

THE WEATHER

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CHURCHILL DECLARES ENGLAND MUST RECEIVE PAYMENTS EQUAL U. S.

In First Speech in House of Commons the New Chancellor Strikes Chord Popular Throughout the Empire

London, Dec. 11.—Winston Churchill's declaration in his first speech in the House of Commons as Chancellor Exchequer of the government considered it essential that any payments made by Great Britain's debts in Europe to the United States should be accompanied simultaneously by proportionate payments to this country, please the press and populace immensely without regard to party and size of pocket books.

Every morning newspaper displayed the speech more prominently than anything else in the day's news delegating to second place the story of one of the worst fogs in years that has kept London dark and dismal for more than 38 hours and which this morning was still as dense as ever.

The Chancellor did not mention any debtor nation's name but almost every paper speaks of France whose emissaries have been discussing the debt at Washington.

The press with significant solidity takes the position that if France began paying its debt to America it is only fair that she should at the same time start settling with Great Britain.

The British position in the popular mind may be summed up as follows: "Great Britain roughly borrowed one billion pounds sterling and lent twice that amount to her allies. To pay her own debt she has received nothing from her debtors. If she can collect from her allies and Germany together enough to meet the American demands on the public purse she will be satisfied to relieve her debtors of the remainder of their obligations to her. It is held here that Great Britain borrowed not for herself but because her allies borrowed from her."

"It is obvious," says the Morning Post, "that we cannot bear all the sacrifice despite the somewhat barren glory which we reaped for our generosity while at the same time, as Mr. Churchill hinted, this country does not wish to pursue a niggardly policy toward France. It seems that the next step lies with the United States. President Coolidge and Congress are faced by a grave decision. They have chosen between policies from the party's point of view which may be easy and for the time being profitable and one which though it causes temporary embarrassment will in the end rebound to the credit of the United States to make for settlement and peace in the world. It is primarily a moral but is also a business issue for a too rigid creditor suffers in the end almost as much as the debtors."

Judge Harris Has Degree of D. D. R. Conferred On Him

Raleigh, Dec. 11.—Judge William C. Harris announced from the bench of the city court several days ago that he had conferred upon himself the degree of "D. D. R."

Lawyers in the court room were puzzled as to the meaning of the letters.

"Your honor," said a young attorney, "will you be good enough to tell the members of the bar just what all of this title mean?"

"With pleasure," replied the judge "Doctor of Domestic Relations" is the title.

The judge explained that he had been called upon so much lately to settle rows between husbands and wives, mother in laws and sons in law that he felt that he had won the degree.

Concord Realty Co. Granted Amendment Charter by Everett

Raleigh, Dec. 11.—An amendment to the charter of the Concord Realty Company increasing its capital stock from \$100,000 to \$500,000 has been granted by the Secretary of State.

Messenger Boy, Now 81, Saw Lincoln Shot.



HARRY C. WOLFORD

Henry C. Wolford, eighty-one, probably the oldest telegraph messenger "boy" in the world, has for the past four years been delivering messages in the downtown district in Washington, D. C. He was in Ford's Theatre there the night President Lincoln was assassinated.

SAMUEL COMPERS HAS A CLOSE CALL

High Altitude Mexico City Places Labor Chief in a Critical Condition for a Time

San Antonio, Texas, Dec. 11.—Samuel Compers, president of the American Federation of Labor, will arrive Friday afternoon from Mexico City accompanied by 27 other labor leaders. He will depart the following day for New York by way of New Orleans.

Reports from Mexico state that the labor chief became suddenly ill while there because of the high altitude and his condition was at one time serious. He was brought out of that city on a stretcher and a special train speeded him to a lower altitude. He is now said to have completely recovered.

Laymen's Christian Federation Doing A Fine Work Now

The Laymen's Christian Federation, on this morning, held one of the best and most largely attended services since its organization. Rev. Leg Sadler, pastor of the Eighth Street Christian church, had a message which was both inspiring and helpful. Every one present was glad that he attended the service.

The prayer services which are being held every morning at 8:15 are growing spiritually each day and every member is becoming more and more interested. Mr. G. E. Powell will conduct services Friday morning. The public is urged to be present.

Group Seven will conduct services at Gum Swamp tonight, Group Six at Cannon Swamp and Group 5 at Macedonia.

Sir Walter Raleigh's History of the World In Hall of History

Raleigh, Dec. 11.—A copy of Sir Walter Raleigh's "History of the World," printed in London in 1634 has been presented to the State Hall of History of Eric Norden, Wilmington, it was learned today. The copy was from the first edition of the book.

The book was written by Sir Walter Raleigh during his long years in the tower of London as a state prisoner. It is in a remarkable state of preservation.

CHARLOTTE OFFERS SITE FOR THE NEW DUKE UNIVERSITY

Should Trinity Decline Terms of Duke Trust Fund Charlotte Citizens Will Present Site for New Institution

Charlotte, Dec. 11.—A fifty acre tract of land nine miles from Charlotte is waiting as a gift as a site for Duke University if Trinity College does not accept the terms of the new trust fund of \$40,000,000 to be formally created by James B. Duke in a few days, it became known today.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore, owners of large estates in North Carolina and Florida let it be known they will present this tract as a site should it be decided to establish an entirely new institution.

Dispatches from Greensboro last night said the Board of Trustees of Trinity College would hold a special meeting on December 19. It is regarded as more than likely that the trustees will accept the terms of the trust, that Trinity College change its name to Duke University, thus to get benefit of a \$6,000,000 building fund and 32 per cent income from the trust.

The gifts to Davidson and Furman University more than double the endowments of those institutions it was understood today. Davidson has an endowment of about \$600,000 but the Duke trust fund out of which the institution will get 5 per cent income adds about \$2,000,000 to the endowment. Furman's share is also equal to an endowment of \$2,000,000, while that of Johnson C. Smith University, negro school here, is equal to an endowment of \$1,600,000. As the fund grows the endowments will increase. The 32 per cent to go to Duke University is equal to an endowment of \$12,800,000 as is that for hospitals in the two Carolinas. In addition the new university will receive not to exceed \$6,000,000 for building purposes.

Mr. Duke and his party left here yesterday for Somerville, N. J. He will remain there and at his offices in New York until after the holidays.

The Duke trust indenture will be filed in New Jersey probably the first of the week.

Health Officer Would Revoke Marriage License After 2 Yrs

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 11.—Revocation of all marriage licenses issued in Nebraska in cases where no children are born within two years, making exceptions for physical disability, when properly certified by a physician, has been proposed here by City Health Commissioner A. S. Pinto. Dr. Pinto announced he would support such a bill before the coming session of the Nebraska legislature.

Settee 300 Years' Old Presented to Hall of History

Raleigh, Dec. 11.—A settee more than 300 years old has recently been added to the large collection of antique furniture in the Hall of History, Col. Fred A. Olds announced today. The seat was presented by a Perquimans county family. It is made of sweet gum and hand carved.

Manila Government May Aid Nedy Students in U. S.

Manila.—The appointment of a Philippine government representative on the Pacific coast of the United States to look after the interests of Filipinos, especially young immigrants who are seeking employment to support themselves while at college, is under consideration by insular officials in view of the precarious situation of several hundred such students.

Manuel S. Rustia, Filipino commercial agent in Seattle, reports that no fewer than 70 700 Filipino students have arrived at that port during the last two months.

"This is becoming a serious problem for the Filipino community here," said Mr. Rustia, and the difficulties are expected to increase during the coming winter.

MOTION PICTURE PRODUCER LEAVES \$4,000,000 ESTATE

Los Angeles, Dec. 11.—Thomas H. Ince, motion producer, who died here last month after falling ill aboard his yacht in San Diego Harbor, left an estate of approximately \$4,000,000 it was revealed today by Charles Fowl, of the counsel for the executors. Virtually all the estate goes to the widow and three children under the terms of the will which Fowl said will be filed for probate this week.

NAVY OFFICERS DIE WHEN PLANE FALLS INTO PACIFIC OCEAN

Seaplane Engaged in Target Practice Drops Into Ocean Causing 5 Deaths and 3 Injuries

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 11.—Search continued today by naval authorities at Point Loma for the bodies of Lieutenant H. Roby and J. H. Wiczek, a naval radio operator, who fell to death yesterday in the seaplane H-16 when the aircraft dropped into the Pacific Ocean killing five officers and injuring three men. The plane was engaged in aerial target practice.

