

THE WEATHER

Rain and colder tonight. Saturday rain, probably changing to snow in interior. Much colder Saturday and Saturday night. Cold wave in west portion. Continued cold several days.

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MURDERER TWENTY SIX PERSONS MUST PAY DEATH PENALTY

Wierd Tales of Crimes of Fritz Haarman, Hanover Butcher Cause Considerable Stir Throughout Germany

Hanover, Germany, Dec. 19.—Fritz Haarman, wholesale murderer, whose trial for the slaying of 26 persons has stirred all Germany, was sentenced to death today. The extreme penalty was also ordered in the case of his accomplice, Hans Grans. Haarman was found guilty of the murder of 24 young men in series of crimes extending over a period of six years. Grans was condemned for inciting to murder in one case.

Fritz Haarman, Hanover butcher, was shown at the trial to be a criminal degenerate who lured men and boys to his lodgings and there killed them by tearing their throats with his teeth and sucking their blood. The crimes were committed in his room on the top story of an old tenement house and the bodies were disposed of by throwing them into a river. Many human bones were found on the river bed when it was dragged last summer following the arrest of Haarman.

Testimony in the trial aroused intense horror throughout Germany and revolt to such an extent that witnesses were heard behind closed doors. Among the allegations, the murderer as a butcher had offered his customers human flesh for consumption.

Haarman confessed to the slaying of about 15 men and boys from the ages of 15 to 22 years but declared that he could not remember the exact number nor the names of his victims.

Haarman in addressing the jury showed no remorse for his deeds. "Were I set at liberty I would murder again," he said. "Why I kill is a mystery to me." The prisoner remarked without a trace of emotion, "In Grans' hands I was as soft as wax but I needed him as I was alone in the world."

Claiming his condition was a morbid one, Haarman said, "How I got into this condition I don't know. I simply say that in the morning there was a corpse next to me but not in all cases."

He declared that a large number of his victims escaped. "I never acted with premeditation and I don't understand why my victims did not offer resistance" the prisoner declared. There were other disclosures made by the prisoner in the course of his plea.

Pleas of Doheny and Others Not Granted By the Government

Washington, Dec. 19.—The government submitted answer today to pleas in abatement in the case against E. L. Doheny, E. L. Doheny, Jr., Albert B. Fall and Harry F. Sinclair, growing out of the naval oil leases.

Argument was set in Supreme Court for the District of Columbia for January 9. The defense's contention that members of the grand jury which returned the indictments might have been influenced by listening to radio talks by Senator Walsh, Democrat, Montana, Senate Oil Committee prosecutor, was held by the government as not sufficient cause for the court to grant the pleas. Other arguments set forth by the defense also met with disagreement from the government counsel.

East C. Episcopal Diocese Hold Confab Kinston Jan. 27-29

Kinston, Dec. 19.—The East Carolina Episcopal Diocese will hold its annual convention in this city January 27 through 29. It has been announced here by Dr. John Hartley, rector of St. Mary's church, where the sessions will be held. Bishop Thomas C. Darst will preside.

According to the announcement practically every parish in the diocese will be represented and nearly 200 ministers and laymen are expected to attend. It is planned to have speakers of national reputation appear before the convention.

ROBBERS LOOT BANKS AND SET FIRE TO TOWN

Fort Worth, Tex., Dec. 19.—Bank robbers set fire to the town of Valley View early this morning, wrecking a state and national bank, carrying away two safes. The town is burning fiercely.

WARNINGS OF COLD WEATHER SENT OUT BY BUREAU TODAY

Freezing Temperatures As Far South as Central Florida Are Predicted Before Monday

Washington, Dec. 19.—Freezing temperatures reaching as far south as central Florida by Monday were predicted today by the weather bureau. Cold weather it is predicted will overspread the lower lake region. Ohio valley and Tennessee reaching as far as the east gulf states tonight and Saturday and overspreading the South Atlantic states Saturday night and Sunday.

The weather forecast for continued cold weather for several days has been posted and cold wave warnings have been issued for Ohio, western Pennsylvania and all states southward on the east gulf coast. Rains are predicted almost generally throughout the eastern seaboard during the next 24 hours probably changing to snows except in portions of the South Atlantic states and along the east gulf coast.

NAVY HAS NOT ASKED TO VISIT YOKAHOMA

Japanese Foreign Office Declares There Has Been Grave Misunderstanding as No Such Request Made

Washington, Dec. 19.—Announcement yesterday at Tokio that the American and Japanese governments had discussed a possible visit of the American fleet to Japan after the fleet maneuvers at Hawaii brought no comment today from the State or Navy Departments.

In the absence of Secretary Hughes, who is out of the city, State Department officials said they could not discuss the situation.

Premier Kato's statement that the government had found itself unable to extend an invitation for such a visit to Japan is believed in some quarters to reflect the difficulties involved in furnishing adequate entertainment in view of conditions in Yokohama and Tokio as a result of the earthquake.

Tokio, Dec. 19.—The Foreign office tonight issued a communique denying the correctness of newspaper versions, printed widely this morning, of Premier Kato's speech last night at a political dinner. Premier Kato had been quoted as saying that the United States might send the American Navy to Yokohama after the Hawaiian maneuvers but that the Japanese government had declined the offer with thanks.

