

THE WEATHER

Mostly cloudy, preceded by light rains in extreme north portion this afternoon or early tonight; slightly warmer in central and southeast portions tonight; Wednesday fair, slightly warmer in northwest portion.

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SOVIET PLANES RENEW ATTACK AGAINST FINN

Russian bombers Raid Salmijaervi And Nearby Area

WARSHIPS OFF FINNISH COAST

U.S.S.R. Men of War Believed to be Convoing Troop Ships From Arctic Garrisons

Kirkenes, Norway, (At the Finnish Frontier), Dec. 5.—(AP)—Three Soviet Russian bombers raided Salmijaervi and the nearby area today in a renewal of aerial operations in the war on Finland.

The bombers could be seen from Kirkenes and detonations reverberated across the water, but it was not learned immediately what damage and casualties resulted.

At the same time reports of continued Russian landings in the Petsamo region, northernmost Finland about 30 miles east of Salmijaervi were received.

These reports said Russian warships were observed in Petsamo off this morning. These were believed to be convoing troop ships, bringing troops from Russian Arctic garrisons.

Strong detachments of Finns were moving northward toward Petsamo. Unconfirmed reports received here said 60 Russian planes were destroyed by Finnish fighters dropping incendiary bombs on the Soviet airport at Murmansk.

Refugees here were a sorrowful sight. Many women had husbands or sons somewhere on the front and may never see them again. There was some talk of emigrating to the United States.

Vanceboro Farmer Claimed By Death

Henry Buck, 66, of Vanceboro died at his home last night at 8:45 o'clock following several weeks of critical illness.

Funeral services will be conducted at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the home by Rev. Mr. Matthews of Washington, pastor of St. Paul's Episcopal church, of which Mr. Buck was a lifelong member. Burial will follow in the family cemetery in Vanceboro, with the Vanceboro Masonic order in charge of the grave-side services.

Mr. Buck, a farmer, was born and spent his entire life in Vanceboro. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Hattie Buck, five sons, H. P. LeRoy, J. G. Otis and Thomas Buck; one daughter, Mrs. Woodrow Gaskins, all of Vanceboro; six grandchildren; two brothers, Walter and Claude Buck; five sisters, Mrs. Scilla Nelson, Mrs. J. R. Matthews, Mrs. George Wilson, Mrs. Fannie Hart and Mrs. Annie Lewis, all of Vanceboro.

Mother Local Woman Dies In Washington

Washington, N. C. Mrs. Jennie E. Mayo, wife of the late John W. Mayo and mother of John A. Mayo, judge of recorder's court here, died early Friday morning at the home of a daughter, Mrs. I. H. Morris, in Lake Landine.

Mrs. Mayo was born in Baltimore, Ind., on November 5, 1859. A daughter of the late Joseph Augustus and Mary Isabelle Pentz. She was married to Mr. Mayo, prominent business man of Washington on February 12, 1883, and spent all her married life in this city. She was a member of the First Presbyterian church and always had been actively engaged in religious work during the years that health permitted. Her death terminated an illness of ten years.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. I. H. Morris of Lake Landine and Mrs. M. T. Bradshaw of Greenville, and a son, John A. Mayo. Last rites were conducted Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the home of her daughter in Lake Landine. The Rev. W. D. McTearis, pastor of the First Presbyterian church and the Rev. F. A. Turner had charge of the services. Interment was in Oakdale cemetery.

16 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT

BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS

Angry Crowd Wrecks Communist Hall



This picture was made as part of a crowd of invading men who wrecked a Communist dance hall at Aberdeen, Wash. The raid climaxed a week of ill feeling that began when Communists advertised a "victory" dance in competition with a patriotic meeting of Finnish immigrants and their sympathizers. The crowd threw stones through the windows of the Communist hall before battering down the door. Those inside fled through the rear doors.

Bund Leader Sentenced To Five Years Maximum

Convicted Last Week Of Larceny Of Bund Funds

New York, Dec. 5.—(AP)—Fritz Kuhn, German-American Bund leader, was sentenced today to a prison term of from two and a half to five years. He was convicted last week of grand larceny of bund funds.

The sentence was imposed on the counts of grand larceny in the James D. C. Murray v. Kuhn case and for two counts of forgery in that connection.

Sentence was suspended by Judge James C. Wallace on the transaction involving the alleged payment of the moving expenses of Mrs. Florence Camp, the "blonde angel" of Kuhn's love letters.

Murray had testified during the trial that he had never received \$500 which Kuhn claimed to have paid him for legal services.

The other charge of larceny concerned \$717 allegedly given Mrs. Camp.

"This man is not to be sentenced because he is a hate dispenser or a rabble rouser for there are thousands of others in this country," Judge Wallace said before he pronounced sentence.

Kuhn's attorney, Peter I. Sabatino, had contended during the trial that political persecution lay at the bottom of the case.

The judge denied a defense request to suspend sentence.

"I will rely upon your vast store of experience to pass a fitting sentence," Sabatino said.

Negro Prowler Seen At J.B. James' Home

Another Greenville home last night apparently was the intended victim of a robbery. It was reported at police headquarters this morning.

A Negro was said to have been seen peering through the window at the home of J. B. James last night about 9 o'clock by a daughter who was in the sun parlor reading at the time.

Officers were called to the home, but the Negro had fled and no trace of him found.

Mr. James was at a Rotary club banquet at the time, but returned while officers were searching the grounds for a possible clue as to which way the Negro fled.

Report Seal Sale Receipts Top '38

Receipts for the first week of the 1939 Christmas seal campaign showed an increase over the same period of last year, according to Mrs. James Picklen, general chairman of the Greenville Tuberculosis Association.

The annual Christmas seal sale, Mr. Picklen pointed out, is unique because it gives everyone, regardless of his means, an opportunity to help. The millionaire can't buy any higher priced seals than the child with one penny. Every seal is priced at one cent, and no more.

For thirty-two years this opportunity has been offered annually to the public to build up a common defense against tuberculosis. It is a matter of considerable local pride that this community has never fallen down in fulfilling its quota. This comes of a keen appreciation of the importance of the work being carried on.

As the campaign continues, even heightened interest is expected, for generosity is one of our great community assets.

To Our Readers:

Is your subscription paid? All unpaid subscriptions must be dropped from our lists next week. See notice and special offer on page four of this issue.

Conference Set Thursday By Scandinavian Nations On Russo-Finnish Crisis

Foreign Ministers Of Sweden and Denmark Accept Invitation from Norway to Discuss Situation Growing Out of War In Northern Europe; Deep Concern Felt By Three Powers

Oslo, Norway, Dec. 5.—(AP)—Norway's Foreign Minister Halvdan Koht today called a conference for Thursday of Scandinavian foreign ministers to discuss the ominous situation growing out of the Russian-Finnish conflict.

Issuing invitations to Foreign Ministers Richard Sandler of Sweden and Peter Munch of Denmark, Koht emphasized the earnest Scandinavian desire to reestablish peace in northern Europe.

Any speculation that the three nations might take a stronger stand in support of Finland, however, was promptly discouraged by a statement of the Danish prime minister that his nation would maintain neutrality.

Diplomats regarded the prime minister's stand as inevitable since Denmark has a non-aggression pact with Germany and thus would not be likely to take any action which might depart the slightest from neutrality toward all phases of the European conflict.

Koht pointed out that Finland's plight deeply concerns Scandinavia, "both because of ourselves and because of Finland."

Swedish concern for her own safety was emphasized by additional strengthening of her armed forces with a slight reference to "partial mobilization," a phrase which hitherto has been avoided carefully.

The Danish foreign minister accepted immediately and announced he would leave tomorrow for Oslo. Sandler's acceptance also was reported.

A brief history of the club was given by J. B. Kittrell, who stated that this club was the only one in the country known to own its club building. Three numbers were rendered by the college girls Glee club and Miss Hazel Elsom of the college faculty rendered three violin selections. She was accompanied by Miss Lois Gottrell.

The principal address of the evening was delivered by M. Eugene Brown of Durham, North Carolina, only a Rurarian to have served as president of Rotary International.

The speaker urged diversified farming, declaring that for a farmer to become self-sufficient he must produce more than one crop. Striking tobacco "good times" are a thing of the past, the speaker added. Emphasizing this fact he related that during the tobacco sales holiday many farmers had to borrow money to purchase food when they should have had plenty raised on their own farms.

Turning to the unemployment problem Mr. Newsom listed several causes, but declared the most significant was the migration from the farm to the city. Expressing the belief that many young men leave the farm to go to the city to make money he scolded at the idea that money can not be made on the farm. To make farming a paying industry, he declared, a person must plant more than one crop and must not depend entirely on "money crops."

SOVIET RUSSIA IS DENOUNCED

Lord Halifax Describes Invasion as Inexcusable

London, Dec. 5.—(AP)—Foreign Secretary Lord Halifax today called the Russian invasion of Finland an "inexcusable act of aggression by one of the largest and on the smallest" nations of Europe.

The foreign secretary told the House of Lords the Russian attack was a direct outgrowth of the German-Russian agreement and added: "Open towns have been bombarded, women and children mutilated and buried to death on the pretext that a nation of under 4,000,000 had hostile designs against one of 180,000,000."

"The British people have been profoundly shocked by the circumstances of the Soviet attack and they have profoundly admired the magnificent resistance of the Finns."

Seven Face Trial At Morning Term

Seven cases were disposed of in County court this morning, a no pros has been taken in three, these being Norman Terry charged with fraud, Carey Pace, Holhe Cherry and John Roy Crandall charged with assault, and Earle Goddard, accused of driving drunk and assault.

Will Latham Negro was convicted of possessing illegal liquor for sale and was given a six months sentence from which he appealed. Bond was fixed at \$200.

Walter J. Frizzelle Negro, pleaded guilty to driving careless and reckless, and was ordered to pay \$25 costs to be deducted and the balance to go as a fine. The defendant also had his driving license suspended for 90 days and was given a 60-day sentence suspended upon payment of the \$25.

