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—27TH IN NATION—

Why Vote Mental Hospital Bonds?

(This is the second of two articles examining the \$72,000,000 bond issue for mental hospitals...)

By TOM FESPERMAN
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At the last count, there were 10,879 children and adults in North Carolina's mental hospitals...

WE'RE 27TH IN THE NATION
North Carolina ranks 27th in providing hospital care for its mental patients...

Will Give US \$400 MORE
The \$22,000,000 bond issue, if it's approved Saturday, will provide 3,000 additional beds...

Health authorities say the national standard should be 5 per 1,000. With approval of the bond issue, North Carolina would have little more than 42 cents of the standard...

North Carolinians have been aware of the great inadequacies in the care of the mentally ill at least since the 1850's. It was then, long before the war, that Tom Johnston of The News wrote a shocking series of articles out of his own experiences and entitled them "Out Of The Night of Morganton"...

But the state never caught up. While the population increased, and mental and nerve problems increased as the result of war, North Carolina ran into building troubles. Meanwhile, with each year, the state hospitals got 300 more applications than they could accept...

Governor Unstead put it this way: "The need is urgent and has worked at this problem in piecemeal fashion long enough. The responsibility... is the obligation of every citizen of North Carolina."

CLOSE STUDY PRECEDED REQUEST
The General Assembly got down to fine details before it set a figure on the proposed bond issue. It went over needs at all the mental institutions, and itemized them...

At Butler, our newest hospital, there are thirteen different projects needed. All left over from Army use in World War II, needed more than \$3,000,000 worth of renovation. The entire Butler job would cost \$8,112,500...

One of the five would be construction of a \$4,800,000 school for so-called "Negro children." The entire Goldsboro school would cost \$5,650,000.

It will take \$1,400,000 annually from the general fund each year to pay off the annual bonds to pay off the school bonds. It will take \$2,200,000 annually to pay off the school bonds. Total debt service required for the two issues would amount to approximately \$1.3 per cent of the state's general revenue...

Hagerty Denies Advance Knowledge Of News Leak
WASHINGTON (AP)—James C. Hagerty, White House press secretary, said today neither he nor President Eisenhower knew in advance that the story of Gov. Earl Warren's impending appointment as chief justice of the United States would be leaked to several newspapers...

The reporter had asked whether the Front Street or Rialto Street advance that the story would be leaked, who would do it, and who would be the leaker. Mr. O'Donnell, Washington columnist for the New York Daily News, in his paper today said that he did not think he would interfere with them.

Many Features In 'C' Section
The Magazine Section of today's Charlotte News contains many outstanding features. The radio listings are found on page 14-C. The Feature Page on 15-C and the comics on page 16-C. The news story in the back page of the Magazine Section and on the front page is a feature story on the life of Charlotte's outstanding women.

OUR WEATHER
Partly cloudy and continued warm today, tonight and Friday. High temperature expected today, 84 degrees. Low temperature expected tonight, 67 degrees. High temperature yesterday, 82 degrees. Low temperature this morning, 59 degrees. Sunrise 6:11 a.m.; sunset 6:37 p.m. More Weather Data on Page 13-A

Comic Dictionary
WORK that a person likes to do because it isn't work.

REPLACEMENT



California's Lt. Gov. Goodwin J. Knight would not disclose the telephone message he received (above) in San Francisco Wednesday, but judging from his expression it may have been news that Gov. Earl Warren was appointed to fill a Supreme Court vacancy, and Knight was to move to the governorship. (AP Wirephoto)

Indian Guards Kill Prisoner In Disturbance

By MILO FARNETT
PANMUNJOM (AP)—One anti-Communist North Korean war prisoner was killed and five were wounded today when Indian guards opened fire during a screaming, rock-throwing demonstration in a compound and hospital, the Indian command announced tonight.

The 11 N. Koreans, which announced the incident first, said the Indian guards fired at a group of 500 North Koreans in custody of the Neutral Nations Repatriation Commission hurriedly sent and tried to scale a barbed wire fence while demonstrating against a visit by Polish and Czech Communist members.

"When the situation grew so serious that the local commander thought the lives of the Indian troops and NNRC members were threatened, he ordered his guards to fire six shots," said Brig. Gen. V. K. Singh.

"They fired five or six single shots to begin with. A total of 12 rounds were fired, all single shots. The Indian general said the demonstration began shortly after 11 a. m. and ended about noon. He said the Koreans quieted down immediately after the shots were fired."

An Allied spokesman said earlier the demonstration began in the hospital. About 500 anti-Communist Koreans are in a compound adjacent to the hospital being climbed over the fence and throwing rocks, the spokesman said. He said that Indian troops then moved in and broke up the demonstration with guns and clubs.

"They killed one prisoner and wounded five others," he said. "A sixth prisoner was wounded later, so seriously that he may die, when the demonstration presumably broke out again, he reported."

If they do, Eisenhower added, he did not think he would interfere with them.

Act Invoked In Effort To End Walkout

President Appoints Board Of Inquiry

NEW YORK (AP)—A multi-million dollar longshoremen's strike today paralyzed East Coast ports, and within hours President Eisenhower invoked Taft-Hartley law cooling off provisions in an effort to halt it.