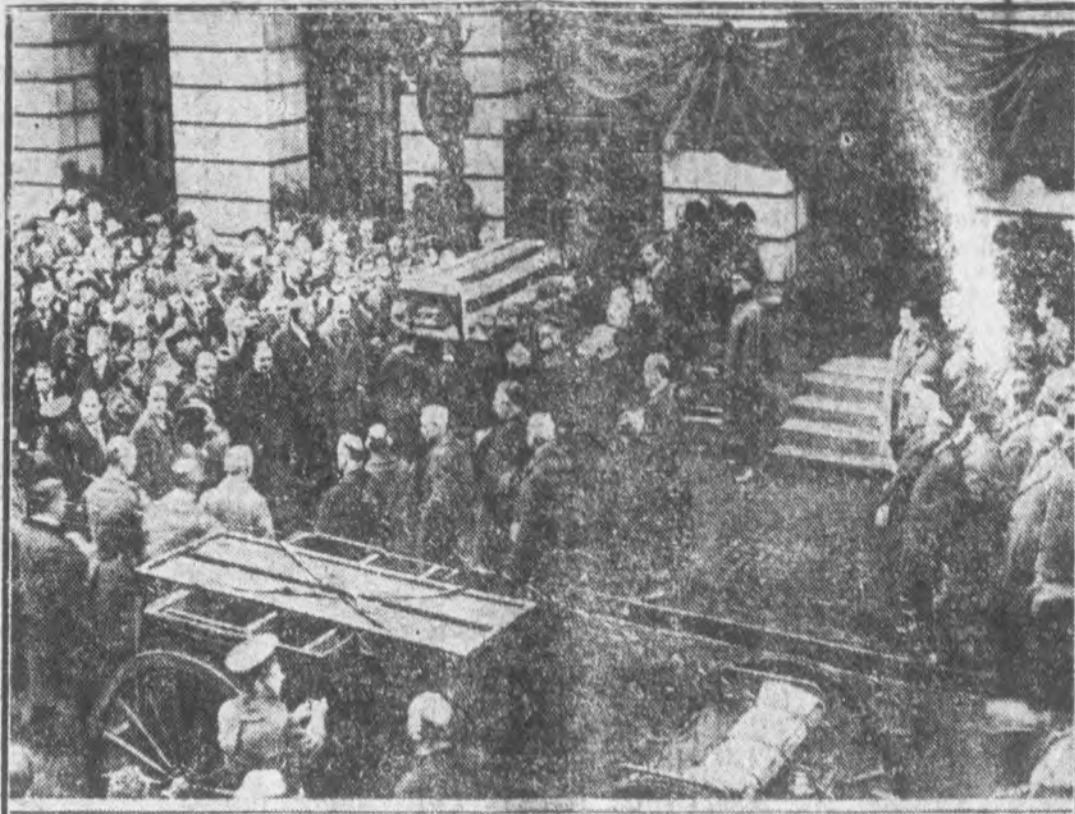
The communique declares that "there is some grave misunderstanding for this government could in no wise decline a proposal which was never made."

Washington, Dec. 19.—Action on the resolution of Senator King, Democrat, Utah, for an inquiry into the status of the American Navy was postponed indefinitely today by the Senate Naval Committee.

Pasquotank Youth Is Killed in Auto Wreck

Elizabeth City, Dec. 19.—Laura Riddick, 18, died at Wintfall last night of injuries received when an automobile in which he was riding overturned according to information received here. The automobile is said to have skidded at a curve on the road to Hertford.

UNUSUAL HONORS PAID TO SAMUEL GOMPERS



FUNERAL OF SAMUEL GOMPERS

Honors such as have been accorded few civilians were paid to Samuel Gompers, venerable President of the American Federation of Labor, when his body reached New York after its long trip across the continent. The flag draped coffin of the labor leader, whose last words were a prayer for American institutions, was borne by regular army soldiers from the mourning-draped Pennsylvania Station to an artillery caisson, which took it through waiting thousands to the Elks Club, where it lay in state. The caisson is seen leaving Pennsylvania Station.

GERMAN POLITICS TO OBSERVE TRUCE THROUGH HOLIDAYS

Marx Government Will Probably Race Reichstag in January Chancing Defeat by the Opposition

Berlin, Dec. 19.—Finding themselves unable to form a government commanding a Reichstag majority, President Ebert and Chancellor Marx today agreed to discontinue their efforts until shortly before the Reichstag meeting on January 5, the Marx-Stressmann cabinet meanwhile continuing to function.

It is believed the most probable solution of this crisis is that the Marx government will face the Reichstag chancing defeat by the opposition.

All parties have agreed to a political truce over the holidays as the existing deadlock held out prospect for an early solution.

MRS. G. C. BREWER DIED HERE TODAY

Services Will Be Conducted From Free Will Baptist Church, Saturday Afternoon

Mrs. G. C. Brewer, 42, died this morning at 4 o'clock at her home on Reade street after an illness of two months from a complication of diseases. Services will be conducted from the Free Will Baptist Church on Saturday at 2 o'clock, by her pastor, the Rev. L. E. Ballard. Interment will follow in Cherry Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Brewer, nee Miss Zella Parker, was born in this county near Bell's Cross Roads; a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parker. She was beloved by a host of friends and during the three years spent in Greenville has endeared herself to the people of this city. She will be greatly missed in her home, church and neighborhood.

The deceased is survived by her husband, and five children, Jesse Roland, Alma, Henry Parker, Robert Graham and an infant, two months old. Three brothers also survive, Messrs. Thad, Charles and Robert Parker.

The pall bearers will be, W. E. Warren, Steve Walters, Snodie Hardee, J. B. Oakley, C. T. Oakley, H. D. Mabe, R. E. Harris, A. G. Walters.

Mr. William Ricks arrived last night from Waynesboro, Va., where he is attending school.

WILLIAM GREEN ELECTED PRESIDENT OF AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR

New York, Dec. 19.—William Green, of Ohio, was today elected President of the American Federation of Labor. The election of Green was unanimous.

The keynote of his administration, he said, will be one constructive progressivism. "I believe always in driving ahead but in building permanently as we go," he said.

JONES DECLARES DEMOCRATIC PARTY WILL LIVE FOREVER

Says Basic Principles Upon Which Party Is Founded Will Live As Long as Free People Rule World

Washington, Dec. 19.—The basic principles upon which the National Democratic Party is based assure its permanency, S. H. Jones, director of Finance of the Democratic National Committee, declared today in a statement issued in answer to varied reports as to plans for the future of the organization.

"There is no occasion for speculation as to the future of the Democratic Party," Mr. Jones said. "It is founded upon principles which will live as long as a free people rule the world. Neither individuals, factions or temporary issues can seriously affect the party. It has had many vicissitudes during its 130 years of existence but has always come back more virile and a live man ever before. Its principles—equal opportunities for all men—will survive anything else will die. I am sure there is and ever will be a disposition on the part of every Democrat in the House and senate to support the administration of President Coolidge in measures that have for their purpose the welfare of all the people. While no Democrat nor Republican is expected to sacrifice party views and fundamentals on specific questions, every opportunity and assistance should be given the party in control to render the greatest possible service to the country."

"BIGGEST PEACETIME SUPPLY MEASURE IS BEFORE CONGRESS

Committee Reports Treasury and Post Office Department Appropriation Bill of Three Quarters Billion

Washington, Dec. 19.—The largest peacetime supply bill ever presented to Congress—a measure carrying more than three quarters of a billion dollars for Treasury and Post Office Department activity during the coming fiscal year—was reported today by the House Appropriations Committee. The total of the bill is \$763,180,522, or \$11,890,614 more than for the current year but approximately 12 millions less than the budget estimates. Of the combined total \$126,911,707 would go to the Treasury and \$636,269,414 to the Post Office Department.

MRS. W. M. JONES DIED THURSDAY

Services Conducted From Her Late Home Yesterday Afternoon With Interment in the Family Burying Place

Mrs. W. M. Jones, 37, died at her home near Greenville, yesterday morning at 2 o'clock, after an illness of several months. Services were conducted from her late home Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock by the Rev. L. E. Ballard. Interment followed in the family burying ground.