Tom Andrews, white man, was convicted of carrying a concealed weapon, but prayer for judgment was continued.

Pate Crawford, white, was convicted of driving drunk and was fined \$50, taxed with costs and had his license revoked for 12 months. The defendant appealed to Superior court.

Christmas Seals bought now make possible the year-round campaign against tuberculosis of the Pitt County Tuberculosis Association.

Their Sorrow Turns to Joy



John Hales and his son, Johnnie, smile gratefully as they scan one of the letters which brought checks and money from sympathetic persons in numerous states to rebuild their home in Dallas, Tex., which burned Thanksgiving Day. The funds came pouring in after a picture showing their plight was distributed by the Associated Press.

U. S. APPROVES PAN-AMERICAN CONDEMNATION

Would Participate in Joint Statement To Russia

WOULD CONDEMN ACTS OF SOVIET

Sen. Vandenberg Calls Upon FDR To Question Russia Regarding Pledges To United States

Washington, Dec. 5.—(AP)—Sumner Welles, acting secretary of state, announced today that the United States government had notified certain Latin-American nations it would be very glad to participate in a joint Pan-American condemnation of Russia's invasion of Finland.

Certain Latin-American nations which he did not name have approached this government in support, Welles said, of the principles of international law and with reprobation of force as a means of settling international difficulties.

This government, he said, has repudiated that if all other American republics undertake to formulate such a declaration, the United States would be very glad to take part.

Welles recalled that many Latin-American governments already have made their position on the invasion clear.

Other officials explained that charges against Soviet Russia brought before the League of Nations by some American republics did not concern the United States since it is not a member of the League.

Meanwhile, Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich.) called upon President Roosevelt in a statement published today to ascertain whether the Soviet government had kept its pledge to stay out of political activity in the United States.

The Michigan senator added that the recall of the American ambassador to Moscow would "reflect our deep moral indignation at the brutal rape of Finland."

Monopoly Charges Filed In Detroit

Detroit, Dec. 5.—(AP)—A special federal grand jury today indicted 35 individuals in a statement manufacturing concerns, three contractors' associations, two AFL union locals and jobbers charging that a monopoly had been created in the tile trade in the Detroit area.

The indictment was brought under the anti-trust laws. Federal officials said it was the first time a criminal indictment ever was returned against all branches of an industry.

The indictment charged that a conspiracy existed to drive out of business 60 independent tile contractors by shutting off their tile supply and their labor supply.

Detroit Tile Contractors Association, the Greater Detroit Tile Contractors Association, the Tile Contractors Association of America, three of the defendants, were named as the only mediums through which contractors in this area could obtain tile.

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Service League Offices Will Be Clearing House

The Service League's office will be a clearing-house for the Community Christmas baskets for this year. Names of needy families may be obtained there by those wishing to sponsor personal cases. A list of which will be published in the Daily Reflector from time to time. Both individuals and organizations should report to the office whatever work of this kind they are doing, in order to avoid duplications. Also names of needy families with the necessary information about their conditions should be turned in there. Mrs. W. L. Wheelbee is chairman of the Christmas Basket committee. Donations to the project may be made to her or at the League office.

The Service League has pledged its support to the Community Christmas tree project of which Mrs. W. L. Harrington is chairman. For a number of years the Welfare

Department of the Woman's club has made the R. C. Flanagan Memorial Christmas tree possible by giving and soliciting money, candy, fruit and toys for children, both white and colored, in the community who otherwise would have little or nothing for Christmas.

As winter gets under way demand at the Thrift Shop for warm clothing continues. The Service League earnestly solicits wearing apparel, especially for children. The Blount-Harvey company recently gave the League a peck of buttons which are being put to good use in the Thrift Shop's repair department.

During November the Laughing-house bed at the Pitt General hospital has had four patients—a baby and three adults, one of which was colored. In support of this bed the Service League has just gotten out a book containing the fa-

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Weather Report table with columns for temperatures, precipitation, and barometer readings.

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Converse McKey, of Wilson spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with Mrs. McKey's mother, Mrs. S. E. Gates.

Mrs. Frederick G. Stone, who has been the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Howard left this morning for a short stay in Durham before she returns to her home in Sledge, Miss.

Mrs. Troy Dodson, of Asheville will arrive today to be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown.

Ed Ferrell, of Valdosta, Ga., spent the week-end in the home of Mrs. S. E. Gates.

J. F. King and W. J. Turnage, Jr., left last night to visit Mr. King's son Perry King in New York and his daughter, Miss Martha King who is attending school at Mount St. Agnes in Baltimore.

Mrs. Louis S. Harrison, Mrs. James R. Worsley and Mrs. Lynn Davis, of Farmville spent yesterday in Kinston.

Mrs. W. G. Clark of Fayetteville is visiting her mother, Mrs. Alice Windham, 626 Pitt street, for a few days.

Miss Lina Keys Sermons left today for Carson Hill, California.

Miss Mary Ann Cobb of Greenville explored the famous Endless Caverns at New Market, Va., while on a motor trip through the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia.

Mrs. Vernon Parrish is spending several days in Richmond with friends and relatives.

In Wilson Hospital
Mrs. J. D. Smith Jr., of Wilson, formerly of Greenville, is very ill in the Carolina General hospital in Wilson.

In Hospital
The friends of Mr. A. C. Foskey will regret to learn that he is sick in Pitt General Hospital.

Big Fellow
Louisville, Ky.—(AP)—A wharf boat, 300 feet long and 60 feet wide, believed by rivermen to be the largest all-welded piece of floating equipment ever built on inland rivers, has been completed for the Louisville wharf.

3,947 Marriage Loans
Rome.—(AP)—The ministry of interior approved 3,947 marriage loans in August, 1939, supplying 6,679,600 lire (\$333,850) to help brides and bridegrooms start their married life. Ten per cent of a loan is deducted for each child born.

Board of Stewards To Meet
The Board of Stewards of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church will meet tonight at the church at 7:30. All members are urged to be present.

Hostess To Bridge Club
Mrs. E. E. Rawl was hostess to her Monday night bridge club last evening at her home on Pitt street.

At the close of the playing Mrs. R. D. Harrington and Mrs. C. B. Rowlette were each presented a useful and attractive prize for making the high score at her table.

The hostess served delicious ice cream cake and stuffed dates.

Fellowship Club To Meet
The Fellowship Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Daisy Tucker on Evans street, tonight at 7:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present as urgent business will be transacted.

Little Theatre To Give Play
"Personal Appearance," Greenville Little Theatre's first production of the year, will be presented Wednesday night, December 13, at the high school auditorium at eight o'clock instead of Tuesday night, as was first scheduled.

This delightful three-act comedy by Lawrence Riley, has as its star Miss Eleanor Barr, who plays the role of Carol Arden, dramatic Hollywood actress.

"Personal Appearance" was a brilliant success on Broadway for several seasons and the story is a humorous satire on the life of a famous movie star.

Tickets may be secured from Little Theatre members and will also be on sale at the door on Wednesday night at the Greenville high school auditorium.

Christian Science Church
"God the Only Cause and Creator" was the subject of the lesson-lesson in all Christian Science churches and societies, Sunday, December 3.

The golden text was from Psalms 33:8-9: "Let all the earth fear the Lord; let all the inhabitants of the world stand in awe of him. For he spake, and it was done; he commanded, and it stood fast."

Among the citations which comprised the lesson-sermon was the following from the Bible: "And God saw every thing that he had made, and beyond, it was very good. Thus the heavens and the earth were finished, and all the host of them." (Gen. 1:31, 2:1).

The lesson-sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook: "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "All that is made is the work of God, and all is good. We leave this brief, glorious history of spiritual creation (as stated in the first chapter of Genesis) in the hands of God, not of man, in the keeping of Spirit, not matter—joyfully acknowledging now and forever God's supremacy. The harmony and immortality of man are intact. We should look away from the opposite supposition that man is created materially, and turn our gaze to the spiritual record of creation, to that which should be engraven on the understanding and heart with the point of a diamond and the pen of an angel."

Social Calendar

TUESDAY

7:15 p. m.—The Beta Sigma Phi Sorority meets in Sheppard Memorial Library.

7:30 p. m.—St. Mary's Auxiliary of Episcopal Church will meet.

7:30 p. m.—Chapter 149 of the Eastern Star will meet.

8:00 p. m.—Dr. G. C. Godwin, tuberculosis specialist will speak at the Woman's Club.

8:00 p. m.—The Y. W. A. of Immanuel Baptist Church will meet with Miss Margaret Moore.

WEDNESDAY

10:30 a. m.—The W. M. S. of Immanuel Baptist Church will meet at the church for an all-day session.

3:30 p. m.—The Greensboro College Alumni will meet at the home of Mrs. K. T. Futrell, with Mrs. Joe Parkerson as hostess.

7:30 p. m.—The Methodist choir will meet.

THURSDAY

3:30 p. m.—The U. D. C. will meet with Mrs. E. W. Harvey.

6:30 p. m.—The Junior Chamber of Commerce meets at the Woman's Club for a dinner meeting.

7:30 p. m.—The choir of the Memorial Baptist Church meets.

7:30 p. m.—The Immanuel Baptist choir meets.

7:30 p. m.—The choir of the Presbyterian Church meets for practice.

8:00 p. m.—International Relations committee of the Woman's Club meets at the club building. Book review by Dr. Frank.

FRIDAY

2:00-5:30 p. m.—Garden Club Christmas exhibit at the Woman's Club.

6:00 p. m.—Monthly Supper Club of the Christian Church meets.

6:30 p. m.—The Kiwanis Club meets.

8:00-9:30 p. m.—Garden Club Christmas exhibit at the Woman's Club.

7:00 p. m.—Choir rehearsal at the Christian Church.

In Hospital

M. L. Turnage is ill in Duke hospital in Durham.

To Give Play in New Bern.
By popular request, the home-talent play "Our Town," Pulitzer prize drama by Thornton Wilder given with great success last week in New Bern as the first public performance of the New Bern Little Theatre, will be repeated Thursday night of this week in Griffin auditorium, New Bern.

