

JAPAN-U.S. NEGOTIATIONS RESUMED

Nazis Suffer Worst Reversal At Rostov

Also Losing In Conflict For Moscow

Invading German Forces Declared To Have Been Hurlled Back In Rostov Sector In What Has Developed Into Biggest Reversal Of War; Also Reported Retreating In Moscow Sector

Moscow, Dec. 1.—(AP)—Severely battered German troops, hurled back through village after village in a retreat from Rostov that has become the biggest Nazi reversal of the Russian campaign, have been unable to stem the Red army's counter-drive and are in danger of being cut off by a new thrust from the North, the Moscow radio declared today.

Quoting dispatches to Pravda from the Southern front, the broadcast said the new Soviet thrust developed yesterday morning in the shell-pocked Donets basin northwest of Rostov, where the advance might open a corridor to the Sea of Azov which would cut off the holly engaged German rear guard.

The report to Pravda declared hard-riding Russian cavalrymen, first to carry the Red banner back into Rostov, kept up their charge for miles beyond the city and broke up repeated German attempts to form a new line.

Other Red army units, the Pravda correspondent reported, ousted the Germans from towns identified as "B" and "K," along with many other large and small villages, in a 14-mile advance over fields strewn with Nazi dead and littered with the abandoned wreckage of German tanks and guns.

Those advances, the Russians declared, hurled the Nazis back to Takanog, 40 miles west of Rostov, then kept them on the retreat along the road to Mariupol, another 60 miles to the west.

The British radio reported that the German commander in the South, Field Marshal Ewald von Kleist, had moved his headquarters back to Mariupol two days ago and now was on the move again farther to the rear.

CBS quoted the radio as saying that the second Russian counter drive was forcing Axis troops in the Donets back toward industrial Stalino, 100 miles northwest of Rostov.

Four Nazi divisions have been broken up, it was said, and the known German casualties in the Southern fighting were put at 10,000.

Moreover, Russian counter attacks in the battle for Moscow were said to have put 35 villages and towns back under the Red banner and dulled the steel prongs of the German offensive against the capital.

Funeral Held For Vanceboro Citizen

Frank M. Purser, 75, died at his home in Vanceboro at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon after several days illness. Funeral services were conducted from the home this afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. Mr. Brady, Methodist minister of Vanceboro. Burial followed in the Roach cemetery near Vanceboro.

Mr. Purser was born and reared about six miles from Vanceboro, but he had been living in Vanceboro for the last 26 years. He was a member of the Vanceboro Methodist church. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Josephine Purser; one son, Charlie B. Purser of Vanceboro; one daughter, Mrs. M. H. Elliott of High Point; nine grandchildren, and two brothers, D. N. Purser and J. F. Purser, both of Vanceboro.

20 Shopping Days till Christmas



BRITISH LIBYAN SUCCESSES CONTINUE

Major Captured



Major Michael Buckley, Jr., (above) has been captured by Axis forces in Libya. British sources in Cairo announced. He was an observer with the British forces. This picture was taken when the major left San Francisco by Trans-Pacific clipper in September.

NO DEARTH OF STRIKE BILLS

House Has 3 Measures From Which To Choose

Washington, Dec. 1.—(AP)—Congress had its choice today of three different House bills and two other measures proposed by senators as members tackled the legislative job of preventing work stoppages in industries vital to defense.

Administration leaders in the House hoped to win agreement on some bill by Wednesday.

The tentative first claim on the House's attention was held by the bill of Rep. Smith (D-Va.) which would outlaw jurisdictional strikes ban mass picketing, freeze the open or closed shop status and require a majority vote by secret ballot before strikes could be called.

If this were beaten or sidetracked, next on the agenda was the Labor Committee's bill which would force a 60-day "cooling off" period in defense labor disputes, during which the National Defense Mediation Board would seek settlement by conciliation, mediation or voluntary arbitration. As a last resort it would authorize the government to seize and operate the plant. This measure was reported attracting considerable bi-partisan support as a middle-of-the-road solution of the problem.

Next in line was a bill by Rep. Vinson (D-Ga.) which would call for compulsory arbitration.

Meanwhile, Senators Connally (D-Tex.) and Ball (R-Minn.) advanced bills of their own and one administration senator said these might be combined.

Negro Shot While Resisting Arrest

A Negro tentatively identified as Fred Coward of the Griffin community, is in Pitt General hospital with one bullet wound in the shoulder and another in the leg, the shots having been fired at him Saturday night by Jim Buck, Winterville policeman.

The Negro was shot after he allegedly had fired one shot at Roy Harris, another Winterville officer and was scuffling with the deputy over a pistol. As related by the Winterville chief, Harris went in L. W. Mozelle's cafe for colored to arrest the Negro on a charge of being drunk and causing a disturbance. The Negro was reluctant to submit to arrest and as Harris started to pull him out the door, the Negro attempted to grab a chair. Falling in this, he is reported to have drawn a pistol from his shirt and aimed it at Harris, who brushed the pistol aside and finally got it away from the Negro. Another Negro reportedly slipped Harris's gun out of his hands. Both the Negro's pistol and that of the officer were said to have been fired once each by the Negro. One shot struck Mozelle in the foot.

MANILA POISED FOR CONFLICT

U.S. Army And Naval Forces Of Philippines Stand Ready For Emergency Amid Increasing Indications of Possible Outbreak In Far East; Burma Reinforced; Thais Gear Military

Manila, Dec. 1.—(AP)—United States Army and Naval forces in the Philippines were held in readiness for any emergency today as war fears in the Far East were fed by the arrival of fresh British reinforcements in Burma, intense military preparations in Thailand and reports that the Japanese were pouring additional troops into neighboring French Indo-China.

Belief grew here that the Japanese might strike at any moment at Thailand in an effort to cut the Burma road supplying China, whose defenses soon will be strengthened by an all-American air unit composed of American-made planes flown under the Chinese flag.

Both the Japanese press and radio declared yesterday that establishment of such a patrol would be "an example of the most provocative armed aggression."

The serious view of the situation taken by United States officials in the Philippines was reflected in orders canceling all leaves from Corregidor, island fortress guarding Manila bay, and enforcing nightly blackouts at Naval bases. Many officers on leave were reported recalled to duty.

In Shanghai, the United States Consulate again advised American citizens to go home as speedily as possible. Americans in Thailand also were warned to be ready to leave.

In Hongkong, all British troops were called back to barracks. Navy men were ordered to stand by and the military command announced that the crown colony was "in an advance state of preparedness" following a three-day defense test.

Bangkok, Thailand, Dec. 1.—(AP)—Qualified observers attached particular significance today to a statement by the Bangkok radio that Thailand would welcome the assistance of friendly powers if she were forced to fight for her independence.

The radio declared optimistically today that Thailand will never be attacked by Japanese troops, but well informed quarters said the government was keenly alive to the possibilities of the Far East crisis and would not be taken by surprise in any event.

That, they said, was the reason national preparedness was being keyed to the highest pitch of efficiency in the nation wedged between Japanese-guarded French Indo-China and British Burma outlet of the supply route to Chungking.

College To Offer Musical Program

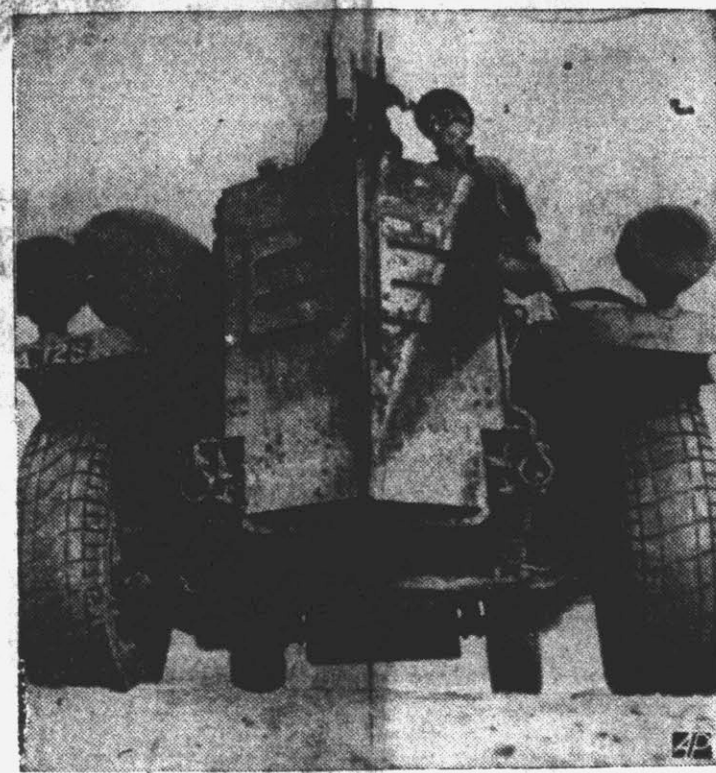
The music education department of the college will present a Christmas program "The Light of the World," on two nights, Sunday, December 14, and Monday, December 15, at 8:15, in the Austin Auditorium.

With "Light" as the theme of the evening, the program will begin in total darkness and will end with the story of the coming of Christ, suggested by brilliant light. Appropriate music, lines, and stage setting will present the Christmas story.

Practically every section of the department will contribute to the production this year, says A. L. Dittmer, head of the music department. In addition to selections by the orchestra, the women's chorus, and the a capella choir, there will be number by various soloists.

The Dramatics Club will assist with the program, in settings and lighting. Members of Greenville churches and other town people are cordially invited to attend.

British Armored Car In Libya



Here's one type of British armored car taking part in the campaign to drive the Axis forces out of Libya. British sources said this "battleship of the desert" was on patrol near the front when the picture was made.

In Area Of Explosion Residents Desert Homes

ORDERS PROBE OF LOBBYISTS

To Investigate Activity On Defense Contracts

Washington, Dec. 1.—(AP)—Two House committees today projected investigations, to start Wednesday, into lobbying activities in connection with defense contracts, while Rep. Jones (R-Ohio) denounced on the House floor a publication which he accused of soliciting advertising from arms suppliers on the false representation that it was connected with the Democratic party.

Chairman Bland (D-Va.) of the House Merchant Marine Committee announced that his group would investigate lobbying for Maritime Commission contracts. Chairman May (D-Ky.) of the Military Committee had previously announced a similar investigation in connection with Army contracts.

Jones read to the House a letter soliciting advertising at \$300 a page for a publication called the "Democratic National Press" whose technique, he said, would "make Al Capone blush with envy." The letter listed Jay Gladwin as managing editor, with offices in a downtown Washington building.

According to a survey of collective bargaining nearing completion by the Twentieth Century Fund, about one-third of the workers in ten leading American industries work under closed shop or union shop conditions.

Plans Are Disclosed For Annual Christmas Show

The Greenville Garden club will present its annual Christmas show at the Woman's club building Friday and Saturday of this week and indications that the affair will be an even bigger success than last year.

Arrangements are being made for the many exhibits expected. A special exhibit is being arranged for the Sally Cotton room, where a Christmas scene in a colonial living room will be featured as one of the outstanding displays of the entire show. Mrs. Key Brown and Mrs. Henry Rivers have charge of this particular phase of the program.

