

Mostly cloudy, showers tonight and in east portion Friday, slightly colder Friday and in mountains tonight.

NAZI PLANES AND CREWS SENT TO BOLSTER ITALY

To Aid Ally In Attempts Check Foes

Royal Air Force, Possibly Seizing On Weakening Offensive Of Foes, Conduct Extensive Raids On Germany And Nazi Bases; Diplomatic Interest Focused On Bulgarian's Visit To Berlin

(By The Associated Press) Adolf Hitler has sent Nazi warplanes and crews to bolster Italy's wobbling campaigns in the Mediterranean, the Rome radio disclosed today, reporting also that Italian fliers have been recalled from the aerial siege of Britain.

Possibly seizing on the weakening of Axis offensive forces across the channel, Royal Air Force bombers, meanwhile, carried out "very extensive" overnight raids, the British reported, slashing at the German port of Bremen, Nazi "invasion" ports, U-boat bases and other targets.

An official Italian announcement said German planes and pilots had been sent into Italy to help in the bitter air-sea fight now developing in the Mediterranean basin.

In some quarters this was taken to indicate that an Axis attempt would be made to break the British sea blockade of Italy.

The British Press Association said the attack on Bremen was a partial retaliation for the German devastating "fire raid" Sunday night on the city of London and that Royal Air Force incendiary bombs "paid the Germans back in their own coin."

Hitler's high command acknowledged three factories were hit "causing some damage," with five killed and "several wounded."

Neutral Euro felt the impact of bombs as unidentified aircraft scattered explosives within a 60-mile radius of Dublin, the capital, for five hours today. At least three persons were killed, two seriously wounded.

London had three alerts during the night. A communique said a small number of persons was killed there and in other raided areas which included the port of Liverpool.

Eyes of European diplomats, meanwhile, were focused on the troubled Balkans, where Premier Phloof of Bulgaria was en route to Vienna, presumably for talks with Nazi leaders.

Reports from the Yugoslav capital of Belgrade indicated the general belief in the Balkans was that while in Vienna, Phloof would be advised of the purpose of the recent big German troop concentrations in Rumania and of the part Adolf Hitler expects Bulgaria to play in his plans.

There was speculation that Germany might be seeking permission to move troops across Bulgaria to attack Greece or the Dardanelles.

In Albania, the Greeks claimed new successes, culminating in capture of strongly fortified Italian positions in the mountains north of Klisura, the strategically important town on the central battlefield.

Sharp Italian counter-attacks were beaten back before positions fell, the Greeks said.

On the North African front, British land and naval artillery continued to hold in a state of siege the Libyan port of Bardia. Armored patrols were reported feeling out Italian defenses far to the west in the direction of Tobruk, 80 miles from the Egyptian frontier.

ARMY TO ASK FOR ANOTHER THREE BILLION

To Seek Funds For "All-Out" Armament Program

FORMER OUTLAY BEEN OBLIGATED

Sums To Be Asked Of New Congress Would Provide Guns, Planes, Tanks and Other Material

Washington, Jan. 2. (AP)—The army got ready today to ask the new Congress for an additional \$3,000,000,000 to further its "all-out" armament program.

The sums to be asked after the new session opens tomorrow were reported approximately as follows: One billion dollars for the production of 3,600 more bombing planes from parts made largely in existing automobile factories and assembled in four mid-western plants operated by aircraft companies.

One billion six hundred million dollars for guns, tanks, planes and other material to round out equipment for an army of 2,000,000 men.

Four hundred million dollars for the construction of additional munitions plants to give the country sufficient reserve capacity to supply land forces of 4,000,000 men in an emergency.

Roughly 75 per cent of the total \$6,000,000,000 appropriated for the army last year has been obligated to date and, in so far as new munitions facilities are concerned, 95 per cent of available funds are obligated.

The \$3,000,000,000 to be requested of the new Congress will push past \$20,000,000,000 the total national defense expenditures authorized since the beginning of 1940.

Presents Protest To Jap Officials

Peiping, China, Jan. 2. (AP)—Col. Allen H. Turnage, commander of the United States marines stationed here, presented to the Japanese tonight three demands arising from the asserted mistreatment of five marines arrested after a cabaret fracas.

The demands were handed to a representative of the Japanese army commander for North China when he appeared at Turnage's office at the American Legation.

They are announced as follows: 1. That the chief of the Japanese gendarmerie apologize to Turnage for the "unlawful arrest and unwarranted use of force" in seizing the marines December 30.

2. That the Japanese promise to take steps to prevent a repetition of such incidents.

3. That the persons responsible for the arrests be punished.

Appeal Is Answered By Local Citizens

Chief of Police George Clark declared today he had had "wonderful" results to his appeal for a mattress and clothes for a colored family whose home and personal belongings were destroyed in a fire Monday night.

He disclosed that one public-spirited citizen called him up and told him to go to the store and get a mattress and charge it to him. He also said clothing had been provided for the man and wife, but he was still in need of clothes for a three-year-old girl.

Congress Dies Today As New Session Prepares To Start Work Tomorrow

New Ambassador And His Lady



Viscount Halifax (right), known as the "Christian gentleman of British politics," has been named to succeed the late Lord Lothian as British ambassador to the United States. He has been serving as Great Britain's foreign minister. At the right is Lady Halifax.

Utilities Plant Offers To Buy Vanceboro Unit

Offers \$25,000 For Equipment And 25-year Franchise

The Greenville Water and Light Commission has authorized the purchase of the entire electric system owned by the town of Vanceboro for \$25,000, the sale to be subject to a vote of Vanceboro citizens. A special election for that purpose has been set for February 3.

The offer was disclosed today by Martin Swartz, superintendent of the local commission, who declared that the movement had been under consideration for some time.

In a letter dated December 28, Mr. Swartz advised A. R. Blow, mayor of Vanceboro, of the Water and Light Commission's offer of \$25,000 cash for the entire electric system, including all lines, transformers, sub-stations, easements in right of ways and all other electrical equipment, the same to be transferred and conveyed in its present condition by a valid deed of conveyance and free from all liens, encumbrances and claims.

The agreement also provides for a 20-year franchise, from the date of the deed, for the Greenville plant to provide Vanceboro with electric power.

The deal was described by Mr. Swartz as a good one both for Vanceboro and the local commission.

Vanceboro has been purchasing electricity wholesale from Washington and distributing it to the local customers in the town and surrounding section.

In addition to the town of Vanceboro the franchise would involve sub-stations at Ernul, Epworth school at the Vanceboro-Chocowinity highway to a point one mile from Chocowinity.

The local commission already has lines extending to Douglas crossroad, approximately six miles from Vanceboro.

Should the deal be consummated, it would add approximately 400 new customers to the local plant and in addition Mr. Swartz said it would provide 350 prospective customers.

The latest move is only one in the expanding policy of the local plant, which now sells electricity wholesale to Ayden, Winterville, Marry and Robersonville. It also owns the equipment and sells retail to an additional 1,340 customers in Stokes, Pactolus, Falkland and rural homes. The plant has approximately 3,700 accounts in Greenville alone.

The Vanceboro transfer would add approximately 48 miles to the present system of 390 miles of rural lines, making a total of 438.

The Commission only recently completed an extensive program involving extension and improvement projects.

Twelve Jailed Here By Police January 1

The first day of the year proved unfortunate for 12 persons, that number having been booked at the local police headquarters. Two of the number, however, were sleepers who asked to spend the night in jail before continuing their journey this morning.

Longest Session In Nation's History Convenes For Last Time With Possibility of Final Controversy; Session Generally Harmonious On Defense But Often Stormy Otherwise

Washington, Jan. 2. (AP)—The 76th Congress—the longest in history—convened for the last time today before turning over to a new legislature multiple problems of national defense, taxation, foreign policy, domestic economy and monetary questions.

The 366-day session, usually harmonious when national defense was concerned, but frequently torn by conflict over domestic issues and the administration's foreign relations policies, faced a final controversy in its closing hours.

Senate Majority Leader Barkley (D-Ky.) sought to obtain confirmation of the nomination of J. Warren

Washington, Jan. 2. (AP)—The House of Representatives of the record-smashing 76th Congress adjourned its last session this afternoon, but the Senate leadership called for a final meeting of that branch tomorrow morning.

House adjournment came at 1:31 p. m. EST, 366 days after this congress opened its third session on January 3, 1940.

The Senate leadership's determination to meet tomorrow technically added one more day to the session, giving it an official life of 367 days, as compared with the previous longest session of 354 days in the World war years of 1917-18.

ren Madden, former chairman of the National Labor Relations Board, to be a member of the Court of Claims.

Lack of a quorum has prevented earlier consideration of the nomination. Senator Taft (R-Ohio) who has announced his intention to fight confirmation, said he would discuss the whole administration of the National Labor act in connection with his opposition to Madden.

Leaders planned to let the 76th Congress die automatically at the close of the day's business without passing any resolution for sine die adjournment.

Members forecast that the new Congress, which convenes tomorrow, would not begin legislating in earnest for several weeks.

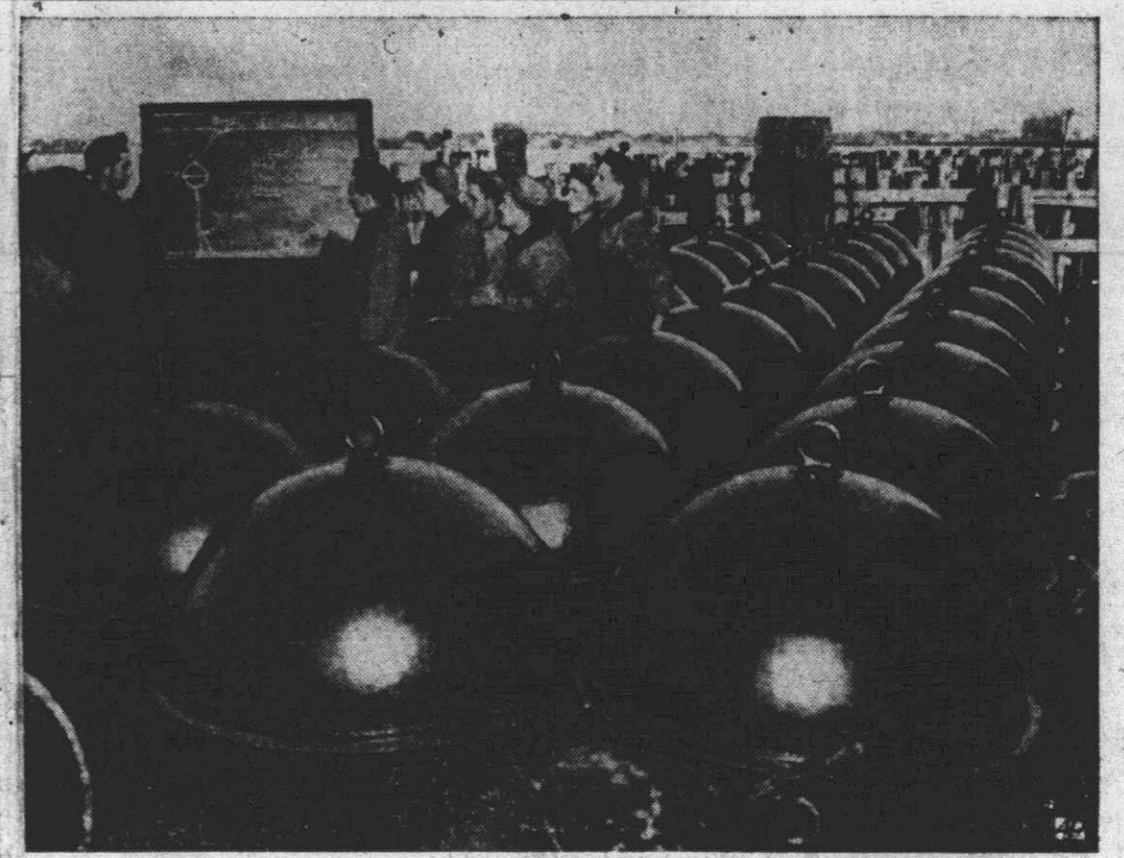
One of the first items on the agenda will be appropriations with accent on defense outlays and an effort to reduce other governmental costs.

