

Shows this afternoon and tonight, probably ending Sunday morning, cooler Sunday and in west and east portions tonight.

GERMAN AID FOR ITALY SAID TO BE UP TO BRITAIN

Italy Warns U. S. Against Sending Convoys To Britain

CITES DANGERS OF SUCH MOVE

Editor Asserts That Sending Supply Convoys Would Start Spread Of Conflict From Europe And North Atlantic To Western Hemisphere; Adds Japan Watchful Of Any Action

By The Associated Press
Virginia Gayda, the highly placed Italian editor, today warned American "interventionists" that if they sent supply convoys to Britain via neutral Ireland they would start a "spread of the conflict from Europe and the north Atlantic to the Western Hemisphere, the southern Atlantic and the Pacific."

Gayda wrote that Japan under her three-power pact with Italy and Germany is watchful and would not allow, without immediate reaction, extension of the European and Asiatic conflict.

Travellers arriving at Lisbon, Portugal, from unoccupied France reported that they had been reliably informed that Chief of State Petain had authorized a number of French naval officers to spend "vacations" in North Africa and that several French warships already had sailed to North Africa.

The travellers connected these moves with Petain's "unabated decision to rule France himself free from foreign impositions."

British general headquarters in Cairo announced that 38,114 prisoners taken in the offensive against Italian Libya had been counted.

The British said that "the concentration of our forces investing Bardia is proceeding smoothly while our artillery continues to harass the Italian garrison."

Woodmen Officers Selected For 1941
Farmville, Dec. 28.—White Oak Camp No. 917 Woodmen of the World held its regular meeting on Friday night in the Farmville Hall following a barbecue supper.

Movement Is Sponsored By Robert Lee Humber For World Government

Idea Endorsed By Group Of Prominent Citizens Of Carteret County, Suggested Scene For Seat Of Proposed Government; Resolution Is Adopted Urging State And National Endorsement

A movement for the establishment of a world community government was launched yesterday by Robert Lee Humber of this city, who only a few months ago returned from Paris, France, where he was an international lawyer and business man, at his estate on Davis island, Carteret county.

The idea was endorsed by a group of prominent Carteret county citizens, who adopted resolutions seeking state and national endorsement of the movement with a view of providing a concrete and practical plan for lasting peace in order that civilization might survive.

The resolutions likewise provided that under such a world federation there be an international capital of government for the community of nations and suggested that the territory now embraced by Carteret County be released by the state and federal governments for use for this purpose if and when the federation of nations became a worldwide reality.

In the past several years Mr. Humber has travelled throughout the world giving study to international politics, governments, customs and conditions in the various countries and he is convinced that civilization is nearing the end of its existence and the world is approaching suicide unless there is a united effort toward a lasting peace under which there can be freedom.

Explaining the purposes of the proposed federation of nations Mr. Humber pointed out that the world has continued to go from one series of wars to another, each more costly than its predecessors and that a continuation of this practice was leading the world nearer to economic bankruptcy and suicide.

"America," he said, "has proved the plan of a federation of smaller states into a strong government, although at the beginning there were doubts that such a nation as ours could ever come from a group of widely scattered colonies and communities. Since that time science has brought the world so close together geographically, that what were once barriers are now highways from one nation to another and the world is now ripe for this freedom to begin their fight for the formation of such a world wide federation. The nations of the world today are but the various communities as were the colonies of early America, he said, and what proved practical for America is just as practical for the world at large. We of this community, are first of all citizens of Greenville, he declared. We are next citizens of North Carolina and then of the United States of America where our citizenship ends according to our present day thinking, but we are likewise citizens of a world growing ever smaller and closer together and the day has come that we can no longer live for ourselves as a nation with no more security than can one small village in present day America live entirely to itself without any but purely local government. As early America found a strong national government essential to its well being, so does the world today need such a government if civilization is to continue to exist. As in the case of our present communities and states, the higher government steps in when the individual community is unable to cope with a situation that threatens its existence and so it must be with the world as a whole."

"Such a plan as the suggested world federation might seem like a far-off dream," said Mr. Humber, "but it is the only practical solution for the world's problems and the time is now ripe for the beginning of such a movement as that started in an humble way on Davis Island yesterday."



Risked Jail
Torn between duty to the country and desire to remain with his wife and six children, Michael Filippo, World War veteran, studies his honorable discharge from the army at his home in New York before finally making up his mind to register as an alien just 62 minutes before the deadline. Two of his daughters are with him. He feared registration might result in his being sent back to a Colorado prison camp from which he escaped 25 years ago.

BRITISH FUNDS BE EXHAUSTED BY AUTUMN '41

To Run Out Of Cash To Purchase U.S. Munitions
BALANCE SHEET DISCLOSES DATA
Survey Shows That Britain Has Enough Cash On Hand To Pay For Supplies Now On Order

Washington, Dec. 28.—(AP)—A preliminary audit of British resources in the United States has revealed, authoritative sources disclosed today, that Great Britain will run out of cash to pay for purchases of arms and munitions here "in the early autumn" of next year.

The preliminary examination of Britain's financial condition made by U. S. Treasury experts established that the end of cash payments was approaching. It was stated a more detailed study of the British Treasury's "balance sheet" now is under way.

The detailed analysis, informed sources said, was being made to determine how long Britain's capacity to pay for purchases here and the probable calendar date on which British cash would be exhausted.

The Treasury's study also will provide answers to the questions President Roosevelt and Secretary Morgenthau expected to be asked when Congress considers the problem of aid to Britain.

The British government now is paying for war supplies with gold shipped from London, payments for British goods and receipts from the sale here of British-owned dollar securities.

Well-informed sources said that the British Treasury's balance sheet made available to the U. S. Treasury experts showed that Britain would be able to pay cash for all ships, planes and other war implements and supplies now on order but could not pay cash for the tremendous future orders which Britain wants to place immediately.

Storm Reaps Toll Of Twenty Deaths
By The Associated Press
A tropical storm that ravaged parts of Cuba and Mexico and spread fanlike up the Florida and California coasts reaped a death toll of 20 dead, left hundreds injured and caused heavy property damage yesterday.

Indians Protest Having To Register As Aliens



Dressed in buckskins, feathers and moccasins, these Canadian-born Iroquois Indians flung themselves around wildly in a tribal dance of defiance at Buffalo, N. Y., in protest against having to register as aliens. Note their placard of protest. The aged dancer at extreme right is Chief George Nash, 85.

SAYS FRANCE STILL STRONG

Gen. de Gaulle Envisions Mediterranean Victory
London, Dec. 28.—(AP)—General Charles de Gaulle said in a speech prepared for broadcast tonight that if North Africa, Syria and the French feet were fighting for France, the Mediterranean battle would end at once in a great French victory.

"If French Africa arises at last to make war we shall bring our part of the empire to cooperate with her," the leader of "free French" forces declared.

The prepared address, possibly dictated chiefly to General Maxime Weygand supreme commander in North Africa, which is still loyal to the British, said:

All French leaders, whatever may have been their mistakes, who will side to draw the sword which they have sheathed shall find us on their side without excluding anyone and without any thought of ambition."

The general added that "with the fun in Paris, Bordeaux, Lille, Rheims and Strasbourg and with the Italians pretending to dictate their will to the French, here is nothing else to do than fight."

Urge Continuance Of Farm Program

Washington, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Demands for continuance of the existing farm program came from Senators in both parties today and Senator Bankhead (D-Ala.) said he wanted present benefits increased.

Bankhead, who has drafted much farm legislation in recent years, told reporters that further curtailment of crops probably would be necessary to avoid increasing surpluses.

On the Republican side, Senator Capper (R-Kan.) declared that existing parity and soil conservation programs should be continued. He said that while some refinements might be necessary, the fundamentals of the plan should be extended until a better system could be worked out.

WOULD RATION U. S. ALUMINUM

Plan Advanced To Avoid Delay On Warplanes
Washington, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Rationing of aluminum products was under consideration in government circles today as a means of avoiding possible delays in warplane production schedules.

Authoritative sources reported that this device was being studied as well as the more frequently mentioned one of production priorities.

FDR TO SPEAK SUNDAY NIGHT

Cabinet Members Are Called For Conference On Address
Washington, Dec. 28.—(AP)—President Roosevelt arranged to work further today on the radio speech he will deliver tomorrow night—an address he considered so important that he called in members of his cabinet to work on the rough draft.

He indicated he would have a lot to say and some important pronouncements. His principal task, he said, was boiling into a half-hour talk what he would say in about two hours. The address will be broadcast from 9:30 to 10 p. m., EST, tomorrow.

Stephen Early, Mr. Roosevelt's press secretary, has predicted the speech would be very clear and specific on aid to Britain.

The cabinet was reported to have gone into an exhaustive review of the defense equipment production program and to have discussed appeals to the chief executive that he speak out boldly on the chances of an English defeat and what this would mean to the United States.