The Rosa Quinerly room across the hall will be reserved for Santa Claus and Mrs. W. P. Evans, Jr., in charge, promises more news on this tomorrow. A colonial kitchen scene is being arranged in the main auditorium

DRIVING WEST AGAINST AXIS

Acknowledged, However, Rezegh Defenses Broken By Nazi Infantry And Tanks, Although Details Are Not Disclosed; Complete British Success In Tobruk Expected Within A Few Days

Cairo, Dec. 1.—(AP)—British forces which have driven beyond the hump of Libya are continuing their operations, British headquarters said today, but it acknowledged that German infantry and tanks have broken into the defenses of Rezegh.

In that main sector of the 14-day-old desert struggle, the communiqué said, one Axis thrust from the West was repulsed south of Rezegh and British armored units, turning on Italy's Ariete—"spearhead"—division "destroyed about half the remaining tanks of this formation which then fled northward, pursued by British mobile columns."

The British reported yesterday reaching the Mediterranean coast along the Gulf of Sirte, between Bengasi and Agedabia, more than 300 miles west from the Egyptian frontier and across the Axis one road from Tripoli.

On that and the report that Imperial forces are hacking down German-Italian strength in well defined fighting areas, British observers confidently predicted final destruction of Axis remnants in the Tobruk sector within three days.

There was no indication of the magnitude or success of the German penetration into British defenses around Rezegh. The communiqué said only that it was accomplished yesterday afternoon by German infantry with tank support and that "bitter fighting continues in this area."

(An authoritative source in London said Eduard, in the Rezegh sector, was taken by the Axis Saturday night, but the British "threw the enemy out again" in a counter attack the same night.)

Principal Attending Meeting In Kentucky

By PEGGY ROSE SMITH
V. M. Mulholland is attending the 46th annual meeting of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools in Louisville, Ky., Monday through Friday.

Mr. Mulholland will represent Greenville High School at this meeting and will confer with Dr. Frank C. Jenkins, director of the Southern Study, while there Greenville High is one of the three Southern Study Schools in the state.

The local high school has been a member of the Southern Association for eighteen consecutive years, which means that Greenville High School has ranked among the best schools in the association for this period of time.

Also attending the meeting from Greenville are Dr. L. R. Meadows and Dr. Howard McGinnis of the College.

Official To Visit Libraries In Pitt

Mrs. Dorcas W. Reid, of the State Library Commission, Raleigh, will arrive in Greenville tomorrow to visit Sheppard Memorial Library and the public libraries and book stations in Pitt county. Mrs. Reid is sent out by the Library Commission to assist in a program of "more books for more people," made possible by state aid and additional public library funds from the county and the City of Greenville. She plans to visit each library and book station in the county to assist the workers in solving their problems and improving the services of each unit. On Wednesday night at 7:30 Mrs. Reid and Miss Prichard of the city library will broadcast the program, "Library on the Air," from WGTC.

Mrs. Reid has published various articles on libraries and books, her latest being "Latin American Novels in English Translation," Inter-American Quarterly, July-1941. Her experience in library work has been varied and extensive. She has worked in the Los Angeles City School library and in the Berkeley library also. She was at the head of the circulation department in the San Mateo public library, and supervisor of the branch department at the county library. In this state she served temporarily at Duke University library, and in the Durham public library. Mrs. Reid is a member of the American Library Association and the International Bibliographical and Library Association.

Throughout the county there is great enthusiasm over the many new books the citizens are enjoying. Each branch library will welcome Mrs. Reid as library consultant on their library problems.

Tension Increases Over Possible General War

Starts Cleanup



After arresting and jailing himself for profanity on the streets, W. S. Alyea, 84, sat at the table where he presides as mayor of Crystal River, Fla., and planned to run the "rough-neck element" out of town. The self-arrested mayor paid a \$20 fine and missed a 30 day jail sentence.

NO HEAD RAIL DISPUTE

Chairman Is Not To Hopeful As Board Takes Recess

Wash., Dec. 1.—(AP)—President Roosevelt's special fact-finding board continued sessions today in efforts to mediate the threatened strike of 350,000 railway operating employees after a marathon session of nearly 23 hours brought no results.

The board members made no comment as they went back together after about a three-hour recess. As they broke up their day and night meeting earlier, Chairman Wayne L. Morse said he was "not so hopeful as I was."

During the night Morse had indicated he believed progress was being made toward averting the strike but when the board recessed at 8:25 a.m., he declared:

"The situation hasn't looked so good for the last three hours as it did earlier in the evening."

"There appears no chance of getting any report to the President until late this afternoon or tonight," Morse added. "If I think there is still hope of reaching a settlement in another night I am authorized to keep the parties in session."

Chairman Morse said a general pattern for a possible settlement had grown out of the conferences, but the fact-finding board itself had not as yet offered recommendations for settling the dispute.

"We are still hoping the parties will devise the terms themselves," he declared.

Local NYA Heads To Disclose Cuts

Raleigh, Dec. 1.—(AP)—Projects which are to be abandoned or curtailed by the NYA will be announced by the nine area directors in North Carolina, instead of by state headquarters, State Administrator John A. Lang said today.

Each area director will confer with local sponsors and explain why the project is being eliminated or cut, before any announcement is made, Lang added.

Wilson Band Secured For Parade Thursday

The Wilson High School band will take part in the parade featuring the pre-Christmas arrival of Santa Claus here Thursday night, it was revealed today by Mrs. Cora S. Powell, executive secretary of the Greenville Merchants Association, who is cooperating with the special committee making arrangements for the annual affair.

Ambassador Nomuro And Special Envoy Kurusu Call On Secretary Hull Following Announcement In Tokyo Conversations To Be Continued; Hull Then Confers With President Roosevelt

Washington, Dec. 1.—(AP)—Negotiations on the delicate Far Eastern situation were resumed today by Secretary of State Hull and the Japanese ambassadors, after which the secretary hurried across the street to the White House to report to President Roosevelt, who had cut short a southern holiday.

The President and Hull conferred by themselves in Mr. Roosevelt's study immediately after the secretary concluded his talks with the Japanese, which concerned only subordinate phases of the Pacific situation. The envoys brought no reply to the document in which the United States last week delineated its position.

Mr. Roosevelt called Harry L. Hopkins, lend-lease supervisor who has been inactive because of illness, for luncheon, but made no other engagements for the day.

Ambassador Nomura looked grave and the special envoy, who emerged from Hull's study, a reporter asked him if he still was a wide gap between American and Japanese, he replied:

"I believe there must be wise statesmanship to save the situation."

Kurusu, when asked whether he and Nomura planned to see Hull again, said:

"Yes, we are instructed to that effect by our government."

Kurusu told newspapermen that he and Nomura brought no final answer to the document handed them last Wednesday by Hull restating and clarifying the United States attitude toward Far Eastern questions.

When asked about Premier Tojo's reported statement that East Asia must be "purged" of British and American interference, Kurusu said he thought Tojo had been "badly misquoted" in news dispatches.

"We are asking Tokyo for a full text of the speech," he added.

To questions bearing on reported Japanese preparations to invade Thailand, Kurusu replied that he knew nothing about that.

"Questioners sought to determine whether today's visit was for the purpose of obtaining further clarification of certain points in the American position as outlined in Hull's document."

"Better ask Mr. Hull," Kurusu replied.

When a reporter asked whether it would be safe to say that negotiations were being resumed today, Kurusu quickly retorted: "They never have been broken off."

He added after a moment's thought: "Continuation of the negotiations would be a better word."

Petain And Hitler Said To Have Met

Madrid, Dec. 1.—(AP)—Spanish diplomatic circles reported tonight that Adolf Hitler and Marshal Petain met this morning at Orleans, in occupied France.

(There was no immediate confirmation of this from Vichy or Berlin. Plans had been mentioned in earlier dispatches as a likely side of Petain's projected meeting with a "high German personage.")

Weather Report

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

Social and Personal

Quinn Bostic was at home from Fort Bragg yesterday.

Mrs. C. W. Shuff and Mrs. Alwyn Darden have returned from Boston. Mrs. E. F. Arnold of Raleigh, is visiting Mrs. Howard McGinnis.

Miss Thelma Hansen of Duke University, and Mr. Ed Brown of Wilson, spent the week-end here with Miss Louise Saled and Daniel Saled.

Tyson Bilbro attended the Army-Navy football game in Philadelphia on Saturday. Mr. Bilbro was the guest of the Pennsylvania Sugar Co. The party also witnessed professional football and hockey games.

Mr. John Saled left Sunday for Baltimore where he will buy merchandise for the Smart Shop.

Bridge Tournament.
The Junior Woman's Club will sponsor a bridge tournament Wednesday at 3 p. m. at the Woman's Club. For reservations call 3315.

Attend Weddings.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Higgs, Mrs. Helene Higgs Kirkpatrick and daughter, Sarah Helene, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Goodson, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Duncan and Miss Mary Ann Duncan attended the wedding and reception of Miss Margaret Abbott to Dr. Cleon Goodwin which took place in Wilson Saturday night.

Boy Scout Board of Review.
The monthly board of review to examine Boy Scouts for advancement will be held tonight at the Eighth Street Christian Church at 8 o'clock. All Scouts who are prepared to advance are reminded to be present.

Christian Science Service.
"Ancient and Modern Necromancy, Alas Mesmerism and Hypnotism Denounced," was the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Christian Science churches and societies on Sunday, November 30.

The golden text was from Jeremiah 23:3-8. "Thus saith the Lord of hosts, the God of Israel; Let not your prophets and your diviners that be in the midst of you, deceive you. For they prophesy falsely unto you in my name: I have not sent them, saith the Lord."

Among the citations which comprised the lesson-sermon were the following from the Bible: "I have not sent these prophets, yet they ran: But if they had stood in my counsel, and had caused my people to hear my words, then they should have turned them from their evil way, and from the evil of their doings. Am I a God at hand, saith the Lord, and not a God afar off?" (Jeremiah 23:21-22, 23).

The lesson-sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Animal magnetism has no scientific foundation, for God governs all that is real, harmonious and eternal, and His power is neither animal nor human. Its basis being a belief and this belief animal, in Science animal magnetism, mesmerism, or hypnotism is a mere negation, possessing neither intelligence, power, nor reality, and in sense it is an unreal concept of the so-called mortal mind."

A TRIBUTE

A few days ago Washington, N. C. lost one of her most valuable citizens—Mrs. E. B. Moore, sister of Miss Bettie Warren and Mrs. R. M. Hearne of this city. Mr. Ollen E. Warren of Freeport, Long Island, N. Y., and sister-in-law of Mrs. William E. Warren of Williamston, Mrs. Moore was not only valuable to her church, but to her many friends and her community, although it had been many years since she was able to attend church, her heart was at every service. When she was able to attend she was there every morning and every night.

Through the many years of her confinement she never once complained of her suffering. She was always bright and cheerful, even when death entered her home. Her motto was—"I will be done."

Often she had said, "Well, when my time comes I'm ready. If it comes tonight I have nothing to regret. I've already enjoyed more than my share of life, and anytime God sees fit to call me home I'm ready to go."

Among the few "old timers" in Greenville and Washington she will be missed. Among the "fast nervous" generation time will teach them what a friend they've lost, for the "old timers" that loved her had time, in their day, to learn the truths of the Bible, and to admire her faith in a Supreme Being that would reward her when she fell asleep.

Mrs. Moore loved life—loved youth—and although at times she had the opportunity of disapproving of things, she gracefully retired and silently prayed to her Maker to right the things she knew were wrong.