Mechanics of invoking the law made it unlikely it could take effect before next week. FREIGHT EMBARRASSED
Railroad officials, in a move to prevent goods from piling up in the United States, ordered an embargo on railroad freight destined for the New York waterfront for shipment.

Eisenhower appointed a 5-member board of inquiry to report back to him by midnight of Monday, Oct. 5, after which he could seek a court order to apply the law's emergency provisions.

The unusual doekside quiet was punctuated by epithets shouted by rival union groups as the 8 a. m. shipment or start to work passed without a man volunteering.

The strike over a wage contract was called by the International Longshoremen's Assn., recently ousted by the American Federation of Labor for failure to rid itself of racketeering elements. Efforts of the AFL to bring the disgraced ILA members into a new union inspired fears of possible violence.

Police moved in when members of Local 808 who had gathered with the newly formed AFL-ILA union tried to hand out leaflets urging membership in the new group to ILA pickets circling the Grace Line pier 62 at West 10th Street.

Separated by the police, the two groups contented themselves by taunting each other. Tension eased somewhat, however, with the appearance of John Dwyer, former longshore ILA leader.

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Board Named By President

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower today invoked the Taft-Hartley law in a move to halt the paralyzing East Coast dock strike. He declared the strike imperils the nation's welfare and appointed a 5-man board of inquiry headed by David L. Cole, former director of the Federal Conciliation and Mediation Service.

Eisenhower, in an executive order, directed the board to report to him by midnight Oct. 5. These are preliminary steps to seeking from the courts an order to stop the strike. Once the chief executive receives the board's report, he can direct the Justice Department to ask a court injunction to halt the strike for 30 days while attempts are made to reach an agreement. The President's executive order said that the strike, which began early today, will imperil the national health and safety if permitted to continue.

The Taft-Hartley law authorizes See BOARD on page 10-A



You just have to take only one look at this picture to know that the World Series season has arrived again. This is a view of the line outside the Yankee Stadium Tuesday night as fans waited for ticket windows to open. (AP Wirephoto).

California To Don Robes Monday

Warren Appointment Approval Is Seen

By JACK BELL
WASHINGTON (AP)—Substantial Senate approval was forecast today for President Eisenhower's appointment of Gov. Earl Warren as chief justice of the United States.

When the court opens its fall term here Monday, the big, smiling California Republican will make an admirable chief justice and I shall consider it a privilege to work with him."

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Dallas Posse Hunts Slayer Of Woman

DALLAS, Tex. (AP)—A posse of about 600 angry Dallas residents, increased by a series of attacks on white women by a rude Negro prowler, helped harried police today in a search for the killer of a young mother.

The rape-slaying last night at Mrs. H. C. Parker, 29, attractive blonde dress store clerk, climaxed a series of beatings and rapes of white women by a prowler who has terrified Dallas for months.

Police said Mrs. Parker was literally "cut to pieces." Her throat was slashed deeply.

As police reinforced police patrols and the angry citizens searched through the night in vain for the killer, police felt the extra patrols in the crowded business residential area around Lemmon Avenue and Reverchon Park were off early today.

ROBERT THWARTED
An elderly woman was thrown to the ground by a young white man in what police called a robbery attempt. The woman's screams attracted nearby plainclothesmen and the assailant was arrested on the spot. Police Sgt. Tom Ellis

Mrs. Parker was the wife of a tubercular patient who has been hospitalized for three years. They have a 4-year-old son.

SCANT DETAILS
Mrs. Parker gave scant detail of the attack before she died en route to a hospital. She had finished work at 9 p. m. at a dime store in the Walnut Hills shopping center not far from the Dallas municipal airport. While she was waiting for her bus, she was attacked.

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Regret Parker Not Appointed
RICHMOND, Va. (AP)—Virginia's two senators said today that the Senate likely will confirm California Earl Warren as chief justice of the United States without opposition.

Both Senators Harry F. Byrd and A. Willis Robertson expressed regret that the appointment had not gone to Judge John J. Parker, chief judge of the U. S. Court of Appeals or the Fourth Circuit, but each said a reporter that he would vote for Warren as President Eisenhower's choice for the Supreme Court.

Parker had been endorsed by his associations and other 10 to 15 throughout the circuit, which includes Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland, North Carolina and South Carolina.

Sen. Byrd said: "I would have preferred Judge Parker, but so far as I can see now, there would be no justification for voting against Gov. Warren's confirmation."

Sen. Robertson said of Warren: "Personally I think he's a very fine man. I don't anticipate any fight in the Senate over his confirmation. Of course, I would have preferred to see the appointment go to some outstanding jurist, like Judge Parker, of our circuit court of appeals."

Scenes Of Congratulation On Warren Appointment



Gov. Earl Warren and his wife are pictured (left) in Sacramento, Calif., as they exchanged congratulatory telegrams upon Warren's appointment as Chief Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court. At center is a view of the happy Warren. And in the photo at right, Gov. Warren is being congratulated by Frank Durke (left), director of public works, and James Dean, director of finance. Both Durke and Dean are appointees of Warren. (AP Wirephotos).

EVENING PRAYER

O God, our Father, grant to us the salvation offered us through Christ our Lord. Then help us in His spirit to be active every day in doing good to others that they may see our good works and glorify Thee. For His sake, Amen.