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ITALIAN BASE OF CHIMARA CAPTURED BY GREEKS

BRITISH CLAIM MORE ITALIANS ARE CAPTURED

Raise Total Taken In African War To 35,949

FORCES BATTER BARDIA DEFENSE

Cairo, Egypt, Dec. 23.—(AP)—The British raised their total of Italian captives again today, announcing that 35,949 prisoners, including 1,704 officers, have been moved up to the rear from the Sidi Barrani area in North Africa and "several thousand more" are still awaiting transfer.

Crossing paths with the Italians moving behind the British lines in the Western front, steady streams of British reinforcements were moving up to the siege line around Bardia, massing for an assault.

Ten Defendants In City Court Today

Ten defendants faced trial in Municipal recorder's court this morning, five on charges of drunkenness.

Those charged with drunkenness and the sentences were Willie A. Hardy, colored, 30 days on streets suspended on payment of costs; Frances Rumley, 30 days in jail; Weston Harris and Ernest Bradley, colored, 30 days on streets, suspended on payment of costs.

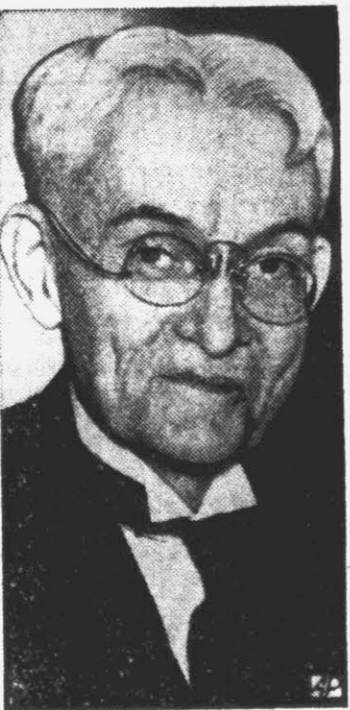
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SHOPPING DAY TILL CHRISTMAS



Seasoned



Count among the old timers in government offices, Daniel D. Caldwell (above) of the attorney general's office. He's rounding out 47 years with the department of justice, began as a typist in 1894, now handles legislative work.

GIVES PREVIEW FOR ASSEMBLY

Sales Tax Change And Pension Two Major Items

By W. JOYNES MacFARLAN Raleigh, Dec. 23.—(AP)—Unless the unforeseen happens, you can rest assured that North Carolina's sales tax exemptions will be broadened and a retirement system provided for all state employees including teachers, when the legislature meets next month.

NO HOPES FOR HOLIDAY SNOW

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WYOMING AUTOISTS IN PERIL OF BLIZZARDS

Green River, Wyo.—(AP)—Distances between towns and ranch houses are so great in Sweetwater county that shelter cabins have been constructed in which motorists may take refuge in case of blizzards.

Aerial Blows Exchanged By Britain And Germany

NAZIS ATTACK MIDLAND AREA

Industrial City Of Manchester Suffers Heaviest Blow As German Raiders Carry Out Raids On Several British Centers

Berlin, Dec. 23.—(AP)—German raiders started "gigantic conflagrations" in factories and storehouses at Manchester in the industrial heart of England last night and attacked additional military targets in London, Bristol, Liverpool, Southampton, Portsmouth and other English cities, the high command announced today.

The attacks followed a daylight assault yesterday of Fort William in northern Scotland by a lone Nazi dive bomber which was declared to have started explosions in a big aluminum plant.

Little Prospects For White Christmas Anywhere

The weather bureau put the damper today on prospects for a white Christmas for most of the nation.

28 Pitt Boys To Go To CCC Camps Jan. 6

K. T. Futrell, Pitt county welfare officer in charge of filling Civilian Conservation Corps quotas from the county, revealed today that 28 boys—25 white and three colored—had been accepted and would leave on January 6 for Washington, N. C. for enrollment in the camps.

Turtle-Burgers! Hot Off The Grill

Key West, Fla.—(AP)—Turtle-burgers are old stuff to natives of Key West, where meat has to come almost 175 miles by truck from Miami.

When Freight Trains Meet



This unusual picture was the result of the collision between a 56-car freight train from Philadelphia and a 58-car freight from Baltimore, meeting at Linden, N. J.—on the same track.

Everything Ready For Community Sing Here

Large Crowd Expected To Gather At Court House

Everything was in readiness today for the Community Christmas Carol sing to be conducted on the south lawn of the courthouse tonight beginning at 8 o'clock.

SWISS PROTEST PLEA IS MADE

RAF BOMBINGS BY CHURCHILL

Planes Raiding Country Identified As British

Bern, Switzerland, Dec. 23.—(AP)—The Swiss minister to London was instructed today to make a "most energetic protest" against Royal Air Force flights over neutral Switzerland after bombs dropped last night near Zurich, injured 11 persons.

War Between Britain And Italy Plea And Threat Directed At People Of Italy

London, Dec. 23.—(AP)—Prime Minister Churchill broadcast an appeal to the Italian people tonight to rid themselves of Premier Mussolini and threaten to rip their African empire to shreds and tatters if they continue the war.

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MANNHEIM HIT BY RAF BOMBS

German Industrial Center And Nearby Suburb Bear Brunt Of Royal Air Force Assault; Invasion Ports Also Assaulted By RAF

London, Dec. 23.—(AP)—RAF planes again blasted the German industrial center of Mannheim and the nearby suburb of Ludwigshafen last night and also attacked the invasion ports of Flushing, Dunkerque and Calais, the Air Ministry announced today.

It was the second week-end attack on Mannheim, important Rhineland rail junction and manufacturing city which last week was raided heavily on four successive nights.

Last night's attacks capped a series of British raids since Saturday on Germany, Italy and four Nazi conquered countries. The Air Ministry said only one plane was lost in the latest forays.

Industrial targets at Mannheim were the main objectives, of the RAF, the Ministry said, and there were fires and explosions both there and at Ludwigshafen on the opposite bank of the Rhine.

The communique said targets elsewhere in the Rhineland and airfields in German-occupied territory were also bombed.

TAR HEEL LAW IS HELD VOID

Tax On Out-of-State Merchants Is Unconstitutional

Washington, Dec. 23.—(AP)—The Supreme court held unconstitutional today a 1937 North Carolina law imposing a \$250 annual privilege tax on companies other than regular retail merchants in the state which display samples in hotel rooms or rented houses for the purpose of obtaining orders for retail sale.

Justice Reed delivered the unanimous opinion in a test case brought by Best and Company, Inc., of New York City.

Reed said that the court's duty was to determine whether a statute under attack would "in its practical operation work discrimination against interstate commerce."

"This standard condemns the tax at bar," Reed said.

The North Carolina Supreme court upheld the tax and denied recovery of the \$250 paid by the New York concern. Best and Company contended that the assessment, if adopted generally by other states, would amount to an absolute prohibition on the solicitation of interstate sales.

R. H. Nye and L. C. Mayers of Lumberton, N. C. were granted a Supreme court review of their conviction on charges of contempt of court.

The men appealed from the Fourth Federal Circuit court, which upheld the convictions in the Middle North Carolina Federal District court. Nye was fined \$500 and ordered to pay court costs of more than \$500. Mayers was fined \$250.

The contempt charges arose out of alleged efforts of the two men to persuade W. H. Elmore of Conway, S. C. to drop a damage suit for \$30,000 against the B. C. Remedy Company in connection with the death of Elmore's son. The District court found that the men's conduct was "misbehavior so near to the presence of the court as to obstruct the administration of justice."

Against War



Verne Marshall (above), Cedar Rapids, Ia., editor, heads "No Foreign War Committee" newly announced in New York. Committee's aim is to represent Americans opposed to "direct physical involvement in the present war."

EDEN IN POST OF SECRETARY

Succeeds New Ambassador To U. S., Lord Halifax

London, Dec. 23.—(AP)—Anthony Eden took over the Foreign Secretaryship today in a quick change interpreted by some neutral sources as foreshadowing a more aggressive British diplomacy, possibly including improved relations with Soviet Russia.

