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## FLU EPIDEMIC SWEEPS OVER THE COUNTRY

### Closing Of Five Schools In Widely Separated Districts Result of Illness.

Washington, Dec. 11.—(AP)—Although in the epidemic stage in some sections, public health service officials do not believe the present outbreak of influenza is as widespread as those that sweep the country in recent years. Influenza is held responsible for the closing of the schools in widely separated sections, though the approach of the Christmas holidays might have contributed to that.

The University of the South at Sewanee, Tenn.; Culver Military Academy, Culver, Ind.; the University of Missouri, Columbia, the Seminary of St. Therese, near Montreal, Quebec, and Levis College, Levis, Quebec, have suspended classes because of outbreaks of the disease. No deaths were reported at any of the schools but at Sewanee half the students were said to be ill. One hundred and fifty had the disease at Columbia, and at Oliver 66 had reported to the infirmary since Saturday.

Three other schools also reported that influenza had made its appearance on the campus. It was characterized as an epidemic at the University of Iowa, but classes have not been suspended. Classes are also meeting at Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg, Va., but students may leave for home after procuring the permission of health authorities. At the University of Georgia, Athens, 37 were in the infirmary with 67 cases reported by classes are being held.

The only known deaths attributed to influenza in the past few days have been reported from Kansas where 13,956 cases are on record. Mild forms of the disease generally prevail but three deaths at Wichita and one at Aransas are said to have taken place. Five thousand cases alone were reported from Kansas City and the absence of 2,400 pupils and 42 teachers at Wichita was laid to the disease.

Health service officials said last night that the malady was first noticed in epidemic form on the Pacific coast, particularly in California where 9,000 cases occurred during November. It was first called generally to the attention of the public when a number of motion picture stars took to their beds. None appeared to be seriously ill and the majority have recovered.

### Forestry Situation Discussed At Raleigh

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 11.—(AP)—Consideration of the forestry movement in this part of the country was resumed today by members of the Appalachian section, Society of American Foresters, which met yesterday for a two-day session. A paper on "Conservation of the Measure of Timber and Other Forest Resources," by F. H. Claridge, assistant state forester, and discussions by R. W. Graeber, extension forester of State College; Karl Swenink, editor of Kingsport, Tenn., and G. B. Shively, Tennessee extension forester, were outstanding features on the day's program.

A conference of North Carolina district foresters has been called to follow the convention by J. S. Holmes, state forester. The conference was not open to the public. Those invited included Dr. E. C. Brooks, president of N. C. State College; W. A. Graham, commissioner of agriculture; Dr. Clarence Poe, Raleigh, editor of the Progressive Farmer; J. Sidney Oates, Washington, agricultural writer for the Country Gentleman; Dr. I. O. Schaub, dean of the school of agriculture at State College; Dr. R. Y. Winters, head of agricultural research at State College; Dr. T. E. Browne, head of extension work at State College; Dr. E. C. Branson, editor of the University of North Carolina; Hugh McRae, Lillington; M. L. Adherholt, Lexington; D. W. Bagley, Moyock and M. F. Cates, Mebane.

### JESTER AGAIN HEADS BAPTIST GENERAL BOARD

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 11.—(AP)—Dr. John R. Jester, of Winston-Salem, was re-elected president of the general board of the North Carolina Baptist State convention today. The board began a two-day session here this morning for discussion of church business. Other officers elected were J. B. Morgan, Waynesville, vice-president, and the Rev. Walter F. Gilmore, of Raleigh, secretary.

### King's Physician



Sir Stanley Hewett is one of the physicians attending King George of England during his present illness.

## FUND FOR POOR STILL MOVING UPWARD TODAY

### Christmas Cheer Contributions Have Now Reached the \$330 Mark.

Contributions amounting to \$106 have been added to the Merchants Association Christmas fund since the report of yesterday, according to figures given out this morning from the office of the secretary. This brings the total amount of the fund up to \$330.00.

The second largest contribution came from the Coca-Cola Bottling Works of this city. It was in the form of a check for \$100.00. Other contributors were: Adult B. Y. P. U. of Emmanuel Baptist Church, \$50.00; Mrs. Ella Green, \$10.00; J. C. Penny & Company, five ladies' ten-foot barometer has been erected in front of the Merchants Association on Evans street in order that the public may know what progress the fund makes from day to day. Each morning the mercury will change, indicating the amount of money contributed on the previous day.

Members of the Association expressed hope today that the mercury in the barometer would begin its upward climb so rapidly that the total would be reached within the next few days.

The committee has found numbers of destitute families in need of clothing. This has caused them to issue an urgent appeal for clothing, coats, dresses, trousers, shoes, socks, or anything that may be used to help protect the sufferers from the wintry winds.

The five coats given by the J. C. Penny Company doubtless would bring around \$75.00 or \$100.00 were they to be sold outright. It is hoped other firms will be inspired to give as freely to this cause as did the Penny Company. In that way the several families improperly clothed would be fully dressed as well as fed during the holidays.

The committee has found approximately fifty or more families in need of aid in this community. Doubtless the number will be greatly increased before the investigation now under way is complete. Some of these people are in pitiful plight, without food, fuel or clothing and Christmas will be a cheerless season for them unless the public contributes freely to the fund now being raised.

### Postpone Altitude Flight At Dayton

Dayton, O., Dec. 11.—(AP)—Unfavorable weather conditions caused indefinite postponement today of the proposed altitude flight of Captain St. Clair Street and Albert W. Stevens, army aviators at Wright Field.

In their flight the aviators plan to obtain photographs at the highest possible altitude, but the fog this morning was an impediment. They sought photographs of some definitely marked land such as cities and towns. In their last attempt, which was in October, they obtained photographs of only farm land and were forced to the ground at Rushville, Ind., when the throttle on their plane froze.

## Long Sought By the Law, Jew Evangelist At Last Must Pay For His Crimes

A master of several languages, yet unable to talk himself out of the coils of the law.

This was the predicament of Rev. George Winniman converted Jew evangelist, arrested by county officials at Winterville last Sunday.

Winniman was today "riding the rails" to Los Angeles, Calif., in charge of a Department of Justice official to face a charge of interstate transportation of an automobile and crimes committed in other western states, dating as far back as 1914.

Alleged confidence man and automobile thief, Winniman was last indicted at Los Angeles in 1927, on a charge of stealing an automobile. Since that time he had been going from town to town in different parts of the country holding revival meetings. His aliases of Clair Duncan and Maen Hansen were used so effectively that it really looked like he would evade capture the rest of his life.

The short, stocky, blue-eyed, rosy complexioned evangelist of 32 summers, made the fatal mistake of his life, however, when he went to Winterville, Pitt county, and decided to use his correct name. He started his revival about three weeks ago. He succeeded in attracting fairly large crowds by extensive advertising.

A few days ago the Department of Justice sent out a placard with the picture of the man with a long criminal record. The sheriff of Pitt county received one of the notices. He had heard of the evangelist by the name of Winniman at Winterville. But surely a preacher could not have committed so many crimes and still be using the same name as that contained on the Department of Justice placard.

An investigation was started. The sheriff went to Winterville, came face to face with the evangelist and found that he corresponded with the man wanted in California, Colorado and other states of that section of the country. The finger prints were identically the same.

The evangelist found himself in a close place. He realized the futility of longer holding out against the law. A master of Spanish, Mexican, English and other languages, he found himself unable to speak with

intelligence in any of them and admitted that he was the man the officer was after.

He was brought back to Greenville and held in the county jail until yesterday. A Department of Justice official came down from Washington and today Rev. George Winniman was going back to California as fast through Pullman trains could carry him.

Winniman has a wife down in Onslow county. She is also a preacher. When her husband was arrested in Winterville he had an automobile which was listed in her name. The sheriff today was in touch with the state automobile department to see if the car had not been stolen in Los Angeles, Calif. The department was unable to give out any information in this direction, but investigation was started which may prove fruitful in a few days.

Winniman's criminal record, as far as could be determined by the Department of Justice, started in Springfield, Mass., where he was arrested on a charge of larceny and fined \$30.00.

Passing under the alias of Clair Duncan, his next crime was committed at Colorado Springs, Colo., October 14, 1917, where he was arrested and convicted on a charge of forgery and using the mails to defraud. He was sentenced to thirteen months in the penitentiary.

He was later arrested at San Francisco on a bad check charge, August 12th, 1921. He was wanted at Billings, Montana, as a fugitive from justice and confidence man. He was indicted at Great Falls, Montana, in 1928, on a charge of representing himself a Marten Hansen, interpreter in United States Indian service, and in such pretended character, defrauded Marten Hansen of \$90.00.

He was last indicted at Los Angeles in 1927 on charge of interstate transportation of a Studebaker brought, but in some way evaded the law and has been at liberty ever since.

Winniman, according to police records, was born at Springfield, Illinois, where his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Winniman, at present time reside.

## Sylva Firemen Fight Blaze At Big Power Plant

Sylva, N. C., Dec. 11.—(AP)—Sylva firemen this morning faced a difficult and dangerous task when they were called upon to enter the smoke-filled power house of the Dillabone-Sylva Electric Company, at Dillabone, to extinguish a fire originating in a hot hot in the power plant's generator.

There was no opportunity to turn off the current, and smoke from the burning wires was so dense as to make it impossible to enter the building without danger of coming in contact with the machinery or the high voltage wires, it was said. A belt, loosed somehow, flapped about the firemen striking the floor, ceiling and machinery, making a deafening noise, the firemen said.

The fire was extinguished with chemicals shortly after the firemen entered the power house. Damage to the machinery was estimated at \$3,000, and may run higher.

## Steamer Receives Pictures By Radio

S. S. Aquitania, Dec. 11.—(AP)—Photographs sent by wireless from Daventry, England were received on board the Aquitania at midnight and reproduced by the fullograph process. The Cunard liner was 850 miles from Great Britain when the pictures were received.

Electrical messages told a machine in a cabin on the boat exactly what to do and just a few persons witnessed the demonstration. At midnight the familiar voice of the operator at Daventry announced, "we are about to transmit pictures of the Regency Council acting for the King during his illness. The experiment is being conducted by wireless picture, 1928 Ltd., in conjunction with the Daily Mail.

On shelves on each side of the cabin on the liner were two machines. One was a six valve receiving set. Opposite it and connected in parallel with the loudspeaker was a fullograph receiver. This receiver includes a metal drum around which placed especially prepared paper. The fullograph machine by means of pre-set synchronization converted sound impulses into graduated lines of light and shade which were produced on paper, gradually spreading across the building up the pictures.

