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SEE NO TROUBLE AS RESULT OF MEXICAN LAWS

Indications are That American Companies Will Comply With Land and Oil Laws.

Washington, Dec. 28.—(INS)—The zero hour in Mexican-American relations, set for January 1, when Mexico's new land and petroleum laws become effective, seems destined to arrive and pass without anything very serious taking place, despite the State Department's veiled threats a month ago of a break in diplomatic relations.

The rapidity with which foreign oil concerns, whose holdings in Mexico are worth many hundreds of millions, have been falling in line and complying with the Mexican government's new regulations has served to allay for the time being at least, some of the tenacity of the situation.

While the State Department remains unshaken, in its position that the new laws are communistic in theory and confiscatory in practice, the big oil companies are nevertheless apparently willing to take a chance on them, and are complying with the regulations in increasing numbers.

More than fifty of the biggest oil concerns doing business in Mexico, which include the principal American, British and Dutch corporations, have already acted to protect their holdings under the new regulations, according to the Mexican Embassy. The corporations apparently decided it was better to play safe with the Calles government than to trust the tortuous game of diplomacy.

Meanwhile, the State Department continues to mark time and await developments. It has no comment to make on the Mexican situation, and no new notes are planned, it was said at the Department today.

The open hostility in Congress to any break with Mexico, and the no less open criticism of the Department's policy in intervening in Nicaragua, has also served to promote caution on the part of State Department officials.

The proposed Senatorial investigation into the activities of the American Marines in Nicaragua seemed in doubt today following a conference between Senator Borah, chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations committee, and Secretary of State Kellogg.

Kellogg assured Borah that the Marines were landed only to protect American lives and property and that they were taking no sides between the Nicaraguans, conservatives and liberals, who are now battling for control of the little Republic. Borah appeared satisfied, although he intimated that he may later have some "startling disclosures" to make concerning the origin of the revolt in Nicaragua and the influences back of it.

"The Nicaraguan revolution was planned and inspired by eight or ten men who are not even Nicaraguans, and largely for business reasons," said Borah. He refused to amplify this remark, although he said that "the truth is that an effort is being made to get into a cowardly little war with Mexico."

"All this cry of communism and bolshevism is an effort to justify war with Mexico. They talk communism. But what they mean is war."

The Idaho Senator did not identify "They." It is a matter of record, however, that many of the charges of communism and bolshevism have emanated from sources very close to the State Department.

ALBERT B. FALL
CRITICALLY ILL
El Paso, Tex., Dec. 28.—(INS)—Albert B. Fall, former Secretary of the Interior, who recently was acquitted with E. L. Doheny oil man, on a conspiracy charge at Washington, is seriously ill here, but this morning was said to be resting comfortably.

Fall has pneumonia in his right lung, according to his physician, Dr. H. Tom Safford. Fall arrived here yesterday from Washington and was placed under the immediate care of a physician.

WHAT WILL HAPPEN IN 1927?
In accordance with the established custom, The New York World in the Magazine Section next Sunday will feature a futuristic outline, of the coming year by a noted professional occultist, Grace Elery Williams. An outlook for the coming twelve months on land and sea, in business and politics, morals, crime, matrimony and divorce, prohibition, Gene Tunney and Gov. Smith. Articles of interest to every member of the family every Sunday in The World.

TODAY

Four More Days,
The Ultimatum Stage.
Pink Velvet Puppies
The Mikado Laughs.

(By Arthur Brisbane)

For people that amount to anything, especially the young, the day after Christmas means another year almost gone.

Four days are left of this year, then comes 1927. Much can be done in four days. Most of the world was created in that time, according to Genesis. You can't hope to create a world with sun, moon, and stars, etc., and a human race, in what is left of this year.

BUT YOU CAN START SOMETHING. If only the habit of thinking seriously about the flight of time, the years that go by like the words of one of those moving light signs in big cities.

About nine tenths of all young men and women will say "No use trying to do anything between now and New Year's Day." They make up the big class, that will not do anything between now and funeral day.

The big United States reaches the ultimatum stage in its dealings with little Nicaragua's attempt to establish a better, more liberal government. Uncle Sam tells the so-called "rebels" of Nicaragua what they must do, including the evacuation of Puerto Cabezas.

Once we were small and poor fighting England, and were glad to have France sympathize with us, instead of sending an ultimatum, ordering us to submit to things as they were.

There is no more justice in our ordering Nicaragua's liberal party to submit to an unwelcome government that it would have been for France to decide, against us in 1776.

We are big and rich now, satisfied with things as they are, delighted to have rule by organized money substituted for the "twaddle" that Jefferson put into the Declaration of Independence.

And you may be quite sure that it is organized money, talking through government tools that is giving orders to Nicaragua.

Our one interest in that neighborhood is the Panama Canal. We ought to protect that and are rich enough to do it.

We should refrain from meddling with our neighbors to the south. The richest nation in the world, lacking brains, and ability to protect itself with an army and navy department, neither of which is able to carry out a simple flying experiment successfully should not tell other nations how to run their governments.

Nicaragua's rebels might buy a dozen good bombing machines, fly to Washington and scare our administration. Congress, army and navy departments out of ten years growth, for we have stood still, so far as self defense, goes since the war.

Fashionable ladies in Paris, have for their latest toy, pink velvet puppies, very fat, with bright red tongues sticking out of their mouths.

Rich American girls acquire similar toys in the way of foreign husbands. Eventually the foreign husband, like the pink velvet puppy, goes into the ashcan.

The Japanese Emperor, dead and embalmed, will die in some for fifty days.

His son, Hirohito, 25 years old takes the Mikado's throne, not dressed in the old strange clothes but in the fighting uniform of Western soldiers.

If that young man is ambitious, it would interest him to look across the Pacific to the harbor of Los Angeles, the southwestern door to California and the United States.

There he would see an array of battleships costing fifty millions apiece and more, the Colorado, Maryland, West Virginia, Tennessee, California, Idaho, New Mexico, Mississippi, Oklahoma, Nevada, Arizona.

Very impressive and dramatic are those battleships, and the young Mikado would laugh heartily if he could see them.

He knows, what our foolish government does, not know, that a battleship, today, is no more valuable in war than the fierce masks that the Mikado's warriors once put over their faces in order to frighten enemies.

Every one of those battleships needs protection, from air planes, as a hen needs protection from hawks.

The Mikado, has the airplanes, we haven't.

He could send across the Pacific on his plane carrying ships to every Sunday in The World.

Children, Jailed for Getting Married, Are True



Madalene Boyle, fourteen, and John Daily, seventeen, eloped and were married. A Syracuse, N. Y., judge sentenced them to indeterminate sentences in reformatories because they gave incorrect ages when obtaining a license. They promised each other to remain true, even if they must remain locked up.

(International Newswire)

SMITH'S STAY IN THE SENATE WILL BE BRIEF

Under Compromise Plan to Unseat Illi- nois Senator Vote Would Be Taken in Ten Days

Washington, Dec. 28.—(INS)—Senator Frank L. Smith, named to succeed the late William B. McKinley, will serve a maximum term of ten days, should he finely accept the apartment, under a plan virtually agreed to day by all factions in the senate.

The plan, proposed by administration senators, would include administering the oath of office to Smith when he presents his credentials, five days consideration of his case by the senate elections committee and a vote by the senate on ousting him five days later. At present the sentiment of the senate indicates, Smith will be unseated by probably a seven to one vote.