His predecessor, Lord Halifax, will rest several days in the north of England before leaving for his new post as ambassador to Washington "early in the new year."

In Berlin, official German comment on Eden's appointment was wanting, but authorized sources asserted "it is interesting to note how Churchill managed to rid himself of Halifax."

In Rome, Italian political circles said they looked for "still more intimate collaboration" between the United States and Great Britain with Lord Halifax as the new British ambassador to Washington.

Washington, Dec. 23.—(AP)—Secretary Hull said today that the appointment of Viscount Halifax as British ambassador to the United States was highly welcomed by this government.

C. W. Howard Kills Jack Miner Goose

C. W. Howard, while on a recent hunting trip at Lake Matamoras, killed a goose with a Jack Miner band on its leg. The goose was given to Rev. T. McM. Grant by Mr. Howard.

The band on the bird's leg bore the number AS-40, indicating that it was released from the Miner bird sanctuary in Kingsville, Ontario. Each bird released by the sportsman also bears a verse from the Bible.

The goose bagged by Mr. Howard contained the verse "Be not afraid only believe." Mark 5:16.

Cruise Of Caribbean Is Won By Local Man

J. Bryan Brown, local Pure Oil Company distributor, has been advised that he has won a 15-day cruise on the Caribbean in a contest conducted by the company over a period of the last nine months.

Newest Gain Clears Path Into Valona

Strategically Important Albanian City Between Porto Edda And Valona Falls Into Greek Hands, Along With Capture Of Battalion Of 800 Italian Soldiers And 30 Officers

Athens, Dec. 23.—(AP)—The Greek government announced today the capture of Chimara, a strategically important Italian supply base on the Albanian coast between Valona and Porto Edda.

Announced at the same time was the capture of the 153rd battalion of the Fascist militia, made up of 800 men and 30 officers.

Great quantities of war material were said also to have been taken.

The Italians were reported in disorderly flight toward Valona, pursued by a Greek motorized column. Greek military sources said possession of Chimara opened the way for the counter invaders to advance swiftly toward the Italian-held port over a good coastal highway.

At the same time the RAF command reported a big air battle Saturday over Argirocastro, Greek-held Albanian stronghold. The British fliers shot down at least eight Italian planes and lost only two themselves, although outnumbered more than five to one.

The Italian attack by 50 fighters it said, came after nine RAF fighters had intercepted fighter-escorted Italian bomber formations over the town.

The communique also reported RAF attacks yesterday on oil wells at Kucova in central Albania and said "all bombs fell in the target area" despite Italian aerial and ground defense fire.

Six Are Dead In Week-End Wrecks

Charlotte, Dec. 23.—(AP)—Five persons were known dead and a number injured today as reports came in from highway accidents over the state during the week-end.

Ralph Lewis Hollifield, 20, of Winston-Salem, was killed and three others hurt when an automobile crashed over an embankment.

While walking along the Angier-Lillington highway, J. W. Giles, 52, of near Angier, was struck and killed. Mrs. Nancy Pittman, 50, of Micro died of injuries suffered in an accident at Selma.

Clarence Saunders, nine, was killed at Morganton when a trailer in which he and another child were playing rolled down a hill and pinned him against a house.

Mrs. H. L. Nichols, 56, of Henderson died in a Goldsboro hospital of injuries suffered in an accident near Kinston Saturday night.

W. B. Jones, 60, died last night of injuries suffered in an automobile accident near Kinston Saturday night.

Dies From Poison

Fayetteville, Dec. 23.—(AP)—William Bain Williams, 24, Goldsboro taxi driver, died in a hospital here early today where he was taken after police reported he took poison Tuesday as he reported the theft of a taxi.

The Hopi Indians in Arizona believe heaven is below the earth and not above. They send messages to their underground gods by rattlesnakes, whom they consider their brothers.

Weather Report section with temperature and precipitation data.

Social and Personal

Social Calendar

MONDAY

8:00 p. m.—Mrs. Clay Stroud, Jr. of Ayden and Miss Madeline Woolard will entertain at bridge at the home of Miss Woolard, in honor of Miss Kelly Smith.

THURSDAY

7:30 p. m.—Knights of Pythias meet.

8:00 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hollowell will entertain at dessert bridge complimenting Miss Betsy Hood of Kinston and Robert Proctor of Detroit, Mich., whose marriage takes place on Saturday, December 28.

9:00 p. m.—Rehearsal for the Fennell-Corey wedding.

10:30 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Corey will entertain the Fennell-Corey wedding party and out-of-town guests at a cake-cutting.

FRIDAY

1:00 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. J. Hicks Corey will entertain the Fennell-Corey wedding party and out-of-town guests at luncheon.

6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club will meet.

7:30 p. m.—Red Men will meet.

8:00 p. m.—The marriage of Miss Kara Lynn Corey and Robert W. Fennell will take place in Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church.

8:30 p. m.—Mrs. Sudie Corey will entertain at a reception honoring the Fennell-Corey wedding party.

8:00 p. m.—Rehearsal for the Hines-Smith wedding.

9:30 p. m.—The Hines-Smith wedding party and out-of-town guests will be entertained at a cake-cutting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith.

10:30 p. m.—German Club dance at the Country Club.

10:30 p. m.—Towne Club dance at high school gym.

SATURDAY

5:00 p. m.—The marriage of Miss Kelly Smith and Mr. Lovit Hines will be solemnized in the Eighth Street Christian Church.

Birth Announcement. Mr. and Mrs. William E. Adams announce the birth of a daughter, Judith, on Sunday, December 22, 1940. Mrs. Adams, before her marriage, was Miss Clara Martin of Bethel.

Eastern Star Meets. Greenville Chapter No. 149 Regular of Eastern Star held its regular meeting on Tuesday, December 17. At this time Mrs. Louise Wells, district deputy grand matron of the second district, paid her official visit to her own, the Greenville chapter. Mrs. Wells brought a very interesting Christmas message.

The basket for the family adopted by the chapter was packed. The deputy, Mrs. Wells, and the worthy matron, Mrs. Thelma Joyner, were remembered with gifts. During the social hour a Christmas program was given and Christmas refreshments were served.

Homecoming Game At Grifton. Grifton, Dec. 23.—The annual homecoming basketball game was played on Friday night at the community building, a double-header with Grimesland, with Grifton taking both the girls' and boys' games. The scores being 11 and 20 in the girls' game and 19 and 24 in the boys'.

At the intermission between the games the roll call by classes since the beginning of the local school was called. The class of 1918 with the largest percentage of members present were given season tickets to the basketball games. The teams here are coached by Miss Hilda Blue and Fomie Hodges.

Mrs. Mewborn Entertains. Grifton, Dec. 23.—On Thursday night at her home here, Mrs. Robert Mewborn was a gracious hostess to members of her contract club and additional guests at one of the prettiest parties of the season. The entrance to the home was attractive with a lighted tree. The living room and dining room were decorated with green and silver and burning red candles. On arrival the guests were given their tables and found their places at the individual tables where a delicious two-course supper was served. After supper.

Miss Gladys Gaston of Elizabeth City and Miss Ethel Gaston of Kauspolis will arrive today to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Gaston.

Julian Joyner of Raleigh is here for Christmas.

W. Z. Morton and W. Z. Morton, Jr. have returned from Rogersville, Tenn.

Mrs. J. C. Savage, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Savage and Dot Savage are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Spanghart in Springfield, Ohio.

Harvey Clayton has returned from the Tennessee tobacco markets.

Miss Josie Barnes White is the guest of Miss Nancy Poindexter in Richmond.

Harvey Deal of Nashville, Tenn., who is studying at Peabody College, and Mrs. Rebecca Deal and Miss James Deal of Greenville, S. C., are spending Christmas in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Deal.

In Hospital. Miss Martha Minges is getting along nicely following an operation for appendicitis on Saturday in Pitt General Hospital.