First half tone pictures were reproduced. The first one of Queen Mary was not a success owing to a fading of the signal strength. But the Prince of Wales, the Duke of York, the Arch-Bishop of Canterbury, the Premier and Lord Hailsham were excellent except for dark lines due to atmospheric

## PAID \$1,500 For Federal Position In Mississippi

Jackson, Miss., Dec. 11.—(AP)—Two trips to Washington and exchange of letters and telegrams in code in 1927 resulted in the payment of \$1,500 for the office of Federal marshal for the southern district of Mississippi by A. P. Russell, former postmaster at Magee, Miss. Russell testified here yesterday at the opening of the patronage trials of five Republican defendants.

The indictments containing 28 counts returned by the Federal grand jury at Biloxi last summer at Jackson charged violation of the law against the sale of public offices.

Those involved are Perry W. Howard, a former assistant attorney general and negro Republican leader of Mississippi; Ed L. Patton, S. D. Redmond, and A. M. Redmond, Jackson negroes, and J. Scott Hubbard, white, suspended marshal for the southern district. All entered pleas of not guilty.

Russell testified that the \$1,500 was delivered in cash to Howard in the negro national committee's office on his second trip to Washington about March 14, 1927.

## Probe Disorders At Chicago, Ill.

Chicago, Dec. 11.—(AP)—A decade of disorder in suburban Chicago Heights, scene of 65 slayings since 1918, commanded federal scrutiny today.

A political-criminal alliance was blamed by assistant United States district attorney Daniel Anderson in the past ten days. Mayor Daniel Bergin was urged to tell Chicago Heights story to a federal grand jury. Dominick Spolito's death yesterday was attributed by police to his enemies in the "Alky" racket. It was the eighth slaying during Mayor Bergin's two-year administration.

Ten days ago Joseph Martino, an aspirant to leadership of Chicago Heights bootleggers, was slain in front of his saloon. In South Chicago Heights police chief Leroy Gilbert was a victim of assassins last week. Vigilants searching for his slayers mistakenly fired at Thomas Scanlon, a printer, killing him.

Attorney Anderson has charged that Mayor Bergin's construction Company built one of the town's breweries. He said he had information involving other officials. A federal grand jury investigation, he believes would disclose the suburb's domination by liquor interests and gangsters.

## HIGH PRICES HOLD SWAY ON LEAF MARKET

### Price Situation Yesterday Described As Highest In Many Years.

Prices on the Greenville tobacco market yesterday were the highest in many years, according to information given out this morning in the official report of K. W. Cobb, supervisor of sales.

The market sold 63,574 pounds of tobacco for a total sum of \$147,045.38 at an average of \$23.17 per hundred pounds. The market to date has sold a total of 63,954,316, slightly over six million pounds short of the goal of seventy million pounds set at the beginning of the season. With several more days to go before the holiday season begins, it was believed total sales would be in striking distance of the goal.

It was stated there was about four hundred thousand pounds of leaf on the floors of the nine warehouses today. The price situation continued strong, all grades selling as high as yesterday when, it is believed, new high levels were reached. Farmers were today urged to market the remainder of their crop as hurriedly as possible. They were advised to present their offerings in the best condition possible and in that way assure themselves of receiving the peak of high prices.

Common grade tobacco always predominates this season of the year and the average of over twenty-three cents yesterday is considered remarkably high for this type of tobacco. By reworking their offerings, it was believed farmers would be able to hold prices up to this level the remainder of the season.

## BOLIVIA CUTS LOOSE FROM PAN CONFAB

### Paraguay Must Give Moral Satisfaction Before Country Will Talk Conciliation.

Washington, Dec. 11.—(AP)—Bolivia withdrew today from the Pan-American Conference of Arbitration and Conciliation following efforts of the conference to settle the Paraguayan-Bolivian dispute.

Minister Diez De Medina presented a note to Secretary Kellogg, chairman of the gathering, stating that Bolivia cannot discuss any formula for a friendly solution of its dispute until Paraguay gives moral satisfaction for the "insult" inflicted upon Bolivia.

The Bolivian minister said later that "in the face of the grave insult that Bolivia has suffered from the hands of Paraguay I have presented a note to the president of the International Conference on Arbitration and Conciliation saying that I will withdraw from taking part in the deliberations of that assembly, since it is impossible for the republic to make a friendly settlement between the two nations while Paraguay shall refuse to repair its wrong."

"This decision of my government will, however, be no obstacle to a later adherence on the part of Bolivia to whatever agreement the international conference may reach. The action of the Bolivian delegate came while a special committee of the conference was preparing to investigate the boundary dispute. Dr. Victor M. Maurtua, Peruvian delegate and member of the special committee, said that until the committee itself likely would not take further steps to define its position in the controversy.

Official advices through the Paraguayan legation here today, expressed the "surprise" of that government over the attitude Bolivia has assumed toward conciliation proposals.

The legation spokesman said there was a "manifest contradiction" between Bolivia's adhesion to the Cordoba treaty and endorsement of the resolution approved at the last Pan-American conference outlawing aggression, and also her endorsement of the Kellogg anti-war pact, and her persistent refusal to flow the boundary class to be investigated and settled amicably.

At its opening meeting the conciliation committee elected Dr. Fernando Gonzalez Roa, of Mexico, chairman. Other members of the committee are Dr. Jose Pedro Varela of Uruguay, and Charles Evans Hughes, a delegate from Venezuela, who is to be made vice chairman.

## HONORED AT TUSCULUM COLLEGE



Martha Rupert, of Spencerville, Ohio, selected last year as the prettiest girl at Tusculum College, Greenville, Tenn., is the captain of this year's basketball team. Hal Henard, of Mosheim, Tenn., was awarded the sportsmanship trophy at the college.



## British Monarch At Death's Door Today

London, Dec. 11.—(AP)—King George's physicians were waging a fight against death this morning. Unofficially it was said that chances of his recovery were slight.

Most persons were wondering whether the Prince of Wales who was expected to reach London tonight or tomorrow, would win his race with death and again see his father alive.

The official bulletin, which was believed that there was any change veered little to the general public and certainly gave no ground for belief that there was and change for the better in the King's condition.

It was evident that the persistent fever which has wrecked King George's body for more than three weeks and has been sapping his strength day by day still held a firm grip upon him.

That the King's power of resistance have been ebbing for days under the strain of a lung infection which spread to his general system has been evident from the physician's reports.

There was some comfort for his anxious subjects who have been hopping almost against hope, however, in the statement in today's bulletin that there had been no further diminution of strength after a night in which the King had several hours sleep.

Whether this was a natural sleep was not stated in the bulletin. The bulletin signed by Sir Stanley Hewett and Lord Dawson of Penn said:

"His Majesty the King, has several hours sleep. The temperature remains high but there is no further impairment of the strength."

That public concern over the King's condition was increasing was shown by the growing size of the crowds which gather around Buckingham Palace. The throng was large despite the prevalence of biting winds which sweep across the exposed plaza these cold winter days. Anxiety was written on the faces of the majority of those who gathered.

Those who waited outside of the Palace, had to be content with what comfort could be obtained from the

statement that there was no further diminution in the King's strength and this statement which read in connection with the fact that there was no relaxation in the grip of the fever, did not afford any great amount of comfort.

London, Dec. 11.—(AP)—The Prince of Wales was making a record breaking dash across Europe today on the last lap of his swift journey from Equatorial Africa to the bedside of King George in London where his majesty's physicians were waging a fight against death.

The heir apparent to the Throne was expected in London at 10:30 o'clock tonight fully 12 hours in advance of the best time previously established.

Racing steadily toward Boulogne with all the facilities of three countries, Italy, Switzerland and France placed at his disposal, the Prince this afternoon was speeding across France.

He left Brindisi, Italy at 12:00 P. M. yesterday after taking seven minutes transfer to the British steamer Enterprise to a special train placed at his disposal by Crown Prince Humbert of Italy.

The special train passed through Belfort across the border in France at 10:45 o'clock this morning, stopping twelve minutes before speeding on toward Boulogne where the British destroyer Torch will meet him to make the last 95 minute dash across the Channel to England.

The Prince is now expected to arrive at Victoria Terminal at 10:30 o'clock this evening. He is due to reach Boulogne about 6:45 p. m. and there is a possibility that he may be able to catch the ordinary cross channel packetboat, leaving for Folkestone at 7:10. Should he miss this boat, the destroyer Torch will be waiting to speed him to the English shore.

It is uncertain whether the Prince will see the King tonight. If his majesty is sleeping when the heir apparent arrives, it will obviously be unwise to awaken him and the Prince's visit therefore will be deferred until probably an early hour in the morning.

## Two Local Men Made Kentucky Colonels

E. G. Flanagan and M. R. Long, of this city, have been made Kentucky colonels, having been appointed aides-de-camp of Lieutenant Governor James Brethitt, Jr., acting governor of Kentucky. The commissions of appointment under date of November 16th and under seal of the state of Kentucky, have just been received by the two local citizens and the honors came as a distinct surprise to both.

Mr. Long, who served in the naval aviation with Lieutenant Governor Brethitt during the world war, was a very close friend of the governor, and during the latter's recent campaign tour of North Carolina, he traveled about the state in Mr. Long's plane with Mr. Long as pilot.

Some time ago Mr. Flanagan made the acquaintance of Governor Brethitt at Washington, D. C. and a warm friendship between the two was the result.

Friends here will be glad to learn of the new honors which has come to the two local men in appointment to the staff of the governor of another state.

## MAN HIT BY FALLING FAN IN BANK HERE

Hit by a falling fan at the Greenville Banking & Trust Company, E. F. Taylor of Grimesland, was this afternoon suffering from a minor muscle bruise of the arm.

## Man Burned Alive Near Utica, Mich.

Mount Clemens, Mich., Dec. 11.—(AP)—In charred clothing, some of which still smoldered, the body of an unidentified man was found today on a highway near Utica, Mich. Although there was a bullet hole in his head, Macomb county authorities expressed the belief that the man had been burned alive.

His drawn features and the presence nearby of a gallon can containing gasoline caused Coroner Howard V. Groesbeck and Sheriff Percy L. Moore to express the belief the man had been taken to the spot while still alive, his clothing saturated with gasoline and set on fire. Their theory was that he was the victim of Detroit's underworld and that he had been tortured to death by gangsters.

## Kills Sweetheart And Then Suicide

Chicago, Dec. 11.—(AP)—A man and a woman who were to have been married today were found shot dead in a room at the Davis hotel on the "Gold Coast," late last night. Police said it was murder and suicide.

