And Humorist Tom Sims Features Of Program

An address by a Nashville banker on the care and supervision of investments and election of new officers will highlight the afternoon session of Groups 1 and 2 of the Alabama Bankers Association when it meets at the Florence Elks Club Tuesday. And an evening session, in a lighter vein, will be held at Coffee High School cafeteria and feature an address by Tom Sims, syndicated columnist and "Sage of Olathe."

Charles P. McMeans, president of the Bank of Lexington and chairman of Groups 1 and 2 of the bankers' organization, will preside over the business meeting that begins at 3:30 p.m. John D. Cox, minister of the Sherrod Avenue Church of Christ, will deliver the invocation, and a welcome to the city will be extended by the bankers by T. M. Rogers, Jr., president of the Florence Chamber of Commerce.

Oscar Dunlap, president of the Leeth National Bank, of Cullman, will make the response to the welcome, after which guests will be introduced and S. Wallace Harper, of Demopolis, president of the ABA, will be recognized.

James C. Ward, vice-president of the Third National Bank, of Nashville, will speak on "Investments, Like Children, Need Care and Supervision," before business of the association is taken up by Howard Morris, ABA secretary. A film of last summer's convention cruise will be shown.

E. F. Walker, vice-president of the Nashville Bankers and Farmers Bank, will give the report of the nominating committee, of which he is chairman. The election of officers will follow.

A social hour at the club is scheduled at five o'clock, with the evening session convening at 6:45 p.m. At the latter meeting Mr. McMeans will preside and the invocation will be given by Charles First National Bank of Florence.

L. Perry, vice-president of the Mr. Sims' talk on "Truth Is Funnier Than Fiction" will conclude the group meeting.

Law And Equity Term Set Monday

Judge Raymond Murphy will hold the regular non-jury session of the Law and Equity Court Monday morning, and due to the circuit court grand jury being organized the same day, the lower court will not convene until 11 a.m. and will be held in the county courtroom.

Only criminal cases are set for Monday and a number of cases are on the docket for settlement and trial. It is important that all persons who are under bond to appear before the Law and Equity Court to be present Monday.

All persons who have previously made arrangements to settle their cases are requested by the court to be present on Monday when the docket is called to find out if they are making proper settlement according to their previous agreement, and to get any further continuances necessary for their cases.

Congress May Propose Tax Cut In Attempt To Boost U. S. Recovery

Administration Blasted For Current Recession; Nearly 5 Million Jobless

Bill Alvis Enters Race For Sheriff

Popular Peace Officer Outlines Policies To Be Followed If Elected

William C. (Bill) Alvis, well-known and popular Lauderdale county peace officer, today announced his entry in the race for Sheriff subject to the action of the voters in the Democratic Primary May 6.

Mr. Alvis has made two previous races for sheriff having been the runner-up in the 1946 race, losing in the run-off by 112 votes, and then, again, in 1954 was nosed out for the runner-up position by a very few votes.

For the past 25 years, Mr. Alvis has been engaged in peace officer work. Prior to his service in World War II he was a member of the Florence city police department. During his war service as a special investigator in the China-Burma-India theatre of operations, he received numerous commendations for his work. After his discharge from the service, he went with the state penal system and advanced through various grades until he became warden of Draper prison until an injury suffered during his war service forced him to enter a VA hospital for treatment. After his recovery and unsuccessful race for sheriff, he took a position as deputy sheriff in the local office.

A member of Florence-Lauderdale Post No. 11, American Legion and V.F.W. Post 5140, Mr. Alvis, has been active in every endeavor for the betterment of his community and the county as a whole.

In discussing his entry in the current campaign, Mr. Alvis said that he felt that his many years of experience as a peace officer as well as his close affiliations with federal, state, county and municipal law enforcement agencies make it possible for him to render a service not generally available in a candidate for the office of Sheriff. He stated that he appreciates the responsibility of the sheriff's office to both the criminal and civil portions of the duties and pledged, if elected, that the serving of civil papers will be done even more promptly than the record he made in this work previously.

Mr. Alvis said that he realizes the need for prompt investigation of all complaints from individuals, schools, churches and organizations and stated that it will be his policy, if elected, to see that each is given immediate attention.

"I shall make every effort to see as many of the voters as humanly possible before the election and sincerely solicit the vote and support of every citizen," Mr. Alvis said.

HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION TO MEET IN DECATUR

There will be a meeting of the North Alabama Historical Association in Decatur on Sunday March 9 it was announced this week in a bulletin sent to members by W. H. Jenkins, President. The meeting will be held at 3 p.m. in the Old Bank Building.

Reed Springer In Bid For Board Post

Former Superintendent Of Education Offers For Place On County Body

Reed Springer, of Lexington, route one, former County Superintendent of Education, today announced his candidacy for membership on the Lauderdale County Board of Education subject to the will of the voters in the Democratic Primary May 6.

Mr. Springer is a graduate of Lauderdale County High school and of Florence State Normal College, now Florence State. He received his B.S. degree from Reabody College, Nashville, and took courses in social science both at the University of Texas and the University of Alabama.

In addition to serving 10 years as superintendent of Lauderdale's schools, Mr. Springer served two years as a city superintendent.

A 35-year member of Florence-Lauderdale Post No. 11, American Legion, Mr. Springer has also held membership in the Elks Lodge, Civitan Club and the Chamber of Commerce of Florence. Recently, he was retired from the Tennessee Valley Authority after 15 years of service.

In speaking of his entry in the current race, Mr. Springer said: "Most all people who have experienced public life for any length of time and returns to private life, feels flat and empty. In order to be happy and contented he needs to be kept busy in the walks of life that holds his interest. According to my early training and experience the majority of the public would realize my interest would be in schools and advancement of schools.

"If the voters of Lauderdale County give me the privilege to serve upon this honorable Board, I will serve them faithfully and honestly to the best of my ability. I will cooperate in every way possible with the County Superintendent, members of the board and the teachers of the county for advancement of schools, both with white and colored."

Ground Broken On New Home State National

Ground was broken this week on the new home of the State National Bank at the corner of Court street and Hermitage Drive, it was announced by vice-president L. C. Johnson.

This fine new structure will cost some \$350,000, it was stated and will incorporate the very latest and most up-to-date features for banking convenience including three drive-in windows and a convenient parking lot at the rear.

From a standpoint of appearance it will add much to the city's business area besides filling a need for modern banking facilities.

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Sen. Capehart (R-Ind.), a member of the Senate Banking Committee, said he believes some government action is necessary to cope with what he predicted will be a further increase in unemployment until a levelling off period in May. He said he would push for action on a bill proposing a two-year extension of the GI housing law under "realistic" interest rates.

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Tax Slice Possible

Senator Mansfield (D-Mont), assistant Democratic leader, said if things don't start looking better in March the Democrats in Congress will "move immediately into the breach" with legislation now being prepared. He did not specifically mention tax cuts but it is known that Democratic leaders in Congress are seriously considering such action.

Theatre Program

SHOALS—Florence
Thurs-Fri., Feb. 27-28
BOMBERS B-52—CinemaScope, Technicolor, starring Natalie Wood, Karl Malden, Efrem Zimbalist, Jr., Marsha Hunt.
Sat., Mar. 1
BOOMTOWN—starring Clark Gable, Spencer Tracy, Claudette Colbert, Hedy Lamarr.
Sun-Mon-Tues., Mar. 2-3-4
THE SAD SACK—starring Jerry Lewis, with David Wayne, Phyllis Kirk, Peter Lorre, Joe Mantell, Gene Evans.
Wed-Thurs., Mar. 5-6
THE DEVIL'S HAIRPIN—VistaVision, Technicolor, with Cornel Wilde, Jean Wallace, Arthur Franz, Mary Astor.

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Thanks For A Fine Job

It's unlikely that very many of us—chilled, uncomfortable and, in some instances, inconvenienced to a considerable degree—found time to express thanks to the public and private employees who worked wearisome hours in the cold weather of last week to maintain and repair the utilities that serve us.

It's a thankless task to get out of a warm bed on a near-zero night to restore service on a power line, a gas or water main, or a telephone circuit that unprecedented weather conditions have interrupted. Neither is there much humor to be found in patching up roads, scraping highways and patrolling traffic in Arctic-like temperatures while more fortunate souls watch TV in well-heated homes.

For our part, we'd just like to say "Thanks" to those fellows who performed their jobs wonderfully well under the most trying circumstances.

Everybody's Business

A lot of people complain these days about the government. That is as it should be as government in a free nation is everybody's business . . . everybody's, that is, who takes an active part in politics.

Those who do not take an active part in politics have no right to criticize or complain about the kind of government they are getting or about the individuals holding office.

Unless you register and vote at election time you are not taking an active part in your government. People get just the kind of government they vote for . . . no more, no less.

There are people with the attitude that politics is dirty. Politics is no dirtier than the people who engage in it. Politics is the science of government and no responsible person can afford not to take part in it.

A man can possess no more valuable right than the right of the ballot. It is the one way in which every man can have a voice in his government. It is a responsibility and a duty that no free man can shirk if he wants to remain free.

It is at the voting booth in a free nation that every man is equal to every other man—where every man's voice is heard, where every man's vote is counted alike, where every man makes his choice as to who shall serve him in public office.

A man who doesn't exercise his right to vote deserves nothing better than the corruption and despotism in government which he will eventually get.

Vote! Vote because it is your priceless heritage. Vote because it is your responsibility to yourself and to your fellowman. Vote because it is your duty to future generations.

And don't vote blindly—vote intelligently! Inform yourself as to the fundamental issues at stake. Make up your own mind as to which candidates are best equipped to meet these issues.

Remember—when you are in the voting booth, no one can tell you how to vote. In America you vote as a free man and not as a slave.

Contemptible Campaign Tactics

The least commendatory feature of the current campaign for governor is the utter irresponsibility of some candidates in making promises to the state's older citizens that are obviously impossible of fulfillment.

First, one candidate "promised" the aged a pension of \$60 monthly, a bid for their vote that didn't stand for as long as it takes butter to melt on a hot stove. This was topped in very short order by another candidate offering them a monthly check of \$75, and with more than two months of the campaign yet remaining, the old folks may be tempted with promises of \$100 a month.

The truth of the matter is that Alabama is far from meeting the pledge made by the present governor to the aged of the state. Governor Folsom held out a \$50-per-month plum, which evidently appealed to the voters of advanced years. But the average old age benefit for the state-at-large paid in January by the Department of Pensions and Security was \$38.34—or \$11.66 less than was promised in the gubernatorial campaign four years ago. Moreover, Commissioner J. S. Snoddy of the Department of Pensions and Security announced on February 13 that the number of persons receiving old age benefits was being reduced, although they numbered 104,350 last month. Add to this the fact that applications for old age assistance come in a steadily undiminished stream to county welfare departments and the implausibility of promises now being made by the candidates is obvious.

For the information of Lauderdale County voters who are in their autumnal years it might be well to point out that, though figures for old age payments in this county are not readily available, assistance of all kinds—that is, old age, the blind, dependent children, foster care and disabled—in January averaged only \$36.83, or \$1.51 less than the state average for aid to old folks.

It is to be hoped that the candidates for governor will discontinue or entirely refrain from making promises that they know cannot be honored, and but serve to delude the aged and falsely raise their hopes.

Negro Lifer Paroled, Rearrested In 2 Days

A prisoner from Lauderdale County who has spent half his 56 years in the penitentiary and was granted a parole Monday, Feb. 17, was re-arrested here on a public drunkenness charge two days later and returned to prison. It was believed to be the shortest parole on record since establishment of the State Board of Pardons and Paroles.

L. B. Stephens, secretary of the parole board, said Robert Anderson, a Negro sentenced to life imprisonment on Oct. 22, 1930, was paroled Feb. 17 on provision that he take a job in St. Louis, Mo., where he has a sister living. Instead of going to St. Louis after release from the Highway Department work camp here, Anderson remained in Florence and was picked up for drunkenness by sheriff's deputies two days later. The sheriff's office notified the parole board, which ordered revocation of Anderson's parole.

Anderson was convicted in Lauderdale circuit court for the shotgun slaying of Henry Brown, a Negro man he believed killed his brother, Ed Anderson, whose body was found in the Tennessee river.

USDA has announced an agreement with the United Kingdom providing for the sale of \$7,950,000 worth of U. S. fruit and vegetable products under Farm Bureau-sponsored export legislation.

In the Week's News

President Gamal Abdel Nasser, Egypt's strong man, became head of the new United Arab Republic Saturday, the union of his country with Syria giving him almost absolute power over 27 million people in the Middle East. Before a cheering crowd of some half-million persons in Cairo's Republic square, Nasser proclaimed the U.A.R. as the protector of all Arabs.

Harry S. Truman speaking at the Sheraton Park Hotel in Washington Saturday night said the present Republican Administration had produced "a recession at home and a crisis of confidence" abroad. Some 3,000 Democratic "bigwigs" from all over the nation paid \$100 each for a dinner honoring the last Democrat to occupy the White House.

The first Junior Miss America will be selected this Saturday night at Mobile from 18 pretty high school seniors coming from as many states. Awards will consist of a \$5,000 scholarship to the winner and runners-up will receive \$3,000, \$1,000 and \$500 scholarships. Selections will be made on the basis of beauty, poise, personality, intellect, talent and appearance.

Indonesian bombers continued their activities over the weekend striking rebel strongholds including a radio station. The attacks were made by U. S. made P-51 fighters and a B-25 bomber. A rebel spokesman said the planes were fired on by 50-caliber machine guns.

Three Army helicopters collided in the air Saturday over Red Bluff, Calif., killing six crew members of the machines. Each copter carried three men and were part of a flight of 19 being flown from Ft. Riley, Kans., to Ft. Lewis, Wash.