For years all she saw of life was through her window—and what joy she experienced in seeing a friend pass by and look up and wave a friendly greeting.

If ever a Christian lived in this world it was Mrs. E. B. Moore—and in this present world of strife and destruction we only wish that she might be noble enough to inherit some of the characteristics, faith and personality of Mrs. Moore. Her departure is surely a great loss to the worthwhile things of life.

—One Who Loved Her.

Social Calendar

MONDAY

6:30 p. m.—The Rotary Club meets.

7:00 p. m.—The Lions Club will meet.

7:15 p. m.—Modern Woodmen will give an oyster supper for members and their wives.

7:45 p. m.—Women's meeting of Christian Church, in the church.

8:00 p. m.—Mrs. Travis Hooker will entertain at bridge honoring Mrs. Charles Flanagan.

8:00 p. m.—The Evelyn Leonard Circle of Immanuel Baptist Church meets with Mrs. Harvey Dail.

8:00 p. m.—The Business Girls' Circle of Immanuel Baptist Church meets with Mrs. Mildred Owens.

8:00 p. m.—Greenville Symphonic Choir meets at the Woman's Club.

8:15 p. m.—The Wesleyan Service Guild will meet at the Student Center.

TUESDAY

1:00 p. m.—The Athenaeum Club meets with Mrs. J. J. White.

3:00 p. m.—Mrs. Wiley Brown will be hostess to the Ladies of the Round Table.

3:30 p. m.—Mrs. E. G. Harding will be hostess to the Ladies of the Century Club, at the home of Mrs. E. B. Ferguson.

3:30 p. m.—The Gethsemane Book Club meets with Mrs. N. S. Beard.

3:30 p. m.—The Inter Se Club meets with Mrs. William Traft.

3:30 p. m.—Mrs. N. G. Van-Nortwick, Jr., will be hostess to the Forty-one Club.

3:30 p. m.—The Clio Club meets with Miss Mae Joyner.

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

7:30 p. m.—The Y. W. A. of Immanuel Baptist Church will meet with Miss Lella Higgs.

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

WEDNESDAY

10:30 a. m.—12:30 p. m.—Bundles for Britain workshop.

11:30 a. m.—Mrs. J. B. James will entertain at a coffee hour complimenting Miss Anna Lang, bride-elect.

3:00 p. m.—Bridge tournament at the Woman's Club, sponsored by the Junior Woman's Club.

THURSDAY

3:30 p. m.—Mrs. W. F. Young and Mrs. George F. Madley will entertain at bridge, at the home of Mrs. Young in compliment to Miss Anna Lang.

FRIDAY

2:00-9:00 p. m.—Annual Christmas show, sponsored by the Garden Club, at the Woman's Club.

8:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club will meet.

7:30 p. m.—Meeting of the Red Men.

8:00 p. m.—Meeting of the Greenville chapter of the E. O. T. C. Alumni Association in the new Classroom building at the college.

SATURDAY

10:00 a. m.—9:00 p. m.—Annual Christmas show, sponsored by the Garden Club, at the Woman's Club.

11:00 a. m.—Miss Estelle Greene and Mrs. R. B. Greene will entertain at bridge luncheon at the home of Mrs. Greene, in honor of Miss Anna Lang.

4:00-5:00 p. m.—Mrs. M. K. Blount will entertain at tea at her home "Rock Spring," honoring her house guest and Miss Anna Lang.

Brown-Worley.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Edward Worley of Goldsboro, North Carolina announce the marriage of their daughter Mary Virginia to

Mr. Frank Warren Brown, junior on July twenty-seventh. Nineteen hundred and forty-one. York, South Carolina.

At Home
707 North Blount St., Raleigh, N. C.

College Vesper Services.

Rev. Clarence Bowen of Campbell College, was the speaker at the Sunday evening Y. W. C. A. vesper service at East Carolina Teachers College.

Edna Mitchell of Hobbsville opened the service with two musical selections. For the devotional Leah Fleming of Pikeville read from the fourth chapter of Matthew, in which Christ calls the fishermen, Peter and Andrew, saying, "Follow me and I will make you fishers of men." Taking the words "I will make

MODES of the MOMENT

by Helen Forrist Hall



Candle light beauty for a lovely lady. A Christmas package may contain pitch black Chantilly lace pompadour halo, which clamps lightly upon the head with a dainty velvet band (around \$4). Fascinator gauntlet mitts make hands divine (around \$2). A black lace hankie completes the transparent picture (around \$3).

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
Monday, December 1, 1901

December.
Christmas coming.
Month of weddings.
Sunday and today gave us beautiful weather.

At the regular meeting of the board of Aldermen next Thursday night, a petition will be presented asking that Dickinson avenue be widened and proper sidewalks constructed from Five Points to the depot.

you" as his theme Mr. Bowen opened his address by emphasizing "Never before in the history of time has there been a greater need of consecrated young men and women." Then he pointed out that all along God has called people to do his bidding. As examples he mentioned some of the prophets in the Old Testament, and at a later date, Martin Luther. "It may be that God has chosen you for a great work," he said. "God will make you, out He makes by his spirit and not by force," declared Mr. Bowen. "He will not force one into his service; rather, the service given must be voluntary. It is through yielding that we are consecrated."

Mr. Bowen said that the name Christian has become commonplace and is used to apply to anyone who is a church member or whose parents are church members. Instead, a Christian should mean one who has lived close to God and walks with Him.

It is the opinion of Mr. Bowen that too many people spend too much time making a living and too little making a life. People take little interest in religion because they see so little of it in their surroundings. "It may be that we need the touch of the Master's hand."

"We can serve Christ best," the speaker declared, "by thinking of what He has done for us. What service that these hands of mine can perform can equal the one service he did for me?"

One should give up the things of this life that hinder service. "The challenge I'm giving you is that you launch into greater channels with Christ."

Mr. Bowen is a student of Campbell College, and was instrumental in starting the Free Will Baptist League, a young people's organization.

Library News

Japan Unmasked
In the group of new books received at the Sheppard Memorial Library last week, three are definitely worth talking about. A most timely book is "Japan Unmasked" by Hallett Abend, written to help Americans understand the news of today, to give an informed and authoritative viewpoint on the vital problems in the Far East. The last pages in the book were written as the first came off the press and cover events in that crucial situation right up to the last minute of publication.

The author is a famous New York Times Far East correspondent who left Shanghai under circumstances that make the high drama of the book. No living man is better qualified to tell what is happening in Asia than Mr. Abend. Before returning to America, after 15 years in the Far East, he visited Singapore, The Netherlands East Indies and practically all the troubled

U.S. Envoy To Russia Returns



Laurence Steinhardt (right), United States ambassador to Russia, talks with Reporter Harry Crockett of the Associated Press upon his arrival in New York on the Capetown Clipper from Africa on the last leg of a flight from Mubyshev, Russia, via Cairo. He declined to discuss the war or comment on affairs of state.

areas in the Far Eastern international crisis.

"The Springs of Virginia," by Percival Reniers, is highly reminiscent and will appeal to readers over 50 years of age. It is the true story of the Southern Springs, where "curing" and mating went on furiously side by side for well over a century. The book takes the reader behind the vague and flowery legends into that teeming life around the fountains whose waters were so impregnated with minerals, heat and fashion.

Here the southerner and his charming ladies are on parade in the era of their glory. Mr. Reniers tells how they early discovered a social taste in the waters, how they danced, smoked, gambled, made duels and arranged marriages. Here is everybody who is anybody, from New Orleans to Baltimore, from George Washington to Irene Langhorne, the last of the great belles of the nineties.

Altogether it is a fascinating book, dealing with the summer life of southern society when it set the pace for the rest of the Americans to follow.

Beware Coughs Following Flu

After the flu is over and gone, the cough that follows may develop into chronic bronchitis if neglected. 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. No matter how many medicines you have tried, 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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for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

RAISES IN PAY BEING SOUGHT

Governor Seeking Increases in Lower Brackets

Reflector Bureau.
By BOB THOMPSON
Raleigh, Dec. 1.—Governor Broughton has asked R. G. Deyton, head of the Budget Bureau, to search for some method by which the State can raise the pay of these departmental employees getting less than \$100 a month.

If he can't help those that far up the scale, the Governor wants to do what he can for those in the lower brackets around \$70 and \$80. Governor Broughton said that he believed the rise in cost of living "constitutes an emergency" insofar as the affairs of the lower paid workers are concerned. He hopes that he can use his emergency powers to do something about it. If it develops that the Governor can use the contingency and emergency funds to increase certain departmental salaries and he and the Council of State decide to take that step, he may find that he has "opened Pandora's box" and has around 25,000 teachers on his neck. Although the average teacher gets considerably more than \$100 a month for the months that he or she teaches, the average annual income of a teacher is less than \$100 a month. And it would take just about twice that amount in the contingency fund to raise every teacher \$5 a month for the

eight months they are on the state payroll.
However, it is understood that Governor Broughton's chief concern in this matter are the low paid departmental and institutional workers who are paid considerably less than teachers for the time they work. Certainly there is a real need here and if the Governor can find a way to help them he will make many a new friend around Capitol Square.



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PAPER

By WRIGHT A. PATTERSON
In Publishers' Auxiliary

During World War I, paper, and especially print paper, went up to undreamed of prices. Western Newspaper Union, the largest consumer of sheetprint in America, paid as high as 13 cents a pound in carload lots, and even at such prices found it impossible to obtain an adequate supply.

During that war all daily papers were forced to reduce their consumption of print paper by 25 per cent. Book and periodical publishers were cut 30 per cent. The government forced newspapers to go to a cash-in-advance basis and cut off subscribers who did not pay promptly. No special editions could be issued. No new papers could be established. Exchange lists were limited. Through such methods the use of print paper on the part of newspapers was reduced approximately 25 per cent.

Several hundred newspapers quit publication because they could not get paper.

We are rapidly approaching similar conditions because of the present war. The government is calling for rigid economy in the consumption of paper of all kinds. Our normal supply of print paper from Sweden, Finland, Norway, the Baltic states and Germany was stopped more than a year ago and that supply is a big factor in the paper market. Our own accessible wood pulp supply is practically exhausted. We are almost entirely dependent on Canada for our print paper, or the wood pulp from which it is made. The labor supply in Canada grows less week by week, as men are enrolled in the fighting forces, and those remaining in industry are absorbed by the war production plants.

Wood pulp has a definite place as a material in our own preparedness program, and more and more of the diminishing available quantity is going in that direction. The government is using largely increased quantities of paper because of our war activities.

THERE WILL BE A SHORTAGE OF PRINT PAPER. THERE IS SUCH A SHORTAGE NOW! THE PRICE OF PRINT PAPER WILL BE HIGHER, MUCH HIGHER. The continuance of many a country newspaper may be, in all probability will be jeopardized. It is a serious condition that lies in the almost immediate future of but a few months.

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Strength For The Day

By EARL L. DOUGLASS

FORGET THE PAST
A young man stood before his
employer's desk one day and haltingly
began to apologize for some
mistake which he felt might cost
him his job. His boss cut him short
with the words, "I am not interested
in what has happened. Start
where you stand."