Mrs. Jones was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Tyson, of this county. She was popular throughout her community and was well-known in Greenville, where she had a host of friends. She was a member of the Free Will Baptist Church and possessed a lovely Christian character.

Mrs. Jones is survived by her husband and seven children as follows: Mr. Allen Jones, U. S. N., Seattle, Wash.; Jeffrey, Mable, William, Novella, Catherine and Bettie Arcene. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Tyson, four sisters, Mesdames Sarah Williams, Lydia Williams, Celia Allen, Henry Allen and one brother, J. I. Tyson, of Petersburg, Va., also survive.

The pall bearers were: Albert Roy, and Jim Allen, B. F. Jolly, S. B. Hardee, and Frank Elks.

Rev. W. S. Harden III. The friends of Rev. W. S. Harden will regret to learn that he is confined to his home, from illness.

FOUR CHILDREN BURNED TO DEATH, THREE INJURED

Sinstituteville, W. Va., Dec. 19.—Four children were burned to death, a woman was seriously injured and two other persons were slightly hurt early today when fire destroyed the home of Mrs. Olive Jones, near Stanley's Run, Ohio, about five miles from here.

R.M. COX WITHDRAWS HIS CANDIDACY FOR NEXT SPEAKERSHIP

Forsyth County Representative Drops Out of Race in Favor of Edgar W. Pharr of Mecklenburg

Winston-Salem, Dec. 19.—Robert M. Cox, who has represented Forsyth county in the lower house of the North Carolina General Assembly for several terms has announced his withdrawal from the race for Speakership of the House during the coming session of the Legislature which convenes early in January.

In his announcement Mr. Cox states he has released his supporters and thrown his strength to Edgar W. Pharr, of Mecklenburg county, who has confidently claimed that his election as speaker was assured. The Forsyth representative also stated, he was unwilling for his personal ambitions to stand in the way of a harmonious election because of the many weighty problems to be discussed at the coming term.

ONE KILLED AND TWO INJURED IN RALEIGH

Raleigh Contractor and Two Negroes Buried Under A Landslide While Laying Big Drain Pipe

Raleigh, Dec. 19.—Moses Johnson, negro, was killed and J. G. Council, local contractor, and a negro were injured this morning when a landslide caught the trio as they were at work installing a large drain pipe on New Bern Avenue. The men were buried nearly thirty minutes.

Contractor Council was rescued after being buried beneath a foot of dirt in a standing position. He was unconscious when rescuers dug him out. He was rushed to a local hospital where his injuries are said not to be of a very serious nature.

Johnson was breathing when the dirt was cleared from his head and face but he died shortly afterward. The other negro, Joe Perry, was only slightly hurt.

Funds to Be Collected Erection of Memorial Edgar Wilson Nye

Asheville, Dec. 19.—Work upon the collection of funds for the erection of a memorial to Bill Nye (Edgar Wilson Nye), the humorist, at his grave in the yard of the Calvary Episcopal Church at Fletcher, near here on the Asheville-Henderson Highway, will be started immediately after the holidays. It has been announced by the founder of the movement, Reverend Clarence Stuart McClellan, rector of the church. Mayor John H. Cathey has been chosen vice-chairman and his secretary, Miss Dorothy Hart, the secretary of the memorial fund and the mayor's office will be used as headquarters.

The plan, call for a Boulder to be erected within the church yard with a bronze tablet on it, which will tell of the life and works of Bill Nye. It is expected by the organizers that the dedication of the memorial will be made about August 25, 1925, which is Nye's birthday.

According to Reverend McClellan, a very little has been said or told of the life the famous humorist other than the memorial window in the church at Fletcher and the marker on his grave that gives nothing of accomplishments.

LITTLE PROSPECTS FOR VOTE SHOALS BEFORE CHRISTMAS

Following Failure of Curtis to Fix Time for Vote Leaders of Both Factions Set in For Long Fight

Washington, Dec. 19.—Prospects for breaking the Muscle Shoals jam in the Senate before the Christmas recess faded almost to the vanishing point today with opposition to the Underwood bill unyielding and Republican leaders, preparing to invoke the persuasion of night session to obtain action.

Failure of the attempt of Senator Curtis, Republican leader, yesterday to fix a time for a final vote on the question, left the leaders of the two main factions, Senator Underwood, Alabama, and Senator Norris, Nebraska, firmly entrenched in their determination to fight for their respective bills. Senator Curtis served notice that he would move for night sessions after Senator Norris had blocked two attempts of the Republican leader late yesterday to bring the debate to a close.

Washington, Dec. 19.—The Walsh amendment to the Underwood Muscle Shoals bill was accepted in the Senate today.

The amendment, introduced by Senator Walsh, Democrat, Montana, provides for government regulation of the Muscle Shoals power distribution interstate or by lease if the states are unable to regulate it.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Resuming debate on the Muscle Shoals question today Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska, declared he had sufficient information to show that the General Electric Company owned the Alabama Power Company in two ways by stock ownership and by interlocking directorates.

The Nebraska Senator said he had shown the connection through the director, in his previous speech and he would now illustrate how it was stock owned.

The entire issue of 187,510 shares of common stock of no par value of the Alabama Power Company, he said, is owned by Southeastern Light and Power Company, of Maine, in turn owned by the Electric Bond and Share Company which is owned by the General Electric Company. Two years ago the stock of the Alabama Power Company was owned by the Alabama Power and Light Company, Limited, of Canada, he said. He stated that he was unable to say whether the stock transfer was only one on paper of genuine.

High Point to Put On Drive Raise Funds Support Baseball Club

High Point, Dec. 19.—A drive to raise funds to support a baseball club for this city to be a contender for the 1925 pennant of the Piedmont League was started here Wednesday under the direction of J. Harvey Burgess and W. H. Currie.

A deposit of \$1,500 must be made with the league president by January 1 next as a guarantee. It was announced. Donations will be held in trust in a local bank until January 2. It was explained, and if it is decided that High Point is not to have a professional ball team, the funds will be returned to the individuals. Many inquiries have been coming regarding the team, the directors stated, and they hope that the plans can be so carried out that they will secure Duck Smith as manager for the team next year.

Enters Suit for \$3,000 Damages Vs. Sea Board Air Line

Charlotte, Dec. 19.—Suit for \$3,000 damages against the Seaboard Air Line has been entered in the Superior Court here by Theodore Crawford, station hand of the railroad in this city, for alleged injuries received on May 18 last, when a truck fell upon him in the station. The plaintiff claims that he was "weak, tired and exhausted" at the time the truck fell and as he had no one to help him, it crushed his hand and side.