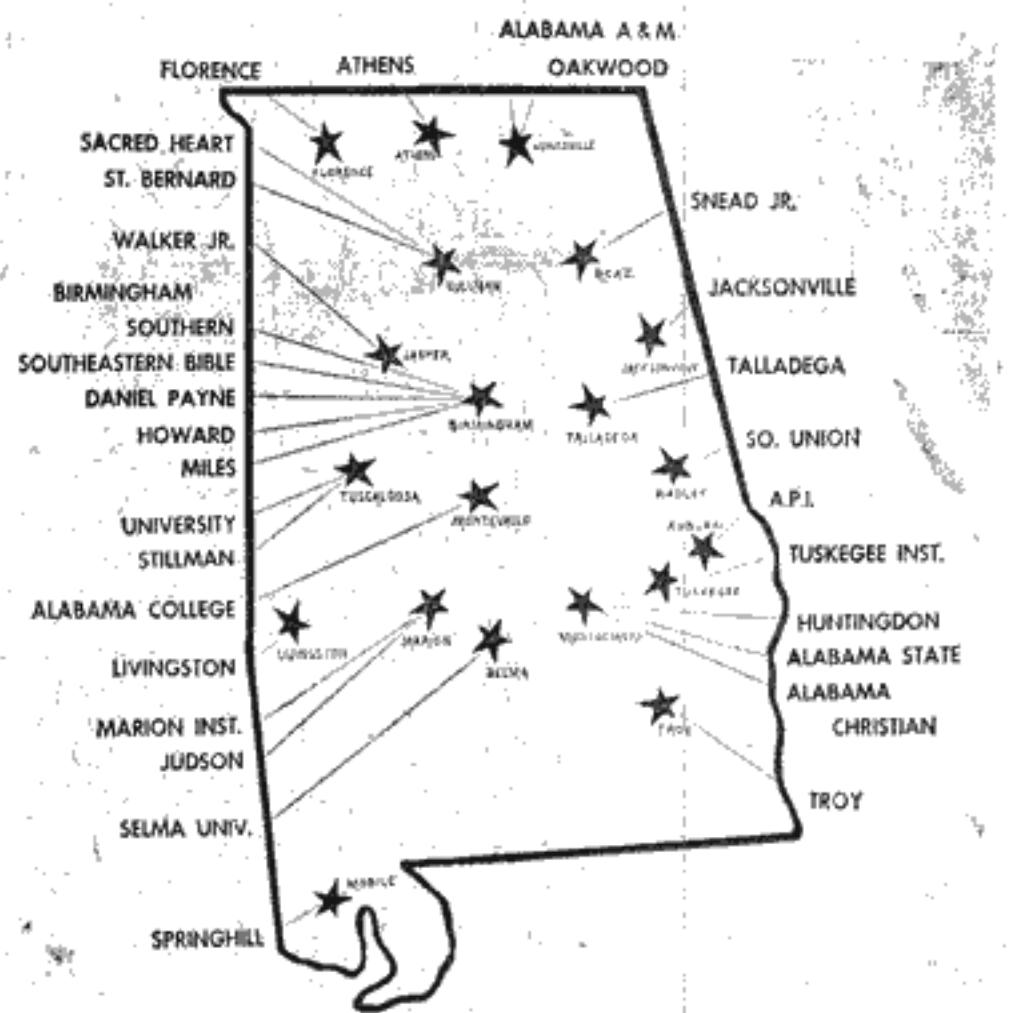
President Eisenhower flew 3,000 miles out of his way returning from a 10-day Georgia vacation to take Mamie to Phoenix, Ariz., for a vacation. The President stopped off for a round of golf in the 75-degree temperature at the Paradise Valley Country Club at Phoenix. He said he planned to return for a four-day weekend in "this wonderful sunshine."

Gaunt, be-spectacled Arturo Frondizi, a left-winger, is the new president of Argentina. Reports stated that the support of banished dictator Juan D. Peron, was a decisive factor in Frondizi's victory.

Sir Winston Churchill, suffering from pneumonia and pleurisy received his first visitor Monday since he was put to bed Feb. 18. The medical bulletin issued the same day, said the 83-year-old former Prime Minister's condition was satisfactory.

Japanese scientists reported that Russia exploded an atomic nuclear weapon in the Siberian Arctic. Describing the test as that of a hydrogen bomb they said it was in the megaton range, the explosive equivalent of a million tons of TNT.

The U. S. agreed this week to provide Britain with the intermediate-range missile Thor and to make nuclear weapons available. Such missiles based on British launching sites would be fired only on the joint decision of the two countries, it was stated.



17 Of Alabama's 30 Colleges Are Church Supported

Athens College, At 136, State's Oldest; Florence Only 8 Years Younger

The Alabama Council for Aid to Higher Education, composed of members from all of the colleges in the state, has distributed some interesting information on the colleges.

For instance, Alabama has 30 colleges with a total enrollment of approximately 34,000 students. These include 21 white colleges and nine Negro colleges. The colleges are located in all areas of the state.

Nine of the colleges are public or state supported, 17 are church supported, five are supported by the Methodist Church, three by the Baptist, three by the Catholic, two by the Congregational Church and one by each of these: Adventist, Church of Christ, Episcopal and Presbyterian.

Five colleges are located in Birmingham, three in Montgomery and two in Cullman, Huntsville, Tuscaloosa and Marion. Otherwise, there is only one college to the town.

Eleven colleges are over 100 years old, 14 are between 50 and 100 years of age and five are under 50 years of age. Athens is the oldest and Florence State is the next to oldest.

By ages here is a list of Alabama colleges, where located, their ages in years and how they are supported:

White Colleges

Athens College, Athens, 136, Methodist; Florence State College, Florence, 128, public; Spring Hill, Mobile, 128, Catholic; University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, 127, public; Judson, Marion, 120, Baptist; Livingston State College, Livingston, 118, public; Howard College, Birmingham, 117, Baptist; Marion, Marion, 116, Private; Huntington, Montgomery, 104, Methodist.

Patterson Speaks In District Friday

Atty. General John Patterson will bring his campaign for governor to the Muscle Shoals district Friday, with a rally scheduled at the Sheffield Community Center at 7:30 p.m.

Providing entertainment will be The Country Gentlemen, the Posey Quartette and Ol' Red and His Tennessee River Boys, popular WOL radio and TV performers.

For Patterson, who kicked off his campaign at his birthplace, Newsite, in Tallapoosa County, on Feb. 10, it will be his first appearance in the Shoals sector.

Previous to his speech here tomorrow night, Patterson will be meeting voters in Huntsville and other Tennessee Valley cities to-day. Local supporters of the attorney general have established Northwest Alabama headquarters for his candidacy at 103 West College St.

Symphony Proves Equal To Notices

In Fine Performance Under Direction Of William Steinberg

By IRVING BERTELL

The Pittsburgh Symphony was preceded in its visit here by very fine press notices, and by a number of excellent recordings, all of which made for a warm, enthusiastic welcome at Muscle Shoals. In its concert at Coffee Auditorium Friday night—the third in the current series offered by the Muscle Shoals Concert Association—the orchestra fully justified its advance notices with a brilliant performance of an excellent program. Under the skilled and sensitive direction of William Steinberg, the orchestra played a program that was a sure-fire hit with a full house audience.

Richard Wagner's ever-popular overture to "Die Meistersinger," performed with spark and brilliance, provided an ideal opening to the program. This was followed by Cesar Franck's "Symphony in D minor," familiar and loved by much of the audience. Interpreted with deep romantic feeling, the symphony fittingly closed the first half of the program, leaving the listeners in a warm and thoroughly pleased mood.

After the intermission, the program continued with Moussorgsky's "A Night on Bald Mountain," and was concluded with Borodin's Polovetsian Dances from "Prince Igor"—two very familiar symphonic works.

The program was one of melody, warmth and brilliance, and showed the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra to great advantage as one of our coming musical organizations. It is already one of our first rank symphonic orchestras, with promise of much to come.

This is a tribute, not only to the excellent personnel, but mainly to the organizing skill and musical talents of Mr. Steinberg. In his six years at the helm of this organization, he has moved it high in the musical horizons of the nation. At a reception given by this writer after the concert, Mr. Steinberg told of his recent appointment as co-conductor of the London Philharmonic Orchestra—further recognition of the wonderful work he has done with the Pittsburgh Symphony. This is indeed a great compliment to America in our cultural "hands across the sea" relations. Usually it is we who do the importing. Rarely does Europe call for an American artist.

The audience was most enthusiastic, and would not let the orchestra leave the stage until it had played two encores, a rather uncommon procedure with a symphony orchestra. It was still another feather in the cap of the Muscle Shoals Concert Association to have presented this combination of an excellent conductor, conducting an excellent symphony orchestra in a superlative performance.

Food Center Sets 3-Day Opening In Enlarged Quarters

Wilson's Food Center, at 2207 Old Lee Highway, which has just completed an enlargement and renovation program at a cost of approximately \$17,000, begins its three-day grand opening sale today.

Established in its present location only 2½ years ago, Wilson's policy of offering only top quality food products at lowest possible prices has necessitated the expansion program which adds nearly 50 per cent to its original space.

New fixtures and equipment, including 32 feet of self-service meat cases, have been installed in the food center, which also offers butcher service where the customer may watch his meat purchases being cut. Another convenience for Wilson shoppers are the widened shopping aisles and addition of a third check-out lane. Parking space for between 75 and 100 cars, much of which is hard-surfaced, assure Wilson customers of easy accessibility to the market.

The original Wilson food store was established on Royal Ave., 36 years ago by R. H. Wilson, but that outlet has recently been closed. Sons operate Wilson's Food Center on the Old Lee Highway with the aid of able staff personnel. Orfan V. Wilson is manager of the center; Owen T. Wilson is in the meat department; Cecil H. Wilson, the third brother, has recently joined the organization. Robert C. Smith, a Wilson employee for 20 years, is assistant manager.

Other full-time employees include W. C. (Jay) Carter, butcher; Reginald Hearn, John Jones, Howard Liles, Mrs. Gertrude Wilson and Mrs. Vada Miller. In addition to them, a corps of part-time clerks is on hand to aid shoppers.

In connection with its opening today, tomorrow and Saturday, Wilson's is offering a number of exceptional bargains in addition to its regular low-price policy, as will be seen in an advertisement in this newspaper.

National Magazine Tells Of P&S Plan

Florence's Park & Shop plan, inaugurated here last fall by downtown merchants and Hendon & Company, Inc., of Birmingham, is the basis of an article, "Small City Parking," in the current issue of Parking Magazine, the National Parking Industry.

The plan whereby shoppers at downtown stores are given one hour's free parking ticket with each purchase is explained in the article, illustrated with a picture of then-Mayor Walter N. Harrison cutting ribbon opening the lots here.

Late News

French Foreign Minister Christian Pineau Tuesday said France would not be pushed into any U. S. engineered compromise with Tunisia while Tunisian President Habib Bourguiba said Tuesday settlement of the Tunisian-French crisis would have to take the Algerian revolt into account. Pineau said the U. S. government had erred in its sponsorship of the Baghdad Pact, halting the British-French invasion of Suez, proposing the Eisenhower plan of aid to the Middle East countries to combat Communist aggression, and its North African policy—particularly the token arms shipment to Tunisia last November.

House probes this week continued their look at the complex financial transactions involving Federal Communications Commissioner Richard A. Mack. Mack and others involved in the bitter fight over Miami's channel 10 TV license appear to have violated the law Chairman Harris (D-Ark) of the special House subcommittee said. The FBI was called into the case last week by the Attorney General after the committee's ousted counsel Bernard Swartz has testified Mack had accepted money from an individual connected with a firm contesting the TV station's license.

Sen. Harry Flood Byrd (D-Va) announced this week that he would seek a fifth six-year term in the U. S. Senate. Byrd, chairman of the powerful Senate Finance Committee had previously announced that he would not seek re-election.

The United States Wednesday officially recognized the new United Arab Republic and extended "good wishes." Ambassador Raymond A. Hare, former ambassador to Egypt will remain as envoy to the new republic made up of Syria and Egypt.

'58 Plymouth, Keys To 30 Cars Stolen In Burglary Here

Thieves Also Break In Another South Court Firm Monday Night

Burglaries continued to plague—and apparently baffle—local law enforcement officers this week.

A thief or thieves made off with the keys to all 30 automobiles on Killen Motor Company's used car lot on Highway 72 East Monday night—and left in style.

Also missing when the lot was opened Tuesday morning was a brand new 1958 Plymouth station wagon, evidently taken by the same person or persons who stole the keys to the used cars.

Another in the series of South Court street burglaries occurred the same night, when Dixie Supply Company was broken into and five pairs of shoes, a baseball glove and \$12 in change were taken. Seven or eight burglaries of firms on South Court have been reported in the past six weeks or so.

Earl Gray, manager of the Killen used car lot, discovered the theft at that place when he opened for business at 7:10 a.m. Tuesday. Entrance to the office on the lot was made by breaking a window, but nothing was missing but the keys to the used cars, taken from a desk drawer.

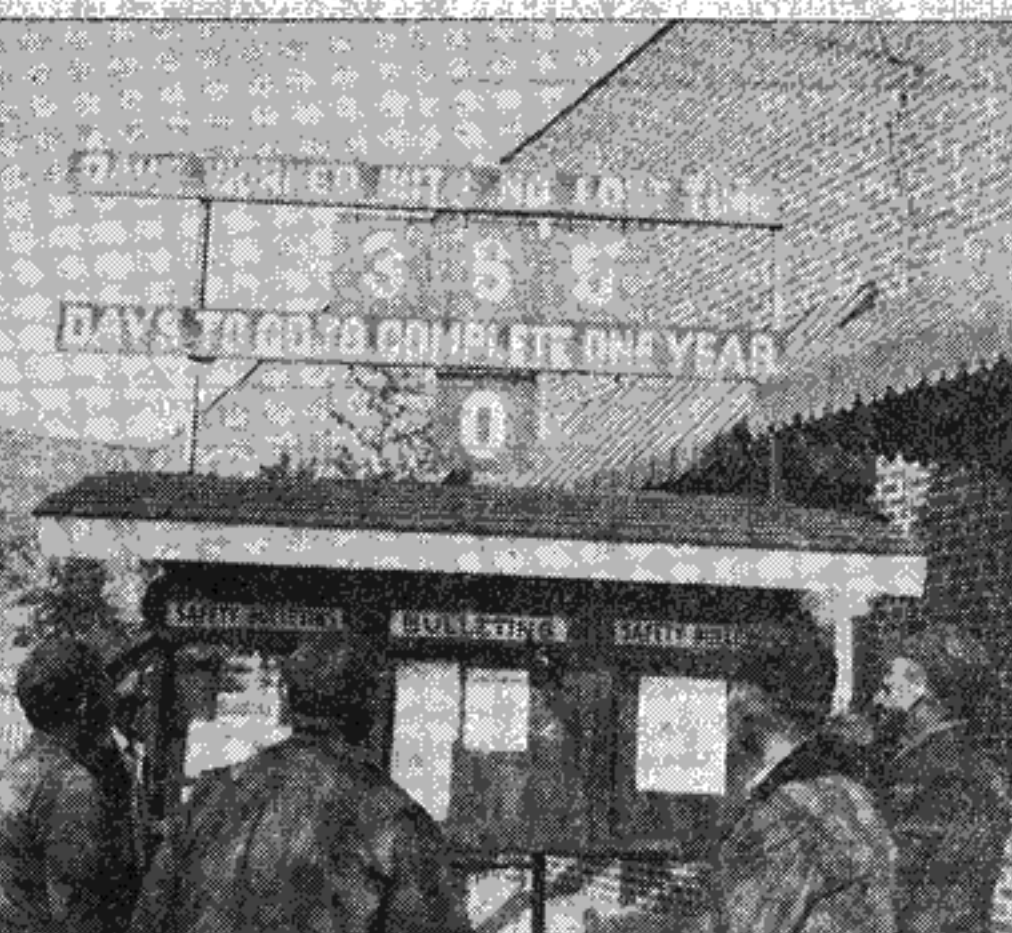
Gray told investigating city officers that an employee drove by the lot about 9:30 o'clock Monday night but noticed nothing amiss. Gray described the stolen station wagon as white with red trim.

The burglars entered Dixie Supply, owned by City Commissioner Rufus G. Hibbert and sons, by breaking a window to the shop and then sawing a lock off the back door. The burglary occurred between 1 a.m. when city policemen checked doors to the building, and arrival of Mr. Hibbert at the place about daylight.

The thieves who hit the sporting goods store broke open the cash register but failed to find between \$4 and \$5 in change near the rear of the register.

Antarctic experts believe there are valuable mineral deposits in the far-south continent. Traces of gold, lead, chromium, molybdenum, antimony, zinc, and tin have been found, but none in exploitable quantity or quality.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.



SAFETY RECORD . . . Electromet scores a 12-month safety record for third time in 17-year history of local plant. The plant has won several safety awards in recent months including the President's Safety Trophy and National Safety Council award for reducing the frequency of disabling industrial accidents.

Sammie's Cellar Opens Saturday

Sammie's Cellar, a new dining place that will specialize in char-broiled steaks and seafood, is opening Saturday in the basement of the building on East Mobile Street formerly occupied by The Florence Times.