Official version of the tragedy will be heard from the naval board of inquiry appointed today by Captain Stanford E. Moses, commander of the air squadron attached to the battle fleet here. An important feature in the board's report will probably be the testimony of the three injured men H. R. Davenport, J. B. Messingill and R. Paulke, now in the naval hospital in this city.

The bodies of Lieutenant Giachino Barini, pilot; Lieutenant Arthur P. Thurston, assistant pilot, and Fred B. Cruell, aviation chief machinist mate, have been recovered.

North Carolinian Represents News Agency, Narcotic Conference

Raleigh, Dec. 11.—Winder B. Harris, of this city, is representing a news agency at the narcotic conference at Geneva, Switzerland, according to word received here. Mr. Harris started his newspaper career in North Carolina, having worked on a number of papers in the state. He is the son of Mrs. J. C. L. Harris and the brother of Senator Charles U. Harris of Wake county and City Judge W. C. Harris.

Bureau of Vital Statistics of State Dept. Health Reports

Raleigh, Dec. 11.—There were 4,095 illegitimate births, 907 white and 3,188 negro, in North Carolina during the year of 1923, according to the annual report of the Bureau of Vital Statistics of the State Department of Health just published.

Ten counties reported no illegitimate births among the white race, while two reported none among the negro. Each of the 100 counties in the state, however, was represented in the total.

The more populous counties showed the largest number of illegitimate births. Mecklenburg led with 62 white and 100 negro, followed by Wake with 19 white and 123 negro; Forsyth, 29 white and 109 negro; Edgecombe 3 white and 123 negro; Pitt 4 white and 115 negro; Guilford 50 white and 64 negro; New Hanover 8 white and 100 negro.

The 1923 report shows a slight decrease in illegitimate births as compared with 1922, there being 4,201 during that year.

JUST 11 DAYS TO SHOP

BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION WILL CLOSE TONIGHT

Dr. I. M. Mercer Elected President; Corner Stone Laid at Greater Meredith College

Raleigh, Dec. 11.—Electing Dr. I. M. Mercer of Wilson, as president, the Baptist State convention today crowded Friday's program into Thursday and Thursday night's schedule of business and prepared to finish their annual session this evening. Dr. B. W. Spilman, of Kinston, who has served as president of the convention for seven years, having the distinction of being elected three times in one calendar year announced his retirement at the opening session today. This triple election came about early in 1919 when at an adjourned session he was elected and at the regular session held that fall he was re-elected for the ensuing year. The feature of the morning session was an address by Dr. George McDaniel, pastor of the First Baptist church Richmond, Va., president Southern Baptist Convention, who discussed the 75 million dollars campaign now drawing to a close at the end of its five years period and the program for 1925 during which North Carolina Baptists will raise one million for all purposes.

A memorial last year from the Johnston County Association to have a commission of 20 persons named to succeed the present board of education and state mission at the end of 1925 was overwhelmingly tabled. An appeal for the Baptist church at Baden resulted in a large contribution and plans for completely wiping out its debt. This afternoon the convention adjourned to visit the site of Greater Meredith College where the corner stone was laid with great ceremonies.

Durham County Progress Will Appear On Friday, Dec. 11th

Durham, Dec. 11.—The Durham County Progress, a weekly newspaper, will appear for the first time on Friday December 12, according to H. I. Crumpler, who will be editor of the publication. The announcement says the paper will be seven columns in width, six or more pages in size and will be devoted to the interests of Durham and of that county.

W. W. Weaver, formerly owner of the Durham Sun, will be manager of the publication.

Mr. Crumpler was formerly connected with newspapers at New Bern and other points in Eastern North Carolina.

Automatic Signal System Regulates Traffic in Raleigh

Raleigh, Dec. 11.—Automobile and vehicular traffic is now regulated at three of Raleigh's business corners by an automatic signal system. There are little booths on the sidewalks in which the traffic officers stay while directing the traffic. The system was put in by City Electrician John Mangum and is said to be one of the best in the state.

Morrison Declines to Pardon Whismant and L. Phillips

Raleigh, Dec. 11.—Governor Morrison has declined to pardon Whismant McGill, serving a 20 year sentence for murder in the second degree. McGill was convicted in Forsyth county in 1917. The Governor also declined to pardon Lawrence Phillips, Forsyth county, under a 12 months suspended sentence for non support.

Commissions Offered Veterans Havana.—Approximately 60 enlisted men of the Cuban army are soon to be put in training for promotion to second lieutenants. This is under a new law providing that men who have served 20 years in the army, and eight years of that as sergeants, may on their request be given an opportunity to qualify for commissions.

Eastman Gives Away Last \$15,000,000.



GEORGE EASTMAN

Desiring to stop making money for himself, George Eastman, of Rochester, N. Y., president of the Eastman Kodak Company, has given away his last \$15,000,000 of stock of the company, retaining only enough to have a voice in the management. This makes \$30,000,000 he has given away. Massachusetts Institute of Technology gets \$4,500,000. Eastman School of Music, Rochester University, gets \$3,000,000; University of Rochester Medical School, \$1,500,000; University of Rochester College for Women, \$1,500,000; Hampton Institute, \$1,000,000; and Tuskegee Institute, \$1,000,000.

MR. MRS. CANDLER BURY THE HATCHET!

Atlanta Millionaire and Estranged Wife Reunited After Several Months' Separation

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 11.—A. A. G. Candler, aged capitalist of this city and founder of the Coca-Cola company, and his wife, from whom he has been estranged for several months, will begin their domestic relations anew today following a reconciliation effected last night, a story published in the Atlanta Constitution this morning said.

Mr. Candler and his wife separated several months ago and since that time she has been making her home with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Little in a fashionable section of the city.

Mr. Candler instituted divorce proceedings to bring separation but they have not yet been called for trial nor a date set for the hearing.

His attorney said last night he had received no orders to seek dismissal of the suit, the newspaper said. The Constitution said members of the Candler family confirmed the reported reconciliation and that Mrs. Candler moved back last night to the palatial residence occupied by the millionaire.

Bookkeeper in Dept. Labor and Printing Resigns

Raleigh, Dec. 11.—John G. McIntyre, bookkeeper in the Department of Labor and Printing has tendered his resignation to Commissioner M. L. Shipman, effective January 1, it is announced. Mr. McIntyre has been in the Department about four years. He is from Clatham county.

Section of Historic Elm Tree Presented to Hall of History

Raleigh, Dec. 11.—A section of the elm tree under which George Washington stood on July 31, 1775, when he took the oath as Commander in Chief of the Armies of the United Colonies has been presented to the Hall of History by the City of Cambridge, Mass.

SHARKS TEETH WITHSTAND RAVAGES OF MANY CENTURIES London.—Shark's teeth and fossils, believed to belong to a period of at least 10,000 years ago, have been found in a 1,400 foot well at Virginia Water, near Windsor. The discovery bears out the supposition that at one time the British Isles were inundated and that they were formed by the changing of the Gulf Stream.

AUGUST BELMONT, NOTED FINANCIER, DIED LAST NIGHT

Famous Turfman, Noted Financier, World War War Veteran Dies After a Day's Illness

New York, Dec. 11.—Major August Belmont, 71, financier and turfman, died at his apartment, 550 Park avenue, at 6:30 last night after an illness of little more than 24 hours. The cause of his death was given in the medical certificate as "cellulitis complicated by septicemia."

At his bedside at the time of his death were Mrs. Belmont and his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Belmont. The other surviving member of the family, Captain Raymond Belmont, was in his home at Middleburgh, Va., at the time of his father's death.

Mr. Belmont's death came with startling suddenness. In good health until Tuesday morning, when he complained of a slight indisposition, he went to his office at 46 Cedar street, downtown, at noon. About 2 o'clock in the afternoon he showed signs of illness to such an extent that his son, Morgan, accompanied him home.

Later in the afternoon his right arm began to trouble Mr. Belmont and blood poisoning set in. He was operated on this morning in his apartment, five surgeons, taking part. To the encouragement of those attending him, Mr. Belmont rallied for a brief period, but at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon he became unconscious, dying two and a half hours later.

Although funeral arrangements had not been made last night, C. J. Fitzgerald, of the Jockey Club, and representative of the Belmont family announced that the body would be taken to Newport, R. I., and buried there after services at St. George's Episcopal church.