Mrs. Florence F. Williams, 24, a divorcee, had been shot five times, her body fully clothed, lay across the bed. The body of Frank W. Zimmerman, 30, formerly manager of the hotel McCormick, was found on the floor. A .32 calibre pistol from which every shot had been fired, was clutched in his right hand and there was a bullet hole in his head.

## NEGRO HELD ON SERIOUS CHARGE HERE

### Charlie Nobles Held In Connection With Death Of Girl Three Years ago.

A negro man came back to Pitt county today to expiate a crime he committed nearly three years ago. He is Charlie Nobles, 35, charged with the kidnapping and subsequent death of a negro girl in the Ayden community in 1925.

Nobles was arrested by Lenoir county officials and brought to Greenville where he will remain in the county jail until the next term of criminal court. It is then he must pay in full for his crime against humanity.

Nobles is alleged to have lured a small negro girl away from her home, carried her into a forest where he held her captive. One day, when the child lay on the ground near a fire which her captor had started, her clothing caught fire, inflicting serious burns.

Nobles is said to have fled to an unknown place. The girl was found and carried to a hospital for treatment. She died a short time later as a result of the burns.

Since that time county officials have been searching for Nobles. He is said to have wandered around in many sections. At last, something attracted him at Kinston and there he went, or log he remained in the Lenoir county town is not known. But one day a cop walked up to Nobles and slapped him on the shoulder. "You are under arrest. They want you back in Pitt county for a crime you committed in 1925."

Nobles didn't offer any resistance. Pitt county authorities were notified. A deputy sheriff brought Nobles to the county jail here. He will remain in jail until the faces trial at the next term of Pitt county court.

## Submarine S-4 Used In Tests

Portsmouth, N. H., Dec. 11.—(AP)—The submarine S-4, which sailed from the navy yard here last December on the test cruise that resulted in the deaths of the forty men comprising its officers and crew, today left here again to make tests in diving and rescue work.

This time the S-4 was little more than a hull. Stripped of her operating machinery, the submarine was towed by the rescue ship Falcon which figured largely in salvaging the S-4 after she was sunk off Provincetown, Mass., after a collision with the coast guard destroyer Paulding.

The Falcon headed for New London, Conn., where a series of submarine diving tests will be conducted. Later the S-4 will be towed to a point off Key West for further tests.

## Naval Expenditures Shows An Increase

Washington, Dec. 11.—(AP)—Naval expenditures for wharves, dry docks, dredging, marine railways and other works increased \$7,000,000 in the past fiscal year, or \$10,878,300 was used in 1927 and the appropriation for the fiscal year 1929, is estimated at \$13,297,170.

Expenditures mounted sharp above those of 1927 from figures given in the annual report of the Bureau of Yards and Docks. Only \$10,878,300 was used in 1927 and the appropriation for the fiscal year 1929, is estimated at \$13,297,170.

## ROOSEVELT ENROUTE TO NEW YORK TODAY

Warspring, Ga., Dec. 11.—(AP)—The next governor of the Empire state was enroute to New York City today greatly improved in health after a month's stay here, and prepared for an "exceedingly busy and interesting time."

Franklin D. Roosevelt left here yesterday afternoon at 4:40 o'clock and expected to reach his home at 1:55 tonight, when he will begin a round of social engagements and business conferences preparatory to formal inauguration on January 1 at Albany.

Health and Ancestry  
New York—An international alliance of health and ancestry is coming. The engagement is announced by Miss Elizabeth Brockway Crispin, daughter of a New York banker, to Olivero Tripovich of Trieste, son of the late Commodore Dedede Tripovich and the Countess Gilda Tripovich-Pozza, an ancestor of Miss Crispin fought with William the conqueror. Her fiance is a member of a family that has become wealthy from the Italian mercantile marine.

Fighters Coming Back  
New York—The raito understands that Jack Dempsey and Georges Carpentier are coming back next year, coming back to Broadway and the drama.

# VOTE BEGINS ON BOULDER DAM ISSUE

## Arizona Prepared To Fight The Bill To a Finish In The Senate.

Washington, Dec. 11.—(AP)—A sudden hope flared in the Senate today that a final vote was near on the long fought Boulder Dam issue, but it disappeared almost as quickly as it appeared. Nevertheless voting was started on the great block of proposed amendments facing the measure.

When voting began it seemed for an instant that California and Arizona, principal figures in the fight, were about to get together. It required little time, however, for Arizona to let the Senate know that it would fight the measure to the end.

The sudden turn in the Boulder fight overshadowed other happenings at the capitol. The House worked with its committees were busy shaping other legislation for its consideration. Secretary Kellogg again explained his treaty for the renunciation of war to the Senate Foreign Relations Committee and that committee decided to vote on it Friday. The patronage question, coming over from last session, was considered by another Senate committee which listened to statements from southern postmasters about political contributions.

A House committee gave further attention to the packery and stockyards act while another disposed of minor military bills. Among the bills introduced was one from Senator Schall proposing funds to utilize various waste materials, such as peanut shells and other things he thought could be made of value.

## Liner In Danger Of Being Smashed To Pieces Today

Cobh, Ireland, Dec. 11.—(AP)—Fifty men today pounded the liner Celtic as she remained fast on the Cow and Calf rocks at the eastern entrance to Cork harbor.

Fears for the safety of the skeleton crew which remained aboard brought a lifeboat from Ballycotton to the scene, and it was standing by today. Three tugs were also toasting on the rough seas, keeping a ceaseless vigil.

Because of the rough weather, it was believed that the liner was in the greatest peril. It was thought that unless the next attempt to haul her off the rocks was successful, the Celtic would be in immediate danger of being smashed completely.

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## League Fails To Act In Dispute

Lugano, Switzerland, Dec. 11.—(AP)—After a general exchange of views, the Council of the League of Nations adjourned shortly before 1 o'clock today without having taken any decision on the Paraguayan-Bolivian dispute. It was planned to hold another meeting later in the day.

When the council separated, it was with the understanding that Foreign Minister Briand, of France, and Sir Eric Drummond, league secretariat, would prepare the tentative draft of a cablegram which might be forwarded to both governments.

According to information in Swiss circles in Lugano and three Latin-American members of the council representing Chile, Venezuela and Cuba, visited president and late last night brought the Paraguayan-Bolivian dispute to his attention, speaking particularly of the possibility of citing the Goudra convention in any friendly communication which the council might wish to forward.

Interest in the situation was especially keen because of the opening of the congress's recent interpretation of the Monroe Doctrine that the doctrine remove none of the prerogatives enjoyed by the states as members of the league.

**Some Mathematics**  
Berlin—From official figures a statistician has calculated that the average German is 36 years old. He weds at 27. His marriage lasts 27

years. He has three children. His annual income is \$792. Each week he drinks three pints of beer and smokes two cigars and ten cigarettes, and he dies at 69.

**Santa For The Birds**  
New York—Santa is to be good to the birds. Shrubs and trees in the city's parks and playgrounds are to be fitted with aluminum seed cups and hooks for suet. Children will fill the cups for Christmas.

**Notice Of Sale.**  
Under and by virtue of the authority contained in that certain order issuing from the Superior Court of Pitt County in Special Proceedings No. —, entitled Raymond Rogerson, et als. EX PARTE the undersigned will offer for sale, and sell, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the court house door in Greenville, North Carolina, AT NOON, on

**Monday, December 10th, 1928** the following described real estate: Lying and being in Carolina Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, bounded on the north by lands of W. K. Woolard, on the east by Tranters Creek, on the south by J. R. Barnhill and others, on the west by the Rollins land, and W. K. Woolard, containing 310 acres, more or less, and being known as the Thad Rogerson home place.

This the 10th day of Nov. 1928. Arthur B. Corey, Com. Nov. 15-11w-4wk.

**Administrators' Notice.**  
Having qualified as Administrators of the estate of Joseph Randolph, deceased, late of Pitt County

N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned within twelve months from the date of this notice or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 17th day of Nov. 1928. J. H. Harris and J. F. Randolph, Enfield, N. C. Parnele, M. C. Route 1, Box 68. Administrators Nov. 17-11w-6wks.

**NOTICE OF RE-SALE BY COMMISSIONER**  
Under and by virtue of the authority conferred under that certain order made by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County in the matter of W. O. Crisp, Admr. of W. J. Crisp, vs. George Ann Crisp et als, on the 4th day of December, 1928, directing the undersigned commissioner to re-advertise a sale of the real estate described below, the highest bid of the former sale having been raised, the undersigned commissioner will on

**the 24th day of December (Monday) 1928, at 12:00 o'clock, noon,** in front of the court house at Greenville, N. C., re-sell the following real estate, to the highest bidder, for cash:

That lot in the town of Winterville, N. C., beginning at the north-west corner of Martha L. Cox's Tyndall lot on the east side of Academy street, and running thence east along the northern boundary line of the said Cox line 210 feet to a ditch, thence north in a line with Academy street 105 feet to R. O. Chapman's southern boundary line, thence west along Chapman's southern boundary line to Academy street, thence south along Academy street to the beginning. Reference is had to Book 7-42,

page 142 of the public registry of Pitt County. Said sale is being made to create assets for the W. J. Crisp estate. This the 4th day of Dec. 1928. Pittman & Fare, Attys., Greenville, N. C. Dec. 6-11w-2wk.

**NOTICE**  
North Carolina—County of Pitt. In the Superior Court S. T. Hicks and Others vs. D. L. Thomas and Others. The above named defendant, D. L. Thomas, will take notice that an action entitled as above was commenced against him in the Superior Court of Pitt County on the 21st day of November, 1928, that said action is brought to recover of him and his bondsmen

any and all amounts now due the plaintiffs for lumber, material and equipment furnished him in the building of two houses on Chestnut street and to subject funds now in the hands of S. J. Everett, M. S. Everett and the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Co., and due on the contract of said Thomas with S. J. and M. S. Everett, to the payment of said claims in so far as it will go, and the defendant, D. L. Thomas, will further take notice, that if he does not appear at the Clerk of Court's office in Greenville within fifty days from the date of this notice, Dec. 21st, 1928, and answer or demur to the complaint which has been filed in said action the relief will be granted as prayed for.

This the 5th day of Dec., 1928. J. P. Harrington, Clerk Superior Court Dec. 6-11w-4wk.

**FIRE WORKS**  
—OF ALL KINDS—  
**RUSH & ASKEW**  
Fifth Street  
Between Five Points and White's Theatre

# MADAME RAY

SPECIAL READING \$1.00  
PALMIST AND CLARVOYANT

Reads past, present and future. Gives advice on business, love and marriage. If you are unhappy, discouraged, unsuccessful, or in trouble, this Palmist can positively help you. She calls your sweetheart by name, tells day and date of marriage. One trial and you will be convinced. Pay this lady a visit today, tomorrow may be too late. Satisfaction on every reading.