The production was highly praised by the audience and press. The News and Observer reported: "With a long record of amateur theatricals to its credit, New Bern has never seen a more professional-clicking production."

It is a play that appeals deeply to all spectators, reviewers agree. Among the cast of characters a number are known in Greenville, including Dr. R. S. McGeachy, now Craven county health officer.

Yale Puppeteers to Play Here.
The Yale Puppeteers of international fame, who are celebrating the 12th anniversary of the beginning of their puppets-for-adults show with a coast-to-coast tour, will give their new topical musical revue, "It's a Small World" at the college tomorrow night, with portrait puppets representing people in the news. These puppeters are unique in that they are the only troupe in this country playing entirely for adult audiences.

The puppets are created not only to look like the originals but to act like them also, and include likenesses of F. D. R., Mrs. Roosevelt, James A. Farley, Thomas Dewey, Orson Welles, Katherine Cornell, Helen Hayes and many other headliners.

The creator of the puppets, Harry Burnett, who also manipulates his lifelike figures in full view of the audience, observes a subject at close range before beginning work on the figure. He visited Raymond Massey backstage during his notable performance in "Abraham Lincoln," watched Dorothy Thompson and Orson Welles at the microphone saw the dancer Martha Graham at work, and studied President and Mrs. Roosevelt in news reels.

Burnett studied marionette theatres in Europe for several summers, giving time especially to those dedicated to entertainment for grown-ups. He has studied also in the Graduate School of Drama at Yale.

The lines and lyrics for the show, based on recent news, are written by Forman Brown, a former university teacher, who will act as pianist and master of ceremonies; for in this sophisticated show human beings and marionettes are brought on

MODES of the MOMENT

by Adelaide Kerr



Resort clothes for the Sunny South are here before snow flies. This 1940 version of the shirtwaist dress is silk, checked in brown and white. Diagonal pockets accent its bodice.

The stage together. The lines are changed repeatedly to keep abreast of the news, the slogan of the group being "Today's headlines in tonight's performance." Brown has published several books of verse and is the author of a number of "hit" songs in recent Broadway revues. The Yale Puppeteers, now on their 12th coast-to-coast tour, will give performances in 40 states this season. An engagement of 34 consecutive weeks on Broadway speaks for the entertaining quality of their program.

Garden Club Exhibit
The public is invited to attend the Christmas exhibits to be held at the Woman's Club on Friday and Saturday. The show is being sponsored by the Greenville Garden Club. The exhibits will be open to the public on Friday from 2 p. m. until 5:30 p. m. and again in the evening from 8 p. m. until 9:30 p. m. On Saturday the exhibit will be open from 10 a. m. until 6 p. m.

The committee chairman met yesterday with Mrs. J. T. Little, general chairman presiding, and made the necessary details to assure a successful exhibit. Judges have been invited to view the entries and award the prizes in each classification of entry.

Merchants of the city have expressed very liberal cooperation in contributing most attractive prizes. The following prizes will be awarded: white iron bracket, Baker and Davis; bulbs, White's Stores, Crystal vase, Bok-Tyler; Garden basket and tools, Blount-Harvey; 5 pound of Vigoro; Honeycutt's Market; white iron flower stand, Home Furniture Company; Landscape picture, Pitt Hardware; Landscape picture, Bostic-Sugg; rake, H. L. Hodges; pitcher and glasses, Reid's; vase, Rose's; bulbs, McLellan's; azalea plant, Greenville Floral Company; basket of fruit, Garris Grocery.

If there is any member of the Woman's Club or Junior Woman's Club or Garden Club who still wishes to enter any of the exhibits, please call the respective chairman before noon.

Mr. I. W. Worthington spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Carson Boyd, in Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Ethel Sugg spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Tyson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Little and children of Falkland spent Thanksgiving with Mr. I. W. Worthington. Mr. James Jotter spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. U. Jotter.

Mrs. Moses Tyson and children spent the week-end with Mr. W. E. Sugg near Walstonburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Allgood of

Constitutional tables, Mrs. C. C. Hill, Mrs. W. E. Hill, Mrs. W. I. Wooten, Mantels, Mrs. N. T. Engle, Mrs. J. B. Smith, Mrs. J. B. Smith, Nativity scene, Mrs. Helene Higginbotham, and if you are not an exhibitor in the show, you may still win a prize. A card table contributed by Quinn, Miller and Stroud will be offered as a door prize. The lucky number will be drawn Saturday at 5:30 p. m. and the holder of the lucky number notified.

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Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
Tuesday, December 5, 1899

DECEMBER FRACTIONS

Part of the People Passing This Way

Jesse Speight went to Norfolk today.

R. L. Smith left this morning for Richmond.

Mrs. E. B. Ficklen left Monday evening for Kinston where she will spend some time.

It is something like cold now. The tobacco warehouses are having heavy sales again this week.

near Bethel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bailey.

Miss Frances Little of Washington, D. C., visited her brother, Clarence Little, recently.

Miss Hazel Bowen and Mr. Tom Norris of Ayden were married in Dillon, S. C., on Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Gibson and children and Mrs. Bessie Boyd of near Ormondville spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Worthington.

Mr. Albert French Tyson of Atlantic Christian College, Wilson, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Tyson.

Lying and being in Chieftown-ship, Pitt County.

Beginning at lightwood knot in Calvin Mills line running South 20° E 19 2-3 poles by a gum; then a line of same lot S. 9 W. 235 poles to a stake, Stokes, pointed by a pine in Worthington Mill's line; thence with that line N. 30 W. 19 2-5 poles pointed by a pine and

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE

The undersigned having this day qualified as Administrators C. T. A. of the estate of W. W. Whitehurst, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the deceased to file the same duly verified with said Administrators at Greenville, N. C., Route No. 1, within twelve months from the date hereof, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery thereon.

1914—Twenty-fifth Anniversary—1939

THROUGH SERVICE WE GROW

50 Cents

TO REPEAT SHOW

The Play, "OUR TOWN" Pulitzer Prize Play By Thornton Wilder presented so successfully last week in New Bern, will be repeated here in Griffin Auditorium by popular request, at 8:15 p. m.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7th Some cast of characters. Tickets may be reserved at no extra cost from Mrs. K. R. Jones, II, or Garkins Drug Store, New Bern.

WYATT BROWN'S Cascade Laundry

JUST A GOOD LAUNDRY AND DRY CLEANER DIAL 2155-704 DICKERSON AVE.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement with said administrators. This the 24th day of October, 1939. C. W. WHITEHURST and W. L. McLAHORN, Administrators C. T. A. of the Estate of W. W. Whitehurst. Haring & Lee, Attys. Oct. 25-1tw-6wk.

Under and by virtue of the order of sale contained in that certain order of sale entered by L. A. Hudson and wife, Sadie M. Hudson, to W. C. Braswell, Trustee, under date of January 20, 1931, of record in Book 2-12, page 310 of the Pitt County Registry, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured thereby, and other stipulations in said instrument violated, and the owners of said indebtedness having requested the foreclosure, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash, before the Courthouse door in Greenville, N. C., on Thursday, the 4th day of January, 1940, at twelve o'clock noon, the following described real estate, to-wit:

black gum; thence with that line of said lot No. 74 E. 135 1-5 poles to the beginning, containing 15 1-3 acres. Also one other lot held by Rebecca Mills, adjoining Calvin Mills and Worthington Mills, Mrs. L. C. Mills, courses and distances duly recorded, containing 15 1-3 acres by survey in a division of the late Robert Dixon lack tract of land. See deed from H. E. Dixon and wife, Mary Dixon, to H. E. Dixon, recorded in Book 1-17 page 104 Pitt County Registry. This 4th day of December, 1939. W. C. BRASWELL, Trustee. Dec. 5-1tw-4wks.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
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Blount-Harvey

Santa and the TALKING DOLL

by SIGRID ARNE



But when they left again the King was alone and sad.

THE STORY SO FAR: Lightning has given a great feast for the fairy world to celebrate the twenty-first birthday of his son who sets out on adventures with a silver flute that will win him friends, and a black opal that will bring him trouble.

Chapter Two THE KING OF WESTPHALIA Great buildings crashed about the ears of the people the night Lightning gave a birthday party for his son. The arrow of lightning he had hurled at the witch cut through the sky and down to the Kingdom of Westphalia.

Now the King of Westphalia was a very kind King. But he was very lonesome because he was very shy. He found it hard to ring the bells, but often he sent them great baskets of food from the castle.

So this night he sat alone in his castle and mourned that so many of his subjects had lost their homes. But the fairies that lived in the woods flew into his study and helped on the table near him.

"Oh King," they said, "you were chosen among all men to rule this realm. Is it not right then that you comfort your people tonight?"

So the King and the young people when they saw the King's face light up. Out of the fairy Sire," said the peasant "come talk to our little son. Our home is gone but we are happy."

The King knelt and picked up the child and wrapped it in his red robe. It gurgled and smiled. The King said, "If your home is gone live with me until a new one is built."