Hostess To Club. Mrs. C. A. Bowen was hostess to her bridge club on Saturday evening at her home on Library street. The high score prize went to Mrs. E. Rawl, the low to Miss Estelle Greene.

The home was beautifully decorated with Christmas greens and red berries. The red and green color refreshments.

MODES of the MOMENT

by Amy Porter



Star sequin evening dress, designed by Jane Derby for holiday parties. Of black lace covered with a delicate pattern traced in bright blue sequins. Worn with two petticoats, one of midnight blue chiffon, one of turquoise taffeta.

Forty Years Ago Today

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Purely Personal

Mrs. W. A. Boxen went to Plymouth today to spend the holidays. L. I. Moore and family went to Whitakers this morning to spend the holidays.

Fred Forbes came home Saturday evening from Trinity College at Durham.

Miss Bertha Patrick returned home Saturday evening from school at Greensboro.

Miss Bessie Patrick is home for the holidays from the Durham Conservatory of Music.

This paper will not appear again until next Monday. We will move the office to our new quarters in the Rialto building opposite the post office and it may take us the rest of the week to get in good running shape.

Wishing everyone a Merry Christmas, be bid you goodbye until we greet you from our new office.

Library News

In Memory of Mr. Flanagan. Last week Dr. Carl L. Adams, Director of Instruction, Psychology and Education, East Carolina Teachers' College, gave a book to the Shepherd Memorial Library in memory of the late Roy C. Flanagan. The book is a biography of Benjamin Nathan Cardozo, by George S. Hillman. The following tribute is written on the flyleaf: "This book is given to the Shepherd Memorial Library and is inscribed to the memory of Roy C. Flanagan. It is so easy and pleasant to remember him. For like the great man whose story is told in these pages, he loved folks. Moreover, he understood the value of friends and friendship. Also, he had a keen appreciation of the beautiful and artistic; a sturdy, practical sense of social values; and an intelligent and balanced perspective of things generally. That is how I remember him. CARL L. ADAMS."

Another East Carolina Teachers' College faculty member has recently given a book to the Parents' Shelf in memory of Miss Agnes Whitesides. An inscription in the book reads as follows: "In memory of Miss Agnes Whitesides, former teacher of children at East Carolina Teachers' College." The book is entitled "As The Twig Is Bent," and is written by a renowned physician, Leslie B. Hohman. It is unusual in its concreteness of advice on problems of day-to-day training. Instead of giving only general suggestions as to methods and attitudes, the author tells exactly what he would do and say in a given situation. Everyone concerned with the training of the young ought to read this book with profit.

The Parent-Teacher Association of Grimesland, through Miss Mary Ruth Elliott, has contributed "Parenthood in a Democracy," by Lightly, to the Parents' Shelf. The book tells of the origin and history of a large urban federation of parents

MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY NEW YEAR

BAKER-DAVIS HARDWARE

Our store will be closed two days for Christmas—Wednesday and Thursday.

NOW! HOT SANDWICHES DAL COX YOUR FAVORITE SANDWICH MADE TO PLEASE YOU

TRAILWAYS WILL SOLVE ALL YOUR CHRISTMAS TRAVEL PROBLEMS



Table with 2 columns: Destination and Fare. Includes Washington, N. C., Kinston, N. C., Goldsboro, N. C., Wilson, N. C., Raleigh, N. C., and Charlotte, N. C.

and gives an interpretation analysis of its objectives and methods in education and organization for family life in a democratic society. A gift of ten books of light fiction and mystery was made recently to the library by Mrs. Boley Farley of the Colonial apartments, Fifth street.

NEWCOMERS AND REMOVALS

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse W. Smith have moved here from Smithfield and have an apartment at 1011 Chestnut street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Gurganus and Rose Gurganus have recently moved from 204 Washington street to 301 Pitt street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shearin plan to move to Greenville from Rocky Mount on January 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Whitaker have moved from 1307 Evans street to 311 Vance street.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Braxton have moved here from Washington, N. C., and have an apartment at 315 West Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Whitaker have moved to 1116 Reade street from 1307 Evans street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Forbes have moved to 213 E. 12th street from the Ayden highway.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hamric have moved into their new home at 221 Harding street from 129 W. Eighth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Taft and E. H. Taft have moved into their newly erected home on East Fifth street extension, from 1212 Dickinson avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. William Taft and Hoover Taft have moved from 1212 Dickinson avenue into their new residence on East Fifth street extension.

Advertisement for Jacquins' Cocktails, featuring a bottle of Manhattan Martini Side Car and a cartoon character. Text includes 'Only 1 SHOPPING DAY till Christmas', 'Tomorrow's Christmas Gift Special', and 'BEDROOM SLIPPERS For Men, Women and Children'.

Advertisement for a merrie christmas and a HAPPY, PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR. Text includes 'We wish to use this means to express our sincere appreciation to each one for their kind patronage during the past and trust we will have the pleasure of serving you during 1941.' and 'PITT HARDWARE CO., INC. Our store will be closed two days for Christmas—Wednesday and Thursday.'

Advertisement for Christmas GREETINGS. Text includes 'MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY, PROSPEROUS 1941' and 'We are sincerely grateful to each and every one for their loyal patronage during the past year, hoping to serve you during the New Year.' and 'J. A. WATSON SEED & HARDWARE Our store will be closed two days for Christmas—Wednesday and Thursday.'

Mr. and Mrs. J. Linwood Whichard have moved from 1106 Evans street to 114 W. Tenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Parish have moved from 127 W. Eighth street to 129 W. Eighth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cannon have moved from 1011 Chestnut street to 1111 Dickinson avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Briley have moved from 614 Pitt street to 217 Colaniche street.

Mr. and Mrs. Blanco L. Ross have moved to Greenville from Route 5 and are living at 103 Long street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Broadwell have moved here from Whiterville, and are living at 200 Washington street.

Advertisement for ROUND and SQUARE DANCE! to be held at the FREEMAN HALL in Washington on WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 25th PRIZES AND SOUVENIRS. The regular Tuesday night dance will not be held.

Advertisement for JACQUINS' Cocktails, featuring a bottle of Manhattan Martini Side Car. Text includes 'TO PROOF \$1.05 PINT' and 'CHARLES JACQUINET CIE INC. PHILADELPHIA, PA. SINCE 1884'.

This is the way to make cornbread stuffing: Bake cornbread the usual way, but omit any sweetener. Cool and crumble with the fingers and substitute the cornbread crumbs for half the amount of white bread called for in the dressing recipe.

Advertisement for WILSON'S Christmas Greetings, featuring a portrait of George Rector. Text includes 'WHEN you look back at the Christmases of your childhood, what do you remember most vividly... most happily? Isn't it the tremendous trifes—things that meant so little to grown-ups, so much to you? Many of us remember the Christmas pudding, or the special way Mother had of decorating the Christmas tree. And so this week I bring you several suggestions for festive foods which I hope may become festive memories.'

Advertisement for Christmas Dinner, featuring a ham. Text includes 'Wilson's Certified Chicken Broth', 'Celery curls', 'Reddish roses', 'WILSON'S CERTIFIED MADE HAM', 'Sweet potato', 'Young beans', 'Asparagus', 'Christmas tree', 'Glazed bread rolls', and 'Coffee'. Also includes 'TENDER MADE HAM WITH "BELLS ON" Easy to make. Happily remembered. Have ham at room temperature. Heat it in a moderate oven (350 degrees), only 5 minutes per pound. Remove from oven and take off skin. Spread ham thickly with cranberry jelly and decorate it with "bells" made from pears. (See directions below.) Return to oven (450 degrees) for 20 minutes, basting frequently with the jelly. Remember only Wilson & Co. makes Tender Made Ham.'

Advertisement for HOW TO MAKE PEAR "BELLS". Text includes 'Use canned pears. Cut a slice from the bottom of each pear half, to make it resemble a bell. Place five or six of the pear "bells," cut side down, on top of the ham. Connect the "bells" with a ribbon' made of angelique or citron. Use candied cherries for the "clappers." Baste the remainder of the pear bells with currant jelly and serve them around the ham. If you prefer a delicious smoked ham that requires baking, specify Wilson's Certified SMOKED HAM. To be cooked 16 minutes per pound.'