The question of the extent and type of aid to Great Britain likewise was expected to be one of the earliest subjects considered.

Two Men Released In Robberies At Bethel

Two men taken in custody in connection with the three robberies in and around Bethel Monday night have been released, but members of the sheriff's office, in cooperation with Chief S. H. Martin of Bethel, are continuing their investigation.

Mines Over Matter



Rows of mines provide reality for this discussion of a controlled mine field and its organization, beachhead, Hampton Roads, Va., coast artillery school, Hampton Roads, sea gateway to the nation's capital, is located in an area that embraces Norfolk navy Newport News shipbuilding yards.

NAZIS REVIEW WAR ACTIVITY

Claim Thousands Of Pounds Of Bombs Dropped To Date

Berlin, Jan. 2. (AP)—The German air force has dropped 25 pounds of bombs on England for every pound looted in Germany, the German high command reported today, giving its own total since August 8 at 92,400,000 pounds of high explosive bombs and 3,520,000 pounds of incendiaries.

The figures were presented in a semi-annual review of military activity, which said that since November 16, 80 major air attacks and 325 smaller ones were launched against Britain's munitions industry centers.

The review said the Midlands was the chief target of the Nazi air force.

In all, the review said, 2,000 attacks had been made on England since August 8.

Since November 16, it went on, England's most important harbors were attacked 350 times with the Nazi raiders "inflicting the heaviest damage to Britain's imports and the capacity of these important harbors."

One thousand smaller attacks were said to have been made on supply centers, barracks, airports, power stations, oil tanks, grain elevators and other military objectives.

London since September 6 has had some 450 air alarms and received more than 100 air attacks "some of which were of tremendous size," the review recounted.

All told, it said, there were 130 major German air attacks since August 8, adding that each time from 220,000 to 1,540,000 pounds of bombs were dumped upon the British Isles.

Since June 25, it claimed that "the enemy lost about three times as many planes as the German Luftwaffe."

The navy according to the high command, also gave an excellent account of itself. Sinkings since the French armistice were given as 3,200,000 tons by the navy and 700,000 tons by the air force.

New Court Term To Open Here Jan. 13th

The Spring term of Pitt Superior court will get under way here Monday, January 13, when a civil term is scheduled to begin with Judge Leo Carr, of Durham presiding.

A week's session of criminal court will follow the civil term.

Judge Carr, who will preside over the Fifth district for the Spring term, will be making his first appearance in Pitt county.

CONVICT DIVES TO HIS DEATH

Plunges 50 Feet From Atop Five-Story Cell Tier

Raleigh, Jan. 2. (AP)—Eriel Norton, 17-year-old state convict, dived head-first to his death today from the top of a five-story tier of cells at central prison, as Raleigh firemen tried in vain to get a life net under him.

Coroner Roy M. Banks said after an investigation that it was clearly a case of suicide.

Norton was sentenced in Robeson county to serve concurrent terms of three to five year and five to 12 years for store-breaking and robbery with firearms. He entered prison May 7, 1940.

Warden Hugh H. Wilson said Norton had been reprimanded for a violation of prison regulations this morning and was being taken to his cell to be locked up when he broke away and raced to the top tier of cells.

Warden Wilson and Deputy Warden Ralph McLean pleaded with him to come down, but he shouted, "Leave me alone, or I'll jump."

The warden got Raleigh firemen to bring a life net and spread it under the prisoner. Then plans were made to have two guards try to seize Norton from behind.

Norton looked over the rail and saw the net, Wilson said, and immediately raced down the corridor and dived head-first into space, falling 50 feet onto the concrete floor. The seven or eight firemen handling the net could not keep up with him as he ran.

FIREMEN HOLD 1941 BANQUET

Principal Address Is Made by Fire Marshal Brockwell

Members of the Greenville Fire Department held their annual banquet last night with the Board of Aldermen, visiting dignitaries and a few invited guests present. The dinner and program were held at the Olde Towne Inn.

Sherwood Brockwell, state fire marshal, made the principal address of the evening. After recalling that he came to Greenville in 1915 to help organize the old Hope Volunteer Fire Department and relating several incidents relative to that organization, the speaker enumerated values to be derived from an adequately equipped fire department and said we should look to the future as well as to the present.

He urged city officials not to act hastily in purchasing new equipment, but to study the needs now and for the future. He tendered his services in any way he could help in an advisory capacity and offered to return here to confer with officials when they get ready to buy new apparatus.

Another point stressed by the fire marshal and also by other speakers was the benefits to be derived in lower insurance rates through adequate fire-fighting equipment.

Mr. Brockwell was introduced by Col. E. G. Flanagan, who is a charter member of the Hope Volunteer department, and recited interesting and amusing incidents encountered by members.

Mr. Flanagan congratulated the city board on its selection of B. B. Sugg for the new mayor.

The program was opened with a brief address of welcome by Fire Chief George Gardner, after which he presented Mayor Sugg, who declared that the city officials were making every effort to cooperate in any way to provide a modern and efficient department. He assured the firemen of the continued support of the board.

The meeting then was turned over to Willard T. Kyzer, who served as master of ceremonies.

Mr. Kyzer presented Frank Bennett, chief of the Durham Fire Department, who spoke briefly on the value of adequate equipment. The Durham man also emphasized the values to be derived from the proposed fire tower, for which M. O. Minges has agreed to provide \$5,000.

It was disclosed at the meeting that plans have been adopted for the tower and actual construction should get under way in the near future. Mr. Bennett said such a unit would provide firemen with an opportunity to train for big fires and give them experience which they otherwise would have to get in the actual fighting of a conflagration.

Following the general program, the meeting developed into an open forum with Mr. Brockwell and Mr. Bennett answering numerous questions put by members of the Board of Aldermen and others regarding insurance rates and other facts relative to a fire department.

At least eight persons died in train accidents, eight in fires, eight in shootings and 12 by suicide.

Traffic deaths included three in North Carolina.

OUR GOOD NEIGHBOR

VENEZUELA On a typical Venezuelan farm you may find coffee, bananas, oranges, potatoes, sugar cane, coconut palms, beans and corn.

Venezuelan cattle men have developed a very hardy type of beef cattle by introducing into their herds the blood of the zebu, sacred cow of India.

Orchid tea is a common remedy for children in Venezuela. Engineers and explorers in Venezuelan forests still wear shirts of mail made in New York, to protect them from arrows of the Motilone Indians.

Weather Report J. A. CLARK (Always Observer) TEMPERATURES High yesterday 62 Low yesterday 46 At 1:30 p. m. 59 PRECIPITATION (In inches) For 24 hrs. ending 1:30 p. m. T. Total for month 50 BAROMETER (Pressure) 7:30 last night 30.25 7:30 this morning 30.16 Prevailing Winds and Velocity 7:30 last night E-5 7:30 p. m. S-3

The California Institute of Technology has no president; its corporate papers do not call for one.

Social and Personal

General Paul Fife, Jr., has returned to Fort Jackson, S. C., after spending the holidays here with his parents.

Mrs. Robert Lang, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Virginia Perkins, returned to her home in Greenville today.

George Gorato, Jr., has returned to his home in Wilmington after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Ward.

S. O. Everett has returned to State College after spending Christmas at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Overton, Jr., and family who have been visiting relatives here, have returned to their home in Andrews, S. C.

Miss Betsy White Fountain who has been spending the holidays with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Overton, has returned to her home in Andrews.

Watson Parrish and Charles Moore have returned to Raleigh to resume their studies at State College.

Kenneth Henderson has returned to Chapel Hill after spending the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Henderson.

Mrs. Vernon Parrish and Mrs. Frank Bendall spent today in Raleigh.

Miss Ernestine Holgood returned to the University at Chapel Hill this morning. She was accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Holgood, and Miss Frances Holgood.

Jimmie Carr, Jr., left Tuesday for Nashville, Tenn., where he will enter a body to do graduate work.

Miss Fannie Browning and daughter, Nancy, of Raleigh, are visiting relatives in Greenville.

Mrs. Alvin Darden has returned from a visit in Greensboro.

In Hospital. Mrs. Luther West of Currituck is getting along nicely following an operation on Monday in Pitt General Hospital.

Celebrate New Year's. Dr. and Mrs. N. Thomas Ennett, at their custom, celebrated New Year's with open house yesterday from four to six o'clock at their residence, 406 Elizabeth street.

McGowan-Wells. Mr. M. H. Wells announces the marriage of his daughter, Hattie, to Mr. George O. McGowan on Monday, December twenty-third, nineteen hundred and forty, Dillon, South Carolina.

Baker-Dudley. Miss Clara Barton Dudley and Mr. Burney Warren Baker were married in private ceremony last evening at the home of the bride's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Tilghman, on East Eighth street, with Dr. Robert S. Boyd, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, officiating. Only members of the immediate families were present.

The marriage vows were spoken before an improvised altar, with a background of ferns, tall baskets of white chrysanthemums and burning candles.

The bride wore a gown of soldier blue crepe with matching accessories. Her corsage was of roses.

Mrs. Baker is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Dudley of Greenville. She attended the city schools and East Carolina Teachers College.

Mr. Baker is the son of Mr. S. N. Baker and is a prosperous farmer in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker will take their home for the present with Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Baker near Greenville.