The Cellar—named, obviously, in view of its downstairs location—will be under the direction of Sammie Barksdale, who also operates The Shanty.

The new spot for diners-out is completely and modernly equipped for the preparation and serving of food and was planned by specialists in restaurant design. It is attractively decorated in pine paneling with a seating capacity for more than 100 diners. The Cellar will operate daily from 5 a. m. until 12 midnight.

Other than the steak and seafood specialties, Sammie's Cellar will serve salads, sandwiches, chicken, country ham, home-made chili and hush-puppies.

Hospital

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ing the third floor of the present building for delivery rooms and nursery but the new arrangement was preferred.

Two new elevators will be installed and all stairs in the present building will be rebuilt and enclosed to minimize the fire hazard, with new stairs to be added in the west wing, built in 1952.

Central air conditioning, with individual room controls, will be included in the new construction.

Adds \$8,138 Square Feet

The two wings to be built will add 58,138 square feet to the floor space of the hospital, which now totals approximately 34,000 square feet, Mr. Northington said.

R. C. Barnes, hospital administrator, said, "The hospital has been crowded ever since a month before the new (1952) wing was built, and the demand for space continues to grow. With the planned construction we envision Florence as a growing medical center, and the expansion and added facilities will enable us to keep ahead of the growth of this area."

Grady Williams, of the Hospital Board expressed its thanks to the county and city commissioners for their support, and pledged the board to carry through the plans to the best of its ability.

Attending the meeting were Probate Judge H. K. Longshore and County Commissioners H. Lelon Thornton, Corbet Smith, James Blalock and Dave W. Tier; Mayor E. F. Martin and Commissioners Alvah E. Hall and Rufus G. Hibbert; R. C. Barnes, hospital administrator; Allen Northington, Architect; Grady R. Williams, Dr. D. W. Hollingsworth, U. O. Reed, Sr., and A. W. Darby of the Hospital Board; County Attorney W. A. Barnett; Dr. John J. Carter, of the County Medical Society; Louis Eckl, of The Florence Times-Tri-Cities Daily, and Harold S. May, co-publisher, The Florence Herald.

Edmund Hoyle, the Englishman whose name has become a part of our language as a synonym for the Supreme Court of Poker, not only never wrote a book of poker rules but never heard of the game. Hoyle's stronghold was whist—the forerunner of bridge.

New Grand Jury To Be Empaneled By Hill Monday

The grand jury for the spring term of Lauderdale County circuit court will be empaneled Monday by Judge Robert M. Hill, and is expected to be in session from a week to 10 days.

Trial of criminal cases in circuit court will begin March 24, with the civil docket due to be taken up on April 14. Any additional sessions of either criminal or civil cases will be announced later, depending upon the size of the docket and indictments brought by the grand jury. Circuit Clerk Charles Edgar Young said.

FOUR FROM COLLEGE AT LOUISVILLE MEETING

Four members of the FSC Physical Education Department are attending the meeting of the Southern Section of the American Association for Health, Physical Education, and Recreation, at Louisville.

They are H. A. Flowers, George Gibbons, Miss Helen Matthews and Miss Nancy Coe Vance. The three-day meeting ends Friday.

There is no lead in a liquid lead pencil. Its a composition of colloidal graphite and liquid carrier.



BOMBED TUNIS . . . Tunisian troops man machine gun posts in village of Sakiet Sidi Youssef where 75 civilians were killed in bombing attack by French planes.

Social and Personal

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Betty Sue Balentine Is February Bride

February fourteenth marked nuptial vows for Betty Sue Balentine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Clyde Balentine of 1538 Houston Street who have made the announcement. Her marriage to George Glenn Tatum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Tatum of 105 1/2 North Locust Street, was solemnized in Tuka, Mississippi.

The couple is at home with the bridegroom's parents.

Stewart-Griffin Marriage Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Danny P. Griffin are at home at 303 West Tombigbee Street following their February fifteenth wedding which took place at five o'clock in the afternoon in Weeden Heights Methodist Church. Announcement has been made by Mr. and Mrs. James Earl Stewart, parents of the bride, the former Patricia Ann Stewart.

Mr. Griffin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil O. Griffin, North Patton Street.

Miss Katherine Joan Bobo To Wed James Edward Hall

Announcement has been made by Mr. and Mrs. Haley Lewis Bobo, 263 Cypress Hill Road, of the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Katherine Joan, to James Edward Hall of Tusculumbia, son of Mrs. Ann E. Cook of Tusculumbia, and of Fred Kress Hall of Phil Campbell.

The wedding will be an event of March fifteenth at Highland Baptist Church.

Mary Frances McLaughlin Engaged To Paul A. Dodd

Mrs. Effie McLaughlin, 329 Sweetwater Avenue, has announced the engagement of her daughter, Mary Frances, to Paul A. Dodd, son of Mr. and Mrs. King Dodd of Iron City, Tennessee. The bride-elect is the daughter of the late Julius McLaughlin.

The wedding is planned for March ninth, to take place at the home of Charles Kretzer, minister of Lone Cedar Church of Christ.

Miss Madeline Williams To Wed William Henry Bevis

Foretelling a March wedding is the announcement which has been made by Mr. and Mrs. James Alfred Williams of Sheffield of the engagement of their daughter, Madeline, to William Henry Bevis, son of Mrs. Verdie Darby Bevis, Savannah Road, and Chester Bevis.

The marriage will be an event of early Spring.

Carolyn Griffin's Wedding Plans Told

First Presbyterian Church will be the setting for the ceremony on Saturday, April fifth, when Carolyn Griffin and Myron Scott Stringer exchange marriage vows.

Curtis Platt, minister of the Church of Christ, will officiate and nuptial music will be by Miss Harriet Harper, organist, and Floyd C. McClure, vocalist.

The bride's honor attendants will be her sister, Mrs. Conrad Joiner, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Kenneth Edward Griffin, and bridesmaids will include Mrs. Reed Cox, Mrs. Henry Nichols, Mrs. Robert Simmons and Mrs. Phillip Selley of Nashville.

Best man for Mr. Stringer will be his uncle, Everett Stringer of Cheyenne, Wyoming, and ushers will be the Reverend Robert Crumby, Wilburn Kilian of Birmingham, Kenneth E. Griffin, William Gooch and John Archer.

Kenneth Griffin, Jr., will serve as ring bearer.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Joseph Griffin, parents of the bride, will entertain following the ceremony at Rogers Hall.

Mrs. Craig Entertains Twentieth Century Club

Mrs. Benjamin Craig was hostess to the February meeting of Twentieth Century Club Tuesday afternoon at her home on North Pine Street.

Mrs. Joe Ware, guest speaker, showed slides of architectural gems, of famous places and of picturesque countryside during which she became familiar with the months when she and Lt. Ware, USAF, made their home in Europe. Vivid description added pleasure for her listeners.

Other guests were Mrs. D. J. Edwards, Mrs. R. W. Barnes, Mrs. W. W. Slaton and her sister, Mrs. Walker Thomas, Mrs. A. J. Darby, Mrs. H. H. Evans and Mrs. Fred Bitters assisted the hostess at tea-time.

Current Events Club In McElheny Home

When Current Events Club met at the home of Mrs. W. T. McElheny last Thursday afternoon, guests augmenting the membership were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Graham, Mrs. O. V. Wedgewood and Mrs. W. J. McElrath.

Miss Katherine Forney, in charge of the program, introduced Mr. Graham who reviewed "At Home in India," a story wherein the author, Cynthia Bowles, describes the years she enjoyed there while her father, Chester Bowles, was American Ambassador to India.

Refreshments were served at the meeting's conclusion.

Contemporary Study With Mrs. Sedenquist

Mrs. Walter Sedenquist was hostess at her home, 208 West Bluff Street, to the February meeting of Florence Contemporary Study Club when, during the business session, officers for another year were elected. Mrs. W. T. Nichols will serve as president; Mrs. James Fall, vice-president;

Mrs. Sedenquist, secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. Herbert Miller, program leader for the afternoon, delighted her listeners with a discourse on France and the life of her people as, with photographs and slides, she brought into vivid focus both the rural and urban districts.

Tea and dainties were served by the hostess.

Open House At Rogers Hall For Lt. Hester and Bride

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hester, parents of Lt. Herbert Hester, and his sister, Mrs. George Hoffmeister, and Mr. Hoffmeister, were hosts at Rogers Hall on Florence State College campus Saturday afternoon when they introduced Lt. Hester's bride, the former Sandra Legge of Sydney, Australia, to their Florence friends.

On the occasion Mrs. Hester complemented her wedding gown of ivory Italian silk with a corsage of pink carnations pinned at the low waistline.

Bowls of pink roses were about the spacious hall where Miss Bernice Hester greeted guests, and magnolia foliage banked the parlor mantels. A centerpiece of pink carnations decorated the testable with the following presiding: Mrs. Aaron Lynch, Miss Audra Winkelman, Miss Ellen Moore, Mrs. R. D. Caddell, Mrs. L. E. Lewis, Miss Pearl Sparks, Mrs. Guy Hamilton, Miss Mary Ella Hammond, Mrs. Homer Rowe, Mrs. Albert Goad, Miss Kathryn Scott, Mrs. Robert Ford and Mrs. John W. McEachern.

Spring Blossoms Tea Party Decor

Further evidence of the warm welcome being extended two charming young British women have in recent months become brides of "hometown boys" was the afternoon tea at which Mrs. Grady Richards, Miss Audra Winkelman and Miss Ellen Moore were hostesses on Saturday afternoon when they entertained at the Richards home, 733 North Wood Avenue. Their honor guests were Mrs. Herbert Hester and Mrs. Stanley Henderson.

Spring blossoms decorated the reception rooms and centered the candlelighted testable where the hostesses were assisted by Miss Bernice Hester, Mrs. George Hoffmeister, Mrs. Leo King, Mrs. John Masterson, Miss Myrtle Old, Mrs. L. Baron Blackburn, Mrs. Cris Moore, Miss Helen Davis, Miss Ruth Davis, Mrs. H. J. English, Miss Mary Ella Hammond, Miss Mary Alice Young, Mrs. S. S. Lentz, Martha Jane Moore and Little Ellen Moore.

About one hundred guests called during the party hours of three to five.

Miss, Mrs. Boston Honor Miss Griffin

Miss Carolyn Griffin, bride-elect of early April, was complimented on Saturday when Miss Sandra Boston, at home from the University for a few days, and her mother, Mrs. Chester Boston, entertained at their home on Chisholm Road. Sharing honors with her were Miss Boston's houseguest, Miss Bessie Bellenger of Gadsden and Mrs. Reed Cox (Patricia Dailey), recently arrived after several months residence in California.

The affair was a luncheon and pink was the party color. Tulips added their Springtime charm in the livingroom and roses graced the buffet. Pink and white appointments were used on the table which was covered with a pink satin cloth.

Guests included the honorees, Mrs. Thomas J. Griffin, Mrs. Robert Simmons, Mrs. Conrad Joiner, Mrs. Henry Nichols, Mrs. Kenneth Griffin, Mrs. M. S. Stringer, Mrs. B. J. Dailey, Mrs. Joe Brewer, Mrs. Max Hall, Mrs. Grady Yeiser (Charlotte Tease) of Lawrenceburg, Miss Barbara Owens of Town Creek, Miss Peggy Nan Jessup, Miss Sylvia Towles, Miss Vera Jo Parrish, Mrs. Paul Christian, Sr.

Party Honors Juanita Saint

White and red were the party colors when Miss Vera Jo Parrish entertained at her home, 424 West Irvine Avenue, complimenting bride-elect Juanita Saint.

The occasion was a gift shower and the refreshment table was centered with a double wedding ring arrangement formed of red and white carnations.

Assisting the hostess were Mrs. Asa Evans, Mrs. Robert Stewart, Mrs. George Hamrick, Miss Marilyn Henry and Miss Geraldine Henry.

Guests numbered seventy.

Mrs. Mrs. Bertell Entertain Artists

Following the performance of the Pittsburgh Orchestra Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Irving Bertell continued their custom of honoring the artists who appear on the Concert Series.

Entertaining at The Town Club their guests were William Steinberg, conductor, John Edwards, manager, Theodore Saltzman, first cellist, Karl Kritz, associate conductor, Lorene Raphael, violinist, and a small group of Florence friends and music lovers.

Tall red candles lighted the silver-appointed refreshment table in the Williamsburg Room where Mrs. Harold May presided. Remindful of the historic date upon which their party fell, was the centerpiece fashioned of red and white carnations clustered about with small red cherries. The same color theme was noted in the delightful menu served.

Mrs. Cresap Gives Program

Mrs. Thomas E. Clark was hostess to members of Thursday Study Club last week, inviting her guests to gather at The Town Club.

Mrs. Bernarr Cresap presented the program, delightfully reviewing Harnett Kane's "The Gallant Mrs. Stonewall," as she showed interesting pictures.

Mrs. J. N. Howell, a guest of the club, assisted the hostess at tea-time.

Mrs. Lon Bartley is in Mineral Springs, Texas, for a stay with her daughter, Mrs. Bob E. Smith, and their little daughter, Teresa Ann, who was born on February 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Hadley Howard have returned from New Orleans where they visited her sister, Mrs. Clayburne Waldrop, and Mr. Waldrop, and enjoyed Mardi Gras festivities.

Dr. and Mrs. Irvin B. Anderson, 501 Military Road, were guests recently at the Biltmore Hotel in Atlanta while Dr. Anderson attended the Southeastern Seaboard Chiropractic Symposium.

Guests during the past week of Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Archibald, Walnut Street, were their daughter, Mrs. Don Mize, and Mr. Mize, of Tuscaloosa.

Leaving recently for her home in Dundee, Ohio, was Mrs. Earl Luderer. Called to Florence by the death of her sister, Miss Pearl Smith, she was a guest of Mrs. James E. Smith, Magnolia Street.

A guest since Christmas in the homes of her daughters, Mrs. Henry Lamar and Mrs. L. M. Jester, Mrs. W. C. Reams left a few days ago to visit another daughter, Mrs. J. E. Meeks, in Corinth, Miss., before returning to her home in Henderson, Tenn.

Clyde W. Anderson is a patient at ECM Hospital. His condition is reported as satisfactory.

Mrs. Harry Brown has returned to her home, 1034 North Wood Avenue, after a visit to her son, Billy Brown, a student at SMA, Seawane, Tenn.

Miss Martha Porterfield is able to be out following a week's illness at her apartment on O'Neal Ave.

Mrs. Pratt Rather of Birmingham and Mrs. Charles Martin of Nashville were weekend guests of their sister, Mrs. Frank Hassell, and Mr. Hassell at their home on the lake. Mr. Rather joined them for an over-night stay.

A guest of Mrs. Mattie Berg, Circular Road, is her sister, Mrs. B. Wells of Camanche, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Hinz and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wylie attended the National Association of Accountants' conference in Birmingham last weekend.

Mrs. A. L. Maples and Mrs. Floyd Morrison have returned from Memphis where they met Mr. Morrison who arrived there by plane from a business trip to Jackson, Miss.

Mrs. James S. Robinson is recuperating satisfactorily following eye surgery in a New Orleans hospital.

Miss Dorothy Mecke was a one-day patient at Vanderbilt Hospital in Nashville last week, having been called for a post-operative checkup. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. T. L. Mecke, Bailey Springs Road.