August Belmont combined the characteristics of the hard-working business man plus the paying sportsman. At his office usually from 10:30 in the morning until 4:30 in the afternoon, he had a reputation of handling with unusual decisiveness and celerity executive matters of great importance. But even during his busiest hours, it was said by his associates, he was never too busy to receive one who was interested in horses.

A creator of great engineering projects, Mr. Belmont regarded the building of the Cape Cod Canal, in which he was moving forces, as his greatest achievement next to his construction of the Interborough Rapid Transit subway lines in New York City.

During the war he was in the air service for a year and half during parts of the years of 1917-18-19. He was stationed in France, where he served under command of Brigadier General Dewey, now Vice-President Elect of the United States.

Gibbons Expresses His Willingness to Fight All Comers

New York, Dec. 11.—With one stroke of the pen Tommy Gibbons, St. Paul light heavyweight, who knocked out Kid Norfolk, of Baltimore, in the sixth round Tuesday night, has challenged Mike McTeague and Gene Tanney and has declared his willingness to meet the champion, Jack Dempsey again. The challenge, to McTeague and Tanney are both in the hands of the state athletic association.

Harry Willis, negro, who defeated Luis Angel Firpo, in New Jersey, is also listed as an acceptable opponent according to Gibbons' manager Eddie Kane.

Negro Janitor in Gov. Office Will Be Retained by McLean

Raleigh, Dec. 11.—"Roach" Farrar negro janitor in Governor's office will be among the few employees who have served under Governor Morrison who will serve under Governor Angus W. McLean. Roach has been janitor at the Governor's office for many years, and his politeness has won for him many friends among statesmen and others who call at the executive offices. It is understood Mr. McLean will retain him.

LOCALS

Mrs. S. V. Morton, Jr. left this afternoon for Raleigh to make her home with her mother.

Mr. B. W. Bell, of Farmville, R. C. spent today in Greenville.

Mrs. J. S. Ficklen, Mrs. K. B. Pace, Mrs. Knott Proctor and Miss Iva Shelburn spent yesterday afternoon in Washington.

Mrs. J. K. Young went to Washington Wednesday.

Mrs. H. A. White, Mrs. Julia White, Mrs. Maggie James and Mrs. W. W. Lee went to Washington yesterday.

Mr. C. S. Carr, of Norfolk, Va. is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Whitehead are visiting their daughter, Mrs. G. C. Andrews in Kinston.

FIDELIS CLASS TO MEET TOMORROW EVENING

The Fidelis Class of the Immortal Baptist Church will meet Friday evening with Mrs. C. L. Roseback on Chestnut street. All members are expected to be present, as this is the last meeting our teacher, Mrs. Plimmons, will be with us.

FORD TOURING CAR LOCATED IN MARION, S. C.

A Ford touring car belonging to Mrs. Ella Cannon, of Ayden, and which was stolen on last Thursday night, from the tobacco section of this city, was located this morning in Marion, S. C. and local officer, immediately notified.

Just as soon as Mrs. Cannon missed her automobile she notified officers and they have worked untiringly in an effort to find the lost car. This morning Chief of Police Jones was notified by the Deputy Sheriff of Marion, S. C., that he was holding the car and its supposed thief.

Electric Service Supply Company Is Reorganized

The Electric Service and Supply Company located on Dickinson Ave., has increased its share and made some changes. Mr. P. L. Goodson has bought the interest of Mr. W. L. Clark and Mr. H. H. Duncan has taken stock in the company. He has already assumed charge of his new duties and will devote his entire time to the business from now on.

The officers of the Company are president, J. D. Murphy; vice president, R. D. Whitehurst; secretary and treasurer, H. H. Duncan.

The directors are J. D. Murphy, R. D. Whitehurst, H. H. Duncan, C. F. Hardee and P. L. Goodson. The two new members of the company, Messrs P. L. Goodson and H. H. Duncan need no introduction to the people of this community. Mr. Duncan for two or three years, was a member of the faculty of the Greenville Graded Schools and for the past

few months has held a position with the Pitt Motor Company. Mr. Goodson holds a position with the Imperial Tobacco Company. Both young men are very popular and held in high esteem by a host of friends. Mr. Duncan and Mr. Whitehurst are both active workers in the business and will be glad to serve the people at any and all times.

Pitt County Club Organized at University

The first meeting of the Pitt County Club at the U. N. C. was held Tuesday night, December 9th with twenty-eight members in order by Dick James the retiring president. He gave a brief sketch of the history of the club, its purposes, and made suggestions regarding future plans. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President R. O. Moye, Greenville; Vice President Harry M. Brown, Greenville; Secretary, J. Frank Harrington, Greenville; E. B. Dixon, Ayden, treasurer.

The new members were called on to give a brief talk on the subject "A Pitt Countian and his relation to the University." They gave interesting tales on their reasons for coming to the University, their impressions of the place, and the work they hoped to accomplish while here. Questionnaires were given out for the purpose of collecting information regarding all the members. In view of the marked tendency of Pitt Countians who have received higher education to migrate to other sections, each member was asked whether or not he intended to locate in his native county. In response to this nine were undecided, seven decided to locate in his native county, and 12 intend to locate elsewhere. The following members and the course they are pursuing is indicated beside their names: James P. Harrington, B. S. Commerce, Greenville; William Perkins, A. B. Greenville; Zeno H. Brown, A. B. Greenville; Marvin D. Sugg, B. S. Commerce, Greenville; Dick James, LL.B., Greenville; William M. E. Brown, A. B. Greenville; Robert H. Wright, Pre-Med., Greenville; Harry M. Brown, A. B. (Journalism), Greenville; Sidney Skinner, B. S. Commerce, Greenville; Joseph Taft, B. S. Commerce, Greenville; R. O. Moye, A. B. Greenville; Will Whedbee, Law, Greenville; Joe S. Moye, A. B. Greenville; Robert Little, A. B. Greenville; J. E. Sudd, B. S. Commerce, Greenville; William K. Newton, A. B. Farmville; Marion Davis, B. S. Commerce, Farmville; R. L. Smith, B. S. Commerce, Farmville; W. E. Alexander, A. B. Ayden; E. B. Dixon, B. S. Commerce, Ayden; T. W. Johnson, A. B. Ayden; E. V. Tucker, Pre-Med., Grifton; J. Q. Patrik, B. S. Commerce, Grifton; J. Vance Perkins, B. S. Commerce, Stokes; E. K. Manning, A. B. L. L. B., Bethel; C. A. Turner, B. S. Commerce, Bethel; Malcolm McWhorter, B. Bethel; F. W. Satterthwaite, B. S. Commerce, Pictoula.

CONDITION OF ALBION DUNN, IS IMPROVING

The many friends of Albion Dunn, Jr. who has been quite ill with pneumonia will be glad to learn that his condition is greatly improved. Albion is very popular with his school who have missed him during his sickness and who wish for him a speedy recovery.

MRS. F. T. ERYAN ILL IN LOCAL HOSPITAL

Mrs. F. T. Eryan is ill in the Pitt Community hospital. Her friends wish for her a successful recovery.

"Flashes of Great White Way," Pleases Capacity House

"Flashes of the Great White Way," a jingly, peppy revue of the World's playground, played to a capacity house in White's Theatre Wednesday evening.

The attraction was unusual, and quite different from the average run of shows seen in Greenville during the show season.

The scenic effects were beautiful, the costumes pretty but daring as advertised. While the dancing was one of the most attractive features of the evening entertainment.

Saxi Holtsworth's Jazz Saxophone Orchestra was greatly enjoyed and appreciated by the audience as evidenced by the repeated applause.

Birth Announcement. Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Lasater announce the birth of a daughter, Mary Well, on Wednesday, December 10, 1924, Community Hospital.

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Woman's Christian Federation Holds Interesting Meet

The Woman's Christian Federation held an enthusiastic meeting in the Methodist church Wednesday afternoon.

The devotional led by Mrs. Milton White was inspirational. The Scripture lesson for the afternoon was in keeping with the season. It caused us to appreciate more than ever the gift of our precious Master.

Mrs. B. Wiley, our president called for reports from group leaders. It proved that the Federation is indeed at work, by their ready response. They report numerous visits to sick, strangers, shut-ins and those in prison besides many answers to the hungry and needy. In addition to this reports came in for various prayer meetings; not only in the country but also in the homes of the shut-ins.

The neighborhood prayer meetings are still being held in the different parts of town and great good seems to be accomplished through them.

Many expressions of love and esteem were given for Mrs. Plimmons, one of our staunch members who is soon to leave us for other fields of service to the Master.