There are just two right attitudes
we can take toward the past. First,
we must do everything we can to
right any wrong we have committed.
If someone has been injured or lied
to if a gaping wound has opened
under our harsh or thoughtless
words, then we can never face the
future until we have done every-
thing possible to right these wrongs.
But having done that, we should
turn our back on the past and for-
get about it. Like St. Paul, we
should forget the things that are
behind and press forward to the
things that are before. To dwell
on the past is to indulge in remorse,
and remorse is the bride of despair.
Repentance means fixing up the
past as well as it can be repaired,
making things right to the extent
they can be made, and then pressing
into the future with the dogged
determination to leave the past be-
hind us.

The next time we are tempted to
hold a post-mortem, let us suppress
the desire for self-pity from which
it arises and say to ourselves reso-
lutely, "Forget the past. Start
where you stand."

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U. S. AND ENGLAND STILL STRONGEST ON THE SEA

In case Japan remains true to its Axis pledges and the United States and Great Britain are drawn into a naval war in the Pacific, the preponderance of naval strength will remain with the English-speaking nations. Only in the number of submarines will the Axis have an edge, and if veiled reports of naval operations in the Atlantic are correct, even this may be wiped out.

As far as can be ascertained, Great Britain and the United States would have fifty-two battleships to thirty for Japan, Germany and Italy, an edge of twenty-nine to twelve in aircraft carriers, 168 cruisers to 101 for the Axis, 700 destroyers to 349 for the opposition, while the Axis would have an edge of 475 submarines to 415.

The preponderance of Axis surface ships would be with the Japanese fleet in the Pacific, and their importance should not be overlooked. For as long as Japan remains a threat, the United States must base a large part of its fleet in the Pacific and Great Britain must release a goodly number of ships for the Singapore base.

Italy and Germany, however, are almost completely bottled up, except for submarines. The destructive power of the undersea boats is admittedly great, but air and sea patrols are solving the problem with increasing efficiency each day, and German losses are believed

Japan On The Move



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to be mounting. At any rate, Britain is getting supplies from the United States with fewer shipping losses than during the spring and early summer months.

Recent developments in talks between the United States and Japan show one thing very clearly—neither the United States nor Japan wants to fight if they can get out of it. Sensible Japanese statesmen realize the futility of such a war and the inevitability of their defeat. On the other hand, the United States has its hands full patrolling its part of the Atlantic, and every ship it can spare for this work makes the job that much easier and more sure of success.

Secretary Hull's four points necessary for a peaceful settlement of the Far Eastern crisis seem reasonable. He insists that Japan should withdraw from the Axis as an evidence that it does not mean to keep company with the enemies of this country, renunciation of further aggression, withdrawal of Japanese forces both from China and Indo-China, and observance of equality of commercial opportunity in the Far East.

If the United States holds firm to these points, it will merely be carrying out its traditional policy in the Pacific. For a long time this policy was voided because the United States continued to trade with Japan even when it violated this policy. Since the United States has finally quit its appeasement tactics in the area, Japan has been forced into a show-down.

Many observers see no hope for a settlement, and freely prophesy war in the near future. Regardless of the result, it is hoped that the United States will hold firm and not treat with Japan on any terms other than those laid down originally by Secretary Hull. Any compromise will probably only postpone and aggravate the disagreement.

At Fort Knox.
Fort Knox, Ky., Dec. 1.—The following trainees recently arrived here at the Armored Force Replacement Training Center to start basic training in mechanized warfare: Greenville and vicinity: George T. Brooks, RFD No. 5; Robert N. Merritt, 209 Columbia ave.; Herbert Moringo, RFD No. 1; William R. Harris, Winterville.

Washington Daybook

By Jack Stannett

Washington — Just how many thousands of pages of "hand-outs" pour from government press relations agencies weekly is anybody's guess. The news men, for the most part, thumb through these reams of dullness, cut them down to the few essentials and pass them on. Generally, it's pretty tedious, routine work because government press agents discovered a long time ago that they can't take journalistic liberties with bosses whose jobs hang on public opinion or at least the opinion of their immediate superiors who, in turn must take their raps from the people who cast the votes.

Occasionally, however, some subject comes along that gives the government writer his golden opportunity and it is one such that I wish to record here—a lyrical, journalistic gem (no pun) about "diamonds for defense" that came out of Nelson Rockefeller's office for inter-American affairs. In the sub-heading, the Rockefeller boys tipped their hand with the information that "South America's Diamond Bullets Aid Democracy's Arsenal."

From there on, it was touch-and-go. The release started: "Diamonds—precious jeweled facets of imprisoned sunlight. Pretty baubles which have inspired prince and pauper, lover and commoner, beguiling to kings and coveted by thieves, now take an important place next to battleships, tanks and factories in the gigantic military and industrial effort to forge the weapons of defense for the Americas. Prismatic facets with the latent raw power of a smoldering volcano. Power to create a Niagara of arms in defense of democracy."

If you are still along, set a spell and get your breath. That sort of thing goes on for 14 double-paced pages.

It points out that "this amazing jewel... part of the plasma of the earth's creation... has donned overalls... and it fighting the battles of our democratic allies against the aggressive intentions of totalitarian powers aiming to dominate a world economic hegemony by force of arms."

That kind of verbiage is enough to stop even the most enthusiastic of the government report thumbers but as isn't always the case in these releases by any means, this one carried a reward for patience. Tucked away among those precious adjectives and over-ripe phrases was some pretty hot stuff about industrial diamonds.

For example, the Dutch and Belgian merchants, fleeing their native lands before the Nazi invasion, carried nearly all their diamonds with them and the Axis powers are so short on industrial diamonds today that they are cutting up gem stones to use in the drills and cutters of war industries.

Only a few weeks ago, FBI agents arrested three Japanese merchants and charged them with trying to sneak out of the country with \$50,000 worth of industrial diamonds. The Italian government maintains its only existing South Atlantic airline (L.A.T.I., flying from Brazil to Italy) with a major purpose of transporting this valuable light-weight cargo for use in Axis war machines.

The United States imports three-fourths of a ton (3,800,000 carats) of industrial diamonds a year now, about 14 times as many as it did seven or eight years ago.

Defense industries would come to an almost complete stop if the supply of industrial diamonds suddenly was shut off. They are used in the manufacture of ships, airplanes, tanks, trucks, guns, bomb-sights,

and get your breath. That sort of thing goes on for 14 double-paced pages.

range-finders, telescopes, submarines and copper wire among other instruments and machines of war. Industrial diamonds cost about \$2.86 a carat, compared to \$325 to \$650 a carat for top quality gem diamonds.

Around... Capital Square

By BOB THOMPSON

COLLECTION—Down at the State Highway and Public Works Commission they are giving this column credit for being a pretty good collection agent—even if it did not succeed in collecting the mansion grocery account the department books carried under the head of "accounts receivable."

But there was another 12-year-old account in the same column, the \$4,571.91 the state paid for paving private roads around the swank Roaring Gap resort, which has been settled since it was carried here—although collection efforts of the past decade had not been successful. The private paving was done when Alex Hanes of Winston-Salem was acting chairman of the commission. Time and again he had been approached on the subject but each time he put the commission off, saying that he had to see those who had been benefited by the work.

The matter was quite embarrassing to the department.

Recently this column noted the account. Almost immediately Dr. Fred Hanes, head of the Duke Hospital and brother of the former acting chairman, came to Raleigh, said that he and others had been the beneficiaries but that he had not realized the situation until he had read about it in the newspapers. In no time at all the matter was cleared up, the Roaring Gap colony being given credit for the money it had spent on a private road which later was taken over by the state and Dr. Hanes giving his check for \$2,371.91 in payment of the remainder.

SALES—If there is any doubt in anybody's mind that retail business is booming in North Carolina it will be settled by a look at the sales tax records. Although the tax has come off food in the meantime, sales tax collections in November were more than 15 per cent above the same collections in November last year.

Nor is that a temporary business boom. For the first four months of the present fiscal year sales tax collections amount to \$6,466,935.31 compared to \$5,288,507.83 for the same period of 1940.

According to the way things are running at present, the sales tax will net North Carolina several millions more this year than ever before. With the best month ahead and with prices on the rise, a \$20,000,000 sales tax collection for the present fiscal year is well within the realm of possibility. In fact, it's probable.

GENERAL RISE—But the sales tax is not all that's booming in the Revenue Department. Total tax collections for the first three of the fiscal year were 19.29 per cent above those of last year while the November increase, 1941 over 1940, was 24.1 per cent.

Road Repair Crew in the Greenville Civilian Defense Organization.

DEFENSE BOND QUIZ

Note — To purchase Defense Bonds and Stamps go to the nearest post office or bank or write for information to the Treasurer of the United States, Washington, D. C. Also Stamps

THE PHONE BOOTH MURDER

by Phoebe Atwood Taylor

Chapter 12
"She's back," Rankin said, but she isn't doing anything! What's she waiting for? Why doesn't she get along with it?"

"Give her time," Rankin said. "I don't think she's going to do anything more," Rankin said impatiently. "Look, Mayo, I think she's stuck. Her car's in the garage. There," Rankin pointed to a building beyond the turntable. She's got to get that body down from the sun deck, get herself down, get her car, get the body into it—"

"What she doing?" Rankin said. "Lady has a body," Asey said. She's now in the process of brooding—hey, come back here! Hold on, Hanson. We ain't rushing in on her. We're going to let her brood and see what she does with it. You go get your car and ease it up across from the drive, and be ready to follow her in case she gets to the point of driving off. We're going to wait here and watch for developments, and if they don't develop pretty soon, we'll join up in a bit of confronting."

"But, Asey," Hanson began, "I—" "Pop along and get the car." "But look here," Hanson said plaintively, "I only want to know one thing, Asey! Is all that stuff Jennie told me true?"

"Most probably," Asey said. "Maybe she's done a little embellishing, but she must be pretty pretty close to facts. If she'd started wondering, you wouldn't be here now. Say, where's that car going?"

"What car?" Hanson returned. "I don't hear any car." "See them headlights, over yonder?" Asey pointed to the left beyond the kitchen ell.

"Service drive, Rankin said. "It swings along over there." "How'n time did I miss that?" Asey asked, and at once answered his own question. "That rat in the first time, I guess, and I cut in the other side of it the next time. I was so busy computing the area of them missiles, I suppose it's no wonder I missed a driveway."

"Well, I didn't," Hanson said. "My full of puddles up to my knees—" He broke off as Asey grabbed his arm.

"Hey! I got to beat it on the double-quick! Hustle up!" "What for? She hasn't left that roof, has she? I can see her." "But she just waved! Now she's going down! Hustle, Hanson! Get going! Whoever come in that car is going to help her. She waved, I tell you! Come on!"

are now on sale at retail stores.

Q. What kind of Christmas card is popular this year?
A. The kind that holds a Stamp album in which the giver places one or more Defense Savings Stamps.
Q. Should someone whose income is rather uncertain but who wants to help National Defense, buy Defense Savings Bonds when financially able?
A. Certainly. If occasion arises when cash is needed, a Series B Bond can be redeemed after 90 days from the issue date.

tion the fellows Hanson plants around these roads just to haul in speeders?" Asey returned. "I'm sure I wouldn't. I'd drive thirty-five miles an hour on the right-hand side of the road, blow my horn pretty at all intersections, and try to seem like somebody on their way home from prayer meeting. This gets fishier and fishier, Hanson. They've taken the turn into Pocket village."