Michael Mecke, who is with the U. S. Navy based at Jacksonville, Fla., spent the past weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Mecke.

Mrs. Duncan Gray has returned to her home on North Wood Avenue after a visit of several weeks to her daughter, Mrs. Roy Snider, and Mr. Snider, Charlotte, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ray of Killen announce the birth of a son, William Gregory, born February 24 at Coffee Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Rees Bryant arrived yesterday from Lubbock, Texas, to spend a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Bryant, before leaving by plane for Liberia, Africa, via New York. They will serve in the mission field there.

Mrs. Ben W. Cunningham and her sister are spending a few days in Chattanooga as the guests of Mrs. Cunningham's daughter, Mrs. Harris Stewart, and Mr. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Don L. Geeson and their family will move soon to their new home in Richmond, Va., Mr. Geeson having been transferred by the Reynolds Co.

Terry Smith will arrive tomorrow from McCauley School, Chattanooga, to spend a ten-day Spring vacation period with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom F. Smith.

Leaving yesterday, Mrs. W. J. Callaway will spend the following month with her sister, Mrs. Herbert Deichert, and Mr. Deichert, in Los Angeles, Calif.

Leo Views

the College Campus

By DOTTIE McRAE

The Honor Roll (2.5 average or better) and the Dean's List (2.0 to 2.5) have been released, but they're too long to squeeze in here, so I'll only say this for the benefit of those who are bemoaning their average. A certain Senator from Louisiana is said to have remarked in reference to his law school classmates, that the A students made professors, the B students lawyers, and the C students made money. So it all boils down to what you want to make when you get out of college, besides, worrying doesn't help anyhow.

The WSGA sponsored a party—a theater party—in Kilby auditorium last Tuesday. Not only was there a feature attraction, "My Sister Eileen," there was also a cartoon, "Mr. Magoo." Entertaining if not exactly intellectual.

Friday, about 300 Florence State students and faculty members were treated to some really good entertainment by the Conventions Committee and the Muscle Shoals Concert Association. For the third time this season, tickets were distributed, free of charge, for a concert performance. Several of the students with whom I have talked, definitely consider this one, given by the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra, the best so far.

Speaking of entertainment, campus clubs have been doing a good deal of entertaining lately—the Canterbury Club was host to the Presbyterian Fellowship a couple of weeks ago, and the ACS heard Dr. Arthur Beindroff talk on the Regional Science Fair to be held at Florence State next month. The Newman Club had two guests recently—the Chairman of the Gulf State Province and the National President of the National Newman Club Federation, Jim Berdou and Jack Markel. This is the Newman Club's first active year on the campus and thanks to hard work on the part of the sponsors—Miss Helen Matthews, Mr. Edward Matis, and Father Roger Lott—and the members, it has gotten off to a good start.

Evelyn Leslie Kraft, "Flora-Ala" feature editor recently received a check—her story "O Beautiful Children," tied for first place in the Birmingham Festival of Arts. Which reminds me; the deadline for the creative writing contest was February 24, there ought to be some announcements about that pretty soon.

The Rehearsal Club is really busy now; with "Candida" on its way, the second spring production, this one directed and produced entirely by students, has been cast

and rehearsals are under way. Members of the cast for Jean Anouilh's "Ring Around the Moon" are Joshua, Alan McRae; Hugo and Frederic, Bob Scogin; Dianna Messerschmann, Joanne Harvey; Patrice Bombelles; Joel Sockwell; Madame Desmortes, Carol Price; Capulet, Mayme Parker; Messerschmann, Bud Searcy; Romainville, Dan Boone; Isabelle, Janice Johnston; her mother, Mary Tom Rickard; a general, Troy Welch; footmen, Eddie Phillips and Jim Johnston; Lady India, Gwen Ware.

Thirteen losses and nine wins, not too bad considering the slow start that the basketball team made. It's to be hoped, though, that next year's season will end more favorably for Florence State.

7 From Lauderdale In March SS Draft

Of the 393 Alabama young men who will be sent to the Army in March through the Selective Service System, seven will be from Lauderdale County.

State Director James W. Jones has announced. Draft quotas of surrounding counties in March are: Colbert, 8; Limestone, 4; and Lawrence, 1. The March call will be made up of volunteers, postponed registrants, delinquents and registrants 23 years of age and over, Director Jones said.

By the time Russian students have finished 10th grade, they have had five years of physics and advanced mathematics, as well as biology and foreign languages.

Rubber in an eraser doesn't do the erasing. It's the pumice in the rubber that does the trick.

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Style Panorama Set By Downtown Fashion Stores

"Spring Fashion Swings To The Shift" is the theme that will be presented at the Florence Panorama of Fashion at Coffee High Auditorium on Tuesday night, March 4th.

Tickets to this preview of spring styles may be obtained from the following participating downtown Florence merchants: Abroms, Earlines, Gabel's, The Bootery, Kreisman's and Rogers.

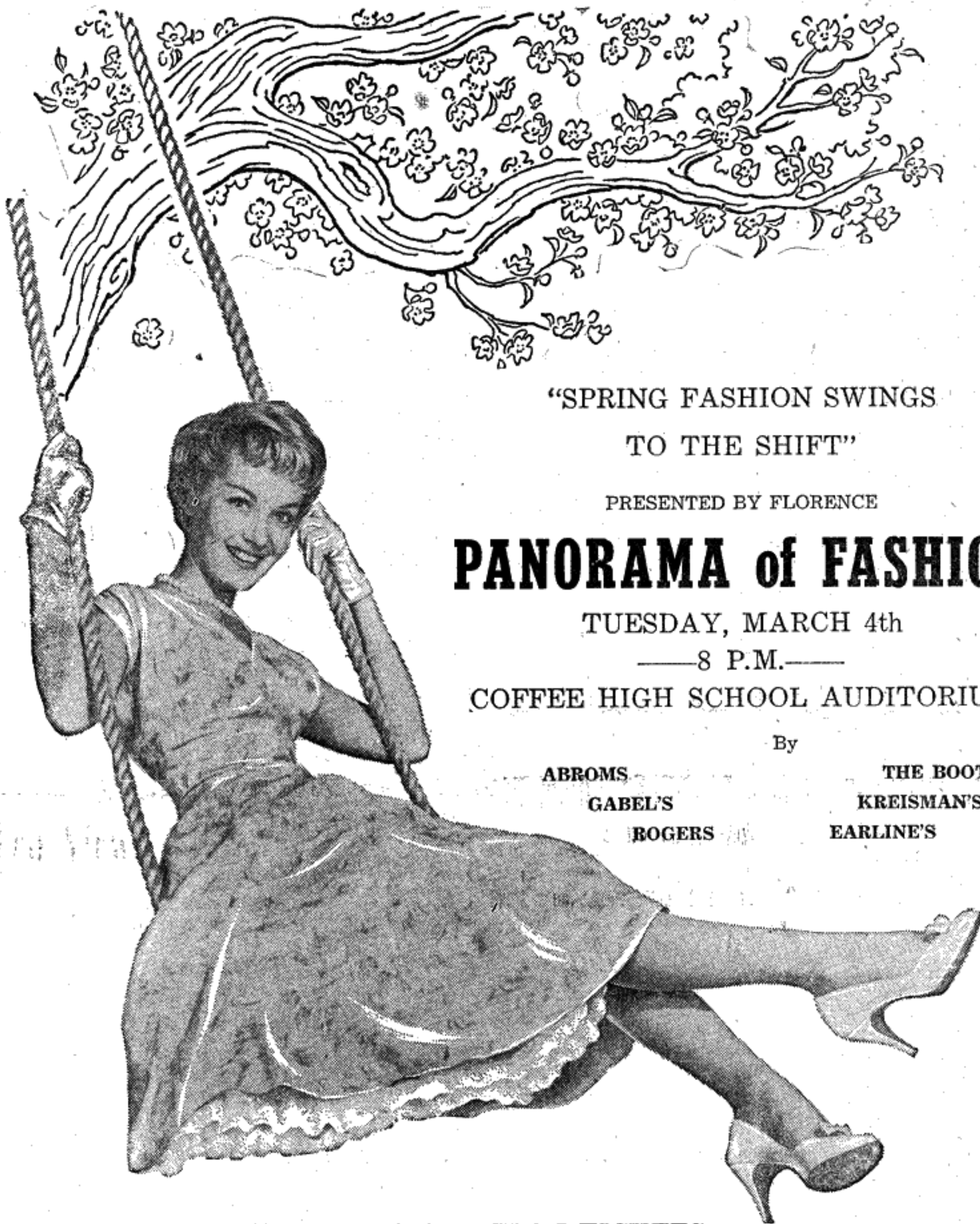
Live models will be used and the program will be directed by Peggy Lippe, fashion coordinator of Birmingham.

In carrying out the "shift" theme there will be four main scenes: (I.) Morning Shift; (II.) Daytime Shift; (III.) Afternoon Shift, and (IV.) Night Shift.

Curtain time is 8 o'clock.

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Grassroots Report

Early Publishers' Poll Puts Faulkner In Lead

Jimmy Faulkner was considered in front in the 1958 governor's race in the opinion of 15 of approximately 85 weekly newspaper editors and publishers attending the mid-winter convention of the Alabama Press Association at Tuscaloosa early in February.

Asked to pick the four front-runners as of that date, 10 of those participating in the poll placed Faulkner first, three saw John Patterson leading and one each put Judge George C. Wallace and A. W. Todd in the No. 1 position. The editors questioned were from every section of the state, and were reporting the race as it then appeared to them in their sections only and not on a state-wide basis.

Faulkner is publisher of The Baldwin Times at Bay Minette and a past president of the association.

The 1954 runner-up to Gov. James E. Folsom was picked as of the date of the poll as running second by one editor questioned and three placed him third. Other candidates as positioned by the poll participants were:

Wallace — first, 1; second, 5; third, 4; fourth, 3. Patterson — first, 3; second, 3; third, 2; fourth, 5. Todd — first, 1; second, 5; third, 2; fourth, 1. Karl Harrison — third, 1; fourth, 3. C. C. (Jack) Owen — third, 1; fourth, 2; Laurie Battle — second, 1; third, 1.

The average American spends about \$410 a year for food — or about \$1.12 each day. He consumes 356 pounds of milk at a total average cost of \$43.60 in one year. In other words, 10.6 cents out of every food dollar is spent for milk.



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From The Simple Side By THE FARMER'S WIFE

"Well, so what if she is a mammal, she is still a mother, isn't she?" How could The Farmer's Wife explain the reasons a mother sow might have for devouring her young, especially to a young mind so full of the wonders of nature.

Usually, nature and its functions can be explained in pleasant terms and in an appealing manner, but sometimes there is another side of nature, too, which can't be explained in pleasantness, for it is not pleasant. Such was the happening on our farm recently when, after giving birth to a fine litter of pigs, the mother sow set out to satisfy her appetite by destroying her young.

How sad a thing the situation could seem to the mind of youngsters, especially to boys who are interested in all phases of animal life. How sad a thing it was to my farmer husband, also, I might add, who had given the mother sow every needed mineral during her gestation period only to suffer the loss of her pigs anyway. However, my farmer husband was aware of the reasons that such things happen, but youngsters are not able to understand the significance or the meaning of the word mammal. To them, a mother who would do such a thing as devour her young is a creature to be dispossessed, which, of course, she will be just as soon as she is in shape for the slaughter house.

So, daily in the life around us on the farm nature is at work. We see it in its beauties and in its deficiencies, and to those growing up around us it all must be explained.

2nd Ladies' Day At First Federal

Second in a series of ladies' days at the downtown offices of the First Federal Savings & Loan Association of Florence is scheduled from 9 a.m. until noon Tuesday. All ladies in the Tri-Cities are invited to come to the First Federal building for morning coffee and "career girls" are invited to take their morning coffee-break there.

Members of the Girl Scouts will act as hostesses. Nine of the intermediate class who have completed the charm course, in line with their Scout training, will receive guests, preside at the coffee table and generally see that all guests are made to feel at home. These girls include Sandra Priest, Laura Jane Whitten, Vicki White, Polly Jones, Martha Koger, Lynn Woodward, Jan Smoot, Hollie Darby and Amanda Bloss.

Members of the Better Garden Club will arrange flowers and table settings, and a silver service is being furnished through courtesy of Mefford's Jewelers.

Local and state efforts in the field of school construction are reducing the nation's classroom shortage, according to information received by the county Farm Bureau from the U. S. Office of Education. The government agency said the "schoolroom deficit" was cut from 159,000 in the fall of 1956 to 140,000 last fall, despite an increase of 1,300,000 pupils.

THE SPILLWAY

POINT PLEASANT IS A lovable spot... The view there makes us wishful... And when the sisters gather 'round... Well... gee... the view's a dish full...

IT'S THE BEAUTEOUS lakeside home of Billie and Frank Hassell... and there're really two groups of sisters... There are (daughters) Britton... Mary Brown and Janette... and there are Billie's sisters... Adele Barton... Marguerite Martin and Kathleen Rather... known locally as "the Brown girls"... with the meetin' this past weekend regrettably minus the presence of Adele... If any one of our dear readers can mention a place where more feminine pulchritude gathers... we'll lend a doubtful ear... Until then... we'll be more than content with this very pleasant eyefull...

WE READ AND re-read... in the Muscle Shoals Sun of last Saturday morning the exquisite words of a poem entitled "Sunset"... It is one of a collection written by Golden Chirico... attractive and capable Florentine who is an analytical statistician with Redstone Arsenal and to whom writing is an avocation... Scope and beauty and wisdom flow from her pen and we hope you've already read and admired and clipped for a rainy day's "going-back-over" these fascinating words... We learned... as we chatted with (mamma) Pauline Chirico... that Golden is one of fourteen children... "Seven boys and seven girls" were told... And tho we failed to ask... we've wondered since if there are other talented writers in this sizable group...

NICEST TIME OF the whole year to have a party... we think... during the lull between New Year's and Springtime... and many Florence hostesses seem to share this idea... There was Ann Smith's pre-lunch luncheon at The Town Club last week... A typical Ann-Smith-party... we think that tells in a nut-shell of all the pretty details attending the affair... THERE WAS EDNA and Henry Lamar's supper party at their home on Riverview when good friends and good food and good fun mingled chummily... AND THERE WAS the delightful noontime gathering at the home of Ada Long when luncheon was served to (daughter) Bee Long Lewis and a small group of Bee's friends... COME ANOTHER SNOW... you'll want to watch the sloping hillsides of our fair city... Take the guest of (son) Billy at the cold wave... we were delighted with many lovely views including one of Nita Bassel who was (apparently) thoroughly enjoying a sledding spree...

AND WE THINK handsome and witty Wally Lewis should have invited his friends to witness a performance... An artist on ice skates... we could close our eyes and imagine Sonja Heinie gliding out to meet him... FOLLOWING CLOSE ON the heels of the freeze was a welcome sign of Spring... A yellow coat and matching hat... (Jonquil) would be our guess... and becoming as could be... worn by that delightful addition to Florence's young-marrieds... Di Tyre... THE MAGIC THAT is Sewanee was enjoyed the past weekend by Marilyn McClure... who was chaperoned by Patti Brown to be the guest of (son) Billy at the dances "on the mountain"... Another chaperone was ex-Florentine Evelyn Martin Shafer of Knoxville with her two daughters, Lynn and Elisabeth... We wonder if these two groups met... AND SPEAKING OF Patti... we've heard that she and (Doctor) Harry have purchased the River-view Circle home of Hazel and Ralph Brookshire and that they'll soon move into their new quarters... (And we'd hoped they'd come our direction...)