JUST 4 DAYS TO SHOP

Basketball Games Will Be Played According to Rules

High Point, Dec. 19.—For the first time in the history of High Point High School all basket-ball games during the coming season will be played strictly under the rules of the state championship regulations. It has been announced here by L. R. Johnston, principal of the school. Every contract that has been made, the announcement says, included the strict following of the championship rules.

Coach Jack Boylin has about 20 players under his training now and states that he expects to put a five team on the floor-court in January. He announces the following schedules:

- January 3—Wentworth at High Point.
 - January 9—Guilford at High Point.
 - January 14—Bessemer at Bessemer.
 - January 16—Guilford at Guilford.
 - January 17—Salisbury at Salisbury.
 - January 22—Salisbury at High Point.
 - January 23—Burlington at High Point.
 - January 24—Greensboro at Greensboro.
 - January 28—Burlington at Burlington.
 - January 30—Greensboro at High Point.
 - February 13—Bessemer at High Point.
 - February 14—Reidsville at High Point.
- The schedule of the girls' team was announced as follows:
- January 9—Winston-Salem at High Point.
 - January 17—Greensboro at High Point.
 - January 23—Burlington at Burlington.
 - January 30—Winston-Salem at Winston-Salem.

- February 7—Greensboro at Greensboro.
- February 13—Burlington at High Point.
- February 20—Leaksville at Leaksville.
- February 27—Leaksville at High Point.

CHARTERS GRANTED

Raleigh, Dec. 19.—The office of the Secretary of State has issued the following charters:

- Norman Power and Milling Company, R. F. D. No. 1, Laurinburg, flour and grist mill and cotton gin, with authorized capital of \$125,000 and \$300 subscribed by Henry C. Norman, Robersonville; Mrs. Estelle C. Norman and Clyde D. Norman, Laurinburg.
- Tarboro Hatchery Company, incorporated, Tarboro, general dealers in poultry products and supplies, with authorized capital of \$100,000 and \$1,000 subscribed by R. B. Josey, C. L. Fryer, C. W. Austin, and C. D. Anderson, all of Tarboro.
- I. and B. Cabinet Company, Charlotte, manufacturers and general dealers in refrigerators and refrigerating machinery, equipment, etc., with authorized capital of \$250,000 and \$600 subscribed by O. C. Irwin, New York City, G. F. Little, Laurens, S. C., and B. J. Blume, Charlotte.
- The Ranger Fish and Gun Club, incorporated, Rocky Mount, with authorized capital of \$30,000 and \$1,500 subscribed by H. L. Battle, J. C. Daughtridge (correct), M. R. Robbins and Turner W. Battle, all of Rocky Mount, and J. W. Hines, Jr., of Monroe.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE.
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that deed of trust, executed and delivered by J. J. Jenkins and wife Lela P. Jenkins, to James L. Evans, trustee, on the 16th day of January 1922 and duly registered in Book H-14 at page 480 in the office of the Register of deeds

of Pitt county, default having been made in the payment of the note secured therein and the holder of said note having demand for sale, the undersigned will on
Monday, January 19th, 1924, at 12 O'clock, Noon,
sell to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door of Pitt county, a certain lot or parcel of land lying and being in the town of Greenville, county of Pitt, state of North Carolina, more particularly described as follows:

Being the northern half of lot No. 128 in the plan of the town of Greenville, bounded on the north by lot No. 127, on the west by Cotanch street, on the south by the lot of late Jane M. Brown, and on the east by part of lot No. 140, it being the same lot of land that was conveyed to Lela P. Jenkins by C. E. Rountree and wife on December 6th, 1912 by that deed duly registered in book R. 10 at page 213 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt county; and further being part of the land that was on April 30th, 1920 conveyed to J. J. Jenkins by Charles James by that deed duly registered in Book P-13 at page 496 of Pitt county Register.

to both of which deeds reference is hereby directed for more accurate description.
This December 17th, 1924.
JAMES L. EVANS, Trustee.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE.
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that deed of trust, executed and delivered by James Hardee and wife Susan Hardee, to James L. Evans, trustee, on the 12th day of February 1921 and duly registered in Book Y-13 at page 309 in the office of the register of deeds of Pitt county, the undersigned will on
Monday, January 19th, 1925, at 12 O'clock, noon,
sell to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door of Pitt county, a certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Chicod Township, Pitt county, North Carolina, more particularly described and defined as follows:

Beginning at a stake on the New Bern road at the corner of the colored school house lot, then with that line west to a stake; thence to W. A. Stokes' fence; then with the fence

to Edwards corner; then with Edwards line northeast to a stake on the New Bern road, then with said road to beginning containing 4 acres, more or less, and being same land conveyed to James Hardee by J. M. Cox and wife Bettle Cox by that deed duly registered in Book I-9 at page 21 and further being the same place where the said James Hardee and wife now reside.
This December 18th, 1924.
JAMES L. EVANS, Trustee.

Christmas Gifts

Don't Make Your Final Selection of Presents Until You Visit the

Gift Shoppe

In Singer Sewing Machine Office. Just received an additional line of attractive novelties.



Give House Slippers from Pitt Shoe Company

A most pleasing gift is that of a pair of our distinctive and comfortable House Slippers. They're a fine example of the utmost in practicability and beauty.

A wide variety of styles in a wide range of prices—but each is a real value.

We specialize in the famous Daniel Green make. There's None Better.

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"We Keep Your Feet Happy"

PRACTICAL GIFTS FOR Christmas

GET THEM AT
The Dry Goods Shop
Dickinson Avenue

Notice!

Is hereby given that the Taxpayers of Pitt County can take their tax notices to either of the different banks of the county, deposit the amount of their taxes and receive a receipt from the bank for their tax, thereby saving the trouble of having to come to the Sheriff's Office to pay their taxes. Please come in and pay your taxes as early as possible. We will appreciate it very much if you will come or take it to your bank at once.

Yours truly,
A. C. Jackson
SHERIFF PITT COUNTY



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The Master Six COACH \$1495
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Price of a Buick is added to the cost of the car.

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If you want to really enjoy the Christmas Season come look over the fine stock of beautiful

SUITS AND OVERCOATS
The prices have been very greatly reduced.

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SAY IT WITH A "GOLF" PRESENT

For a suitable present for "Him," make it something in the "Golf" line. I have a complete collection from which to make your selection.
L. A. NEWNHAM

CHRISTMAS

FRUITS — VEGETABLES
NUTS AND CANDIES

- Shelled and Unshelled Pecans,
- Shelled and Unshelled Walnuts,
- Shelled and Unshelled Almonds,
- Shelled and Unshelled Hazel Nuts,
- Shelled and Unshelled Brazil Nuts.
- Sweet Florida Oranges, 75c peck as long as they last.
- Anything in Fruits, Candies, Nuts and Vegetables.

Do Your Christmas Shopping Here.