Mrs. Moye Entertains. On Wednesday afternoon, from four to five-thirty o'clock, Mrs. Hortense Moye entertained at an informal tea, honoring Mrs. G. B. King of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. L. I. Moore of New Bern.

The special home of the hostess was very lovely on this occasion with decorations of brilliant pointillists.

The many friends who called exchanged greetings and felicitations for a Happy New Year.

Mrs. Virginia Perkins, Mrs. C. A. Bowen and Mrs. W. L. Best assisted Mrs. Moye in serving tea with delicious accompaniments.

Edwards-Messick. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Messick announce the marriage of their daughter, Iva, to Mr. Manley Harvey Edwards on Friday, December twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and forty, Dillon, South Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwards are formerly of Aurora, N. C. They will make their home at 408 East Tenth street, Greenville.

New plastic stiff shirt fronts (clicks) are becoming popular. They can be kept immaculate with a sponge or damp cloth.

Social Calendar

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.

7:30 p. m.—E. C. T. C. Alumnae Association meets in the new classroom building.

To Speak To ECTC Alumni. James Fleming, known in Greenville as a careful student of world affairs, will speak at the January meeting of the Greenville chapter of ECTC alumni Friday night at 7:30, in the new classroom building of the college. His topic will be the situation leading up to the present world dilemma, and he will read to the group for consideration a plan embodied in "The Declaration of the Federation of the World."

This Declaration, which was endorsed recently at Davis Island by leading citizens of Cartaret county and is being presented to a number of groups in Greenville for discussion, will be introduced as a resolution in the 1941 North Carolina General Assembly.

Following the reading of the paper, there will be an open forum for discussion.

Birth Announcement. Mr. and Mrs. George Briley of Greenville, Route Five, announce the birth of a son, George Henry, December 31, 1940.

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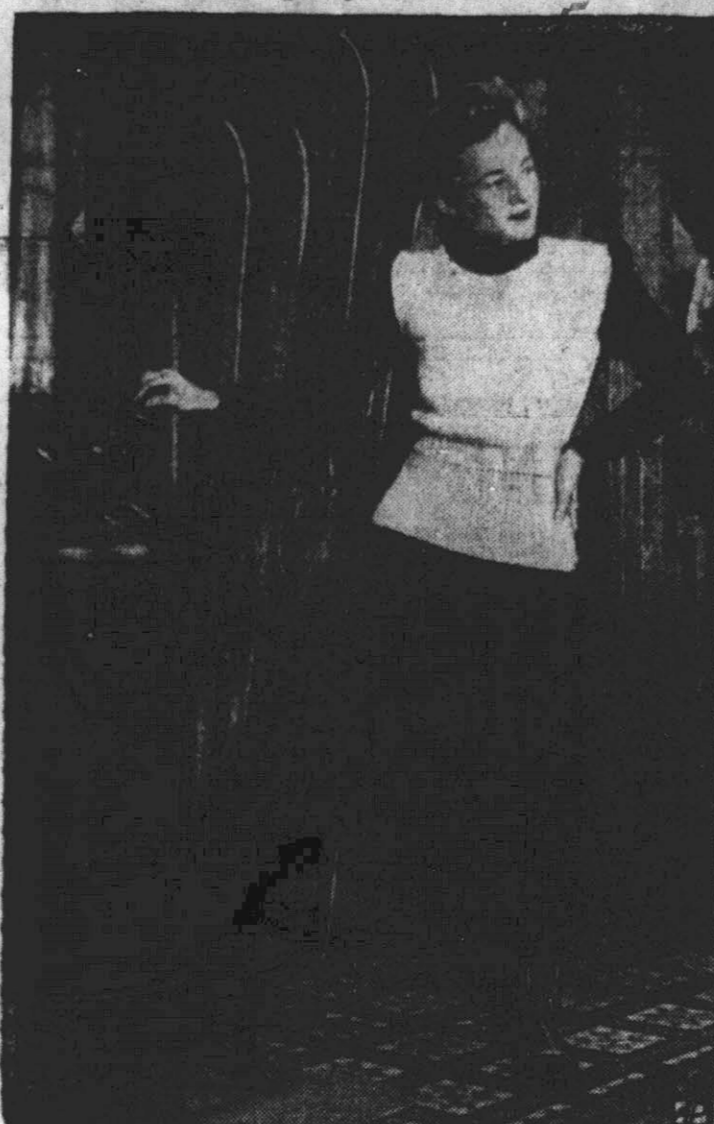
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MODES of the MOMENT

by Amy Porter



After-ski costume of the informal type you see around St. Sauveur, Quebec. Navy ski pants, topped with a navy and white wool sweater. The foot that seeks the warmth of the pot-bellied stove is clad in wool socks with thick felt soles.

Hollywood Sights and Sounds

By Robbin Coons

Hollywood.—This quaint, historic town at the "end of the trail" may have been the end of the out-of-town preview trail, as well.

For eight years now, at irregular intervals, representative portions of Hollywood have taken to the rails and airways to converge on selected cities throughout the country in the interest of some particular movie premiere and "good will" in general.

While crowds in Santa Fe, N. M. braved a goodly snowfall (to some visitors' surprise it was not complex flakes but the real article) and herds of blanket-wrapped Indian peddlers squatted near their stoves of sweet-smelling juniper, the movie man behind the movie and it was the latest of his company junkets.

S. Charles Einfield, a Warner vice president, thought the movies should look for something new. "Each of these junkets is so good," he said later, "it becomes increasingly tougher to top the last. That's why we'd better quit."

But still later, en route home, Mr. Einfield was so so. He was thinking, he said, about some pictures coming up. He was thinking in particular, about the movie on "Sergeant York." He was thinking, he said, about a sort of "unwritten understanding" with the governor of Tennessee concerning a premiere at Nashville. And there were suggestions on requests from Mason City, Ia., from Batte, Mont., from Leavenworth, Kans., and Atlanta, Ga., among other places, in regard to movies in which each had a particular local interest.

"But we ought to stop sometime," he said, speaking for the town's most hardened preview-hopping studio. "Of course—if there's a real demand... well, we'll probably acquiesce."

Mr. Einfield, accused of being an old abandoned acquirer in such matters, wore a twinkle in his eye. You may draw your own conclusions.

This junketing dates back to a special train sent across country, in 1932, celebrating the musical "42nd Street." The junket, Einfield now admits, departed with some apprehension regarding its reception by a depression-ridden, downhearted citizenry already familiar with the breadline. As he recalls it, the reception was "wonderful." Nobody boomed, and people in 28 cities cheered.

That was the real beginning, but the idea burst into furious flower with the "Dodge City" opening in Kansas a couple of years ago—an idea born when Einfield and Grandwell Sears, Warner sales manager, were stranded in the little town by a snow storm for 28 hours, got acquainted with townsfolk, and promised to come back with the movie they'd be making about the town.

They had some junketing experience to Weaverville, Calif., (where they had to wire a theater for sound) and to Columbia City, Ind., but the Dodge City trip exceeded all expectations in crowd-drawing, balcony, and good-will spreading.

That called for another to Virginia City and Reno, Nev., and for another ("Fighting 69th") in New York City, and most recently a trek to South Bend, Ind., for the Rocke-

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Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR January 2, 1901

Getting Home. Luther Savage returned to Enfield this morning.

Miss Pattie Skinner left this morning for Tarboro.

Claud Tunstall has taken a position with Bryan and Nichols.

Charlie James and A. J. Moore returned to the University at Chapel Hill today.

G. J. Woodward returned Wednesday evening from spending the holidays with his parents in Durham.

Miss Rosalind Rountree returned Wednesday evening from Scotland Neck where she spent the holidays.

Mrs. E. F. Ficklen returned Wednesday evening from Richmond.

Miss Minnie Tunstall left this morning for Greensboro to attend the N. and I. College.

Preston Tyson returned Tuesday evening from his holiday trip to Baltimore.

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Odd, But Science

BOMBS 'PULL' WINDOWS OUT

By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE

Associated Press Science Editor

New York—Does a bomb outside a building blow the windows in, or blow them out?

The correct answer, says Nature, British official journal of science, is that the windows usually go out.

That is, the glass falls outward because the force which breaks the windows is outward, even though the bomb explodes outside.

Nature ought to know, for some of its editors live in London.

The explanation: Two forces from the bomb could break the windows. Number one is a compression wave which travels through the air to the window and strikes it with a blow which, if the window shatters, drives the particles into the room.

The second force from the bomb is the "suction" force which follows right behind the crest of the compression wave. The air just behind the compression wave is partly a vacuum and it acts to break windows by sucking them outward.

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TIME TO START ON 1941 CROP

Time For Growers To Haul Out Plant Bed Covers

Raleigh, Jan. 2.—The opening of the New Year the signal for renewed activity on flue-cured tobacco farms as growers haul out canvas for their new plant beds, Lloyd T. Weeks, extension tobacco specialist of N. C. State College, said today.

Coming fast on the heels of the closing of warehouses for the season, this preparation of the plant bed marks the first step in the long and involved process of producing a crop of tobacco, sometimes called "the 13-months crop." County farm agents of the Extension Service are already reporting cleaning and grading tobacco seed for farmers, and many growers will sow their beds during the first part of this month.

The first requirement for growing a successful crop of tobacco is having thrifty, healthy plants ready when the proper time for transferring them to the field arrives, Weeks said.

Plant bed failures may result from a number of conditions, some of the more common being: poor bed sites, poor preparation of the soil, improper fertilization of the beds, use of diseased seed, improper handling of beds during the growth period of the plants, and diseases and insects.

The State College tobacco specialist advised selecting a new site for the plant bed or the use of a 4-year rotation of beds. There is abundant evidence, he said, to show that damage from blue mold can be reduced substantially by the selection of new sites yearly or by the rotation of beds.

If possible, the bed should be located close to a water supply and on a loamy type of soil with a southern or southwestern exposure. If an old bed site must be used, it should be burned or sterilized with steam.

Nazi GHQ Is 'Panzer' On Rails

AP Feature Service
Berlin.—A double-engine train pulls into a small station in France. Behind the engines is a flatcar with a crew around an anti-aircraft gun. The caboose is another anti-aircraft car. Between these two cars lies the rolling general headquarters of the German army.

In one of the cars sits Field Marshal General Walter von Brauchitsch, thin lipped head of the German land forces.

This train is the cerebrum of the German military machine. With its swiftly acting chief, it has toured half of the continent of Europe in the last fourteen months directly behind the crest of the German military wave. From the flat boggy wastes of middle Poland, to the swishing beaches of the French Atlantic coast, the boss of millions of men has issued terse orders, received mealy military reports and coordinated the efforts of these millions to spell the military defeat of Poland, Norway, Denmark, Holland, Belgium, Luxembourg and France.

Four crews serve with the train—anti-aircraft, military guards, technical personnel of the federal railways and the signal corps experts.