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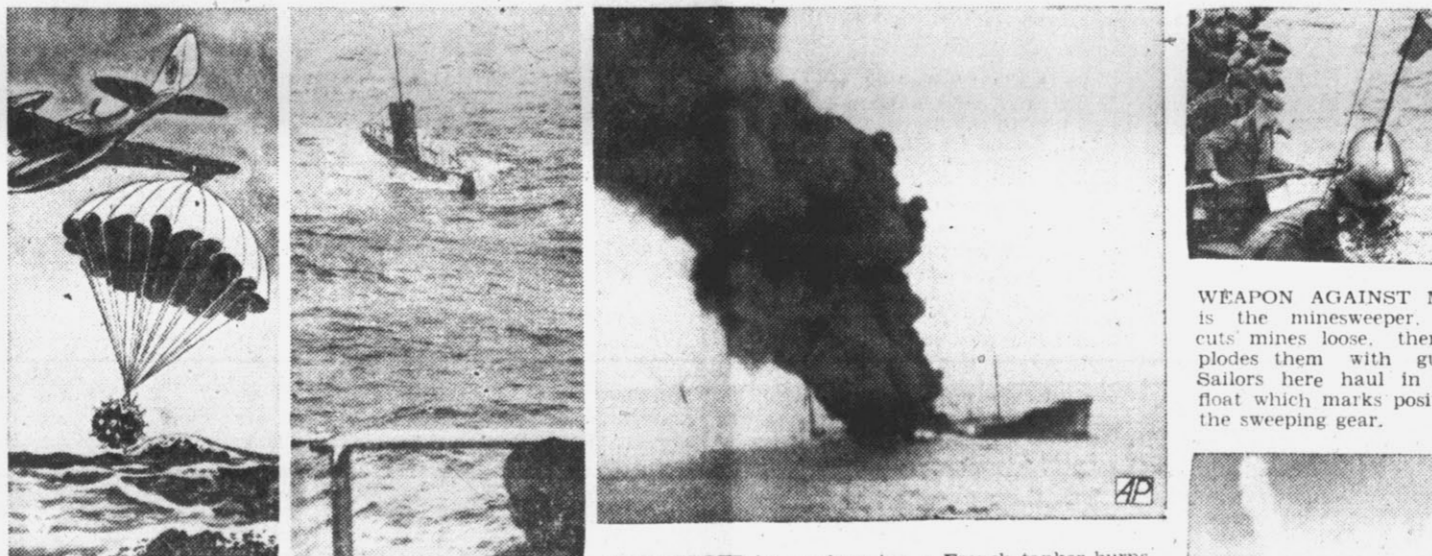
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War At Sea: How Major Conflict Is Waged



NEWEST WEAPON in sea warfare, according to British charges, is a magnetic, high explosive mine dropped on a parachute from an airplane. Here is artist's conception of the method. Presumably the mine sinks, then rises and explodes when a steel-hulled ship passes.

GERMAN SPECIALTY is submarine warfare. Here is what one of the dreaded U-boats looks like when it rises to tell domed ships crew to take to lifeboats before the ship is torpedoed. Sometimes no warning is given. Germany is supposed to have had 65 subs at start of war.

TORPEDOED by a submarine, a French tanker burns and sinks. U-boat sinkings during early part of war were at lower rate than during World War. Major casualties were the British battleship Royal Oak and aircraft carrier Courageous. After a lull early in November, toll of ships rose sharply as mines sank many near British Isles. Total before the war was three months old, was more than 150 ships, one-third of them neutrals. Britain and France together have about twice as many submarines as Germany. But Allies capture ships, take them to port rather than sink them. German ports are harder to reach.

WEAPON AGAINST MINES is the minesweeper, which cuts mines loose, then explodes them with gun-fire. Sailors here haul in a float which marks position of the sweeping gear.

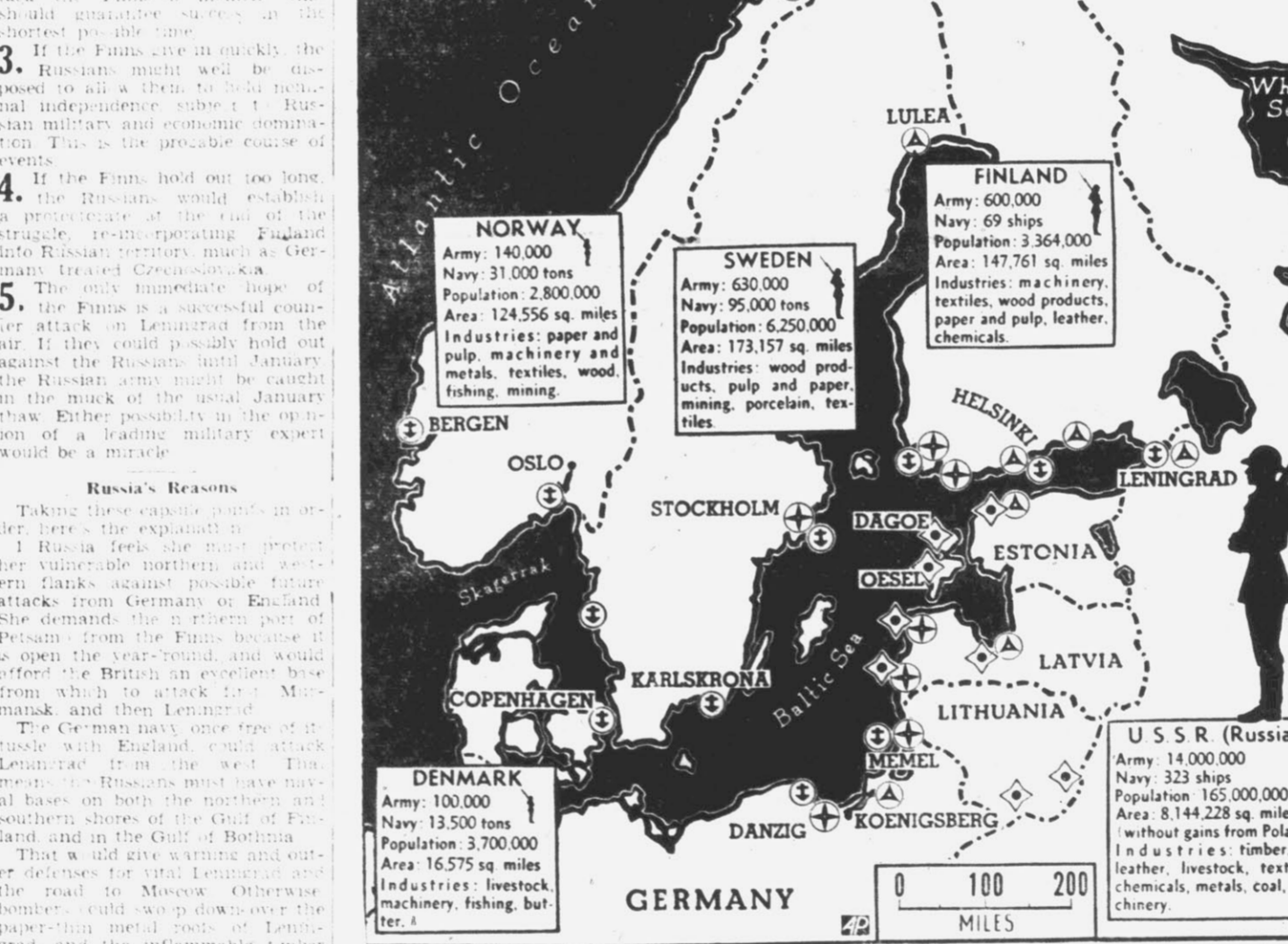
WEAPON AGAINST SUBS is the depth charge, which caves in hull when dropped near sub. Picture shows one exploding.

Russia's Act Seen As Move To Stymie Surprise Attack By British Or Nazis

By MORGAN M. BEATTY AP Feature Service Writer Washington—Here's a capsule survey of the Russo-Finnish war and where it's going. It came from a leading American observer of east European affairs.

1. The Russian objective plainly is first to re-establish the Baltic supremacy of the seas, second to dominate Sweden economically, at least, third to insure Denmark against any surprise attacks from England or Germany.
2. The Russians have chosen precisely the right moment to attack the Finns, a moment that should guarantee success in the shortest possible time.
3. Russian might will be disposed to all a them to hold national independence subordinate to Russian military and economic domination. This is the probable course of events.
4. If the Finns hold out too long, the Russians would establish a protectorate at the end of the struggle, re-incorporating Finland into Russian territory much as Germany treated Czechoslovakia.
5. The only immediate hope of the Finns is a successful counter attack on Leningrad from the air. If they could possibly hold out against the Russians until January, the Russian army might be caught in the muck of the usual January thaw. Either possibility is the opinion of a leading military expert would be a miracle.

Where Will The Red March Stop?



Silhouetted soldiers indicate sizes of the armies in the path of Russia should she try to continue her westward march. The march started with Poland, continued when Russia won "mutual assistance" pacts with Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania, making these countries virtual Soviet protectorates. Note that if Russia makes Finland kneel down, she will gain an ice-free port in the far north and more bases in the Baltic. Some authorities say she wants at least economic domination of Sweden.

Germany and England have the only forces capable of resisting the Russian advance on Finland, and they are obviously too scrupulously equipped to give Finland any help now.

Germany's position is most disadvantageous from the Russian point of view in the month of December because the march and lake of north and central Finland are frozen hard enough to sustain motor transport and infantry troops.

Snowfall is not yet heavy enough to impede progress, and above all the usual January thaw is still ahead. That means the Russians can threaten from the air first as they are doing in the hope the Finns will quickly give in. But if they should resist further, the Russian tank and motor army acts as a wide front and overrun the Finns with a novelized attack similar to the one used by the Germans against the Poles.

This is the only month of the year such an attack would be feasible and practically guaranteed to succeed before it started.

3. and 4. Because of wide opinion among the Finns, the underdog, and Finland is the underdog, the Finns are the underdog, the Finns are the underdog, the Finns are the underdog.



RUSSIA Vs. FINLAND
The only trouble with Finland's army is that it's too small. The Finns are good fighting men — with German aid they beat off the Bolsheviks two decades ago, but this time they're up against the world's biggest army. The figures above represent the probable maximum fighting strength of each country. Besides being overwhelmingly strong on the ground, Russia is among the world's leaders in the air, with perhaps 7,000 planes. Finland may have 150. Russia has more than 300 ships, Finland about 70, including five modern submarines and two heavily-armed coast defense vessels.

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NOTICE OF RE-SALE Under and by virtue of the authority contained in that order of re-sale made in the matter of "Pitt County vs. W. A. Vincent and wife, Lizzie Vincent, and Aurelia Vincent, a minor, by J. Hicks Corey, guardian ad litem," there having been a raise in the original bid at the first sale of the property hereinafter described, the undersigned will offer for sale, and sell to the highest bidder, for cash, before the courthouse door in Greenville at 12:00 o'clock, Noon, on Monday, December 11th, 1939, the following property: That certain house and lot located in Ayden, North Carolina, and on Third Street, and being known as the home of Penina Prizzelle, and being the same devised by Penina Prizzelle to Lizzie Vincent for life, then to Aurelia Vincent, in Will Book 6, at page 89. This the 13th day of Nov. 1939. ARTHUR B. COREY, Commissioner. Nov. 18-11w-3wk.