Office Hours 9:00 a. m. to 9:00 p. m.  
Private Room, for Colored

Located in Tent on Dickinson Avenue, Just Outside City Limits

## "ADS" IN THE REFLECTOR PAY

**Gruen Wristlet, \$25 to \$30**

**Gruen Cartouche, 14ct. solid gold case, \$50**  
Set with 4 diamonds, \$65

**Gruen Cartouche, 14ct. solid gold case, set with 6 diamonds and 2 sapphires, \$125**

**Gruen Cartouche, 14ct. solid gold case, Precision movement, \$65**  
Other Cartouche designs, \$35 to \$250.

**Gruen Paris Square, Precision movement, \$60**  
Other pocket watches, \$25 to \$300.

**Gruen Quinzon, \$50**  
Other strap watches, \$25 to \$175

The City of Choice of American Achievement  
Gruen Patent Co., 675  
Old Broadway, NYC to \$500

Consider now...the one important gift you will give this Christmas

Gifts are of two kinds. There are, of course, the usual little remembrances. For these, there is perhaps still plenty of time before Christmas. But the other kind of gift, the gift which must express the deepest sentiments of affection or esteem, should be considered now! No last-minute choice will do.

What, for this gift, will compare with a Gruen Guild Watch? Think how admirably it will serve the purpose! At once an article of daily use and a lasting possession, it will be cherished for many years to come as a constant reminder of the spirit that prompted its giving.

And the prestige of the Gruen name is your assurance that such a gift will meet with immediate appreciation as well.

We have pictured here a few rich examples of modern Guildsman's art. Each makes a gift worthy of the person who is to receive it.

Our watch department features these famous time-pieces in a large variety, priced \$25 to \$500.

**"See Our Window,"**  
**TOLAR JEWELRY CO.**

# ESSO

## This Giant POWER

*-makes motors run more smoothly*

With ESSO in the tank you get faster acceleration, smoother power, no bucking, no stalling, no knocking—less necessity for shifting gears on the hills.

ESSO vaporizes in the motor more quickly than regular gasoline. It starts quickly, fires cleanly and burns completely—producing a sweeter running, more flexible engine.

ESSO is sold everywhere from silver colored ESSO pumps. It costs a trifle more per gallon than gasoline, but usually it gives so much more mileage that it actually costs less.

Test ESSO yourself—in your own car. A tankful will show you the difference. On sale at the silver colored ESSO pumps.

A Luxury that is an Economy

# GORMAN'S MARKET REPORT

All sales finished soon after dinner Monday. GORMAN'S sold 144,662 pounds for \$35,257.25 and averaged \$24.37 for all sold. We had lots of barn cleanings in the sale. Our customers were highly pleased. We had several who had never sold before in Greenville and they thanked us for their "fine sales" and stated that Greenville would be their market and GORMAN'S their warehouse in the future. The market will close for Christmas holidays on the 19th. We can sell you any day you come from now out, but we have first sale Wednesday, third sale Thursday, first second sale Friday, first sale Monday, second sale Tuesday and first sale Wednesday.

# J. N. Gorman & Sons

Social & Personal

H. J. Cobb of Norfolk, Va., was a visitor here today. Mrs. C. B. Rowlett, Mrs. W. M. ...

Dr. Schultz Out. Friends will be glad to learn that Dr. A. M. Schultz is able to be out following an attack of influenza.

Very Inconvenient. —these cold winter days, to do one's own work at home. Call 31—the most expert operators always at your service—and at small cost.

And Old Fashioned Mother—a comedy-drama, in three acts—at Red Oak Church, Friday night, December 14. Benefit of "The Sunshine Class." Admission 25c. Children free.

Two Free Band Concerts. Two free band concerts will be given by the Van Arnam minstrel band under the direction of Ray Van Arnam when they play at White's Theatre tomorrow.

Write A Story For The World. The SUNDAY WORLD Magazine will pay \$100 and up for original short stories of 3,000 words.

Musical Comedy at High School Tonight. The new high school auditorium will be dedicated tonight with the presentation of "Help Yourself."

Attention U. D. C. George B. Singletary chapter U. D. C. will meet in important call meeting Thursday afternoon at 3:30 with Mrs. T. A. Person.

Dr. W. L. Davis, eye specialist, will be in Greenville again Saturday, December 8th, at Walters Jewelry Store. The highest type work at sensible prices. See him, 5th-st.

A Letter To Santa Claus. Santa Claus—Please bring a little green car and a little doll dresser robe. Santa Claus, bring me anything else you have to spare. I am a little girl 6 years old. Goodbye Santa. —Lillah Mae Allen.

Much Property Changes Hands

The following deeds of transfer have been filed in the office of the register of deeds for registration since the 7th of the month: E. G. Flanagan et als to J. A. Speight 1 lot \$500.00

RED OAK NEWS

"An Old Fashioned Mother," a play in three acts, will be presented by Mrs. B. L. Tyson's Sunday school class Friday night December 14 at Red Oak Church.

There has been an epidemic of influenza in our community lately. Mrs. Roy Allen has been very feeble for the last month.

Joe Tyson mashed his finger badly last week when he closed a door on it.

If you have property to sell, consult with us. It will pay you well. H. A. White & Sons, Realtors and General Insurance, 403 Evans St., phone 49.

666 is a Prescription for Colds, Grippe, Flu, Dengue, Bilious Fever and Malaria. It is the most speedy remedy known.

5 More days of our January Sale which we are having now. We must decrease at once our most complete stock of Dresses, Coats, Hats and Raincoats.

Wilson Dress Shoppe "Exclusive But Not Expensive"

WE Examine Eyes—Fit Glasses—Grind Lens—W. L. BEST Op-tom-e-trist

Wants

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

FOR SALE—NICE LOT OF HOGS. One nice milk cow, calf about 10 months old. One two horse team for rent; good land; 2 new tobacco barns; 1 new 4-room house, and all necessary outbuildings.

FOR RENT—TWO LIGHT HOUSES. Keeping apartments, completely furnished, gas for cooking if preferred. Mrs. Taylor, 319 E. 5th St. 11-21

FOUND—A BIRD DOG. OWNER can have same by describing and paying for this ad. Tom Hollingsworth, 11-21

FREE WOOD TO ONE AND ALL. Come and look it over. W. A. Stocks, Avden, N. C. R. 2. 11-21

FOR RENT—FURNISHED APARTMENT. Convenient, good location. Miss Mattie Hearne, 719 W. 5th St., phone 254-W. 11-21

CABBAGE PLANTS. Millions of thoroughbred cabbage plants for sale. Jersey Wakefield and Charleston Wakefield. Special price until December 15—25c per 100; 75c for 1,000; \$1.25; 5.00 and over, 1.00 per thousand. F. O. B. Greenville, N. C. Fine stock plants. L. C. ARTHUR, Greenville, N. C. 11-21

DRY HARD WOOD—SAWED IN heater and cook stove lengths. Call W. H. Dail, Jr., phone No. 2. 10-21

TIP TOP HOT BLAST HEATERS and repairs. C. J. Edwards Hardware House. Phone 12. 10-21

LOST OR STRAYED, THANKSGIVING DAY—Small female black-tan hound puppy, with yellow legs, white breast and white ring around neck. Blazed face. Finder please advise Elijah Mills, Winterville, N. C. R. 2. 11-21

WANTED—TWO TENANTS—BOTH with teams. On three horse farm about 2 miles south of Greenville. One two horse farm about six miles west of Greenville. Also for rent, big store at Grimesland. Good location. Now occupied by A. Fleming, W. H. Woolard, Trustee. See me at Greenville Banking & Trust Co. 11-21

LOST—LEATHER TRAVELING BAG on Greenville-Farmville highway, via Bruce, December 9. Finder please return to Mrs. A. W. Clement 100 Second St., Greenville, N. C., and receive reward. 11-21

TWO DOGS LOST—WHITE ENGLISH setter, with one brown ear, also small red Irish setter, with white spot on throat. Will appreciate information as to whereabouts. W. J. Smith, Greenville, N. C. 11-21

FLOWERS—THE STEADY INCREASE in our business is attributed to quality and beauty of our work, and to our efforts to always render quick and efficient service. Greenville Floral Co., phone 413-W. 5th-st

WANTED—ABOUT THIRTY ACRES of good tobacco land, close to Greenville. Apply J. H. Woolard, corner 4th & Holly Sts. 5-24

STRAYED OR STOLEN—NOV. 16th 1923. Two female pointers, white and liver spots. One small bob tail, scar in left flank; six years old; answers name "Nellie." Other medium size, four years old, answers name "Gyp." Reward \$25.00. Notify Henry Martin or L. G. Coopers, Greenville, N. C. 11-21

COMMERCIAL SCHOOL—MUNFORD Building. Four well equipped rooms. Three teachers. For folder describing all Business Courses, write or call Mrs. J. B. Spillman, Greenville, N. C., telephones 785-J and 599-N. 11-21

WANTED—I WANT TO RENT A two-horse farm on thirds. Must have good house and at least two good tobacco barns. Address Box 162, Grimesland, N. C. 3-21

LET US FIX YOUR RADIATOR for winter. The time is at hand for Anti-freeze. But your radiator must first be sound and whole. We can solder these leaks and get everything "jake" for winter. Drive in today, when we're not so rushed as we will be later. Expert workmanship, but prices right in line. C. C. Brunan, at Sugg Motor Co. 11-21

RHEUMATISM AND NEURITIS—Rheumatism and Neuritis cannot exist in the body after Chiropractic adjustments have corrected the cause. Others have been cured, your case should prove no exception. Dr. Virginia O. Johnson, Chiropractor, Nat. Bank Bldg., Greenville, N. C. "Where they go to get well." 11-21

PARKER'S STUDIO SAYS THIS Christmas rush is on, and they are prepared to serve many more before Christmas. So don't wait. Come at once. We don't display photos without permission. We have some beautiful swing frames. Call and see them. 10-21

WANT TO RETIRE FROM BUSINESS. I will offer my entire stock of general merchandise, at House, N. C., at a big sacrifice, to close deal at once, to take stock January 1, 1924. The stock, wad inventory, about six thousand dollars. Will sell on terms with good security. The building is 40x30 ft., store room 7'x30 ft., water room 15'x20 ft.; three living rooms 12'x18 ft. Filling station in front, 24x24. Will rent the building for thirty dollars month. Will lease one to 3 years. See or write T. M. Moore, R. F. D. 4, Greenville, N. C. Tue-Fri. 11-21

FOR SALE—ONE FINE GUERNSEY milk cow—at Savages 84416. 11-21

BIG STOCK OF CHILDREN'S DESKS. A nice gift for your boy or girl. Special prices all next week. Home Furniture Co., phone 79. 11-21

TONIGHT 8:00 o'clock "HELP YOURSELF" High School Play HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM Prices—35c and 50c

COSTUME ACCESSORIES may be gifts of surpassing elegance

What distinction can be conferred upon a hand by a glove of exquisite tinting—by a bag of innate fineness. How personable the throat that wears its own type of jeweled ornament. . . . In our collection are costume accessories made to chime with personalities, and at the same time fit into the most exacting wardrobes.