Governor Herbert H. Lehman of New York, a White House caller yesterday, told reporters that "there are a great many people in this country who as yet have no realization of the urgency of the situation."

He urged that all possible speed be applied to defense production for this country and for Britain.

Nazi Forces Meanwhile Rolling East

Germany Declared By Authorized Sources To Be Planning To Help Axis Partner Only If Britain Tries To Use Greece As Starting Point For Invasion Of Central Europe

Budapest, Hungary, Dec. 28.—(AP)—With the advance guard of a new Nazi expedition of 300,000 troops already rolling eastward across Hungary, authoritative sources reported today that Germany plans to move against Greece by way of Bulgaria only if Britain tries to use Greece as the starting point for an invasion of central Europe.

Germany, these sources said, will not make any move to aid the Italian forces now fighting the Greeks in Albania if the British refrain from landing troops in Greece.

Germany was understood by these sources to have let it be known in the Balkans that in the event of an Italian collapse as the result of a Greek victory the Nazis would hasten to make a definite peace with France. It was stated authoritatively that Adolf Hitler had agreed to let Premier Mussolini attack Greece last October only because he wished to divert Italy's attention from beaten France.

Germany was said to have been considerably embarrassed by Italian clamor for slices of French territory when Hitler reportedly wished to give Marshal Petain, French chief of state, easy terms so as to win the Vichy government's full friendship.

The debate in Albania, far from disquieting Germany, has made Italy keep quiet about demands in France, these sources said.

They asserted that Hitler was prepared to make a full peace settlement with France with only the provinces of Alsace and Lorraine changing hands if Italy collapses.

Petain was understood to have told the Nazis that in case the Germans should demand "unreasonable" he would cut north Africa loose with General Weygand taking a large colonial army into the ranks of General De Gaulle's "Free French" forces moving against Italian Libya from Tunisia in coordination with the current British action from Egypt.

AID TO BRITAIN PLAN OPPOSED

Sen. Wheeler Raises Voice Against Suggestion
Washington, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Further opposition to President Roosevelt's "lend-lease" plan of furnishing war supplies to Great Britain developed today with Senator Wheeler (D-Mont.) announcing that he would broadcast his objections to the proposal Monday night.

The speech, to be carried at 10:30 p. m. EST, over a national hookup will be broadcast to foreign countries by short wave.

Wheeler, who this week urged the administration to "force peace on Europe," said he would discuss foreign affairs generally and the "lend-lease" proposal specifically. He also was expected to comment on the President's national radio address to be delivered tomorrow night.

Mr. Roosevelt suggested recently that the United States might lease or lend Britain necessary future war supplies with satisfactory settlement to be arranged after the European conflict ended.

Wheeler said he was confident that the administration would not attempt to put into effect any plan to circumvent the "cash and carry" provisions of the neutrality act, but would ask congressional approval of any additional aid to Britain.

"If the President has the right to lease battleships, airplanes and munitions," Wheeler said, "he can lease 'suicide' his report in the army, or who are being drafted now. One is just as legal as the other and one will lead to the other."

GOOD-BYE TO 1940

Babson Says Yr-End Finds Business Dismal
Washington, D. C., Dec. 28.—In the people of most other cities throughout the country, they realize what we find ourselves up to in this closing week of the year.

Hail and Farewell
Venture to say that two days ago the majority of our people enjoyed the best and most prosperous Christmas they have had in years.

Officers Probing Mysterious Death

Kanapolis, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Officers investigated today the mysterious death of Dr. E. E. Robinson, 38, who was killed and his physician for the Cannon Mills 1.50 injured by freakish gale winds company whose body was found at night about 100 yards from his home.

The body lay just off the pavement of the highway. Police could not determine at once whether he had been hit by an auto or whether he had been involved.

Officers said the physician's pocket book was empty, but did not contain the keys for the Weather Bureau house he had ever recorded in the state automobile was also reported missing.

WELL, HECK, HOW WAS HE TO KNOW THAT?

Oklahoma City.—(AP)—The young infantryman who knocked on the door of Mrs. Kenneth S. Whittemore's home told a tale of being stranded while en route to Cleveland from "my outfit in El Paso."

"What is your outfit?" asked Mrs. Whittemore, who had placed a plate of food before him.

Only Two Lost In Sinking Of Tanker

New York, Dec. 28 (AP)—The unexplained sinking of the Standard Oil tanker Charles Pratt off the West African coast was reported today by its captain who called that of the crew of 42 American seamen only two were lost.

First word of the sinking last Saturday was received here yesterday by the Standard Oil company of New Jersey from its London offices and placed the number of known survivors at 20.

Early today, however, Capt. Eric R. Bomquits of the 392-ton Pan-American registered tanker said in a cable that the ship was lost December 21 and all of the crew except two were rescued.

Weather Report

Table with weather data including temperatures, precipitation, and barometer readings.

Social and Personal

Social Calendar

MONDAY
6:30 p. m.—The Rotary Club meets
7:00 p. m.—The Lions' Club will meet.

WEDNESDAY
7:30 p. m.—Mid-week service at Presbyterian Church.

THURSDAY
7:30 p. m.—Modern Woodmen meet.
7:30 p. m.—Knights of Pythias will meet.
7:45 p. m.—The Methodist choir will meet for rehearsal.

FRIDAY
6:30 p. m.—The Kiwanis Club meets.
7:30 p. m.—The Red Men will meet.

Episcopal Announcements.
The Church school meets Sunday morning at 9:45 as usual. The Men's Bible Class will broadcast the service from 10:00 to 10:30 with Mr. A. E. Gibson bringing the message of the lesson. At 11:00 o'clock the preaching service will be broadcast also. These services will conclude the broadcast from the Presbyterian Church for the present and the service will go to another church of the city for January. Dr. Robert S. Boyd, pastor, plans to speak Sunday morning on the subject, "Jesus Begins His Ministry Among Men." The Young People of Meadowbrook Chapel will meet at 6:30 p. m. and preaching services will be conducted there by Dr. Boyd at 7:30 p. m. His subject at Meadowbrook will be "Why Were They Called Wise Men?" The prayer meeting Wednesday night will be a "Preparation Service for the Observance of the Lord's Supper," Sunday, January 6th. All elders and members of the church are urged to attend. Hour: 7:20 to 8:15.

Wedding Announcements.
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Griffin of Robersonville, announce the marriage of their daughters, Edna Elizabeth, to Earl Patrick Simmons, of Kinston and Greenville in Dillon, S. C., December 24, 1940 and Lela Christine to Loftus Allan Stocks of Bethel in Winterville, N. C., Dec. 24, 1940.

SOMETIMES
If times are hard and you feel blue.
Think of the other, worrying, too.
Just because your trials are many.
Don't think the rest of us haven't any.
Life is made up of smiles and tears.
Joys and sorrows, mixed with And though to us it seems one-sided,
Trouble is pretty well divided.
If we could look in every heart,
We'd find that each one has its part.
And those who travel Fortune's road
Sometimes carry the biggest load.
—Letha Spaight

Birth Announcement.
Mr. and Mrs. Everett F. Congleton announce the birth of a daughter, Elsie Martel, on Friday, December 27, 1940.
Mrs. Congleton is the former Miss Vivian Morton of this city.

Mrs. Woolard Entertains.
On Thursday afternoon from 4 to 5:30, Mrs. W. H. Woolard entertained at her home.
Mrs. A. W. Fleischmann who has been spending the holidays in the city visiting friends.
The home was beautifully decorated with poinsettias and candlelight cast a soft glow over Christmas scenes featured in the living room.
Dainty refreshments were served to the guests of arrival by Misses Mary Woolard, Betty and Jeanne Marie Fleischmann.
Among the guests of the afternoon were Mrs. Rebecca Deal and Miss Agnes Deal of Greenville, South Carolina.

Luncheon For Bridal Party.
In compliment to their sister, Miss Kara Lynn Corey, and her fiancé, Mr. Robert Fennell, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hicks Corey entertained at a buffet luncheon on Friday at one o'clock at their home on Library street.
As the guests arrived they were extended cordial greetings by Mr. and Mrs. Corey, Miss Corey and Mr. Fennell.
The house was distinctively decorated in bridal green and white, and effectively lighted with Christmas lights and burning candles.
The green and white color note was repeated in the beautiful appointments of the dining table, from which the hostess and Mrs. Preston Corey served a delicious three-course luncheon, and on the auxiliary tables placed throughout the rooms for the guests.
Mrs. Z. L. Edwards of Washington, a sister of Mrs. Hicks Corey, assisted in receiving and serving.
The bride was presented a corsage of red and white roses.
Luncheon guests were members of the bridal party and immediate families, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spain, parents of the junior bridesmaid, Mr. and Mrs. George Biggs, Bill Simon, Elmore Hinnant, Joe Fox, Miss Mae Campbell, Dr. Cedric Ziblin and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Huggins of Wilmington.