SHE'S THE MOST... Though we don't mean it in the usual giddy fashion... We think it goes well with Peggy Ezell Hollandsworth... The most lovable... most gracious... most... but we'll let you take over from there... You'll find other adjectives flooding in... So nice to have you at home for these two much-too-short weeks... Peggy... MOVING PIECE BY piece... Ann (Brashaw) and Ben Craig will soon be enjoying their brand spanking new home... Not wanting to rush the carpenters... but eager to see some furniture placed... they've been taking a few pieces each day... and most any ole hour now you'll find them domiciled at their new address... We can hardly wait to see... WELCOME NEWCOMER... Michael Lee McReynolds... son of Beverly (Sims) and Thomas McReynolds... who arrived in Lexington, Kentucky... on February twenty-third... and whose grandparents are Grace (Morrison) and Thetus Sims... former Florentines now living in Fort Thomas... Kentucky... Congratulations... AND NOW... CHERIO and goodby... until more news comes through The Spillway...

Gift Of John Beggses
Rare 'Wallpaper' Issue Of '63 Paper Given FSC
Another interesting historical item has been acquired by the Collier Library of Florence State College. Mr. and Mrs. John Beggs of Florence have presented a copy of The Daily Citizen printed on wall paper in Vicksburg, Mississippi, and dated July 2, 1863. It is believed to be one of three copies in existence.

A short time ago the Weakley Papers from the estate of the late Miss Jern Weakley of Florence were placed in the college library on loan from the Tennessee Valley Historical Society. Several persons have shown an interest in depositing family papers at the college. College officials expect the historical collection to grow and the library to become an important depository.

The type was set for the Vicksburg newspaper only two days before the famous surrender of that Mississippi River bastion on July 4, 1863, but publication was held up until the surrender. A note at the bottom of the single sheet commented that the city had fallen. No more, said the editor, would the paper praise the luxury of "mule-meat" and fricasseed kitten," staple items of diet during the siege.

The whole tone of the Vicksburg newspaper is one of defiance. Its editor described a Memphis newspaper editor of Union leanings as a "pink-nosed, slab-sided, toad-eating Yankee, who is a lineal descendant of Judas Iscariot."

The paper prominently featured successes of General Robert E. Lee in Virginia at the time, and gave other evidence of fighting spirit. The public is urged to deposit family papers of historical importance in the college library. Papers may be given to the college or placed on loan. College officials stress the need to place such items as the Vicksburg paper in a safe depository, pointing out that attics are not safe. A great loss of historical documents occurs each year through fires and carelessness. Often when the owner of such documents dies the valuable papers are thrown out or burned. Depositing papers at the college will insure that they will be classified and made available to scholars engaged in research.

A committee on historical materials, appointed by President Norton, will screen all manuscripts and historical objects offered to the college. Miss Ruth Dacus, librarian, is chairman of the committee. Other members are Mrs. Bess McCrory, curator of the museum; Dr. Turner W. Allen, dean; and Dr. Bernarr Cresap, chairman of the Social Science department.

Anyone interested in depositing materials of historical interest at the college is requested to communicate with Dr. Norton or with a member of the committee listed above.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pounders, Peggy, Donnie and Townley spent last week-end in New Orleans with Miss Shirley Pounders.

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Beginning March 23

Increasing Attendance Prompts 1st Methodist To Double Services

The First Methodist Church of Florence is planning a program of double Sunday School sessions beginning on Sunday, March 23. This has become necessary due to the large increase in attendance. The new education building, it was pointed out, was completed in 1954 but has already become inadequate for the needs of the Sunday school department.

In commenting on this unprecedented move, Dr. R. Lambuth Archibald, pastor, stated, "There is nothing else we can do, and this arrangement will need to remain until we can get another educational building. We simply cannot do a good job in Christian training in the crowded space in which our children and young people must meet. This will make necessary some major adjustments, and there will be many wrinkles that will have to be ironed out, but I have enough faith in our Church to believe that the membership will see in the move a great forward step."

The committee responsible for the major details of the new program includes Dr. Archibald; Miss Kathryn Scott, director of Christian Education; Jimmy Koonce, church school superintendent; John Thomas, assistant church school superintendent, and Aaron Lynch, chairman of the Commission on Education.

On Sunday, March 9, check lists will be distributed to every group in the church, including the two morning services and the evening service. Those receiving check lists will be asked to give their preference as to which of the two Sunday School sessions they would like to attend.

The complete, revised program to go into effect on March 23 will be as follows: 9 a.m., Sunday School; 9 a.m., worship service in the sanctuary; 10 a.m., Sunday School; 11 a.m., worship service in the sanctuary, and 7:30 p.m., worship service in the sanctuary.

In January the church began a program of two morning worship services, at 8:45 and 11. They will continue on this schedule until the new program goes into effect.

EDITOR AND TRAVELER TO SPEAK AT STATE

Norman Cousins, who recently completed trips to Japan and Africa, will discuss the conditions of the world today when he appears here under sponsorship of Danforth and Convocations Committee, Florence State College. He will speak in Coffee Auditorium, Florence at 8 p. m., Monday, March 10.

Mr. Cousins has been editor of The Saturday Review since the end of 1939. Under his editorship, the magazine has broadened its coverage, becoming concerned with ideas and the arts and, in general, with the market-place of taste in America.

LWV To Sponsor Branscomb Talk

The relation of the chemical industry to world trade will be discussed by J. Alston Branscomb, of Reynolds Metals Company, at a meeting in the courtroom of the Florence Municipal Building at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening.

The address by Mr. Branscomb, "How Does the Chemical Industry of the Muscle Shoals Area In-

fluence World Trade?" is being sponsored by the League of Women Voters of Florence and Sheffield. The public is invited.

Mr. Branscomb's talk comes at a peculiarly appropriate time, inasmuch as the Trade Agreements Act, originally passed in 1934 and renewed 10 times since, expires June 30 of this year. The House Ways and Means Committee has already scheduled hearings on a renewal of the act, considered essential to continued sound reciprocal long-range planning for trade in a free world.

Mr. Branscomb, a resident of Sheffield, speaks with authority on this area's chemical industry and its connection with world trade. He has been associated with Reynolds' education research laboratory since 1941, and holds bachelor and master degrees in chemistry, metallurgy and chemistry from the University of Alabama.

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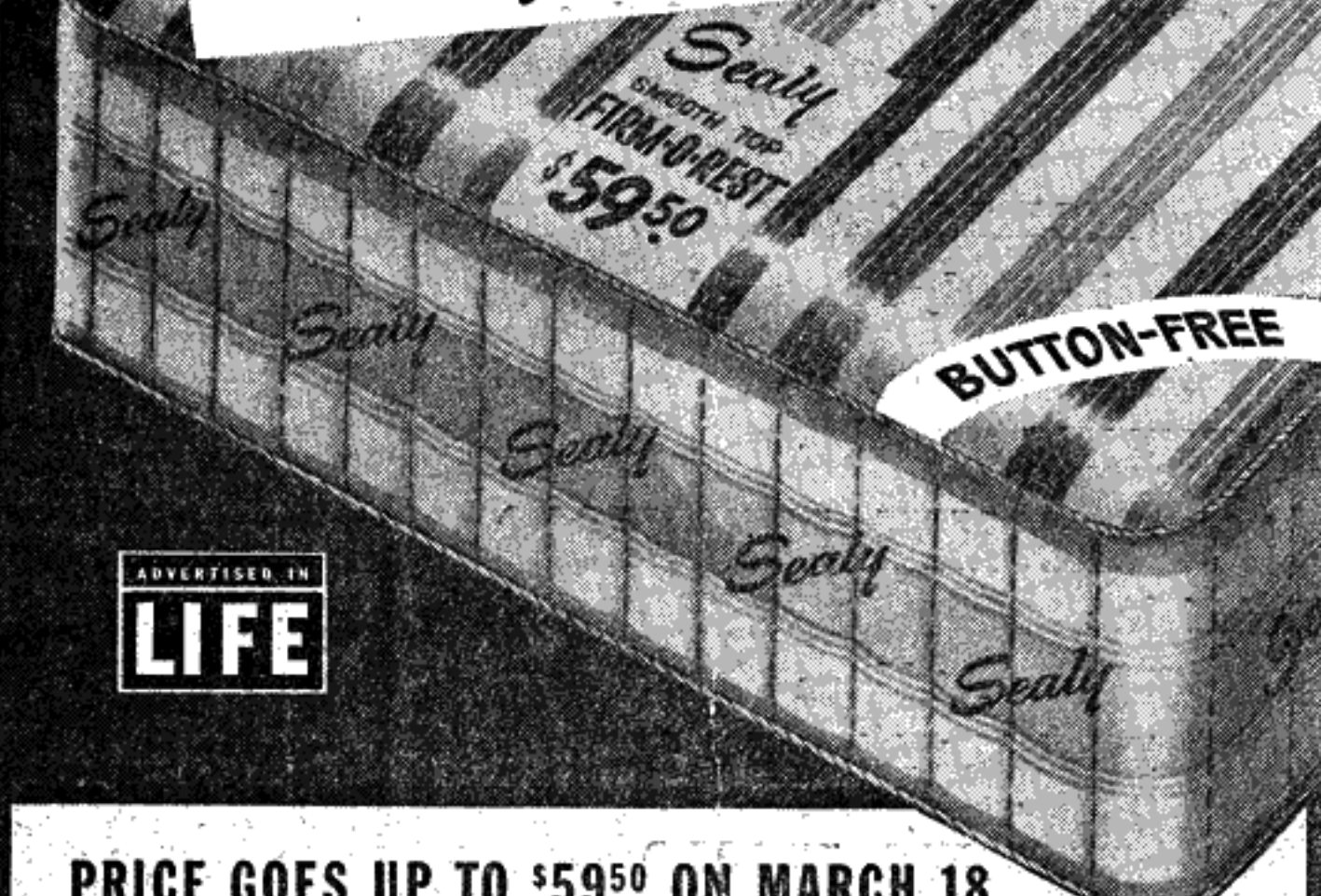
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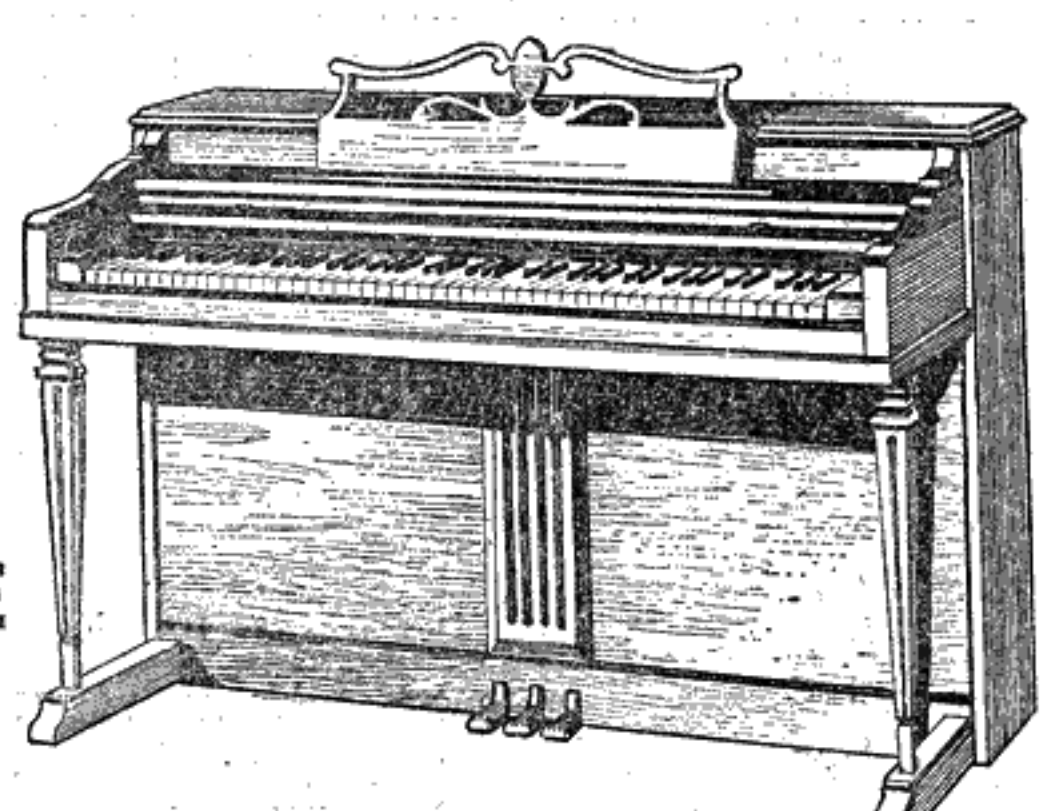
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Deaths

Mrs. Clara Moody

Services were held from Greenhill Baptist Church at 2 p.m. Saturday for Mrs. Clara Moody, 54-year-old resident of that community who died at her home at 1 p.m. last Thursday. The Rev. Ed Crosslin conducted the rites and burial was in the church cemetery.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Peggy Taylor, two sons, Max and Ray, all of Greenhill; two grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Ruth Hall of Florida; two brothers, Ollie Knight of New Mexico and Clifford Knight of Florida.

Mrs. Ethel Rickard

Services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday from Oakland Methodist Church for Mrs. Ethel Rickard, 82, who died at ECM Hospital at 1 a.m. Friday. The Rev. Chester Dobbs officiated and burial was in Walston cemetery.

Mrs. Rickard, a resident of the Oakland community, was the widow of Sidney M. Rickard. Although a native of Colbert County, she had lived most of her life in

Lauderdale, and was a member of the Methodist Church.

She is survived by a son, L. H. Rickard of Oakland; two daughters, Mrs. R. E. Burkhead, Mrs. James H. Cox, both of Oakland; a half brother, L. D. Bendall of Cherokee; 13 grandchildren and several great grandchildren. Active bearers will be grandsons.

Charles Griffin

Services for Charles Griffin, 76, of 412 South Cedar St., who died at his residence last Thursday, were held from Brown-Service chapel at 2 p.m. Saturday. Curtis E. Platt was the officiant and burial was in the Florence Cemetery.

Born in Cullman, Mr. Griffin moved to Florence when a child, and conducted a retail business here for 35 years, or until his retirement two years ago. He was a member of the Church of Christ for 45 years.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Etolia Young Griffin; a son, Robert Y. Griffin, Florence; four daughters, Mrs. Jimmy W. Stoves, Florence, Mrs. Haywood Tapscott, Lakeland, Fla., Mrs. H. Bracy Richardson, Tampa, Fla., Miss Martha L. Griffin, Florence; two sisters, Mrs. Gertrude McCoy, Mrs.

Dora Vest, Cullman; and eight grandchildren.

James Hollis Cox

Services for James Hollis Cox, 34, who died unexpectedly at his home near Killen about 2 a. m. Monday, were held from the Free-will Baptist Church in East Florence at 2 p. m. Wednesday. The officiant was Houston Riggs, and burial was in Florence Cemetery.

Mr. Cox was a veteran of World War II and member of the Free-will Baptist Church. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Beulah Marie Cox, a son, Roy Cox, two daughters, Linda Gail and Sharon Ann, all of Florence; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cox, Florence; a brother, William L. Cox, Florence; five sisters, Mrs. Dessie Kelsey, Tusculum, Mrs. Dorothy Darby, Florence, Mrs. E. L. Burrows, Florence, Mrs. Sue Stringfellow, Birmingham, Mrs. Marie Garrett, Florence.