She was ever ready to co-operate in the activities of the Federation. By her presence and words of inspiration she wonderfully helped the forward movement of our organization. Mrs. Brinkley spoke of the love

and fellowship we are all enjoying and that we are all drawn closer together by means of the Christian work in this Federation.

One of our most loyal group leaders announced that her group was right there ready with a load of groceries to carry to a needy family as soon as the meeting was over. The meeting adjourned with sentence prayers to meet again on Wednesday January 21, 1925.

MRS. WILEY BROWN.

German Lumber Industry Active. Stuttgart. — Germany's lumber business, which has been in the doldrums, is rapidly getting back to normal, according to a recent announcement of the trade. Many of the mills and other lumber plants are running at nearly full capacity. The wooden shoe factories of the country have been operated on full time recently, the output being sold in Germany and Holland which takes the bulk of the wares.

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ENGLISH TRADE GOOD WITH BALTIC STATES INVESTIGATOR FINDS

Libau, Latvia.—England today is doing almost as much business with the states bordering on Russia as was carried on with the Russian empire before the war, according to L. W. Lyde, professor of geography in London University, and his assertions have aroused considerable interest in the new Baltic states. Latvia alone bought more British goods last year than Soviet Russia, and Finland bought two and a half times as much from England as the Moscow government.

Professor Lyde maintains that very few of the English goods which enter the new Baltic states are transhipped into Soviet Russia. Last year Soviet Russia took English goods valued at about \$12,500,000. The Baltic states bought British products valued at \$46,250,000.

Leaf Muscovite Russia is too primitive and limited in its buying power to consume large quantities of western manufactured goods, according to the English professor, who points out that much of the most productive territory of the old Russian empire is now outside the Soviet territory and that the agricultural area of European Soviet Russia is over-populated.

As Russia's total wheat and rye crops are not now sufficient to supply her own population with a daily bread ration of one pound a person, Professor Lyde says it is erroneous to regard her as exercising any considerable influence on the world price of breadstuffs. Before the Franco-Prussian war brought American into the European wheat market Professor Lyde says Russia exercised a sort of monopoly, but now, he says, "Russia is a mere slave to American grasslands, with which she cannot compete in quantity or quality, or even in price, and she exercises no influence whatever on the world food prices."

Pedestrians of Berlin Inssit Upon Jay Walking

Berlin.—Berlin is having a hard time putting through its new traffic regulations, which for the most part are patterned upon American models. In fact this capital, in which cabinet crises are so frequent as to be uninteresting, is now developing what may be termed a traffic crisis. Next to campaign news the discussion pro and con of the new regulations for vehicle and pedestrians occupies most space in the daily press.

The difficulty seems to be twofold: First, the lack of discipline of the pedestrians, and second, the unorganized admixture of pushcarts, autos, electric cars, busses, bicycles, and horsedrawn vehicles in the streets.

The Berlin pedestrian regards it as his inalienable right to cross the street wherever and however he pleases. He will throw himself into the confused jumble of vehicles of every description in the middle of the street and insist upon crossing without waiting until he reaches street intersection. Until the German can be taught to bow to the same rules when he is out walking as govern his progress when he is riding, the enforcement of traffic regulations will be rendered illusory.

TELL 'EM & SELL 'EM

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Cherry Bryant, deceased, late of Pitt and Beaufort counties, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said Cherry Bryant to exhibit them to the undersigned at Falkland, N. C. within one year from this date or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment.
This the 6th day of Nov. 1924.
J. T. BELL,
Administrator of the estate of Cherry Bryant.
Julius Brown, Atty. 6-1twk 6wks

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
Having qualified as executrix of the estate of S. B. Underwood, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned or her attorneys at Greenville, N. C. on or before the 10th of November, 1925, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.
This the 10th of Nov. 1924.
ELOISE LISTER UNDERWOOD,
Executrix of S. B. Underwood.
F. G. James & Son, Attys. 21 1w4w

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF LAND

By virtue of power vested in me by that certain mortgage executed to me, on the 7th day of February, 1924, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Pitt county, in Book G-15, at page 533, by Fred Wilson and wife, Helen Wilson, I shall offer for sale, at the court house door, in the Town of Greenville, at public auction, on Monday, the 5th day of January, 1925, at 12 o'clock noon, the following described parcel of real estate, lying, being and situated in Swift Creek Township, county of Pitt, and State of North Carolina, to-wit:
—Being lot No. 1 allotted to Fred Wilson in the division of the remaining portion of the Bessie O. Wilson lands, beginning at the corner of Bessie O. Wilson undivided land on the Witherington Avenue, and running thence 69°30' east 143 poles to the run of Clear Root Swamp; thence with the run of Clear Root

Swamp to a stake the northeast corner of lot No. 2; thence with the line of lot No. 2 north 57° west 76 poles; thence north 69°30' west 62 1-2 poles to a stake on the Witherington Avenue; then with the Witherington Avenue to the beginning, containing _____ acres, more or less, as is shown on the map of the survey of said Bessie O. Wilson division made by F. A. Fulcher, Surveyor, on the 13th day of December, 1923.
This December 4th, 1924.
TURNAGE BROS. CO., Inc.
Mortgagee.
4 1tw 4wks
Albion Dunn, Atty.

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CRYSTALIZED CHERRIES, lb.	75c
CRYSTALIZED PINEAPPLE, lb.	75c
LITRON, drained, lb.	65c
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WALNUTS, 8 ounce can	65c
WALNUTS, 3 1-2 ounce glass	37c
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PECANS, 3 1-2 ounce glass	40c
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HOMINY, cooked, can	13c
KIDNEY BEANS, lb.	14c
BLACK EYE PEAS, lb.	12 1-2c
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MACHINE REPLACE HUMAN INTELLIGENCE CODING MESSAGES

Washington.—Secret messages for military purposes in the future will largely be mechanically coded, transmitted and decoded in the opinion of William F. Friedman, army code expert. This will overcome the present drawback of slowness and tediousness, and eliminate the high degree of error incident to the difficulty of the work.

The code and cipher section of the office of the chief signal officer is examining various types of secret messages—sending devices, and compiling codes and ciphers for possible use in war time.

Mr. Friedman is a captain in the signal officers' reserve corps. There are certain types of simple ciphers that can be solved mechanically, he says, but the complex sort of cipher requires a high degree of analytic skill, patience, experience and hard work, and takes a peculiarly constituted type of mind. By a trick use of a certain enciphering and deciphering machine in the code and cipher section, it can be made to translate and write various foreign languages.

Speaking of utilizing automatic means to perform the operations of coding, transmitting and decoding, Mr. Friedman said:

"A well-constructed machine can be relied on not to make many errors, and will function very much quicker than man. What is required in a machine is that it should produce cryptograms difficult to read without the key, and that it should be very rapid in its operation with the key. It should be simple mechanically, not bulky, easily repaired and transported and practical in its operation."

It is a curious fact of psychology that the average human thinks he can develop an absolutely secret system of communication, Mr. Friedman commented, but that is very far from realization, when all factors that have to be taken into account are considered.

Mr. Friedman is a Cornell graduate and became interested in this work when studying plant genetics at laboratories in Illinois. Literary ciphers first engaged his attention, and as America drifted toward the World War, military ciphers became his hobby. His wife also is a cipher expert. During the war Mr. Friedman directed a course of instruction in codes for army officers and later went to France to solve German codes and ciphers. After demobilization, opportunity was afforded him by the War Department to continue his studies of secret messages, their sending and solution.

NOTICE.

By virtue of the power contained in a certain mortgage deed executed and delivered by J. F. Barwick to John Dawson on the 4th day of December 1918, and duly recorded in the Register of Deeds office of Pitt county, North Carolina, in Book L-12 page 237, the undersigned will expose to public sale, before the court house door in Greenville, to the highest bidder, on

Monday, January 5th, 1925 At 12 o'clock M.

a certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in the county of Pitt and State of North Carolina and described as follows, to-wit: In Ayden Township.

"All that piece or parcel of land which was this day deeded to J. F. Barwick by John Dawson and wife, containing 85 acres more or less. Reference being made to said deed for a more accurate description.

Default having been made in payment of the debt thereby secured. Terms of sale cash.

This 2nd day December 1924.

JOHN DAWSON.

By F. M. Wooten, Administrator.