Rankin took off his shell-rimmed glasses, wiped them as well as he could in his cramped position next to the door, put his goggles back on, and shook his head.

"I'm still damned if I can see any car at all!" he said. "Why, it's right there!" Hanson said. "Right on—let's see. That'd be the Old Mill road, wouldn't it, Asey?"

"Well, yes," Asey said. "Only kind of a little mite more to the left, on the cut-through that runs past the ball park." "A little mite more to the left, indeed!" Rankin said sarcastically. "You mean a good half mile to the left! Hanson, you can't see that car any more than I can, and you know it! And if you really know, Mayo, and if you really are following it, why don't you catch up with it and grab them for speeding, Mr. Rankin. I'm going to creep up on them a mite. I want to know what they're up to in the village."

"Creep!" Rankin said. "Creep! I'm the one who's creeping! I'm a creeping piece of goose flesh! That speedometer needle won't go any farther!"

When it did, Rankin took off his glasses, folded them, and tucked them away in the pocket of his coat. Rankin, I'm going to creep up on them a mite. I want to know what they're up to in the village."

"Hey, I can see the car now! Look!" Hanson pointed. "My eyes," Rankin told him, "are closed. Tell me when we've landed." Hanson laughed.

"To me," Rankin said, "it all seems perilously like Dick Tracy." "It is a Dick Tracy finish, all right, Mr.—say, I don't know your name!"

"Meet Mr. Rankin," Asey said. "Mr. Rankin's a genealogist, Hanson." "Oh," Hanson said, and added, after a pause, "Do things with rocks, eh?"

SALE OF REAL PROPERTY
By virtue of a power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed by John B. Hardee and wife, Addie B. Hardee, to P. L. Stone, Trustee, dated November 4, 1938, the undersigned Substituted Trustee will expose to public sale before the Court House door in Pitt County to the highest bidder for cash on **Monday, the 4th day of Jan., 1942** it being the first Monday in January, 1942, the following described real property to-wit:

Lying and being situated in Swift Creek Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, near the Town of Grifton, and adjoining the lands of W. A. Gaskins, and others, and containing 130 acres, more or less, and being the same tract of land conveyed to Minnie R. Hardee by J. Lonnie Stocks, Executor of David Stocks, Mortgagee, by deed dated March 7, 1935, and subsequently conveyed by John B. Hardee and wife, Addie B. Hardee, to W. E. Hart, and subsequently conveyed by W. E. Hart to John B. Hardee and wife, Addie B. Hardee.

This sale will be made for the purpose of satisfying the terms of said Deed of Trust.

This the 28th day of Nov., 1941.
R. B. LEE, Substituted Trustee.
Harding and Lee, Attys.
Dec. 1-1tw-4wk.

NOTICE OF SALE

In the Superior Court and authority vested in the undersigned commissioner by that certain Judgment of the Pitt County Superior Court in the action entitled "Pitt County Drainage District No. 2 vs. J. L. Perkins, et al.," and pursuant to the terms of said Judgment and for the purpose of satisfying the same, the undersigned commissioner will offer at public auction for sale to the highest bidder for cash and will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash before the Courthouse door in the City of Greenville

At 12:00 o'clock noon on Monday, December 29, 1941 the following described real estate: These certain tracts or parcels of land described as Lots No. 3, Lots No. 4, Lots No. 5 and Lots No. 6 in the division of the woodland of the late Emily S. Fleming, as shown on the map of said division in the Division of Lands Book No. 2 at page 242, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County and being further described in that certain Deed from J. B. Fleming, et al. to V. C. Fleming and J. L. Perkins, the same being duly of record in the Pitt County Registry on Book N-15 at page 343 and containing 96 acres, more or less.

A deposit of 10 per cent in cash will be required of the high bidder, pending confirmation of the sale by the Court.

Dated November 24, 1941.
SAM B. UNDERWOOD, Jr.,
Commissioner.
Dec. 1-8-15-22.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Pathetic
2. Reared
3. Kind of rock
12. Epoch
13. Rounded
14. Crayfish
15. Channel from the sea
16. Ornament with needlework
18. Asiatic palm
20. Note of the scale
22. Flowing
23. Siamese coins
24. Fruit stones
25. Clergyman
26. Birthplace of Abraham
31. Accepted
32. Vegetable
33. Flooding
34. Water
35. Small pool
36. Device for catching
40. Melon
41. Peacock butterfly
42. Literary supervisor
43. Midday
44. Hindu cymbals
45. Address
46. Adjective and noun suffix
51. Swiss river
52. Savory meat
53. Jelly
55. Carries through
56. Fish eggs
57. Town in Hawaii
58. Move quickly
59. Aerial railways
60. collog.
63. Biblical garden
64. Goddess of discord
65. Still

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Solution of Saturday's Puzzle

DOWN
1. Scandinavian legend
2. Edible
3. Discovers
4. Dimmed by tears
5. Gypsy
6. Flow back
7. Obtain
8. Double
9. Free
10. Vigilant
11. In favor of
12. Burdensome
13. Dish of eggs and milk
14. Gael
15. Sort
16. Scurvy
17. Burdensome speech
18. Sort
19. Scurvy
20. Plays on words
21. Sets in from the margin
22. American Indians
23. Medley
24. Gypsy
25. Gas of the air
26. Unadulterated
27. Scurvy
28. Loner's abusive speech
29. Fish hawk
30. Presently
31. Maid beloved by Hercules
32. Girdle
33. Beverage
34. Automobile
35. Three: prefix

Civilian Defense Insigna

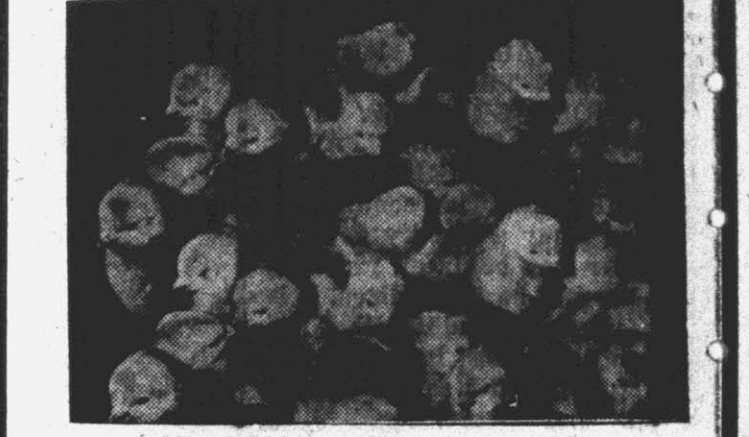
The Office of Civilian Defense has released illustrations and specifications of dimensions, colors, and materials for 16 different insignia. Each of the activities in civilian defense, 15 in number, will have a distinctive design which the volunteer workers, after they have been enrolled and trained, will wear on white armbands or embroidered on the left sleeve of uniforms, 1 inch below the shoulder seam. One of the insignia is shown below.



The Road Repair Crew members will be identified by their work symbol of their work—the shovel—done in red and placed in white triangle set in blue circle. Regular street and road repair crews must be augmented by able civilian volunteers, preferably men, who can help to restore the normal flow of traffic quickly after an air raid or other major disaster. The wearing of this insignia is limited to workers enrolled in the

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DAIL HATCHERY

AYDEN, N. C.

Duke Accepts Invitation To Play In Rose Bowl Classic

OTHER BOWLS MAKING PLANS

Blue Devils To Engage Beavers Of Oregon State

The undefeated, untied 1941 Duke football team will be pitted against Oregon State's Beavers in the Rose Bowl game New Year's day. Duke officials having accepted the bid last night.

The invitation came about 24 hours after the Beavers had been named to represent the west coast in the annual colorful Pasadena game, still the outstanding bowl game of the nation.

Duke accepted the invitation after securing permission from Southern Conference officials to play the post-season game.

This will be the second Duke team to go to the Rose Bowl, the Devils having lost a heart-breaker in 1938 when Southern California scored on passes during the final minute of the game after Duke had scored a field goal and held the California team up to that point.

The selection of Duke by Oregon State was somewhat a surprise as the west coast representative earlier had listed Fordham and Missouri as their favorites ahead of Duke.

ORANGE BOWL

Miami, Fla., Nov. 30 (AP)—The Orange Bowl, which beat rivals to the punch with the selection of Georgia as Dixie's representative in the New Year's Day football tilt, then moved today to line up Texas as an opponent.

Members of the Orange Bowl committee disclosed informally tonight that Texas already had been invited to oppose Georgia. They are extremely hopeful that the Longhorns will accept.

Behind the fast action was an early decision to throw out past performances and bring in two teams likely to put on a spectacular show for the 30-odd thousand who can be jammed into the stadium here.

SUGAR BOWL

New Orleans, Nov. 30 — New Orleans' Midwinter Sports Association today announced that Fordham and Missouri will meet here on January 1 in the eighth annual Sugar Bowl football game.

Selection of the Rams and Tigers was by unanimous vote of the Sugar Bowl executive committee. President A. N. Goldberg said, "The Rams form an outstanding Eastern team, and the Tigers captured the Big Six Conference championship. Both teams lost a game apiece during the regular season and each will be appearing in the Sugar Bowl classic for the first time."

COTTON BOWL

Dallas, Tex., Nov. 30 (UP)—Texas A. and M. has accepted an invitation to play in the Cotton Bowl on New Year's Day. Dan Rogers, president of the Cotton Bowl Association, announced tonight.

The Aggies were extended an automatic invitation as host team for winning the Southwest Conference championship, but it wasn't until tonight that the school's athletic council voted to permit the team to play a post-season game. No opponent has been selected for the Aggies, Rogers said. He would not indicate what teams were being considered.

NOTICE OF SALE

North Carolina—Pitt County In The Superior Court Before the Clerk.

Reverend A. J. Brennas, Bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Richmond, Virginia, et al. Under and virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Pitt County entered in the above entitled special proceeding on Monday, November 24, 1941, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at public auction, at the Courthouse door in the City of Greenville at 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, December 29th, 1941 the following described parcel of real estate lying, being and situate in the City of Greenville, in the County of Pitt and State of North Carolina, to-wit:

Lot No. 18 in Block D, situated in the town aforesaid, on plat of property formerly owned by Manning and Moore as surveyed and plotted by D. C. James, which said plat or map is recorded in Book 1, page 71, of the Public Registry of Pitt County, and BEGINNING at a point on the east side of Ridgeway Street, corner of lot No. 9; thence running E. 160.5 ft. to a stake, corner of lot No. 17; thence with the line of lot No. 17 North 60 ft.; thence West 100.5 ft. to Ridgeway Street; thence South with the line of said Street 60 feet to the BEGINNING; whereon are situate two houses numbered 210 and 212, respectively, which property was conveyed to Edward Shields by deed duly recorded in the Register's Office for Pitt County in Book G-17, at page 573.

And the purchaser at said sale will be required to deposit with the Commissioner, as evidence of his good faith, 10 per cent of the amount of his bid, pending confirmation by the Court. This November 24, 1941. ALBION DUNN, Commissioner. Dec. 1-8-15-22.

Your SPORTEST



TRUE OR FALSE?

1. Sarah Palfrey Cooke and Margaret Osborne have a right to be happy. They won the national doubles tennis championship. Mrs. Cooke also won the singles crown.
2. Edgar "Special Delivery" Jones is a Stanford sprinter, fastest runner on the Pacific Coast.
3. Betty Jameson of San Antonio was the only 1940 national golf winner to retain a championship.