Mrs. Annie P. Daniel

Services for Mrs. Annie Pearl Daniel, 2306 Lee Highway, were held at 3 p.m. Monday from Wesley's Chapel Methodist Church with the Rev. Barry Anderson officiating. Burial was in the adjoining cemetery.

Mrs. Daniel, 61, died at her residence at 11 a.m. Sunday. She was a lifelong resident of Lauderdale County, and a member of the East Florence Church of Christ. She is survived by her husband, Andrew R. Daniel, Florence; a daughter, Mrs. Kathleen Tank Killen; three sons, Carl L. Daniel, Florence; Roy Daniel, Detroit, Mich.; J. P. Daniel, Florence; two sisters, Mrs. Emma Brewer, Florence, Mrs. Ella Prince, Athens; a brother, Virgil Wesson, Florence; 10 grandchildren.

Joseph W. Wallace

Services for Joseph Wheeler Wallace, 79, of 447 Cherry Hill Homes, who died at his residence at 2:15 a.m. Sunday, were conducted at 3:30 p.m. Monday. The Rev. Chester Dobbs, pastor of the Oakland Methodist Church, officiated at the rites held at Chisholm Funeral Home, and burial followed in Walston Cemetery near Oakland.

A retired farmer, Mr. Wallace had lived in Lauderdale County for the past 35 years, moving here from Colbert County.

He is survived by a brother, Thomas S. Wallace, Florence, and other relatives.

Mrs. Annie G. Dixon

Services for Mrs. Annie Garner Dixon, 66, who died at her home on Waterloo, Rt. 2, at 8:35 p.m. Saturday, were held from Pisgah Methodist Church at 2 p.m. Monday. Ralph Snell officiating. Burial was in the adjoining cemetery.

A native of Lauderdale County and widow of Virgil Dixon, she formerly taught in the county school system. Mrs. Dixon was a member of the Central Heights Church of Christ.

She is survived by two sons, Earl Dixon, Waterloo, Route 2, Robert Dixon, Nashville, Tenn.; a daughter, Mrs. Marjorie Lard, Florence; three step-sons, Buford Dixon, Killen, Clovis Dixon, Tusculum, Ariz., C. I. Dixon, Iron City, Tenn.; a step-daughter, Mrs. Edna Wooten, Montgomery; a sister, Mrs. Ola Angel, Florence; six grandchildren and other relatives.

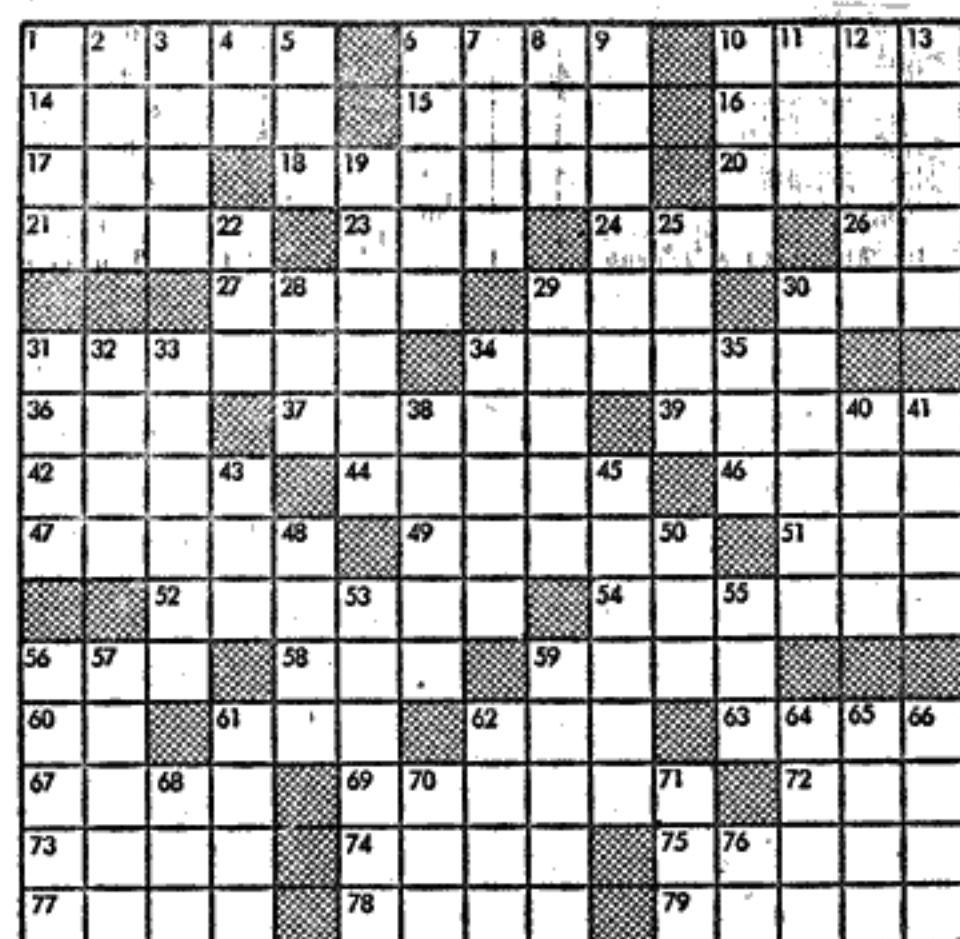
Attache Of ABMA Exchange Speaker
James F. Dowdy, assistant director of training for the Army Ballistics Missile Agency at Redstone Arsenal, was the speaker at Tuesday's luncheon meeting of the Florence Exchange Club.

A native of Cloverdale and the Central High School community, Mr. Dowdy presented two films in color that showed the eight missiles now being produced at Redstone. The films, with sound tracks, contained talks by Major Gen. John B. Medaris, ABMA commander, and Dr. Werner Von Braun, rocket expert who heads the Redstone team of scientists.

The Rev. Harold Borchert, a missionary recently returned from Kochi, Japan, was a guest of the club.

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Owen Campaign

Opens At Athens Friday Evening

C. C. (Jack) Owen, Alabama Public Service Commission president making his second race for the governorship, will officially open his campaign at the Athens National Guard armory Friday night at 7 o'clock.

Appearing with Owen will be Roy Acuff, the Grand Ol' Opry star of long standing who's no neophyte in politics himself. Acuff, running several years ago as the Republican nominee for governor against Democrat Frank C. Clement, polled the heaviest vote given a GOP candidate in the Volunteer state in recent years. Others in Owen's troupe of entertainers who will be at the Athens rally include Porter Wagoner, also of the Opry; Marlin Green, young Town Creek singer-composer, and The Confederate Colonels, popular Montgomery quartette.

Owen is due in Florence today and will be interviewed at 6:15 p.m. on the WOWL program, "Let's Talk It Over."

NOTICE

Competitive bids will be received in the office of the Lauderdale County Board of Education until March 1, 1958 at 10 a.m. covering one each—1940 model rock crusher—salvage condition. Approximate weight 20,000 lbs. Sale to be awarded to highest bidder.

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Let's Talk It Over
By SARA SAZE

Dear Sara Saze,

What is your opinion of a person who constantly makes sharp and cutting remarks to others? Seems like every time she opens her mouth there's an edge to what comes out.

Now, I don't believe she wants it to be like this. I believe she must be real sorry about it sometimes. She does a lot of good, like helping her neighbors with their canning in the summertime, and all. And she's always at church meetings and works in all the charitable organizations. The more I know her, the more I like her. There have been times when she has helped me out of some tight spots which I sure appreciate, but I never can feel real free around her. As far as I know she is truthful to the letter but she repeats every word. She sometimes causes hard feeling when she tells the wrong things. Right now she has got someone I'm fond of treating me cool.

It would be right hard to stay clear away from her. What is the best in a place like this?

A Friend

Dear Friend,
It is indeed difficult to keep completely clear of any one person in a small community. However, I do suggest that you never take this woman into your confidence again, and that you guard your every word when in her presence. This watchful program will without question become a nuisance, but following it will surely be the better part of wisdom.

The sharp tongued do-gooder is always an enigma, as are many other complex natures. It seems to me that she would soon be known for what she is and that it would be difficult for her to continue causing trouble. But there again you have a very common idiosyncrasy. Chips on shoulders.

If you watch your own conversation and your own shoulders I think your relationships will be pleasant and your days not too difficult.

Dear Mrs. Saze,
Please give a little sympathy to a starving man.

About two years ago my doctor found my blood pressure up a little and put me on a diet and I give you my word I haven't had a square meal since. Or one that tasted like food.

My pressure has been fairly normal for the past several months but my wife can't believe it. That's what she says. Of course I know she's enjoying just cutting up a raw carrot and pouring that glass of butter milk, but I'm a working man and I need steak and potatoes. Please line up with me.

Weak and Hungry.

Dear Sir,
I think I'm hardly the one for you to appeal to. Why not try to bring your wife and your doctor into agreement?

It may be that, since your pressure has returned to near-normalcy, your wife is attempting to keep it there. But in any case, go to headquarters with your complaint. I wouldn't dare enter in here.

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World - wide interest in the Tennessee Valley Authority program and social engineering is reflected in the purchase of the novel Dunbar's Cove by the U. S. Information Agency. Borden Deal, the

author, was notified that the U.S.I.A. will assist, through many overseas missions, in the publication of translated versions, in 42 languages. The University of Alabama graduate and former Scottsboro resident is living now in Tuscaloosa.

News Of ANDERSON

By Myrtle McGraw

One hundred and forty eight attended Sunday School at the First Baptist Church Sunday and others came in for the preaching service. The pastor, the Rev. R. P. Speakman, filled his pulpit at the usual time. There were two additions to the church Sunday, Janice White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hermon White, and Sonja Haney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Haney.

Seventy-eight attended Training Union Sunday night.

On next Sunday afternoon at two o'clock there will be a baptismal service for the candidates awaiting baptism from the First Baptist Church at the Grace Baptist Church in Florence.

The Anderson Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. Jim Bullard for its regular meeting Friday. The demonstration on accessories for the costume was given by Miss Prickett, Home Demonstration agent. There were eight members and one visitor present for the meeting. After the business session was over the hostess served refreshment. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Hobert Ridgeway. Mrs. Frenchie Raney and Mrs. Ethel Goodman will attend the next leadership meeting.

Mrs. Harold Sinyard was very pleasantly surprised Thursday night when 10 of her classmates arrived with delicious food and gifts for her birthday and began to sing "Happy Birthday" before entering her home. Those present were Mrs. Ann Davis, Mrs. Virginia Jefferys, Mrs. Arlene Pirtle, Miss Peggy McConnell, Miss Brentson, Miss Patricia Kelley, Miss da Gullet, Miss Vonda Lee Pat-Glennda Faye McConnell, Miss Joyce Middlebrooks and Miss Avon Johnson. Mrs. Sinyard and her guests are all seniors at the Lauderdale County High School. Mrs. Onita McConnell and little daughter, Terry, neighbors, were also present.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McConnell left for Cleveland, Ohio, last week to visit their daughter and her family there.

Johnnie Patterson and W. F. Patterson of Cleveland, Ohio, visited relatives here during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sinyard visited the Everett Belue family of Chattanooga, Tenn., over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stark of Cleveland, Ohio, have returned to their home here.

Mrs. Bobby Ray Smith and little son of Staten Island, New York, have returned here to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Mason, for a visit.

L. A. McConnell celebrated his 75th birthday Sunday with a dinner at his home. His children and their families came bringing baskets of food which was spread on the table at the noon hour for a delicious meal. Those present for the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Harold McConnell, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie B. Thorne, Mr. and Mrs. Louie McConnell, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McConnell and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Albert McConnell and children, Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Hulon McGraw and Doris, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Cates and girls and Miss Shorty Hammond.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shedd have moved into the upstairs apartment of Mrs. Tottie Denham.

News Of Central Heights

By Mrs. Andrew Thrasher

Church
Central Heights' Woman's Society of Christian Service observed World Day of Prayer last Friday at the church. Mrs. R. L. Reeder, Spiritual Life secretary, was the leader of the program given.

The Day Circle of Pleasant Hill met Monday afternoon at the home

of Mrs. Roy Ford for a monthly program meeting. Mrs. Brown McIntyre was in charge.

The Night Circle met at the church Monday night for a program meeting with Mrs. John Butler being the leader.

Sunday evening services were held at Pleasant Hill church, Rev. C. D. Dobbs, preaching.

Mr. and Mrs. John Waller of Auburn spent the week-end with Mrs. Waller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Haddock.

Lt. David Llewellyn returned to Columbus, Ga., Sunday after spending the week here. His wife and new baby son, Ricky, have gone to Corinth, Miss., after being dismissed from ECM Hospital.

Their little daughter, Susan, is visiting with the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Llewellyn.

The Louis Haddocks went to Auburn for the week-end, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cosminsky.

Last Saturday morning when the Earl Haddocks woke up to see the big blanket of snow, it did not scare them from their trip to Chicago, Ill., where they spent the week on business.

Mrs. Amie Dixon, formerly of Central, was buried Monday at Piggish church.

Services for Mrs. Rufus Daniels, a former resident of Central, were held Monday afternoon at Wesley Chapel.

Mrs. Jimmie Lou Jackson had her 72nd birthday recently and she was given a surprise, when her relatives and friends came to her home with gifts and covered dishes.

Her guests were Mr. and Mrs. Will Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. John South, Mrs. Pearl Hill, Mrs. Broadus Allen, Mrs. Annie Llewellyn, Mrs. Ethel Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Wesson, Mrs. Ross Harrison, Mrs. Thomas B. and son, Mrs. Beaumont Simmons and Mrs. Kathleen Weeks, Mrs. Ernest Wiley and daughter, Doris.

Mrs. Eugene Green and children, Gary and Gene Anne from Nashville, Tenn., visited the I. B. Earwood's last week-end while Mr. Green visited his mother who is ill in the Russellville hospital.

News Of CLOVERDALE

By Kathryn Smith
Phone 2073-M-2

Persons
Mrs. L. C. Simmons and daughters, Frances and Janet, visited Mrs. Simmons' mother, Mrs. Darby, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Gray visited relatives near Athens over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Fulmer and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Farris.

Mrs. Leona Burgess spent Friday night with her daughter, Mrs. Venson Kelly, in Iron City, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Roper (Alta May) announce the birth of a daughter Feb. 20 at the ECM Hospital.

Kirkland Shelton is now home after being ill at ECM Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Richardson were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. John Dulin.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Johnson are now in their new home. We are glad to have them in our community.

Ena Ahonen suffered a heart attack Sunday. He is a patient at ECM Hospital.

Mrs. Carl Franks of Greenhill is visiting her sister, Mrs. Albert Willis, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Crowson (Barbara Ann Harrison) announce the birth of a daughter Feb. 19 at ECM Hospital.

Church
The W. S. C. S. met at the Cloverdale Methodist Church Thursday night. Mrs. James Montgomery gave the devotion and Mrs. Jack Sims gave an interesting talk on the Society and its foundation. Mrs. Ernest Montgomery presided over the Bible study, taken from the book of Mark. Mrs. Clyde McCorkle, W. S. C. S. president, presided over the business session.

The W. S. C. S. will meet with Mrs. Earnest Montgomery on Tuesday afternoon, March 4, at 1:30. All ladies of the Community are invited to attend.