- Handkerchiefs, Hand-Spun or Finely Embroidered Evening Scarfs of Exquisite Fabrics Gloves, Street and Formal Length Handbags, Smartly Fashioned Hosiery of Sheer Beauty Costume Jewelry Negligees

Reduced Prices On Coats-Dresses-Hats

C. Heber Forbes

WE HAVE A BIG STOCK of Velocipedes, Automobiles, Scooters, Kiddie Cars. Something for the children; not too early to select for Christmas. Home Furniture Co., phone 79.

SELECT YOUR CHRISTMAS CARDS today. Over one hundred samples to select from. We have your card plate. This will be a saving. W. L. Best, Jeweler.

TWO EXPERT ENGRAVERS ready to serve you. W. L. Best, Jeweler.

HAVE YOUR CHRISTMAS gifts engraved. Give it that personal touch. Two expert engravers ready to serve you. W. L. Best, Jeweler.

NOTICE Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of E. H. Shelburn, deceased, late of Greenville, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned, or to L. W. Gaylord, Attorney, within twelve months from the 24th day of November, 1923, or this notice will be plead in bar thereof. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This November 24th, 1923. Sophie E. Shelburn, Adm. L. W. Gaylord, Atty. Dec. 11-17-24

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE Having qualified as Administratrix of the estate of Mrs. Sallie J. Boyd, deceased, late of Pitt County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of

Stop That Cough Quick! Famous Prescription Has a Double Action The phenomenal success of a famous doctor's prescription called Thoxine is due to its double action. It immediately soothes the irritation and goes direct to the internal cause not reached by patent medicines and cough syrups. The very first swallow usually relieves even the most obstinate cough. Thoxine contains no chloroform, dope or other dangerous drugs. Safe and pleasant for the whole family. Also excellent for sore throat. Quick relief or your money back. 35c., 60c., and \$1.00. Sold by Pitt Drug Co.

decided to exhibit them to the undersigned within twelve months from the date of this notice or this estate will be added in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make payment on or before the 15th day of Dec. 1923. Mrs. Elizabeth E. Brinson, Administratrix. Dec. 11-17-24

NOTICE In Superior Court of North Carolina—Pitt County William John Copper vs. Lucy Copper The defendant, Lucy Copper, will take notice that an action as above entitled has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County to obtain an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony. And the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the Superior Court of Pitt County on the 16th day of January, 1924, or within 30 days thereafter, and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint. This the 16th day of Dec., 1923. J. F. Harrington, Clerk Superior Court of Pitt County Julius Brown, Atty for Plaintiff. Dec. 11-17-24

NOTICE OF SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY The undersigned administratrix will offer for sale for cash at the Laddock farm of the late H. H. Proctor on the road leading from Greenville to Grimesland, on Saturday, the 29th day of Dec., 1923, at 12 o'clock, noon, the following personal property: 6 mares, tobacco trucks, cultivators, wagon, cart, plows, harness, and all kinds of farming implements for 5 horse farm, corn, hay and other feed stuffs, tobacco sticks, etc. Sale is being held to make assets and purchase title immediately upon payment of purchase price. Sallie W. Proctor, Administratrix of H. H. Proctor, Dec. 11-17-24

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FREE ROLLS

On Wednesday Dec. 12, 1928 With every loaf of Merita Bread sold on Wednesday, December 12th, your grocer will give you a coupon good for one package of Famous Merita Parker House Rolls. Place your order early.



Pre-Inventory Specials

Dresses . . . \$8.50, \$12.50, \$14.50, \$21.75 Coats . . . . . \$10.00 to \$75.00

Shop Early

Our line is complete in every respect. Just what Mother, Sister, Daughter and friend will like. You are always welcome!

W. L. Bowen DEPENDABLE MERCHANDISE

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES (Payable in Advance)

One year \$5.00 6 months 3.50 3 months 2.25 One month .80

Just eleven more days in which to do your Christmas shopping.

Along with its other notables Greenville can now boast of two Kentucky Colonels. Congratulations to E. G. Flanagan and M. R. Long of this city, on their recent appointments to the staff of Lieutenant Governor Breathitt of Kentucky.

So far the response to the Christmas relief fund has been very gratifying but the total amount needed to take care of the needy families of our community this Christmas is far from reached yet.

The plea of Mayor J. C. Lanier for more ample parking space on principal business streets of the city during the holiday season should be heeded on all sides.

LEAVE PARKING SPACE FOR VISITORS

Greenville citizens—you have been urged by your mayor to avoid as far as possible, parking your cars on our main business streets for any length of time, especially during these busy shopping days prior to Christmas.

"To my astonishment I discovered that an unassuming family of moths had eaten freely of the trouser legs—so freely that much of the lower part of my anatomy was plainly visible."

"If you don't have time to do your Christmas shopping in the day time why not visit the business district at night?" suggested a prominent merchant today.

No Christmas letter or package is complete without a Red Cross Christmas Seal.

ABOUT TOWN

The mode of parking on Evans street is ideal, declared a well-known citizen today.

"It can be easily done and the cars can be removed without jamming into other cars."

"A local bank has paid out over eight thousand dollars in Christmas savings accounts."

"If you haven't contributed to the Merchants' Association Christmas fund, get busy and do so immediately."

"Money given to this cause will be devoted to carrying Christmas cheer into needy homes of the community."

"It is hoped to make the sum as large as possible and the more you contribute the nearer we will be to this ambition."

"The plea of Mayor J. C. Lanier for more ample parking space on principal business streets of the city during the holiday season should be heeded on all sides."

"The public can help in this matter to no little extent. Instead of bringing your car with you every morning, leave it at home in the garage."

"This will leave that much more room in the main business district for the hundreds of visitors expected to crowd the city doing their Christmas shopping."

"Red Cross Christmas seals carry with them an atmosphere which every thoughtful person in the county can readily appreciate."

"Money derived from the sale of these seals will be devoted to the countless hundreds suffering from tuberculosis. These people will know little of the cheer and goodwill of Christmas without funds from seal sales."

"Be sure and let every letter and package bear one or more seals. The recipient will be doubly proud of the gift."

"Moths," firmly declared a reader of this paper, "are veritable things."

"I arose in an awful hurry the other morning slipped on a pair of trousers I had not had on before in several months, went up town thinking I was really dressed up, when I discovered something white playing peek-a-boo with me through the front of the newly-pressed britches."

"The rest of my days will be devoted to moth extermination. If for no other reason than to save the trousers of other members of the sex."

"All of the leading stores of the city will remain open at night through the holiday season and there is no reason on earth why you should not visit them and look over the thousands of gifts they have on display."

"The business district is all-dressed up in Yuletide attire. Streets and shop windows reflect the spirit of Christmas in a more decided way than in years. Numbers of additional decorations will appear from time to time this week and the whole business district should be reminded of fairyland by next week."

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Deed of Trust, executed on December 8, 1919, by L. H. Smith to Junius D. Grimes, Trustee, which was registered January 5, 1920, in Book XI-12, page 309 of the Pitt County Records, default having been made in the payment of the debt secured thereby and demand of foreclosure

The undersigned administratrix will offer for sale at public auction at the old home place of the late J. W. Smith, on the Nichols road, on

Friday, December 17th, 1928 at 12 o'clock noon the following described personal property:

Two mules, three trucks, culti-

Daily Radio Programs

FEATURES ON THE AIR Tuesday, Dec. 11 [Eastern Standard Time]

7:30—Historical Sketches: Story of the Yukon—WEAF WEEI WTIC WTAE WTAG WCHS WGR WBY

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 12 [By The Associated Press] Programs in Eastern Standard Time.

454.3—WEAF New York—660 6:00—Dinner Music

394.5—WJZ New York—760 6:30—Santa Claus 7:00—Hilander

482.3—WOR Newark—710 6:00—Vocal: Newsasting; Stage 6:30—Newark Music Festival

348.5—WABC New York—950 6:00—Mr. and Mrs. Wood 6:30—Musical: Broadway Chat

496.2—WSB Atlanta—740 8:00—Hour of Music 9:00—Troubadours

277.4—WBT Charlotte—1040 4:30—Orchestra 5:00—Musical Feature

283.9—KYW Chicago—1020 8:00—Crown Hour 9:00—The Smiths

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Station Wave KC Time on Air WEAF Boston 563.3 990 4:15-12:00pm. Features and Music

having been made by the owner of the said overdue indebtedness, the undersigned trustee, will on Tuesday, December 11, 1928

At 12 o'clock noon, before the courthouse door of Pitt County, at Greenville, N. C. sell for cash to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, to-wit:

A certain tract of land lying and being in Pitt County aforesaid, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at East corner of the intersection of Pitt and Mt. Calvert streets and runs with side of Pitt street about South 58 degrees, 30 minutes east 300 feet to a stake at the intersection of Pitt and Mt. Pleasant streets, thence with Mt. Pleasant street north 31 degrees, 30 minutes east about 380 feet to the right of way of the Norfolk-Southern railroad track; thence with the west side of said right of way and the west side of Washington street about 300 feet to a stake the corner of Washington and Mt. Calvert streets; thence with the southeast side of Mt. Calvert street about 420 feet to the beginning. See map of Grimesland.

Terms of sale cash. This November 5, 1928. Junius D. Grimes, Trustee. Nov. 9-11w-4wk.