The latter are the most important radio operators, teletypewriter operators, telegraphers, switchboard operators, and other assistants chosen from the outstanding pupils of the signal corps school have been on duty in the GHQ since the beginning of the war.

'Speed' Their Middle Name
Speed is their middle name. They still look back with pride, reports the "Warschauer Zeitung," on the day that their chief ordered a phone call put through from a forsaken spot in Poland.

Within six seconds, Von Brauchitsch was speaking with his aides in the Reich capital.

Of special interest to a German reporter who visited the train was the use of a device—presumably that is known in American telephone circles as "scrambled speech" apparatus—for foiling curious who might be on the line.

Radio messages issued from the command car must remain strictly secret, and are conducted in an ever changing and extremely complicated code.

Important press reports are received by wireless, duplicated by typewriter and handed around to the staff officers. The car in which Von Brauchitsch has his quarters was used by Adolf Hitler for two years as his private salon car.

Uses Radio Car
When Von Brauchitsch dashes to the front line, the fact that he leaves his railroad car does not mean that he is not in contact with every sector. His auto column contains a radio car with direct wireless connection to his railway car.

Operators sitting in the grey "panzer" car can flash back to the ailing GHQ an order which Von Brauchitsch has decided to issue.

When the field marshal general has finished his observations, back he goes to the train siding, the "panzer" car is quickly rolled on the flatcar and the train can move

The hazy blue appearance sometimes taken on by distant hills is caused by the sun's rays striking at certain angle particles floating in the air.

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By EARL L. DOUGLASS

BE QUICK TO SEE TRUE WORTH

Jean Sibelius, the Finnish com-
poser, recently dedicated one of his
compositions to Marian Anderson,
the Negro soprano, and on a copy
he sent her inscribed these words:
"The roof of my house is too low
for you."

This was not only a graciously
turned phrase, but it showed the
true greatness of Sibelius in the
warmth with which he recognized
worth and genius in another. He
is evidently a great elemental man
such as that centurion who said to
our Lord, "I am not worthy that
Thou shouldst come under my
roof; but only say the word, and
my servant shall be healed."
There are some people who al-
ways see evil in others. They pick
out faults and brood over the things
they dislike in their fellows. But
there are others who are quick to
see true worth and eager to praise
it. It is their delight to see great-
ness anywhere, to point it out to
others, and to praise it. Such peo-
ple always regard their roof too low,
the quality of their praise too feeble,
when they stand before human
worth, whether it be in the humble
or in the great.

Criticism shrinks the texture of a
man's mind and damages his fine
sensibilities; generosity is like a
wine which makes his heart sing
with gladness.
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Chief of Police George
Clark issued a statement to-
day that if you were brought
into court for not having pur-
chased your 1941 city auto-
mobile license tag it would
be your fault and not the
city's. There has been no
extension of time for the
purchase of these tags and
they are supposed to be on
your car now.

The report of a definite
break between the Petain
government and Berlin
which would automatically
place France again on the
side of England might be
the result of wishful think-
ing, but realizing the great
help General Weygand's
forces in Africa could be in
readily eliminating Italy
from the war, there are
many who are hoping that
there is foundation to the
report.

With the convening of the
new Congress tomorrow the
eyes of the world will focus
upon Washington. There are
many important matters, in-
cluding aid to Britain, to
come before the body im-
mediately, and upon its action
might depend the outcome
of the war. In his address
last Sunday night President
Roosevelt told the world
where America stands, but
the other nations will be
anxious to know whether or
not Congress will, by its ac-
tion, back up what the Pres-
ident has said.

The matter of adequate
fire fighting apparatus for
Greenville was thoroughly

What Do You Hold In Store For Me?



MOHON REPUBLICAN AND GAZETTE TRIENNALE

REG-MANNING

discussed at the annual fire-
men's banquet last night and
expressions from city offi-
cials present indicated that
prompt action will be taken
by a committee already ap-
pointed for this purpose. The
matter of adequate fire fight-
ing equipment is most impor-
tant to our city and it is well
that the city officials are giving
attention to this matter at
this time. Greenville has a
good fire department and it
has rendered valuable ser-
vice to the community, but we
have been most fortunate
that our fires have come
singly, enabling the depart-
ment to control them with
the very limited equipment
we have. Adequate fire
fighting equipment is a very
necessary investment for any
community.

Washington Daybook

By Preston Grover

Washington—(Second installment
of a two-part letter to Vice Presi-
dent-elect Henry Agard Wallace,
setting forth some facts about his
new job as vice president and presi-
dent-to-be of the senate):

In spite of all I said in the first
part of this letter, Mr. Vice Presi-
dent-elect of the United States
don't think that your job is so junk
as some of the musical comedy
writers have made it appear.

One of your predecessors once
wrote an article entitled "The Vice
President—Fifth Wheel of the Gov-
ernment." And even if that funny
fellow, John Nance Garner, did
paraphrase it to read "The spare
tire of the government," there's a
lot of evidence that the spare tire
has on occasion served pretty well.
The record shows that nine of the
32 men who have held your job
have become presidents, including
a few gentlemen you may have
heard of before: John Adams,
Thomas Jefferson, Theodore Roose-
velt and Calvin Coolidge. That
means a vice president has more
than a one-to-four chance of be-
coming Mr. Big himself and at least
one chance in eight of going down
in the history books in capital let-
ters.

May Be "Assistant President"

What's more, if there is any truth
in the talk going around Washing-
ton that President Roosevelt plans
to make you a sort of "assistant
president," you don't need to worry
about senators, the President and
the public making you the Throt-
tlebottom of the third term.

The unofficial title of "assistant
president" is nothing new. It is true
that for 140 years after Adams no
vice president ever sat in the cabi-
net, but long before President Wil-
son's absence in Paris brought
Thomas R. Marshall into the cabi-
net, vice presidents had had the
respect of their chief executives and
worked closely with them.
The newspapers of President Mc-
Kinley's day first applied the title
of "Assistant President" to George
A. Hobart, McKinley's first-term
vice president, who died in office;
but President Harding was the first
executive to use the phrase official-
ly. He announced before his insur-
uration that he intended "to cre-
ate the office of assistant president"
and bring Mr. Coolidge into the
cabinet.
Since then Vice Presidents Curtis
and Garner have sat in the

cabnet often enough to keep the
precedent alive and make their pres-
ence something more than that of mere
chair-warmer on the senate dais.

You Can Eat At Home

As a matter of fact, Mr. Vice
President, you can see that the duties
and obligations of your new
job have changed a lot in recent
years. Right up until Coolidge held
it, it was by fixed tradition the post
of the government's official "diner-
out."

Mr. Coolidge didn't take much to
dining out and tried to abolish the
tradition. Since he wasn't exactly a
lion in the dining salons he got
enough cooperation from Washing-
ton hostesses to crack the custom
and Garner, sometimes referred to
as "the Cactus Coolidge," was able
to shatter it completely. You can
probably get by without even din-
ing out on the maid's night out.

Although your job officially is
pretty much one of waiting around
in case something happens to the
President and of presiding over a
senate over which you have no real
authority, you really can make a
whole lot of it if you want to.
When you are inaugurated, an
hour or so before the President, you
can even make your inaugural
speech a biting harangue to the
senate if you want to.

"Hell 'n' Maria" Dawes did just
that and although it almost knocked
some of the senators right out of
their seats, they took it and Char-
ley" Dawes got a lot more space in
the history books than usually is
accorded vice presidents.

Seal skins for the American trade
are sold at public auction in St.
Louis each September. They bring
an average of about \$22 each.

Census figures show that from
1930 to 1940 only 35 U. S. cities
showed population increases of as
much as 25 per cent when in the
preceding decade 202 cities gained
that much.

Crossword Puzzle

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| ACROSS | 35 Article |
| 1 Turn to the left | 36 Protecta |
| 4 Instances | 39 Accomplish |
| 9 Sheep | 40 Novel |
| 12 Tree | 42 Town in Italy |
| 13 Over | 43 Dilated |
| 14 Unit of wire measurement | 44 Astronomical |
| 15 Recline | 47 Bars on type-writer |
| 16 More certain | 48 Chair |
| 17 Poorly | 51 Stair |
| 18 Exaggerated | 52 Changed the title of |
| 19 Missions | 53 Pledged faith |
| 20 Goddess of discord | 54 Unit of work |
| 21 American university | 59 Day's march |
| 22 Singing voice | 61 Cravat |
| 23 Learned | 62 Season for use |
| 24 Move upward | 63 Nostril |
| 31 Strive | 64 Japanese rice |
| | 65 June bug |
| | 66 Article of belief |
| | 67 Directed |

Short Shots

Raleigh, Jan. 2.—What with pros-
pects of fireworks over a statewide
liquor referendum or, perhaps, of
abolishment of the existing State
ABC control board, the matter of
"fortified" wines has been gener-
ally overlooked in speculation of like-
ly legislative action.

There are many signs and por-
tents that this is quite likely the
only liquor question upon which any
important decision will be made by
legislative action.

It is generally accepted that Gov-
ernor J. M. Broughton will keep
hands off any referendum row. He
may take some action as to the ABC
setup, but those who think he will
predict their belief in the fact that
Cutler Moore, present chairman,
and Garner, former supporter in
the primary, they therefore believe
that the axes will be deftly laid
across his official neck; but that's
not at all certain because, after all,
newly elected officials do not al-
ways think wholly in terms of re-
warding friends and punishing ene-
mies and it is conceivable that Mr.
Broughton believes that the present
ABC board is functioning rather
well. If he does, he'll no doubt
let it stand "as is."

But the next Governor is known
to be studying the matter of forti-
fied wines and there is strong rea-
son to suspect that he will aid in
some sort of legislation which will
put this very potent beverage under
much stricter control. It is now sold
almost everywhere, and with no sort
of restriction other than payment
of a license tax in addition to the
State's beverage levy.

In legally "dry" countries there is
tremendous objection to the opera-
tion of wine "joints." In ABC coun-
ties the boards would like to get con-
trol of its sale, in order to keep it
within reasonable bounds.
Action will take the form either
of an act putting sale of high power

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Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle

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| 1. One of two equal parts | 2. Continent |
| 3. Since | 4. Protein of milk |
| 5. Arabic term for father | 6. Sensitive |
| 7. Each | 8. Like a saw |
| 9. Disregarded | 10. Uncultivated |
| 11. Additions to buildings | 12. Wept |
| 13. Slaves | 14. Aquatic birds |
| 15. European moth | 16. Clothes moth |
| 17. Eats according to | 18. Requisition |
| 19. Hindu peasant | 20. Single stroke |
| 21. Right of using land | 22. European falcon |
| 23. Laundry machine to rule | 24. Like a nephew |
| 25. Edible tuber | 26. Cow witness |
| 27. Bristles | 28. Peruse |
| 29. Fibrefore | 30. Mend with thread or yarn |
| 31. Note the dura- tion of | 32. Pay attention to |
| 33. Crusted dish | |

wines under ABC jurisdiction, which
would ban them altogether in 24
counties, or (and this is more like-
ly) some sort of restriction legisla-
tion which would still permit sale in
all counties.