8 1tw2wks.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE.
By virtue of that deed of trust executed to me by R. E. Belcher and wife, Lucy Belcher, on the 27th day of March, 1920, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Pitt county in Book Q-13, at page 317, I shall offer for sale, at the

court house door, in the Town of Greenville, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, on Monday, the 22d day of December, 1924, at 12 o'clock noon, the following described parcel of real estate, lying, being and situate in the county of Pitt, and State of North Carolina, to-wit:

A tract of land beginning at the corner of Mrs. J. P. Taylor's line, running northeasterly direction to Little Contentnea Creek; thence a northeast direction with Contentnea Creek to Tabitha Devison's line; thence in a southerly direction with her line to the Farmville Brick & Ice Company line; thence with the Farmville Brick & Ice Company line to Fields Street, when extended to A. C. Monk's line; thence with A. C. Monk's line to Barrett street; thence with Barrett street to Horne Avenue; thence with Horne Avenue to the beginning, containing 75 acres, more or less.

This November 18th, 1924.
W. R. WILLIS, Trustee.
Albion Dunn, Atty. 22 1tw4w

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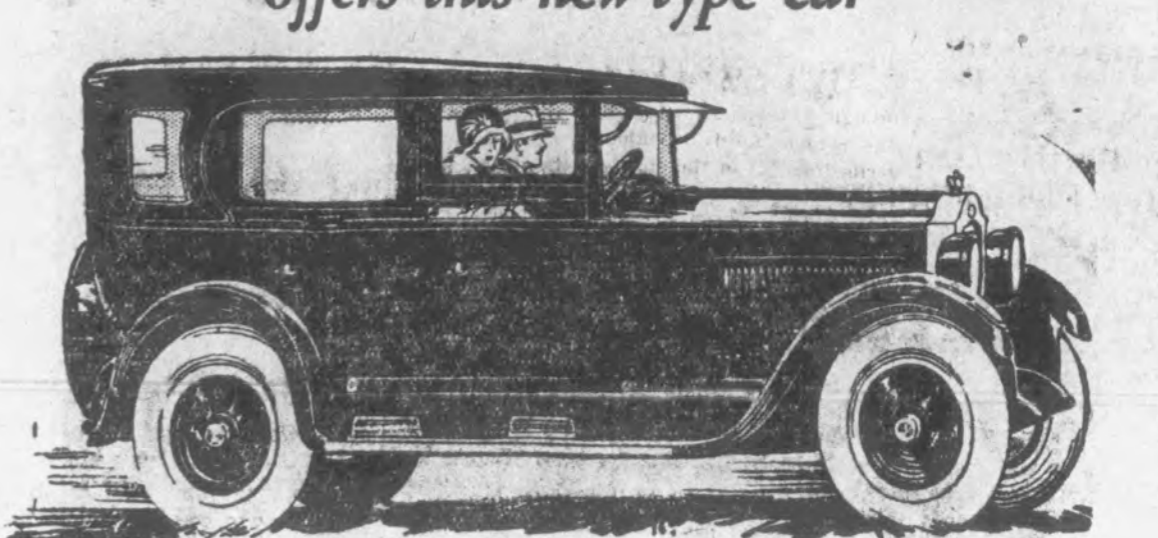


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ENGLAND CONCEDES GERMAN DEXTERITY IN FAMED SEA FIGHT

Capt. Thomas G. Frothingham, U. S. R., Had Made Clear Certain Facts of Battle That Called for Change in British Charts

Boston.—What went on behind the mists that hung over the North Sea with the British Grand Fleet and the High Seas Fleet of Germany fought the battle of Jutland on May 31, 1916, is described in new terms by the British Admiralty eight years later, and its official narrative of this outstanding naval engagement of the World War, recently issued, conforms to an American version of the facts.

It had been announced by the admiralty, at a time when controversy was rife in high British naval circles, that no official account of the Jutland engagement would be given out. A Blue Book in 1920 had contained the original British charts and reports. But when Lord Sydenham, raising a formal question in the House of Lords, pointed out that an American historian, Captain Thomas G. Frothingham, U. S. R., of Boston, had made clear certain essential facts of the battle that called for a change in the British official charts, renewed attention was given to the battle details.

The British admiralty's own narrative, issued now as an official document of 120 pages with new charts and new conclusions, is the result.

It was the surprising strategy of Admiral Reinold Scheer, commander of the German forces, in executing three times within a space of 42 minutes, twice in defense and once in attack, a battle manoeuvre which the British high command had declared impossible of execution, that upset all British calculations as to what had occurred. This manoeuvre was a simultaneous turn of 16 battleships 180 degrees, the aboutface of marching men, with each ship swinging around almost in its own tracks.

It was the Yankee historian, an army officer during the World War, who first brought to light the facts of Admiral Scheer's amazing strategy and tactics in a monograph, "A True Account of the Battle of Jutland." How the American learned what went on behind the mists at Jutland, he has not divulged, but it is understood that since the original battle charts, in the light of his knowledge of the sea and ships, supplied the first clue.

The official narrative takes up its more important phases of review at 6:15 P. M. It was at that hour that the British forces joined, and Admiral Jellicoe with his full strength now available to bear against inferior German forces, turned to deploy on the port wing to form a line of battle on a course southeast by east, with an advance line of cruisers and destroyers stretched between the German fleet as they approached to their base. The British narrative says, "The enemy could only be seen fitfully through the mist" and adds that no battleships could fire for many minutes together because observation was so poor.

These were the conditions, with the Germans steaming at a speed of 17 knots, sinking the Invincible, Defense and Warrior and striking mortal blows to the Black Prince as they went, when Admiral Scheer had first recourse to his uncomprehended manoeuvre to save his fleet from envelopment.

The German fleet reversed direction three times in a series of movements that look on the combined chart like a whirling, and this is now brought out and described by the admiralty narrative as it was described by the American historian. The admiralty narrative's observations of the causes for each of the several "swing-about's" by the German fleet takes issue with the strategic motives given in Admiral Scheer's report.

The first German manoeuvre of "ships right about," by which every vessel in the long, curved column swung simultaneously to reverse direction to the westward, served to relieve the situation by which the Germans were heading into the mouth of a trap set by the British deployment. Instead, when the turn-together was executed, the German fleet was steaming safely away from the British formation under cover of a smoke screen. This manoeuvre was twice repeated without being known to the British until years afterwards. Even now the admiralty narrative, after saying what actually happened, suggests explanation of the failure to comprehend the move by description of the conditions which prevailed with the sentence, "In the thickening mist and smoke the enemy was lost to sight, and a lull ensued which gave Admiral Scheer a short and much needed respite." He was running away, but the British fleet did not know it.

With the German fleet out of sight at 9:42 P. M., the British admiral ordered the course altered by 30 degrees to the southeast. Then the tide of battle turned again, and at 6:55 Admiral Scheer used the same simultaneous swing of his ships to turn around the head to the east in attack. This offensive measure by the Germans, as described in the narrative, was

"straight into the center of the arc formed by the British fleet. In a few minutes the leading (German) squadron and battle cruisers would be threatened with envelopment and the concentrated fire of practically the whole Grand Fleet. The High Sea Fleet seemed to be rushing to destruction." Captain Frothingham has called attention to the remarkable fact that the German admiral had thus voluntarily placed his fleet again in the same position from which he had been withdrawn. Admiral Scheer has since said that this move in attack, which brought a lesser German force against one which Lord Sydenham has described as "57 of the finest battleships in the world," was intended as a surprise blow to upset British plans and to facilitate the German fleet breaking loose to get back to its base at night. The admiralty narrative says that Admiral Scheer's motives "should be accepted with reserve. His intention was more probably to slip past the rear of the British fleet and make for home."

At the time that the British Grand Fleet saw the Germans again, heading toward them at a range of less than 10,000 yards, "the mist cleared for a few minutes and the Seydlitz and Derfflinger came under tremendous fire. The visibility was all in favor of the British at this time.

One effect of Admiral Scheer's surprising swing against the British was to force the Grand Fleet in two movements to turn away 45 degrees. Admiral Scheer has said that his object was attained, and the third turn together of the German fleet followed at 7:17. Of this the narrative of the admiralty says, "As soon as Admiral Scheer realized that he was facing the main British fleet, he turned his battle fleet westward, and ordered the battle cruisers and flotillas to attack in order to cover his retreat." Admiral Scheer's representation that his object having been attained, the fleet withdrew, should be considered with the statement attributed to Van Hase that "the High Seas fleet found itself in a trap and sent battle cruisers and flotillas ahead to evacuate it," the narrative continues, adding "What might have been a disastrous blunder was by a stroke of luck turned to Admiral Scheer's advantage." Admiral Scheer's simultaneous turn at 7:17 included both the battle cruisers and the battleships, he said.