NOTICE OF SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

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Dress Up For Christmas A Tremendous Sale of Overcoats and Topcoats

Over 200 Coats to select from. Of tweeds, mixtures, imported fabrics. In fact, all fine materials are represented here. All new and of the very best tailoring—we have too many—IF PRICE WILL MOVE THEM—OUT THEY GO. Sizes 33 to 50. Note these reductions:

Table listing various coat types and prices: \$12.50 Overcoats, and Topcoats, at \$8.95; \$15.00 Overcoats and Topcoats, at \$10.95; \$19.50 Overcoats and Topcoats, at \$14.75; \$22.50 Overcoats and Topcoats, at \$16.95; \$25.00 Overcoats and Topcoats, at \$18.50; \$29.50 Overcoats and Topcoats, at \$23.50; \$30.00 Knitex Topcoats, at \$24.95; \$35.00 Overcoats, and Topcoats, at \$27.50; \$40.00 Overcoats and Topcoats, at \$29.50.

No Reservations—All Must Go! PRICES REDUCE DON BOYS' COATS Sizes 2 to 8, in tweeds, camel's, hair and mixtures.

Table listing boys' coats: \$5.00 Coats, Sale price \$3.95; \$6.00 Coats, Sale price \$4.45; \$7.50 Coats, Sale price \$5.95; \$9.95 Coats, Sale price \$7.95.

YOUTHS' COATS Sizes 9 to 18—Greatly Reduced.

Table listing youths' coats: \$12.50 Coats, for \$9.95; \$13.95 Coats, for \$10.95; \$22.50 Overcoats, for \$16.95.

Table listing one lot items: One Lot \$7.00 Hats, \$5.45; One Lot \$5.00 Hats, \$3.95; One Lot of Hats, formerly \$4.00, \$2.85.

Sensational Clothing Reductions

Clothing and prices that will be the talk of the town. Your opportunity to cash in on these reductions.

One lot of men's Suits, in grays, browns and mixtures. Lots of these are worsted fabrics. Values to \$25.00, sale price \$14.95.

Our very highest quality Suits of Society Brand and Michaels Stern, at the following prices: \$29.50 Suits, Sale price \$24.75; \$35.00 Suits, Sale price \$29.50; \$40.00 Suits, Sale price \$34.50; \$50.00 Suits, Sale price \$39.50.

BOYS' EXTRA PANTS AT GREAT REDUCTIONS: One lot Boys' Pants, Sale price 89c; Boys' \$1.50 Pants, at \$1.29; One lot of Boys' \$2.00 Knickers, Sizes 7 to 15, Sale price \$1.48.

One lot of Men's Silk Sox, 35c pair, 3 for \$1.00; One lot Men's collar attached Shirts, value \$2.00, Sale price \$1.63, 3 for \$4.50; One lot Men's Shirts, 12c value, Sale price 98c.

BOYS' AND YOUTHS' CLOTHING Reduced to the Following Prices: \$7.95 Suits, now \$6.95; \$9.95 Suits, now \$7.95; \$12.50 and \$13.50 Suits, now \$9.95; \$15.00 and \$16.50 Suits, now \$10.95; \$18.50 and \$19.50 Suits, now \$14.95; \$17.95 Suits, now \$14.95.

MEN'S ODD TROUSERS \$3.00 and \$6.00 Trousers, at \$3.95; \$3.50 and \$4.00 Trousers, at \$2.95; \$7.00 and \$7.50 Trousers, at \$4.95.

MANY OTHER SPECIALS IN OUR MEN'S DEPARTMENT NOT MENTIONED HERE

HUNDREDS OF PAIRS

Of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes and Oxfords in this sale at prices that are far below what they should be.

SHOE DEPARTMENT PRICES: One lot children's Shoes, in black and tan. New styles this season. Sizes 6 to 2. Special pair \$1.39; One lot Children's Shoes, black, tan and patent leathers. All new styles. Sizes 5 to 2. Special pair \$1.98; One lot Women's Shoes, slightly out of style. Some excellent values, ire-black and brown. Low, and medium heel. While they last, pair \$1.98; One lot Ladies' Oxfords, in black and patent leathers, also browns. All good styles. Values up to five dollars. Special, pair \$2.79.

Our entire line "Rational Health" Oxfords in all brown only. All new styles and toes. Regular \$8.50 per pair. For this sale, pair \$5.95; One lot Boys' and Men's Dress Shoes, in broken sizes, in black and brown leathers. Some of them sold as high as \$10.00. For this sale, pair \$1.98; Our full line of Ladies' Arch Rest Shoes—the well known make of Irving Drew Shoes, high class, and new styles in both kid and patent leathers. Regular \$9.00 to \$10.75 values. Very special, pair \$5.95; One lot Men's and Boys' Oxfords, in black and tan leathers. All new styles. For this sale, pair \$2.98.

One lot Boys' Overall, sizes 2 to 8 years. For this sale, 69c; Boys' Heavy Blue Denim Overalls. Pointer Brand, and Carolina Special. Sizes 5 to 16 years. Special for this sale, pair 89c; One lot white back blue denim Overalls, extra full cut, the best 2-20 denim goods. Sizes up to 44. Very special, pair \$1.29; One lot Men's Defiance Chambray Work Shirts, two pockets, and full cut, in blue and tan, a regular \$1.00 value. Special \$1.19.

Bargains In Work Clothes

One lot Boys' Overall, sizes 2 to 8 years. For this sale, 69c; Boys' Heavy Blue Denim Overalls. Pointer Brand, and Carolina Special. Sizes 5 to 16 years. Special for this sale, pair 89c; One lot white back blue denim Overalls, extra full cut, the best 2-20 denim goods. Sizes up to 44. Very special, pair \$1.29; One lot Men's Defiance Chambray Work Shirts, two pockets, and full cut, in blue and tan, a regular \$1.00 value. Special \$1.19.

Blount-Harvey Co. DEPARTMENT STORE GREENVILLE, N. C.



# RECOVER LOOT IN CRIME WAVE AT DALLAS, TEX

## Two Men Also Arrested As Suspects In Series Of Robberies And Assaults.

Dallas, Texas, Dec. 11.—(AP)—Clues and recovered loot in the possession of police here today led them to believe that two men arrested yesterday were the principals in a busy week end of crime in this vicinity, committing ten offenses over a 36 hour period.

Their alleged crimes included at least four holdups, three criminal assaults, three farm robberies and a post office robbery.

The men, Lee Roy Merriman, 23, formerly of Caddo, Okla., and Benny Aldridge, 24, Dallas, have been sought in connection with a recent double murder in which two young brides were attacked, then beaten to death on a lonely road near Dallas.

As police reconstruct the past week-end which they say the two men devoted entirely to crime, the two held up three couples in a park ed car here early Sunday morning, robbed the men and assaulted the women whom they held captives until daylight, then left for Oklahoma, robbed three farms enroute, looted a post office in Chaney, Okla., Sunday night, and returned here at 11 A. M., yesterday.

Police encountered the men just as they returned to the city and captured them after an attempt at flight in which Merriman was wounded in the head with a bullet.

In their car was found an overcoat taken from one of the men robbed Sunday morning, wrist watches belonging to one of the girl victims, quilts and pillows taken from the three farm homes robbed, two shotguns, two large calibre rifles and five pistols, and postage stamps and letters stamped by the Caney, Okla., post office.

The three girl victims identified photos of Aldridge, as did one of the men victims, numerous newspaper victims in recent weeks identified his picture as that of the man who robbed them.

## Argument Still Goes On In The Carroll Case

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 11.—(AP)—Another day of arguments by attorneys confronted jurors trying the Carroll case in Superior Court here today. Judge W. C. Harris announced he would order a night session, if necessary to complete this phase of the trial today.

The case, brought by the State Board of Charities and Welfare to revoke the license of Highland Hospital at Asheville on the grounds that its operator, Dr. R. S. Carroll, is morally unfit to conduct it, entered its third week yesterday.

Arguments were still to be made by six more attorneys. Josiah Wilson Bailey, of defense counsel, spoke two hours, 55 minutes yesterday.

**Golden Age In United States**  
New York—Irving T. Buch, head of the Bush Terminals Systems, that the United States is only at the beginning of a period which will go down in history as "The Golden Age"; also that America is destined to gain world leadership in the arts, literature and science; the current increase of prosperity is a vital growing force founded on the most efficient industrial organization any nation ever has achieved.

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

## Fleet Virginian



Gordon Walker, of Richmond, has been selected captain of the Virginia Military Institute track team.

## Fights Last Night

By the Associated Press.

Boston—Jack Sharkey, Boston, outpointed Arthur Dekuh, New York (10); Lou Bogash, Boston, knocked out Archie Skinner, Montreal (2).

Buffalo, N. Y.—Jimmy Slattery, Buffalo, outpointed Jimmy Macey, Chicago (10); Kid Chocolate, Cuba, outpointed Heistein, Buffalo (10).

Philadelphia—Benny Bass, Philadelphia, outpointed Gaston Charles, France (10); Marietta, Ohio—Freddie Miller, Cincinnati, knocked out Jess Murty, Toledo (2).

Charlotte, N. C.—Johnny Roberts, Huntington, W. Va., stopped Ray Hahn, Indianapolis (2); Louisville, Ky.—Sam Price, Benton Harbor, Mich., outpointed Terry Lingo, Pittsburgh (10).

Little Rock, Ark.—Kid Lencho, Mexico, outpointed Paul Stedman, St. Louis (10); Kid Adams, Mexico, outpointed Garner Johns, Tampa, Fla. (10).

Miami, Fla.—Johnny Gerarden, California, knocked out Bob Martin, Buffalo, N. Y. (1); Sioux Falls, S. D.—Billy Light, St. Paul, outpointed Meyer Grace, Chicago (10).

Lethbridge, Ala.—Lew Kessler, Lethbridge, technically knocked out Carl Augustine, St. Paul (8); Montgomery, Ala.—Baby Stribling, Macon, Ga., won a decision over Johnny Kearney, New Orleans (10); Pte Antley, Columbus, Ga., knocked out Curtis Hamilton, Montgomery (5).

Lakeland, Fla.—Kid Osborne, Tampa, Fla., and Rene Duray, West Palm Beach, drew (10); Chick Rawleson, Lakeland, knocked out Red Boyett, Leesburg, Fla. (5).

**Join Hole in One Club.**  
Pinehurst, N. C., Dec. 11.—(AP)—Mrs. Nash Rockwood, of Westchester, Biltmore Country Club, New York, joined the hole in one club yesterday on the No. 1 golf course of the Pinehurst Country Club. She negotiated the 153 yard span between tee and cup on the 11th hole with her midiron shot.

It was the first hole in one of the season at Pinehurst by a woman.

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## New Chain Store System Announced

New York, Dec. 11.—(AP)—A department store chain whose ultimate sales volume is expected to aggregate \$1,000,000,000, has been started with the acquisition of 22 stores by the Hahn Department Stores, Inc. Lew Hahn, former managing director of the National Retail Dry Goods Association, is head of the company. George W. Mitten, president of the Jordan March Company of Boston, is to be chairman of the board of directors of the Hahn Corporation.