Advertisement for Christmas Tree Dessert. Text includes 'Open your mouth... And shut your eyes... And enjoy this tempting breakfast surprise. To get them to the table on time Christmas morning, make this iron-clad rule: "No gifts can be opened before breakfast." Use the spicy fragrance of Wilson's Certified Pure Pork Sausage, sizzling in the pan, to bring them running. Christmas Tree Dessert. Order from your florist the same number of small 3-inch clay flower pots as you wish individual desserts. Line each flower pot with a paper cup. Fill the cup with ice cream or mousse. Cover with a layer of chopped nuts and chopped candied cherries. Insert a miniature Christmas tree (clipped from your tree, decorated with bits of tinsel) in each flower pot. Merry Christmas to you and yours... G. E. WILSON & CO. The Wilson label protects your table.'

Advertisement for F. A. Edmundson & Company. Text includes 'AUDITING—SYSTEM TAX SERVICE Greenville, N. C. — Wilson, N. C. THIRTY-FIVE YEARS EXPERIENCE Office Located Old Planters Bank Bldg., Wilson, N. C. Munford Building, Greenville, N. C.'

SANTA GIANT-KILLER

BY SIGRID ARNE



HE OPENED THE THIRD CASKET.

THE STORY SA FAR: Eric, a fisherman's son, accompanies the three princes of Thuringia to their home after releasing them from a spell. The princes find their home city deserted.

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CHAPTER NINETEEN

The Prince Uses Father's Signal
The three princes of Thuringia looked into every house. But they didn't find the winged horse, which they were about wishing he could help.

Finally, Harald, the oldest one, said to his two younger brothers, "We must wait for night. We will use father's old signal."

Then the brothers set out through the town collecting logs and carrying them to the crests of the three hills around the city. They worked until they had great piles of logs on each hill.

At dusk Harald said to Eric, "Now wait on the palace steps." So Eric, leading his winged horse, went to the palace steps. In a half hour he saw three great fires flaming from the hills. In another half hour he saw people hurrying over the hills. The three princes came running back to the palace.

"I was right," Harald shouted with glee. "The people are not dead. They just moved to the hills. Those three fires were my father's old signal when the kingdom was invaded. It brought the men from all the surrounding villages."

Hundreds of shouting people filled the castle courtyard. They were happy but they also looked puzzled. One very old man raised his staff and asked the others to be quiet. He said, "Whence came you? We have answered the old signal of Harald the Brave."

Great Rejoicing
"I am the son of Harald the Brave," shouted the oldest prince. Then there was great rejoicing. The very old man fell on his knees and prayed. A hundred years before he had vowed he would live to see the sons of Harald the Brave come back. He had been a young boy when the giants stole the

ASKS METHODS OF MARKETING

Scott Lists Better Program As Principal Need

Reflector Bureau
By HENRY AVERILL
Raleigh, Dec. 22 — Commissioner of Agriculture W. Kerr Scott will list in the biennial report of his department a number of achievements which he feels have done credit to the state, to himself and to his subordinates; but he will also stress in that same report his belief that a bigger and better marketing program is the chief need of North Carolina farmers.

"Substantial contributions have been made by the Department in bringing the need for better marketing facilities to the attention of Congress," he will say in his report. "The Department will continue to campaign for an enlarged marketing program, recognizing such a program as vital to the economic well-being of the national and state farm population."

"Expansion of agricultural marketing work still heads the list of needs of North Carolina farmers. An enlarged, practical marketing program is essential to a well-balanced farm program."

In the report of his department activities for the last two years the Commissioner goes into the work of all the divisions under his charge and cites specific ways in which he feels that service has been rendered.

Man About Manhattan

By George Tucker
New York.—This is a belated election item. Its hero is Arthur Lake who still is plying off around the CBS studios. It wasn't that the star of the Blondie series picked the wrong candidate. It was worse than that. "I'll bet you cried Lake 'that seven days after the election the banks will be closed and the streets will echo with the tramp of marching men.' They tell me his friends mobbed each other trying to get close enough to get it on the line. The gag was a good one—except that Lake's figures were off. Armistice Day was only six days at-

ACTIVITIES OF THE BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMAN'S CLUB

CHRISTMAS 1940

Christmas trees will be lighted over the United States on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day, as the citizens of this country commemorate the birth of the Prince of Peace. As we participate in this centuries-old hallowed celebration, we pause to look across the sea at the darkened lands, where lights have gone out or are dimmed by sorrow and strife.

Twenty-six years ago the world saw a conflagration begin which plunged the world into hatred and death. Christmas lights were few and far between then. Now, again, the conflagration is spreading. Within two years Austria, Czechoslovakia, Poland, Finland, Norway, Belgium, Holland, Denmark and France have come under the goose step of war and dictatorship. Despair has taken the place of joyful Yuletide.

But here in America, while there is yet time, while "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Man" is still our goal, and Christmas carols can be sung in the starlight without fear of air raids, let us dedicate ourselves anew to the cause of international peace and justice, so that in some future and brighter year Christmas may again become the festival of brotherly love and understanding the world around.

Grimesland News

Ben Proctor of Rocky Mount was here Saturday for a short while.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hopkins of Detroit, Mich., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Elks, Mrs. Hopkins' parents, for the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. L. L. Latham spent the day her yesterday with her mother, Mrs. T. F. Proctor.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Artis Ange will be very sorry to learn that their infant son is critically ill in Tayloe Hospital.

William T. Proctor of Fayetteville will spend Christmas here with his mother, Mrs. T. F. Proctor.

Miss Mary Jewel Porter, a student at Elon College arrived in the city Friday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Porter.

Jimmie C. Brooks, who is a student at Riverside Military Academy, Gainesville, Ga., is at home for the Christmas holidays.

Jesse Cannon, Jr., was home from Fort Bragg for a few days recently. V. A. Jackson, Jr., is home from Fort Jackson for the Christmas holidays.

Friends of Mrs. Albert Edwards will be glad to know that she is recovering nicely from an operation performed at the Tayloe Hospital in Washington.

Joe Gayton is spending the Christmas holidays with his mother. He is a soldier at Fort Jackson.

Elton and Seaford Moore, sons of Mrs. Annie Moore, who are soldiers at Fort Jackson, are home for the holidays.

Miss Martha Rachel Fleming, who is a student at E. C. T. C., is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Fleming.

Sylvester Fleming, a student at State College, Raleigh, is home for the holidays.

Miss Juanita Hoell who is teaching at Jacksonville, is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Lela B. Hoell.

Pactolus News

P. T. A. Meets.
The meeting of the Pactolus P. T. A. held in the high school auditorium Wednesday night at 7:30 was well attended, there being several patrons of the school who had not attended before.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Paul Davenport, Jr. The minutes were read by the secretary, Mrs. William Earl Tripp, and the treasurer's report was given by Miss Mary Lee Dixon, in the absence of Mrs. C. J. Satterthwaite, treasurer. Miss Nell Overton made a report on the drive for new members and reported three new members.

The entertainment part of the program was given by the school and consisted of a pantomime of the Christmas, Christmas carols, and a number by the glee club. The audience joined in the singing of the carols. The program was enjoyed very much.

Basketball
The Pactolus school basketball teams played Stokes here Tuesday afternoon. The Pactolus girls won 22-15. The girls playing on this team were: Forwards, Kathleen Andrews, Beulah Tyer, Jean Hardee and Gladys Upton; Guards, Blanche Vincent, Flossie Warren and Margaret Warren.

The Pactolus boys won 14-13. The players were: Bruce Ray Tripp, Tom Johnston, Allen Ward, Hugh Burroughs, Walter Leggett and Russell Ross.

Mr. Harry Willis of Washington, who has been spending some time here with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Satterthwaite, returned home Thursday afternoon.