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Most beautiful of all Gifts that you can select, Electrical pleases all and proves a most lasting remembrance of your best Christmas thoughts. Our selection will please you.
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BETHEL NEWS

THE TRUE MEANING OF CHRISTMAS

Reams and reams of paper have been written on this subject; yet, at this time each year, people again turn their thoughts and their pens to trying to originate some new idea in the meaning and the celebration of Christmas.

But why all the bustle and noise anyway? Why go to so much expense and trouble? Why, indeed, do we celebrate Christmas at all?

Christmas originated in Italy, or at least the custom of dressing trees and giving presents, and celebrating with feasts and noise long before the coming of Christ. At this time the old Romans decorated their vineyards with pictures of their God of wine, Bacchus. They gave feasts and presents and celebrated with much wine-drinking and merry making.

At the advent of Christ, the Christians conceived the idea of celebrating Christmas with the same old celebrations but with the new idea, the love and the divine birthday of Christ.

And today we should go about our preparations for Christmas with the idea of love for our fellowman, for our neighbors, for our loved ones, and for the love of Christ, Himself.

Christmas should mean to us the ending of a happy and well-spent year, as the benediction to a well-lived life. As we look back of the year just past we should see no bad deed to mar its surface of services for our fellowmen. It should be a time of love and greetings from one good friend to another; and the next year should be just a continuation of the Christmas season.

Bethel High School closes today for Christmas, and will open again January 5, 1925.

Bethel High School wishes all Pitt County a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Mr. Randall of Winston-Salem is at the Bethel High School for the purpose of painting a forest scene on the back stage curtain, which is the gift of the present senior class to the school. While he is here, he will paint an interior scene, which will be

the gift of the senior class of 1925.

Theodore Whitfield, a member of our class has been seriously ill with pneumonia. His condition is very much improved. The class is very sorry to hear of his illness, and hopes that he will soon recover.

Friends, here is a poem by a Junior, Harold Glenn Cuthrell. It has been printed in The News and Observer and it is so good we want to give you the benefit of it.

"The Stroke of a Mother's Hand"
There's a beauty in the flower,
There's a power in the grass,
There's a sweetness in the tear drop
Of an humble country rose;
Oh, there's a mighty love in every-
thing.
That is made by God and man,
But the greatest thing in all the
world
Is the stroke of mother's hand.

The Ninth grade boys, girls, and teachers, are hoping to spend a very enjoyable afternoon today. The Domestic Science girls will serve peanut brittle and chocolate fudge to the boys, teachers, and themselves. The pupils will present to Mr. Grimes, their teacher, a pair of cuff links. We all hope to have a very enjoyable afternoon.

Miller Announces Baseball Schedule N. C. State College

Raleigh, Dec. 17.—Athletic Director J. F. Miller announces the following tentative baseball schedule for the North Carolina State College team. A few other games, it was stated, will be arranged in addition to those listed below. Virginia is the only new team on the schedule. The Cavaliers will be played twice, one game being played in Charlottesville and the other in Raleigh.

The Schedule:
April 1-2-3 Open at Raleigh.
April 4, Trinity at Durham.
April 11, Penn State at Raleigh.
April 13, Wake Forest at Raleigh.
April 16, Elon at Raleigh.
April 18, Washington and Lee at Raleigh.
April 22, Trinity at Raleigh.
April 27, Virginia at Charlotte.

April 28, V. P. I. at Blacksburg, Va.
April 29, V. M. I. at Lexington, Va.
April 30, Washington and Lee at Lexington.

May 1, Maryland at College Park, Md.
May 5, V. P. I. at Raleigh.
May 8, Elon at Elon.
May 11, Carolina at Chapel Hill.
May 14, Virginia at Raleigh.
May 16, Wake Forest at Wake Forest.
May 19 and 20-Open at Raleigh.
May 23, Carolina at Raleigh.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by Marcellus Hopkins and wife, Maggie Hopkins, to J. H. Blount, trustee, of record in Book H-14, page 730, and default having been made in the payment of notes, secured thereby, the undersigned will offer for sale, to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door, in

Greenville, N. C., Tuesday, January 20, 1925, at 12 O'clock, Noon their one third undivided interest in the following described parcel of lands:

Lying and being in county of Pitt and State of North Carolina, beginning at a stake on Washington road corner of lot No. 1; thence south 84 1-2 east 17 1-2 poles to a stake corner of lot No. 1; thence north 43 east 10 poles to a stake; thence north 34 1-3 west 13 poles to the Washington road; thence with said road to the beginning, containing an acre more or less. Of record in Book A-6, at page 219; being the same land deeded by Susan O. Brown to Charlie, Marcellus and Perry Hopkins on April 9, 1896, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office of Pitt county, in the book and page above-named.

This the 18th day of Dec. 1924.
J. H. BLOUNT,
Trustee.
19 Itwk4wks
M. K. Blount, Atty.

SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

By virtue of a power of sale contained in that certain mortgage executed by Noah Smith to Sim Lancaster dated Nov. 30, 1921 and duly recorded in Book U-13, page 219, the undersigned mortgagee will on Saturday the 17th day of Jan. 1925, at 12 o'clock, noon, expose to public sale before the court house door in Greenville, Pitt county, to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property, to-wit:

Lying and being in Chicod Township, Pitt county, N. C., and situated on the east side of the road leading from Greenville to Vanceboro, and bounded on the east by the lands of Lewis Smith, on the south by the lands of Patrick Smith, on the west by the county road and J. W. Quincy, and on the north by the lands of John O. Smith, containing 14 acres more or less and being the lot or share allotted to Bill Smith in the division of the Euell lands.

This sale will be made for the purpose of satisfying the terms of said mortgage.
This the 17th day of Dec., 1924.
SIM LANCASTER,
Mortgagee.
19 Itwdw
F. C. Harding, Atty.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

The undersigned having qualified as the executors of the estate of Fred Edwards, deceased, under and by virtue of the last will and testament of the said Fred Edwards, this is to notify all persons indebted to said estate to make settlement with the undersigned, and all creditors of said estate are hereby notified to file their claims and accounts with the undersigned on or before the 20th day of December 1925 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of payment.

This Dec. 19th, 1924.
L. T. HARDEE,
HEBER PORTER,
Executors.
W. A. Darden, Atty. 19 Itwk6wks.