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FRESH FISH

TRIPP'S MARKET

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Man About Manhattan

By George Tucker

New York—Here's a quick check-up on Alec Templeton whose photograph records you are familiar with and who was born blind in Cardiff, South Wales, just 29 years ago.

Showed exceptional musical ability at two years of age... composed his first real composition... a slow movement consisting of 16 bars, when he was four. Studied music at home between ages of five and nine. Attended Worcester college, England, until 17 years old, studying under Sir Ivor Atkins, organist of Worcester Cathedral.

During that time, won British Broadcasting Company prize for composition. Then tutored by Sir Walford Davies, master of King's music and organist of King's private chapel at Windsor Castle.

Graduated from Royal Academy of Music... later won scholarship for piano and composition at same institution and obtained degree. Associate of Royal College of Music. Came to this country in 1935 with Jack Hilton's band, appearing on radio and in theaters.

Amazed American music lovers with ability to blend at random three divergent songs as varied as scope as "Flat Foot Boogie," "The Pilgrim's Chorus," and "The Toreador's Song" from Carmen.

Remained in this country after Hilton returned to England, making appearances on radio. Key artist in Crosby radio programs. A recent concert started in own radio.

Templeton stands 5 feet 2 inches tall, weighs 135, dark brown hair, long slim tapering nose, sensitive looking hands... Versatility extends from swing to symphony... Is the composer of "Bach Goes to Town," a jazz classic which Benny Goodman recorded. Relies on friends and companion, Stanley North, who has been with him for several years for service while recording and broadcasting.

Templeton's main pleasures are beer, Yorkshire pudding, walking, riding, swimming, four hours daily piano practice... Collects mouth organs, records and radios as a hobby... His apartment is overrun with them... has passed all tests for American citizenship, only awaits his papers... Additional compositions include "Mendelssohn Mows 'Em Down," "Mozart Matriculates," which he calls swip-phonies, "Man With New Radio," and Phonograph Record, Player Piano and

Nineteen Couples Secure Licenses

Nineteen marriage licenses were issued in the office of Register of Deeds in the past week, six each on Wednesday and Saturday and two on Monday, four on Tuesday and two on Friday.

The 19, 108 white couples and 1,000 colored brought to 390 the number issued so far this year.

White couples: George Conroy Jr. and Mrs. W. M. Park; Wm. W. Williams and Mrs. R. H. Smith; and Mary Ruth Hodge of Greenville; H. C. Tucker and Frances F. M. Lawhorn of Winterville; Jenkins Lee Dail and Ruby E. Heath of Ayden; Norman F. Gossett and Sarah Elizabeth Tripp of Greenville; N. D. Eason of Saratoga and Estelle Reason of Wilson county; Nathan C. Williamson and Fannie Lona Harrell of Fountain; Edward S. McDonald of Roanoke Rapids; and Alvin Charles of Griffiths; Robert Clark Conover Jr. and Mrs. Alice Beaman of Farmville; O. C. Lawrence of Greene county; and Doris Taylor of Ayden.

Colored couples: E. Jesse Davis and Ahn C. Williams of Greenville; Joseph Henry Lane and Mariene Temple of Winterville; Mark Stetson of Greene county and Adell Sturdy of Ayden; Arthur Lynch and Laura M. Boyd of Greenville; Orville Sireter of Greene county and Lattie Cannon of Beaver Dam; Arthur Chapman of Chicod and Robert Thigpen of Ayden; Levi Chapman and Helene Howard of Ayden; McDonald Porter and Bessie Barnes of Beaver Dam; John James and Lula Forbes of Greenville.

"The Star Spangled Banner" did not officially become the American national anthem until 1931.

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DIVERSIFIED FARMING OR POVERTY

Gene Newsome, Durham banker, literally "spoke" a mouthful to Greenville Rotarians and their guests last night when he declared that King Cotton long ago gave up its throne to tobacco and that now tobacco was on the downgrade and a well-rounded farm program was the only financial salvation for Pitt County, North Carolina and the south as a whole.

We believe that Mr. Newsome struck right at the heart of our financial troubles and pointed the way to future financial independence and security for our section if we will but heed the warning and begin to give our attention to something besides the growing of tobacco. Of course industries of various kinds are welcome to this section and efforts are being made to bring in more industries, but in the final analysis our section is an agricultural one and we are dependent upon agriculture for our well being.

The matter is not one that affects the farmers alone. Every citizen and business man of this section should be vitally interested in this matter and give a helping hand in an effort to divert our farming activities from one-crop farming to a diversified program whereby every farmer would be self-supporting and in position to enjoy the comforts and conveniences of life.

For years this paper and others in this section have been preaching the gospel of a more diversified farm program without much success, but the time has now arrived when such a program must be put into effect if our people are to escape financial ruin and poverty. A united effort by all our people to bring about better conditions through a more diversified farm program is, we believe, absolutely essential at this time.

Washington Daybook

WASHINGTON DAYBOOK. MM
Washington.—With the domination of Finland, which seems not likely to take long, Russia has placed herself in a position to become the great sea power she so long has boasted of being.
Finland is the end of Act I of the Russian play of conquest. In that act she has, or will have, ab-

One Is Beloved

BY LOUISE PLATT HAUCK

YESTERDAY. Lovely, twenty-four year old Sue Davenport leads an enjoyable life with her brother, Allen. She is perfectly satisfied with things as they are, but Allen begins to wonder why she doesn't get married.

Chapter Two River Bluff

"IT DOESN'T seem to me—well, normal, Sue, for you to be so indifferent to men at your age," said Allen. "You're as emotionally immature as a child. You ought to be blushing and palpitating, jumping when the doorbell or telephone rings, half out of your wits with joy one day, dissolved in tears the next."

"What on earth have you been reading, Allen? The Development of the Emotions in Females? Between Nineteen and Thirty? Or some such idiocy? Out of my wits with joy one day, dissolving in tears the next! It sounds exactly like a Victorian female." She half closed her eyes until the long black lashes tangled. "Old stuff, Buddy! Girls don't behave like that in these days, I assure you. Not even Barbara—lately at least."

"Doesn't she?" He seemed relieved. "I remember she used to, and I suppose I've been subconsciously expecting you to do the same—like catching the measles, but," he said, "I understand now it's not necessary to have those old diseases any more. Maybe it's the same with sentimental attacks."

"Maybe it is," she agreed, and both fell silent watching the eaping flames on the hearth. But when, two hours later, she laid aside her book and came to tell her brother goodnight, she said a rifle forlornly: "Are you disappointed in me, Allen? Do you think I'm a hard-hearted little teen-appee that's never going to love, you know," she told him seriously. "But—but one can't, can one? By sheer will power, I mean? Just pick out an eligible man and say 'I will now fall in love with his eminently desirable person!' She seated herself on the arm of his chair and laid her head somewhat wearily against his shoulder. He tightened his arm about her protectively.

"No, Sue dear, of course that isn't how it comes. And I've made a fool of myself as usual, getting you all stirred up like this. A danger from those first weeks after Dad died, when you and I were left alone, I suppose I leaned over backward, trying to be a whole family to you. Now forget it, Sue, promise me! It would serve me right if I'd stirred you up so you fell for the first young lipspeak who comes into your life after tonight!"

He looked up and seeing tears in her eyes, pulled out his own big handkerchief and dried them tenderly. "Forget it," he said again. "Forest has nothing on me when it comes to talking rot, it appears."

"Well, but, Allen—but, Allen," she answered unsteadily. "You don't want to marry me off, you don't want to get rid of me right now—do you?"

"Darling goose, I do not! What I really want you to do is to trot off to bed and put this whole silly conversation right out of your mind. You're a grownup woman now, and there's genuine good sorbed the Baltic.

Act II, competent sources inform us, will concern the Balkans.

The first step of a Russian boat across the border spelled the end of Finland as a free state. Even with Russia's lackadaisical transport system, the conquest appeared inevitable. The time required could only depend upon the extent to which Russia wanted to push the conquest.

Painful Coercion Next?
One source, an observer who has spent many years in Russia and the Baltic country, told us he felt certain Russia would not be content with mere technical domination of Finland, as she was in the case of the other Baltic states of Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia.

So bitterly do the Finns and Russians hate each other, he said, that the "cooperation" which Russia will demand cannot be obtained except by a painful process of coercion. He thought the coercion would be bloody.

Within Finland is a prosperous paper industry which it seems certain Russia will insist on operating for her own interests. That is the picture painted there for us.

In The Lap Of The Gods

From a coldly strategic standpoint, Russia needed Finland as part of her defense—or offensive scheme. It leaves no weak spot along the Baltic coast, offers Russia another all-weather seaport on the Atlantic even if it is out through the northern end, and finally, it places the Soviet within snatching distance of Atlantic seaports now belonging to Norway, and of the rich Swedish iron mines in the Arctic. Whether Russia takes this next step in the lap of the gods, but there has been some Scandinavian shivering about it.

Coming Sea Power

With the territory already taken in the Baltic, Russia has placed at her disposal two important new shipyards, as well as enhanced the value of the one at Salina, which she has been building up extensively of late. Riga, in Latvia, has yards which can be expanded into battle-ship capacity, while Libau in Estonia, is a port with shipyards once used by the Russian fleet, and now much used by Baltic mercantile vessels.

Russia has boasted that she will be a sea power second to none within a couple of years. That isn't time enough, but the facilities now are

sense under that curly mop of yours. Remind me of it if I start maundering again!"

Happy Gay Years

SUE, lying wakeful long after she had heard her brother seek his own bed, pondered this surprising talk. She went over it again and again: its first note of warning, the curious persistence Allen had showed; Allen, whose advice was usually given in the fewest possible words!