Investigator Rogge And Bride



O. John Rogge of Washington, D. C., assistant United States attorney general who secured indictments against former Governor Richard Leche of Louisiana, Seymour Weiss, New Orleans hotel executive, and others in connection with operations of the late Senator Huey P. Long's political machine, is honeymooning with his bride, the former Miss Wanda Johnston of De Moines, Ia. They are shown in their wedding clothes just after the ceremony.

He was accompanied by Mesdames J. J. and C. J. Satterthwaite, Mrs. G. H. Little, Mrs. W. S. Dickinson, Mrs. W. F. Little and Miss Frances Dickinson spent Wednesday afternoon in Washington, shopping.

Miss Nell Overton was visiting in Washington Wednesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Dickinson were in Greenville Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Roy Baker is spending some time in Washington.

Mrs. John A. Carson and her sister, Mrs. LeRoy James of Washington, were in this community Wednesday afternoon.

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members. She stressed the fact that to be a standard association there must be a membership of 57 paid members with an average of 30 in attendance at each meeting. The local association has 41 paid members. On the motion of Mrs. J. Paul Davenport, Sr. it was voted to fix up a box of Christmas things for little James Robert Moore who is in the school for the deaf and dumb at Morganton. He will not come home for Christmas and this box will be sent to him. Miss Sidney Davenport gave a report on the WPA garden project.

White Christmas was observed and many gifts were received to be distributed to the poor at Christmas.

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ONE CIRCUMSTANCE PROVES NOTHING

Everyone becomes discouraged; the difference between the Christians and people of no faith is that the Christians never allow discouragement to change their basic philosophy of life or their faith in God. How foolish that we should suddenly conclude God is unjust because something happens apparently contrary to our welfare. We have not into a fine state of mind indeed when we pit some little and troublesome circumstance of our life against the experience of humanity and decide that the mercy of God is a fiction. We are not the first people in human history who have had to experience trouble. Many have passed through deeper water than we ever knew and came out at the end not with faith shaken, but with faith renewed and strengthened. Such outcries on our part constitute not an indictment of God, but an indictment of ourselves. It does not reveal that God is unjust and merciless; it discloses the fact that our courage is weak and our faith superficial.

No one circumstance ever proves anything. Furthermore, one positive circumstance destroys the significance of any number of negative circumstances. "If God be for us, who can be against us?" cried St. Paul who had suffered much. "For them that love God, all things work together for good." Let us strengthen our hearts with such words in the dark hour of trouble and refrain from accusing God of injustice and heartlessness. All Rights Reserved. Babson Newspaper Syndicate

A CHRISTMAS MESSAGE TO PARENTS

The following appeal issued by the National Safety Council is most timely and we pass it on to our readers in the hope that it will help to keep accidents in this section at a minimum during the holidays.

Mothers and fathers—what is your greatest thrill at Christmas time? Doesn't much of the magic of Christmas come from watching the gaiety and exuberance of your children, and of young folks everywhere?

Yes, their happiness is your happiness. The holiday season is their season. Home from school, eager for fun, they ARE the spirit of Christmas!

Yet the National Safety Council's figures prove that each year hundreds of these irreplaceable youngsters, swept up in holiday hilarity, meet death and disaster on

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the highway. Won't you ask your sons and daughters to be extra careful during this period of extra danger? Ask them not to ride with drinking drivers, not to let the desire to be a good fellow bring death or crippling injury. Ask them to combine their fun with common sense.

Too, won't you set them an example by not driving after drinking—by not taking chances during this dangerous period of treacherous weather and holiday rush and excitement?

Don't let a traffic accident make a mockery of Merry Christmas in your home!

Washington Daybook

By Preston Grover

WASHINGTON DAYBOOK MM Washington still fondly refers to the theater of the hinterlands—may be as dead as the Shakespeare school of acting, but not so far as Washington is concerned. Like a good many small villages who nurse along a single open house, the nation's capital has only one legitimate theater—the National—but I have it on the word of Edmund Plöhn, who has been running the place for years, that Washington still is the outstanding one-weak stand in the country.

In spite of its name, the National is not a national theater and the only way your taxes and mine might contribute to it is to appear in a Senator Spurge gives the game to home a line party. However, it is something of a national institution for it has been blocking traffic in F street between Fifth and Sixth for 105 years and was considered a capital landmark when Ford was later where Lincoln had his death still was a name Baptist church. I could start thumbing through the ages of local history and tell you a lot about the National—now President Wilson practically never missed a performance there but of late weeks, invariably went to Keith's where he could enjoy the same spectacle never let his foot inside the lobby, seeing little or nothing of the drama of the day, when Ed-ward Booth played Shakespeare there and Mr. Pike and the other Barrymore.

Testing Ground But that was when the bridge and most of it has been through every bewildered man there in every act that dates to the day before movies.

To set up to modern times, the National is an outgrowth in a way of the Guild theater in New York but it plays other than Guild plays. In fact one of Broadway's testing grounds and in a sense a score or more hopeful dramas are trying their wings on a Washington audience from the National. Miss Ethel Barrymore made such a debut here recently in "The Czar in Green" and rang the bell as loudly as she did in Times Square. But the National also gets its share of play heading out. The all-time box-office record there is held by such a play—"Victoria Regina" with Helen Hayes (who by the way, is a Washington girl) in the lead.

Officialdom On Hand Of the bigwigs who frequent the National, several are members of

the U. S. supreme court, including Associate Justices Frankfurter, Murphy and Douglas. Chief Justice Hughes need never miss a potentially good show, but in the last year or so has found his duties and other obligations too exacting. Probably among the most consistent first-nighters are Secretary of the Treasury and Mrs. Morgenthau. Senator Majority Leader Alben Barkley, Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr. and Mrs. Evelyn Walsh McLean, the Hope diamond lady Mrs. Roosevelt attends occasionally but does most of her theater going in New York. The President, in his eight years in the White House has been four times to see his friend, Walter Huston, in "Dodsworth" and "Knickerbocker Holiday" and to attend the two "command performances"—"Outward Bound" and "Life With Father."

Incidentally, that appearance probably will be the only one "Life With Father" will have here since Washington's law on child labor—that no girl under 18 or boy under 16 may be gainfully employed—is iron-clad. Since there are three such youths in that Broadway hit most Washingtonians will have to be satisfied with reading about it, as they have had to be in the case of almost every smash that hit Broadway with a youngster in an important part.

An interesting point about show at the National theater, although the top-hat and tiara section often is spotted with empty seats, the balcony hardly ever is and frequently has to run up its SRO sign when there still are blocks for sale on the first floor. Apparently, the government clerks and lower-rank workers take their theater a good deal more seriously than the following-money crowd.

There is much vocal support for the nine-months idea, but when the legislators try to devise ways of raising the more than \$3,000,000 ex-

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS 1. Be in debt 4. East Indian weights 9. Secured 12. Negligent 13. Toward the left side of a vessel 14. Feminine name 15. Card with one spot 16. Capital of Switzerland 17. Chess pieces 18. Pertaining to a point of concentration 20. Dipping 22. American Indians 24. Armor 25. Hates 28. Tipping to one side 31. God of Love 32. Winged 34. Symbol for tellurium 35. Wheeled vehicle 36. Impelled 37. Brightest star in a constellation 38. White 39. External coating of a seed 40. Principal 41. Long 43. Stiltiness 46. Destroy 47. Mother of Apollo 48. Forced air spasmodically through the nose 61. Place where a trial is held 64. Old card game 65. After song 67. Vine 68. Lubricate 69. Pertaining to ships of war 60. Understanding 61. Guido's high-est note 62. Shocks 63. Urcin 64. DOWN 1. Norwegian 2. City in Texas 3. One who administers a will 4. Articles of furniture 5. Unclose 6. Poetic 7. Wild buffalo of India 8. Resembling a star 9. Constellation 10. Baking chamber 11. Sweeps 12. Valley 13. Part of actors 14. Decompose 15. Rub out 16. Narrow openings 17. Indifferent to pain 18. Part of tin and lead 19. Coat with lead 20. Inhabitants of a geographical law 21. Faithful 22. Measure 23. Small surrounding area 24. Plane 25. Kingdom in India 26. Wild plum 27. Pieces or strands of waste silk 28. Pigeon 29. Part of the eye 30. Watched narrowly 31. partner

Grid for crossword puzzle with numbers 1-32 indicating starting positions for across and down words.

