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TREES BEAR BRUNT OF STORM'S FORCE



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Big limbs cracked and came tumbling down all over town during the windstorm that hit Charlotte and vicinity late yesterday. Here is the sort of scene that attracted attention today as BIG BLOW, LITTLE RAIN

Carolinas Clean Up Litter In Wake Of Sharp Windstorm

By TOM FISPERMAN Charlotte News Staff Writer Residents of many Carolinian towns and cities were dragging away trees, replacing plate-glass windows and awnings, and generally straightening up matters again today as the aftermath of a severe windstorm.

continued repair work as the result of similar violence Tuesday night... Around Winston-Salem, there was a brief tornado scare. Huge black clouds rolled in, and there were reports of an ominous funnel cloud shape, but the scare soon died down.

Wilson Says U. S. Has 152 Air Wings

WASHINGTON (AP)—Secretary of Defense Wilson said today that this country now has "152 wings" of the establishment of the only defense which Navy and Marine aircraft units are evaluated like Air Force wings.

Planes Recalled By Air Force

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Air Force today issued a recall order for all the 37 C-54 transport planes it had leased to commercial airlines.

Investigation Is Asked

WASHINGTON (AP)—Rep. Madden (D-Ind.) said today he will introduce a bill for a congressional investigation into whether atomic tests in Nevada have any bearing on the tornadoes striking the country at a possible record rate.

A-Bomb-Tornado Connection Queried

Chairman Short (R-Mo.) however, told newsmen the question is beyond the committee's authority. Madden's letter requesting the probe.

Ike Defends Federal Role In Developing

RIVERDALE, N. D. (AP)—President Eisenhower said today the federal government must work in partnership with state and local governments and private industry to develop the nation's natural resources.

President Speaks At Dakota Dam

Addressing a crowd of about 5,000 persons at the ceremonies, marking a stage of completion of the federally-financed 250-million-dollar Garrison Dam, the President said construction of the huge project by the federal government was "something people here could not do for themselves."

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Board Generally Quiet On Bible

School officials of Charlotte and Mecklenburg County generally were quiet today on the issue of whether Bible classes should be made available in the City and County schools.

Nationalists Praise Opposition To Truce

TAIPEI, Formosa (AP)—Top leaders of Nationalist China are saying nothing about the impending truce in Korea, but today 25 members of Parliament sent President Syngman Rhee of South Korea a letter expressing their opposition to the armistice.

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Knowland To Take Over

Sen. Robert Taft of Ohio, who announced his high condition will prevent his being active as Senate Republican floor leader, will be succeeded by Sen. William F. Knowland of California, who probably will sit in as floor leader. (UP Telephoto).

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Rhee Disagrees With Eisenhower

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