Was he trying to prepare her for some news of his own, or was he really worried about her wholeness of heart?

She thought back on the last five years. They had been happy years, gay years, with Maggie to look after the housekeeping and nothing for Sue to do but entertain her brother's friends, sitting with demure dignity opposite him at table, shop with Barbara in the mornings, drive her own small car about as she would, run down to Kansas City every week or so for a play or a party, keep up her French with old Madame Loiselle, her music with Scarletti—it had all been fun, fun! Surely it was not going to end now?

"Why should it, idiot?" she inquired of herself as the clock in the living room struck twelve. "What on earth am you getting yourself so worked up about? Allen has these attacks of conscience every so often, just as he said. There was that time he decided I was too thin, and made me drink raw eggs and cream twice a day—ugh! And there was the evening he caught Forest teaching me to smoke, and simply raised old Ned about it! This tonight means nothing—absolutely nothing!"

Nevertheless she tossed for another hour before she finally fell asleep, her hand tucked under her cheek as usual, but a faint frown knitting her black brows even in slumber.

The next afternoon she went to the river bluff again, this time driving her car right up to the great stones which protected the edge against the thousand foot drop.

The spot had always been a favorite one with her. Her father had brought her here when she was a child, pointing out the changes the sullen river had made, showing her the flat country on the other side where once the Indians had roved undisputed.

She remembered one glorious day when a tall, gentle voiced newspaper man from Denver had pointed out the exact spot from which the Pony Express rider had boarded the ferry boat on the first lap of his picturesque journey.

"Why do you always want to come up here?" Barbara demanded now and then. "It's always the same old view."

But it was never the same view. Sue told herself, never were river and sandbars and low lying hills below quite the same. Born in one of the most picturesque interesting of all Middle West towns, she had been steeped in its history and traditions. From where she stood she could see the spot on which candy kettles had boiled for more than a century. She liked to think of the young Frenchman brought especially from St. Louis to cater to the bold fur-trader's sweet tooth; of the unpretentious log cabin in which "molasses stew" was made for the '49 emigrants, enduring the long winter in camps about the village, "waiting for grass." It thrilled her even yet to remember that spe-

cially made "sticks" of winter-green, clove, mint, a dozen flavorings brought all the way by train from Boston itself, had been pressed by mothers and sweet-hearts into the hard young hands of the boyish Express riders to lighten their dangerous journey.

Violent Crash

THE trees had been cleared from this high point and a level parking place made for motorists who like herself loved the superb view. It was deserted this late October afternoon. Sue sat in her car, her lip caught beneath her teeth, still puzzling over Allen's inexplicable words of the evening before.

"Hi!"
Something crashed violently into her car from behind, sending it forward until its wheels were stopped by the great rocks; bumping her head smartly against the wheel and driving her teeth through the scarlet satin of her lip. As always when she was frightened, rage seized her.

"Have you no sense at all?" she cried. She was out of the car in a flash and standing before a roadster in which a very white young man sat limply. "With practically an entire block of vacant ground, must you choose the identical spot where one lonely car is parked? Or were you trying to commit suicide and I got in your way?"

To her mounting fury he made no answer; merely essayed a sickly smile at her and slumped a little further down on the sloping seat of the smart car.

"I believe you're drunk!" she said with icy contempt.
He sighed like some one emerging from ether.

"No—I'm not. I damn well wish I was though," he assured her earnestly. "I thought—" he gulped and wet his dry lips with his tongue—"By George, I thought for one awful second that I'd pushed you right over rocks and everything!" He fumbled for his handkerchief, dabbed at his suddenly wet forehead. "I don't dare get out just yet; I'd my knees would give way under me."

She was not in the least appeased by his obvious fright. Her eyes were enormous in her small pale face, and smoldered underneath their inky brows.

"I'm waiting for you to explain!"
"Brakes. Nothing held. I grabbed the emergency but—" "And do you usually drive on high hills without any brakes?" The color was beginning to creep back into his face, and he sat a little straighter.

"Look here! Let me explain, now, you? I haven't touched this car for a month. Lent it to a friend who was touring the Ozarks. I picked it up about fifteen minutes ago—downtown somewhere—and drove it up here to have a look at the river. Uphill all the way, so I didn't consider the brakes were all shot to pieces until I tried to stop along-side of you and . . . didn't. It's the truth," he insisted, seeing her sternness had not abated under this explanation.

"You ought to have looked before you started up here!" she stormed. "You ought not be allowed to drive! You ought to have your license taken away from you! If you'd hit me just a little harder—or at just the right angle—I'd be down there this minute, struggling in the river. That is, if I were alive at all," she added.

Continued tomorrow

available. Moreover, she has a well-ordered shipyard at Sebastopol (remember The Charge of the Light Brigade) on the Black Sea.

The involvement of England, France and Germany in war has left Russia almost fancy free to carry out the conquests to which she has aspired for generations. Absorption of the Baltic countries was largely a requisite of territories she had before the World War. Now, our sources predict, Bessarabia, which Rumania got from Russia after the World War, will be the Soviet's next conquest. It will be the beginning of Act II of the Russian drama of conquest.

Only Germany appears in a position to stop Russia now, and she is busy. All of England's hard won central Asian possessions and protectorates lie open to the Russians. Between Russian and these central Asian conquests, stands Turkey, aided within limits by Britain, and Italy in so far as she can organize the Balkan countries.

One strategist predicted that the next Russian conquest after Bessarabia, would be Constantinople—the key-stone to almost half the world.

SHORT SHOTS

Reflector Bureau

By HENRY AVERILL
Raleigh, Dec. 5.—They're still chucking around here over the telegram Commissioner of Revenue A. J. Maxwell sent to the Charlotte News Monday after that paper wired him to "please wire if you will be a candidate for Governor."

Replied the commissioner: "Yes, sir, wire. After the holidays, please. Am not running against Santa Claus. Early in New Year expect to present to the people of the state my conception of a balanced program of progress for the next four years."

The revenue head did not say so, but he no doubt considers having A. J. Maxwell as governor one of the essential features of a "balanced program of progress."

No wonder candidates get over-optimistic about their chances for election Monday this correspondent stood near the entrance of the Sir Walter hotel lobby conversing with

Lieutenant Governor Wilkins P. Horton, whose announcement for the governorship had just that morning appeared in print.

Within the space of five minutes not less than a dozen men came up, shook hands cordially with the Pittsboro candidate and either flatly promised to support him or left that plain inference from their demeanor of words.

Not a one who approached indicated by so much as a sneaking look that he is not completely and whole-heartedly for Horton.

So how can he, or any other candidate, get anything other than a distorted view of the situation.

Will A. Graham, 1939 State Senator from Lincoln county and for many years a political war horse, was in town Monday looking twenty years younger than when he stepped out as Commissioner of Agriculture in January, 1937.

As full of pep as any youngster, Major Graham, feelingly intimated he is sorry that he has already said he wouldn't run for anything next year. He told how his doctors had given him "about three months to live"—which decided him that he had best keep out of the active area of hostilities.

"I fooled those doctors, but as I've already said I will not run. I guess all that's left for me to do is pick me out a candidate for governor and have some fun supporting him," he joked.

In that spirit he wasn't a bit hard to talk to, but when this correspondent attempted to wheedle him into telling who that candidate is going to be, the canny Lincolnian was communicative as a deaf-mute in a dark cell.

As is always the case, the Horton announcement of Monday morning set political heads here to some really deep and serious thinking, but so far it has set no tongues to wagging.

On all sides it's still a case of wait and see and virtually no politician of any statewide standing has yet taken a stand as to his choice.

As related in the very first item in this column, Commissioner of Revenue A. J. Maxwell has eliminated any chance of an announcement from him until after the holidays; but with the general run of other announced candidates, it's now a case of put up or shut up—and that right soon.

Last Call

IS YOUR SUBSCRIPTION PAID?

When the tobacco markets took a holiday early this fall so many of our subscribers requested us to carry their subscriptions for them until later in the fall that we decided not to drop any expired readers from our list until the tobacco crop was sold and all had an opportunity to pay up their subscriptions.

The time has now arrived when we find it necessary to get our lists cleared of all expired subscriptions, but before doing this we want to give all our readers an opportunity to pay up. In order to get them to do this quickly we are offering a special inducement.

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STATE SOCIETY PLANS SESSION

Literary Notables are The Principal Speakers

Reflector Bureau. By HENRY AVERILL. Raleigh, Dec. 5.—Full details of next week's meeting of the State Literary and Historical Society and its four cooperating groups have been announced by Dr. C. C. Crittenden, secretary.

Addresses by John Temple Graves II, of the editorial staff of the Birmingham Age-Herald; Mrs. Bernice Kelly, author of the novel Purslane; Dr. Albert Ray Newsome of Chapel Hill, association president; Dr. David A. Lockmiller of State college, Raleigh; Mrs. Hope Summerell Chamberlain of Chapel Hill; and Dr. Archibald Henderson of the University of North Carolina will feature the society's sessions, which will be held at the Carolina hotel and in the Hugh Morson high school auditorium on Thursday and Friday, December 7 and 8.

The four societies which will hold sessions contemporaneously with the Literary and Historical group are the North Carolina Folk Lore Society, State Art Society, Archaeological Society of North Carolina and the North Carolina Society for the Preservation of Antiquities.

The program for the Literary and Historical Association is:

Thursday 8:30 p. m. in the ballroom of the Carolina hotel. Address by Mrs. Kelly; presidential address, "North Carolina's Ratification of the Federal Constitution." Reception to members and guests of the association.

Friday, 10:30 a. m. Carolina Hotel. "Fifty Years of State College." Dr. Lockmiller; "My First Chapel Hill Commencement." Mrs. Chamberlain. Review of North Carolina books and authors of the year. Dr. Henderson. Business meeting.

Friday, 8:30 p. m. Presentation of the Mayflower cup. Wallace E. Caldwell, Chapel Hill. "The Eternal South." Mr. Graves.