This procedure already has been endorsed by senator Ashurst (D) of Arizona, who earlier filed a resolution proposing to shut the doors of the senate, in Smith's case. Ashurst agreed to the administration plan as a compromise because it insures a vote on ousting Smith within ten days after his arrival.

Th plan will be followed even though senator Norris (R) of Nebraska, leader of the insurgent bloc, had not as yet endorsed it. Norris told friends he would not object to it if the other members of the bloc favored the plan and to date there have been no objections. Norris originally proposed to bar Smith from the senate without even administering the oath of office. The later course would prevent Smith from ever becoming a Senator.

Republican leaders, who are already to vote to oust Smith, meanwhile await for final word from Illinois. They commission senator Deneen (R) of Illinois, to see Smith over the Christmas holidays and urge him to decline the appointment. Thus far, they have no definite word from Deneen.

SUES FOR \$20,000
FOR LOSS OF ARM
Raleigh, N. C. Dec. 28.—(INS)—W. H. Woodard, of St. Mary's township today instituted suit in wak superior court to recover \$20,000 damages, from Samuel Watts owner of the Auburn Cotton Gin for the loss of his right arm, which Woodard alleges he lost while working at the GGIg on October 8.

**BUCKINGHAM PALACE
TO TALK TO WHITE HOUSE**
London, Dec. 28.—(INS)—King George and President Coolidge will inaugurate a trans-Atlantic telephone service some time in January, talking between Buckingham Palace in London, and the White House, in Washington, according to the Daily Express today.

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Increased efforts will be made to prevent diversion of industrial alcohol to bootleg channels.

**Reindeer Steaks From
Alaska to be Regular
Item on Bill of Fare**
Seattle, Dec. 28.—(INS)—Alaska reindeer steaks may become a regular entree on the American bill of fare if plans for marketing this northern meat product, now under consideration by the Alaska committee of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce, materialize. The who're difficulty now lies in the problem of transportation.

With the reindeer herds increasing at the rate of 20 per cent annually, and a steadily growing demand developing in the United States for this product, a gigantic scheme of transportation was being worked out, whereby herds of 10,000 deer may be driven across the 800-mile trail from the Nome district to connect with the government railroad at Fairbanks, according to Charles D. Garfield, secretary of the committee.

This project, if consummated, will remove the last barrier to a prosperous meat producing industry in the far north, and will insure a steadily increasing volume of reindeer carcasses moving through this port to American markets, the committee declared.

**HOSPITAL INMATE
COMITS SUICIDE**
Raleigh, N. C. Dec. 28.—(INS)—Strangling herself with a cloth belt, Mrs. Lois Usher, 34 mother of five children, committed suicide today at state Hospital here. She was a native of Sampson County.

The woman who entered the institution several days ago for observation for insanity, was strangled to death while suspended by the neck from a bath room in the Hospital.

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The work of fire protection in the county is under the direction of S. M. Jones county warde, of Bethel, the county being divided into 13 districts, each in charge of a district warde and they in scattered through their district.

Th meeting will be especially interesting due to the fact that in connection with the discussion on the work in general practical demonstration will be given to the men on correct fire fighting methods the wardens will be taken to a nearby tract of forest and the men divided into five crews and properly equipped, a fire line will be constructed following approved methods and complete instructions given as to attacking and suppressing a fire.

This marks the end of the first year of Pitt County cooperating with the State and Federal Government in the protection of forest lands from fire, the appropriation being made on January 1, 1926.

With the Warden organization now in the County reaching completion it is felt that the meeting will be of great benefit to the wardens and assist them in carrying on their work with more zeal and interest during the coming year.

**SEARCH FOR MISSING
DURHAM NEGROW**
Durham, N. C. Dec. 28.—(INS)—Police of northern cities today were asked to aid in the search for W. Gomez, negro financier and capitalist, who is missing from his home here.

Belief was expressed that the negro leader had met with foul play. He left Durham early last month on a business trip north. He was last seen by his foster son in Washington D. C., on December 19.

He planned to return home here before Christmas.

Comex is secretary and manager of the bankers fire insurance company of Durham.

A man seldom turns over a new leaf until the old one is all smeared.—Troy Messenger.
One can only hope that the revolt in Lithuania isn't as serious as the names of the participants look.—Nashville Banner.

TWO ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH MURDER OF NURSE

Asheville Authorities Believe They are Nearing Solution of Murder Mystery

Asheville, N. C., Dec. 18.—(INS)—Authorities believed they were a step nearer solution of the gruesome Christmas murder of Mary McGuire, 71-year-old dietician, today when two negroes were arrested after the slaying.

The negroes were William Avery and his wife, Mary. They are being held in Buncombe County jail without bond. Their arrest came 70 hours after the aged dietician's mangled body was found on the edge of Campbell's woods here.

A gruesome examination of negroes in the vicinity resulted in Avery and his wife. According to the charges being placed against their neighbor's story to police, they heard a woman screaming in the street and fleeing led on the arm of a man with a heavy overcoat.

After this their neighbors told police they saw two men with flashlights running to Avery's front porch. Avery himself admitted to police that he sat near his front porch and received the hats and coats of guests at his party.

Rewards totalling \$1,000 have been offered for the arrest and conviction of the aged dietician's slayer or slayers by the city and county, and Governor McLean has been requested to add \$500 to the amount. Friends of the aged woman also expect to offer a large reward.

Honor Memory of Woodrow Wilson

Washington, Dec. 28.—(INS)—The memory of Woodrow Wilson will be honored tonight, the seventieth anniversary of his birth, with a dinner here by the Washington Committee of the Woodrow Wilson Foundation. The principal speakers will be William Allen White, Kansas Editor; Rep. Moore, (D), Virginia and Frederic A. Delano, of Washington, while Dr. James H. Taylor Pastor of the church where Wilson died will be honored guest.

During the day the National Commemorative committee of the Foundation has planned to lay on Wilson's Tomb at Mount St. Albans wreaths sent from various states which are also holding memorial dinners tonight.

DENVER'S BROADWAY SPORT PARK MAKES WAY FOR GREAT BUILDINGS

Denver.—Broadway Park, Denver's pioneer sport rendezvous, has alien under the sledges of the wrecking crew, clearing the path for modern buildings of a growing city.

Built in 1891, the grandstand held a position of prominence in Denver athletics until condemnation proceedings recently terminated its useful life.

Constructed originally by the League of American Wheelmen, for bicycle racing, the history of Broadway Park, has been bright, with the wane of public interest in cycling, the Denver Club of the early Western baseball league moved in, and the park was the scene of many of the intersectional games of the period, when teams came from as far east as Chicago and St. Paul.

A hint of declining fortunes appeared in 1905 when two rival grandstands were built. Union Park, with a gridiron and stand, was sponsored by John R. Crabb; while Denver University constructed a small unit near the campus in University Park. But the newcomer's triumph was short-lived, for the Union Park structure crashed, soon after, in a wind-storm, and the University stand succumbed to a wrecking crew.

Again ascendant, Broadway Park within a few blocks of the downtown district, as the only field in the city available for professional and college contests.

Put progress out short this ascendancy, for planes are soon carried out for a new, and larger baseball field in the downtown area, while out at University Park, a great stadium of steel and concrete was erected. So the completion of Merchant's Park, new home of the Denver Club of the Western league, and the new University stadium, sounded the knell of Broadway Park.