In a story about Fort Bragg,
"Boom Town," the State News of-
fice expresses pity for the officers
and men who are living as far as
50 miles away on account of the
housing shortage in camp and in
Fayetteville.
"While pitying the poor private
who must answer an early reveille,"
says Bob Thompson, the News Bu-
reau director, "it's well to think also
of the captain or lieutenant who
must get up in time to drive 50
miles for the same formation."

All of which makes good reading,
Bob, and would have been com-
pletely accurate in the days when
you and this corner's conductor
were soldiering, but your reporter
is reliably informed that the army
today is much nearer Paradise than
then—it has done away with those
horribly aggravating formations,
reveille and retreat.

The long lines in front of the
Revenue Department windows where
the new 1941 automobile tags are
being sold ought to be fertile
grounds for spreading propaganda
for a change in the date upon which
these tags must be attached to mo-
tor vehicles.

For many years there has been
much agitation to make such a
change, and it is certain that the
attempt will be renewed in the
coming General Assembly.
Almost everybody seems to be in
favor of the shift to date, but some-
how or other the legislators never
get around to voting for it; prob-
ably because the Revenue Depart-
ment cannot be convinced that it
wouldn't be followed by what would
look like a drop in revenue. It ap-
pears hard to set up budget esti-
mates on one sort of tax collecting
system, then shift over to another.

Magic Spring

Allen Eppes
Yesterday David Wiley just has
left the office of the family law-
yer, who has read him his Aunt
Julia's will and confirmed the fear
he had that she would leave him
the inn known as Freddy's Folly.
But Aunt Julia also made him
promise before she died that he
would marry Polly Jenkins, and he
just has started to hunt up
Polly when Margo Powers runs in-
to him almost literally, with her
big yellow roadster.

CHAPTER TWO
Beautiful Lady
David studied her intently.
"What's the matter, did Europe get
too hot for you?" he asked.
"In a way, yes," said Margo. She
shrugged wearily. "Anyway, there's
no place over there any more where
one can light. So I've come back to
spend some time with Dad."
"I reckon he's tickled pink," said
David. "He must get awfully lone-
some, living in that big old house
all by himself."

Margo, the boss's daughter, back
in Ardendale. The only child of the
town's wealthiest man had come
home at last. Private schools, swank
colleges, summers here, winters
there, never in Ardendale for any
length of time, and then usually ac-
companied by friends from other
places, and never having any time
for the home folks.

It all came back to David, as he
stood there bareheaded in the
spring sunshine. And, gosh, what a
beauty Margo had turned out to be.
He remembered her as a skinny
girl with curly hair, a skinny
woman for a time to the public
school and mingled with him and
the other boys and girls; and now
here she was, a young lady who was
so lovely she simply took the wind
right out of a fellow.

"Well," he said finally, "it's nice
you're back, even if it did take a
war to send you home."
Margo confessed, "That is, at first. You
know, having lived out of Ardendale
for so long, and all that. But now—"
She smiled straight into
David's deep blue eyes. "But now
I think I'm going to like it here."

"Sure," said David, coloring a lit-
tle. "Why not? Ardendale's not a
bad place by any means."
Margo said nothing for a mo-
ment. She, too, was remembering.
Remembering David Wiley as a tow-
headed, rather shy small boy; one
who seemed always to be hurrying
off home to help take care of a
cousin, or an aunt, or an uncle.

"Sent like the Ardendale Wileys
are always having to take in a poor
relation," she had heard someone
say. Maybe it was her father who
had said it—or one of the servants.
It didn't matter, really.

But it was odd she thought, that
that remark should come back to
her now, a remark she had long
since forgotten. David Wiley, the se-
rious-minded, little fellow, whose
home on Elm Street was forever
battered up with relatives!

But look at him now! Margo did
so. And she saw a tall, slender but
strong-looking young man with
healthy, sun-tanned skin, delight-
fully blue eyes, and blond hair that
would make Gene Raymond's look
almost dark.

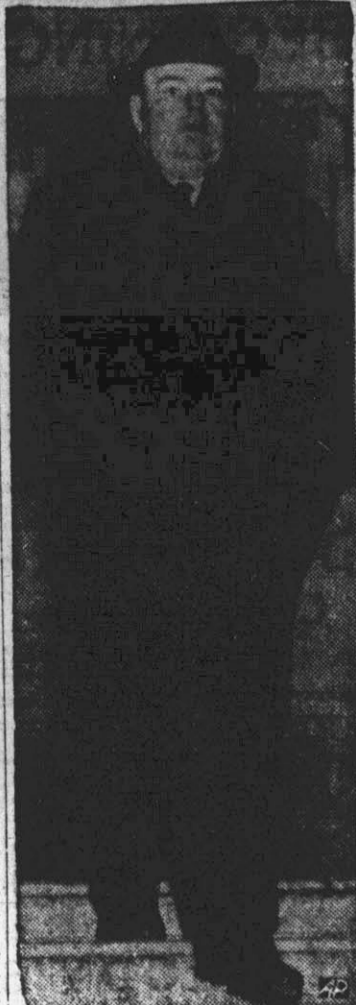
Attracted
"I'm sorry about the near-accident."
David was now saying. "I
reckon both of us are to blame—
more or less."
"No," said Margo with sudden
generosity, "it was my fault. I
shouldn't have let you drive."
David looked at his watch. "I've
got to be on my way," he said. "Pol-
ly'll be gone if I don't hurry."
"Polly" said Margo. "Polly who?"
"Polly Jenkins."

"Oh!" Does she still live here?
I thought she was going off to be
a designer or something.
"Some of the rest of us, she had to
change her plans." He thought of
how hard Polly had worked, how
brave she had been about giving
up all her hopes and dreams, while
Margo Powers went racing through
the world having a gay and care-
free time.

"Polly's been a darned good little
spinner," went on "She's working
and keeping the home for her
Aunt Susan."
"How nice," said Margo. "Maybe
I'll be running into her one of these
days." She watched David get back
into his car, and thought how won-
derful he would look on a polo
pony or a surf board. "I hope you'll
make a practice of running into
me," she said. "You will come to
see me, won't you, David?"

"I'll be seeing you, all right," Da-
vid said, not committing himself.
"I'm working for your father now
down at the plant. I reckon you'll
be coming down there now and
then."
"I certainly will!" said Margo.
David gave her a quick look. "So
long," he said. "Don't forget to blow
your horn after this."
He drove away, using much more
speed than was actually necessary.
And he didn't bother to look back.
He had the oddest sort of feeling
that he wanted to get as far away
from Margo as possible. Just why,
he couldn't for the life of him say

Hobson Convicted



Howard C. Hobson (above),
former utilities titan, was con-
victed in federal court in New
York of mail fraud in the alleg-
ed defrauding of the Associated
Gas and Electric System of
nearly \$20,000,000. He faces a
maximum sentence of 85 years
in prison and a \$17,000 fine.
The court set January 9 for
sentencing him.

and I used to see in public school."
"Really?" said Polly, interested.
"Just what is she like, or didn't
you have time to see?"
"Oh, I had time enough for that,"
said David. "She came over to bawl
me out, and then got to talking."
He hesitated a moment, started to
say that Margo looked like some-
thing beautiful out of Hollywood,
and changed his mind. "She's okay."
(To Be Continued)

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL
ESTATE
Pursuant to the power and au-
thority contained in a certain deed
of trust dated the 15th day of Oc-
tober, 1937, executed therein and in
the performance of certain cove-
nants set out in said deed of trust
and demand of foreclosure having
been made by the holder of said in-
debtedness, the undersigned Trustee
will offer for sale at public auc-
tion to the highest bidder for cash
at the Court House door in Green-
ville, Pitt County, North Carolina,
at 12 o'clock noon on the
26th day of January, 1941
the following described real estate,
to-wit:

All that certain lot, tract or par-
cel of land situate, lying and being
in the City of Greenville, Greenville
Township, County of Pitt, State of
North Carolina, and more particu-
larly described and defined as fol-
lows:

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 900
feet west of the southwest corner of
Fleming Street and Pamlico Ave-
nue; 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 S. 75-50 E. 72-35
feet to the Thad Fleming heirs cor-
ner; thence with the Fleming heirs
line N. 14-10 East 150 feet to the
beginning. Being the land, 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,
deceased, Violet B. Patrick, by deed
dated November 15th, 1919, and filed
for record in the Office of the Reg-
ister 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 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.

Under and by virtue of an order
of the Superior Court of Pitt Coun-
ty, made in that special proceeding
entitled "C. P. Pierce, Adm. of the
Estate of W. E. Peaden, Deceased,

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Having this day qualified as Ad-
ministrator of the estate of W. E.
Peaden, deceased, late of Pitt Coun-
ty, 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
pleaded in bar thereof. All persons in-
debted to said estate will make set-
tlement with the undersigned.

This the 3rd day of Dec., 1940.
C. P. PIERCE, Administrator
of the estate of W. E. Peaden.
Dec. 3-1w-6wk.

NOTICE OF SALE
Under and by virtue of an order
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tlement with the undersigned.

3rd day of February, 1941
at 12 o'clock, Noon
at the Courthouse door in Green-
ville, Pitt County, N. C., offer for
sale to the highest bidder for cash,
the following described lands:

1ST: Lying and being in Falk-
land Township, Pitt County, N. C.,
beginning at a stake, formerly
Emma J. Dupree's, now W. E. Pea-
den's corner, and running south
13-4 W. 100 poles to a poplar in a
prong of Jacob's Branch; thence
down the run of said branch to a
stake, a corner of W. R. Williams,
Jr.; thence with his line north 13-4
east 100 poles to a stake; thence
south 80 1-2 east 45 poles to the
beginning, containing 26 acres, more
or less, and being a part of Lot No.
3 in the division of the lands of H.
P. Williams, and being the same
land conveyed to W. E. Peaden by
J. M. Williams and wife, by deed
dated January 15, 1917, of record in
Book W-11 at page 553 of the Pitt
County Public Registry.

2ND: Lying and being in Falk-
land Township, Pitt County, N. C.,
adjoining the tract described above,
and being all of that certain tract
of land conveyed to W. E. Peaden by
W. R. Dupree et als by deed dated
November 1, 1917, of record in Book
J-12 at page 65, except that portion
thereof conveyed to K. R. Wooten
by W. E. Peaden and wife, by deed
dated April 24, 1928, of record in
Book E-17, at page 213, and being
all of that said tract conveyed to
W. E. Peaden by W. R. Dupree et
als, that lies west of the branch,
containing 19 acres, more or less.