To Speak To Bible Class.
W. J. Sundry will speak to the Oron Memorial Bible class at the Methodist Church on Sunday morning.
Spend Holidays Here.
Members of the family of Mrs. J. B. Spilman left today after having spent the holidays at their home in Greenville.
Mrs. Spilman will resume her duties as vice-chairman of the N. C. Unemployment Compensation Commission, and Miss Frances Spilman her chemical work. J. B. Spilman returned to Chapel Hill, and Bernard Spilman to Wake Forest College.

Gardner-Dixon.
Mr. and Mrs. James Edward Dixon announce the marriage of their daughter, Lillie Mae, to Mr. Morgan Oswald Gardner on October twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and forty Conway, South Carolina.

Hines-Smith.
The marriage of Miss Ada Kelly Smith to Mr. Lovit Hines of Kinston was solemnized this afternoon in formal ceremony at five o'clock at the Eighth Street Christian Church before a large assemblage of friends and relatives.
Officiating at the ceremony was the Reverend William A. Ryan, pastor of the bride.
The church, with its background of palms, southern smilax and white lilies, illuminated by the soft glow from myriads of tapers, formed a lovely setting for the impressive ceremony. The traditional kneeling pillows were used.
As the guests assembled, Mrs. Ray Tyson, aunt of the bride, presented a program of nuptial music. Mrs. J. Knott Proctor sang "Because," and "The Sweetest Story Ever Told." The bridal chorus from "Lohengrin" was used as the bridal procession, and Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" was used as the recessional.
Acting as ushers were Watt LaRouge and Raymond Hartsell of Kinston, Ed Collins of Raleigh, and Jimmy Byron of New Bern.
The bride entered with her father, Mr. William Hugh Smith, and was met at the altar by the bridegroom and his best man, Mr. Willis Hines of Kinston. Her wedding gown was ivory slipper satin, designed by Chaparelli, having a fitted bodice, long sleeve and sweetheart neckline. The skirt was very full, falling into soft folds and extending with a long circular train. Her veil of illusion, worn full length, was attached to a coronet of pearls. She carried a bouquet of bride's roses and swan's sofa showered with lilies of the valley.
Miss Jane Smith attended her sister as maid of honor. The bridesmaids were, Miss Marie Smith, also a sister of the bride, and Miss Barbara Thomas of High Point. The attendants wore gowns of ivory slipper satin closely resembling that of the bride, with full skirt, tight bodice and with full puffed sleeves. They carried red roses with long streamers of red satin ribbon.
Mrs. Hines is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Hugh Smith of this city, and is a popular member of the younger set in Greenville. She attended the Greenville city schools and completed her education at Greensboro College. Since the announcement of her engagement several weeks ago, she has been extended many social courtesies.
Mr. Hines is the son of Mrs. Lovit Hines and the late Mr. Hines of Kinston. He was educated at Blue Ridge Academy and the University of North Carolina.
Immediately following the wedding, Mr. and Mrs. Hines left for a trip to northern points. Upon their return they will make their home in Kinston.
Upon traveling, the bride wore a smart black ensemble trimmed with leopard skin with hat to match. Her accessories were of black.
Last evening, following rehearsal, the bridal party and out-of-town guests were entertained at a delightful cake-cutting at the home of the bride's parents.
Out-of-town guests here for the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clark of Richmond, Va.; Mrs. Nell Forbes, Mr. and Mrs. Love Helms, Billy Utley, and Mrs. D. F. Thomas of Sanford; Mrs. Lovit Hines, mother of the groom, Mrs. Willis Hines, Mrs. Walter LaRouge, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Hines, Harvey Hines, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hines, Jr., of Kinston; Woodv Pittman and Ollie Bright of Norfolk, Va.; Mrs. Vernessa Townsend, Miss Neta Lee Townsend, Miss Mary Ann Townsend and Charles Ray Townsend of Farmville; and Miss Marie Sutton of LaGrange.

Fennell-Corey.
Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church was the scene of a beautiful all-day wedding December 27 at eight o'clock, when Miss Kara Lynn Corey and Robert Williams Fennell were united in marriage.
The Rev. Thomas McM. Grant officiated at the ceremony. The church was decorated with long-leaf pine and northern fir, flanked by seven-branched candelabra bearing white cathedral tapers. On either side of the altar rail were tall baskets of calla lilies and garlanded pom-poms. Cathedral candles lined the altar rail.
Seats reserved for the families were marked with large bows of white satin ribbon.
Prior to the ceremony, Mrs. G. B. W. Hadley, organist, presented a program of nuptial music. Mrs. Helene Higgs Kirkpatrick, soloist, sang "At Dawning" and the vested choir composed of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Parkinson, Miss Helen Foley, Mrs. Helene H. Kirkpatrick, Mr. Aubrey Tillee and Mrs. Arthur B. Corey, sang "Liebestraum."
The traditional wedding marches were used. During the impressive ceremony Mrs. Hadley played "Traumerel," by Schumann.
Ushers for the occasion were George Elger, Bill Simons, Elmore Hinnant and Joe Fox of Wilmington. The bridegroom was attended by Dr. Cedric Ziblin as best man.
The bridesmaids, Miss Helen Gaskins of Greenville and Miss Mae Campbell of Wilmington, were gowned in white net fashioned with sweetheart neckline and very full skirt. In their hair they wore sequin flowers. They carried colonial bouquets of Rome Glory roses and white narcissi.
Miss Verna Dare Corey of Greenville, sister of the bride, attended as maid of honor. Her dress was of over a steep embankment near white net with lame bodice and very full skirt. She wore a lame bow in her hair. She carried an identical bouquet of Rome Glory roses and narcissi.
Mrs. Everette Huggins of Wilmington was maid of honor. Her gown was of white net with silver accessories. She carried a colonial bouquet of red roses. Her hair ornament was a silver bow.
The junior bridesmaids, Frances Hardee Spain and Mitzie Sue Taylor, wore identical net dresses of pure white fashioned with sweetheart neckline. They carried miniature colonial bouquets identical to those of the other attendants.
The bride entered with her brother, Honorable Arthur B. Corey, by whom she was given in marriage. Her wedding dress was of handsome ivory brocade taffeta. It was an Emily model fashioned with lace yoke edged with a tiny lace ruffle. The back of the neck was finished with an old-fashioned standing lace collar. A row of self-covered buttons extended down the back from the neck to the waistline. The sleeves puffed at the shoulder and tapered to tight-fitting cuffs. Billy points over the hand. Her lace-trimmed finger-tip length veil of illusion was held in place by a coronet of orange blossoms. Her only ornament was a cameo pin which belonged to her mother.
The bride is the youngest daughter of Mrs. Sadie D. Corey and the late James Henry Corey of Greenville. Her maternal and paternal ancestors have been prominent in the history of the South. She is a direct descendant of Colonel Gallaway, who was an outstanding figure in the early history of this country. She received her education in the Greenville city schools and is a graduate of East Carolina Teachers College, where she held many important offices. She is a member of the faculty of the Wilmington city schools at present.

Mr. Fennell is the son of the late Edward K. and Margaret Fennell of Richmond, Va. His maternal and paternal ancestors have been prominent in the South's Colonial history. Both families have been prominent Scottish Clansmen of the lower Cape Fear region. Mr. Fennell was educated at McCale School, Chattanooga, Tenn., where he was an outstanding member of the student body; and at N. C. State College, Raleigh. He is a member of Sigma Nu fraternity. For the past several years, Mr. Fennell has held a responsible position with General Foods Sales Company in Wilmington.

Free Will Baptist Church.
Rev. L. E. Ballard, pastor of the Free Will Baptist Church, will say his subject tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock, "The Eternal Glow of the Star."
The usual fifth Sunday sing will be held in the evening, with "Moyes of Snow Hill, the Pittmans from Ayden, and other good songs participating. If you have spare talent you can enter for the contest and the uplifting of new songs and join with us at 7:30 p. m. A welcome awaits all.

Mr. and Mrs. Corey Entertain.
One of the loveliest of the pre-nuptial compliments paid Miss Kara Lynn Corey and Mr. Robert W. Fennell and their wedding party was the cake-cutting given by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Corey after the wedding rehearsal on Thursday night.
The home was lovely with long-leaf pine and dainty white net poinsettias. The feature decorum of the living room was a Yuletide snow scene on the mantel.
The dining room table was decorated with a handsome Nile gum cloth. The table arrangement is exquisite, representing a chub aisle with small burning tapers running diagonally from the lower corners to the large white wedding cake at the opposite end. The entire wedding party done in miniature were arranged between the burnt candles. A shower of wedding hangings from the chandelier.
There was much merriment as the bride-elect, Miss Kara Lynn Corey, cut the first slice from the cake, tiny music box which was placed within the cake, played the traditional wedding march. After a guest had cut the cake, Mrs. Ja Spain, who presided at the head of the table, served bridal ices. 7 junior bridesmaids, little Miss Frances Hardee Spain and Mitzie Sue Taylor, assisted in serving sal nuts.
At a late hour the guests departed after wishing the honorees I voyage on the sea of matrimony.