Before spring modern buildings will rise from ruins of the old arena.

Nine Americans met the King of England. He didn't buy anything.—Lakeland Ledger.

THIRTEEN DEAD AS A RESULT OF HEAVY FLOODS

Property Damage in Tennessee, Arkansas and Mississippi Will Reach \$1,000,000.

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 28.—(INS)—With 13 dead, hundreds homeless and property damage estimated at \$1,000,000, flood waters in Tennessee, Arkansas and Mississippi were expected to reach their crest today.

No immediate relief was promised nearly 5,000 flood victims, who were forced to leave their homes in the lowlands, and it may be days before they can go back to them.

Out of their banks for nearly a week as the result of heavy rains, the Cumberland, Tennessee and Tombigbee rivers will reach their crest tonight, and then will slowly recede, the weather bureau announced.

The known death toll divided by states, was as follows:
Arkansas, 6; Mississippi 5; Tennessee, 2.

In addition to deaths, destruction of property and hardships, many towns in Tennessee and Mississippi were without train service as the result of high waters. The Louisville and Nashville and Illinois Central service was badly crippled in Tennessee and Mississippi.

Some commercial establishments in Nashville and other Tennessee towns were forced to suspend business, while the damage to crops, highways, livestock, railroad property and home have been heavy.

Schoolhouses were used in Chattanooga to house the flood refugees, while warehouses and public buildings afforded a temporary shelter for the homeless, in Nashville.

Relief work was well organized, it was said, and there was not apparent suffering.

Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 28.—(INS)—After an all night rain of more than an inch, flood conditions grew worse here today, with the expectation that the Cumberland River would swell several more feet before it reached its crest tonight.

Approximately 3,500 are homeless in Nashville as the result of the overflowing of the Cumberland River. The property damage here alone will reach \$600,000, it was estimated. Towns up and down the river from Nashville are inundated, with business virtually suspended and rail and highway traffic demoralized.

Clarksville has more than 600 without homes; Carthage 500; Harrisville 10; Celina 200 homes abandoned. Other towns along the river suffering damage were Lebanon, Jacksonville, Ashland City and Gainsboro.

CHURCH DENOMINATIONS PREVENT MONTONY; DECLARE FAMOUS PASTOR

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 28.—(INS.)—Th church has need of denominations if only to preserve those without which life would be monotonous and boring, declared Rev. M. S. Rice, pastor of the Metropolitan Methodist Episcopal Church of Detroit, Mich., speaking before the fall rally of the Minneapolis Council of Churches here.

The existence of denominations should not mean antagonism, but differentiation, he said. We need novelty and differences in our daily life. Most of us are afraid to be individual or peculiar but strive to standardize ourselves under rules laid down by arbiter set etiquette and other authorities.

Rev. Irwin E. Deer, executive secretary of the church council speaking from the same platform, urged that the pastors and their congregations make greater use of the council.

Too often the Protestant churches suffer under a sense of inferiority and impotency when it comes to combating the blatant and arrogant forces of evil so prevalent in large cities, he declared. The council is designed to restore the church's sense of power and to change the minister's psychology.

MANY MINNESOTA STUDENTS EARN WAY THROUGH SCHOOL

Minneapolis, Minn.—Approximately 40 per cent, of the men students at the University of Minnesota earn all of their way through school, E. E. Nicholson, dean of the current issue of the Minnesota Parent-Teacher official organ of the Minnesota Congress of Parents and Teachers.

About 40 per cent of the men students earn at least part of their way, he said while of the women students approximately 40 per cent, all their way.

MORE THAN SCORE DIE FROM EFFECTS OF POISON LIQUOR

Death Toll in N. Y. Already at 23 With 89 More in Critical Condition.

New York, Dec. 28.—(INS)—With 23 persons dead from poison liquor, more deaths were expected today among the 89 men, and women in various hospitals suffering from denatured alcohol poisoning contracted during the Christmas holiday celebration.

Following autopsies upon some of the victims, chief medical examiner Norris announced that government chemists had detected alcohol with such poisons as pyridine, diethylphthalate, formalin and bichloride, in an effort to make it unfit to drink. It was these poisons, Dr. Norris said, that the bootlegger was unable to remove through redistillation.

Federal prohibition administrator Chester P. Mills, defended the government's course and said that he would not be surprised to see more casualties after the New Year, Eve celebration.

Dr. A. O. Getler, chief toxicologist of Bellevue hospital, who examined the bodies of 14 of the victims of the fatal gin and whiskey, said that death in these cases had been due to ethyl—not wood alcohol.

The death toll now exceeds that of last Christmas.

Alex Jones of Falkland Township Killed Thursday

Alex Jones, about 50 of Falkland township, was killed with a shotgun last Thursday about noon by Walter Langley, youth of 16. From reports it seems that Jones was drinking and made an assault upon J. R. Langley, father of the youth. While this row was in progress the youth who had his shotgun came upon the scene. As he came into view, Jones turned on him and tried to assault him and the boy ran. Jones finally overtook him and tried to take the gun, from him. In the scuffle the boy shot Jones through the abdomen and killed him. Jones was buried in Walstonburg Friday afternoon. At the inquest the coroner's jury exonerated the boy for the killing.

Hurled to Death From Third Story

New York, Dec. 28.—(INS)—The body of Bella Stokes, a pretty 21 year old blonde, was discovered early today crumpled in the snow in the rear of a building at 442 West Forty-first street. She was apparently hurled to her death from a third story window by assailants.

The murder missed being thwarted only by a matter of minutes. A passerby saw two men dragging a well-dressed girl into the hallway of a Forty-first Street tenement and notified the police. When detectives came to investigate the girl lay beneath an open window. Her skull was crushed and her body showed bruises.

A trail of blood inside the building led police to consider the possibility that the girl was slain before being thrown out of the window.

WORLD'S BIGGEST DIESEL ENGINE BUILT IN OHIO

Hamilton, O., Dec. 28.—(INS)—The largest Diesel engine in the world has been completed here. The mammoth power plant, capable of developing from 3,500 to 5,000 horsepower will begin a 30-day non-stop test at the works of the Rooten-Owens Reintschler company, where it was built. Upon successful completion of this test the engine will be installed in the U. S. S. Seimole, a freighter.

The engine will be run on the block with a simulate load. This will consist of an enormous generator which will be hooked to it and which will require approximately the same power to operate as a propeller thrusting a ship through the water.

More than 2,000 kilowatts of electricity will be generated by this trial. This force will be dissipated into a tank of water.

The makers predict that the Diesel engine will cut operating expenses more than one-third and declare that many power plants are being stimulated by the new fuel-oil burning engine.

Government experts as well as engineers for various steamship lines which now use steam turbines are here to observe the test.

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Men see hope for women
after all, since they're giving
up unbuckled galoshes.

Reclamation of arid lands
wins more interest than
usual in the wet East.

Maybe Col. Carmi Thomp-
son had better be sent now
to Nicaragua to see how the
American administration
there is coming along and
when the natives will be
ready for self government.

Old adage revised: When
in Rome do as Mussolini
says.

Gunboat activities in Chi-
na show among other things
that with all her backward-
ness that country has kept
her rivers navigable.