MORTGAGEE SALE

By virtue of the powers contained in a certain mortgage deed executed by John Rogers and wife, Emma Rogers, to W. R. L. Purvis on the 29th day of December, 1922, securing a certain indebtedness therein referred to the said W. R. L. Purvis,



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mortgagee, by reason of default in payment, under the powers as aforesaid contained in said mortgage, will sell before the court house door in Greenville on Saturday, the 24th day of January, 1925, the following parcel or tract of land, described as follows:

Situated in the town of Bethel, beginning on Main Street at the north west corner of W. H. Hunter's lot, running thence with Main street a northerly course 87 1-2 feet; thence an easterly course to East street; thence a southerly course with East street 87 1-2 feet; thence parallel with the second line to the beginning, containing 1-2 an acre more or less, and being the same conveyed to Harry Skinner by Alan Warren, administrator of E. Anderson, December 2nd, 1886, as appears in book Q-4, page 1922.

The mortgage under which this land is now being exposed for sale is recorded in Book U-13, page 572 of the Register of Deeds Office of Pitt county, and the said land is sold subject to the dower rights of Emma Rogers.

Terms of Sale—Cash.
This the 18th day of Dec. 1924.
W. R. L. PURVIS,
Mortgagee.
19 Itwk4wks
Skinner & Whedbee, Attys.

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of the authority contained in that certain deed of trust executed by William Jarvis Ehorn and wife, Nellie Ehorn, to L. G. Cooper,

on the west by William J. Ebron, containing 1.94 acres, and being the same described in book P-12, page 428, of the Pitt county registry.

(3) That tract of land which was conveyed by W. H. Whichard to the parties of the first part on January 3rd, 1924. Beginning at a point on the Pactolus road where the Canal crosses near W. F. Whichard's house, and runs south towards Pactolus with said road to the corner of a fence what is known as Zuan Moore's

house; thence with said fence north to a point where said fence crosses the Canal; thence up the Canal to the beginning, and containing 20 acres—actual survey 31 1-10 acres. This sale is made for the purpose of satisfying the indebtedness secured in the aforesaid mentioned deed of trust.

This the 18th day of December 1924.
LEWIS G. COOPER,
Trustee.
19 Itwk4w

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W. A. DARDEN, Atty.
Greenville, N. C.

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AVOID CHRISTMAS FIRES

Realizing the great fire danger that accompanies the shooting of fireworks especially the Roman Candle and Sky Rocket type, caused the Greenville Board of Aldermen two years ago to pass an ordinance prohibiting the shooting of fireworks within the corporate limits of the town. In enacting such an ordinance it was not the intention of the City Fathers to take any of the joy out of Christmas for the youngsters but it was with a view to protecting the lives and property of the citizens from what was formerly the Christmas epidemic of fires caused by fireworks.

On last Christmas Mayor D. C. Clark, in order to afford as much pleasure as possible to the small boy, to whom Christmas without firecrackers would not be Christmas, issued a ruling allowing the less dangerous forms of fireworks to be shot by children on private premises provided that same was done under the supervision of a grown person. The Roman Candle and Sky Rocket type, which are a great fire hazard, were not permitted under this ruling, however, the exception to the ordinance being for those types which apparently do not endanger property from a fire standpoint.

While the ordinance prohibiting the use of

fireworks is still on the statute books, we understand that this Christmas Mayor Clark is to allow the shooting of the firecrackers under a provision similar to that last Christmas, and it is to be hoped that parents of the city will co-operate with authorities in seeing to it that fireworks are not shot on the city streets and that the more dangerous forms of fireworks are not used in any way in the Christmas celebration.

HE WANTED IT READ

The Reflector has often carried short notices calling attention to the value of advertising in this paper, but a recent experience of as reported by a paper in South Dakota again again shows newspaper advertising is more effective than that secured through the use of an editor as reported by a paper in S. Dakota. Division of Publications of the State College Extension Service is as follows:

An editor and a merchant were discussing the virtue of billboard advertising. The merchant contended that more people read the billboard than the newspaper. After a lengthy conversation in which neither man would give in, the men parted.

The next week the merchant came tearing down the street to the newspaper office and wanted to know why the obituary of his wife's mother was not in the paper, especially after he had seen that a copy was taken to the newspaper office.

"Well," said the editor, "I knew you wanted the obituary read by the people, so I took it out and nailed it up on your billboard."

Tom Tarheel says that the folks down this way step on the gas and don't have time to read the billboards, but they do take the paper home and read it carefully.

The budget system in housekeeping means telling your money where to go instead of asking where it went, say home demonstration workers.

A good Christmas present this year is a subscription to the Daily Reflector. Try it on that friend who has moved away. The neighbor would also like to have a subscription to the home town paper.

RADIO PROGRAM FOR TOMORROW

(Courtesy of Radio Digest)

- Program for Dec. 20**
- WMAQ—Chicago News (447.5) 6 band; 8 orchestra; 8:30 photologue; 9 Chicago theatre revue.
 - WGN—Chicago Tribune (370) 6 program; 9-7 ensemble; 8 string quintet; 8:30 classical; 10 jazz.
 - WTAM—Cleveland (300) 8 dance.
 - WOC—Davenport (484) 7 Sandman; 7:30 religious discussion; 9 orchestra, songs.
 - WDAF—Kansas City Star (411) School of the Air; 11:45 Nighthawk.
 - KTHS—Hot Springs (375) 7:30-10 concert orchestra.
 - WHAS—Louisville Times (400) 7:30 to 9 flute club.
 - WMC—Memphis Commercial Appeal (500) 8 bedtime; 8:30 harp concert.
 - WJJD—Moosheart (278) 7:15 orchestra; 9 dance.
 - WJZ—New York (455) 6 orchestra; 7 Daddy George; 7:30 concert; 8:30 banquet; 9:30 orchestra.
 - WHX—New York (365) 6:30 orchestra; 7:30 entertainers; 10 orchestra; 11 dance.
 - WOR—Newark (905) 6:15 sports; 7 musical.
 - WTAY—Oak Park (283) 6:45-7:45 artists; 8-10 musical.
 - RGO—Oakland (312) 6 orchestra; 10 band, address, piano duets, violinist; 12 orchestra.
 - WIP—Philadelphia (509) 6 talk; 7 talk; 7:10 concert; 9:05 talk; 9:15 orchestra; 10:05 recital.
 - KDKA—Pittsburgh (320) 7:30 Christmas oratorio, symphony orchestra.
 - WCAE—Pittsburgh (436) 6:30 Uncle Kaybee; 6:45 feature; 7:30 concert.
 - KGW—Portland Oregonian (42) 12 dance.
 - KPO—San Francisco (423) 10 orchestra.
 - WGY—Schenectady (380) 8:30 orchestra.
 - WFOA—Seattle (455) 10:30 concert; 12:05 jazz.
 - WBZ—Springfield (337) 7:30-9:30 concert; 10:30-11 dance.
 - KSD—St. Louis Post Dispatch (546) choir cantata.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Fornes, deceased, late of Pitt county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Greenville, N. C., on or before the 24th 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 24th of Nov. 1924.