Confined At Home.
Mr. J. C. Tyson is confined at home on West Fourth street with illness.

Towne Club Dance.
The Towne Club dance at the High School last evening proved most successful and enjoyable occasion.
The gymnasium was attractively decorated in red, white and gold and the music of Billy Roberts' orchestra added greatly to pleasure of the dancers.
A large number of out of town guests were present.

Burned To Death.
Elizabeth Williamson, N. C., Dec. 28.—J. Walter Williamson, 69, of night when his automobile was over a steep embankment near white net with lame bodice and very full skirt.

MODES of the MOMENT



A breath of spring is in order for the new year. You can feel it in these two navy blue dresses designed for wear in January. The one at the left has white collars and cuffs and a little peplum. The other, a tunic dress, has the new sloping shoulder line and a patriotic emblem on the belt. Both are wearable with spring furs.

Movie Musings

At The Pitt Next Week.
Today-Monday-Tuesday — "Escape," tense drama starring Norma Shearer, Robert Taylor, Conrad Veidt and others. (Adult) Also latest News Events.
Tuesday night, at 11:30 — New Years' Eve late show "The Westerner" featuring Gary Cooper. Also "Johnnie Messnes and Orchestra," musical. Fun and favors for all.
Wednesday-Thursday-Friday — Henry Fonda, Dorothy Lamour in technical romance, "Chad Hanna" with Linda Darnell. (Adult) On same program "Eugene the Jeep," Popeye cartoon, "Quicker 'N' Wink," Pete Smith novelty. News. Starts Saturday—"The Lane Sisters," Gale Page in "Four Mothers." Selected short subjects.

Black Jack News

By MILDRED ADAMS
Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dixon and Mrs. G. H. Rouse attended the F. W. B. Sunday school convention at Gum Swamp today.
Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Mills spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Junior McGowan of Greenville.
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin James of Clay Root is spending a few days with Miss James' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Harper.
Mr. and Mrs. John H. Singleton have returned to their homes in Washington after a short visit here with Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Gaskins. (Family). Plus "Peace On Earth." Miss Dorothy Galloway has returned from Pitt General Hospital and is now recuperating.

CHICOD NEWS

By MRS. MILTON TUCKER
Prayer service was conducted by Mr. G. S. Porter last Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.
The Christmas program was well attended and enjoyed by all present. The tree was beautiful and laden with presents. Old Santa was a welcome guest and distributed the presents. Bags of fruit were given to the small children of the Sunday school.
The Christian Service ladies of the church met yesterday afternoon with Miss Rosa Lee Briley, with almost all the members present. A present was under the Christmas tree for each member of the Auxiliary. The program was given by our president, Mrs. S. T. Porter, and Mrs. Marjorie Davis.
Delightful refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Misses Janet Godley and Frances Briley, after which Miss Ethel Tucker distributed the presents. The January meeting will be held with Mrs. Marjorie Davis in Greenville.
Mr. Jack Edwards, Jr., of Port Bragg is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edwards.
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Worthington and little daughter of Ayden spent Christmas eve night and Christmas day with Mrs. Worthington's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Porter.
Mr. Lindsay McArthur was home to spend Christmas.
Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Summerell and little daughter spent Christmas eve night and Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Briley.
Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Tucker and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tucker Christmas day.
Miss Elizabeth Edwards, Miss Ethel Tucker, Mrs. Jimmie Edwards and Mrs. Sammie Tucker were business visitors in Washington yesterday.

ANY ROADS THROUGH A CHICKEN FARM?

Sandefjord, Norway.—(AP)—The county of Vedfjord has signed a contract with farmer Soeren Soelund and Mrs. Soelund to the effect that 250 fruit trees along a road across their farm are to be considered public property. Passers-by may eat what fruit they can on the spot, but none may be carried off.

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—In Monday's Issue—
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These Women!

By ADELAIDE KERR
AP Feature Service Writer

Ilka Chase, actress and wife of William Murray, theatrical agent, is one of New York's busiest women. She appears in a Broadway play each season, acts as "master of ceremonies" for NBC's weekly "Luncheon at the Waldorf" program, takes singing lessons, maintains an ultra-chic wardrobe and plays hostess at the Murray family parties.

She says her secret of success in handling the super-crowded schedule lies in these three rules:

1. "Always meet your deadline." (Miss Chase never permits herself to "put off" anything until tomorrow. Insists on being on time for



ILKA CHASE

2. "Telescope your activities." (She outlines the day's menus while she has her morning bath, dictates while she dresses, lunches where she can get material for her radio program.)
3. "Plan your household affairs so that your husband doesn't have to be bothered with them."

Mrs. Madeline Mirow, widow of a pioneer airman of Alaska, is said to be the only woman in the United States who is president of an airline. Since her husband's death last year she operates the Mirow Air Service, carrying passengers and mail between Nome and Anchorage. Her business wardrobe includes riding trousers, wool shirt, parka (hooded coat) and muklas (reindeer boots).

Mrs. Jeanette Stevens of New York has expanded a hobby and \$28 into a new and unique business.

Five years ago Mrs. Stevens, who loves the sea, decided to build a boat. By using her own hands, the plans drawn by a sympathetic brother-in-law, the twenty-eight dollars and some paint, screws and planks donated by friends she built a 16-foot sloop near the Chinese graveyard on Staten Island. Soon she was sailing around the Sound.

Landlubber friends who contemplated buying boats began to beg her to teach them how to handle ropes and compasses and how to read charts. She did—for fees. Now she owns a 50-foot sloop and teaches seamanship to business men and women.

Women all over the world are using their heads in unusual ways to get unique evening effects this year. Here's one idea:



The leaves are ordinary ivy leaves plucked from a vine; the earrings and cuff are diamond snowballs. (You can copy the effect whether your earrings are diamonds or not.)

Princess Marthe de Bourbon's trick is to wear a gold bow in her blonde hair.

Mrs. Byron Foy, daughter of the late motor magnate, Walter Chrysler, studs her dark rolled-up coiffure with jeweled crescents set over each temple.

Mrs. Adam Gimbel covers her coiffure with an invisible hairnet studded with brilliant stars.

Madame Andre Maurin, wife of the French author, wears a chic red and blue striped crepe turban which she designed herself.

Hollywood Sights And Sounds

By Robbin Coons

Hollywood.—"Santa Fe Trail." Screenplay by Robert Buckner. Directed by Michael Curtiz. Principals: Errol Flynn, Olivia de Havilland, Raymond Massey, Ronald Reagan, Alan Hale, William Lundigan, Van Heflin, Gene Reynolds, Henry O'Neill, Quinn Williams.

It would have been more aptly titled "Bloody Kansas" or "Carry Me Back to Ole Virginny" or "John