4. Pat Laursen, three times national skeet champion, was dethroned this year by Mrs. M. L. Smythe.
5. Joe Louis, heavyweight champion, had seven fights this year, was twice forced to go 13 rounds.

Give yourself 20 points for each question correctly answered. You're good if you score 60, excellent if you get 80 and a real sports expert if you tally 90 or above.

SPORTS ANSWERS

1. True.
2. False. Jones is a Pittsburgh U. football player.
3. False. No 1940 national golf champion was a repeater.
4. True.
5. True.

PRISON SETUP IS IN THE RED

System Piling Up Deficit Of Over \$50,000 Monthly

By BOB THOMPSON
Raleigh, Dec. 1.—The North Carolina State Prison system is piling up a deficit at the rate of more than \$1,700 a day.

In the first four months of the present fiscal year the prison system accumulated an overdraft of \$212,266.01, according to the records of the State Highway and Public Works Commission. On the same date last year the system had a credit balance of \$954,244. Ben Prince, chairman of the commission and Oscar Pitts, the director of the prisons, are now considering the possibility of raising the amount the road division pays the prison division for prison labor. By increasing the amount from \$1 to \$1.10 a man they hope to overcome the rapidly mounting overdraft.

Prince said that he did not blame Pitts, who took charge of the prisons just before the beginning of the fiscal year, for the fact the system is running in the red. Both he and Pitts attributed the condition to:

1. An increase in the cost of feeding and clothing prisoners.
2. Recent increases in the wages paid prison employees.
3. Capital investment, most of which is the \$52,000 invested in cattle from which the prison hopes to make a profit.
4. The decrease in prison population which, although it means a decrease in the cost of feeding and clothing, also means a decrease in the number of men working the roads for which the system receives \$1 a day.
5. The increased cost of maintaining the woman's prison.

Prince said that he has ordered Pitts and other members of the commission staff to make certain "break-downs" of the record in order to determine what can and should be done to remedy the situation. He said that the matter of the mounting prison overdraft was not discussed at the last week's meeting of the commission. However, at least one member of the commission in a conversation after the meeting expressed dissatisfaction with the operation of the prison from a business standpoint. In discussing the reasons for the condition, Prince said that he did not believe that it would be possible to overcome the overdraft during the present fiscal year without an increase in the amount paid the prison for the labor of the prisoners. Governor Broughton said that he had not discussed the situation with either Prince or Pitts but he could see that the cost of living might make an increase in the price paid for labor advisable. However, Prince admitted that he needed considerable more information than he had at present to explain the size of the deficit. The operation of the Central

Santa and the WHITE ROSE

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THE OLD MAN AND THE BABIES Many years ago in the City of the Seven Castles there was a great dance festival on the first Monday of September. King Harald had invited everyone to come. They streamed into the city even before the round, red sun rose above the trees.

There was much laughing as old friends met. And there was much bustle in the squares because everyone had brought something to sell. The men brought pigs and wheat. The women brought quilts, lace and cakes. Small boys and girls sold chestnuts and pigeons.

That noon King Harald promised a feast on the lawn of the White Castle, and that evening he was sending his musicians to play beside the wishing well in the little, green square behind the cathedral.

I shall tell you about a strange, old man who came. He wore a white jacket and he leaned on a staff. His feet were bare and the wind blew his silky, white hair. He had nothing to sell.

He went straight to the wishing well and laid down his staff. He drew a bucket of water, took a kerchief from his neck and wet it, and then he wiped his feet as if they were tired.

He smiled at some boys but they looked away and whispered. Then one lad sneaked around him, stole his staff and limped around in such good imitation of the old man that everyone laughed.

The boy thought he was very clever so when he gave the staff back he poked the old man in the ribs. But as he did so a queer thing hap-

pened: green leaves sprung from the staff. The boy turned and ran, and the merchants nearest the old man moved farther away. So the old man took his staff and walked on. He went to the great square where men and women were already dancing and stopped beside two men who were drinking wine from a piskin sack. He said, "I'm very thirsty."

"Ho, ho," laughed one man, "dust wouldn't be good for that would it?" That made the other man laugh. A woman chuckled and offered the old man a dry biscuit. He walked on.

Now this City of the Seven Castles was the capital of a rich country. There had been no war for a hundred years, so the wheat fields were rich, the orchards large, and even the beggars ate roast geese on Christmas eve.

This day, as the sun set, the people spread out picnic feasts they had brought in woven baskets. But the old man had nothing to eat. He stopped by a plump housewife and asked if he might have a piece of cold roast geese. She looked annoyed and said "Beggars can't be choosers." She threw him some scraps.

Again the old man walked on and a queer thing happened. White doves flew out from his robe and



He cut the white rose neatly in half.

circled over his head. That frightened everyone who saw it. The oldest and wisest grandmother there exclaimed, "Sh! This is no beggar."

At that the old man stepped up to her and said, "No I am no beggar. I am come from the North Pole to see how men and women use their riches."

The grandmother asked, "What do you find?"

The man said nothing, but he reached down to a bouquet of flowers, chose a white rose, drew a knife from his belt and cut the rose in half. His lips moved but no one heard what he said. Suddenly the rose was gone, and in his arms snuggled two new-born babies, one a girl, and the other a boy. Then the old man turned and walked out of town.

TOMORROW: The opal and the feather.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed and delivered by B. E. McLawhorn and wife, Rachel McLawhorn, under date of September 2, 1940, to Dink James, Trustee, for Southeastern Mortgage Company, of record in Book G-23, page 498 of the Public Registry of Pitt County, default Dink James, Trustee, default Dink James, Trustee, having been made in the payment

in the indebtedness secured thereby and other terms and conditions of said instrument violated, the undersigned will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash before the Courthouse door in Greenville, N. C., on Wednesday, December 10, 1941 at 12 o'clock noon the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lying and being near the City of Greenville on the eastern edge of the right-of-way of North Carolina State Highway No. 11 leading from Greenville to Winterville, and being lot No. 6 in Block "B" of the subdivision known as Hillside as shown on plat of survey by H. L. Rivers, Engineer, made March, 1940 and duly recorded in Map Book 3, page 135 of the Pitt County Registry, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a stake in the western property line of Hillside subdivision between Arlington Drive and Glenwood Drive, which stake and beginning point is 376 ft. north from the northeast corner of the intersection of the property lines of Arlington Drive and the eastern edge of the aforesaid state highway right of way; thence along and with the dividing line between Lots Nos. 5 and 6 in Block "B" S. 81-30 E. 150 ft. to the common corners of lots Nos. 5, 6, 20 and 21 in said Block "B"; cornering, thence along and with the dividing line between lots No. 6 and 21 N. 81-30 E. 75 ft. to the common corners of lots Nos. 6, 7, 21 and 22; cornering, thence along and with the dividing line between lots Nos. 6 and 7 in Block "B" N. 81-30 W. 150 ft. to the western property line of Hillside Subdivision; cornering, thence along and with the said property line S. 8-30 W. 75 ft. to the beginning, this being the same lot conveyed to E. McLawhorn and wife, Rachel McLawhorn, by deed from C. W. Harvey and wife, Ruth J. Harvey, bearing date of March 18, 1940, and being duly recorded in Book J-23, page 423 of the Pitt County Registry, to which reference is hereby directed for more particular and accurate description.

This the 8th day of Nov., 1941. DINK JAMES, Trustee. Nov. 17-11w-4w.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS Having qualified as administrator of the estate of J. I. Norville, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of December, 1942, of this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 1st day of December, 1941. ROLAND NORVILLE, Administrator of estate of J. I. Norville, deceased. F. M. Wooten, Atty. Dec. 1-11w-6w.

NOTICE OF SALE Beginning at a gum stump on the canal, corner of land of Dr. W. I. Wooten, the late T. M. Moore heirs; thence with the canal as follows: S. 78-1-2° W. 404 feet; N. 81° 30' W. 69 feet; N. 78-3-4° W. 758 feet; S. 87° W. 166 feet; N. 78-3-4° W. 269 feet to another corner of Dr. W. I. Wooten; thence S. 35-1-2° W. 970 feet to a corner of Dr. W. I. Wooten with Smith and Sugg; thence N. 51° W. 130 feet; thence N. 78-1-2° W. 240 feet; thence N. 89° W. 900 feet to a corner of Smith and Sugg with Rachel Teel, marked by a sweet gum; thence N. 8° 30' E. 2075 feet; thence S. 88-1-2° E. 858 feet; thence with R. H. Pollard's line N. 67-1-2° E. 555 feet to a stake on the south side of public road leading from House station toward Mount Pleasant Church; thence with said road as follows: S. 29-1-2° E. 491 feet; S. 48° 20' E. 1385 feet; thence S. 73-1-2° E. 133 feet; thence leaving the road S. 24° W. 200 feet; S. 80-1-2° E. 412-1-2 feet to the point of beginning, containing 98.6 acres, according to survey made by G. B. Cooper, Surveyor, January, 1940, excepting however a family graveyard on said land containing less than 1-4 acre. This 2nd day of November, 1941. S. L. ABBINGTON, Substituted Trustee. F. M. Wooten, Atty. Greenville, N. C. Dec. 1-8-15-22.

DAN DUNN - SECRET OPERATIVE 48



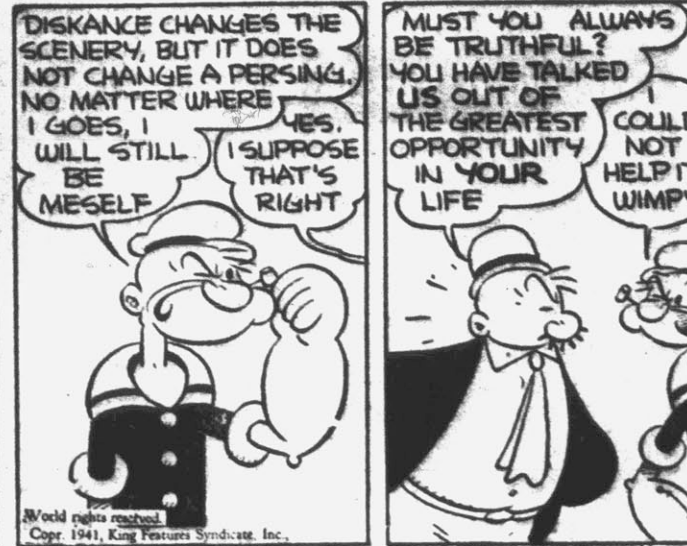
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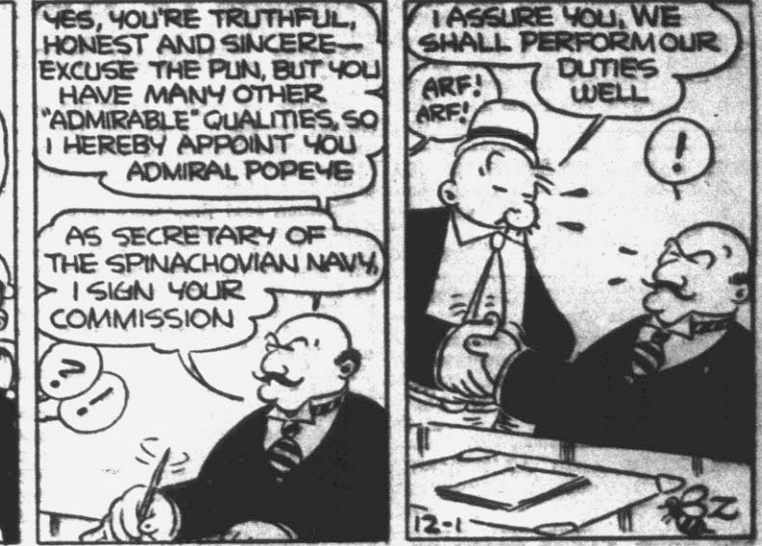
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ROSES — TWO YEAR PLANTS. Over 30 varieties. 3 for \$1.00. Phone 3788. **Greenville Nursery, 414 E. Third St.** Mon-Wed-Fri.