News Of POWELL

By Mrs. J. N. Phillips

Church
One hundred attended Sunday school at the Bethel Baptist church Sunday morning with others arriving for the 11 o'clock worship hour. We were happy to have visitors worship with us at both the morning and evening services. Fifty-eight were present for Training Union in the evening. The Rev. McDougal filled his pulpit as usual at both the morning and evening hours.

Persons
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McConnell are visiting their daughter and her family in Ohio.

The Leonard Burgess family has returned here, from Cleveland, O., due to a lay off in Mr. Burgess' employment there.

The Walter Cockrell family were dinner guests in the Sanford McConnell home in Lawrenceburg, Tenn., Sunday.

Mrs. Opal Forsythe underwent surgery at the Lawrence County Hospital in Lawrenceburg last week.

Mrs. Geneva Amazon was in Nashville last week for a check-up from recent surgery which she underwent there.

Funeral services for Mrs. Bertha McGill of Town Creek were Tuesday afternoon at the Bethel church. Burial followed in the Mitchell cemetery.

The Curtis Knight family and Mrs. Louise Sapulich and children of Indianapolis, Ind., are visiting here this week due to the death of Mrs. Bertha McGill.

UNIVERSITY TO GET NEW SWIMMING POOL

Construction of a swimming pool building at the University of Alabama is expected to begin about April 1, and should be completed in approximately 12 months. President Frank A. Rose said here last week. Bids will be opened March 18.

The natatorium will hold a regulation pool, 25 yards by 18 and two-thirds yards, with all facilities meeting National Collegiate Athletic Association specifications.

The structure, financed from athletic department plant funds, will be built on Thomas Field, west of the University tennis courts.

The question for debate is: Resolved that United States Foreign Aid should be substantially increased.

Medals and certificates are awarded in both men's and women's divisions in the other tournament events.

HIGH SCHOOL DEBATERS TO COMPETE MARCH 13-15

The annual Alabama High School Forensic Tournament is expected to bring some 125 high school students from 20 schools to the University of Alabama March 13-14-15.

The tournament is sponsored each year by the University's Speech Department and Extension Division to foster among the high schools of the state a broad program of supervised competitions.

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Persons
Mr. and Mrs. H. O. King and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wright and Ethridge Tilley were guests of the Bill Weeks a while Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bevis and daughter of Waynesboro, Tenn., were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bevis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mikey Horton spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Henson.

Bill Weeks spent Thursday night in Florence with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wright.

Mrs. Edward Henson and Mrs. Mikey Horton spent a while Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Nettie Holt and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ethridge Tilley and children moved from this community last Friday to the Cloverdale community in the Grover Hendrix tenant house.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weeks and son spent a while Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Henson.

L. G. Montgomery was rushed to ECM Hospital Thursday afternoon where he underwent surgery and is reported to be improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Henson were taken to Savannah, Tenn., last Saturday for medical treatment.

News Of KILLEN

By Mrs. W. D. Stutta

Mrs. Mary Lynn McPeters, our second grade teacher, is a grandmother again. A new son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Loyd McPeters. Loyd is Mrs. McPeters' son.

It is surprising how happy our pupils are to be in school again following the week-long snow and ice vacation.

Mrs. Mae Jones is teaching for Mrs. McPeters this week, due to the new grandson in Mrs. McPeters' family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mauldin attended the recent dinner at the Florence Country Club in honor of Dr. Rose, new president of the University of Alabama. The dinner was sponsored by the Alabama Alumni Association of Lauderdale County.

Mrs. Osie Jones visited her son, Bill, and family, at Russellville during the past week-end. He owns and operates a drug store there.

Prof. J. C. Harris, a former principal of the Killen School, returned Sunday from a visit of several weeks with relatives in Houston, Texas. His son, Calvin, and grandson, John Thomas, came back with him for a few days' visit.

Barbara House, one of our former pupils, has re-entered our school. She is in the sixth grade. Several eighth grade pupils did some visiting during last week.

Cecilia Clemmons visited friends in Kingston, Tenn., Rickey Ensey visited in Nashville. Viola Shields and parents were visited by relatives from Detroit.

W. H. Walker, maintenance supervisor for the county Board of Education, was a guest in our luncheon on Monday.

We are sorry to learn that Earl Tank's grandmother, Mrs. Daniel, of Weeden, passed away on Sunday.

The ninth grade made \$79 on its recent chicken stew. The money will be used to help pay for the class trip to Montgomery.

The new son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McPeters is named James Cary McPeters.

Sam Henson is the proud possessor of a 60-year membership badge presented to him by the Killen Masonic lodge.

Bradley T. Cox, who has been visiting his son, B. T. Jr., in Arraheim, Calif., for several months, is expected home by March 4. His son and family will accompany him.

Mrs. Missie Holland of Titusville, Fla., is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Angel.

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News Of WATERLOO

By Mrs. S. E. Cherry

Church
Regular preaching services will be held at each of the Waterloo churches Sunday.

W. S. C. S.
The Women's Society of Christian Service held its February meeting last Monday night at the home of Miss Mary Pickens with Mrs. L. O. Jagers serving as assistant hostess. The March meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. J. White.

P-T-A.
The Waterloo P-T-A. will meet next Monday night in the school auditorium.

Persons
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lee Austin have returned to Mishawaka, Ind., after a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Culver were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Culver in Florence Friday night.

Mrs. William Hagood has been

a patient at ECM Hospital recently.

A. D. Young and Bobby Threat from St. Joseph, Mo., spent the week-end with family members here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Haggard have received word that their son, Billy, has arrived safely in Germany where he is serving with the Armed Forces.

Mrs. Jennie Culver is a patient at ECM Hospital.

Miss Peggy Lard is convalescing at home following recent surgery.

Week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Weston were Mr. and Mrs. Delaine Chafin and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bill Weston and baby from Birmingham.

Clarence Ellis Jones spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Jones.

The rings around the planet Saturn are composed of tiny, highly reflective solid particles or "moonlets."

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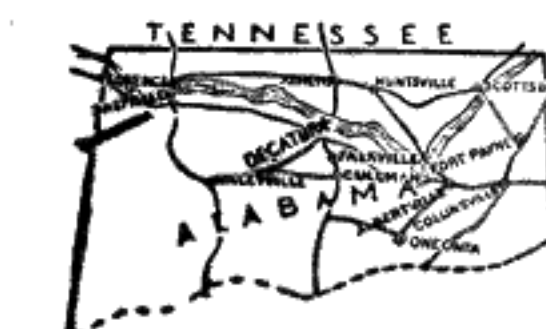
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I hereby announced my candidacy for re-election as judge of the Law and Equity Court of Lauderdale County, subject to action of the Democratic primary on May 6. Your vote and support will be appreciated.

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I hereby announce my candidacy for member of the Lauderdale County Board of Education subject to the will of the voters in the Democratic Primary Tuesday, May 6, 1958. Your vote, support and influence will be appreciated.


Mrs. John R. Waddell

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I hereby announce my candidacy for Solicitor of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit subject to the action of the voters in the Democratic Primary Tuesday, May 6, 1958. Your vote and influence will be sincerely appreciated.

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I hereby announce my candidacy for the Alabama House of Representatives from Lauderdale County, Place No. 2 subject to the action of the voters in the democratic Primary Tuesday, May 6, 1958. Your vote and support will be appreciated.

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CHARLES G. LONG

FOR STATE SENATE
I hereby announce my candidacy for State Senator, First Senatorial District composed of Lauderdale and Limestone counties subject to the action of the voters in the Democratic Primary Tuesday, May 6, 1958. Your vote and support will be appreciated.

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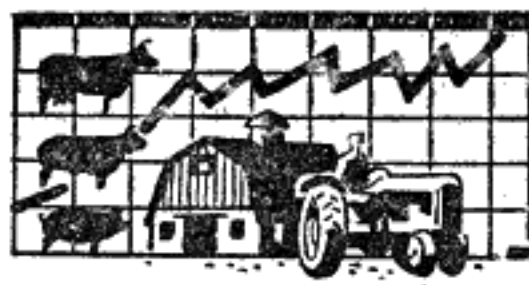
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Day	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	John	4	31-34
Monday	Luke	22	39-46
Tuesday	Mark	3	35
Wednesday	John	6	34-40
Thursday	Peter	4	19
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Saturday	Hebrews	13	20-21

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Farm Review and Forecast



Here's Good Advice On Tree Planting For State Farmers

Many landowners with no previous experience in forestry will be planting trees between now and spring.

Due to tree-planting programs under the Soil Bank Conservation Reserve plan and other state and federal projects, rebuilding of forest reserves has been undertaken by many farmers over the state.

Speaking in Auburn this week, API Extension Forester Ivan R.

Martin had a few words of advice for farmers setting out seedlings. The plants, he said, must be kept moist from the time they leave the nursery until they're planted. He explained that a good root system is essential to successful planting; and, unless care is taken, roots will dry out rapidly and become injured.

"Water the seedlings immediately after they arrive from the nursery and plant them as soon as possible," advised the forester. "If seedling must be put off for several days, plants will stay moist if stored in a cool place. Seedlings kept for more than four or five days should be 'heel-in' in moist soil, however. To do this, dig an open V-shaped trench. Then open the bundle of trees and

spread roots out along one side of the trench. Fill in with soil so all roots are covered, then drench with water. Stamp down the soil for a firm covering and keep it moist until planting.

On planting day, be sure to keep roots covered with a damp material such as wet moss, or keep them submerged in a puddle or bucket, Martin said. Never allow roots to be exposed to sun or wind, even for an hour.

Nematode Search Made In Alabama, Over Southeast

Alabama — along with 24 other states — was part of a 750,000-acre area where a search for nematodes was carried on last year.

In cooperation with the U. S. Department of Agriculture, state agriculturists inspected three-quarters of a million acres in central and eastern states, examining soil for the underground pest, pulling plants to check roots for clinging female nematodes, and visually inspecting sample fields for yellowed spots that might reveal feeding of the tiny ceworms.

USDA scientists consider this broad survey a big step forward in eventual control of nematodes. They point out, however, that the search must be continued and intensified. Last year's survey bore down hardest in older soybean-producing areas where crop rotation is not practiced and in areas exposed to infestation through movement of farm machinery or by other carriers.

Scanning soybean fields for unhealthy looking plants is the quickest but least certain survey method used for nematodes, say USDA specialists. The healthiest-looking fields can nourish heavy nematode colonies a year or more before damage appears above ground. By the time crop damage is apparent, billions of nematodes are usually present.

Although soil fumigation reduces nematode numbers, it is costly and doesn't give complete control. Until research now in progress finds a practical chemical, cultural, or biological control of the pest, scientists advise farmers to keep soybeans or other host crops off infested fields during long crop rotations.

North Florence Pharmacy Owner Wins \$100 Prize

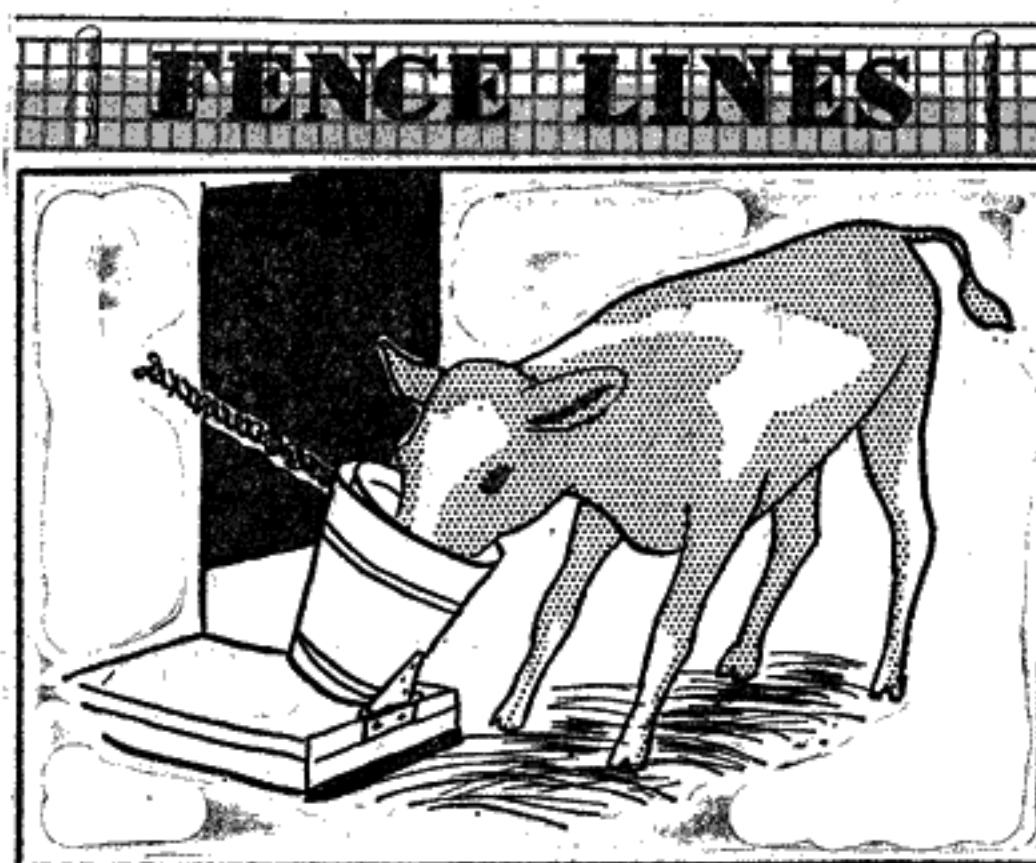
Otis W. Brown, owner of the North Florence Pharmacy, has won a prize of common stock worth \$100 in the salesman's "Stock Spectacular" contest, it has just been announced by the contest's sponsors, the Remington Electric Shaver Division of the Sperry Rand Corporation.

This contest, which closed on Dec. 1, 1957, offered a total of \$25,000 in prizes for retail and wholesale salesmen of Remington electric shavers. All prizes were awarded in common stocks listed on the New York Stock Exchange. Common, stocks, rather than cash, were selected as prizes because of the widespread interest in participation in the growth of American industry through share ownership.

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A Red Cross water safety instructor training course will be taught at Florence State beginning Monday.

The class will meet at the college pool from 7-10 p.m. each Monday and Thursday during March. It is open to anyone who wants to qualify as a Red Cross water safety instructor who is a strong swimmer, with the endurance to keep up in the course.

There will be 30 class hours of instruction by George Gibbons, FSC physical education department. Upon successful completion of the course students will receive Red Cross water safety instructor certificates.

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Legal Notice

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE
THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Lauderdale County.
James Edward Crum, Complainant

vs.
Elsie Crum, Respondent
In the Law and Equity Court

AT FLORENCE
In this cause it is made to appear to the Ex-Officio Register, by the affidavit of James Edward Crum that the respondent, Elsie Crum, is a non-resident of the State of Alabama and that her place of residence is unknown and cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort, and further, that in the belief of said affiant, the respondent, Elsie Crum is over the age of twenty-one years.

It is therefore ordered by the Ex-Officio Register that publication be made in the Florence Herald, a newspaper published in Florence, Alabama once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring the said Elsie Crum to plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 31st day of March, 1958 or, in thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso may be taken against her.

Done at office in Florence, Alabama, this 21st day of February, 1958.