Stores in the chain, in addition to the Jordan March Company, are: C. F. Hovey Company, Boston; L. S. Donaldson Co., Minneapolis; the Bon March, Seattle; the Golden Rule, St. Paul; Rollman & Sons Company, Cincinnati; Herpolsheimer Company, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Titch, Göttinger Co., Inc., Dallas; O'Neill and Company, Inc., Baltimore; Quackenbush Company, Paterson, N. J.; the A. Polsky Co., Akron, Ohio; the Morehouse-Martens Company, Columbus, Ohio; the James Black Dry Goods Company, Waterloo, Iowa; Rudge and Gruenzel Company, Lincoln, Neb.; the Meyers Company, Greensboro, N. C.; L. H. Field Co., Jackson, Mich.; F. N. Jcslin Company, Malden, Mass.; the Muller Company, Ltd., Lake Charles, La.; A. E. Troutman Company, Greensburg, Pa.; Louis Sandler, Inc., Lebanon, Pa.; the Welber Company, Columbus, Ohio; and the Wright-Metzler Company, Connellsville, Pa.

## NEW BOSS OF ATLANTA CRACKERS



Wilbur Good, former manager of the Macon, Ga., team of the South Atlantic League, has been signed to manage Atlanta of the Southern Association.

## What Congress Is Doing Today

**Tuesday**—Consideration of Boulder Dam measure resumed by senate.

Joint committee continues hearing on proposed appropriation for Porto Rican hurricane relief.

Senate education and labor committee considers unemployment.

Senate foreign relations committee discusses Kellogg-Briand treaty.

House takes up interior department appropriation bill and Austrian debt settlement.

Agriculture committee of house holds hearings on Hope bill to amend packers and stockyard act.

House census committee considers reapportionment.

Routine meeting before house committees on insular affairs, post-office, naval affairs, judiciary and military.

**Monday**—Greek debt settlement approved by house.

Senate appropriations committee added approximately \$3,000,000 to billion dollar treasury-postoffice bill in reporting measure out on floor.

The house had passed the measure.

Appropriations committee submitted the \$33,257,963 interior department supply bill to the house.

## CHARGES SIX NATIONS WITH BREAKING NARCOTIC LAWS

New York, Dec. 11.—(AP)—The shot which dropped Arnold Rothstein, November 4, in the Park Central Hotel, eventually may echo around the world.

Investigation of the narcotic syndicate which Rothstein is believed to have financed—at 180 per cent interest—today brought a charge by Representative Stephen C. Porter that narcotic manufacturers in six countries in Europe were not keeping the agreement of the Hague opium convention of 1912. This agreement provided that the manufacture of narcotics would be limited for medical purposes only.

Representative Porter, a member of the foreign relations committee, came here with Col. L. C. Nutt, head of the National Narcotic Bureau, to inquire at first hand into the slain gambler's connections with the smuggling of narcotics.

He asserted the United States had complied with the agreement and that if European manufacturers would do likewise smuggling would cease.

Joseph Unger, alias Meyer, alias

**Land Sale.**  
By virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed and delivered by G. C. Brewer to J. L. Little, Trustee, on the 30th day of April, 1923, which was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, in Book V. 15, page 234, the undersigned will sell at public auction for cash, before the courthouse door, in Greenville, N. C., on

**Monday, December 17th, 1923** the following described tract of land, to-wit:

That certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Belvoir township, Pitt County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of the Eureka Lumber Co., on the north, T. J. Hodges on the east, Eureka Lumber Co. and Jesse Smith on the south, and W. E. Parker on the west, and beginning at a gum, Eureka Lumber Company, W. E. Parker and G. C. Brewer corner, and runs thence with W. E. Parker line S. 24-10 E. 90 poles; thence with Eureka Lumber Company's and Jesse Smith's line North 74-50 E. 315 poles to J. T. Hodges line; thence with his line N. 2-30 E. 75 poles; thence N. 87-10 W. 90 poles; thence S. 67-10 W. 265 poles with Eureka Lumber Company's line to a gum, the beginning. Containing 187.5 acres, and being the same land conveyed to G. C. Brewer by C. L. Parker.

Said land is sold to satisfy the indebtedness secured in said deed of trust and will be sold subject to a prior mortgage for \$3000.00, due to the North Carolina Stock Land Bank.

This November 17th, 1923.

J. L. Little, Trustee.  
F. G. James & Son, Attys.  
Nov. 20-11w-4wk.

**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION.**  
The undersigned having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of Charlie Jackson, late of Pitt County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to file them with the undersigned, at Greenville, N. C., within twelve months from date of this notice, or same will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereon. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This the 1st day of Dec. 1923.  
Henry H. Simpson, Adm'r. of the Estate of Mrs. Bettie A. Simpson.  
Dec. 2-11w-6wk.

**Notice of Administration.**  
The undersigned having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of Mrs. Bettie A. Simpson, late of Pitt County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to file them with the undersigned at Bethel, N. C., within twelve months from date of this notice, or same will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereon. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This the 1st day of Dec. 1923.  
Henry H. Simpson, Adm'r. of the Estate of Mrs. Bettie A. Simpson.  
Dec. 2-11w-6wk.

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I wish you would tell Old Santa to bring me a bicycle Christmas. All the rest of the boys and girls will have one. Skittleharpe Bicycle Repair Shop has all sizes of bicycles, from seven years old up to men's sizes. Boys, if you do not get you a new bicycle Christmas morning, run out and see how many boys got new bicycles, they will be sorry you did not tell Santa Claus to bring you one.

Also have a few tricycles on hand.  
Come in and look.

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Next to High School  
Open Nights from 7:30 to 9:30

**Wentworth Urn—4-piece Set. \$35.00**

**Automatic Iron \$7.75**

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## A happy answer to any Gift question

Whether you want to give an elaborate gift or a simple one—whether it is to go to a member of your family or to a friend—you are sure to find "just the thing" in our interesting display of Westinghouse electrical gifts.

Bring in your Christmas list and let us help you select the beautiful new automatic Turnover Toaster that will delight the busy young matron—the warming pad that will be such a comfort to grandfather—the iron with the Built-in Watchman that will save mother work and worry—or any one of a dozen other Westinghouse electrical gifts just as admirably suited to the individual you wish to remember.

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**Smith Electric Company**

**Table Stove \$9.00**

**Warming Pad \$6.50**

**Wentworth Waffle Iron \$16.00**

**Rectangular Waffle Iron \$15.00**

**Aristocrat Turnover Toaster Automatic \$11.25**

**De Luxe Candy Glow \$7.50**

## Hosiery, Gloves and Handkerchiefs fill three corners of a man's heart

These three gifts never fail to run down their man and tie him to the port of appreciation. We are specializing on all three—

Hosiery of Interwoven from..... 35c pair up  
Gloves from Louis Meyers ..... \$2.00 pair up  
Handkerchiefs from ..... 25c each up

Another huge shipment of Neckwear arrived yesterday—

On Display Today At  
**\$1.00**

## Curtis Perkins

"Gifts For Men."

# Market Report Cotton--Stocks--Grain

## COTTON MARKET

New York, Dec. 11 (AP)—Prices opened on the cotton market at an advance of 17 to 23 points in response to relatively steady Liverpool cables. There was enough southern weather and further liquidation to check some of the points right after the opening, but the setback proved to be temporary. The market advanced to bring in an increased demand which was supposed to include some domestic and Continental trade buying as well as covering or securing by recent sellers.

January sold up to 20.00 and May to 19.50, before the end of the first hour or about 20 to 25 points higher, with the market fairly active at the advance. Private cables said there had been Continental and Bombay buying in Liverpool and that the market there was considered well liquidated.

Features closed firm, 41 1/2 to 55 points; spot steady, middling 20.65. Open, High, Low, Close. P. C. Jan. 19.95 20.33 19.87 20.33 19.75 Mar. 19.98 20.34 19.91 20.34 19.80 May 19.93 20.27 19.85 20.27 19.74 July 19.65 19.99 19.60 19.99 19.47 Oct. 19.27 19.52 19.22 19.52 19.10 Dec. 20.05 20.40 19.85 20.40 19.86

## GRAIN MARKET

By JOHN P. BOUGHAN  
Associated Press Market Editor.  
Chicago, Dec. 11.—(AP)—Corn took the lead today in an upward swing of grain values. There was a better export demand for corn at higher premiums, speculative buying was active and weather conditions suggested another let-up in the country movement of the corn crop. In addition, estimates were current that there has already been 50,000,000 bushels more farm use and country marketing of corn than at this time last year, leading to predictions that the mid-winter run of corn to market will not be as large as usual.

Corn closed strong, 11-2 to 17-8@ 2c net higher, wheat 11-8 to 17-8c up, oats 1 to 11-8c advance and provisions varying from 5c decline to a rise of 7c.

	High	Low	Close
WHEAT:			
Mar.	1.19 1-2	1.18	1.19 1-2
May	1.18 1-2	1.17	1.18 1-2
July	1.22 1-8	1.20 3-4	1.22 1-8
COEN:			
Dec.	.84 1-8	.83 1-4	.84
Mar.	.87 5-8	.85 5-8	.87 1-2
May	.90 1-2	.88 1-2	.90 3-8
OATS:			
Dec.	.48 5-8	.47 5-8	.48 5-8
Mar.	.48 7-8	.47 3-4	.48 7-8
May	.48 7-8	.47 3-4	.48 7-8
RICE:			
Dec.	1.03 3-4	1.02 1-4	1.03 3-4
May	1.06 1-4	1.04 3-4	1.05 7-8
LARD:			
Dec.	11.00	10.95	11.00
Jan.	11.82	11.55	11.62
Mar.	11.82	11.80	11.82
May	12.16	12.05	12.10
IRISH:			
Dec.			11.70
Jan.			11.70
Mar.			12.20

## STOCK MARKET

New York, Dec. 11.—(AP)—The stock market made further recovery today under the stimulus of short covering and a further easing in credit conditions. Several high-priced specialties snapped back 5 to 15 points, with the copper, public utility, merchandising, motor and rail shares giving the best demonstrations of group strength. Trading was only moderately heavy in volume.

Call money renewed at 8 per cent and then dropped to 7, with no appreciable calling of loans. Bankers point out that the course of the money market for the balance of the year will be governed, to some extent, by stock market activity, but a temporary stiffening is expected later in the week because of preparations for Dec. 15 income tax payments.