This 1st day of January, 1940.
Wm. J. BUNDY, Commissioner.
Jan. 2-1w-4wk.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL
ESTATE
Pursuant to the power and au-
thority contained in a certain deed
of trust dated the 15th day of Oc-
tober, 1937, executed therein and in
the performance of certain cove-
nants set out in said deed of trust
and demand of foreclosure having
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ville, Pitt County, North Carolina,
at 12 o'clock noon on the
26th day of January, 1941
the following described real estate,
to-wit:

TAR HEELS PAY \$22 IN TAXES

Average That Sum in Payments to State Annually

By HENRY AVERILL
Raleigh, Jan. 2.—Tar Heels paid \$22.13 apiece to the state in taxes during the late year 1940.

Of course distribution was far from even. The vast majority of the 3,563,174 persons counted by the U. S. Census as the state's population paid a whole lot less than that but enough paid more to make it a fair contribution of every man, woman and child toward operation of the big corporation which Clyde R. Hoey has headed for the last four years.

The average is arrived at in very simple fashion—the total collected in state taxes during the calendar year 1940 amounted to \$78,852,715.96, according to a combination of the twelve monthly reports issued by the Department of Revenue.

Divided by 3,563,174 the result is \$22.13.

The Revenue department lists two principal divisions of taxes—"Revenue" division of general fund, and "Motor Vehicle" or highway fund.

The former yielded \$41,586,063.39 in 1940, while the latter netted \$37,266,652.57.

There were listed fourteen tax categories (excluding "miscellaneous"), but when all the returns were in, it turned out that three kinds of taxes produce two-thirds of the State's entire revenue, while the other eleven trail so far behind as to be almost out of shouting distance.

Biggest money producer was, in 1940, as it has been for years, the six cents a gallon levy on gasoline. For the twelve months of the last calendar year this tax brought in \$26,882,747.61. This is 72 per cent of all highway fund revenues (almost three-fourths) and 36 per cent of all revenue from all sources (more than one-third).

Other members of the "Big Three" were sales taxes and income tax; but these general fund money pillars lacked \$2,071,080.28 when added together of equalling the gasoline tax revenue.

The 1940 sales tax returns reached \$12,803,961.69, while income taxes yielded \$12,007,105.64. Together they produced \$24,811,067.33, or almost 60 per cent of the entire general fund revenue.

Gasoline plus sales plus income taxes added up to \$51,693,814.94, which lacked little of being two-thirds of the state revenue from all sources combined—the exact percentage falling just under 66.

The sales tax revenue was 30 per cent of all general fund collections, or almost one-third. Income tax was slightly less than one-quarter of general fund moneys.

Summarizing some 1940 figures already given, so that they may all be visualized together:

- All state taxes, \$78,852,715.96
- General fund taxes, \$41,586,063.39
- Highway fund taxes, \$37,266,652.57
- Gas tax collections, \$26,882,747.61
- Sales tax collections, \$12,803,961.69
- Income tax collections, \$12,007,105.64

Of course, these figures are dwarfed when compared with the billions in which the federal government now deals nonchalantly; but they are large enough to show why the 1941 General Assembly is going to spend much, probably most, of its time considering such matters as sales tax exemptions and diversion of gasoline tax receipts. Those are the real "Big Money" items in the budget and when it is proposed to slash them materially, or to vary the existing way of using them, it presents a really knotty problem.

An English-speaking colony, descended from early adventurers, occupies an island of Nicaragua's "Mosquito Coast" and numbers about 2,000.

Smoke from London's 2,000,000-odd chimney pots, mixed with the chill fall fog, has helped screen the capital from German air raiders.



This map locates the central section of London which underwent the fiercest fire-bomb attack of the war the night of December 29. The Associated Press building was destroyed, the ancient Guildhall was damaged and St. Paul's Cathedral was endangered. The dotted area outlines "the city," London's Wall Street, which was hard hit.

The Time, The Place and Makeup

By BETTY CLARKE
AP Feature Service Writer
New York.—The smart socialites in New York are going in for special makeup for special occasions and special places.

It looks like a 1941 vogue. Among those responsible for it is Marie Neary, one of America's few women makeup experts and head of Tourneur, Fifth Avenue salon.

"When it comes to her beauty, the American woman is like a child with an alarm clock, Miss Neary said.

"The woman loves to analyze glamour, to take it apart and find out what makes it tick. But she has an awful time putting it all together for herself.

Personal Element Vital
"The missing mainspring of beauty is the individuality—the personal element. It's what a woman does with her knowledge of beauty that will make her glamorous."

That's why Miss Neary insists women should consider makeup not only for night but for the particular evening and the particular place.

Artificial light, she says, is in three general classifications—pink, blue or yellow.

The blue is merciless to makeup with much blue in them, she pointed out. The best makeup for that light is golden cream powder, emerald eyeshadow, a carnelian brown shading the eyesocket, no rouge (blue lights make rouge look spotty), and red lipstick with a brown overcast.

Pink Light Flatters
Pink light permits one to step up makeup with blue to give accent in this most flattering of lights, according to Miss Neary. For blondes she recommends rose pink lipstick, rouge in softer shade of the same color, a carnelian eye tint over the whole lid, brown mascara and a near-white powder.

Gypsy colors are right for yellow light, she says. Deep scarlet lipstick with sophisticated purple tone is good. The foundation ought to be a gold-like cream color. The powder can be creamy, with green and violet mixed in it for an almost iridescent appearance that will give that quality women like in fine porcelain. Eyeshadow and mascara can



"When it comes to her beauty the American woman is like a child with an alarm clock."

der, but also the color and style of her costume. In a frilly white frock one should make face and hair lovely with almost invisible makeup. In a glittering sophisticated frock, one's lips can take savage-looking red and eyes can easily become heavy and mysterious.



MINDS HER BUSINESS—FIRES!—From Bears Head tower, 85 feet up, Mrs. Warren Creasy of Mahanoy City, Pennsylvania's only woman fire tower watcher, looks for smoke. She's had the job since 1927, when her husband turned it down.

of soup, beans, etc., potatoes, and about it without fanfare, as McGintwo loafs of bread. A lot of people's does. He isn't looking for public things like this, but few golicity; his idea is to get food into

the hands of people who are in want.

The day we found out there was no Santa Claus has now been balanced. We've finally been policed by one of Dr. Gallup's field workers.

The bury-the-hatchet party for Jack Benny and Fred Allen was a noisy, nonsensical success. By one of the strangest coincidences on record it was held the very day their new picture opened on Broadway. Don Wilson, a happy bridegroom, was there in a new blue- serge suit, floating around like one of Britain's defense balloons on a day off. Tommy Dorsey came in and spent a busy half hour shaking hands. Christopher Morley, who like "Red" Lewis, can't get over the acting bug, occupied a corner with Sherman Billingsley, eating ham and eggs. Then Benny and Allen came in with what Carl Van Doren would call a ringing American hurrah, and the soiree was on. We hung around until phantasmagoria began to effect us and left. That 53rd street air, at 17 above, was mighty fine.

New York — Duke Ellington's orchestra has a trumpet player named Ray Nance who is noisy and versatile. When he first came to Duke and applied for a job he was asked what he did. "I plays the trumpet," he said. "I also plays the violin. I sings. I plays the drums. I dances." "What's your name?" Duke asked. "They calls me 'Floor Show'."

eat your apple fast."

He looked up and asked, "Before it gets rotten?"

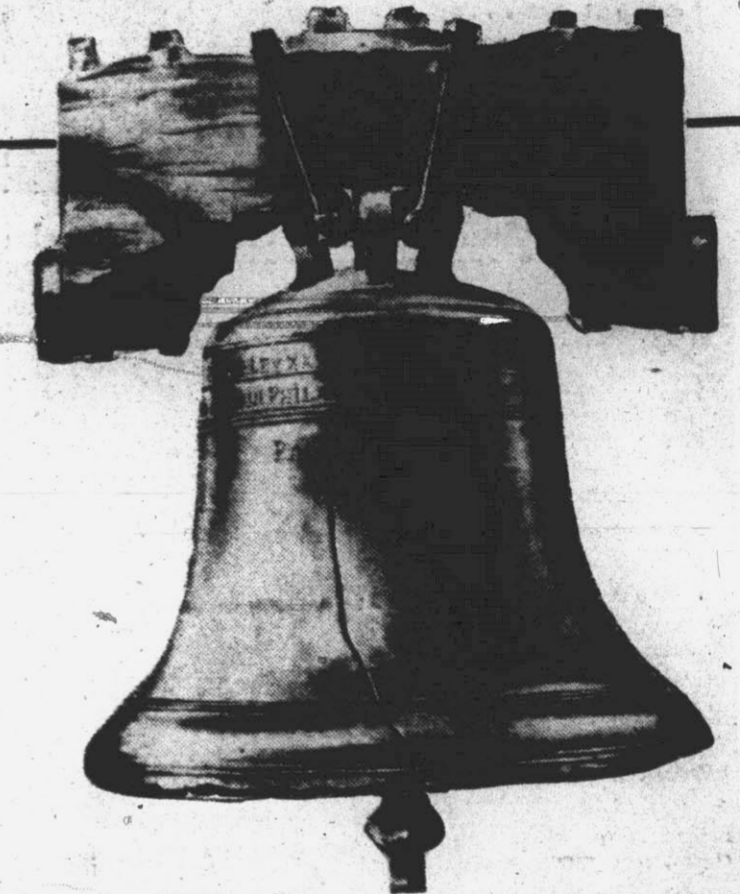
Notes on authors: After a quiet two weeks in New York, Ernest Hemingway has flown to the West Indies. Stephen Vincent Benet is back from Richmond, Va., where he always spends the holidays. W. Somerset Maugham is living more nearly normal life again. He has managed to get his secretary Gertrude Haxton, out of England, and

Francis Hackett, who wrote "Hemden," argued for Irish independence, then married a Danish girl and moved to Denmark. But he has changed his ideas about Irish independence. He thinks the Irish ought to forget their feud with the British until the war is over.

Ned Armstrong, manager of various musical organizations and the owner of a cotton gin in S. C., is happily exhibiting a letter about town from his Negro cook, who is in South Carolina. This cook is the mother of a brand new son, and his name, she states, is "Big Apple Roosevelt."

Of all fire alarms sounded in American cities, approximately 11 per cent are for fires in automobiles. An Englishman sought as early as 1804, to induce the British navy to build submarines. He wanted to use them against Napoleon.

LIBERTY



Our Government, industrial, financial, labor and educational leaders are making comprehensive plans for greater progress in the preparedness program of the United States.