DODGING OUR
HOSPITALITY

"Americans are friendly
but primitive creatures,"
says George Bernard Shaw.
"Literature is so wonderful
to them that they will cross
the ocean to see a man who
has written a book. If I
were to cross the ocean to
gratify their hero worship,
they would shake my hands
off, daze me with uplift and
kill me with kindness."

So Shaw has a better way.
He has discovered how to be
seen and heard by the Amer-
ican people without being
entertained and mobbed to
death. He will let this coun-
try see his face and hear
his voice by means of the
new photo-film, or speaking
movie.

Science may soon put a
still better device at his com-
mand, if promises of a radio
"television" or "telephoto"
apparatus are realized.

All foreign celebrities in
time may learn to control
their generous and curious
impulses in the same way,
and project their faces and
voices to America instead
of coming here in person.
Think what Queen Marie
would have saved herself
from if she could have done
that.

HARD TESTS FOR
DRIVERS

Officials in Leipzig, Ger-
many, certainly take auto-
mobile driving seriously.
Every prospective driver has
to be tested as to his fitness
for performing that work
intelligently and safely.

A laboratory has been es-
tablished in which the can-
didate for a driver's license
sits at the steering wheel of
a detached control section of
an automobile. Close in front
of him is a screen on which
is thrown a moving picture of
traffic in a congested section.
He must manipulate his con-
trols to avoid the dangers
presented in the picture.
Every move he makes is au-
tomatically recorded, re-
vealing any mistakes in
judgment and the speed of
his reaction. Other bits of
equipment show up his psy-

chological reactions and his
general steadiness or un-
steadiness. Still another
machine tests his strength
and endurance under strain.

If he gets by all those
things satisfactorily and has
the price for a car, appar-
ently he is allowed to have
his license.

There are a lot of foolish
drivers in this country whom
the public could well afford
to eliminate by some such
tests.

A COMMITTEE FOR
CHILDREN

The latter part of Janu-
ary the public will be asked
to observe Child Labor Day.
The National Child Labor
Committee is urging every-
body to find out the current
facts of the child labor situ-
ation.

For persons who do not
know what that committee
is, it may be well to tell a
little of its history. It was
incorporated in 1907, by a
number of prominent, public
spirited men and women.

its purpose was to pro-
mote the welfare of society
with respect to the employ-
ment of children in gainful
occupations; to investigate
and report the facts concern-
ing child labor; to raise the
standard of parental respon-
sibility in this matter; to as-
sist in protecting children by
suitable legislation against
injurious employment; to
work for the enforcement of
child labor laws; and to aid
local child labor committees
or to encourage the forma-
tion of such where they do
not exist.

Its work covers all sections
of the United States, dealing
with child labor as a com-
munity, state or national
problem.

Since the child labor
amendment failed of ratifi-
cation, the committee has
suggested a set of minimum
standards which every state
ought to establish by law.

Its departments of re-
search, investigation and
legislation work thoroughly
and honestly to gather in-
formation, to make inquiry
into child life conditions
in specific sections and to
aid in getting sound laws
enacted.

Its funds come through
membership and donations.
Monthly publication, "The
American Child," containing
facts of interest to intelli-
gent citizens everywhere.

Here is an activity very
much worth knowing about
and co-operating with.

Slew Boy



Here is a new picture of
Harold Croarkin, son of
wealthy parents, who killed
Walter Schmitt, six, in a
stable in Chicago's exclusive
North Side.

Wants

Rates: 1c per word (mini-
mum 25c) per insertion this size
type. Larger type double price.
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count with this office must send
or bring cash with copy. No
want ads taken over telephone.

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smooth crop and silt in left
ear. Also right ear cut off.
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NOTICE OF LAND SALE

By virtue of power vested in me
by the Deed of Trust which was
executed to me on the 7th day of
April, 1922, by H. H. Proctor,
Senior, and wife, and which is
duly recorded in the Register's of-
fice for Pitt County in Book K-11,
at page 166, and pursuant to re-
quest of the said H. H. Proctor, I
shall offer for sale to the highest
bidder, for cash, at public auction,
at the Court House Door, in the
town of Greenville, North Caro-
lina, on Thursday, January 15th,
1927, at 12:00 o'clock noon, the fol-
lowing part of the property in said
Deed of Trust fully set out and
described, to wit:

Beginning at the intersection of
Pitt and River Streets, in the town
of Grimesland, North Carolina,
and running thence along River
Street towards the river for 100
feet to a corner; thence 66 feet in
a westerly direction and parallel
with Pitt Street to a stake; thence
in a southerly course parallel with
River Street 100 feet to Pitt
Street; thence an easterly course
with Pitt Street 66 feet to the be-
ginning.

And the trustee reserves the right
to offer for sale the remainder of
the property described in said trust
hereafter.

This the 13th day of December
1926.
J. H. BOYD, JR., Trustee.
Albion Dunn, Attorney.
11-4-4-12-14-26

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SCHOOL DAYS

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL
ESTATE

By virtue of the power of sale
contained in that certain deed of
trust executed by Edgar Barnes
and wife, Della Barnes to J. B.
Taft, Trustee, on the 11th day of
June, 1924, which said deed of
trust appears on record in the of-
fice of the Register of Deeds of
Pitt County in book E-15 at page
306, and default having been made
in the payment of the indebtedness
thereby secured, the undersigned
trustee will on Saturday the 8th
day of January, 1927, at 12 noon,
before the courthouse door in Pitt
County, expose to public sale the fol-
lowing described real estate, to wit:
Being lot No. 7 in Block G of
the Riverside Subdivision as is
shown on map made by D. C. James,
Surveyor, on April 20, 1914, record-
ed in map book No. 2 at page 36
in the public registry of Pitt Coun-
ty, and being the same lot convey-
ed to Edgar Barnes an dwife by
deed recorded in book C-15 at page
191. This the 3rd day of Decem-
ber, 1926.

J. B. TAFT, Trustee
J. J. Perkins,
Owner of Debt
F. C. Harding, Attorney

Kidnaped Son



Mrs. Margaret Henderson was
returned to Hudson, N. Y., on
charges of escaping jail,
where she had been sent for
kidnaping her son from a
family that had adopted it.
During her disappearance
she had been nursing blind
children at an institution.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of the pow-
er of sale contained in that cer-
tain deed of trust executed on the
7th day of July, 1920 by Clayton
Joyner to J. B. James, Trustee,
which deed of trust is duly record-
ed in Book R-13, page 167, in the
office of the Register of Deeds of
Pitt County, default having been
made in the payment of the note
wherein named, the undersigned
will offer for sale, for cash, before
the courthouse door in Green-
ville at 12 o'clock noon, on Sat-
urday, January 22nd, 1927, the fol-
lowing described real estate:
Lying, situate and being in
Farmville township, near Joyner's
Cross Roads and being that cer-
tain tract known as lot No. 3 in
the division of the lands of the
late Luther Joyner, the father of
Clayton Joyner, beginning at a
stake on the Greenville road, the
corner of lot No. 2; thence run-
ning with said road S. 90 W. 104
poles to the run of Contentnea
Creek; thence up said creek to
Abner Siliant corner; thence with
his line to the road; thence to the
beginning. Containing 26 acres
more or less. Said tract adjoin-
ing the lands of Jason Joyner on
the east and the Jim Lang farm
on the west.