SPECIAL — WINCHESTER RANGERS, Kleanbore Sure Shot, Peter's Victor and Western Expert, lead shot shells, 2¢ cents per box. **J. A. Watson, Seed and Hardware.** 10-41

We Clean and Press **Men's Suits, Ladies' Coats—Dresses** Our work must please and a trial will convince you. **CAROLINA DRY CLEANERS** Dial 2776—Leon Smith, Prop.

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FOR SALE—IRON SAFE AND two small Humphrey's Radiant Fire Gas Stoves. Call 3722. **Scott's Dry Cleaners.** 28-31

We can convert your present heating plant to **AUTOMATIC DELCO-HEAT** — **SMITH ELECTRIC CO.** Phone 2275 Since 1918

FOR RENT — DOWNSTAIRS furnished apartment. Four rooms and bath. Electric stove, refrigerator, water heater. Dial 2885. **Mrs. C. W. Willard, 510 E. Tenth St.** 28-31

CABBAGE PLANTS FOR SALE — Early Jersey and Charleston Wakefield. **J. F. Arthur, 14th St., Dial 2865.** 18-61

GOODRICH AUTO BATTERIES and Heaters. Easy terms. **Cozart's Auto Supply, Dial 3595.** 18-121

FOR SALE—HEATROLA. CHEAP. Dial 3159.

WANTED—VACUUM CLEANERS to repair—Electrolux, Hoover, Eureka, any make. Carry hose, cords and parts. Hoover Cleaner representative. See latest model Hoover Cleaners. Buy now before prices advance. **Fleming Vacuum Cleaner Repair Service, 305 Paris Ave., Dial 2287.** 22-1 mo.

FOR SALE—LADIES' DIAMOND Ring—90 solitaire—20 small diamonds. Platinum band. Write P. O. Box 871. Dial 2473. Dec 1-1tw-3wk

SIX-ROOM HOUSE FOR RENT—corner West Fourth and Vance Streets. Nice yard, nice garage, excellent neighborhood. Convenient to schools. \$30.00 per month. Phone 3398. **W. G. Ward, 300 W. Third St.** 28-31

FOR RENT—NICE APARTMENT located on Dickinson avenue. See **J. W. Higgs.** 28-11

FOR RENT—LARGE FURNISHED room, centrally heated, with private bath. Gentlemen preferred. Phone 2568. 29-11

CHRISTMAS SPECIALS — Offer special prices are now in effect—save money on your Christmas Permanent Wave. Call us for an appointment. **Retha's Beauty Shop** Munford Bldg., Five Points. Dial 2912. 1-31

ATTENTION! AUTOMOBILE Dealers, Garagemen and Repairmen—Save money by having us, with our licensed new patented process, repair your cracked cylinder blocks, cylinder heads and bursted crank cases. All work guaranteed. **Stafford Oldsmobile Co., Dial 2016.** 27-151

PREPARE FOR FUTURE—DON'T depend on charity or relatives in old age. Insure easy living with **Paper Shell Pecan Trees.** Also all kinds nursery stock, everbearing strawberry plants. See me. **Geo. Kistrell, Winterville.** Mon-Fri.

A. COFFER TABLE WILL make an ideal gift. See our display. **Home Furniture Store.** 29-21

GIVE A LAMP TABLE FOR Christmas. They make wonderful gifts. **Home Furniture Store.** 1-21

MAN WITH CAR TO SERVICE rural families in nearby county with household and farm necessities. Good earnings assured the person devoting proper time and attention. Write Box 5071, **Richmond, Virginia.** 29-21

I WANT TO RENT A FARM—about 2-horse crop—must have 6 to 8 acres tobacco. Prefer cotton and peanut allotments also. Call 3409.

BULBS FOR SALE — EMPEROR daffodils and paper white narcissus—2 for 5 cents. **White's Stores.** 25-eod-31

MAGAZINES MAKE THE IDEAL Christmas gift for any member of the family. I have them all. Give me your renewals. **Mrs. A. J. Moore, Dial 3355.** 13-eod-61

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR smaller car, a Lincoln Zephyr Sedan. Answer "Car," care **Daily Reflector.** Wed-Fri-Mon.

SPECIALS FOR TUESDAY — Cream Puffs, Fried Applejacks and Rye Bread. **People's Bakery.**

Richmond Livestock (Courtesy J. N. and J. L. Williams) Richmond, Dec. 1.—Hogs, market steady with Thursday, top \$9.90, good and choice 180-225 lbs. \$9.70-\$9.90, 100-120 lbs. \$8.15-\$8.40, 120-140 lbs. \$8.40-\$8.90, 140-160 lbs. \$8.90-\$9.40, 160-180 lbs. \$9.40-\$9.70, 225-250 lbs. \$9.30-\$9.80, 250-300 lbs. \$8.95-\$9.45, over 300 lbs. \$8.70-\$9.20, sows under 350 lbs. \$7.90-\$8.40, over 350 lbs. \$6.90-\$7.40.

N. Y. Stock Market New York, Dec. 1.—(AP)—The stock market had the advantages of a fairly good news budget today, but the rally response was notably feeble and selective. Prices hardened at the opening on relatively slow dealings. A few weak spots then developed and, with activity slackened further, irregularity ruled near the fourth hour.

New York Cotton New York, Dec. 1.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 10 to 30 cents a bale higher. Midday quotations were 25 to 30 cents a bale lower. **March 16.36, May 16.45, July 16.48.**

Hog Markets Richmond 9.90 Rocky Mount 9.65

AAA-Produced Film To Be Seen In Bethel

"Harvests for Tomorrow," a new government documentary film on rural New England, with narration by Frank Craven, well known stage and screen star who had the leading role in "Our Town," and specially composed music, will be shown at the Bethel Theatre December 2nd and 3rd. The picture follows a simple story of the strength and security that come from the land and the importance of the fight farmers are making to keep their cropland and pastures permanently productive. All characters are real farm people. The picture was directed by Edgar Peterson, II. The music was composed and conducted by John Alden Finckel and played with members of the National Symphony Orchestra. It was produced by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture. "Harvests for Tomorrow" is being distributed by Warner Bros.

Damage Of \$5,000 From Sunday Fire

Damage estimated at \$5,000 was caused by the fire at the Dickinson Avenue branch of the Quinn-Miller and Stroud Furniture Company last night. Firemen said they were unable to determine the cause of the blaze, which broke out in a back room. The loss to the stock was estimated by L. A. Stroud, manager, at \$2,000. K. W. Cobb, owner of the building, estimated the damage to the structure at \$3,000. Much damage to the stock was caused by fire and smoke. Firemen also reported a fire early last Friday morning at the home of Mrs. Irma Dunn at the corner of Fourth and Contentnea. Firemen said the fire apparently was started from a smouldering cigarette. A hole was burned in the floor of Mrs. Dunn's bedroom and when she jumped out of bed she stepped in the hole and was injured to such an extent she had to be confined to her bed.

Colorado Senator Claimed By Death

Wash., Dec. 1. (AP)—Senator Adams (D-Col.) 66, died shortly before 4 a. m. today from a heart attack. The senator had been confined to his bed at his home at an apartment hotel since a heart attack which he suffered Tuesday night.

News Test Answers
1. Bauxite mining from whose ore aluminum is made.
2. 173,000.
3. England, in 1667.
4. Greenland and Iceland.
5. Caracas, in the Caribbean Sea off Venezuela.



Your Newest What Do You Know About... DUTCH GUIANA?

- Which principal industry of Dutch Guiana (pictured above) did U. S. troops move in to guard?
- What is the population of Dutch Guiana, also known as Surinam?
- Which belligerent in the present war first owned the Netherlands Guiana and swapped it for New Netherlands (New York)?
- In what two other foreign danger spots are American soldiers and sailors on duty?
- A colony of six West Indies islands, also owned by The Netherlands, is famous for a liquid export which bears its name. What is the double name?

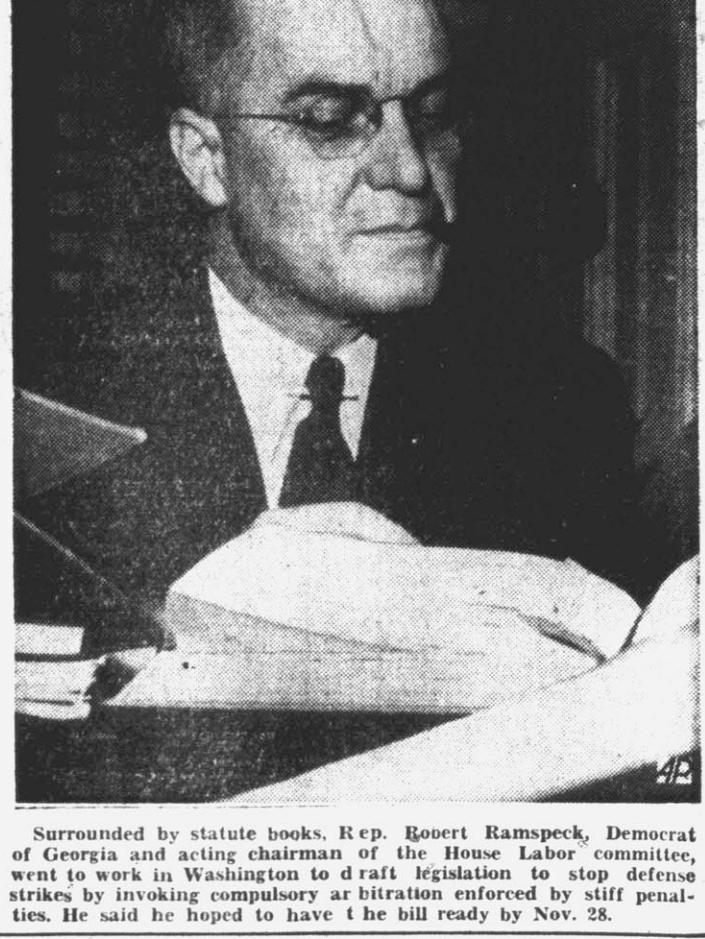
Each question counts 20 points. A score of 80 or above is excellent.

Boys Held For Lawyer's Death



Bound in handcuffs, Tommy Peters (center) and Paul Hoback (right), both 16 years old, were under arrest at Appalachee, Va., for the slaying of Ward Loveless, wealthy Washington, D. C., attorney, at his country home near Leesburg, Va. With them is State Patrolman E. B. Mitchell (left), Prosecutor Charles Harrison of Loudoun county said he had a "complete confession" from the boys that the attorney found them in his home upon returning from Washington Sunday night and the fatal struggle ensued.