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We Clean and Press Heavy Suits, Ties, Coats—Dresses. Our work must please and a trial will convince you.
CAROLINA DRY CLEANERS
Dial 2276—Leon Smith, Prop.

FOR RENT—UPSTAIRS UNFURNISHED apartment. Steam heat. Private front and rear entrances. Garage. See B. H. Stancill, Blount-Harvey's Shoe Store. 9-1f

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BEAUTY SHOP EQUIPMENT—complete for small shop. Good condition. Cash or credit—cheap.
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FOR RENT—ONE UPSTAIRS apartment, one downstairs apartment at 1212 Dickinson Ave. Automatic steam heat. E. H. Taft, at Taft Furniture Co. 6-1f

RAYWIRE 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—NICE PAIR OF heavy mules—good workers—guaranteed sound. See or write A. A. Forbes, Greenville, R. 1, Falkland highway, 3-1/2 miles from Greenville. 1-6f

I AM NO LONGER WITH DELUXE Barber Shop, but have gone into partnership with Elbert Hudson in the operation of Simp's Barber Shop on Fifth Street. W. C. Stokes. 30-6f

FOR RENT—SIX ROOM BUNGALOW. Excellent condition. Heat. 808 Lewis Street, "College View." Move today. L. J. Smith, Real Estate—Insurance.

WANTED—TWO YOUNG MEN TO board and room in private home. Dial 2967. 31-3f

CALL THE MAHOGANY SHOP—2518 or 3284—for furniture repairing, refinishing, upholstering. 31-3f

BUY YOUR GARDEN SEED AT White's Stores. Just received new shipment of Wood's Seeds. White's Stores, Inc. Jan. 1-1 mo.

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. Rent in advance. Joe B. Moye. 1-3f

FOR RENT—IMMEDIATE POSSESSION—a real home, brick bungalow; 5 rooms, bath and breakfast room. One door off Fifth street, front of college. Excellent neighborhood. Will refinish inside. \$40.00 per month advance. J. C. Youngblood. Dial 2217. Jan. 1-1f

FOR SALE—RAT TERRIER PUPPIES. If interested call 2074.

WANTED—A 2-HORSE FARM—have own team, feed, implements, transplanter, wagons, etc., enough help to tend a two-horse crop. Can furnish references. Henry C. Moye, Farmville, R. 2. 1-3f

WANTED, IMMEDIATELY, COMMISSION basis—man age 25 to 35. Married man preferred, to handle one of our trucks in Pitt county. Must have fair education and be a hard worker, honest and reliable. \$1-1 references required. Apply in own handwriting to "Salesman," General Delivery, Greenville, N. C. Jan. 1-1f

IF YOU NEED AN AUCTIONEER—to auction your chattel property, get in touch with P. W. Majette, Grimesland, N. C., Dial 3628-7. Dec. 20-11w-6wk.

FOR SALE—TWO FEATHER BEDS made of goose feathers. Apply at once, Miss Maggie Tucker, near Ballard's Cross Roads. 2-2f

HAVE A WHEEL FOR SALE—Boy's size, balloon tires—at Ed Moore's Shop, 12th and Evans Sts.

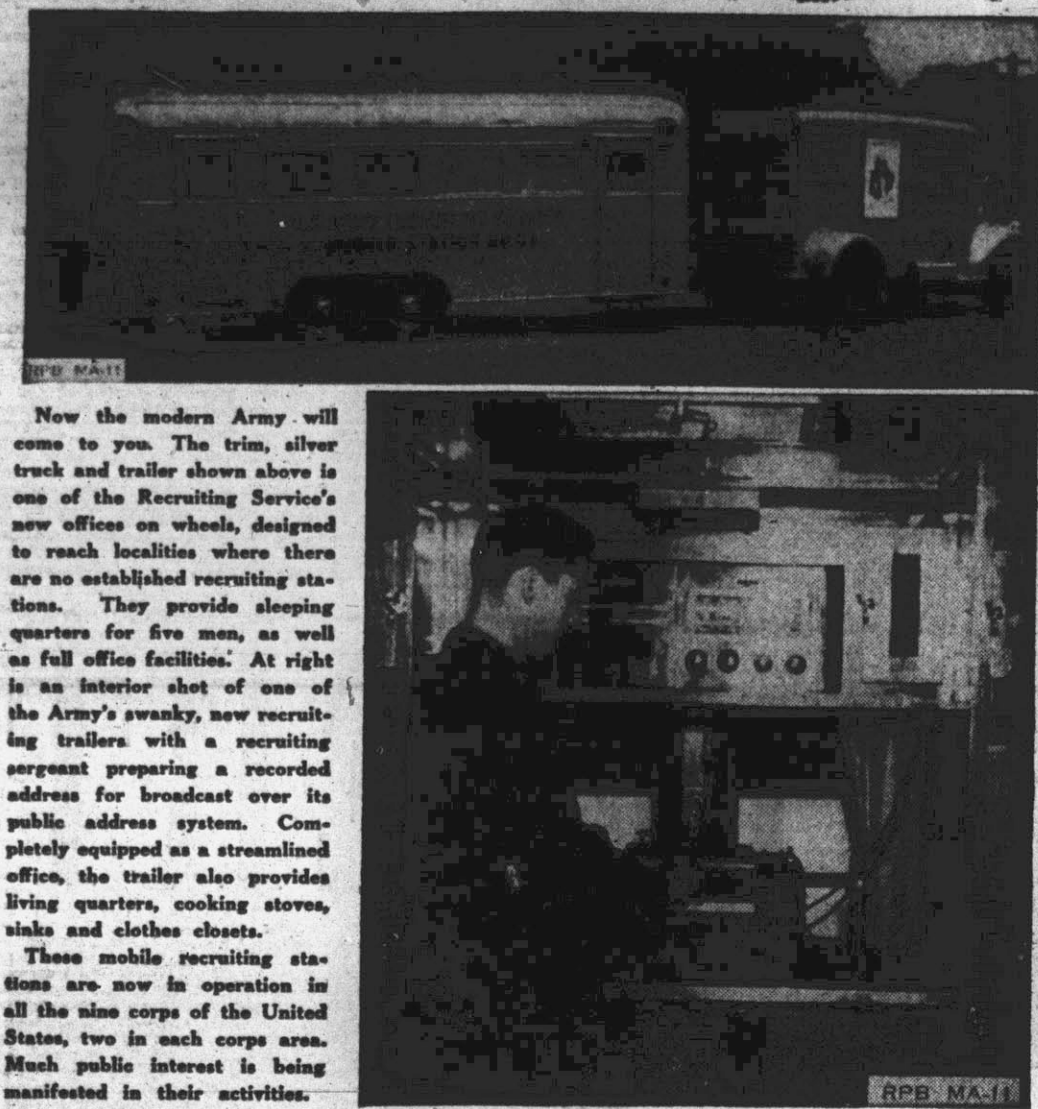
SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY—ENG—Fish Tea, Cookies, Cream Puffs and Potato Rolls. People's Bakery.

WANTED, AT ONCE—YOUNG man capable handling shipping clerk job. P. O. Box 37. 2-2f

WANTED—A YOUNG LADY TO do simple bookkeeping and answer phone in grocery store. Answer by letter at once to "Bookkeeper," P. O. Box 408, Greenville, N. C. 2-2f

WORLD FEDERATION WINS SUPPORT OF WOMAN'S CLUB
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J. H. B. Moore, be instructed to report this action to the January

The Recruiting Service Hits the Road



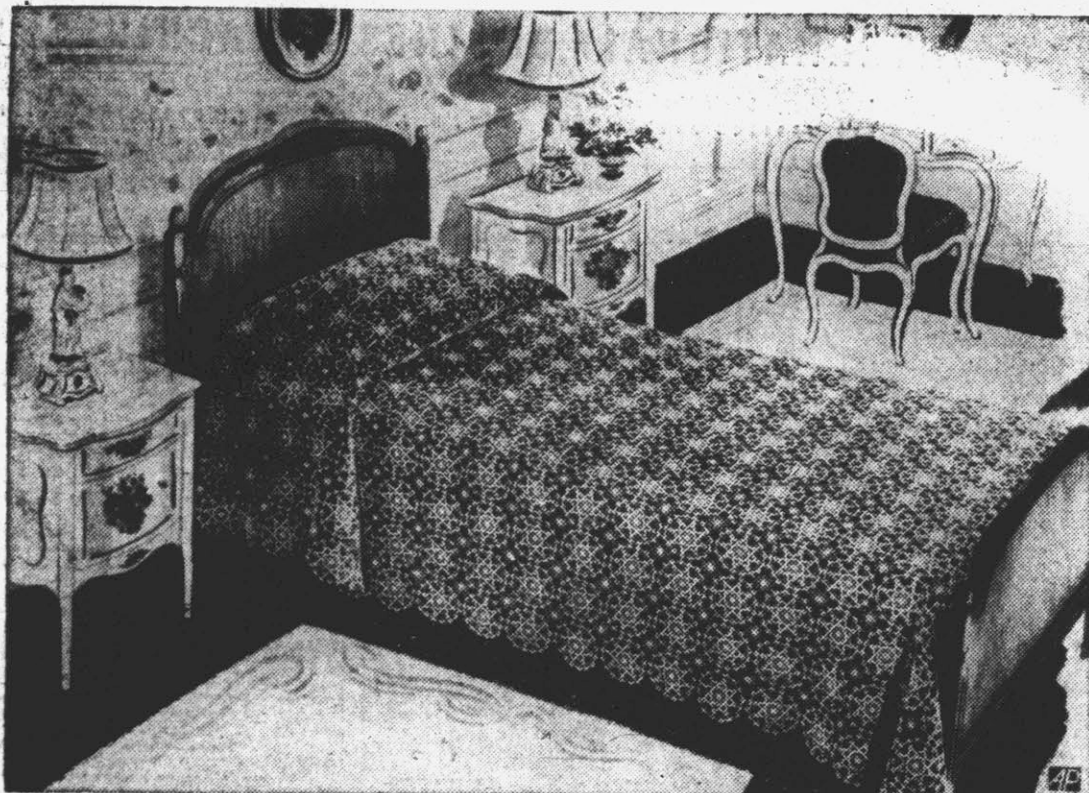
New the modern Army will come to you. The trim, silver truck and trailer shown above is one of the Recruiting Service's new offices on wheels, designed to reach localities where there are no established recruiting stations. They provide sleeping quarters for five men, as well as full office facilities. At right is an interior shot of one of the Army's swanky, new recruiting trailers with a recruiting sergeant preparing a recorded address for broadcast over its public address system. Completely equipped as a streamlined office, the trailer also provides living quarters, cooking stoves, sinks and clothes closets. These mobile recruiting stations are now in operation in all the nine corps of the United States, two in each corps area. Much public interest is being manifested in their activities.