This, December 20th, 1926.
J. B. James, Trustee
21-11w-4wk.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER
DEED OF TRUST

Under and by virtue of the
power of sale contained in a cer-
tain deed of trust, executed on
December 14th, 1925 by R. M.
Elks and wife, Margaret I. Elks,
to Junius D. Grimes, Trustee,
which was registered February 18
1926 in Book H-16, page 306 of
the Pitt County Records, default
having been made in the payment
of the debt secured thereby and
demand of foreclosure having been
made by the owner of the said
overdue indebtedness, the under-
signed Trustee will on Saturday
January 22, 1927 at twelve o'clock
noon, before the court house door
of Pitt County at Greenville, N.
C., sell for cash to the highest bid-
der, the following described real
estate, to wit:

A certain tract of land lying
and being in Chicod Township,
Pitt County, North Carolina, and
more fully described as follows:
Situate, lying and being in
Chicod Township, and more par-
ticularly described as follows:

In the Town of Grimesland and
being a part of Block 2 in said
town. Beginning 1/4 the northern
side line of Pitt Street at a point
140 feet from the Northwest in-
tersection of Pitt and Chicod
streets (which point is the south-
west corner of the Methodist
Church lot), running thence at
right angles to Pitt Street, with
the Methodist Church lot, north
30 degrees 45 minutes east 150
feet; thence parallel with Pitt
Street, North 59 degrees 15 min-
utes west 70 feet; thence at right
angles to the last named line,
South 30 degrees 45 minutes west
150 feet to the northern side line
of Pitt Street; thence with Pitt
Street south 59 degrees 15 min-
utes east 70 feet to the point of
beginning.

And being the same land con-
veyed by J. Bryan Grime, and
others to R. M. Elks, by deed dat-
ed November 1, 1919, registered
November 3, 1919 in Book H-13
page 292, and which was hereto-
fore conveyed by R. M. Elks and
wife to W. S. Elks by deed duly
recorded.

It being the same land con-
veyed by W. S. Elks and wife to
W. C. Faucette by deed dated
December 19th, 1924, registered
December 20, 1924 in Book W-15
page 221.

Terms of sale, Cash.
This December 20, 1926.
Junius D. Grimes, Trustee
21-11w-4wk.

made by Sherian Clodfelter, C.
E., and said plat or map is re-
corded in the Register of Deeds
Office of Pitt County in Map Book
2 at page 77, reference to which
said plat or map is hereby made
for a more particular description
of said lots. Said lot number one
containing approximately 113
20-100 acres of land and lot num-
ber two containing approximately
137 71-100 acres of land, more or
less, and being the identical lots
of land conveyed by J. L. Sim-
mons, Trustee, to R. O. Jeffries,
by deed dated the 15th day of
January 1922 and recorded in
Book B-14, page 56, of the Regis-
ter of Deeds Office of Pitt County
and also being the identical lots
of land this day conveyed to use
by R. O. Jeffries.

Terms of said sale: CASH.
This the 21st day of December
1926.
W. L. Whedbee, Commissioner
21-11w-4wk.

MORTGAGEES' SALE OF LAND

By virtue of the power vested in
us by that mortgage which was
executed to us on the 20th day
of January, 1926, by J. W. Whit-
field and wife, Annie Whitfield, and
which mortgage is duly recorded in
the Register's office for Pitt Coun-
ty in Book H-16, at page 69, de-
fault having been made in the pay-
ment of the debt therein secured,
we shall offer for sale to the high-
est bidder, for cash, at public auc-
tion at the Court House door in
the Town of Greenville, at 12:00
o'clock noon, on Friday, Decem-
ber 31, 1926, the following describ-
ed tract of real estate, lying, being
and situate in Bethel Township,
in the County of Pitt, and State of
North Carolina, to wit:

Bounded by the lands of J. L.
G. Manning, R. D. Whitehurst et al
and also bounded by Lots No. 2
and No. 3 and being Lot No. 1 in
the division of the Mary E. Whit-
field land, and containing by esti-
mate 64 acres, and being the same
tract of land conveyed to Martha
Whitfield by Mary E. Whitfield by
that deed of record in Book G-11
page 84 of the Pitt County Regis-
try, and the same land upon which
J. W. Whitfield and wife, Annie
Whitfield, now reside.

This the 29th day of November,
1926.
Z. V. Buntlag,
Sallie L. Buntlag, Mortgagees
Albion Dunn, Atty.
20-11w-4wk.

REDUCED RATES

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having this day qualified as ad-
ministrators of the estate of the
late W. E. Proctor, of Grimesland
Pitt County, North Carolina, this
I, to notify all persons having
claims against said estate to pre-
sent them to the undersigned
within twelve months from this
date, or this notice will be plead-
ed in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said es-
tate will please see said adminis-
trators and make arrangements
for the payment.

This December 18th, 1926.
Mrs. Lena P. Proctor,
J. Knott Proctor, Admsrs.
F. G. James & Son, Atty.
18-11w-4wk.



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couldn't think clearly. One day I
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LOCALS

Miss Fannie Bell Bowling of Durham is visiting Miss Elizabeth Hardee.

Mr. and Mrs. William G. Adams of Four Oaks have returned to their home after spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kettrell and Mr. W. H. Henton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Congleton of Greensboro are spending the holidays with relatives here. Royce Jones has returned from Seven Springs, where he has been visiting relatives.

Mrs. J. B. Bryson, of Chase City, Va., arrived this morning to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Parker.

Mrs. and Mrs. B. B. Blalock of Durham, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Baker of Washington, W. Va., and little daughter of Washington were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilson for Christmas. W. A. Pollard of Farmville was here today.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Bowling have returned to Wilson after spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Elmore.

Mrs. Leon Litchinings and daughter, Miss Frances Litchinings of Richmond arrived today to visit Mrs. L. H. Bowling. Mr. and Mrs. Leland Hardee spent Christmas in Roper.

L. H. Bowling is spending a few days in Oxford. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jackson, of Jefferson, and Mr. T. C. Garrett, of Roxboro, are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith.

MISS MARTHA MOYE RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL

Miss Martha Moyer, who has been in Johnson-Willis Hospital for the past few weeks returned home a few days ago. Her many friends will be glad to know that she is greatly improved.

MISS LOWE'S FATHER DEAD

Misses Bessie and Margaret Lowe left yesterday for their home near Baltimore in response to a message that their father, Mr. L. Lowe, was dead.

Mrs. Mary Ruth Phillips and Miss Sallie Butler are spending the week-end with Mrs. W. A. Garris and Mrs. C. L. Bowen. Rodolph Phillips and Berkeley Butler, of Vanceboro, spent Christmas day with Hassel Bowen. Allen Phillips and Elbert Bowen have returned from Nashville, Tenn., where they went to take a business course.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Batchelor announce the birth of a son, Edward Batchelor, Jr., on Tuesday morning, December 28th, 1926.

HARDEE—WALTERS

Miss Sallie Walters and Mr. L. Roy Hardee were quietly married at the Immanuel Baptist parsonage by Rev. L. R. O'Brien on Christmas morning at eight o'clock. They left immediately after the wedding for a short stay in Washington, D. C.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Walters, of Conee. She attended the East Carolina Teachers' College here and for the past few years has taught school in this county. During her stay in this section, she has won a host of friends.

The groom is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hardee of this city. Having been born and reared here, he is well known and holds a position with the Water and Light Co.

They will make their home for the present with the groom's parents on Dickinson Avenue.