Ramspeck Drafts Strike Curb Bill



Surrounded by statute books, Rep. Robert Ramspeck, Democrat of Georgia and acting chairman of the House Labor committee, went to work in Washington to draft legislation to stop defense strikes by invoking compulsory arbitration enforced by stiff penalties. He said he hoped to have the bill ready by Nov. 28.

Twelve Are Tried At Monday's City Court

Twelve cases were tried in Municipal recorder's court this morning, three defendants being charged with speeding, three for crashing red lights, two for riding a bicycle at night without a light, two for drunkenness, one for non-support and one for larceny.

Liquor Still Is Seized By Pitt ABC Force

Pitt county ABC officers Saturday afternoon seized a 50-gallon steam liquor still, with 200 gallons of fermented mash, in the Penny Hill section of Belvoir township. The plant was not in operation and no one was at the site. The still, along with all the equipment was destroyed by the officers

Green Proposes Labor Plan



William Green (right), president of the American Federation of Labor, explains to Rep. Robert Ramspeck, Democrat of Georgia and acting chairman of the House Labor Committee, his cooperative plan for industry, labor and government to end defense strikes. Green presented the plan before a closed session of the committee in Washington as the alternative to any compulsory anti-strike legislation.

visit such other places of interest as the Federal Bureau of Investigation division of the Department of Justice, Washington's new airport, Bureau of Engraving and Printing, the Library of Congress, Smithsonian Institute and Union Station. Those students making the trip were: Betsy Hellen, Betsy Nobles, Sammy White, Jim Turner, Leonard Ross, Knott Proctor, Dick Fleming, Sidney Dunn, Louise Dupree, Carl Alligood, Jimmy Warren, Pat Waldrop, Ed Vick, Bill Lee, Margaret Lee Duke, Eloise Warren, Nancy Harris, Pat Corey, Ann Hardee, Jack Edwards, Lee Salced, Mary A. Davis, Billy Tucker, Ruth Brown, Mary E. Allen, Carrie D. Edwards, Kathleen Smith, Virgil Clark, James Hudson, Hugh Edwards, Milton Howard, Evelyn Poley, Frances Kittrell, Mary E. Austin, Helen Kemp, Anne Bailey Blank, Carlton Wilson, Rosalie Taylor, Bill Turner, Billy Horne, Wesley Johnston, Troy Rouse, and Thad Nobles. This group was accompanied by instructors H. H. Cunningham and Mary Robeson.

GREENVILLE HI-NEWS — **CORA REDDITT EVELYN SCHELLER**

Good Sports First, yours truly would like to express surprise and pleasure at the good sports in both Greenville and Washington. The attendance at both the game and dance afterward were very well behaved.

Seven Plays The Dramatists are practicing seven plays. The plays and characters are: "Pinch-hitting for Cupid" — Mary Ann Duncan, Joyce Corbett, Johnny Corey and Jasper Pollard. "Proposing To You" — Sarah Lee Bland, Jack Teel, Dorothy Nixon, and Eustace Conway. "Artistic Development" — John Bunch, Mitchell White and Margaret Clark. "Ghost in the Green Gown" — Jean Harrington, Dorothy Davenport, Jane Rogers, Adelaide Warren, Ann Skinner and Elizabeth Bridgers. "Title Go." — Noah Lee Edwards, James L. Briley, Gene Johnson, Leonard Ernest, John Ray Hardy, Stuart Murphy, Jasper Pollard and Pimpy Warren. "Gentlemen First" — Virginia Simpson, Jimmy Warren and Jasper Pollard. "Theodore, Jr." — Myrtle Gary Pollard, Elizabeth Tripp, Sarah Lee Bland, Edna Ippock, Margaret Mills, Marie Whitehurst and Charlotte Robertson.

Beta Club At the November 26 meeting the Beta Club decided to give a Penny Fair. It will be presented Friday night, December 12. The plans include a marriage bureau, shooting gallery, dancing (square and regular), cake walk, bingo table and many other such ideas.

I. C. Club Tonight at 7:30 the I. C. Christmas party in room 25 will be given. Each member may bring a friend. The room was decorated with Christmas colors and leave this afternoon by several members of the club.

Decline Shown In Building Permits

New construction and repair projects undertaken in the city during November showed a sharp decline from the figures for the previous month, only eight permits having been issued last month for work to cost \$8,795, compared with 10 permits for construction to cost \$51,425 the previous month.

To Present Cossacks Here Tuesday Night

The Don Cossacks, the same chorus and director, Serge Jaroff, that captivated the Greenville audience ten years ago, will give a concert tomorrow evening at 8:30 o'clock in the Wright auditorium. With their thrilling, fervent, and beautiful songs and strange, furious folk dances, they have made a reputation from coast to coast that has increased with the years. Their music has tremendous appeal to the public and a concert by them is rated a great musical event by music-lovers.

God's Importance Subject Of Pastor

By **WYATT BROWN**

"There is something bigger than the home, job or health and happiness—God," declared Reverend A. W. Perry, minister, in his sermon on "The Central Fact of Life" at Jarvis Memorial Methodist church yesterday morning. This was the second Sunday Mr. Perry has filled the Methodist pulpit having been appointed to the Greenville church two weeks ago at the annual North Carolina Methodist Conference. Attention was drawn to the fact

History Students Go To Washington

By **MARGARET JONES**

Yesterday at 7:30 forty-four members of the American History classes of Greenville High School, left for a three-day tour of the nation's capital. The students have studied the places of interest they plan to visit and a well-rounded tour has been mapped out. The group hopes to gain a longer lasting appreciation of our nation's achievements through the trip. Each class chose a reporter and numerous students will take pictures for a scrap book that will be made when the students return. The party will visit the House and Senate chambers while the lawmakers are in session and will

Damage Of \$5,000 From Sunday Fire

Damage estimated at \$5,000 was caused by the fire at the Dickinson Avenue branch of the Quinn-Miller and Stroud Furniture Company last night. Firemen said they were unable to determine the cause of the blaze, which broke out in a back room. The loss to the stock was estimated by L. A. Stroud, manager, at \$2,000. K. W. Cobb, owner of the building, estimated the damage to the structure at \$3,000. Much damage to the stock was caused by fire and smoke. Firemen also reported a fire early last Friday morning at the home of Mrs. Irma Dunn at the corner of Fourth and Contentnea. Firemen said the fire apparently was started from a smouldering cigarette. A hole was burned in the floor of Mrs. Dunn's bedroom and when she jumped out of bed she stepped in the hole and was injured to such an extent she had to be confined to her bed.

Twelve Are Tried At Monday's City Court

Twelve cases were tried in Municipal recorder's court this morning, three defendants being charged with speeding, three for crashing red lights, two for riding a bicycle at night without a light, two for drunkenness, one for non-support and one for larceny.

Liquor Still Is Seized By Pitt ABC Force

Pitt county ABC officers Saturday afternoon seized a 50-gallon steam liquor still, with 200 gallons of fermented mash, in the Penny Hill section of Belvoir township. The plant was not in operation and no one was at the site. The still, along with all the equipment was destroyed by the officers

Decline Shown In Building Permits

New construction and repair projects undertaken in the city during November showed a sharp decline from the figures for the previous month, only eight permits having been issued last month for work to cost \$8,795, compared with 10 permits for construction to cost \$51,425 the previous month.

To Present Cossacks Here Tuesday Night

The Don Cossacks, the same chorus and director, Serge Jaroff, that captivated the Greenville audience ten years ago, will give a concert tomorrow evening at 8:30 o'clock in the Wright auditorium. With their thrilling, fervent, and beautiful songs and strange, furious folk dances, they have made a reputation from coast to coast that has increased with the years. Their music has tremendous appeal to the public and a concert by them is rated a great musical event by music-lovers.

God's Importance Subject Of Pastor

By **WYATT BROWN**

"There is something bigger than the home, job or health and happiness—God," declared Reverend A. W. Perry, minister, in his sermon on "The Central Fact of Life" at Jarvis Memorial Methodist church yesterday morning. This was the second Sunday Mr. Perry has filled the Methodist pulpit having been appointed to the Greenville church two weeks ago at the annual North Carolina Methodist Conference. Attention was drawn to the fact

WHEN TALL DARK AND HANDSOME MEETS A VENUS (with arms) — What Follows Is Bound To Be Fun!

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that Christ loved home life more than anyone ever has, that He told at His job as the Son of God on earth, that He contributes more genuine happiness to life than anyone else who has ever lived.

"It is important that the importance of God in the home be emphasized, Christ was forever emphasizing it. God is on His throne and throughout the world and things are going to work out. "God is going to win," the minister exclaimed.

Next Mr. Perry brought out how God relieves one from fear and worry keeps one from making one's best contribution to life and community, worrying that one has been slighted or mistreated.

"Take such things into the presence of God and let Him settle them. If anyone has slighted me, I want to be so busy in doing the work of the lord I can say I leave this to the God who loves us and who will take care of all differences.

"One is frightened at the responsibility of new responsibilities. I was when I first came to this new work. But, God wants to use the last one of us in building His kingdom. The Christian religion will come to the rescue of each one of us in the things we are called upon to do. "We can never make progress so long as we refuse assignments of work God gives us. God will help you if you trust Him. Oh, how He wants to use us!" Mr. Perry exhorted.

Making an instant application of the preceding remarks Mr. Perry suggested that the Jarvis Memorial membership of 1,200 be doubled in the next several months for someone had told him there were that many prospects in the city for the church.

"People say it is impossible to carry out such a proposal but God is on His throne. It can be done if we are willing and know Jesus Christ.

"There are people who talk disparagingly of Christianity today and say the church is doomed. We cannot get away from chaos and slump of morals but through it all there is the big, loving, throbbing heart of God. He must continue to reign. "People in this congregation who have been willing to put their trust in Him have found the going difficult. But at the final day these will not be frightened. They will be ready to suffer and face disappointments with God.

"Sorrow will come to all. At such time remember God is still alive; God loves us all. He wants to move so close to us that He can give us the needed encouragement. God knocks at the door of your heart with the gentleness of a child's kiss and with the strength of lightning," he declared in closing.

TODAY AT THE MOVIES

Pitt—NOTHING BUT THE TRUTH — Bob Hope, Paulette Goddard

State—BUCK PRIVATES — with Bud Abbott, Lou Costello

Colony—ICE CAPADES — with Dorothy Lewis, Jerry Calans

Adopts Policy Of Realism For Army

Monroe, Dec. 1.—(AP)—A new realism in the Army, both for commanders and the men who do the shooting and most of the dying, is the keynote of the nation's 1942 training program.

Within the first four months of the new year "all artillery units are to shoot over troops (with live shells) and all infantry is to be shot over," Lieut. General Leslie J. McNair, chief of staff of Army General Headquarters and the man in charge of conditioning and teaching the new Army, says. There will be adequate safeguards, of course. He made the statement at a press conference following his final meeting yesterday with high officers of the 300,000 troops awaiting return to home stations after two weeks of simulated warfare between the First Army and the Fourth Corps in the Carolinas.

TUESDAY

"SINGAPORE WOMAN" with Beautiful **BRENDA MARSHALL**

Added Fun **EDGAR KENNEDY** in "Sunk By A Censor" "SEA RAIDERS" No. 9

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