"Sun Goddess" Greets Nebraska Sweetheart



Beth Howley of Omaha, "Nebraska's sweetheart," arrived in Los Angeles to attend the Nebraska-Stanford Rose Bowl game at Pasadena New Year's Day and was met at the railway station by Joan Leslie, Southern California "sun goddess," and her aides. Left to right: Marilyn Hare, Miss Leslie, Miss Howley and Tammie Heise.

New Bedspreads Revive Old Patterns



Home-made bedspreads have come back into their own in the last few years.

Some of the newest patterns are based on old ideas. Occasionally you find a fragile and feminine spread the pattern of which is almost an exact copy of the quilt your grandmother had in her guest room. At other times the patterns are geometric and as modern as can be.

Here is one with a fllagreee-like motif which will dress up your bedroom. Each motif is crocheted individually in about 25 minutes. The stars give a slight but adequate patriotic note without glaring at you too.

You will need size 20 thread in white or ecru mercerized cotton. Each motif measures 41-2 inches in diameter, including picots. A single spread-measuring 72 by 108 inches requires 384 motifs, 24 times 16.

meeting of the executive board of the North Carolina Federation of Woman's clubs, and ask its cooperation in presenting this declaration to the clubs of the state. We request further that the executive board bring this declaration before the state convention which convenes in May in order that a recommendation may be sent to the General Federation of Woman's clubs requesting them to support the principle of the Federation of the World when presented to Congress. The complete text of the resolutions adopted by last night's gathering follows:

1. That all peoples of the earth should now be united in a commonwealth of nations to be known as The Federation of the World.

2. That the State of North Carolina, through its legislature, be petitioned to endorse the principles of this declaration and to request its senators in Congress to introduce a resolution of similar import in the Congress of the United States, committing the United States to the acceptance of the principle of The Federation of the World and renouncing the President of the United States to call immediately an International convention to formulate a constitution for The Federation of the World.

3. That the said International convention select a territory for the seat of government for The Federation of the World and that the nation in which the said territory is located be requested to withdraw its jurisdiction over this area and cede it to The Federation of the World for its capital with all the prerogatives and attributes of sovereignty, in order that there might

Richmond Livestock

(Courtesy J. N. and J. L. Williams)
Richmond, Jan. 2.—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 steady with Monday. Top \$7.10. Good and choice 180-225 lbs. \$6.90-\$7.10; 100-120 lbs. \$5.10-\$5.80; 120-140 lbs. \$5.90-\$6.10; 140-160 lbs. \$6.10-\$6.55; 160-180 lbs. \$6.55-\$6.90; 180-225 lbs. \$6.90-\$7.10; 225-250 lbs. \$6.40-\$6.90; 250-300 lbs. \$6.10-\$6.60; over 300 lbs. \$6.00-\$6.50. Sows under 350 lbs. \$5.35-\$5.85; over 350 lbs. \$4.85-\$5.35. Cattle, market on cows and bulls steady with Monday. Most good fat cows \$5.50-\$6.00 canners and cutters \$3.50-\$5.00. Heavy sausage bulls around \$6.75, practical top with light weights mostly \$5.00-\$5.50. Vealers very active, strong to 50 cents higher. Practical top on good offerings around \$11.50 with choice kinds quotable higher.

HOG MARKETS

Richmond 7.10
Rocky Mount 6.75

Chicago Grain Market

(Courtesy Vernon Parrish)

WHEAT—	Open	Close	Pr. Cl.
May	87	87 1/2	87 1/2
July	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Sept.	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
CORN—			
May	63 1/2	62 3/4	63 1/2
July	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Sept.	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
OATS—			
May	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
July	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
RYE—			
May	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
July	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2

New York Cotton

New York, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened unchanged to six higher. Midday prices held gains of one to three. January 10 3/4; March 10 1/4; and July 10 1/4.

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, Jan. 2.—(AP)—The initial stock market session of 1941 lacked outstanding trends today, although as in the past week; selected issues managed to make modest gains.

Dealings slowed appreciably after the start, but, near the fourth hour plus signs were in the majority. War fears, brokers said, continued to offset to some extent the brightening business picture.

N. Y. STOCK LIST

American Radiator	67 1/2
American Telephone	168 3/4
American Tobacco B	71 1/4
Anaconda	27
A. C. L.	14 1/2
Atlantic Refining	24 1/4
Bendix Aviation	34 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	87 3/4
Chrysler	70 3/4
Col. Gas and Electric	4 1/4
Commercial Solvent	11 1/4
Consolidated Oil	5 1/4
Curtis Wright	9 1/4
Dupont	163 1/2
Electric Power and Light	3 1/4
General Electric	33 1/2
General Motors	47 1/2
Liggett and Myers	98
Montgomery Ward	37 1/2
Reynolds Tobacco B	32 1/2
Southern Railway	23 1/2
Standard Oil of N. J.	34 1/2
U. S. Steel	69 1/2

Craft For Britain Poised For Flight

Elizabeth City, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Two long-range reconnaissance seaplanes destined for the defense of England were poised here today for a non-stop flight to British territory—the vanguard of an unrevealed "large number" of aircraft to follow the same route.

Two more of the twin-engine air craft were scheduled to land on the Pasquotank river today and another pair are due tomorrow. The squadron of six will take off Saturday for unannounced British territory in this hemisphere. Other squadrons will follow during the next few months.

The two planes were flown from the Consolidated Aircraft Corporation factory in San Diego, Calif. Fort Worth, Texas, was the only stop en route.

Fists Fly Fast At Burlington Plant

Burlington, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Fists flew at the R. D. Wilson full fashioned hosiery mill here this morning when several employees who

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.

TODAY Thru FRIDAY

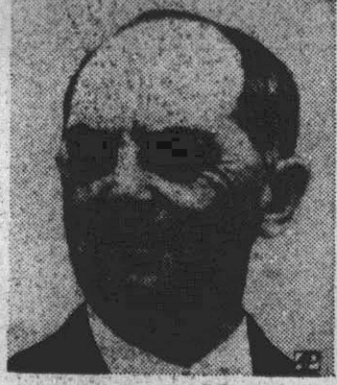
HENRY FONDA and LAMOUR with DARNELL
CHAD HANNA
by WALTER B. EDWARDS
IN TECHNICOLOR
GUY HIBBERD • ANI DEKAY • JOHN CARROLL • BENJAMIN BRIDGE • ROSCOE ATE • BEN BRITTE

Clarence Mulford's "STAGE COACH WAB" Featuring William Boyd Russell Hayden Britt Wood

More Show "Junior G-Men" No. 8 Edgar Kennedy Comedy "Slightly At Sea"

POPEYE and PETE SMITH
Mat. 28c Eve. 38c
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What Do You Know About ENVOYS?



1. He's new in the role of U. S. ambassador to a European country. Who is he? Name two other top-rank posts he has held.

2. What's the difference between an ambassador and a minister?

3. Has the United States an ambassador to Great Britain? 4. Has war made any difference in the number of envoys of various ranks accredited to Washington?

5. Does the United States have an ambassador to Germany? Each full question counts 20. A score of 80 is good.

Envoy Quiz Answers

- The picture is of Admiral William D. Leahy, new ambassador to the French government at Vichy. He was chief of Uncle Sam's naval forces and later governor of Puerto Rico.
- An ambassador is the personal representative of the sovereign head of a nation. A minister, an envoy of second rank, represents a government.
- Yes, Joseph Kennedy resigned, but he is serving in name until a successor is appointed.
- No, fifty-five nations still have official connections in the United States, even though several have withdrawn from the map. The U. S. has not recognized changes accomplished by "aggression."
- No, Hugh Wilson came home from Berlin in November, 1939, to report on "German affairs" and later resigned. He has not been replaced.

have been out on strike since early last fall attempted to return to work over the protest of other strikers who did not agree to terms with the management.

Ten persons were arrested on charges of inciting a riot and placed under bonds of \$1,000 each. Chief of Police C. F. Stanford of Burlington received a petition from 71 of the original strikers several days ago advising him they wanted to return to their old jobs this morning and asking for police protection.

The chief notified the State Highway Patrol and 10 patrolmen were present this morning.

Colored News

We take this form of thanking the friends of the cause of adult education for the manifestation in various forms of contributions for its maintenance.

Mrs. R. W. Williams, magazines, Mrs. M. S. Smith, six books, Supt. D. H. Conley, English For Adults, Books 1 and 2.

Supt. D. H. Conley, 1 box of crayon and 1 black board.

W. C. Clark, 200 lbs. of coal.

American Bible House, 35 testimonials.

With the ending of the month of December comes the culminating ac-

A Three Days' Cough is Your Danger Signal

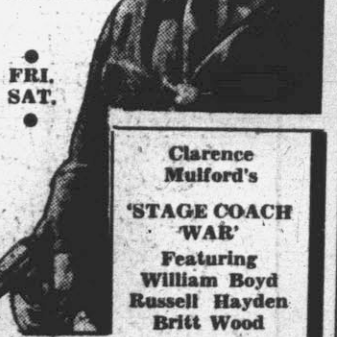
Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

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More Show "Junior G-Men" No. 8 Edgar Kennedy Comedy "Slightly At Sea"

TODAY—MARY LEE in "BARNYARD FOLLIES"

activities for the past six months of begin our work of 1941, we solicit your cooperation for support.—Elizabeth Kearney.

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Put 3-purpose Va-tro-nol up each nostril... (1) It shrinks swollen membranes; (2) Soothes irritation; (3) Helps flush out nasal passages, clearing clogging mucus.

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WHITE GOODS SALE
You profit on every item!

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10¢
20 by 40 inches is SOME amount of towel for a dime—and most of these measure that big! Puffy loops, and colors to shout about! Choose early!

WASH CLOTHS
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Good Size—Good Weight

25¢ to 39¢ values!
A one-time buy in
Sash Curtains
15¢ SPECIAL!
Discontinued patterns (the unusual, different ones our maker designs each year) in a full spread of smart colors! Save on these!

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Grants Wonderful New Brand!
"Wearite" Sheets
81 x 99" 79¢
Watch this 79¢ work for you for four whole years! 128 threads to the inch—irons up sleek and smooth! Double-strength selvages! "Wearites" look right, and ACT right!

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SPECIAL! 104 80-Square Unbleached Muslin
You're really saving two ways—this is 39 inches wide! Wonderful firm quality!

Men's and women's—good quality—full size—plain and prints.

With an organdy frill!
Muslin Panties
The 2-to-12's all like such daintiness! And mothers approve the wear. Cut full!

Deanna Durbin Crown-Tested Rayon
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The plaid Deanna wears in "Nice Girl" and lots of others, in crisp sharkskin that's exclusive at Grants! Stripes, plaids, checks! Colors! 38-39.

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33 1-3/4 wool—size 70x80. Asst. colors.

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