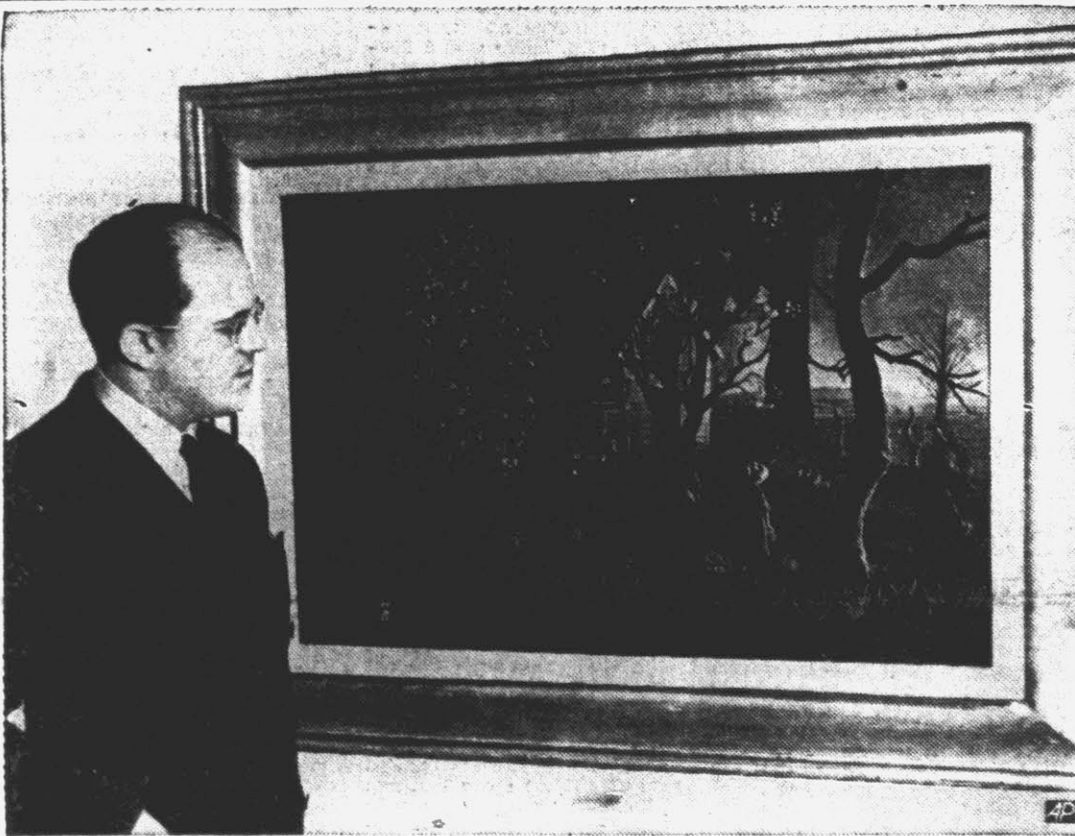
GOOFY GANDERS AT 1940

Here's the way some things looked in 1940. John Barrymore perpetuated the G. P. by imprinting it in concrete in Hol-

lywood. Marcel (The Angel) Tillet too-held an uncooperative opponent. New York socialite Josephine Johnson was dunked in the pool at her own party.



(Above) Jiggs objected to cameramen. (Left) Marie Craig of Wyoming learned how to quiet a bronc while pal put the saddle on. (Right) Elizabeth Johnson of Alabama took a flying lesson, didn't get along so well.



MISSOURI PASTORAL IN NEW YORK—From the farm where he milks the cows and tends chickens, Robert MacDonald Graham of Hickman Mills, Mo., drew inspiration for his painting, "Peaceful Evening," shown in New York and being admired, above, by Reeves Lewenthal. The canvas was one of several sent to New York to show how state of Missouri is producing regional art.

Brown's Body," for neither Santa Fe nor the historic trail get more than a polite bow in this action tale of pre-Civil War strife.

Perhaps because movies already have been made of railroad-building and covered wagon days, perhaps because John Brown and his fanatic mission of revolt and abolition just naturally ran away with the story, "Santa Fe Trail" never gets farther than six miles west of Leavenworth, and for its climax it turns completely eastward to Harper's Ferry, Va., where John Brown found his own trail's end.

As dashing Jeb Stuart, U. S. cavalry officer later to be famed in the Confederacy, Flynn is given ample and exciting opportunity to drive John Brown from Kansas, thus opening the Santa Fe Trail to more peaceful travel, and finally to take part in his capture at Harper's Ferry. There is plenty of riding, shooting, and chasing in typical western style, and there is romance, and a painless injection of history. The picture gains in stature over the usual action thriller, however, because of the work of Massey as John Brown, and of Heflin as a Judas impartial in dispensing his betrayals.

"Victory." Screenplay by John L. Balderston from Joseph Conrad's novel. Directed by John Cromwell. Principals: Fredric March, Betty Field, Sir Cedric Hardwicke, Jerome Cowan, Sig Ruman.

The story of Heyst, cultured recluse from life, and Alma, the little pianist who brought life—and danger—to his jungle island retreat, has been filmed with fairly absorbing results.

March is as persuasive as usual. Miss Field shows anew her interesting versatility. Sir Cedric Cowan and Lionel Royce make a fascinating trio of cutthroats, and considerable of the Conrad "atmosphere" and feeling are captured. The victory of Heyst and Alma over fear is given good, concrete cinematic treatment in suspenseful sequences from which both emerge alive—the latter a matter in which Conrad as I recall, was neglectful.

"Chad Hanna." Screenplay by Nunnally Johnson from Walter D. Edmond's novel. Directed by Henry King. Principals: Henry Fonda, Dorothy Lamour, Linda Darnell, Guy Kibbee, Jane Darwell, John Carradine, Ted North.

Here's a pleasant little romance of circus life in a day when a traveling show that could boast an elephant was really something, and the loss of a bareback rider could be a catastrophe.

Done in color. It's the tale of a New York country boy (1841) who falls for the trick rider (Lamour) but marries her successor (Darnell) when the star gets a better offer from a rival show. In the end he discovers, to his surprise, that he's been in love with his wife all the time. "Chad Hanna's" picture of circus days as they used to be intrigued this part of the audience.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND UNDER MORTGAGE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage executed by Rosa Mooring to B. C.

Gardner on the 16th day of November, 1926, and recorded in Book O-16 page 140 of the Pitt County Registry, and default in payment having been made, as in said mortgage required and provided, the undersigned will on Saturday, the

25th day of January, 1941 and at 12 o'clock, noon and before the Court House door in Greenville, N. C. expose to public sale the following described land: Lying and being in the Town of Bethel, Bethel Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and bounded and described, as follows: Begin-

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BLONDIE — by Young



ning at Mack Jenkins' lot on the North, and running with Mack Jenkins' line to where it joins Thad Rogers on the East, and joins Berry Jones on the West. Said lot being 51 feet wide and 164 feet deep. This being part of the lot that was deeded to Thad Rogers by J. W. Gardner and wife under deed dated Feb. 12, 1917 and recorded in Book V-11, page 439 of the Pitt County

Fashion Fixes No Age Lines



AP Feature Service

Maturity has kicked over the fashion traces.

No more does the woman with college-age children think she must wear nothing but dresses with draped bosoms, or deep V-neck-lines discreetly edged in white.

If her figure is reasonably good,

the mature woman can wear the high round necklines of youth, and the sharp colors she used to avoid as too gay for her age.

Good shops rout middle-aged dowdiness with entire departments devoted to dressing size 16 and up.

An example of spanking smartness for the forty-ish woman is the

two-piece dress shown above. It is made of very sheer black wool, with the high neckline and bodice embroidered in jet. The hat is ageless, gay, Not, for once, an off-the-rose. A costume to wear with satisfaction to teas, bridge parties, club meetings.

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Julius Brown, Atty.

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Strength For The Day

By PAUL E. DOUGLASS

FOUR DIVINE COMMANDS

Generally our Lord advised His disciples to pray; but there were a few matters about which He commanded them to pray.

Exchange Students: Only a few months older is the exchange of students and professors between the United States and 12 of the 21 Latin-American republics.

NO MORE POLITICAL LUXURIES

One recent statement of the President says that his next budget will involve drastic paring of government expenditures with the sole exception of those which have a direct bearing on the defense program.

Washington Daybook: Washington—The evolution taking place in education under the impetus of national defense is not just a spontaneous burst of patriotism in the chests of modern educators.

Washington Daybook

By Preston Crocker

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Slow Motion



REC-MANNING... PROMISE REPUBLIC AND BATTLE STRATEGIC

requests for working funds, he gives a good basis on which such calculations could be made.

Mr. Gill didn't do the calculating, but figure it out. It costs 29 cents a day less to keep the 1,433,720 men in prison than the 1,433,720 men who are being saved, which at 89 cents per day would amount to \$1,276,018.80 in five years, or above \$250,000 a year.

The Parole Commission declares that the economic value doesn't stop with the mere saving effected in cost of maintenance of prisons.

Health Program: Commissioner Studebaker has issued a seven-point health program that already has been adopted in thousands of grade and high schools.

Crossword Puzzle

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down words.

Short Shots

Raleigh, Dec. 28.—The parole system of North Carolina is being regarded as something very valuable in the way of rehabilitation.

Who Killed Aunt Maggie?

By MEDORA FIELD

Chapter 46: Sally's Find: BUT I knew I could not remain on that bottom step indefinitely.

Finally reaching the top step, I groped about trying to locate the spring or handle or some means to open the trap door.

My hands were bruised from the futile pounding and I was all out of breath from yelling, so we just sat there for a little while.

Then I remembered the lost packet of matches I had reclaimed on the stairway that morning.

Finally I remembered to tell myself that I would be missed by someone above stairs.

PANDORA - LIKE, I began to wonder about the secret room. How big was it? What did it contain?

I examined the rose puff more carefully. Yes, there with the down spilling out was the place where it had been snagged on the stairway.

I struck a fresh match and in its light was revealed a...

Exploration: TOUCHING the dying match to the wick, I picked up the candle and moved it cautiously expiring.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH: Rev. W. F. Jones, Pastor. Residence, Bethel, N. C. 10:45 a. m.—Sunday School.

THE LUTHERAN CHURCH: (Rotary Club Building) Robert L. Landeck, Pastor. 503 W. Fourth St.—Phone 3840.

JARVIS MEMORIAL CHURCH: Rev. Thomas McMillan, Pastor. 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School; J. H. Rose, Supt.