TUCKER—GODLEY

The following invitations have been issued: Mr. and Mrs. William S. Godley request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Ethel Elizabeth, to

Mr. Cecil Edward Tucker on Wednesday, the twenty-ninth of December, nineteen hundred and twenty-six, at high noon at the Christian Church, Grimesland, North Carolina.

DANCE AT COUNTRY CLUB

Dance at Greenville Country Club, Wednesday night, Dec. 29th, 9 to 1 o'clock. Music by the Dixie Serenaders. Country Club members and University Alumni and students of Pitt County.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness and thoughtfulness shown during the illness and death of our dear husband and father.

Mrs. Richard Hardee and Children.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

Having this day qualified as administratrix of the estate of Mrs. Mary E. Smith, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate to present them to the undersigned within twelve months from this date or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This December 24th, 1926.

Mrs. Nannie C. Barber
Mrs. Lula Allen
Administratrix

HATHAWAY—HARRIS

(By Rev. C. J. Harris.)

Just before Christmas at the home of the officiator, in Belvoir township, a quiet and simple marriage was celebrated by the writer, when Miss Estelle Harris, the beautiful and attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Harris, became the sweet and loving bride of Mr. Fenlon Hathaway.

Miss Harris is one of the Belvoir High School girls, and is held in high esteem by those who admire her personality. Mr. Hathaway is the son of Mr. David Hathaway of Bethel, and is a grandson of the late lamented Rev. E. D. Hathaway. He is also a young planter.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Hathaway left for parts unknown to the writer. May peace, happiness and prosperity ever accompany them on their journey in life.

In the jolly, sacred Christmas time, His wisdom prompted him to find The most essential one in life, A beautiful, a loving, helpful wife. Woman? What a word! No language on earth would be complete without it. Woman, man's mother! Woman! Man's hope, and without her, this old earth would roll into eternity without the melody of God, as this magic word Woman, makes the world akin, and her inhabitants brothers.

In God's holy work complete, Woman's mission is most replete, Before man she walks serene, And in her home she's queen.

MACON—FAULKNER

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Faulkner announce the marriage of their daughter, Lucile Agnes, to

Mr. Henry Alex Macon on Monday, the twenty-seventh of December, nineteen hundred and twenty-six, in Kinston, North Carolina.

The above announcement will be read with interest by friends of the bride, who has visited her sister, Mrs. W. E. Smith, here on several occasions.

TRY OUR WANT ADS



Whites Theatre Wednesday Night December 29th

MAYOR'S COURT

MONDAY'S COURT

George Dupree, colored, charged with driving automobile while drunk. Bond over to county court.

Annie Edwards, colored, charged with possessing liquor for sale and selling liquor. Bond over to county court.

Robert Smith, white, charged with driving auto while drunk. Fined \$50 and cost.

Robert Smith, white, charged with trespass. Fined \$10 and cost. Luther Langley, colored, charged with assault. Fined \$20 and cost, and committed to jail in default of payment.

John Dupree, colored, charged with being drunk and down. Fined \$10 and cost and committed to jail in default of payment.

Lewis Davis, colored, charged with trespass. Fined \$10 and cost, and committed to jail in default of payment and sentenced to 30 days on county roads.

Lewis Davis, colored, charged with assault. Fined \$10 and cost, and committed to jail in default of payment and sentenced to 30 days on county roads.

Lewis Davis and Sallie Clark, colored, charged with prostitution. Sentence to 30 days each with judgment suspended.

Matt Reeves, colored, charged with speeding. Fined \$10 and cost, and committed to jail in default of payment.

John L. Jenkins, white, charged with possessing whiskey. Called and failed, bond forfeited, capias and continued.

H. B. Keeter, white, charged with possessing whiskey. Called and failed, bond forfeited, capias and continued.

an decontinued. Dock Davis, colored, charged with assault. Fined \$10 and cost. Vance, Corry, white charged with speeding. Fined \$10 and cost.

W. S. Fleming, white, charged with parking on pavement over night. Allowed to pay cost.

Lynnan Hardee, white, charged with trespass. Fined \$10 and cost. James Perkins, colored, charged with being drunk. Called and failed. Bond forfeited, capias and continued.

Richard Forrest, white, charged with trespass. Fined \$10 and cost.

Isaac Taylor, white, charged with trespass. Fined \$10 and cost. Lucy McDonald, white, charged with trespass. Fined \$10 and cost.

DEEDS OF TRANSFER

The following deed, of transfer have been filed in the office of the Register of Deeds since last report:

N. L. McLawhorn et ux to Lula G. Jackson, 154 1-2 acres. \$1,600.00.

W. B. Alexander et ux to Lula G. Jackson, 154 1-2 acres. \$1,600.00.

J. E. Hart et ux to Lula G. Jackson, 154 1-2 acres. \$1,600.00.

J. F. Hart et ux to Lula G. Jackson, 154 1-2 acres. \$1,600.00.

G. B. Stokes et als to A. J. Cox 1 acre. \$900.00.

C. F. Hardee to Cumie E. Tucker, 1 acre. \$10.00.

Sam'l T. White and wife to N. W. Jackson, 1 lot. \$1.00.

J. H. Blount Tr. to Sandie Perry, 175.25 acres. \$1.00.

J. H. S. Hodges Tr. to J. S. Holton, 38 1-2 acres. \$2,000.00.

J. B. Carroll and wife to John R. Carroll, 14.93 acres. \$4,500.00.

J. B. Carroll and wife to Mary J. Carroll, 20 acres. \$4,500.00.

J. B. Carroll and wife to Bertha L. Carroll, 20.3 acres. \$5,500.00.

J. B. Carroll and wife to Catherine C. Carroll, 25 acres. \$4,500.00.

J. E. Evans to Dr. J. E. Nobles, 115.4 acres. \$6,000.00.

Henry Allen and wife to H. L. Smith, 152.6 acres. \$4,144.55.

Erastus Cannon to Rowland Cannon, 31.7 acres. \$3,500.00.

A. L. Stancill and wife to John Block, 2 lots. \$100.00.

W. L. House and wife to Lula G. Jackson, 154 1-2 acres. \$1,600.00.

W. H. Porter and wife to J. A. Porter, 100 acres. \$10.00.

Caroline Moore to Wright Edwards, 1 lot. \$200.00.

J. R. Flake to W. H. Crawford, 67 acres. \$275.00.

J. H. Waldrop and wife to M. P. Moss and wife, 1 lot. \$1,000.

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SALE OF LANDS UNDER MORTGAGE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed and delivered to J. C. Lanier, Trustee by Major M. Mills and wife, on April 18th, 1926, recorded in Book N-16, page 213 of the public registry of Pitt county, default having been made in the payment thereof, according to its tenor, and having been requested by the holders of the notes secured thereby to sell the same, the undersigned will offer at public sale at the court house door in Greenville, N. C., at about the hour of noon on Saturday, the 22nd day of January, 1927, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described tract or parcel of land lying and being in Pitt county, Greenville Township:

Beginning at the corner of the Dave Ellis and Jan Boyd land at a point on the Greenville-Washington highway, and running with the line of John Boyd land, S. 37-10 West 1329 feet to a stake at the corner of the John Boyd and Leon Hardee lands; thence along the N. S. R. R. and with the line of Leon Hardee as follows: S. 74-10 East 455 feet to a ditch; thence with said ditch S. 31-10 West 481 feet; thence S. 62-20 East 740 feet; thence N. 73-35 East 417 feet along another ditch; thence N. 41-20 East 134 feet; thence with one of Oscar Hardee's lines, N. 12-15 East 416 feet across the N. S. R. R. right-of-way; thence with the N. S. R. R. right-of-way S. 74-20 East 1235 feet to another one of Oscar Hardee's corners; thence with the line of the said Oscar Hardee N. 7-25 East 735 feet to the Greenville-Washington highway; thence with the said highway S. 69-15 East 481.2 feet to a stake at another corner of Oscar Hardee; thence N. 18 East 3060 feet to Orchard Branch; thence with Orchard Branch 285 feet to a stake in the line of the Brooks land; thence with the line of the said Brooks land S. 23-30 East 3204 feet to the Greenville-Washington highway; thence with the said



Invitation of Miss Florence Trumbull, daughter of the Governor of Connecticut, to lunch with President and Mrs. Coolidge on December 27, caused spread of reports that the girl's friendship with the President's son John was, ah—developing.