These phases of the battle, as described in the admiralty's narrative, bring the British version of the facts into line with the prior account by the American historian. Until Captain Frothingham in his monograph described the "swing-around," thrice-repeated, it had no British notice.

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ORDER.
North Carolina, Pitt County, In the Superior Court.
IN RE: Election of a Drainage Commissioner for Pitt County Drainage District Number Two.
Whereas, the term of office of T. R. Hodges as Drainage Commissioner for Pitt County Drainage District Number Two, for which he was elected expired September 30th, 1924, and that he will continue in said office by operation of law until a successor is elected and qualified.

Whereas, the court in the exercise of its discretion postponed the calling of an election of a successor to the said Commissioner from the second Monday in August 1924, until the second Monday in December 1924, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. to be held in the court house in Greenville.

It is, now therefore, ordered that an election be held at the court house in Greenville, said county and State on the second Monday in December 1924, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. for the purpose of electing a Drainage Commissioner for Pitt County Drainage District Number Two, to succeed Commissioner, T. R. Hodges, for a term to expire September 30th, 1927. That the court appoint

and there disinterested freeholders, judges of election, and that said election will be held under the direction of this court.

The court will appoint as a commissioner from among those receiving a majority of the votes cast at said election. If any one of such proposed commissioners should not receive a majority of the votes cast the court will appoint a commissioner from among those voted on at such election in the exercise of its discretion.

It is further ordered, that a copy of this order be posted at said court house door and five other conspicuous places within said Drainage District for two weeks, and be published once a week for two weeks next preceding November 10th, 1924, in some newspaper published in Pitt County.

This 21st day of November, 1924.
J. F. HARRINGTON,
Clerk Superior Court of Pitt County.
24 1twk 2wks

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On Monday, the 22nd day of December, 1924, the following described tract of land:
That tract of land in Beaver Dam township, near Ballards Cross Roads, being lot No. 2, in the subdivision of the J. H. Cobb farm, as shown on the plot or map of said farm, which is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt county in Book No. 1, page 65, and contains 39.70 acres.
Said land is sold to satisfy said mortgage.
This the 22 day of Nov. 1924.
J. W. CRAWFORD,
Mortgagee.
F. G. James & Son, Attys. 24 1tw4w

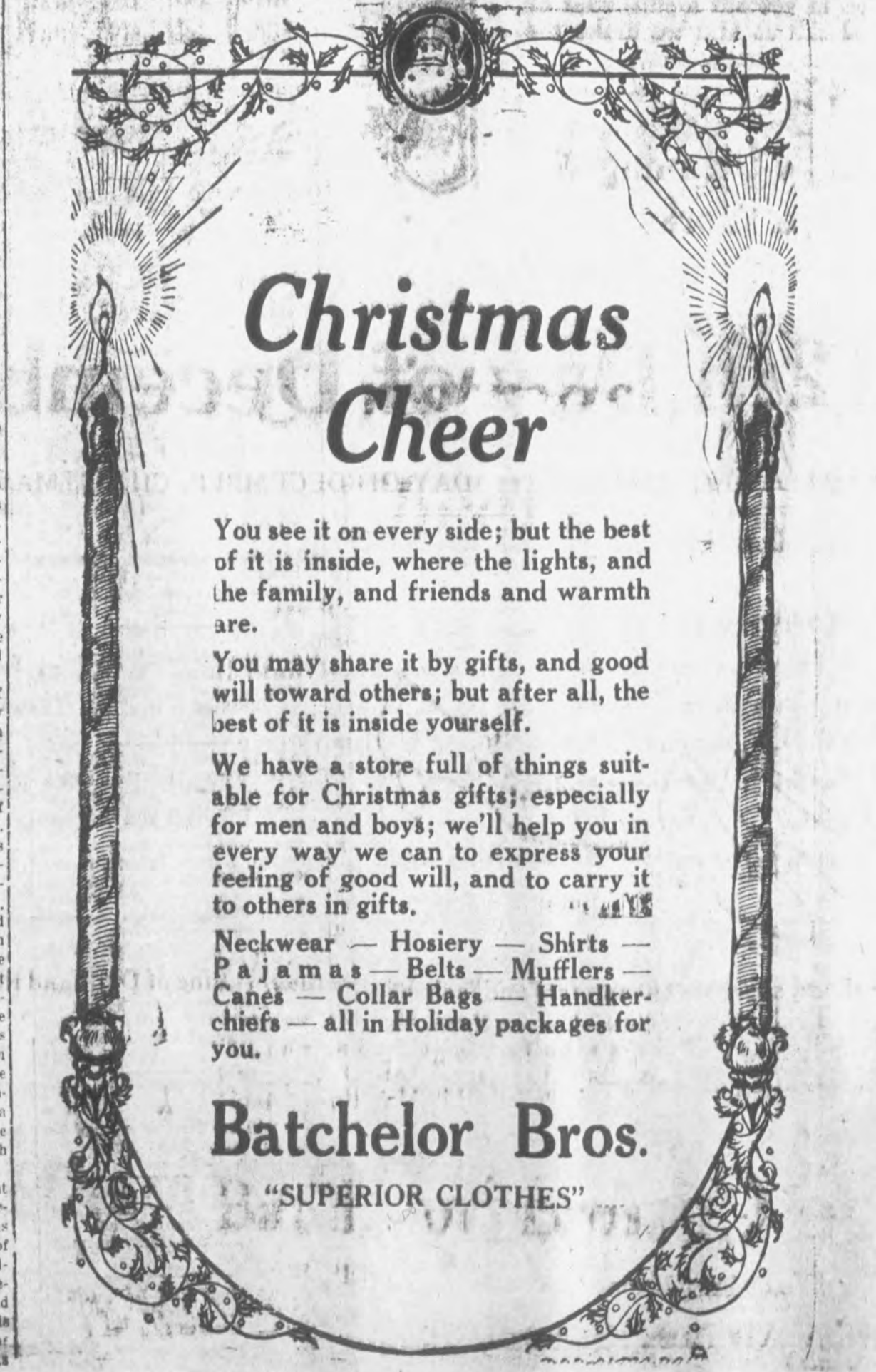
NOTICE OF LAND SALE.
By virtue of power vested in me by that deed of trust which was executed to me on the 6th day of February, 1924, by W. H. Coward and wife, Clara Coward, and duly recorded in the Register's Office for Pitt County, in Book C-15, at page 366, I shall offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house door in the Town of Greenville, at 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, January 3rd, 1925, the following described parcel of real estate, lying, being and situated in Greenville Township, County of Pitt and State of North Carolina, to-wit: Just west of the town of Greenville in what is known as the Riverdale subdivision, and being lot No. 5 in Block H, as shown on map of said subdivision duly recorded in Map Book 2, at page 36 of the Register's office for Pitt County, and being the same land which was conveyed to Clara Coward by Wollay Cherry and wife, Almata Cherry, by deed recorded in Book S-14, page 280.

This December 2nd, 1924.
P. L. CLODFELTER,
Trustee.
4 1tw4ks
Albion Dunn, Atty.