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS: Corner 13th and Reade Sts. Rev. J. G. Spivey, Pastor. 10:00 a. m.—Sunday School; J. W. Bunch, Supt.

MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH: Dr. J. D. Simons, Pastor. 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School; E. R. Conway, Jr., Supt.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHAPEL: Vanceboro, N. C. Rev. J. C. Gardner, Pastor. 9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.

ST. PETER'S F. W. B. CHURCH: Vanceboro, N. C. Rev. J. C. Gardner, Pastor. 9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.

CECIL GROVE BAPTIST: Rev. C. C. Sharp, Pastor. 10:30 a. m.—Sunday School.

ELOHIM HOLINESS CHURCH: Pitt Street. Elder J. N. Batten, Pastor. Services at 11:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., Sunday.

ENGLISH CHAPEL F. W. B. CHURCH: Rev. S. H. Hembly, Pastor. 9:30 a. m.—Sunday School; Sam King, Supt.; Mrs. Annie Fleming, Secy.

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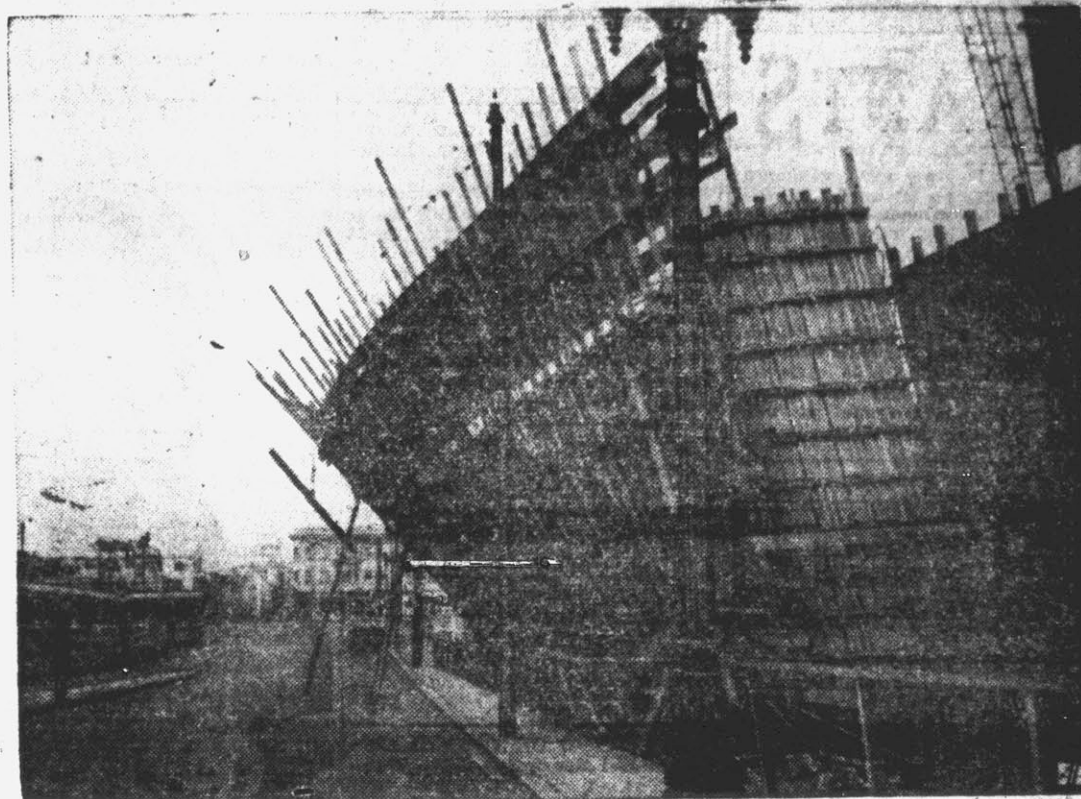
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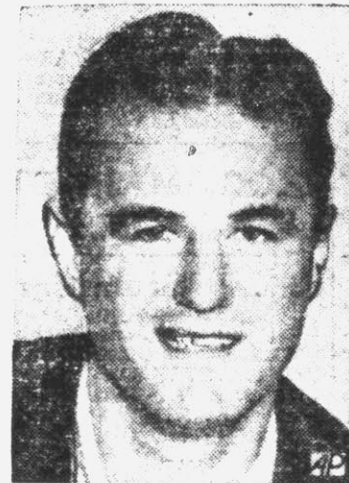
DEEP IN BOOKS—NOW!—Out of books as well as the sea do navy men get their training. These students are U.S. naval reserve midshipmen in New York aboard the naval training ship Illinois, before a call to dance came.



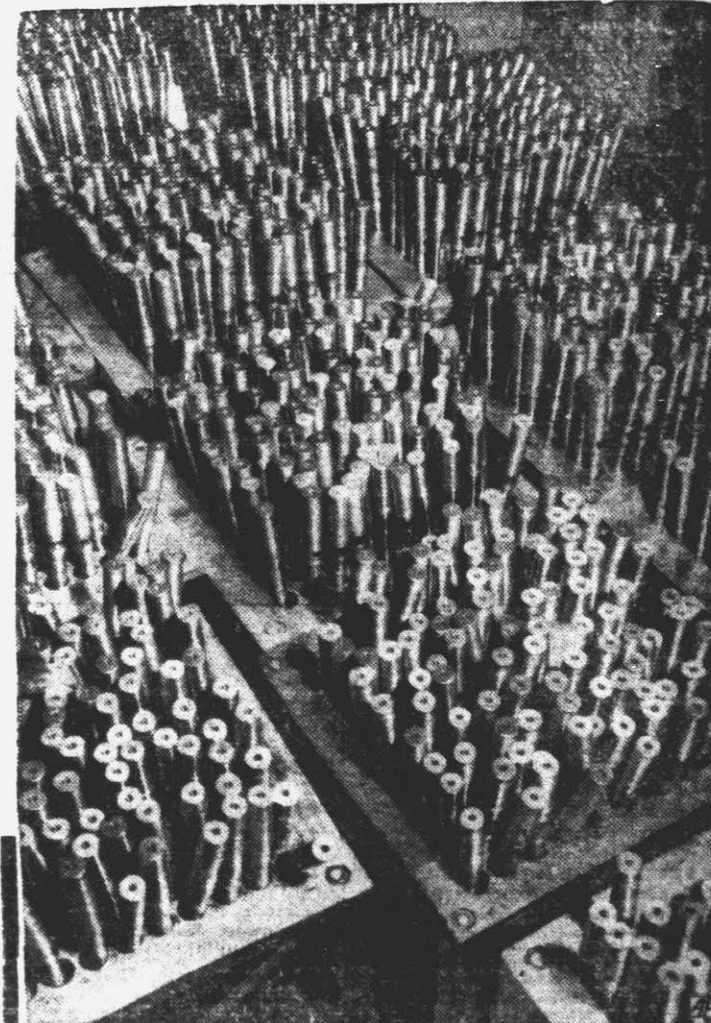
C'MON, LET'S DANCE—Book fever gets a go-by when girls appear to teach dancing aboard training ship, Illinois. Men are Chas. Ware (left), Panama, Cal.; Robt. Ross, Robinson, Ill.



ALMOST A PUSHOVER—After a windstorm in Oakland, Cal., finished pushing this framework for a concrete building around, it looked like the framework for a ship's hull.



CHECKUP—William (Billy) Jurges (above), Giants infielder, "beaten" June 23 by PITCHER Bucky Walters in game with Cincinnati, has gone to a New York hospital for checkup.



BARREL OF TROUBLE—Business ends of hundreds of guns make a pleasing pattern at the Springfield, Mass., armory, but their intentions may be far from pleasant, as Uncle Sam pushes ahead his huge defense and armament program.



BOWL-UP—There's probably a better day ahead but right now William Holson, 18 months, doesn't know it—which accounts for his heartbreak. When his mother didn't return from a shopping trip in Chicago, he was taken to an orphanage.



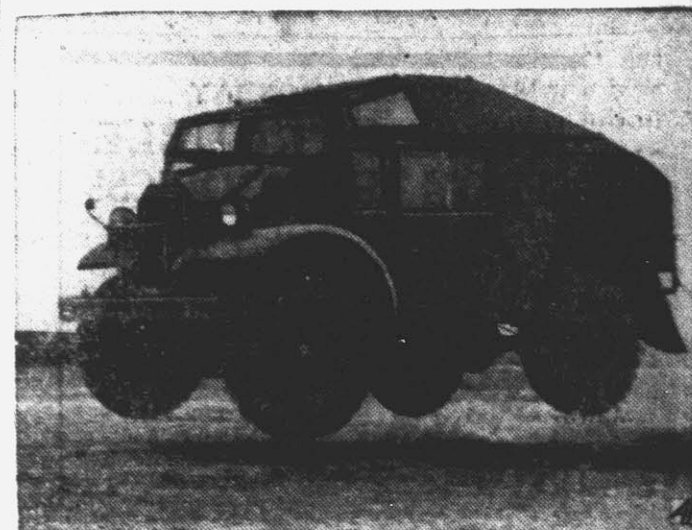
IN KEY WITH KEYS—Hildegard, the former Milwaukee singer who believes in economizing about names, listens to the 40 different instrumental tones added to a piano by a new device. The vocal effects are entirely Hildegard's own.