T. R. MOORE, Administrator of Mrs. Elizabeth Fornes

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 a Wilson and wife, Elsie Wilson, 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 5th day of January, 1925, at 12 o'clock noon, the following described parcel of real estate, lying, being, and situated in the 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 Besie O. Wilson lands, beginning at the corner of Besie 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 63' 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 Besie 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.
Allison Dunn, Atty. 4 1tw4wks

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 Emmitt Highsmith by the Bethel Livestock Co., on December 12th, 1923, the said note now being the property of Emmitt Highsmith, the defendant in this action.

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

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids for the grading and structures on Project "E," Ayden to Ridge Springs, 4.1 miles, will be received by the Pitt County Highway Commission at Greenville, N. C., until 7:30 p. m. December 22nd 1924 when they will be opened and read. No bids will be received after the above hour. The work will consist of the following approximate quantities:

- Place. 26,320 Lb. Structural Steel. In Place.
- 580 Ljn. Ft. Untreated Timber Piling.
- Plans and specifications can be had by applying to the office of the Engineer at Greenville, N. C. Plans will be completed by Wednesday, 17th of December.
- Certified check for the sum of \$200.00 will be required to accompany each bid. If contractor bids on both structures and Road Way check for \$400.00 should accompany bid.
- Contractors may bid on all or any part of the above work.
- The right is reserved to reject any or all bids or to accept any bid deemed best for the county.
- By order of the Pitt County Highway Commission.
W. H. DAIL, JR., Chairman, Greenville, N. C.
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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.

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. 6 1tw4wks

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust, executed and delivered by R. A. Worthington and wife Mollie Worthington to W. H. Woolard, trustee, on the 5th day of April, 1921, to secure the payment of a certain note therein described, the said deed of trust being of record in Book C-14, at page 57 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, and default having been made in the payment of the said note and the holder thereof having requested a foreclosure sale as in said deed of trust provided, the undersigned will on

Monday, January 5th, 1925 at 12 o'clock noon sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house door in Greenville, N. C., the following described real estate lying and being in the county of Pitt and State of North Carolina, more particularly described as follows:

FIRST PARCEL: Lots Nos. 1 and 5 of the A. G. Cox property as shown on map duly registered in Map Book I at page 119 of Pitt County Registry, and being the same land conveyed to R. A. Worthington by A. G. Cox and wife by deed dated October 18th, 1917, and duly registered in Book P-12, at page 567 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County.

SECOND PARCEL: A one-half (1-2) undivided interest in Farm No. 3 (three) of the Alfred Forbes farm in Beaver Dam township, as shown on map of the C. B. Forbes Division duly recorded in Map Book I at page 59 of the Pitt County Registry, it being the same land conveyed to N. W. Outlaw and R. A. Worthington by C. S. Forbes and wife by deed duly Registered in Book Q-11, at page 181 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, said farm No. 3 containing 39.50 acres. This December 4th, 1924.

W. H. WOOLARD, Trustee. James L. Evans, Atty. 5 1tw4wks

LOCALS

Mr. Frank McLaure returned today from Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. B. F. Hooker, of Richmond, Va., is the guest of Mrs. J. B. Mallison in College View.

Dr. and Mrs. Vernon Ward, of Robertsonville, were here today.

Mr. Holmes and Mr. Jimmie Darden, of Fanville, spent today in Greenville.

Mrs. F. D. Foxhall left this afternoon for Oriental to spend some time.

Miss Rosamond Flanagan is home from Gainesville, Ga., for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayward Foxhall, Miss Susie Foxhall and Mr. Ed Foxhall, of Tarboro, spent yesterday with Mrs. F. D. Foxhall.

Miss Reba McCoy of Charlotte who is attending E. C. T. C. left yesterday for her home to spend the holidays.

Mrs. A. W. Haskins, of Oriental, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. D. Foxhall, returned home today.

Misses Elizabeth Hadgrington, Clara Moye and Rose Hadley who are attending school in Winston Salem arrived last night for the holidays.

Mr. Tom Andrews, of Bethel, was in the city today.

Miss Mary Forbes arrived last night from Spartanburg, S. C., where she is attending school to spend the holidays.

Misses Jan Hadley and Marie Hardee who are attending school in Lynchburg are here for the holidays.

Morace Mabe went to Raleigh yesterday, returning this morning.

Messrs. Leslie Humber, James Fleming and Jake Dixon are here from Wake Forest to spend the holidays.

Mr. Bert Moye who is attending the University at Chapel Hill is here for the holidays.

Miss Hannah Dixon who for the past several months has been connected with the Wayne P. Sewell Co. of Atlanta, Ga., arrived yesterday afternoon to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Dixon.

Mrs. S. D. Hooker returned yesterday from a visit in Norfolk.

Mrs. D. E. Taylor, of Norfolk, is spending the holidays here at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Critcher.

Messrs. William Langley, Nash Cooper and Frank Cooper left today for a hunting trip near Georgetown, S. C.

Mr. Bergeron Out Again.

The friends of Mr. C. C. Bergeron, who has been ill for several weeks, are glad to learn that he has sufficiently recovered to be out again.

LETTER TO SANTA CLAUS

Dear Santa:
Please come to see us and bring anything you want us to have. Love, love, love from us.
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DANGER IN "RECOIL" MADE NOBILITY GASP

When J. Parker Read, Jr., obtained through an international contest the ten most beautiful women of Europe to appear in his picture, "Recoil," which has been booked for today at White's Theatre, it was quite natural that he should receive requests from many of the nobility, gather on the Riviera during the season, to witness the scenes in which these ten beauties of Europe appeared.

For these scenes Mr. Read had built a special banquet table which was made in the shape of a jeweled brooch, illuminated by hundreds of concealed lights, and each guest's place at the table was indicated by a large bevelled crystal, which, with the light beneath it, gleamed like a huge diamond.

During the banquet, the scene called for a dancer who, to amuse the guests, was to dance on and around the table itself. Mr. Read engaged the services of Mlle. Marcelle Mascotte.

CHRISTMAS CANTATA MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY P. M.

A Christmas Cantata "The World's Redeemer" will be presented by the choir of the Memorial Baptist church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

Those taking part in the Cantata are Mrs. Morton, Mrs. Carter, Miss Ernestine Forbes, Messrs. W. T. Lipscomb, Jr., E. E. Rawl, and W. W. Lee. Mrs. J. L. Fleming is organist and director.

TELL 'EM & SELL 'EM

MR. W. R. JONES RETURNS HOME FROM THE HOSPITAL TODAY

Mr. W. R. Jones who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis in Pitt Community hospital returned home today. Although not able to be out his condition is greatly improved.

CONDITION OF MISS MARY WASHINGTON IMPROVING

The condition of Miss Mary Washington who has been ill for several days, continues to improve and she expects to be out within a few days.