(International Newsreel.)

highway N. 65-40 West 960 feet to a stake; thence continuing with said highway N. 59-45 West 493 feet; thence continuing with said highway N. 51-30 West 612 feet to the beginning, containing 94 acres, more or less, by a map made by W. C. Dresbach, C. E., on March 11th, 1926.

This the 20th day of December 1926.

J. C. Lanier, Trustee

21-11w-4w.

CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION

State of North Carolina

Department of State

To all to whom these presents may come—Greeting:

Whereas, it appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that G. A. Clark & Brother Company, a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated in the town of Grimesland, County of Pitt, State of North Carolina (G. A. Clark being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served), has complied with the requirements of Chapter 22, Consolidated Statutes, entitled Corporations, preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution:

Now, Therefore, I W. N. Everett, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 29th day of November, 1926, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office, as provided by law.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at Raleigh, this 29th day of November A. D. 1926.

W. N. EVERETT,
(SEAL) Secretary of State,
1218 Ives 4 wks

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER MORTGAGE

Under and by virtue of power of sale contained in that certain mortgage executed by Edward Adams and wife Lynda Adams to W. J. McLawhorn on the 28th day of December, 1925, which said mortgage appeared of record in book W-14, page 600 of the Pitt County Registry, said mortgage being given to secure the payment of certain notes therein described and carrying full power of sale in case of default in the payment of said note and default having been made the undersigned will offer for sale before the court house door in Greenville, at public sale, for cash at 12 o'clock noon, on Saturday, the 22nd day of January, 1927, the following described real estate, to wit:

Adjoining the lands of Henry Moore, W. J. McLawhorn and others, it being the same land deeded to Edward Adams by Fen-

ner Nelson, for further description see deed of record in book D-9 page 172 and 577, Pitt County. Sale will be made subject to a mortgage held by A. W. Ange & Company.

W. J. McLAWHORN,
12-23-4t Mortgagee
S. O. Worthington, Attorney.



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Mar. 12.90 12.90 12.72 12.80
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July 13.26 13.28 13.09 13.16
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Our government know, all that. But facts mean, less at Washington than the lobbying of ship builders and manufacturers of

armor plates.

Unless by the mercy of God, and the luck of fools and drunk men this nation will have to have its bombing and its beating to make it wake up.
Whatever we get, we shall deserve.

440 ENGLISH WOMEN IN BANKRUPTCY COURT
London.—Four hundred and forty women went through the English bankruptcy courts in one year, according to the annual report on bankruptcy.

Milliners and dressmakers had the greatest number of failures among women. Of the others thirty-seven were soft-good merchants, 333 grocers, 21 clothiers and outfitters and twenty lodging-house keepers.

The total number of bankruptcies was 6,395, with total liabilities estimated at eighty million dollars.

Alcohol in the radiator keeps the gas feed easy, none is needed behind the steering wheel, however. That makes the going dangerous.—Greensboro Record.

Justice Brandeis wrote the court's opinion limiting medicinal liquor to a pint in ten days. The Supreme court divided almost evenly in the matter.—Greensboro Record.

An automobile factory is to spend \$20,000,000 in advertising during the coming year. Watch it prosper.—Nashville Banner.

In the News Spotlight



OLIVE TELL



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Indictments against Mr. and Mrs. Burton S. Tucker, principals in the noted May-December romance, charging them with giving false ages when obtaining a marriage license, were dismissed in New Jersey. Olive Tell, actress, was married to Henry Hobart, movie producer, in New York. Richard O'Neil, youngest medal of honor man, asked Congress to extend the time limit on patents obtained by veterans.

Daily News Letter

Gossip of Staff Correspondents at World Centers of Population.

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 28.—(INS)—Elaborate ceremonies that have their origin in times more than a century old will mark the inauguration of Governor John H. Trumbull here on January 5. Escorted by a troop of cavalry and two companies of Governor's Foot Guard that date back to pre-Revolutionary days and wear gaudy uniforms, Governor Trumbull will ride across the city to the capitol, take his oath of office and swear in the rest of the state ticket, and then address the legislature. An inauguration ball in the evening will wind up the festivities.

Connecticut's state officers remain unchanged for two years more as the result of the last elections, and the legislature continues to be overwhelmingly Republican. The Democratic party will be represented by not more than a dozen persons in the two branches: senate and house of representatives. Advance indications are that the legislature will wind up its work long before May 31, when it is compelled under the state constitution to adjourn without date. The governor, however, may call a special session if events warrant.

With the electric power industry largely centralized in the Connecticut Light and Power Co. through legislative action of ten years ago, the 1927 legislature will be asked to charter a gas combination that is expected ultimately to furnish gas throughout the entire state. The Koppers Company is the factor behind the proposed combination in the name of which securities already are being prepared. The new organization probably will be called the Connecticut Coke and Gas Securities Co.

The New Haven Gaslight Co., largest in the state, already has been absorbed by the new concern, and negotiations are under way to secure ownership of the Hartford Gaslight Co. Exchange of securities is the method used. There was no opposition on the part of the New Haven concern's stockholders. As a result of that deal gas securities of small companies throughout the state have been soaring.

That there will be no legislative opposition to the new gas combine seems likely since the state is hoping for a reduction in prices of gas for heating and cooking. Manufacturers also are expecting that the new concern will turn out enough coke to affect the fuel situation.

Chagrined at the poor showing their party made in the November elections various old-line Connecticut Democrats are seeking everywhere for suggestions as to how the party prestige may be regained. Apparently the most pertinent suggestion is one to the effect that the Democratic party should offer something of value to the manufacturers, bankers and insurance interests which now as always in the past, dominate the state.

Democratic free trade, which is still the hobby of the Connecticut

branch of the party, appears to have frightened many who once voted the Democratic ticket. "But if we drop the old principles we will be Democrats no longer," say the old timers when the suggestion of a change has been made to them.

Connecticut has had but two Democratic legislatures, in thirty-five years, though once a Democratic governor was elected with a complete Republican ticket behind him and a Republican legislature to curb him. Luzon B. Morris, who served one term, and Simeon E. Baldwin, who served two terms form the list of Democratic governors of Connecticut since 1892.

British Owners Mad When Spain Seizes Railway

London, Dec. 28.—(INS)—British directors of the Madrid and Portugal Direct Railway (Avila and Salamanca) Ltd. (which was built by British capital) are frantically indignant at the Spanish Government's alleged unwarrantable confiscation of the line.