Who Killed Aunt Maggie?

By MEDORA FIELD "Well," she went on calmly, "Aunt Maggie took me last night before dinner that she and I had quarreled and that she had threatened to kill her. Then this afternoon I saw Alice coming out of Eve's room just before I went to call on Eve myself. I didn't want to run into her, so I went back inside and waited a moment."

Lieutenant Gregory had expressed wonder that Eve's visitors did not fall over each other. This obviously explained why. They had all been too cautious. "You told them this, in the library?" "Oh, no," said Clare. "Of course not."

The door from the library opened and Mr. Marshall came in, looking embarrassed and, it seemed to me, hungry. At any rate, his eyes strayed wistfully toward the covered silver dishes of cold food on the sideboards. Then he took out his handkerchief, wiped his forehead and said: "Miss Dunbar has confessed."

There were fifteen of us gathered there in the library following the rather sketchy and perfunctorily eaten supper which Mr. Marshall had insisted upon "for the sake of our health." Now, as we grouped ourselves for what he referred to with hollow facetiousness as "the séance," someone asked Mr. Dodson if he wished us to sit so that we might clasp hands in a circle. But he said, quite impersonally, that this was not necessary.

The four servants were ranged in a dark row near the book-lined wall next to the dining room. Lindy, although presumably absent at the time of the first murder, was there with Thomas and Andrew and Bessie. Andrew had raised his eyebrows disapprovingly when I suggested that straight chairs be brought in for them from the dining room, but I said, a little impatiently, "Of course, you'll have to sit. This may go on for quite a while."

"For years and years," said Bob, with a ghost of his old lightness. "We'll all probably grow long beards while we sit. I hope you brought your razor, Andrew." And from Andrew's sheepish grin it was all too obvious that he had.

Rather strategically, it seemed to me, Anderson sat near the dining-room door and Roberts near the hall door, which is exactly opposite the fireplace. The sofa, on which I sat with Mr. Marshall on one side and Bill on the other, had been placed so that the group really did form something of a square circle, with the servants in the background.

Alice was in a chair on Bill's other side and next to her was Bob, then Claire and then Kirk nearest to Lieutenant Gregory. In this way, Kirk and Bob and also Alice and Claire, of course, sat with their backs to the hall door. On Lieutenant Gregory's other side sat Mr. Dodson in the wing chair next to the fireplace.

Andrew had placed a tray, bearing a silver pitcher of water and goblets, on the library table, where the light from one of the reading lamps shone on them and brought out an additional gleam. The yellow roses, nodding in their crystal bowl near by, were the only reminder that we had expected to pass a quite different week end.

An almost abnormal quietude hung over the room as we waited for Mr. Dodson to begin his questioning. Shifting himself in the deep-cushioned chair and turning his head as though to take an inclusive view of the group, he said, "I should like to ask everyone to stay put while we are conducting this little investigation. I don't mean that you must sit like statues, but I don't want anybody moving from his or her chair or about the room. In other words, I don't want any unnecessary sounds or movements to distract my attention or to interfere with my hearing. If you will shut your eyes for a moment, I think you will come nearer having some conception of how important sounds become when sight is absent."

Involuntarily we all closed our eyes, and I think we must all have held our breath too in a concerted effort to remain perfectly quiet, for in another moment you could quite plainly hear the sound of full-time breathing resumed.

"Good," approved Mr. Dodson. "I think we are all now what the spiritualists would call en rapport."

Claire shivered and looked around the room and both Bob and Kirk put out a hand to reassure her.

"First," said Mr. Dodson, "I want to say that we will not go into unnecessary detail. You are not under oath as this is not an official inquest. Of course, if anyone should wish to give a signed confession, this can be sworn to, as already has been done in the case of Miss Dunbar. It is my belief that this session will make an official inquest unnecessary."

"Roberts holds the signed confession of Miss Dunbar, but let us disregard that document as though it did not exist. We have had two murders. We have a confession for only one. I do not believe Miss Dunbar could have committed the first one, yet I believe that there is a connection between the two."

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tra which it would cost, there is a strong chance that the noise will subside. And another one: Even with gubernatorial blessings, no nine month term will be voted with sufficient funds appropriated to maintain the present monthly teacher salary scale. In other words, if the teachers get another month's pay from the state, it is going to be at a lower rate per month.

Note on the reduction of bureau and agencies of the state government: The only legislative proposal

which has been advanced without even a hint of opposition from any source is a retirement system for state employees. It's dollars to doughnuts that a brand new division of the government would be set up to handle such a system. "Goodbye, Jenny," said this corner's sometimes collaborator Lyn Nisbet to the bureau's efficient secretary, Lucille Harris, as he started out the door. "What do you mean calling me 'Jenny'?" she queried. "Well, you're my girl friend and a while ago you called me a 'jackass,'" replied Lyn, "and a 'jackass' girl friend is always 'Jenny'."

There are about the same number of species of mammals and reptiles, but these two classes combined are greatly outnumbered by the species of birds.

FARMER, 68, MIKES 40 MILES TO GRANGE Bangor, Me.—(AP)—Mark L. Howard, 68, hiked through deep snow from Montville to Bangor—40 miles—to attend the Maine grange sessions. For seven years he's been striding from Montville to state grange meetings, no matter where they have been held. He owns an automobile but likes to see the scenery.

Pandas Off \$10,000 In Light Trading Toledo, O.—(AP)—Financial note: Panda prices have "softened." Zoo officials, recalling that the first panda brought to the United States sold for \$15,000 f. o. b., said they had been offered two for \$5,000 each. They couldn't buy the animals because of a recent rhinoceros purchase and negotiations for a pair of giraffe.

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Dillon Graham Selects Ten Top Episodes In 1940 Sports

These Sports Thrillers Were 1940's Best

By DILLON GRAHAM

(Sports Editor, AP Feature Service)
New York—Although lacking the usual international flavor because of the European War, 1940 produced a full quota of sports thrills, stunning upsets and amazing exploits on the home front.

There was Arturo Godoy's surprising success with a crouching style against Joe Louis in their first bout, the collapse of the New York Yankees, the pennant drive of the aged Detroit Tigers, and the internal strife among the Cleveland Indians in baseball.

Along the line were Lew Jenkins' quick knockout of Lou Ambers to win the lightweight boxing championship, Alice Marble's romp over the tennis lists before turning professional, the Lawson Little-Gene Sarazen playoff for the national open golf championship and the disqualification of Ed Oliver, the long distance running performance by Gregory Rice, the shot putting of Al Blozis and the pole vaulting of Cornelius Warmerdam, Wilbur Shaw's second straight Indianapolis 500-mile speedway auto triumph, Betty Jameson's defense of her women's golf championship, Sammy Baugh's marvelous forward-passing and Davey O'Brien's record one game feat to completing 33 forwards, Washington's Poughkeepsie triumph, and Minnesota's football surge.

What were the 10 leading episodes or accomplishments of the sports year, taking into account the elements of drama, excitement and calibre of performance? Here they are and why we pick them:



1 Stanford's renaissance as a grid power—because it was one of the finest comebacks of the year, both for the Indians and Coach Clark Shaughnessy. The Indians, victors in only one game a year ago, won every 1940 contest and a Rose Bowl bid.



2 Fritzie Zivic's welterweight championship triumph over Henry Armstrong—because it was one of 1940's major upsets, one of the year's most savagely contested boxing bouts and the rise of a conqueror able to dethrone Armstrong, one-time triple champion.



3 Hank Greenberg's remarkable baseball exploits—because he successfully made the shift from first base to the outfield, paced Detroit to a pennant, won the American league most valuable player award and led the loop in home runs and runs batted in.