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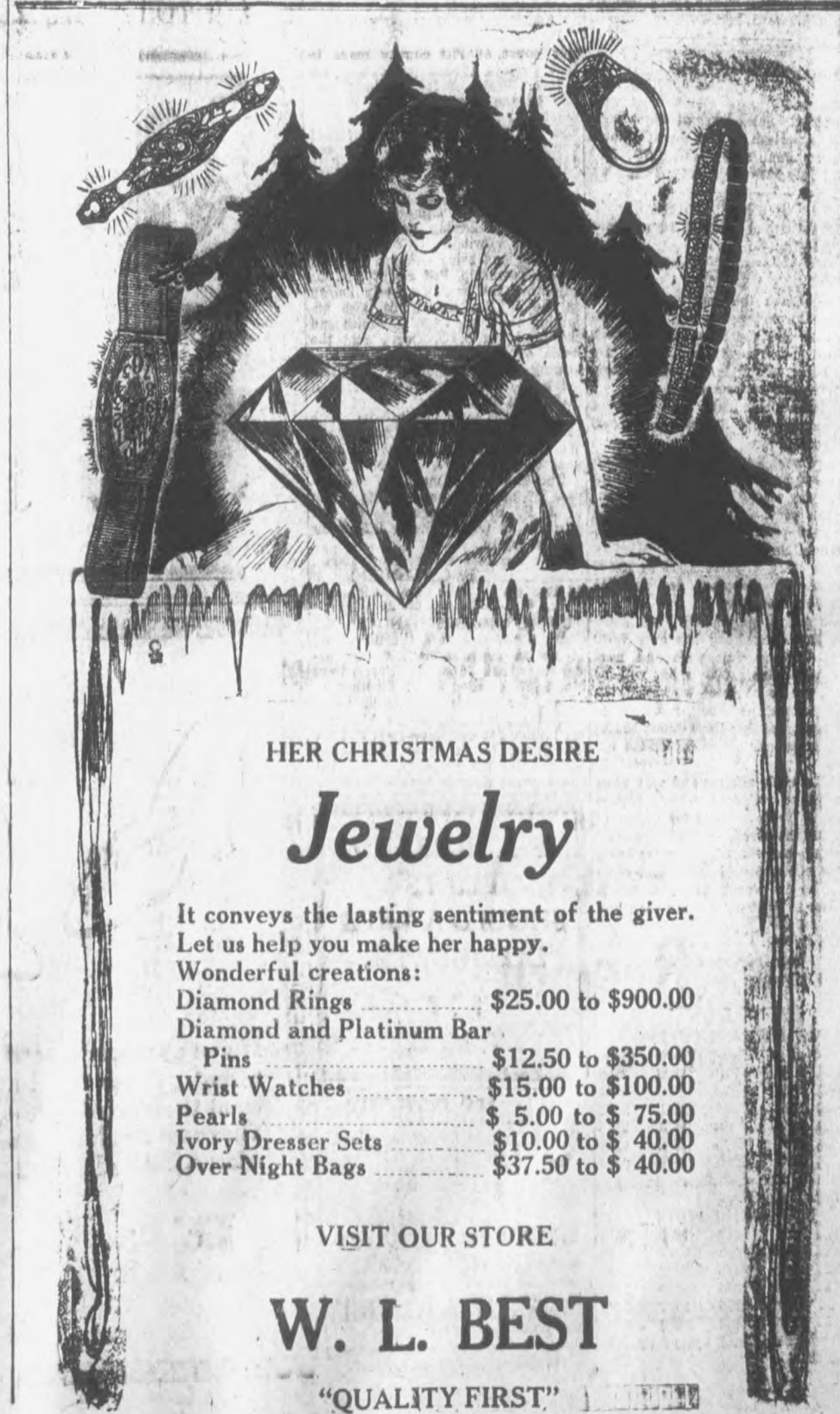
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STOCK MARKET.

New York, Dec. 11.—Stock prices developed considerable irregularity at the opening of today's market, selling pressure was recorded against a number of industrials. May department, United States Realty, Westinghouse Air Brakes, and General Asphalt falling back one to one half points. New Orleans, Texas and Mexican, advanced three points on strength of the Interstate Commerce Commission's approval of the Missouri and Pacific merger. Dupont advanced a point and American Water Works attained a record top at 35.5.

STOCKS

New York. American locomotive while allowance must be made for technical reactions, we believe that these who followed previous suggestions to accumulate although should long of it since there sound reason for this issue crossing par on the current move.

Kennecott is favored with a strong technical position and capable market sponsorship before the current bull move has culminated we expect to see it in the 90.

Brake Shoe. Holders of this would do well to take advantage of strength for realizing points.

After early irregularity market may be expected to develop strength with the general list closing higher for the day.

Steels, motors, coppers and rails continue the most attractive for purchase coming events.

THE WEATHER

Memphis. Temperatures very cold over the belt; light rain reported in Charleston and New Orleans dis. Forecast: Eastern belt partly cloudy and cold Central and Western belt generally fair and rising temperatures Western belt.

LIVERPOOL COTTON

Middling 1302, good middling 1347. Receipts 14,000 of which none were American. Sales 5000 of which none were American. The market closed steady: Jan. 1265; Mar. 1270; May 1277; July 1275; Oct. 1243; Dec. 1262.

BUENOS AIRES

Market closed weak 3 1-2 up; corn 1-4 2 1-4 up.

COTTON

We believe too much strength is being laid on the size of present cotton crop and the necessary demands of the improvement in business are not being taken into consideration favor buying on recessions.

A private estimate for November consumption was 510,000 vs. 560,000 last year.

There were numerous holidays, election day, armistice day and Thanksgiving day also 5 Sundays in November this year. Consumption Nov. last year was 583,000 not 560,000 as reported in New York.

Little Rock reports 8,000 to 10,000 bales cotton compress fire at Pine Bluff Ark, this a. m.

New York. Manchester, New Hampshire says Amoskeag has over 7,000 hands working full time and next week will have 8,000 which will be four sevenths of total workers think trade demand will be sufficient to hold market at this level unless southern professional offerings become too little.

Cables, trade advices and spot news have to be reckoned with. British Board of Trade reports for month of Nov. due this week, perhaps tomorrow expected bullish. Weekly statistics Friday likely to be less bearish, especially as to weeks in sight which promises to be much smaller than last week's 645,000. Sentiment divided but apparently more bearish than otherwise. Favor buying on depressions for the present.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

	Open	High	Low	Close
Jan.	2283	2290	2264	2288
Mar.	2325	2328	2305	2325
May	2380	2360	2341	2362
July	2368	2380	2351	2376
Oct.	2297	2310	2282	2309
Dec.	2275	2280	2260	2280

Market closed quiet, spots unchanged; middling 2325.

NEW YORK COTTON

	Open	High	Low	Close
Jan.	2313	2318	2295	2315
Mar.	2317	2322	2297	2319
May	2340	2348	2322	2345
July	2350	2355	2329	2355
Oct.	2269	2275	2257	2275
Dec.	2317	2323	2306	2323

Market closed quiet, spots 1/2 up. Mid dling 2315.

GRAIN MARKET

WHEAT				
	Open	High	Low	Close
July	145 1-2	145 3-4	144 5-8	144 3-4
Dec.	161 3-8	161 1-2	159 7-8	160
May	166 1-4	166 1-4	164 1-2	164 2-4

CORN				
	Open	High	Low	Close
July	128 3-4	128 3-4	127	128 3-4
Dec.	124	124	122 5-8	124
May	128 3-8	128 3-8	127	128 3-8

OATS				
	Open	High	Low	Close
July	61 3-4	61 3-4	60	61 3-8
Dec.	58 1-2	58 1-2	57 1-2	57 1-4
May	63 12	63 7-8	62 5-8	63

EXECUTORS LAND SALE.

By virtue of authority given us in office of the clerk of the Superior Court, Pitt County, the undersigned as executors will offer for sale at the court house door, at Greenville Monday, December 15th, at noon under the terms of one one third cash and the remainder in six equal installments secured by the property, the following tracts of land: Land Division Book No. 2, page 236, of file of clerk Superior court.

FIRST: Lot No. 1 as per map herewith filed, will lot to W. J. Fleming, beginning at the corner near the school house thence running south 51 east 75 poles to a stake marked on the map by the letter "L," thence south 39 west 218 poles to the back line, thence with said Fleming's line, then north 15 1-2 east 97 poles to a canal, thence north 57 west with canal 6 poles, thence north 27 1-2 east 157 poles to the beginning, containing 61 acres, more or less.

SECOND: Also the following described piece of wood lands known as lot No. 1 in the division of the wood lands of the said John L. Fleming, beginning at a pine on the creek road running south 1 east 118 poles to a stake, thence south 41 west 56 poles to a point marked on the map by the letter "R," thence due north 151 poles to a stake marked on the map by the letter "S," then north 80 east 36 poles to the beginning, containing 30 acres, more or less.

We reserve the right to accept or reject any or all of the bids, and if accepted, a 10 per cent deposit on the bid price will be required at the sale.

Executors. S. J. Everett, Atty. 18 1tw4wks This 15th day of Nov., 1924. SIDNEY FLEMING.

SALE OF REAL PROPERTY.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior court of Pitt county made in that certain special proceeding entitled, Maggie Brooks, administratrix of the estate of J. F. Brooks, deceased, vs. James K. Brooks, Alice and Marina Brooks, the undersigned commissioner will on Monday the 15th day of December 1924, at 12 o'clock, noon, expose to public sale before the court house door in Greenville to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property, to-wit:

Lying and being situated in Swift Creek Township, Pitt county, N. C., adjoining the lands formerly known as the N. R. Corey lands, also adjoining the lands of R. I. Smith and the lands of J. C. Corey and the lands of Archibald Cox Heirs, containing 45 acres more or less, and being the home place of the late J. F. Brooks, deceased.