Walter (Bud) Lyons (above), fullback on the Colorado State College football team, was shot and seriously wounded in the apartment of his girl friend, Lois Jeanne Vannorsdel, at Fort Collins. Authorities said Lyons and the college co-ed had been sweethearts but had reached "a parting of the ways."

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by Henry Morris to F. C. Harding, Trustee, duly of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book 1-13, at page 165, default having been made in the payment of the debt thereby secured and the owner of the note having called upon said trustee to foreclose said trust, the said trustee will on Saturday, the



The right hand of Albert Snyder (above), 24, of near Charleston, West Va., offended him—so he cut it off. Snyder declared he had been careless in the use of a Sunday school paper. He's shown displaying the bandaged stump of the hand which he said "the Lord told me to cut off."

9th day of December, 1939 at 12 o'clock M. before the courthouse door in Greenville, N. C., offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, to-wit:

All that certain tract of land in Pitt County, North Carolina, near the Town of Grimesland, and being Tract No. Six (6) containing 38 acres formerly owned by C. Nobles and known as the Osborne Nobles Farm as surveyed and platted by F. C. Sluss, a plat of which is recorded in Map Book 2, at page 48 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, to which said plat reference is hereby made for a more perfect description.

This, the 8th day of Nov., 1939. F. C. HARDING, Trustee. L. E. SMITH, Owner of Debt. R. B. Lee, Atty. Nov. 11-1w-4wk.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND
Pursuant to an order unanimously passed September 4, 1939, the Board of Education of Pitt County will offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Greenville at

12:00 (Twelve) Noon on January 6, 1940 one school lot situated in Pactolus Township in the Town of Pactolus, said property being located near the Pactolus Negro School and described as follows:

Beginning at Ben Baker's corner; thence west 50 ft. to the corner of Odd Fellows' Lodge; thence North 142 ft. to Dave Moore's corner; thence East 85 ft. to Remi Fleming's corner; thence South 156 ft. to Ben Baker's corner, the Beginning, and containing one-fourth acre more or less.

A deposit of ten per cent of the highest bid will be required and the sale will remain open for ten days for the receipt of better bids.

W. H. WOOLARD, Chairman. Pitt County Board of Education. D. H. CONLEY, Secretary. Pitt County Board of Education. Dec. 1-1w-4wk.

pointed in said proceeding filed their report on the 13th day of November, 1939, in this office.

And the said parties, petitioner and defendants will take notice that this Court will on Saturday, December 9, 1939 at ten o'clock A. M. in the Courthouse in Greenville, hear parties desiring to be heard on this report.

J. F. HARRINGTON, Clerk Superior Court. Nov. 18-25.

What It Means

By MORGAN M. BEATTY
AP Feature Service Writer

Washington — The national income of the American people will top the 68-billion-dollar mark this year. That's about four billions ahead of the net income for 1938.

The unemployed at the end of the year will number about 3,000,000 — or less than they've been since the stock market crash of 1929.

That income is far short of the 90-million-dollar economic millennium desired by President Roosevelt. And the unemployed are still four times as numerous as they were in 1929.

But there has been a sharp upturn — better than most economists dared to expect before the European war came along.

Just 'Bad Memory'
Why the sharp improvement? Did the war do it?

You'd be a lot closer to the truth if you charged it up to a bad memory. That's the conclusion of a large group of government economists.

The European war could not be the direct cause of our economic improvement, because our trade with Europe has shown little increase since the war began. European countries were doing a lot more business with us last year about this time.

Our 1939 prosperity — or what passes for it — can be attributed to our own fall buying spree that began with the war, and is not ended yet.

Nearly everybody had a vague notion that the war produced inflation and high prices. You call that war psychology. Everybody thought he'd buy at low prices, and sell dear later on. Prices did go up for a short while, but then they went down again. For there was no actual shortage of anything. Yet people are buying at present prices for months in advance. Apparently they are counting on something to shove our economy into high gear within a year or so.

Maybe they're right. Anyway, steel mills are running at 90 per cent of capacity, and business generally is humming along at around the level of 1929.

1914 A Poor Example
But the memory of the World War years has not served us right. For there was no immediate upturn in 1914. In fact, there was a downturn for several months, and it was almost a year before the war spurred the nation into an upward economic spiral. What's more, inflation was a primary factor in the advance.

So that leaves us with no definite reason for our present sharp upturn, and no reliable index for the immediate future.

As a result, some conservative economists predict a sudden awakening in the spring when the shelves of merchants and manufacturers are stocked high with goods for which there will be no immediately optimistic buying market.

Others take a different view. They say that war found our economy on a slight upturn, and simply boosted it along. Besides, people are buying real goods today, not stocks, as they were in 1929. And real production puts real wages into circulation. Maybe consumer purchasing will stimulate the whole economy of the nation into a buying mood, and kick us into better times.

Things To Observe
Anyway, watch these things:

1. American exports. If the warring nations begin buying heavily in this country, there'll be no spring setback.
2. New plants and equipment in your city. If business men continue to bet on better times, people are buying in earnest.
3. The farmer's cash income. It reflects buying by city employes of manufacturing companies, which means that those employes have confidence. And prosperity is confidence — in any man's language.

The mounting number of farmers using purebred breeding stock indicates the interest being shown in an improved swine program, says H. W. Taylor, State college swine specialist.

Hollywood Sights And Sounds

By Rabbin Coon

Hollywood — The man who directed the movie of "Gone With the Wind" almost didn't read that 1037-page novel.

Victor Fleming, who was called to the job when George Cukor left it for another picture, knew the book before he had any idea he would film it. Fleming likes long books. He had heard enough about this one to force him to it. He had opened it in the middle, read on from there. Then he had gone back, opening it at another page, and picked up the thread. Skipping around, he covered it all.

Then David O. Selznick, the producer, called him and dumped "Wind" into his lap. "Look here," said Victor Fleming, "first thing I'd better do is go home and read the book — all the way through."

Selznick had another idea. "Why don't you be the man who hasn't read it?"

But Fleming isn't a neck-ticker. He went straight home and read "Gone" from cover to cover, began studying it, marking passages.

The other day Fleming, busy already with "The Yearling," a script which he was awaiting him for two years while he did other chores, was called back for a final "added scene" on "Gone." That marked the end of a movie on which he began shooting last February.

"We've shot the book," he says. "Almost page for page. Anybody who has read the book will find it in the movie. I can't recall how many times we went to the book to settle minor details. If Scarlett O'Hara wore a black dress with a white collar on Page 50-And-So of the book she wears it in that sequence of the film. Sometimes it was a matter of concentrating seven or eight pages of the book into a single significant passage of dialogue — perhaps no more than a quick montage sequence, but it's all there."

Fleming, tall, silver-haired, fiftyish, is a rugged veteran of the films and one of the most versatile of directors. He started as a cameraman when Santa Barbara was a movie center, back in 1910. Periodically, he has decided to retire from pictures. Just as frequently as Honolulu or Alaska or round-the-world, Fleming calls him away. He returns. "The only way to quit pictures," he says now, "is just to walk out of the studio gate."

Quiet-spoken, unhurried, Fleming knows what he wants from his players and he gets it from them. He throws himself into a picture, never lets it off his mind when he's working on it, finds his relaxation afterward in duck or game hunting. Once during "Gone" he had to give in to a hitery stomach. (Sam Wood took over) and spend a week in bed, taking sedatives. You might get jittery, too, thinking of the overhead involved in a movie that cost approximately \$4,000,000, thinking all the while that the completed product would face an audience of millions of individual critics.

After "Gone" the time for a long rest had arrived, but there was "The Yearling." Fleming likes the story. He thinks it will make a good picture. And he's already neck-deep in its affairs. Castine, for one, since Mickey Rooney has out-grown his original assignment in the book.

So it looks as if Victor Fleming won't be "just walking out" for a while yet.

Approximately 115,000 North Carolina growers are expected to cast their ballots in the cotton referendum December 9, says E. Y. Flood, AAA executive officer at State college.

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That certain lot with the buildings thereon situated in the Town of Winterville, N. C., and bounded as follows: On the south by Cooper street, on the east by W. J. Wyatt, on the north by the Cooper lot, on the west by the Cooper lot, and being the same lot conveyed by the Bank of Winterville, mortgagee to Susie K. Rollins, by deed recorded in Book F-21, page 502, and the same conveyed to the Bank of Winterville by J. L. Rollins and wife Susie K. Rollins by deed recorded in Book C-20, page 261, in the Register of Deeds office of Pitt county, North Carolina.

This the 1st day of December, 1939.

W. E. HOOKER, Trustee. Dink James, Atty. Dec. 2-1 wk-4 wks.

NOTICE
North Carolina—Pitt County. In the Superior Court Before the Clerk Special Proceeding No. 3712 Mrs. Ann M. Brown, Julius Brown, Hulda Seymour, et als —vs— J. L. Gurganus, M. O. Blount, Anna McWhorter, et als.

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Richmond Livestock

(Courtesy J. N. and J. L. Williams) Richmond, Dec. 5 - Hogs, receipts moderate; market unchanged from Friday, quoting good and choice 180-220 lbs. \$5.45 to \$5.70 the top, 120-140 \$4.40-\$4.90, 140-160 \$4.90 to \$5.20, 160-180 \$5.20-\$5.45, 225-250 \$5.40-\$5.55, 250-300 \$4.95-\$5.45, over 300 lbs. \$4.65-\$5.20. Sows under 350 lbs. \$4.20-\$4.70, over 350 lbs. \$3.70-\$4.20. Cattle - receipts light, market about steady. Steers - strictly good fat butcher steers \$8.25-\$8.75, butcher steers \$7.25-\$8.00, common \$6.25-\$6.75. Heifers - average run nearby medium heifers \$5.50-\$6.50, good beef bred heifers \$7.50-\$8.00, poor quality as to value. Cows - strictly good fat butcher cows \$5.50-\$6.00, mediums around \$4.50-\$5.00, common and canners \$3.50-\$4.25. Bulls - good fat butcher bulls \$6.00-\$6.50, lights around \$5.50-\$6.00, medium bulls \$5.00-\$5.50. Vealers - good vealers \$10.50 to \$11.00 top, culls as to value.

