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Foolish Is As Foolish Does

IT HAS BEEN said that the proper memory for a politician is one that knows what to remember and what to forget. City councilmen, in their haste to please a large Charlotte firm...

inner workings of the city's political machinery to be found here. At the meeting—during which the change was voted—William E. McIntyre, the new planning director...

There are 172 streets within metropolitan Charlotte with exactly the same name of at least one other street.

"Our City Council... never behaves so foolishly as when it is engaged in foolish business," exclaimed the New York Times last week in a moment of editorial exasperation.

Open Season

THIS seems to be the season for suppression of the news, secrecy in government and state censorship throughout the state loosely described as the free world.

Jefferson Standard Broadcasting Co. which wishes to use 1 Jefferson Pl. as the address for its new building, had every right to request that the city name be changed.

Throughout the world, man's right to know the facts is under attack. The lesson is clear: Vigilance is still the price of liberty.

'Relativity' And Sandy Graham

IN CERTAIN circles, "relativity" stands for the notion that things look different to observers in different places and different times, that truth depends on the point of view of the seeker of truth.

who is battling today for a \$150 million road bond issue. Burke Davis, an ex-Charlotte News man, says old Raleigh hands can remember the legislative wrangle over the first big Tar Heel road bond issue.

Southern Viewpoints - Dime A Dozen

IN GEORGIA the governor vowed to "champion the southern viewpoint at all times." In North Carolina a bright young office visitor inquired: "Do you subscribe to the southern viewpoint?"

John Sparkman, William Fulbright, Hodding Carter and Erskine Caldwell. If the above-mentioned southern spokesmen are mentioned to agree on one important and unimportant issue since we lead the world in the production of all varieties, kernel and verbal.

A ROSE IS A ROSE, AND THAT'S ENOUGH

JUST as we had almost recovered from watching Mrs. India Edwards speak in 1952, along comes a resolution that shakes our faith again in the campaign refrain of politicians that more women ought to take part in politics.

of the closing days of Congress the men need a nomination to head off the rambling rose, our suggestion is for corn. Plain, honest corn. It was the first plant the Indians brought the starving colonists, and America has been passing it along to needy nations ever since.

Rep. Bolton declares, "We discovered that the United States is the only nation without a national flower, and we felt this symbol should be added to the identification of our country." The rose represents courage, says Ohio's raised, and further (making three words for one) "loyalty, love, and devotion."

The chain letter racket is not very sensible, but as applied to government bonds, it has a silver lining. At least a lot of clumps who never would think of buying a bond as a good investment are buying them as a gamble.

Southern Success Story The Pulp, Paper Industry

By VIC REINEMER Associate Editor, The News

DURING recent years much has been said and written about industrial development in the South, and the various attractions offered new industries by southern states.

in the year. This giant facility will eventually employ more than 1,000 persons and produce 100,000 tons of dissolving pulp annually.

Goal of government and industrial leaders in the state is total reforestation of the state's 16 million acres of forest land. The reforestation program of some companies is almost incredible.

ALABAMA There are five paper and paperboard mills in operation in Alabama, and one paper and building board mill.

MISSISSIPPI The big development news in the industry in Mississippi is the Forest Products of the International Paper Co. pulp plant at Natchez.

There are six pulp plants in the state, with a total investment of about \$100 million, and a daily production of 3,075 tons. Also the state has one paper company, the American Paper Co. plant at Port Gibson.

FLORIDA About \$70 million was invested in the pulpwood industry in the state in 1954, bringing the total investment in the pulpwood industry in the state to approximately \$478 million.

LOUISIANA The lumber and timber products industry in Louisiana ranks first among the manufacturing industries in the state in number of establishments.

TEXAS East Texas Pulp and Paper Co. erected a new plant at Ervada during 1954. Yearly output value of the mill's output is placed at \$16 million.

ARIZONA There are 17 firms in Arkansas manufacturing paper and allied products. They employ approximately 4,500 workers.

MISSOURI The lumber and timber products industry in Missouri ranks first among the manufacturing industries in the state in number of establishments.

WEST VIRGINIA In 1947, according to the U. S. Census of Manufactures, Virginia had 35 plants producing paper and allied products.

People's Platform

Parents Should Teach Children About Sex

Parents should teach their children about sex, according to a new study by the American Psychological Association.

death from infectious diseases. First of all, gonorrhea morbidity ranked second, and syphilis morbidity third.

Since 1947, furthermore, the incidence of infection used to be higher than the number of reported cases indicates, because of ill persons' reluctance to report infection.

Fog Area

The fog area in the state is estimated at \$68 million. Value of paper and paper products produced in Arkansas in 1954 was estimated at \$68 million.

Actually, the prime responsibility for such instruction rests with the parents, who should impart it in private, father to son, mother to daughter.

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Quemoy Island, on the other hand, is located directly opposite Formosa and is necessary to guard against any invasion of the island.

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Drew Pearson's Merry-Go-Round

A few intimates know it, but a secondary reason why President Eisenhower submitted his resignation to the Joint Chiefs of Staff was to get his impetuous advisers out of his thinning hair.

President Decided To Share Power

However, this was not Ike's motive, and he dismissed it impatiently. Rather, he spoke of his conception of the presidency which he thought had taken on too much power under the Democrats.

Quemoy Quandary

Meanwhile, his diplomatic and military advisers were battling behind the scenes to free the military from all rate regulation.

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Railroad Revolution

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