4 Dick Chapman's amateur golf championship triumph—because he dominated the tournament, winning the qualifying round medal, displayed his courage by coming from 5-down to win and grabbed the title with a crushing 11-and-9 victory.



5 The Chicago Bears' rout of the Washington Redskins—because the 7-0 victory was the most one-sided triumph any team ever scored in a championship duel and because its all-around power established the Bears' machine as perhaps the greatest in history.



6 Seabiscuit's Santa Anita Handicap victory—because it was one of the grandest comebacks of the year. This 7-year-old racer, retired a year ago, returned to face a field of 10 and became turf's greatest all-time money winner with \$487,730.



7 Don McNeill's tennis triumph—because he dominated the court game. He reached his peak by dethroning cocky Bobby Riggs as national singles champion after previously winning the clay court and national intercollegiate singles crowns.



8 Gallahadion's Kentucky Derby win—because it ranks with 1940's top upsets. Gallahadion, a 35-1 shot—longest among modern winners—was so little thought of that his owner did not even go to Louisville to see him whip heavily-favored Bimelich.



9 Tom Harmon's gridiron performance—because the Michigan halfback was football's man-of-the-year, a spectacular hip-shaking star in every game who bettered Red Grange's long-standing Western conference records, made the All-America team for the second straight year, and was voted the nation's No. 1 athlete in an AP poll.



10 The Cincinnati Reds' World Series triumph—because the Reds came from behind to topple the favored Detroiters, because they were the first National league team to win since 1934, because after their rout by the Yankees a year ago they came back to take charge of the National league race and win by the biggest margin in years, despite injuries and a death.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Having this day qualified as Administrator of the estate of W. E. Peaden, deceased, late of Pitt County, notice is given to all persons holding claims against said estate to prove and file the same with the undersigned within twelve months from this date, or this notice will be plead in bar thereof. All persons indebted to said estate will make settlement with the undersigned.
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of the estate of W. E. Peaden.
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All that certain lot, tract or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the City of Greenville, Greenville Township, County of Pitt, State of North Carolina, and more particularly described and defined as follows:

All that certain lot or parcel of land situate on the south side of Fleming Street and west of Pamlico Avenue in the Town of Greenville, Greenville Township, Pitt County, State of North Carolina, bounded on the North by Fleming Street, on the East by the Thad Fleming heirs, on the South by the Henry Taylor heirs, and on the West by M. K. Blount, more particularly described

according to a survey made by W. C. Dresbach, C. E., on the 15th day of March, 1934, now on file with the Home Owners' Loan Corporation as follows: Beginning at a stake on the south side of Fleming Street 909 feet west of the southwest corner of Fleming Street and Pamlico Avenue; and running thence with Fleming Street N. 75-50 W. 72-25 feet to a stake, M. K. Blount's corner; thence with Blount's line S. 14-10 W. 150 feet to a point in the Henry Taylor heirs line; thence with the Taylor heirs line S. 75-50 E. 72-25 feet to the Thad Fleming heirs corner; thence with the Fleming heirs line N. 14-10 East 150 feet to the

beginning, being the property whereon William J. Forbes and wife, Olivia K. Forbes now live, (formerly lived). Being the same lot conveyed to William J. Forbes and wife, Olivia K. Forbes, by Charles H. Patrick and wife, Violet B. Patrick, by deed dated November 15th, 1919, and filed for record in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County on the 26th day of April, 1922, and recorded in Book B-14, page 356 thereof, and being the same property conveyed by T. C. Abernethy, Substituted Trustee, to Home Owners' Loan Corporation by that certain deed of record in Book D-22, page 128, of the

Pitt County Registry, and being the same land this day conveyed to Bernard I. D. Smith by the Home Owners' Loan Corporation, and which will be registered in the Pitt County Registry.
The purchaser at this sale will be required to make a cash deposit of 5 per cent of the purchase price to show good faith.
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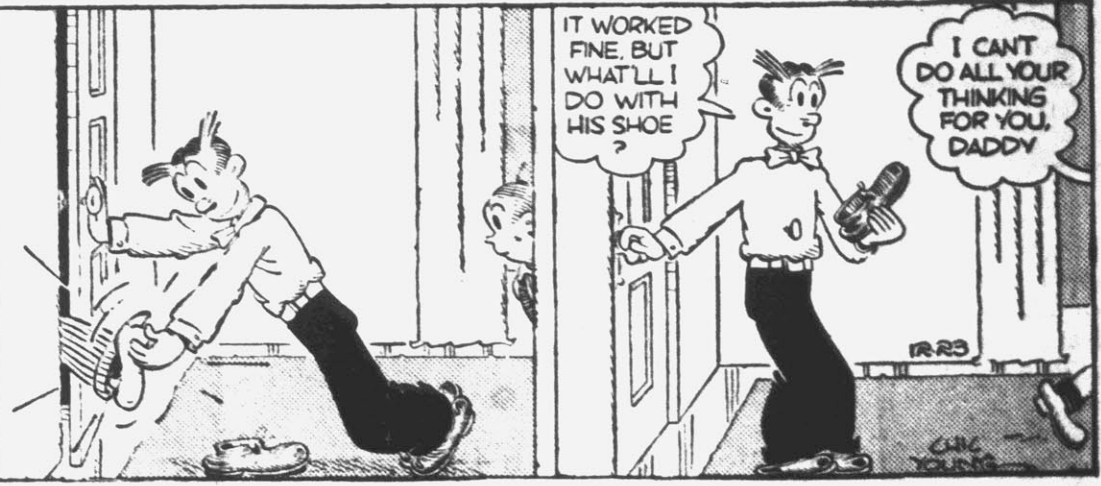
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HAYWIRE FOR MULE OR POWER balers. Also fence wire. All sizes gun shells, shot guns or rifles. J. A. Watson, Seeds and Hardware. 2-1f

FOR SALE—YOUNG BIRD DOG—a setter—well broke—good retriever—3 years old. F. G. Laughinghouse, Cox's Mill Road, one mile from Cox's Mill. 23-2f

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WANTED—CORN, BEANS AND peas. Top prices paid. Coy Smith, New Carolina Warehouse, Greenville, N. C. 19-1f

FOR RENT—UNFURNISHED apartment. Two blocks from Main street. Mrs. J. L. Fleming, Dial 3846.

FOR SALE—NICE GUERNSEY milch cow, giving 5 gallons milk daily; 6 years old. Calif 5 days old. N. M. Duke, Greenville, R. 1, two miles south of Falkland. 21-31

FOR RENT—4-ROOM DWELLING Equipped electric light, near hard-surface road, 2.1-2 miles East of Greenville, \$12.50 per month in advance. Possession around January 1st. A. M. Moseley. 9-eod-Jan. 1.

FOR RENT—7-ROOM HOUSE—Arcola heat, gas water heater, garage, 303 Elizabeth Street. Available Jan. 1st. Dial 3253. Tue-Fri-Mon.

FOR RENT—STORE BUILDING, well located, good condition and suitable for Beauty Parlor. B. W. Moseley, Realtor. 23-2f

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FOR SALE—NICE GENTLE PONY and saddle. R. L. and W. H. Smith. 23-5f

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FOR SALE—1 F12 FARMALL with rubber and steel wheels; 1 F12 Farmall with steel wheels; 1 F20 Farmall with rubber and steel wheels; 1 John Deere Model "B" tractor with steel wheels, completely rebuilt with all new motor; 1 John Deere 1939 Model "B" tractor. Priced to sell. L. Harvey Son Company, Kingston, N. C. 23-31

Richmond Livestock
(Courtesy J. N. and J. L. Williams)
Richmond, Dec. 23.—Hogs, quotations are based on hogs producing hard carcasses after normal chilling. Hogs producing soft and oily carcasses are discounted 40 cents and 80 cents respectively from hard hog prices. Market 15 cents higher. Top \$6.50. Good and choice 180-225 lbs. \$6.30-\$6.50; 100-120 lbs. \$4.35-\$4.85; 120-140 lbs. \$4.85-\$5.35; 140-160 lbs. \$5.35-\$5.80; 160-180 lbs. \$5.80-\$6.15; 180-225 lbs. \$6.15-\$6.35; 225-250 lbs. \$5.65-\$6.15; 250-300 lbs. \$5.35-\$5.85; over 300 lbs. \$5.25-\$5.75. Sows under 350 lbs. \$4.60-\$5.10; over 350 lbs. \$4.10-\$4.60. Cattle, the steers top on medium to good steers the first of this week was around \$9.50, with some good steers bringing up to \$10.00. Common slaughter steers around \$6.00-\$7.00. The market on cows and bulls remained steady during the week. Bulk of fat dairy-type cows \$5.00-\$5.50 with canners and cutters mostly \$3.50-\$4.50. Practical top on heavy sausage bulls \$6.50 and light weights around \$5.00-\$5.50. Demand for vealers continued fairly active. Closing practical top on good vealers around \$11.00; some choice selling a little higher.

