

Weather Sunny and warm this afternoon... Temperature at 3 P. M. today 85 High and low past 24 hours 79-64

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Big Slash S Out, Say Senators

Threat To Export Business Cited

WASHINGTON (AP)—Senators today... Hoffman's report would have a tendency to slow down the demand for a large reduction...

HEADING FOR THE HILLS

This little calf is getting cheated out of a lot of good pasture grass by swollen waters of Tuckasee River in a mile from Dillsboro...

ASHVILLE—(AP)—Flood waters in mountain rivers began to recede today...

Floods Recede In Western Counties

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NC Gas Chamber Claims Victim

RALEIGH—(AP)—A young Robeson County Negro was put to death today for murdering his wife...

Steward Refuses Free Ocean Trip Back Home

NEW YORK—(AP)—Retiring yesterday after 60 years at sea, Arthur George Ingram, 73-year-old stevedore...

Once Over Lightly

By WALTER SEIGENTHALER... One good thing about being a farmer is when you finish work...

Byrd Raps Army-Navy Retirements

Says Officers Pensions Early

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen. Byrd (D-Va.) protested today that many Army and Navy officers retire at an early age to draw "pay for life"...

VA LEADER ARRIVES FOR INSPECTION



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Gen. Gray Hears Arguments

City Boomed As Hospital Site

By J. A. DALY... Charlotte News Staff Writer... Spokesman for Charlotte's commercial, medical and veteran affairs today directed to Met. Gen. Gray...

Resort Air Lines Plans Expansion Of Operations

Resort Air Lines of Southern Pines announced today an expansion program, including issuance of \$150,000 in additional capital stock...

Babich Denies Shooting His Wife's Young Sister

MILWAUKEE (AP)—Milton Babich denied today that he shot his wife's young sister...

Judith Coplon Swears Loyalty

WASHINGTON (AP)—Judith Coplon swore today that "I have always been loyal to the United States."

Preachers Brawl Over Who Shall Perform Ceremony

ROCKFORD, Mo. (AP)—A Presbyterian pastor today nursed a bitter feud with a Methodist minister over who should perform a wedding ceremony...

Government Prosecutors Rest Case

Defendant Slated To Take Stand

NEW YORK (AP)—A defensive motion to dismiss the perjury charges against Alger Hiss was denied today by Federal Judge Samuel Kaufman.

TWO MOTIONS

Defense attorneys made two motions, one to dismiss the indictment on the ground that part of it was defective...

CHAMBERS DISMISSED

CHAMBERS DISMISSED... The only witness called this morning was Benjamin H. Firestone...

FRANKLIN'S STATEMENT

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WADSWORTH'S STATEMENT

WADSWORTH'S STATEMENT... Wadsworth, one-time associate of Hiss in the State Department, admitted on the stand yesterday that his Communist sympathies led him to turn over confidential documents for relay to Russian agents.

DEFENSE BEING HERD

DEFENSE BEING HERD... Defense attorneys made a statement of Miss Coplon's denial yesterday that she ever was a Communist or ever gave Government secrets to Valentina A. Gubitcheva, the Russian spy who was arrested in New York March 4.