

PUBLIC HEARINGS ON THE JOINT CASE SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE HEAR EVIDENCE

LOOK WHAT SANTA BROUGHT



Oooh, look at Gilda's doll! Linda Dowdle (right) and Mary Catherine Cline (center) forget about their dolls for a minute to see the pretty doll held by Gilda Davis. The three girls brought their Christmas dolls to class today as a preview of the doll show on each year by girls of Elizabeth Long's first grade class at Zeb Vance School.

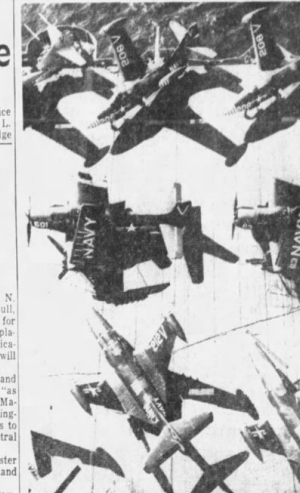
House Speaker Praises Ike's New Program

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower gave Republican legislative leaders a detailed review today of his program for the new session of Congress, and House Speaker Martin (R-Mass.) hailed it as "dynamic" and "progressive."

Solicitor Requests Judge Hear Evidence

By ANN SAWYER Charlotte News Staff Writer A "wide-open public hearing" on accusations against Police Chief Frank N. Littlejohn was requested by Solicitor Basil L. Whitener, a new Mecklenburg grand jury was told today by Judge J. C. Rudisill.

PLANE PATTERN



This unusual view of Pantherjets and propeller driven Sky-ralders on the flight deck of the U. S. Navy aircraft carrier Keagawase was taken from the top of a cargo crane by an ambitious Navy photographer while the carrier was docked at the Yokosuka, Japan, naval station recently. (U. S. Navy Photo via AP Wirephoto)

Textbooks Run Poor Second To New Dolls, Space Suits

By JOHN BORCHERT Charlotte News Staff Writer The little girl in the first grade class room had her reading book open, but she was looking at something else.

Gen. Hull Says POWs To Be Freed Jan. 22

MUNSAN, Korea (AP)—The U. N. Commandant, Gen. John E. Hull, today blamed the Communists for the breakdown of prisoner explanations and said without qualification that all anti-Red prisoners will be freed at midnight Jan. 22.

French Planes Hit Red Supply Lines

By LARRY ALLEN HANOI, Indochina (AP)—French fighters and bombers returned to moonlight attacks early today but coolie supply lines to the Communist Vietnamese forces threatening an assault on the French-occupied Dien Bien Phu.

Allies Shape Peace Plan For Germany

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Western Powers are planning to confront Russia with a three-point German peace program at the Berlin conference, it is reported that the Soviets show up with some serious intention to negotiate.

Piccards Plan Deeper Dives

CASTELLAMMARE DI STABIA, Italy (AP)—Jacques Piccard, who teamed with his father to set a deep-sea diving mark last fall, says they hope to descend still further into the sea next spring.

8 Children Die In Two Fires

OLD ORCHARD BEACH, Maine (AP)—Eight young children perished today in two separate fires, five in their dwelling at this ocean resort and three in a flame-swept cottage at North Sebago, 20 miles to the northwest. The two mothers were burned in futile rescue efforts.

OUR WEATHER

Fair and cooler today. Fair and little change in temperature to a light frost. Tuesday, increasing cloudiness and mild with showers likely late in the day.

WHAT'S IT DOING HERE?



Seaboard Airline Railroad trainmen and police examine an abandoned automobile found stuck in a switch more than a quarter mile from the nearest road on the railroad's main line into St. Petersburg, Fla. Unable to get a wrecker to the scene, trainmen dragged the car back to a crossing by hitching a chain onto the locomotive. (Associated Press Wirephoto)

Death Toll New Record For New Year's Holiday

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS Accidental deaths during the three-day New Year's weekend set a new record for similar holiday periods but were far short of the heavy toll during the Christmas weekend a week earlier.

Doesn't Expect Shoe To Fit Cinderella

DETROIT (AP)—Pellegrino Richard Green is looking for the owner of a 7 1/2-c shoe. He does not expect the shoe to fit any Cinderella, though he thought a stolen pickup truck smashed into the 26-year-old Green's car outside his home last night.

EVENING PRAYER

Lord, help us to see that victory over sinful habits can come only with the help of Christ. May we let Him be our Deliverer this day. In His name we pray. Amen.