N. Y. Stock List
American Radiator 6%
American Telephone 166%
American Tobacco B 69%
Anaconda 26%
A. C. L. 13%
Atlantic Refining 24%
Bendix Aviation 33%
Bethlehem Steel 84%
Chrysler 74%
Col. Gas and Electric 4%
Commercial Solvent 20%
Consolidated Oil 5%
Curtis Wright 8%
Dupont 160%
Electric Power and Light 3%
General Electric 32%
General Motors 49%
Liggett and Myers 35%
Montgomery Ward 95%
Reynolds Tobacco B 10%
Southern Railway 11%
Standard Oil of N. J. 33%
U. S. Steel 68%

N. Y. Stock Market
New York, Dec. 23.—(AP)—For the eighth consecutive session the stock market on average today was unable to pull itself out of the rut. While pressure was light at any time and feeble rallies appeared occasionally, declines of fractions to a point were well distributed near the fourth hour.

Bonds emulated stocks and commodities were a shade uneven.

New York Cotton
New York, Dec. 23.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened unchanged to three lower. Near the start of the second hour prices were two lower to three higher.

CHRISTMAS CHEER!



Diana Lewis as the heroine in "Go West," new Marx Bros. laugh fest at Pitt today and Christmas day.

Chicago Grain Market

(Courtesy Vernon Parrish)
WHEAT—Open Close Pt. Ct.
May 84% 84% 84%
July 78% 79% 79%
CORN—
May 60% 60% 60%
July 60% 60% 60%
OATS—
May 35% 35% 35%
July 31% 31% 31%
RYE—
May 45% 45% 45%

HOG MARKETS

Richmond 6.50

ABC Officers Get Two Illicit Stills

Pitt county ABC officers Saturday seized two illicit distilleries, one a 30-gallon capacity steam plant with 50 gallons of molasses mash, 10-gallon doubler, a 50-gallon condenser barrel. This still was located near Hadcock's crossroads and appeared to be new, never having been run.

The other still seized was a steam plant, 50-gallon capacity. The plant was located near Cherry Lane school in Pactolus township. Neither was in operation. Also found at the site of the second still were 150 gallons of new mash, three empty barrels each buried in the ground to provide faster fermentation during cold weather.

W. S. Mobley, white, was arrested for illegal possession in Carolina township and George Robinson, colored, was taken in custody on a similar charge as ABC officers continued their activities during the week-end. Both defendants were released upon posting \$200 bond for their appearance in County court the first week in January.

Many Couples Apply For Licenses To Wed

Fifteen marriage licenses—nine to white couples and six to colored—at the office of Register of Deeds Roy T. Cox during the past week.

White couples: William Thad Lewis of Fountain and Elsie Louise Haddock of Farmville; Alfred L. Corey and Clara Nobles of Winterville; John Colfax Stanton, Jr. of Stantonburg and Mary Cooper Hooker of Kinston; James R. Hathaway, Jr. and Rosa Lee Corbett of Greenville, route four; Carl Garris and Estelle Marie Bibbs of Greenville, route one; Wyatt Collins Yelverton and Edith Pauline Worthington of Dublin; Claude Alton Fornes and Eula Lee Mills of Greenville; Rufus Hardee and Eula Mae Mills of Greenville, route three; Marion F. Sumerlin of Greenville, route four, and Edna Dixon of Greenville, route five.

Colored couples: Lemmie Lee Cogdell of Ayden and Mary Oliver of Greenville; Clifton Ellison and Lucille Williams of Beth; Frank Kennedy of Greenville and Ethel Louise Boyd of Greenville, route three; James B. House and Ethelene Little of Stokes; Thad Langley and Evelyn Bradley of Greenville; Kenneth Vines and Eula Mae Vines of Farmville.

PLAN CHANGES IN PAROLE ACT

Probation Heads Not Enthusiastic, However

Reflector Bureau.
By HENRY AVERILL.
Raleigh, Dec. 23.—There will be introduced in the 1941 General Assembly a "uniform enabling act for the Interstate Parole and Probation Compact"; but unless the two Tar Heel commissioners most concerned work up more enthusiasm than they now exhibit, it will not get much further along the road to enactment.

In fact, it might not even be introduced.

The legislation's laudable purpose is to establish full cooperation between states in the supervision and control of parolees and probationers living outside the jurisdiction in which they were paroled or placed on probation. It has been adopted and the resultant compact signed by 34 states.

Both Parole Commissioner Edwin Gill and Probation Commissioner Harry Sample are in sympathy with the ideal of every state cooperating with every other in parole and probation work, but neither is convinced that the so-called "compact" by any means brings about that degree of cordiality which is devoutly to be sought.

As a matter of fact, they point out many of the states which so enthusiastically adopted the act and signed the compact have no state parole or probation systems, with the result that the pact is an idle and meaningless gesture.

This situation in the two bordering states, South Carolina and Virginia, with which the Messrs. Gill and Sample have their main contacts. But without any compact North Carolina is, in fact, supervising probationers and parolees for these two states, and through local supervisory agencies, they are returning the favor.

The Probation commission now has 152 probationers under supervision in 23 other states and the District of Columbia; while the Parole commission reports 101 parolees under supervision in other states (50 of them in Virginia and South Carolina).

The "compact" act would permit any person convicted of an offense in one signatory state and placed on probation or parole within it to reside in any other signatory state while on parole or probation.

It also provides that each receiving state will assume the duties of visitation of and supervision over probationers or parolees of any sending state and in the exercise of these duties will be governed by the same standards that prevail for its own probationers and parolees.

There's the rub so far as the Tar Heel officials are concerned. They point out that some signatory states haven't any state system and, therefore, the "standards that prevail for its own probationers and parolees" is a meaningless phrase. They believe it perhaps works out better to make supervisory arrangements for each case on its individual merits rather than to enter into a wholesale agreement which may mean nothing at all.

Neither Mr. Gill nor Mr. Sample is actually hostile to the compact.

They are just more or less uninterested. They have systems of reciprocal supervision which seem to be working out all right and they see no particular reason to change them.

Full Information On Defense Asked

Washington, Dec. 23.—(AP)—Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich.), asked William S. Knudsen, director of defense production management, today to make public "full information" on the progress of the defense program.

In a letter to Knudsen which he read in the Senate, Vandenberg expressed the opinion that the surest way to enlist complete cooperation in speeding up defense production was to give the public full details of what had been done thus far instead of the "cryptic" statement "that 'all is well'" which the senator said had been issued.

Vandenberg said he would except from such publicity "any information which it would be truly incom-

patible with public interests to make public."

In this connection he said he had written Knudsen September 25 asking the number of airplanes of all classifications on which delivery could be expected by April 1. Knudsen, he added, replied that it would be better if that information were kept confidential for a while.

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Injured in a fall from a horse, he waited until the last day of the deer season. Then, despite the fact his arm and shoulder were in an "airplane" cast holding the arm at right angles to his body, he mounted a horse, rode into the mountains and

came upon a nice buck. As the deer ran, Gardner rested the barrel of his gun over the cast and fired three times.

Examination of the dead buck disclosed that all three shots had taken effect.

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