Chicago Grain Market

(Courtesy Vernon Parrish)

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Dec.	94 1/2	95 1/8	93 1/2
Jan.	90 1/2	92 1/8	89 1/2
Feb.	88 1/2	90 1/8	87 1/2
Mar.	86 1/2	88 1/8	85 1/2
Apr.	84 1/2	86 1/8	83 1/2
May	82 1/2	84 1/8	81 1/2
June	80 1/2	82 1/8	79 1/2
July	78 1/2	80 1/8	77 1/2
Aug.	76 1/2	78 1/8	75 1/2
Sept.	74 1/2	76 1/8	73 1/2
Oct.	72 1/2	74 1/8	71 1/2
Nov.	70 1/2	72 1/8	69 1/2
Dec.	68 1/2	70 1/8	67 1/2
Jan.	66 1/2	68 1/8	65 1/2
Feb.	64 1/2	66 1/8	63 1/2
Mar.	62 1/2	64 1/8	61 1/2
Apr.	60 1/2	62 1/8	59 1/2
May	58 1/2	60 1/8	57 1/2

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, Dec. 5 - (AP) - Stocks took a mild turn for the better in today's market, and selected issues retrieved fractions to a point or so of recent losses.

Early dealings, while double those of the preceding session, were still far from fast and there was a subsequent slowing of the pace. Gains were under the best near the fourth hour.

There was nothing outstanding in the news to account for the day's improvement and analysis inclined to attribute it partly to reinstatement of some speculative commitments on the theory the market was "sold out."

Daily Cross Word Puzzle

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

1. Public vehicles	13. Sailors' colloq.
2. Shop	14. Conjunction
3. Mail	15. Acquire by
4. Butter sub-	16. Festival
5. titute	17. Animals
6. Jury list	18. After song
7. Reason	19. Male sheep
8. Golf term	20. First magni-
9. Hero of Ver-	21. star in Virgo
10. er's great	22. Oral
11. epic	23. Fresh
12. Ancient Jewish	24. Feminine name
13. asetic	25. Merchandise
14. Those who owe	26. Obliterate
15. money	27. Omits in pro-
16. Serpents	28. nouncing
17. Insect, Scotch	29. Believes
18. box	30. Festival
19. Swiss river	31. Dutch city
20. Ourselves	32. Land measure
21. Velocette	33. Fur-bearing
22. Potentia	34. animals
23. Milklike fish	35. No of a bird
24. Anger	36. Prepares for
25. Went ahead	37. publication
26. Insect	38. Mastate
27. Southern con-	39. Sin
28. stellation	40. Gaelic
29. 65. Male deer	41. Stave
30. 66. Throw circling	42. 60. Gaelic
31. the post at	43. 61. imitate
32. quotes	44. 62. Part of a
33. The herb eve	45. 63. kitchen stove
34. Great Lake	46. 64. Bombastic talk
35. Guide the	47. 65. Meshed fabric
36. course of	48. 66. English letter
37. 22. Noxious plant	49. 70. White
38. 74. Park in the	
39. Rockies	
40. 75. Caused to go	
41. 12. Crystal gazer	

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New York Cotton

New York, Dec. 5. (AP) - Cotton futures opened unchanged to one lower.

Around the end of the first hour prices held steady, two higher to two lower.

Prices rose to net gains of two to seven points and were well sustained at that level around midday.

	Open	Close	Pr. Cl.
Dec.	10 1/2	10 1/4	10 1/2
Jan.	10 08	10 07	10 08
Mar.	9 86	9 86	9 87
May	9 55	9 55	9 56
July	9 22	9 25	9 23
Oct.	8 81	8 78	8 82

ANNOUNCEMENT BY HORTON

PETS OFFICIALS ON SPOT

(Continued from page one)

Horton conferred with the governor for nearly two hours. Not a word of their conversation has leaked, but it goes without need of proving that they went over the political situation carefully. Whether or not Hoy promised Horton anything remains to be seen. According to widely circulated reports, the governor has never attempted to dissuade Horton from making the race, and there are those who say flatly that Hoy led the lieutenant governor to believe, either by direct statement or by reasonable implication, that his candidacy would be regarded with bland and benign gubernatorial eyes, if not with actual favor and active support.

N. Y. STOCK LIST

A. C. L.	24
Anaconda	36
American Radiator	9
Bethlehem Steel	79
Chrysler	85
C. I. T.	53
Coca Cola	119
Commercial Credit	45
Consolidated Oil	13
Continental Can	7
Electric Bond and Share	41
General Motors	52
Gillette	67
International Telephone	4
Lorillard	23
Nash Kelvinox	6
National Dairy	16
Otis Steel	11
Packard	3
Paramount Pictures	3
Pullman	32
Pure Oil	8
Radio	5
Reynolds	39
Simmons	23
Southern Railway	19
Standard Brands	5
Sperry Corporation	43
Texas Corporation	44
Texas Gulf Sulphur	43
United Aircraft	43
United Corporation	43
United Drug	4
U. S. Steel	66
Warner Pictures	3
Western Union	25
Douglas Aircraft	74

SURPLUS CROP BEING STUDIED

Three Methods Advanced to Reduce Excess Cotton

Washington, Dec. 4. (AP) - The Agricultural Adjustment Administration outlined today three ways of improving the problem created by the nation's cotton surplus:

- 1-Increased exports; 2-increased consumption in this country; and 3-adjust production and the marketing of American cotton so as to bring the supply more nearly in line with demand.

"Progress is being made along all three lines of action," said the AAA in a memorandum urging growers to approve marketing quotas on the 1940 crop at a referendum to be conducted in the 19 southern and far western cotton producing states next Saturday.

"A determined effort is being made on a long-time basis to restore foreign cotton trade through the diplomatic trade agreement program which recognizes the basic fact that a nation must buy if it expects to sell."

"In addition to the trade agreement program, an extensive export program was inaugurated July 27, 1939, in an effort to increase our exports and regain and hold our fair share of the world markets."

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REVISED RATES ARE REVEALED

Payments For Soil Building Practices Amended

Raleigh, Dec. 5. - Revised rates of payment for soil-building practices in 1940 under the Agricultural Conservation program were announced here today by E. Y. Floyd, AAA executive officer of State college.

The change in the amount of credit farmers can earn by carrying out soil-building practices is one of the most important revisions in the 1940 program, he said.

"As a means of obtaining more conservation, the rate of credit has been reduced for several soil-building practices which are normally carried out on a large proportion of the farms," Floyd stated. "By reducing the rate of credit for these practices, increased emphasis is given to soil-building practices which are not normally carried out on a large number of farms."

The 1940 rates are as follows: For seeding lespedeza, one-half unit, or 75 cents, per acre, the same as in 1939; for seeding alfalfa, one unit, or \$1.50 per acre; for seeding winter legumes, such as vetch, Austrian winter peas, and crimson clover, one unit, or \$1.50 per acre, the same as last year; for seeding timothy and/or redbud, one-fourth unit, or 37 1/2 cents per acre; for seeding other legumes and grasses, one-half unit, or 75 cents per acre; for turning under green manure and cover crops, such as rye, vetch, and winter peas, one unit, or \$1.50 per acre, the same as in 1939; and for turning under inter-planted summer

Christmas - Seal Story.

The following human interest story was released today in connection with the current Christmas Turkeys seal sale campaign:

"Mary" has never been away from me a night in her life and I dread it so I know that she has to go and that it is better for her - but, when I think of those long nights, it's hard to send her away. I know she will wake up in the night and cry for me."

It was a mother talking to a visiting nurse. Cecelia was the wife of a man who for three years had fought tuberculosis as only a brave man will fight. And Cecelia, too, had learned how to fight.

"So they packed little Mary's few belongings to send her away to a sanatorium. She was so little - nine years old and weighing only 100 pounds. But her eyes were big with understanding, and so were Cecelia's."

The nurse took Mary away. That was in November. And the nights were long. Sometimes Mary did lie awake and think of home. But in the day time, there was tender and beneficial care for Mary. And for Cecelia there came from time to time letters and postcards written by the nurse. One told of the Christmas tree in the children's ward and Mary got a doll. And gradually the reports became more cheering. Mary was improving. Up and up went the figures in the weight column and Mary was taking on a new vitality.

Then June came around - and Mary came home pink-cheeked and well on the road to recovery. And Cecelia knew the joys of a victory. She, too, had made the brave fight, just as her husband had done, and

They'll Lead Firmness To Finland's 'No'

Apparently intending to reject Russia's demands that Finnish troops be withdrawn from the Russo-Finnish border north of Leningrad, Finland has equipped and men like these, shown along the frontier recently, to back up her stand. She could maintain an army of 600,000 men - about half of them trained and fairly well equipped. Upper left: Some of Finland's troops. Upper right: A machine gunner on a camouflaged tank. Lower left: A grim field piece. Lower right: A gunner peers through a range finder. Russia charges Finnish artillery fire-killed four Russian soldiers and wounded nine November 26.

B. W. KILGORE IS RECOGNIZED

Tar Heel Honored by National Farm Organization

Raleigh, Dec. 5. - Dr. B. W. Kilgore, chief of the North Carolina Department of Agriculture's chemistry division, was today honored by the American Farm Bureau Federation for "distinguished service to agriculture," according to notification received from the Federation's annual convention now in session in Chicago.

He is the first agricultural leader from North Carolina ever to be honored by the organization. He joins such distinguished company as President Roosevelt, Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace, U. S. Senator George W. Norris of Nebraska, and Dr. Tait Butler of Memphis who in previous years have received similar recognition.


It was, however, the second distinguished honor bestowed upon Dr. Kilgore within a year. Last February he was presented "a token of appreciation for many years of faithful and distinguished service in Southern agriculture" by the Association of Southern Agricultural Workers.

Edward A. O'Neal, president of the Farm Bureau, in notifying Dr. Kilgore of the honor done him said "This award is conferred annually upon those who have rendered outstanding service to agriculture."

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