ELBERT L. DALY,
Ex-Officio, Register.
Feb. 27; Mar. 6, 13, 20

NOTICE
CHANGE OF VOTING PLACE
BEAT 8 OR BLACKBURN BEAT
IN LAUDERDALE COUNTY,
ALABAMA

Whereas, a majority of the voters in Beat 8 petitioned the Commissioners' Court of Lauderdale County, Alabama, to move the voting place in Beat 8 or Blackburn Beat from Haygood's Store to Wilson School, and that on the 27th day of January, 1958, the Commissioners' Court of Lauderdale County, Alabama, passed a resolution changing the voting place in Beat 8 or Blackburn Beat from its present voting place at Haygood's Store to Wilson School.

COURT OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
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JAMES A. BLALOCK
DAVE TIGER
Feb. 27, Mar. 6, 13

NOTICE
PROBATE COURT
STATE OF ALABAMA
LAUDERDALE COUNTY

Estate of Mary Ricks, deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed as Executor of the Last Will of Mary Ricks, Deceased, on this day in the Probate Court of said County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate must file the same within the time required by law or they will be forever barred.

This, February 13, 1958.
Lucinda Beasley,
Executor
Feb. 20, 27, March 6.

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE
THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Lauderdale County
LAVENIA BLAKELY

vs.
MYRTLE B. STATOM et als.
In the Circuit Court in Equity
At Florence

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register, by the affidavit of Jesse A. Keller, Solicitor of Record for the complainant that the defendants John S. Blakely whose last known address was 8738 Woodman Avenue, Pocomo, California, and Rena Blakely, whose last known address was

Box 2941 West Lorraine, Roseburg, Oregon, are two of the named respondents in the above styled cause; that pursuant to Section 2-B of Alabama Equity Rule 5 registered letters were mailed to both of the named respondents at the said addresses and were returned "unclaimed," and the said John S. Blakely and Rena Blakely are concealing themselves and refusing service in this cause. Both of the named respondents are non residents of the State of Alabama, and are over the age of 21 years, and if the said named respondents are not living at the addresses aforesaid, then the defendants in the above stated cause are non residents of the State of Alabama, and that their place of residence are unknown and that it cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort and further, that in the belief of said affiant, the defendants John S. Blakely and Rena Blakely are of the age of twenty-one years.

It is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Florence Herald, a newspaper published in Lauderdale County, Alabama once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring the said John S. Blakely and Rena Blakely to plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 10th day of March, 1958 or, in thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso may be taken against John S. Blakely and Rena Blakely.

Done at office in Florence, Alabama, this 5th day of February, 1958.

Elbert L. Daly, Register
Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE
Estate of L. L. Hill, deceased,
Probate Court.

Letters testamentary on the estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 10th day of February, 1958, by the Hon. Herman K. Longshore, Judge of the Probate Court of Lauderdale County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Pearl S. Hill
Feb. 13, 20, 27.

MORTGAGE SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage from William Chandler and wife, Ruthe Chandler to First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Florence to secure an indebtedness therein described, which mortgage is recorded in Mortgage Record 582, Page 140 in the office of the Judge of Probate of Lauderdale County, Alabama, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured thereby, the undersigned will, on Thursday, the 6th day of March, 1958, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, within legal hours of sale in front of the Court House door in Florence, Alabama, the real estate described in said mortgage located in Florence, Lauderdale County, Alabama, to-wit:

A part of Original Lot No. 349, City of Florence, described as running from the Northeast intersection of Locust Street and Campbell Street Northwardly along the Eastwardly line of Locust Street produced 271 feet to a fence; thence Eastwardly in a straight line along said fence 73 feet, more or less, to the Eastwardly line of an alley or road; thence Northwardly along the Eastwardly line of said alley or road 210 feet to the point of beginning; thence continuing along said line Northwardly 37.5 feet; thence Eastwardly 148 feet to the West line of an alley or street; thence Southwardly along said alley line 65 feet; thence Westwardly 64 feet; thence Northwardly 22 feet; thence Westwardly 84 feet to the point of beginning.

This sale is being made to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said mortgage and the proceeds of sale will be applied as therein directed.

FIRST FEDERAL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION
OF FLORENCE, Mortgagee.
Feb. 13, 20, 27

STATE OF ALABAMA
LAUDERDALE COUNTY
IN THE PROBATE COURT

NOTICE
Estate of Susie Hart Brewer, deceased.
To the heirs at law of Susie Hart Brewer, deceased, to-wit: Mrs. May Hart Hurd
1403 Beechwood Avenue
Nashville, Tennessee
R. H. Hart
843 Sixteenth Street
Newport News, Virginia
Mrs. John W. Davis
1600 Van Vleck Avenue, S. E.
Atlanta, Georgia

W. S. Hart
1600 Van Vleck Avenue, S. E.
Atlanta, Georgia
June B. Hart
Apartment A-1, Room 105
Oak Ridge, Tennessee
You are hereby notified that Virginia Hart Long has filed in this court her petition in writing verified by her oath praying for the probate of the Last Will of Susie Hart Brewer, Deceased, and for the appointment of said petitioner as executor thereof and that said petition will be heard in said court on March 6, 1958, at which time you may appear and contest the same if you think proper so to do.

February 11, 1958.
Herman K. Longshore
Judge of Probate
Feb. 13, 20, 27

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE NOTICE

Under and by virtue of a certain mortgage executed to the undersigned by Virgil Mitchell and wife, Grace Mitchell, under date of October 31, 1955, to secure a debt therein named, which mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Lauderdale County, Alabama, in Book 565, at pages 380-82, default having been

made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, the undersigned will, under the power of sale therein contained, sell to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door in Lauderdale County, Alabama, on Friday, March 14, 1958, during the legal hours of sale, the following described property located in Florence, Lauderdale County, Alabama, to-wit:

Lots No. 8 and 9 Block No. 456 according to the plat thereof made by Charles Boeckh, C. E., for the Florence Land Mining

and Manufacturing Company and recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Lauderdale County, Alabama, in New Plat Book No. 1, on Page 125. The proceeds of said sale to be applied as directed in said mortgage.

Said sale will be made subject to a certain prior mortgage held by the First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Florence, Marvin Kenneth Saint
Marjennia Saint
Mortgagees
Feb. 20, 27, March 6.

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Department of Electricity
City of Florence

News Of LEXINGTON

By Jeanette Newton

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Thigpen have a baby girl, whom they have named Debra.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cox of Nashville were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. McMeans.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Lee visited relatives in Hattin Sunday.

O. W. White, Sr., is a patient in the Weathers Hospital in Loretto, Tenn.

Sunday guests of Mrs. George Newton and daughters were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hammond and Misses Verna and Alma Belue.

Miss Pauline Newton was ill at her home here during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Campbell and children of Sheffield were Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Campbell at their home here. Other guests of the Campbells were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Campbell, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Richardson and children.

O. W. White, Jr., was the speaker at the Layman's Day Service at the Lexington Methodist church Sunday.

Iris Club To Meet

The February meeting of the Lexington Iris Club will be held on March 14 at the home of Mrs. H. C. Truitt. The meeting, which will be devoted to making corsages for the alumni banquet, will be directed by Mrs. M. J. Hester of Florence, who has had much experience in this type of work. The organizational part of the meeting will begin at 5 p.m. All members who are able to do so will bring sandwiches and help with this part of the meeting. The meeting proper will get underway about 6:30 p.m.

Alumni Banquet

The annual Lexington Alumni Banquet will be held Saturday evening, March 15, beginning at 8 o'clock, in the school cafeteria. Committees have been appointed to take care of the various phases of the work and all evidences are that the banquet this year will be a great success. Reeder Parker, Lexington graduate and now a member of the Tennessee bar, will be the guest speaker. In addition to the address, an entertaining program of musical and novelty numbers is being planned.

The board of directors of the Alumni Association would like to urge all graduates of Lexington School and their husbands and wives to attend the banquet this year. Last year more than 300 people were in attendance and would like to have as many people this year. Space limitations make it necessary to set a deadline for making reservations. The final date has been set as March 10. Reservations may be made by sending \$1.50 per plate to Miss Jeanette Newton, Lexington, Alabama, on or before March 10.

News Of GREENHILL

BY MRS. MARY McLAURINE

Regular church services were held at the Methodist church Sunday and several visitors were present for the morning sermon. They were: Miss Barbara Wilcoxson of St. Joseph, Tenn.; Mrs. Lorene Gibbs and son of Leoma, Tenn.; Mrs. Della Hennessy and son and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Snoddy and daughter of Florence.

Miss Ruth Newton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newton, of Five Points, Tenn., and Arvill Lee Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis, were married Feb. 8. They are now at home in Greenhill.

A miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. Harlon Odell was given at the home of Mrs. Barry Griggs on Friday night.

Miss Judy Hewitt, 7th grader at Rogers High School, won first prize over other contestants at her school with her shell collection, which will be entered in the biological division of the district Science Fair at Florence State March 14-15. Judy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hewitt. She collected most of her shells on the Gulf of Mexico.

Funeral services for Mrs. Alan Moody were held at the First Baptist Church Saturday. The Rev. Ed Crosslin officiated. Burial was in the Johnson Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Elston Green were called to the Oakland community because of the death of her grandmother, Mrs. Rickard.

Mrs. Andrew Killen is confined to her home because of illness. Mrs. Raymond Hannah visited in Lawrenceburg, Tenn., Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee Richardson and Wanda of Florence visited relatives here this week. Mrs. Alice Fowler and Joe spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. James Lumpkins in Florence.

Miss Louise Hannah visited relatives in Iron City, Tenn., over the week-end.

Mrs. Helen Olive and Wanda of Iron City, Tenn., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hannah.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gooch and daughters of Detroit, have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Thornton.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Gist visited Mr. and Mrs. James Young Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Thornton of Florence visited Mrs. Birdie Shaw Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gladney were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Clemmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burgess and family of Valdosta visited relatives here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wheeler visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wheeler and Cathy in Florence Sunday.

News Of ROGERSVILLE

By Mrs. Oswald Waddell
Phone 2681

Civitan Auxiliary

The Civitan Auxiliary met in the home of Mrs. Mike Beckman on Feb. 18 with good attendance in spite of the snow.

Presiding over the meeting was Mrs. C. J. Pennington, with Mrs. Roy Harrison in charge of the program, which she centered around Washington's birthday. Scrambled word contests and a listing of the conveniences of today that were altogether unknown in Washington's day were interesting features.

In the current event period even the weather was included, but of more importance was the discussion of school problems and juvenile delinquency, the articles by Mrs. Ferguson, columnist, being used as a basis for the discussion.

The project for the year for the Civitan Auxiliary is a recreation center. Progress has been made in securing a desirable location and the city officials have pledged support when plans are final.

Mrs. Stanley Romine became a member.

A delicious party plate was served by the hostess.

Church Dinner

The Rogersville Church of God was host to the North Alabama Ministers Association of the Church of God, Reformation Movement, on Feb. 18.

The program included dinner at 6:30 p.m. in the church dining hall. During this fellowship the Rev. and Mrs. Gerald Harris were surprised with gifts from the different churches, which they called housewarming gifts.

The Rev. Clarence Best gave the devotional, which was also their midweek prayer service, with the Rev. Malcom Rigel in charge of the musical program.

The visiting ministers met in the auditorium for their business session presided over by Rev. John Holman, pastor of the Sixth Avenue Church of God, Decatur, and president of the association.

Plans were made for a series of Family Life conferences to be conducted by Rev. Carl H. Kardatzke of Anderson, Indiana, in the North Alabama churches.

Others from out of town were: the Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Best, Austinville Church of God, Decatur; the Rev. Robert Q. Boggs, Hartselle; the Rev. and Mrs. N. P. Jones, Parkway Church, Huntsville; the Rev. and Mrs. Fred C. Kinder, First Church, Huntsville; the Rev. G. P. Worman, Summerville; the Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Benson and children, Athens; and the Rev. and Mrs. Malcom Rigel, Sheffield.

Announcement was made of the revival to begin at the Rogersville Church of God on March 5 and to continue through March 14, with the Rev. Byron L. Chew of Tampa, Fla., evangelist.

Misses Sara and Serena Zuckerman arrived on Wednesday from Birmingham for a visit during the "snow" vacation with grandparents, the Gerald Harrises.

HD Club

The Romine Home Demonstration Club disbanded and a new club, the North Rogersville Home Demonstration Club, was organized at a luncheon meeting on Friday at the home of Mrs. Kelmer Weathers.

Mrs. Van Griggs presided and conducted a contest which was a list of accessories scrambled. The winner was Mrs. Weathers.

Business was dispensed with before the luncheon, with officers to be elected at the March meeting. The demonstration, "Accessories For Costumes", was given by Miss Farris Prickett, Lauderdale County Home Demonstration Agent.

The program for the year includes: March, "Laundry and Hard Water Problems"; April, "Do It Yourself"; July, "Attractive Tables Everyday"; August, "Family Togetherness"; September, "Milk For All Ages"; October, "Gifts We Can Make"; November, "At Home For Christmas"; December, Christmas party.

Those interested in home demonstration work are urged to attend the next meeting on March 14 at the home of Mrs. Kelmer Weathers.

The executive board of the Huntsville Presbyterian met at the Rogersville U. S. A. Presbyterian Church on Friday for a plans meeting, presided over by Mrs. Dorothy Hubbard of Decatur, president of the Presbyterian.

She gave the opening devotional, followed by minutes read by the secretary, Mrs. Hans Holstein of Huntsville.

During the business session plans were made for the spring Presbyterian at the Copeland Church near Athens, plans and dates for Synodical Camp at Maryville, Tenn., and for the Leadership Training School.

Delegates were named to the



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Quadrennial at Purdue University in June. Four delegates will represent this Presbyterian.

Dinner was served at the church, and a short business session concluded the meeting which was attended by 25 ladies from the several churches in the Huntsville Presbyterian.

Surprise Party

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Roberson surprised their son, Richard, on Wednesday evening, Feb. 19, when they invited a group of his classmates

to their home, the occasion being Richard's 16th birthday.

The group played records and did the things teenagers enjoy most—eating. Sandwiches and iced drinks, plus the expected birthday cake, were served.

Day Of Prayer

People from several of the Rogersville and nearby churches gathered at the Cumberland Presbyterian Church at 9 a.m. on Friday for the observance of the World Day of Prayer.

Mrs. J. R. Waddell led the service, the theme of which was "The Bread of Life."

Other leaders were, Mrs. E. L. Waddell, Mrs. Thurston Vickers, Mrs. Gerald Harris, Mrs. Rex Roberson and Mrs. Walter Ingle.

Mrs. Kelmer Weathers told

of the origin and growth of the World Day of Prayer and of the projects being aided by the day's offering. Mrs. Luther Johnson was at the piano.

Robert (Pete) McLemore, who

has enrolled at Florence State after having spent four years in the Navy, the last part of which was in the Persian Gulf, spent the week-end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Crowell, who have been in the Buford Mitchell home, have moved to Florence where Mr. Crowell is a student at Florence State.

In the home of Mr. and Mrs.

Walter Ingle on Sunday was Harold Duncan of Chattanooga. His mother, Mrs. Laura Duncan, who

has been in the Ingle home for several weeks, returned to Chattanooga with him.

Mr. and Mrs. George Blackburn and Tommie visited relatives near Huntsville during the week-end.

Mrs. Mary Crymes has returned

from Nashville to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Williams in Florence where she is recuperating.

In Rogersville on Sunday for a

visit with the Lanier Calverts were Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Hammett and daughter of Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Barnard and daughters of Atlanta were week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Barnard.

In the home of Mr. and Mrs.

Buford Howard on Sunday were Jimmie Howard and Carolyn Bradford of Florence.

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