WINE ON THE WING—Champagne flew high, wide and handsome when Mrs. James V. Forrestal, wife of the navy undersecretary, christened the U.S.S. Vulcan, a \$13,997,000 ocean-going machine shop for the navy, recently at Camden, N. J.



IN STEP—Opening of the opera Dec. 2 in New York sets the pace in fashion, and this miss is more than prepared. For her Big Moment, she has an American beauty silk faille taffeta with swathed hip, set off by an ermine bolero.



LEAPIN' LENA—The bounce test didn't stump this gun tractor built for Canada and being put through its paces before shipment to England. Even with four wheels off the ground it seems to be making progress forward.



THE JUSTICE STEPS OUT—Rare evening social engagement was this, for Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes, and Mrs. Hughes; occasion was White House reception for judiciary. Chief Justice Hughes is 75, was named to supreme court in 1930.



BAN—Princess Hohenlohe (above) of Hungary, friend of high Nazis, has been ordered by the justice department to quit United States or face deportation proceedings.



TURF—Uncle Sam takes over the training program of W. J. "Buddy" Hirsch (above) from now on. A horse trainer himself, and son of Max Hirsch, Buddy's going into army.



MATTER OF TIMING—Fringe was definitely stylish trimming back in 1612, as can be seen in the costume worn by Elaine Posner of Troy, N. Y., in a New York style show. Jean Maier of New Rochelle, N. Y., demonstrates 1940 fashion chic.



BACK TO A MORTAL MOTHER—No longer a ward of the Royal Fraternity of Master Metaphysicians which had hoped to attain immortality for her, baby Jean Gauntt enjoys a romp with her mother in simple New York home. The metaphysicians secluded Jean in a mansion 15 months ago, believing to rear her in belief that illness and death are illusions.

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FOR RENT—THREE OR FOUR room furnished apartment. Electric stove, refrigerator and all conveniences. Phone 3762. Nov. 19-1f

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FOR RENT—BUNGALOW, HALF block from college. Three blocks from Main street. House containing living room, dining room, breakfast room, kitchen, three bedrooms, bath, heater room. One stove heats whole house. Joe S. Moye. 27-3f

FOR SALE OR RENT—A WELL established meat and grocery business. Will consider selling half interest. Excellent location. Write care P. O. Box 132, Greenville, N. C. 27-3f

STRAYED—ONE CALF, TWO months ago, to S. A. Whitehurst's farm, two miles west of Winterville. Owner may get same by paying damages, keep and advertising. E. C. Averett. 27-3f

COMFORTABLE BEDROOM FOR rent in steam heated home, in College View. Mrs. Joseph Smith, Dial 3371.

LOST—A MAN'S BROWN billfold containing \$42.00, driver's license, insurance license. Liberal reward if returned. A. A. Williamson, telephone 2485. 27-2f

WANTED—TO PURCHASE SMALL home, good neighborhood, in or near city. Must be real buy. Write "Home" care Reflector. 27-3f

LOST—IN FRONT OF DR. HOWARD McGinnis's home on East Third street, a black pigskin pocket-book containing glasses in case bearing Dr. Hawes' name. Also ring in coin purse. Finder return to The Reflector office and receive reward. 27-3f

PARM FOR RENT—SEVENTY acre farm, twelve acres tobacco, five acres cotton allotment. Apply R. R. Barbour, Morehead City, N. C. 28-3f

FOR RENT—ONE SIX-ROOM bungalow and one six-room apartment, in College View. Both places recently painted. Both places heated. Dial 3565. Thu-Sat-Tue.

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PANSIES—LARGE PLANTS OF Swiss Giants soon ready to bloom. \$3.00 per 100 delivered parcel post. Also any kind shrubs or fruit trees. Any first class nursery grows at reduced prices. Geo. Kittrell, Winterville, N. C. 28-2f



Norma Shearer and Robert Taylor caught by artist's brush on the "Escape" set!

BLACK VELVET EVENING COAT taken by mistake at the Towne Club dance Friday night. Call Miss Nancy Dunn, 311 Summit street, phone 3652-1.

FOR RENT—ROOM TO GENTLEMEN—close in Steam heat. Dial 3052. 27-4f

SPECIALS FOR SUNDAY—BUTTER Biscuits, Parkerhouse Rolls, Cottage Rolls and Jumbo Rolls. People's Bakery.

HOG MARKETS

Rocky Mount 6.75

Chicago Grain Market

(Courtesy Vernon Parrish)

WHEAT—	Open	Close	Pr. Cl
May	86 1/2	87	85 1/2
July	80 1/2	81 1/4	80 1/2
Sept.		81 1/4	80 1/2
CORN—			
May	61 1/2	62 1/4	61 1/2
July	61 1/2	61 1/4	61 1/2
Sept.		61 1/4	61 1/2
OATS—			
May	36 1/2	37	36 1/2
July	32 1/2	32 1/4	32 1/2
RYE—			
May	46 1/2	47 1/4	46 1/2
July	47 1/2	48	47 1/2

N. Y. STOCK LIST

American Radiator	6 1/2
American Telephone	166 1/2
American Tobacco B	71
Anaconda	25 1/2
A. C. L.	13 1/2
Atlantic Refining	24 1/2
Bendix Aviation	33 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	85 1/2
Chrysler	73 1/2
Col. Gas and Electric	4 1/2
Commercial Solvent	10 1/2
Consolidated Oil	5 1/2
Curtis Wright	164 1/2
Dupont	9
Electric Power and Light	37 1/2
General Electric	32 1/2
General Motors	48 1/2
Liggett and Myers	97
Montgomery Ward	37
Reynolds Tobacco B	31 1/2
Southern Railway	12
Standard Oil of N. J.	33 1/2
U. S. Steel	69 1/2

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, Dec. 28 (AP)—A creeping year-end rally was extended today in a busy two-hour stock market.

Numerous gains of fractions to around two points were posted throughout the list as traders were attracted. Tax selling had been completed.

Transactions approximated 800,000 shares, the heaviest Saturday turnover since November 9.

New York Cotton

New York, Dec. 28. (AP)—Cotton futures opened two higher to one lower. Final prices were at the best of the day, two to four higher, middling spot 10.50, four 10.40.

BABSON

(Continued from page one)

Last December, I said there would be a gain of 10-15 per cent in business over the first half of 1939. In July of this year, I said that the second half of the year should show a six per cent gain over the first half of 1940 and last half of 1939, with maybe the best final half year in the history of our country for a 1940 wind-up. This put me on the spot, but the statements were amply justified. The record shows that in the first six months business averaged 11.6 per cent above the first half of 1939. In the second half of 1940 business is averaging five per cent above the first half of the year and is 5.4 per cent ahead of the last half of 1939. Business is currently 0.4 per cent above the final half of 1939, which makes it the best final half year in history!

What Concerns Washington?

If dispatches can be counted upon, Italy is cracking up. In spite of this favorable situation in the Near East for the British, it has released little if any, optimistic comment here. Perhaps recent pessimistic utterances of Mr. Knudsen and the President have nullified any upward spurt in the stock market which might normally be expected as encouraging news comes in. If so, this is a healthy condition. We want no runaway markets whether in stocks, raw materials or commodities. Rather, we must have attention to the work in hand, to the vitally-important defense program in all its various phases.

Madam Perkins may for a time convince the administration that a 40-hour week and increased industrial production can walk hand-in-hand. I doubt it. Certainly, harmony is necessary between employers and employees if our defense program is not to be interrupted. It is obvious too, that if a 40-hour week puts more people to work,

er, thence up Neuse River to its junction with Trent river as far as Pollockville, thence a southerly course by Maysville to White Oak river, thence down white Oak river to the Atlantic ocean at Bogue Inlet, thence along the southern boundary of Bogue and Shackelford Banks and along the southeastern boundary of Core and Portsmouth Banks to Ocracoke Inlet. The State of North Carolina and the United States of America be petitioned to withdraw their jurisdiction over this region and to cede this territory to the Federation of the World for its seat of government with all the prerogatives and attributes of sovereignty in order that there might be built in this area a City symbolic of world unity, adequate for the needs of the nations and worthy of the aspirations and destiny of mankind.