Also three town lots to-wit: Lots Nos. 3, 4, and 5 in Block "E" of the Washington Height, subdivision in or near the town of Ayden, N. C.

This sale will be made for the purpose of making assets of the estate of J. F. Brooks, deceased, for the purpose of paying the indebtedness of said estate.

This the 14th day of Nov. 1924. F. C. HARDING, Commissioner.

COMMISSIONERS LAND SALE.

By the virtue of authority vested in us as commissioners by an order in that Special Proceedings No. 2573 entitled C. C. Fleming, et al. vs. Walter Fleming, Addie Fleming, et al., we shall sell to the highest bidder for one third cash and the remainder in six equal installments secured by the property, at the court house door in Greenville, Mon-

day, December 15, at noon, the following tracts of land.

FIRST: Being lot No. 2 in land division of W. A. Fleming, et al. against W. J. Fleming, et al. found in Land Division Book 2, page 236, being allotted to Ethie C. Fleming, beginning at the corner of lot No. 1 at point on the road marked on the map by the letter "L" and runs with the road south 51 east 40 poles to a point on the map marked by the letter "M," then south 39 poles west 224 poles to Fleming line, thence north 74 west 36 poles to a point on the map marked by the letter "B," thence north 15 1-2 east to the corner of lot No. 1 to the beginning, containing 60 acres more or less.

SECOND: Also lot No. 2 in division of the Woodland beginning at the corner of lot No. 1 at the point on the map marked by the letter "S"

and running with the line of lot No. 1 south 151 poles to a point marked on the map by the letter "R" thence south 14 west 41 poles to the point marked on the map by the letter "B," then north 174 poles to a stake being allotted to Ethie C. Fleming, then north 80 west 32 poles to the beginning, containing 30 acres more or less.

THIRD: Also a one seventh undivided interest in part of the John L. Fleming Home Place known as the Shivers Tract containing 102 acres, being on the right of way of the A. C. L. railway and the hard surface road and adjoining near to where the hard surface road is to be built to Stokes and Carolina Township.

We reserve the right to accept or reject any or all bids and if accepted, 10 per cent deposit on the bid price will be required.

This 15th day of Nov. 1924. SIDNEY FLEMING, CLAIRE C. FLEMING, Commissioners. S. J. Everett, Atty. 191tw4w

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NOTICE FOR PARDON. Notice is hereby given that I will on Wednesday, Dec. 24, 1924, make application to His Excellency, the Governor, for a pardon for my husband, L. E. Allen, who was tried and convicted in the August term of Pitt county Superior Court. This, Nov. 22, 1924.

MRS. CARRIE ALLEN, His Wife. G tw4wks

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Rates: 1c per word (minimum 25c) per insertion this size type. Larger type double price. Persons not having regular account with this office must send or bring cash with copy. No want ads taken over the telephone.

FOR RENT—TO RIGHT PARTIES. four newly painted furnished bed rooms upstairs, bath on same floor. Board if desired. Apply in person to 400 E. 8th street. 17 tf

FOR RENT—TWO HORSE FARM in good state of cultivation. Six room dwelling, four room tenant house. Two tobacco barns. See or write Mrs. Daisy Warren, corner Third and Summit street. 93tp

WE ARE OPEN EVERY NIGHT to give you a chance to buy your Xmas presents at half price. Laughinghouse Morton Music Co.

FOR RENT ON 9TH STREET. modern bungalow, 6 rooms and bath, \$50 per month. Possession January 1st. Apply at this office. 4 tf

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NOTICE—I HAVE MOVED MY OFFICE next door to my former office in the Wooten Building, next to Telephone office. S. T. Hicks, 26 tf

FOR SALE—DELICIOUS RAPPANNOCK OYSTERS. Strictly Cash. No deliveries. Turnage & Winslow. 21 tf

CABBAGE PLANTS Thorough bred Frost Proof Early Jersey Wakefield and Charleston Wakefield Cabbage Plants for sale at the following prices: Twenty-five cents per one hundred. Three hundred for 60c. Six hundred for \$1. One thousand to ten thousand and \$1.25 per thousand. Ten thousand and over \$1 per thousand. Can fill orders of any size. F. O. B. Greenville. L. C. Arthur, Greenville, N. C.

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WANTED SEWING FOR INFANTS and small children. Hand work a specialty. Prices reasonable. Work guaranteed. Phone 191-J. 139 Sutton Lane.

IF ITS MUSIC, XMAS GIFTS, OR picture moulding we have it at a reasonable price. Laughinghouse-Morton Music Co.

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FOR RENT—8 ROOM MODERN house with water and lights in desirable neighborhood. N. O. Warren. 10 3t

FOR SALE—SMALL GROCERY & market business. All necessary fixtures one of the best cash stands on Dickinson Avenue. Apply at this office. 10 4tp

LOST SATURDAY NIGHT, BETWEEN Norfolk and Southern depot and Read St., a tan suit case \$15 reward if returned to this office. 10 2tp

FOR SALE—TWO HUNDRED AND fifty empty lard stands, ten cents each. Come quick. Pender's Store, Fourth Street. 10 3t

AT THE J. E. WARREN HOME place at 10 o'clock December 18, 1924, I will offer for sale three horses, one wagon, disc harrow and other farm tools. One cow, corn and fodder and tobacco sticks. S. J. Brewer. 26 eod 15

NOTICE—MY WIFE HAS LEFT me without a cause. Therefore I forbid any person sheltering her in any way. Sam Monk, Bell Arthur, N. C. 8 1w

WE HAVE ON HAND 1000 LBS. of Kingans F. V. Hams, that we will sell Saturday cash only, 30 cents. We deliver. Greenville Market Co. 9 5t

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STOLEN—FORD TOURING CAR from in front of Foxhall, McGowan and Cannon warehouse between 10 and 11 o'clock a. m. Dec. 4. License No. 106462—Motor No. 8775793. Any information notify P. H. Cannon, Greenville, N. C., P. O. Box 500. Suitablr reward. 6 6t

VISIT OUR STORE FOR ATTRACTIVE Xmas gifts and reasonable prices. Laughinghouse-Morton Music Co.

FOR SALE CORNER HOUSE—8 rooms and bath, good condition. Owner wants to leave town will sacrifice for \$2000.00 cash. Miss Grace Burke, 114 E. First St. 96tp

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FOR SALE—TWO BLANKETS V. C. Fleming. 8 3t made from home grown wool. See

FOR SALE—EARLY JERSEY CABBAGE plants, in lots 100 25c, in lots 500 20c, in lot 1000 or more 15c Ready for shipment now. Write or call T. J. Cannon, General Delivery, Ayden, N. C.

FOR RENT—7 ROOM DWELLING also bath and all modern conveniences, corner 9th and Redde Sts. F. V. Johnston. 11 tf

FOR SALE—JERSEY AND CHARLESTON Wakefield cabbage plants. F. V. Johnston near Community Hospital. 11 tf

MAN WITH SOME CASH AS partner in Tire business, who wants to make \$10,000 next year. D. M., care Daily Reflector. 11 8t

NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE. North Carolina, Pitt County. In the Superior Court. State of North Carolina vs. E. Highsmith and J. H. W. Whitehurst.

By virtue of an execution, directed to the undersigned from the Superior Court of Pitt County in the above entitled action, I will, on Monday, the 22nd day of December 1924 at 12 o'clock noon at the court house door in Greenville, N. C., sell to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said execution, all of the rights, title and interest which the said E. Highsmith, the defendant, has in the following described property: One promissory note in the sum of One Hundred Fifty One Dollars and Sixteen Cents by R. R. Whitehurst to S. T. Carson on Jan. 14th, 1919, which note is secured in a deed of trust recorded in Book Z-12, page 8 of the Pitt County Registry, which note was endorsed and transferred by S. T. Carson to the Bethel Livestock Co., and which note was transferred and assigned to Emmit Highsmith by the Bethel Livestock Co. on December 12th, 1923, the said note now being the property of Emmit Highsmith, the defendant in this action.

This 4th day of December, 1924. A. C. JACKSON, Sheriff of PiPpT County

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