MR. B. T. CLARK ILL AT HOME ON CHESTNUT STREET

The many friends of Mr. B. T. Clark will regret to learn that he is confined to his home on Chestnut street, suffering from rheumatism, and wish for him a speedy recovery.

GOES TO VIRGINIA FOR MORTGAGED AUTO

Sheriff A. C. Jackson and Mr. L. C. Fletcher left this morning for Virginia to bring back an automobile which is owned by a negro, but on which Mr. Fletcher has a mortgage. The negro to whom the car belongs is in jail in Virginia charged with murder.

CHRISTMAS PARTY ENGAGED LAST NIGHT AT METHODIST CHURCH

A Christmas party was given in the basement of the Methodist church last evening for children of the fifth and seventh grade classes.

Upon arrival the guests were given a cordial welcome and an hour of games was enjoyed under the direction of Miss Lytell, at 8:30 o'clock the children were invited behind a screen where they found to their surprise a large and beautiful Christmas tree. At this time a knock was heard and when the door was opened the visitor, Santa Claus, walked in and distributed the presents which consisted of a Christmas stocking and an attractive gift for each little boy and girl.

After several other games an ice course was served.

SCOUTS TO OBSERVE "LADIES NIGHT" ON MONDAY NIGHT

The Scouts will observe "Ladies Night" at the Rotary Club Monday evening. On Friday evening the Scouts will meet at the High School to make plans for a party. A basketball game will follow immediately after the meeting.

GIVE HER CANDY

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75 Per Cent Proceeds Christmas Seals To Be Used Locally

Seventy-five per cent of the proceeds from the Christmas seals which are being sold in the drug stores under the auspices of the Woman's Club of Greenville, are being used for local purposes.

One case which is now receiving the attention of the Woman's Club through the King's Daughters is Will Humphrey, colored man of this city who is suffering from tuberculosis. Will is well known in Greenville and is deserving of the help which he is receiving.

Every time you buy a Christmas seal you are helping the sick of the community—those people less fortunate than we, and who will have no Christmas unless we carry it to them.

The seals are on sale at all the drug stores and the Woman's Club, which receives no benefit whatever except the joy of helping the tubercular patients, urges the public to buy them and help wage the great war against the white plague.

SAMPSON COUNTY FARMER in Duke, Dec. 15.—For the first time in 40 years W. C. Bagley of Sampson county got a shave a few days ago here, according to his own statement. It was also his first trip to a barber shop and he was only prevailed upon to go into the shop after much persuasion by his nephew. After the shave, Mr. Bagley said that his face felt some better but "sure did feel funny."

CARD OF THANKS.
We wish to adopt this method of expressing our heart-felt gratitude to our many friends for their sympathy, and many deeds of kindness toward us during the recent illness and death of our brother and loved one. We pray that God may add his richest blessing to every one who shared with us in our deepest sorrow.
G. A. CONWAY and FAMILY.



GIFT CIGARS FROM 'HIS' STORE

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COMING MONDAY—PLAY OF LEROY SCOTT'S 'MOTHER O'DAY,' 'THE CITY THAT NEVER SLEEPS.'

THURSDAY, CHRISTMAS—GLORIA SWANSON IN—'HER LOVE STORY'—BY MARY ROBERTS RINEHART

Markets

(Furnished by J. W. Cobb)

COTTON

Liverpool weekly statement in thousands. Sales for week 33 vs. 26 American 20 vs. 14 forwarded 84 vs. 69 American 58 vs. 39. Stock 582 vs. 524 American 446 vs. 309 exports 5 vs. 3 American 1 vs. none Rcts 79 vs. 121. American 66 vs. 77.

New Orleans—Cotton decline and likely work lower owing large weeks in sight and probability of large ginning tomorrow. Likely have more liquidation before close.

Liverpool—Lancaster spinners of American on nearly full time.

Export from U. S. 18,000 vs. one thousand for week 314,000 vs. 258,000 since Aug. first, 3,942,000 vs. 2,971,000. Stock at all U. S. ports 1,538,000 vs. 1,012,000.

Spinners 438,000 in sight 568,000.

LIVERPOOL SPOT COTTON

Middling 1326; good middling 1378; receipts 7900 of which 6,900 were American. Sales 500. Market closed steady. Jan. 1313; Mar. 1349; May 1328; July 1330; Oct. 1381; Dec. 1313

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Rows for Jan, Mar, May, July, Oct, Dec.

NEW YORK COTTON

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GRAIN MARKET

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Rows for WHEAT and CORN.

Appeals to Philathea Classes to Aid In Donations to Oteen

Asheville, Dec. 19.—An appeal to the members of the Philathea Bible classes throughout the state to aid in the donations and Christmas boxes to be sent to disabled veterans of the World War now at Oteen Hospital has been issued by Mrs. N. Buckner, of this city, general secretary of the North Carolina Association of Philathea Classes. Mrs. Buckner requests that all gifts be sent to the association headquarters in this city as soon as possible so that they be properly arranged and that checks may be cashed in time.

for presentation at the hospital before Christmas Day.

One thousand gifts boxes have been donated by a box factory of the state and many merchants have been sending various gifts as well as other manufacturers, the secretary stated.

Law Requiring Motor Conveyances Carry Ins. to Be Enforced

Asheville, Dec. 18.—Sheriff Mitchell of Buncombe county has announced that he will strictly enforce the state law requiring all public motor conveyances to carry insurance, which became effective on September 10 last. E. M. Lyda, chairman of the County Board of Commissioners, after a conference with the sheriff, has written a letter to the solicitor and chief of police of Asheville requesting them to assist in the enforcing of the law. Penalty for violation of the law as set forth in the statute books, is a fine of \$50 or imprisonment for not more than 30 days. However, each day that the law is violated is considered a separate offense.

Defendant Restricted From Driving Auto Remainder of Life

Asheville, Dec. 18.—Restriction from driving an automobile for the remainder of his life is the penalty imposed upon Sam Frady in Superior Court here for the running down and fatally injuring Robert E. Shuford of Biltmore while learning to operate an automobile a few weeks ago. Frady was indicted after the accident and he pleaded guilty when the case was called. Judgment was suspended upon his payment of the cost and agreement never to operate an automobile again.

Investigation of Death Poison 20 Dogs Wilmington

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year, is now being carried out by Sheriff George C. Jackson and his assistants. Places of bread of which some of the dogs ate recently before their death have been sent to Raleigh to the State Chemist to be tested for strychnine, it was said, and a check up of the sale of this drug by the pharmacists of the city is expected to reveal such information as will lead to the arrest of those guilty of poisoning the dogs. Sheriff Jackson stated that the guilty persons could be prosecuted for cruelty to animals and for damages to private property.



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