Beaufort, Dec. 28.—(AP)—H. S. Gibbs, who will represent Carteret county in the 1941 legislature, said today he would introduce a resolution proposing official approval of a movement for a world federation of nations, launched yesterday by Robert Lee Humber of Greenville, and formerly of Paris.

Judge Luther A. Hamilton was among those who endorsed the proposal. The movement was formally started by a group of citizens meeting at Humber's cottage on Davis Island, who signed a statement setting forth the immediate necessity of introducing all nations under government with sovereign authority to maintain the political independence and territorial integrity of all.

Industry Interested In Locating In State

The Eastern Carolina Chamber of Commerce is in receipt of an inquiry from a firm in the north seeking to establish a processing plant to manufacture waste materials such as peanut hulls, dead cotton leaves, turpentine stumps and the like into a product which they claim will have a ready market from the consumer's standpoint.

The parties interested went to know whether eastern Carolina can furnish a minimum of 10,000 tons per year from the first year, 20,000 tons for the second year and after that 30,000 tons per year of the materials mentioned. N. G. Bartlett, secretary of the regional organization, said he would like to hear from any communities who might be interested in securing further information about this project. The firm that is making the inquiry is now being investigated with a view of determining whether to recommend further investigation along this line.

Man About Manhattan

By George Tucker

New York—Dear Kids, this is a Broadway bedtime story about teddy-bears. But your mamas and papas are welcome to glance over your shoulders, if they want to.

Did you ever stop to think of the teddy-bear as something that somebody invented? Or wonder who invented it?

Well, about six weeks ago a man named Theodore Bear died in Chicago. He was 76 years old, and was credited with being the man who first thought up the teddy-bear.

But there are other claimants to this honor. Two years ago there died in New York a man named Morris Michtom, who all his life insisted that he was the one who originated and popularized the teddy-bear. His sons, who inherited his toy business, persist in this claim, and they will tell you today, if you go out to their home, or to any of their three factories, that Michtom pere was really the daddy of the toy teddy-bear.

You will have to admit that the Michtom version has its points. It begins with a cool strike. This was an important point, and it was settled finally by Theodore Roosevelt, who was President of the U. S. Teddy was so worn out after his long parleys with the officials and the miners that he went off on a hunt to recuperate. He went down the Mississippi, and near Smeeds, Miss., according to historian Mark Sullivan, he bagged a small bear.

Now there lived in Washington the famous cartoonist, Clifford Berrymann, and when word of Roosevelt's trip got into the news, Berrymann recorded the incident for posterity in one of his cartoons. This became so talked about that ever afterward Berrymann used the bear as his symbol.

The little bear caught the public fancy at the time and because of its connection with Roosevelt it was dubbed "teddy-bear."

Among the thousands who noticed the "Teddy" was Thomas Michtom, who had come to the U. S. from Russia in 1889. Michtom and his sons tried to build a toy around the bear in Berrymann's drawing.

Of course, there had been toys of other animals, but the "teddy-bear" was distinctive because, for one thing, its front paws were shorter than its hind feet, and it had shot-button eyes. Furthermore, it was always sitting down, rather than standing up as bears do in real life.

And so, from this small beginning the "teddy-bear" has grown into the classic of all native American toys.

Well, that's the story of the teddy bear. Did Michtom invent him? Or was it Theodore Bear?

In any case, it is nice to note that Santa Claus delivered his usual budget of the little fellows on December 25 last. Like the Plymouth Rock and the Mississippi river, I think it may safely be said that the teddy-bear is here to stay.

The San Francisco earthquake and fire caused damage estimated at \$250,000,000.

Your Screen Test

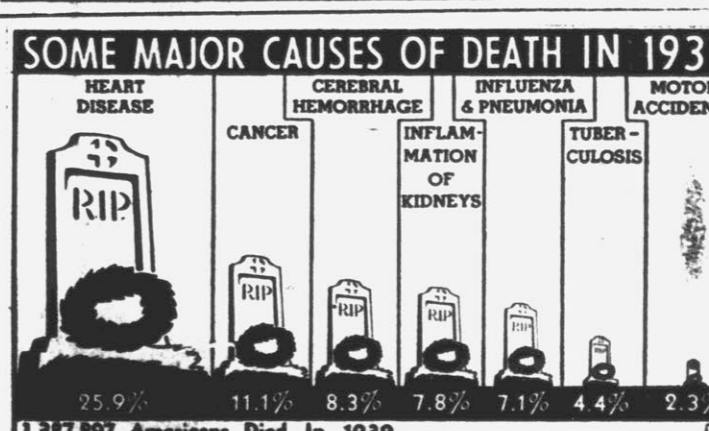
By ROBBIN COONS



- This girl, dancer, got a break recently when a Texas red-head struck for more pay? Who is she, what is her real name, and what is the picture for which she has dyed her brunette hair?
- Jack Benny and Fred Allen play themselves in their new picture. Can you name (a) a western star who always plays himself, and (b) a star of two musicals who so far has followed suit?
- Offhand, can you identify the following: (a) The Brazilian Bombshell. (b) The Jenny Lind of the Ozarks. (c) Eddie Anderson?
- Republic is looking for a girl to build as a "serial queen" in "Jungle Girl." Remember three one-time serial queens?
- It's getting near Academy Award time again. For what pictures did the following get their acting Oscars: (a) Mary Pickford? (b) Warner Baxter? (c) Fredric March? (d) Katharine Hepburn? (e) Clark Gable?

Count 20 points for each question correctly answered. A score of 60 is good, 80 is excellent and 90 or above is colossal.

- ### Screen Test Answers
- Rita Hayworth (real name Rita Cansino) dyed her hair for "Strawberry Blonde," on which Ann Sheridan "walked."
 - (a) Gene Autry, (b) Kay Kyser, (c) Carmen Miranda, (d) Judy Canova, (e) Jack Benny's Rochester, of course, (f) "Morning Glory," (g) "It Happened One Night."
 - Ruth Roland. Others: Florence LaBadie ("The Million Dollar Mystery"), Lottie Pickford ("The Diamond Waike"), Marie Walcamp ("Liberty"), etc.
 - (a) "Cocotte," (b) "In Old Arizona," (c) "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," (d) "Morning Glory," (e) "It Happened One Night."



1940 BIG YEAR FOR AVIATION

Steps To Front As Glamour Girl Of Industry

By CHARLES E. HARNER

New York.—(AP)—On the basis of demand, aviation enters the new year as No. 1 Glamour Girl of industry—and war.

American aviation manufacturers estimate their backlog of undelivered orders at about \$4,000,000,000—a figure eight times as great as a year ago and probably the largest of any industry in the country, including the extremely active shipbuilders.

The immensity of this challenge to production is best visualized by the fact that such a figure would provide for 40,000 bomber-fighters, a line of ships which, placed wing tip to wing tip, would extend from New York to Chicago.

To meet this demand, the manufacturers are reversing part of the evolution of the machine age, and are going back to decentralized production. In so doing they are opening up an apparently fertile field of endeavor.

For example: One particularly ac-

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SAYS PROFITS IN WOODLANDS

Extension Forester Says Millions Are Available

Raleigh, Dec. 28.—R. W. Graeber, Extension forester of N. C. State College, says the ten million acres of farm woodland in North Carolina can be managed so that it will produce an annual net income of \$3 per acre. That would mean 30 million dollars in farm income from forestry alone each year.

"I know of a forest farmer named Christian Kugler in the mountainous section of Central Europe who, during a recent 10-year period, harvested \$1,000 annually from a 100-acre tract of woodland," Graeber said. "That is an average return of \$10 per acre annually. Kugler maintained an average growing stock equivalent to 50 cords per acre."

"This European forest farm has been under systematic management for a period of 300 years. When timber is cut, the supply is not depleted. It is what we are developing through timber thinning and forest management demonstration in North Carolina."

Graeber said that North Carolina farmers naturally cannot expect to equal the income of a forest systematically managed for 300 years. "But it would not be visionary," he said, "for us to set as a goal the development of the forest lands in our state to the point of producing an annual net income of \$3 per acre."

"More than 50 percent of the total farm acreage in North Carolina is in woods. Another million and a quarter acres of idle land should be returned to forest through tree planting. It is practical and possible for us to put this vast acreage under definite management and greatly increase the income of our farm people. This can be done by thoughtful, systematic protection and harvest."

'REFUGEE' TERRIERS ONLY ONES IN U. S.

San Diego, Calif. — (AP) — The same ship which brought a batch of refugee British children brought six miniature Kerry blue terriers, whose owner sought a bombproof home for them.

Mrs. Julia Dowell, their "guardian," believes they are the only example of the breed in America.

ive engine maker buys from 800 separate firms in various parts of the country to assemble fighting engines of 9,000 parts. Many of these 800 firms are subcontractors, making one or more engine parts in small, specialized shops. Others are tool makers. Others supply raw materials. The manufacturer brings these products together.

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