The annual report, signed by John Kitching, chairman of Directors, states that the company on the faith of the Spanish Government's report on the brilliant traffic prospects, took up the concession granted in 1888 for the projected railway from Avila to Salamanca, a distance of about 69 miles.

The concession carried no Government subvention or assistance of any kind, nor freedom from import duties on construction materials, and the line had to be completed by 1896. The section from Salamanca to Penaranda, about 25 miles, was constructed entirely with British capital, and opened for traffic in 1894, but owing to the unsatisfactory political, it was found impossible to raise the further moneys required for the construction of the line between Penaranda and Avila.

The company offered to surrender the concession as applying to the Penaranda-Avila section, thus forfeiting the considerable expenditure already incurred thereon, or to finish the line throughout if granted the assistance usual to Spanish railways—a cash subvention per kilometre and freedom from import duties on materials.

The Spanish Government refused both offers, and although the company had operated the Salamanca and Penaranda section efficiently and satisfactorily since 1894, and at a loss to itself, the result of local political pressure declared the concession, in a state of forfeiture.

In 1908, after having officially valued the existing line at some 210,000 pounds, and offered it three times by public auction, as required by the law, but without success, the Government took forcible possession of the property without any compensation at all.

The Spanish Government, therefore, has claimed the railway as its own property.

vestors. It is said that the Spanish Government intends to nationalize its railways. In the case of this company it has made a very cheap beginning.

Cuban Business Is On Up Grade New Figures Show

Washington, Dec. 28.—(INS)—Cuban business is again on the upgrade, following earlier year depressions in the sugar situation following the destructive hurricane, according to American Attache Fred Todd, at Havana.

Since October weekly bank clearings have been increasing, while the rise in the price of sugar has given a new stimulus to business. This enhancement, however, will not react immediately to the benefit of the producers as the stocks of the 1925-1926 crop have been largely disposed of and what is left is mostly in the hands of secondary distributors.

The banks and conservatory business houses are taking care that the rise in the sugar market is not overemphasized and are following a conservative policy in the matter of credit and sales, Todd said.

They realize fully that the credit situation is on an artificial basis as a large part of the business community is heavily indebted to banks and other creditors and that this is true not only of the sugar mill but of mercantile establishments.

Todd pointed out that with these conditions it is undesirable for a boom stimulated by the psychology of the moment and resting largely on an unsound foundation, should be permitted to gain headway.

Banks and responsible business concerns are trying to keep the situation in hand by refusing credit except to the soundest clients and by scrutinizing orders carefully in an effort to prevent excessive chasing. With this policy prevalent there appeared to Todd to be little likelihood of inflation and with the 1926-1927 sugar campaign at hand, when sugar prices will be translated into buying power, a noticeable improvement should result.

During November sugar reached 3 cents a pound and Havana dealers believe that it will be maintained above this figure. There is some talk of four cent sugar, but there is no unanimity of opinion that this price would be beneficial, and some believe that it would be harmful, according to Todd.

If Cuba still had a large supply of last season's crop which could be disposed of at that price, to doubt the money realized would be of distinct benefit—especially as the returns could be utilized in the settlement of debts, Todd said. As here is only a small amount left, however, conservative local opinion is that a price held down to not more than 3-1/2 cents would be more desirable as a higher price might cause undue optimism and speculation.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by J. R. Penden and wife Hattie S. Penden, to S. O. Worthington, on the 2nd day of October, 1924, appearing of record in book M-15, page 44 of the Pitt County Registry, which said deed of trust carried full power of sale in case of default in the payment of the note secured thereon, and default having been made the undersigned trustee will offer for sale for cash before the court house door in Greenville at 12 o'clock noon on Friday, January 7th, 1927 the following described real estate to wit:

Situate, lying and being in Bevoir township, more particularly described as follows: being that land known as the Warren Thomas land, whereon, he lived at the time of his death; Beginning in the lane between the Walston land and the Thomas land at J. D. Gardner corner; thence with Gardner river to the corner of the late J. R. Thibault Piney Grove; thence with said line to the Thomas corner; thence with said line to the beginning containing 133 acres, more or less and being the same land conveyed by C. A. Stanfill and wife to R. L. Meyer, by deed recorded in book V-11 at Farm, Later Knights corner thence page 117.

S. O. WORTHINGTON Trustee

NOTICE OF SALE BY TRUSTEE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed to John Little, Trustee, on the 14th day of Jan. 1925, by Siddle L. McLawhorn, which said instrument is shown of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in book M-15, at page 594, the undersigned trustee, will, on the 11th day of Jan. 1927, between the hours of 12 o'clock M and 2 o'clock P. M., offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following described tracts of land:

First Tract—Situated in Centene township, adjoining the lands of James Dawson, Jonathan Lang, J. A. Smith and others; Beginning in the center of the road, James Dawson's corner and runs with said James Dawson's line N. 40-1-3 E. 103-11-25 poles to his corner; thence with said Dawson's line S. 79-3-4 E. 131-14-25 poles to his corner in Jonathan Lang's line; thence with said Lang's line S. 61-2, W. 23-12 poles to J. A. Smith's corner; thence with said Smith's line N. 70-7-8 W. 61-11-25 poles to his corner; thence with said Smith's line S. 25-1-2 W. 79-1-2

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Mmc. Carmelia Cafarelli, a native of Cleveland, O., married Androl Chistugi, an Italian attorney, losing her American citizenship. He became naturalized, but that did not restore her citizenship, and the Italian Government did not recognize her as a subject. She encountered difficulty in re-entering America after a trip abroad.

(International Newsweek)

NOTICE OF RESALE OF LAND

By virtue of a power of sale contained in that certain mortgage executed by W. A. Mills to W. B. Harper, Administrator of C. O. Harper, deceased bearing date of January 15, 1921, which appears of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in book Y-13 at page 125, the payment of the indebtedness and default having been made the undersigned trustee, will, on the 5th day of January 1927 at 12 o'clock noon expose to public sale before the Court House door in Pitt County to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property to wit:

Situated in Chicod township, said county and state, adjoining the lands of Dr. C. M. Jones, J. O. Proctor and E. O. Jones, and others, being a part of lot No. 5 of the division of the Stanley A. Arnold land, plat of which division being recorded in Map Book No. 2, page 135, of the public register of Pitt County, containing 15 acres.

This December 10th, 1926.

F. J. Forbes, Trustee

W. B. HARPER, Admr. of C. O. Harper, Mtee

F. C. Harding, Atty 12-23-4t

This 20th day of December, 1926.

LAND SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by Claude Edwards and wife, Annie Edwards, to F. J. Forbes, Trustee, on the 19th day of November, 1923, which deed of trust was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book B-15, page 546, the undersigned trustee will, at public auction, for cash, before the court house in Greenville on Monday, January 10th, 1927, the following described tract of land, to-wit:

Situate in Chicod township, said county and state, adjoining the lands of Dr. C. M. Jones, J. O. Proctor and E. O. Jones, and others, being a part of lot No. 5 of the division of the Stanley A. Arnold land, plat of which division being recorded in Map Book No. 2, page 135, of the public register of Pitt County, containing 15 acres.

This December 10th, 1926.

F. J. Forbes, Trustee

W. B. James & Son, Attys, 11-1w-4wk.

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