The receipt of \$2,000,000 additional gold from Canada today brought the total on the current movement to \$7,000,000.

Rumors of several impending consolidations had a buoyant effect on stock prices. The announcement last night of a large department store merger is widely believed to be the forerunner of a series of important consolidations next year in the merchandising, automotive, textile, and other fields. Except for a sharp drop in Bolivian bonds yesterday, the market has not manifested much concern over the border dispute between Bolivia and Paraguay. The critical turn taken by King George's illness is reported to have resulted in some selling of American securities by British investors, but good foreign buying is reported from Amsterdam.

Montgomery-Ward, selling today "ex rights" which are quoted about 218, changed hands in moderate volume around 129, equivalent to 347 for the old stock, which closed yesterday at \$34 7-8. Federal Mining & Smelting ran up 21 points, Du Pont 15, Radio 14, National Bellas Hess 11 3-4, Greene Cananea 9 3-4, American Radiator 9 1-2, Rossia Insurance 9 and American Telephone, International Telephone, Western Union, Goodyear Rubber, Packard Motors, Case Threshing, Allis Chalmers, American Bank Note, Johns Manville, Otis Elevator, Commercial Gelatin, A. M. Byers and International Harvester were among the many issues to sell 4 to 8 points higher.

Rehutte Retail Stores was an outstanding weak spot, breaking more

## N. Y. STOCK LIST

than 5 points to a new 1928 low at 40 1-2.

The closing was strong. Sales approximated 3,800,000.

2:30 p. m. Prices.

Am Smeit & Ref 262 3-4
Am Chem & Dye 225
Am Beet Sug 16
A Can 99 7-8
Am Car & Pory 91 1-8
A Loco 98
Am Sug 82
Am Sun Tob 54
A T & T 191
Am Tob 177
Am Tob B 175
A Wool 24 3-4
Anaconda 101 3-8
Armour A 15 1-2
Armour B 8
A C L 168
All Ref 55 3-4
B & O 118
Beth St 82 3-8
Canton Mills 44 1-4
Can Pac 228 3-4
Certained 28 7-8
C & O 199
Chrysler 120 5-8
Coca Cola 162 1-2
Col Fuel 67
Con Sol Clear 95
Cons Gas 99 3-4
Corn Pd 87 3-4
Cuban Am Sug 17
Cuba Cane Sug 5 5-8
Davidson Chem 56
Drugs Inc 112
DuPont 118 1-2
El Pow & Lt 41
Erie 65 3-8
Gillette 113 1-4
Gen Cigar 63 7-8
Gen Elec 183
Gen Mot 189 7-8
Gen Outdoor Adv 50
Gt West Su 36
Greene Can Cop 154 3-4
Hou Oil 117 7-8
Hud Mot 84
Hupp Mtrs 74
I C Eng 64 3-8
I Hary 326
I MM pd 35 5-8
I Nick 208 1-4
I T & T 195
Lgt & M 89 3-4
Lgt & Mtrs B 87
Lville & Nville 141 1-4
Lrldr (Pierre) 26 1-4
M K & Tex 50 1-4
Mo Pac 63 1-8
Nash 97 1-8
N Y C 182
N Y NH & Hldg 73 3-4
Nor Pac 103 3-8
Nor Pac 143 3-4
Panam B 48
Pmt Fam Lasky 52 1-8
Penna RR 70 3-8
Phillip Morris 18 1-4
Phillips Pet 46 1-4
Postum 65 5-8
Pullman 82 1-8
Radio 310 1-2
Reading 103 1-2
Rem Rand 29
Reynolds Tob 193 1-2
Reynolds Tob B 153
Schulte Ret Strs 41 3-8
S A L 17 5-8
S A L pd 20
Sbruck 101 1-2
Simmons Co 83 1-2
Sin Clair Oil 38 1-8
Sou Dar A 36
Sou Dar B 13 1-2
Sou Pac 124 3-4
Sou Ray 143
Standard Com Tob 33 3-8
S O Cal 70
S O N J 53
S O N Y 38 5-8
Studebaker 74
Tenn Corp & Chem 17 5-8
Tex Corl 65 3-4
Timkn Rol Brg 139
Tobacco Pd 103
Tob Pd A 110 1-4
Un Pac 209 1-2
Un Cig Stores 24 1-2
U S Ind Alch 128 1-4
U S Rub 40
U S Steel 154 1-2
U S Tob 99 1-2
U n Leaf Tob 74
Vick Chem 74
Va Car Chem 17 1-4
V C Chem 6 Pct Pf 56
Westinghouse Elec 122 1-8
Wolverland 28 7-8
Western Union 180
Woolworth 204 7-8
Yel Fk 35 1-4
Total sales 4,386,700
Montgomery Ward 125 1-2

## NOTICE

State of North Carolina  
County of Pitt.  
In the Superior Court.  
John Chapman  
vs.  
Lydona Strong Chapman  
The defendant, Lydona Strong Chapman, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, for the purpose of obtaining an absolute divorce upon statutory grounds and the said defendant will be required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County at the courthouse in Greenville, North Carolina, not later than thirty days from the 11th day of December, 1923, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.  
This the 21st day of Nov. 1923.  
J. P. Harrington,  
Clerk Superior Court  
Nov. 22-11w-4wk.

## NOTICE OF LAND SALE

By virtue of a power vested in me by that Mortgage which was executed to me by Tilly Ward on the 10th day of June, 1927, and which is duly recorded in the Register's Office for Pitt County in Book Y-15 at page 257, I shall offer for sale, at public auction, for cash, at the highest bid, at the court house door in the town of Greenville, at 12:00 o'clock noon, on Saturday, December 29th, 1923, the following described parcel of real estate, lying, being and situated in Greenville Township, in the county of Pitt, and State of North Carolina, to-wit:  
Beginning at Middle Branch on McClellan street; thence southwardly along McClellan street 110 feet to Railroad street; thence westwardly along Railroad street 40 feet to the George Eaton lot; thence northwardly along his line parallel to McClellan street to Middle Branch; thence Eastwardly 40 feet along Middle Branch to McClellan street the beginning and end, and being the same lot described in the pleadings and judgment in that certain case in Pitt Superior Court entitled: M. L. Elks vs. John Simmons et al, as appears in the Judgment Roll of Judgment Docket No. 36, Case No. 640, to which reference is hereby made.  
This November 27th, 1923.  
W. M. Moore, Mortgagee.  
Albion Dunn, Atty.  
Dec. 1st-11w-4wks.

## SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

The undersigned administrator of R. R. Fleming, Sr., deceased, will sell at public auction at his residence in Pactolus township, on Tuesday, December 18th, 1923, a lot of personal property belonging to said estate, to-wit:  
1 horse, 1 mule, 1 wagon, 1 cart, 6 tobacco trucks, several plows, 1 buggy, 1 harness, several harrows, stak cutter, shovels, hoes, forks, and a quantity of corn, tobacco, and about 20,000 tobacco sticks; also 1 bed, 1 ice box, and a range; also several shares of stock in the Fisheries Products Co., 1 share of stock in E. R. Mixon Co., and several shares of stock in the Farmers Bank Bldg. Co., and possibly other articles not herein mentioned.  
Terms of sale, cash on delivery.  
This the 28th day of Nov. 1923.  
J. P. Fleming, Admr.  
F. G. James & Sons, Attys.  
Dec. 1st-11w-2wk.

## LAND SALE

By virtue of a Decree of the Superior Court of Pitt County made in Special Proceeding No. 2332, entitled "J. Knott Proctor, Mrs. Earle Andrews et al, Ex Parte," the undersigned commissioners will sell at public auction before the court house in Greenville on Friday, December 14th, 1923, the following described lands:  
That tract of land in Pactolus township, known as the eastern half of the Blakely farm, bounded by Tar River, the Main Road leading through said Blakely farm, the said J. D. Williams land and others, containing 200 acres, more or less.  
Said land sold for partition.  
This land was sold on November 5th, 1923, and the bid reported at that time has been raised, which necessitated a re-sale.  
Terms of sale, either all cash or one-half cash, balance in twelve months.  
This November 28th, 1923.  
Mrs. Lena P. Proctor,  
J. Knott Proctor, Com.  
F. G. James & Sons, Attys.  
Dec. 1st-11w-2wk.

## SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage executed by Andrew Ward to J. P. Davenport, dated December 20th, 1920, and recorded in Book C-15, page 510, in the Register of Deeds office of Pitt County, default having been made in the payment of the amount due, the undersigned

## ATTENTION

We have just received another shipment of beautiful imported hand painted gift china and pottery. Packages wrapped for shipment without charge. Baker & Davis, 5th Street, Next to S. E. Gates & Co.

## HAPPERSBERGER

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Opp. Proctor Hotel  
Greenville, N. C.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will offer for sale for cash before the court house door in Greenville on Monday, December 3rd, 1923, the following notes:  
10 notes for \$787.00 each, dated March 27, 1923; one due each year beginning Jan. 1st, 1924, to Jan. 1st, 1933, inclusive.  
Said notes being executed by C. R. Elks and wife, Dora Elks, payable to W. S. Elks and Mattie Elks. Said notes secured by deed of trust recorded in Book A-15, page 104, in the Register of Deeds office of Pitt County.  
The amount now due on said notes being \$7,670.00 with interest from January 1st, 1924, less a credit of \$1,500.00 January 2nd, 1927, and \$500.00 Jan. 7th, 1928.  
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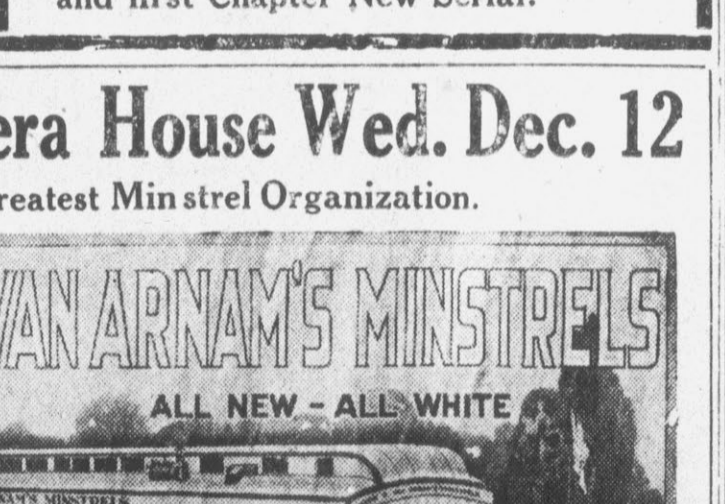
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